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## LEDBETTER, RAMBY, CRONE, RAY SET '51 LIONS MINSTREL PLANS

The Lions Club's appointed coordinators and coordinators got the rolling this week on the 1951 Lions Club Minstrel show which will be scheduled for a late date. Ledbetter, Ramby and M. C. Ledbetter, co-directors of the 1951 show held meetings with Murray and Carl Ray, coordinators. They set the specific committee appointments made. A total of seven committees will be named. They are: Costumes and Makeup, Advertising and Printing, Lighting and Stage and Props, Candy Prizes, Ticket Sales and Promotion, Music and Specialities. Thus far two appointments have been made and confirmed. Danforth, Morton High School Band Director has been named in charge of all musical specialties and arrangements. Stockdale will again serve as interlocutor of the show. Prospective end men in the show will be selected from a list prepared by the committees, Bob Danham, Neal Rose, Ramby, Dan Stringer, Tom McAllister, M. Ledbetter, Homer Thompson

## Texas Agents Receive Awards

College Station—Seven Texas agricultural agents have been selected by the Texas County Agricultural Agents Association to receive the Distinguished Service Award for 1950. Agents receiving the awards and the counties they serve are: Homer Thompson, Cochran; F. V. Irwin, Rockwall; J. W. Holmes, Clark; C. H. Clark, Hill; C. V. Robinson, Llano; R. B. Tate, Bexar; and F. C. Brunemann, Cameron. Presentation of the awards will be made during the National Association of County Agricultural Agents meeting which is being held at the Edgewater Beach Hotel, Chicago, November 22. The award is made annually to those county agents who have made outstanding contributions to agriculture over a period of years.

Thompson has been county agent of Cochran county since 1947. He is chairman of the Relations Committee of the Texas County Agents Association and represents his district on the association's Board of Directors. He is a graduate of Texas A. & M. College and his first extension appointment came in 1934 when he was named assistant cotton adjustment for Scurry and Borden counties. He later held the same position in Briscoe and Deaf Smith counties. In 1936 he became assistant county agent at Lubbock and in 1938, was appointed Garza county agent. He entered the U. S. Army in October 1941 and served for five years. He spent considerable time in Korea where he did agricultural work for the military. He left the Army with the rank of Captain. His 4-H activities and organizational work has been outstanding.

## Polio Fund Drive Volunteers Sought

Volunteers to aid County Judge W. W. Thompson in soliciting funds for a pre-polio fund campaign are urgently needed. Funds from the local treasury have long since been depleted and money has been borrowed from the National Foundation to help carry on care of Cochran county sufferers of the dread disease "Polio."

Persons able to assist in this arduous task are requested to contact Mr. Thompson, fund chairman of the Cochran County Chapter of March of Dimes.

## WEED STATIONED LOUISIANA

Kenneth W. (Teeny) Weed is stationed with the Army at Camp Louisiana, according to information received in Tribune last week. Kenneth is a Morton High School graduate and for a time worked in mechanical department of Tribune. More recently he has been employed at Magalia Service Station.

## COMMISSIONERS MEET

The city commissioners met Monday night to handle routine business matters.

## Whiteface F.H.A. Chapter Attends Levelland Meeting

Thirty-three members of the Whiteface F.H.A. Chapter journeyed to Levelland November 14, to an officer's training, radio broadcast, and wiener roast. Several local chapters were represented, with Bledsoe and Morton bringing along their F.H.A. boys. Before the meeting started the visitors were shown through the Levelland homemaking department, and while waiting on others to arrive, they were shown three short movies.

Jean Brown of Whiteface had charge of the reporters training committee. After the training old-time square dancing was enjoyed, then everyone listened to the broadcast.

After the broadcast a wiener roast was held in Lobo Stadium. Whiteface Chapter held its first night meeting November 9, in the homemaking department. A date was set for the night meetings to be held the first Monday night of each month, and a later date was set for the coronation of Sweetheart and Beau.

Refreshments were served to Donna Roulan, Jean Brown, Norma Davis, Bonnie Clifton, Joy Kindle, Darla Oats, Wanda Whitaker, Lenora Gray, Miss Russell and Mrs. Oats.

## Films Shown at L'Allegro Study Club Meeting

Carl England and Reagan Ormond showed the movie, "Oil for Aladdin's Lamp" and a safety film at the L'Allegro Jr. Study Club meeting last Thursday. The group met in the home of Mrs. W. W. Williamson with Mrs. J. C. Reynolds as hostess.

Dorothy Barker announced that a piano had been purchased and delivered to the colored school. This was financed by proceeds from a White Elephant sale the club sponsored recently. Two new members, Mrs. Bob Cross and Mrs. Clyde F. Carson Jr., were elected to membership. Mrs. Tubby Holloman was appointed by the president on the social committee to take the place of Mrs. Ken Neavitt. A limit of \$2.00 was imposed on the gifts for the Christmas party.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses to Mrs. Charles McDermott, Mrs. Tom Rowden, Mrs. Raymond Strickland, Mrs. Bob Dunham, Mrs. Tom Arnn Jr., Paul Goodman, Mrs. T. A. Rowland, Mrs. Fred Danforth, Mrs. Holloman and Mrs. Barker. Special guests were Mrs. Williamson and Mrs. Joe Nicewarner. The group will meet with Mrs. Rowden next Thursday, Dec. 7, and Mrs. J. A. Gowdy will speak on "Pointers on Public Speaking."

## Country Club May Receive Larger Quarters

Current rumors circulating around Morton indicate a larger building may soon be under construction for Morton Country Club. The present club house, containing one large room and two rest rooms, was built about one and a half years ago, during the presidency of C. B. Markham. It has been the scene of many gatherings of Country Club members but is not large enough to accommodate gatherings of any appreciable size. T. L. McAllister is president of the club.

## WEATHERFORD VISITORS HERE

Carl and Esten Alexander of Weatherford, Texas were Sunday and Monday guests here in the home of their niece and sister, Mrs. J. D. Hawthorne and family.

## Commissioners Hold Hearing on Important Issue

The County Hospital question once again becomes a highly important issue this week as County Commissioner's meet in the Commissioners' Courtroom Friday to consider the leasing. The hospital, for the past three years under the control of the West Plains Health Association, has been turned back over to the county by that group, effective whenever a new lessee is named. The meeting will be held at 10 a.m. at which time any tax-paying citizen is invited to appear and contend for or protest the leasing of the hospital. At an earlier meeting of the court, it was already agreed that it would best serve the interests of the county if the hospital were leased.

## Hush Puppy Open On New Schedule

The owners of the Hush Puppy Drive In have announced new winter hours. On Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday the Drive In will be open from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. to accommodate those school children wanting to eat lunch there. Otherwise hours are from 5 in the evening until 10 p.m. with no car hop service except on week ends. Week end hours, Friday, Saturday and Sunday are from 11 a.m. until midnight. These hours go into effect on Monday, November 27.

## Mrs. Stockdale Reports to PTA

Mrs. Fred Stockdale, delegate to State PTA convention in Mineral Wells recently gave a report on the meeting to members of Morton Parent-Teacher Association, Tuesday, November 14. Vocal selections were presented by the Choral Club, under the direction of Mrs. L. L. Price. Mrs. Roy Brown introduced the singers.

## LUBBOCK GUESTS IN C. B. MARKHAM HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John Markham and sons, Don and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Markham of Lubbock were Sunday visitors here in the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Markham.

## RETURNS FROM FORT WORTH

Mrs. Roy Hickman has returned home after two weeks in Fort Worth, where she attended funeral of her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Pritchard, and stayed on to attend to disposal of household effects of the deceased.

## ATTEND DISTRICT GUILD

Mrs. Lloyd C. Miller and Mrs. Orville Tilger, president and secretary respectively of Wesleyan Service Guild, were in Lubbock last Sunday for a district meeting of Wesleyan Guilds.

## R. C. STRIPLING AND WIFE VISIT PARENTS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Stripling of Lubbock were Sunday guests here of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stripling. Young Stripling is a student at Texas Tech.

## SPEND THANKSGIVING DAY IN LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDermott and son, Don, are Thanksgiving guests of her brother, Arles Graham and family in Lubbock. They also plan to attend the Western-Odessa Football game.

## MR. AND MRS. RICHARD WILLIS CALLED TO OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Willis were called to Madill, Oklahoma, Sunday by the serious illness of her grandmother.

## CALLED TO BARTLESVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Baird were called to Bartlesville, Oklahoma, last Thursday night because of the serious illness of his aged father.

## MRS. LYTLE TO DALLAS

Mrs. Cornelia Lytle will leave Friday for Dallas where she will receive treatment at the Hoxey Cancer Clinic.

## INADEQUATE, CONDEMNED JAIL STILL OPERATES IN OUR COUNTY

Cochran County jail, located in basement of court house, has been condemned, by Federal authorities, but so far back in the past that no one remembers just when.

## Christmas Plans Forge Ahead With Committees Set

Committees for Morton's Christmas street lighting and programs have been appointed from Morton Chamber of Commerce and Lions Club and are as follows: Chairman of street lights from Lions Club are Earl Crum, Bud Nairn and Babe Vanlandingham. Lights are scheduled to be put up beginning Monday, November 27. Lights will be turned on officially Friday night, December 1, at seven o'clock. Lighting and program committee form Chamber of Commerce is composed of L. A. Cochran, Tip Window and P. B. Ramby. Neal Rose is general chairman in charge of arrangements from both organizations.

## 2nd Whiteface Youth Returns

Claud Ray Drennan, 12 year old Whiteface youth who was missing for over a month is back again in his home this week after he was located working on a ranch near Portales, New Mexico. Acting on a tip received at the sheriff's office, Sheriff Herman Crockett and the boys father drove to the ranch and found the youth working there. He had been working on the ranch since shortly after he and another youth, Shirley N. Strickland had left their Whiteface homes on October 16.

## Building Permits Slow This Month

Building permits took a noticeable drop during the first two weeks of November according to records in the City Hall. Only two permits have been issued since October for a total of \$9,600. One is for the new service station under construction across the street from Baker's Drive-In. The station will be owned by Herb Hillman.

## CANADIAN VISITOR

Mrs. Lloyd Coffman of Calgary, Alberta, Canada, arrived in Lubbock last Friday morning by commercial airliner. She was met by her brother Van Greene, Mrs. Coffman will visit in Lamesa with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Greene, and in Snyder with her sister, Mrs. Bill Minnax and niece Melody, before returning to her home in Canada.

## Schools Close For 4-Day Vacation

The Morton schools recognized Thanksgiving with a dismissal of school Wednesday for the remainder of the week.

## PROCLAMATION

Time out of mind at this turn of the seasons when the leaves rustle in the wind and the frost gives a tang to the air and dusk falls early and the friendly evenings lengthen under the heel of Orion, it has seemed good to our people to join together in praising the Creator and Preserver, who has brought us by a way that we did not know to the end of another year. In observance of this custom, I appoint Thursday, the twenty-third of November, as a day of

for the blessings that have been our common lot and have placed our beloved community with the favored regions of the earth; for all the creature comforts: the yield of the soil that has fed us and the richer yield from labor of every kind that sustained our lives; and for all those things, as dear as breath to the body, that quicken man's faith in his manhood, that nourish and strengthen his spirit to do the great work still before him; for the brotherly word and act; for honor held above price; for steadfast courage and zeal in the long, long search for truth; for liberty and justice freely granted by each to his fellow and so freely enjoyed, and for the crowning glory and mercy upon our land—that we may humbly take heart of these blessings as we gather once again with solemn and festive rites to keep our Harvest Home.

R. T. TARVER, Mayor of the City of Morton.

## More Reservists To Be Discharged For Dependency

The Department of the Army has broadened its policy of discharging enlisted members of the civilian components having four or more dependents, Colonel Clarence M. Culp, Chief of the Texas Military District, announced last week. Under the new policy all enlisted members of the Organized Reserve Corps, whether on active duty or to be called to active duty as individuals or as members of units, are entitled to discharge if they meet dependency eligibility requirements. Enlisted members of civilian components now serving overseas will be returned to the United States for discharge. Generally enlisted Organized Reserve Corps members relieved from active duty for reason of dependency will be discharged from the Organized Reserve Corps. However, there are three types of enlisted reservists who may be relieved from active duty but will not be discharged from the Organized Reserve. These are: Those retired from the Regular Army with less than 30 years service; Reservists who previously enlisted in the Regular Army for one year; and those inducted under the Selective Service Act of 1948. The original Army policy, announced October 16, 1950, applied only to enlisted members of the Organized Reserve Corps who had been ordered to active duty as individuals. Provisions for discharge under that policy did not apply to personnel on active duty overseas.

## City Attempts to Reduce Hazards

City employees have been making the rounds of downtown Morton for the past week painting parking zones, no parking zones and crosswalks. City Secretary Joe Gipson said that the repainting was being done because the city was badly in need of the job. "We know we can't make every one all of a sudden obey all the parking laws," Gipson stated. "But," he added, "any persons that will pay a little more attention to parking and driving carefully because of the painting, will help to reduce the hazard that much more."

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## Sisson Lauds Public Support of VA; Asks For Strong National Defense

"A government can only be as strong as the care it takes of its veterans and their dependents," Robert Sisson, Veteran's Administration manager at Lubbock told the Morton Lions last Wednesday in explaining the role of the VA in the country today. Mr. Sisson, speaking to a group of approximately 50 Lions and guests, asked that we remember it is a sacred responsibility we

## Tax Payments High Reports Secretary

City tax payments are off to a good start according to City Secretary Joe Gipson. The Secretary's office reports a percentage of 39.7 of the taxes due having been paid by October 31st. November tax payments have been running almost equally heavy indicating a possible 70 per cent of all collections will be made by the end of November.

## Cobbs to Start Moving Soon

Merchandise in the temporary location of Cobb's Department Store will probably be moved to the new building within the very near future, according to Jack Rice, manager. Workmen were busy this week finishing up the interior, which is painted in soft pastel colors. Woodwork in the spacious new store is bleached wood and lighting is furnished by fluorescent fixtures. "Considerable delay in opening of the new structure has been caused by scarcity of materials," Rice said.

## Mary Harbison, Martha Garrett and Mrs. P. E. Liles Bake Show Winners

Mary Harbison, Martha Garrett and Mrs. P. E. Liles were awarded purple rosettes for their baking Saturday, November 18th. Mary entered six of the products listed in the 4-H Division. She earned 12 points by winning first place on her oatmeal "Hurry-Ups", corneal muffins and drop cookies. She placed second on whole wheat muffins and third on bran muffins giving her a total score of 12 points. Martha Garrett received the purple rosette for making a high score of 91 on her bran muffins.

Mrs. P. E. Liles was awarded the purple rosette in the senior division for scoring the highest number of points in the senior division.

Other winners in the junior division were: Oatmeal "Hurry-Ups"; Treva Thompson, second; Martha Garrett third; Reta Barrett, fourth; Christine Wilson, fifth. Bran muffins: Martha Garrett, first; Reta Garrett, second. Plain muffins: Christine Wilson first; Dan Keith, second; Reta Garrett, third; Treva Thompson, fourth; Martha Garrett, fifth, and Ruth Williams, sixth. Corn bread muffins: Christine Wilson, tied with Mary Harbison for first place; Martha Garrett, second; Reta Garrett, third and Jo Ann Melton, fourth. Twelve boys and girls entered biscuits in the biscuit division. They placed thus: first, Paula May Liles; second, Dan Keith; third, Jerry Pond; fourth, Vyla Liles; fifth, Martha Garrett and sixth, Mary Ruth De Bord. In the drop cookie division; Treva Thompson placed second, JoAnn Melton, third; Mary Ruth DeBord, fourth; Christine Wilson, fifth; Wanda Chesshir, Martha Garrett, and Reta Bay Garrett tied for sixth place. This is the first time for the 4-H Clubbers to participate in the Bake Show in a division of their own.

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face Club displayed a miniature craft. Homemakers exhibit showed food from the home freezer and Lehman's exhibit was on leather-frame garden complete with charts telling the amount of fertilizer to use. The cakes were sold after the show for a total of \$20.00 which will go into the Council fund.

## Carl Ray Buys Brother's Interest In Local Store

A deal was completed last Friday whereby Carl Ray bought the interest of his brother, L. W. Ray, in Rays' Hardware Store. The two brothers bought the store in 1945, opening for business under the new name, Rays' Hardware, on July 13 of that year. L. W. joined the firm personally in April, 1946. Prior to moving to Morton Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Ray lived in Marfa, where both were employed by the Army Base. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray and family moved here from Brownfield, Texas. Mrs. L. W. Ray has been associated with the local firm as bookkeeper. At present she is confined to her home with a broken leg, as result of a fall about 10 days ago. Mrs. Carl Ray will continue to assist in the store. Mr. L. W. Ray's future plans are indefinite for the present but he told a Tribune reporter, "I intend to catch up on my fishing." Both families maintain vacation cottages at Possum Kingdom Dam.

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## Luncheon Marks 10th Anniversary Of Sewing Club

A Thanksgiving luncheon, followed by games of Canasta, last Thursday in the home of Mr. L. E. Huggins, marked the 10th anniversary of the Happy Hour Sewing Club.

Charter members of the organization present for the observance were presented with gifts of ear screws.

Table covers carried out the Thanksgiving theme; Pilgrims hats marked places and miniature cups and saucers were given each guest.

A turkey dinner was served buffet from a lace covered table centered with a birthday cake, iced and embossed with "Happy Birthday, H.H.S.C.", green candles in crystal holders completed the table decor.

Present were Mesdames R. D. Ormand, C. A. Baird, W. E. Childs, Carl England, L. M. Baldwin, T. L. McAlister, Lem Cheshier, Dona Doughty, C. W. Webb, Gage Knox, J. B. Knox, C. B. Markham, H. B. Bedwell, Roy Hill, L. A. Cochran, A. A. Fraulin and Jesse Paulk.

## Auxiliary Members Make Rag Dolls At Recent Meeting

Members of American Legion Auxillary in regular meeting Thursday night, November 16, at Veterans Hall made rag dolls which will be sold during the holiday season.

Plans for a joint observance on Pearl Harbor Day, December 7, with Legion; V. F. W. and V. F. W. Auxillary were also discussed.

Tentative plans for the December 7 program include a "bean" dinner, out of town speaker and informal entertainment. The meeting will be open to the public, with those in attendance bringing unwrapped gifts, which will be sent to Big Spring for hospitalized veterans.

## Cochran Wildcat Reported Drilling Below 10,950 Feet

The Superior Oil company No. 1 W. W. Cameron estate, east-central Cochran County wildcat is unofficially reported drilling below 10,950 feet in an unidentified lime.

This venture, located four miles north of the Levelland pool, is being drilled "tight" and no official information is available.

The test 200 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of labor 9, league 86, Greer county school land survey.

## C. A. Moore Brings Home Deer and Wild Turkey

C. A. Moore returned last Wednesday from a successful game hunt in the Hondo Valley of New Mexico.

Hunting on the Perry ranch Mr. Moore killed a deer and wild turkey.

Mrs. Moore and Carolyn accompanied Mr. Moore to the ranch, where they spent the week-end.

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— by ann england —

"Each family pays \$700.00 a year in hidden taxes," was the report given by Olin Culberson to Federated Club women during their convention in Fort Worth last week.

★ **Goodness**—and that on top of social security (which we understand doesn't count at all for married women) and the regular but exceedingly aggravating withholding tax.

★ **Each year, when we hear our friend, Amy Stevenson review, we think, Well Amy has gone and done it—this IS the best—but each time she is better, which is almost impossible, if you know what we mean.**

★ **Guess you know that Amy's a sister-in-law of another of our favorite people—George Mahon? Mr. Stevenson and Mrs. Mahon are brother and sister.**

★ **Every once in a while we mention that we'd like to have letters to the editor. We get them occasionally but we've wondered if people know that the letters don't have to be complimentary to be printed? About the only requirement is a signature.**

★ **If you have something you'd like to say—even though it be of a critical nature, if it is worthy of printing it is worthy of having a name attached.**

★ **You are only wasting time, stationery and stamps by sending an unsigned letter to this office.**

Not only that but there is generally a pretty good clue! sometimes some one even comes in and tells us who wrote or had written such a note) as to where these things originate and as a consequence it creates quite a felling of distrust for the person or persons responsible for such a note.

★ **You know, most of us respect a person, who, when he feels he is justified in making a complaint or offering criticism, gets right up on his feet, identifies himself and says what he has to say.**

★ **On the other hand nothing but contempt is felt for those people who haven't the courage, backbone or guts to come right out with their opinions.**

★ **We still invite letters to the editor: if you feel you have a grievance write us about it—if you want to criticize—do so. We will print it—of course it must contain nothing libelous and it must have your signature.**

★ **Oh, getting back to Amy, she was beautiful as usual, and was wearing a very becoming blue velvet and satin evening dress, with pink lace mitts and a corsage of rosebuds.**

★ **At the same party Mrs. H. S. Hawkins wore a black taffeta metallic threaded dress suit. Mrs.**

Dona Doughty also wore a suit and a pretty corsage—she looks younger all the time and was heard to say upon being complimented, "I think my grandchild is responsible."

★ **At this point Mrs. Elizabeth Greer chimed in with, "And of course YOU KNOW I am a great grandmother?"**

★ **Mrs. C. W. Davis wore a red dress. Think maybe Jesse was the least bit nervous—which we better than anyone can well understand. Being president of any sort of organization certainly is no feather bed.**

★ **The food was up to its usual standard and every one—including me, ate entirely too much. Albert Morrow was about the only one we noticed who left food on his plate but at the very beginning it looked as if a got bigger helpings than some of the rest of us.**

★ **Allene Curry, who was our guest last week-end, and returned Tuesday night especially for the dinner and book review, has started worrying about the tremendous amount of food we consume. Don't think she is so worried about the food as its ultimate result on our figure (if one could call it that).**

★ **According to some literature Ermon Miller brought us we are publicity chairman for a fund campaign being put on by Methodist Church. Guess, that makes it just about unanimous.**

★ **Had the privilege of eating (again) last Thursday with the Happy Hour Sewing Club. The first thing we did on arrival at the Huggins home was look it over and just as we thought it is beautiful. Designed for comfort and convenience and very tastefully furnished.**

★ **Cathy's room is precious and looks just as a cute little blondes room should look. Pink frothy curtains; dolls in abundance with cradle, doll high chair and a little desk and chair. Well just about everything a small girl could possibly wish for.**

★ **Members of H.H.S.C. are among our favorite people in this town. Each and everyone has been kind to us in numerous ways since we hit Morton, nearly five years ago.**

★ **Mrs. Paulk was there (think she originated the club when she moved to Morton from Lamesa) and had on such a pretty gay figured dress, smoky pearls and ear rings.**

★ **Mrs. L. M. Baldwin was wearing green we seem to remember—anyway whatever it was, was most becoming. Don't see her around much any more and she is such a nice person.**

★ **Mrs. L. A. Cochran wore a**

## MRS. DOUGHTY VISITING IN OKLAHOMA CITY

Mrs. Dona Doughty is visiting in Oklahoma City with relatives. She left Wednesday from Lubbock by commercial airliner.

pretty light brown crepe with sort of apricot colored corsage.

★ **And dear sweet Mrs. J. B. Knox favored us with piano selections. She is always so kind to play when asked.**

★ **"GIFTS UNLIMITED"**

Christmas shopping . . . lights aglow.

Traffic scurries 'to and 'fro. Gifts—a realm of boundless joy For each small Miss and eager Boy.

The shelves of stores are stacked so high They almost seem to reach the sky.

With gifts for all, both young and old, From Christmas cards to precious gold.

Mother, Dad and Sister Sue, Brother Ed and Grandpa, too; Grandma, Aunt . . . and Uncle Jim, Wonder what to choose for him?

A Teddy Bear for Baby Mike; Just the thing for that cute tyke. So, on and on, the list we check, And pretty soon, we're thru, by heck!

The Moral of this little rhyme is one to follow every time; "DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING NOW—AVOID THE RUSH" . . . and keep this vow!

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**'YOUR CAR IS READY  
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### Public Invited To Aid In Bringing Christmas Cheer To Disabled Veterans

Thousands, yes thousands, of disabled veterans will be in the hospitals this Christmas unable to go home. And these thousands will be remembering the folks at home during that Yuletide season perhaps a little saddened and perhaps a little lonely because they were unable to be with their families but also saddened by the fact they were unable to buy the little Christmas gifts which are so much a part of Christmas time. It is at this time of year that only Legionnaires and their auxiliaries join in this volunteer service to the disabled but the gifts from Morton will be accepted at a Pearl Harbor open house at Veterans Hall on the evening of December 7.

Below are some suggestions for suitable gifts:

Spot check shows that gifts hand made are preferred to the commercially purchased gifts. For ladies and teen-age girls: hand embroidered things, tea towels, pillow cases, dresser scarfs, luncheon cloths, boxes of toilet soap, boxes of good candy, pretty lengths of material for dresses, bath towels, face towels, wash cloths, house shoes, boxes of stationery, scarfs, anklets, slippers, nylon hose, cosmetics, costume jewelry, hair brushes, pencil sets, head scarfs, purses, etc.

For men and teen-age boys: socks, handkerchiefs, nice ties, boxes of men's toilet soap, boxes of stationery, shaving lotion and toilet articles, cartons of cigarettes, scarfs, belts, razor sets, good pipes, hair brushes, house shoes, playing cards, billfolds, etc.

For little girls: dolls, teddy bears, toys, anklets, hair ribbons, pajamas, dresses, materials, for dresses, sweaters, pocket books, woolen mittens and caps, story books, gowns, slippers, panties, dishes, etc.

For small boys: shirts, sweaters, socks, ties, handkerchiefs, pajamas, belts, western billfolds, pocket knives, story books, building sets, guns, footballs and toys.

From these volunteer gifts hospitalized veterans select gifts for their families. A gift shop is opened in each Veterans Hospital around the tenth of December. For veterans unable to visit the gift shop a gift cart is wheeled to the patients bedside in order that he may choose remembrances for his family. There is no charge to the veteran for these gifts.



Ford passenger cars for 1951 offer refinements in appearance as well as in mechanical operation, featured by Fordomatic Drive automatic transmission. Above is pictured the 1951 Ford Custom Tudor Sedan.

### Morton Future Homemakers Group Sets High Standards As Its Goals

Seventy-four active members of the Morton FHA chapter rounded out their Future Homemakers Association week last Saturday which included officer training, a radio program, a picnic and the area meeting.

Reorganized under their new officers at the start of the school year, the Morton chapter has been consistently busy in planning various programs. A Hobo Day held last month and a Tee-Shirt selling campaign have netted the Morton group a little better than \$110 toward the purchase of new equipment for the group. A new refrigerator is one item on the "must" list and already the group is working on a plan to help with this purchase.

Wilma Gandy is the FHA president this year with Billy Sullivan as vice-president and Maxine Bowers as secretary. Other officers include Shirley Wesson, reporter; Jackie Shipp, songleader; Don Lindsey, parliamentarian; Anna Lois Alford, treasurer; and Erma Long, historian.

Items still on the FHA agenda for this season include for December a meeting for instructions on wrapping Christmas packages, finger and splatter painting by the III year girls, a Christmas Party, Dec. 21st; the stuffing of Christmas toys for sale.

Mrs. Fred Collins, the county health nurse will be on hand for a January meeting in first aid and a basketball tournament will be FHA sponsored to help raise money for the department.

The February FHA calendar is featured by preparations for and the holding of the Mother-Daughter Banquet and the state meeting. In March the FHA Dream

### Social Security Office Representative to Be Here

If any member of your family has passed away and had been covered by social security in his or her work, get in touch with the Social Security Administration immediately. For complete information about your social security call upon or write to the Social Security Administration in Lubbock, Texas; or, you may contact a representative of that office at the Post Office in Morton on Thursday, November 30, 1950 at 1:00 p.m.

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Cochran County, Texas, will receive bids at the Court House in Morton, Texas, until 10 o'clock A. M. December 11, 1950, for the purchase of one tandem drive Diesel powered (75 H.P. minimum) power control motor grader with electric starter, hour meter, mufflers enclosed cab, 12 foot moldboard, one 2-foot LH extension, 13.00-24 tires on all wheels, hydraulic power control for each adjustment, including hydraulic power steering. One used Gallion motor grader will be traded in as part payment, and the Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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### Whiteface P.T.A. Holds Meeting Monday, Nov. 13

Approximately 200 members and guests of the Whiteface Parent-Teacher Association met for a regular monthly meeting Monday night, Nov. 13, in the school auditorium. During the brief business meeting the group agreed to sponsor a box supper with the Senior class. The box supper (which is open to the public) will be held Dec. 8, at 7:30 p.m., in the school auditorium. Mrs. Art N. Wall, president, gave a report on the state convention at Mineral Wells.

A program honoring National Book Week was presented by the third grade of the school, under the direction of Mrs. J. Fred Dahne and Mrs. Sam Rankin. Members of the cast were dressed to represent Mother Goose rhymes and familiar characters of children's books. Mr. Fred Stockdale, county judge-elect of Cochran County, was the principal speaker of the evening. Following the program coffee and doughnuts were served to those present.

A community singing is held the second Sunday of each month under the sponsorship of the local P.T.A. At the last meeting, Nov. 12, a concert by the Whiteface Antelope Band was featured before the singing began. Among the large number present were many from other communities, including Morton, Pettit, Leveland and Whitharral.

See these cunning dolls at MINNIE'S SHOP. Hand made by members of Jesse R. Bond Unit of American Legion Auxiliary.

Mrs. L. W. Ray is getting along nicely altho still confined to her home because of a broken ankle. Mrs. Ray received the injury several days ago when she stepped on a rock that turned, causing her to fall.

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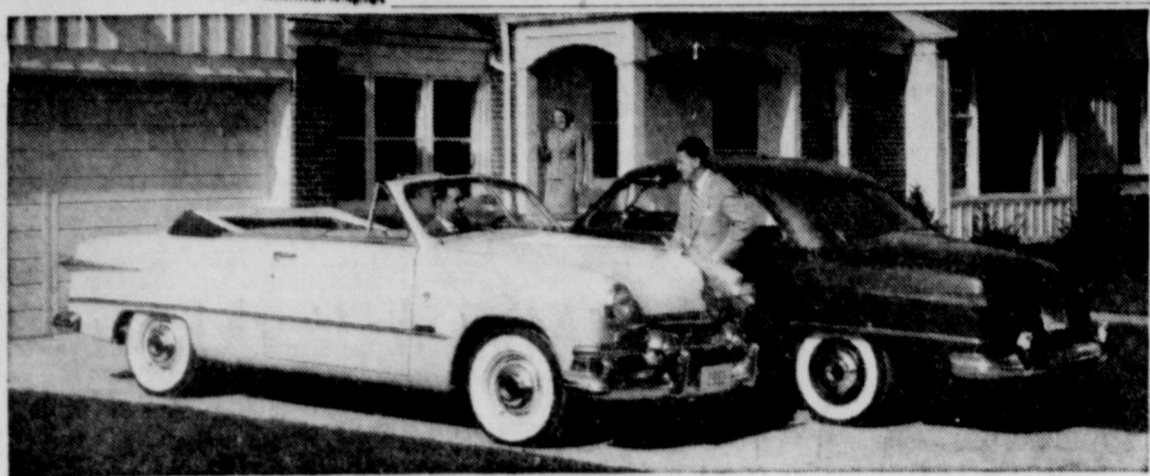
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Distinctive new styling of both front and rear of the new 1951 Fords is shown in this photo of the Convertible and the Custom Club Coupe. The dual-spinner grille and longer, wrap-around bumpers give the front end a wider, more massive appearance and additional chrome and wider tail lights add to the rear end appearance. The 1951 models feature Fordomatic Drive, the new automatic transmission, as optional equipment.

### Tech Press Gets New Manager

Lubbock—Appointment of Raleigh Usry as manager of the Tech Press is announced by President D. M. Wiggins of Texas Technological College. The Tech Press is the printing and publishing facility of Texas Tech, and is housed in the Journalism Building on the campus.

A graduate of North Texas State College at Denton, Mr. Usry was employed during his senior year as assistant of the director of the printing department of that school. Following two years as teacher of printing and manager of the printing shop at Beaumont Senior High School, he joined the United States Army as a private in January, 1943, and was released from active service in 1946 with the rank of first lieutenant. He has been associated with a printing firm in Lubbock since 1946.

Mr. Usry is the son of the late J. M. Usry of Roanoke, Texas. His mother publishes the Roanoke Standard, a weekly newspaper, on which he received his first training in the printing and publishing field.

### Mrs. Roy W. Anglin Honored With Stork Shower

Mrs. Roy W. Anglin was honored with a Stork Shower Tuesday, November 14, at the home of Mrs. Guy Blanton. Co-hostess with Mrs. Blanton were Mrs. M. W. Ellington Jr., Mrs. Lloyd Evans and Mrs. Roy Weekes.

A white cake decorated with pink rose buds and the word "baby" embossed in blue, topped with a stork, centered the refreshment table. The stork theme was carried out in all decorations. The honoree was presented with a bassinet laden with gifts and a bundle of gifts held by a large stork.

Cake and coffee was served guests. Those from out of town included the honoree's mother, husband and father-in-law; Mrs. Esther Adams, Roy Anellin, W. S. Anglin and Ed Parker, all of Lubbock.

Mrs. Anglin is the former Shirley Jo Adams. The family lived in Morton until about five years ago.

### H. S. HAWKINS FAMILY HERE FOR THANKSGIVING

Members of the H. S. Hawkins family here for Thanksgiving include Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hawkins and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Hawkins and family all of Morton; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wright and son of Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Warden, Rev. and Mrs. Bergin Watkins and son, Miss Grace Ann Hawkins and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Stephens and son, all of Lubbock. Mrs. Stephens and Mrs. H. S. Hawkins are sisters.

### Dr. Geo. W. Cox Re-elected State Health Officer

The Texas State Board of Health has elected Dr. George W. Cox of Austin to his eighth consecutive two-year term as state health officer.

The vote of the nine member board was unanimous in favor of keeping Dr. Cox in the post he has held since 1936, the longest tenure in the 70-odd year history of the State Department of Health.

Dr. O. B. Kiel of Wichita Falls, chairman of the board, called Dr. Cox, "outstanding among the health officers in the nation."

"The job he has done in his capacity is remarkable," Dr. Kiel said. "I speak for the whole board when I say Texas is fortunate to have such a man as Dr. Cox heading its public health activities."

In addition to Dr. Kiel, present board members are Dr. S. D. Coleman, Navasota; Pat J. Cavanaugh, a San Antonio pharmacist; Dr. John H. Mitchell, Tyler; Dr. A. W. Rogers, Corsicana; J. P. Burden, San Angelo; Dr. T. C. Terrell, Fort Worth; Dr. B. E. Pickett, Carrizo Springs; and Dr. L. S. Oates, Center.

Dr. Cox has aligned himself with the public health movement in Texas throughout his professional career. He is a former member of the State Board of Health. His medical degree was conferred at Tulane University. Some of the highlights of his tenure as the leader of State public health activities are: A reduction of Typhoid fever death rates of 97 per cent; a 96 per cent cut in malaria mortality; 43 per cent reduction in syphilis death tolls.

The common diseases of childhood—scarlet fever, whooping cough, diphtheria and measles—have been so sharply curtailed that last year the combined death rate from these four causes was less than one-third that of diphtheria alone 15 years ago. Influenza and pneumonia deaths have also fallen off sharply since 1937.

A 500 per cent increase in the number of local health units has occurred under the administration of the veteran health chief who strongly advocates decentralization of the state health facilities "so people can get to them."

He is a past president of the United States-New Mexico Border Public Health Conference, a diplomate of the American Board of Preventive Medicine and Public Health, and a member of the American Public Health Association, American Medical Association, and the Texas State Medical Association. He is also director of the Division of Emergency Medical Services and Public Health within the framework of the State's civil defense organization.

### LETTERS TO SANTA



Dear Santa Claus,

I want dishes, furniture, stove, machines, iron, doctor set, piano, xylophone, phonograph, paints, clay, color book, baby bed, doll carriage, three dolls, train, house shoes, Krazy Ikes, Lincoln Logs, ranch, farm, Service Station, car, tinker toys, erector set, rocking horse, bike, wagon, swing, bingo, puzzles, pollyanna set, rook, nuts, candy, "King of the Winds," football, basketball.

That's all, Mary Kay Jones. P. S. bebe gun, gloves, boots, cap, dress, cowboy suit, cap pistol, blackboard, add-machine, wood burning set, doll clothes, doll house, jeep, truck, racer, teddy bear, tennis set, tent, skates, baseball and bat, bebe pistol. P. S. skate key.

Dear Santa Claus,

This is just a reminder that Christmas is getting very close. We have been good (sometimes) and any thing you pick for a 4 year old girl, a 2 year old boy and a baby will be just fine. Please don't forget our little sister Carol Ann. She will be 2 1/2 months old Christmas. Be sure to remember all little boys and girls.

Lots of Love, Lynne Marie, Billy Bob and Carol Ann Freeland.

Dear Santa Claus,

How are you I am Ok. I bet you are busy making toys for Christmas. Please bring my baby brother a small doll a teddy bear and some cars. Please bring me a big doll and something else you think I would like. I am 8 years old and Eddy is 7 months old. Thank you Santa, June and Eddy Kennedy.

### Bridal Shower Honors Miss Geneva O'Brien

Miss Geneva O'Brien was honored with a bridal shower Monday night, Nov. 13, in the home of Mrs. Clyde Cravens.

The serving table was covered with hand crocheted table cloth over green satin, and decorated with yellow Chrysanthemums and green candles in silver holders.

Miss Peggy O'Brien served the guests from a silver teapot. Miss Carolyn Steed presided at the guest book. Miss O'Brien received many lovely and useful gifts. Those attending included: Mrs. Vernon Steed, of Littlefield; Mrs. N. H. Steed Sr., Mrs. W. C. Wright, Mrs. P. L. Byrd, Mrs. John Sullivan, Mrs. T. D. Marshall, Mrs. W. A. Woods, Mrs. B. B. Harwell, Mrs. Raymond Milligan, Mrs. Pete Lindsey, Mrs. Walter Taylor, Mrs. Harold Webb, Mrs. W. R. Key, Mrs. Ralph De Bord, Mrs. Woodrow Cunningham, Mrs. Byrl Reed, Mrs. Francis Cunningham, Mrs. Keith Kennedy, Mrs. John Kennedy, Mrs. J. C. O'Brien, Misses Peggy O'Brien, Carolyn Steed and Allene Webb and the hostesses, Mrs. D. A. Ramsey, Mrs. Blen Key, Mrs. Earl Grantham and Mrs. Clyde Cravens.

Many others sent gifts who were unable to attend.

### Mrs. S. W. Hawthorne Honored On Birthday

Mrs. S. W. Hawthorne, who observed her 67th birthday, Monday, November 20, was honored Sunday with a birthday dinner in the home of her son, J. D. Hawthorne, Mrs. Hawthorne and the Hawthorne children, Sharon, Jan and Max.

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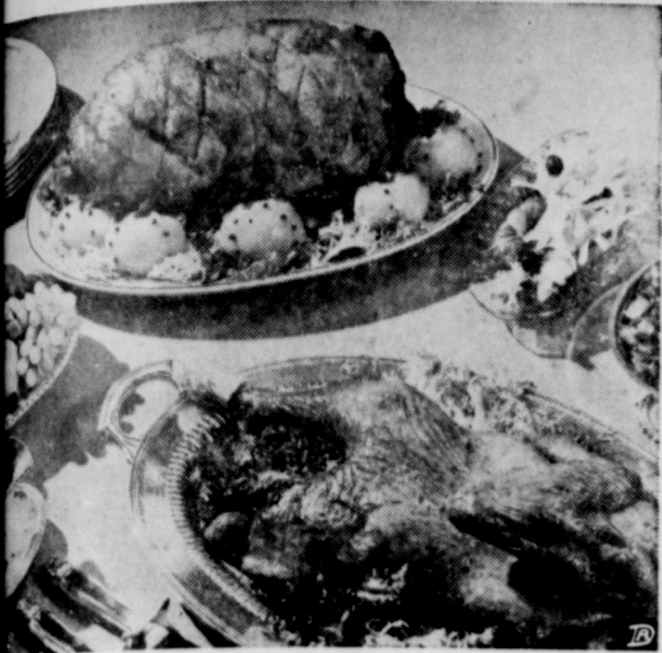
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**Twice As Much For Texas, Too**



BRIDGEPORT, CONN.—This year Thanksgiving comes twice to us, bringing with it two holiday meals to keep Lone Star State makers twice as busy as usual.

Twice as much turkey is an answer, of course, but it takes a Texan to solve the menu problem with a much tastier idea.

Lura Jim Alkire, who hails from San Antonio and is now manager of the General Electric Consumers Institute, suggests a half turkey for the quiet "just-family" celebration one week and festively-glazed baked ham for a full-scale "gathering of the clan" the other date.

Half a turkey is better than one when you're cooking for six or less, the Institute says. Just rub cavity of turkey with salt outside with shortening, cover with cheesecloth dipped in melted butter and place cavity side down on a rack in a shallow roasting pan in a 300° F. oven 20 to 25 minutes per pound. When done, remove turkey and spread a double thickness of wax paper over it. Place stuffing on paper, cover with turkey, again cavity side up, and return to oven.

The ham, fat side up on rack in shallow pan, is baked in a 325° F. oven 10 minutes per pound for a 14-15 pound pre-cooked ham. When done, remove ham from oven and cut off rind. Score ham by making deep diagonal cuts to form diamonds. Pour 1 1/2 cups dark brown syrup over ham and return it to a 425° F. oven for 15 minutes.

You can dress up the serving platter (and provide tasty individual salads, too) by surrounding the ham with "peach pumpkins." A pumpkin is made by fastening two drained peach halves together with toothpicks and filling the center with cottage cheese. Use cloves to simulate pumpkin lines on one side and a citron strip, tinted green vegetable food coloring, for a stem.

**Insecticide Shortage Still Prevails; Farmers Urged to Stock For '51 Crops**

Outlook for increased supply of the more widely used insecticides is not very favorable this time according to a report submitted to County Agent E. Thompson by Guy E. Center, Extension Service Agent for the South Plains.

Farmers should keep this in mind when they make plans for expanding their 1951 plantings. Farmers can ease the situation by purchasing and storing the insecticides in advance.

Farmers should purchase their own insecticide needs at least one or two months before the start of the season. The insecticide manufacturers have limited storage space and when this space is completely filled, they must stop operations. Farmers and dealers by taking delivery early can keep the insecticides in stock and at the same time, the storage and transportation situation.

Insecticides will cost no more than they will next summer and there is a possibility they may cost more next year. Dusts and sprays can be stored on the farm. The dusts should be stored in a dry building where they will not be damaged by moisture. Both types of material can be safely stored for at least 12 months. Sprays will not freeze because emulsion they contain and they have been reported that

**New Plastic Ware Developed in Tests By Army QM Corps**

After three years of field and laboratory testing and experimentation, a new line of plastic tableware has been developed by the Army Quartermaster Corps, according to information received Wednesday at 4th Army headquarters from the Department of Defense, Washington, D. C.

The new plastic plates, saucers and other items eventually will replace the heavy white china-ware now being used in mess halls.

The tests on the new plastics were based on: acceptability by soldiers, meeting military requirements and annual replacement cost. The items tested were subjected to the rigors of climate—from deep freeze to tropical heat—and various durability procedures.

One of the main ingredients used in the new plastics is rag-filled, phenol-melamine formaldehyde.

Several attempts were made during World War II to develop a plastic tableware, but none of the combinations tested proved entirely satisfactory.

The plastic tableware has not been adopted by the Army as a standard item of issue, but it is believed that it soon will be incorporated into a new Federal specification.

**A. G. Hemphills Observe Their Golden Wedding Anniversary on Thanksgiving**

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hemphill observed their golden wedding anniversary at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Frank R. Hunt and family in Levelland, Thanksgiving Day.

Members of the immediate family present for the occasion included the seven children of Mr. and Mrs. Hemphill, seven-in-laws and 14 grandchildren; and are: Rev. Kenneth R. Hemphill, Margaretta, John Kenneth and Josephine, McAllen; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hemphill and Jean Ann,

**Mrs. G. C. Sanders Entertains Morton Bridge Club**

Mrs. G. Courtney Sanders was hostess to the Morton Bridge Club at her home, Monday night, November 20. She was assisted in hostess duties by her mother and daughters, Mrs. J. H. Teague of Slaton, Katherine Ann and Jane Sanders.

Following four tables of bridge a refreshment plate was served to Mesdames J. W. McDermott, Roy Hickman, Scott Hawkins, J. C. Stripling, E. L. Willis, J. D. Hawthorne, Hume Russell, Carl England, P. B. Ramby, Neal H. Rose, Willard B. Cox and Lloyd C. Miller.

**Ann Sanders To Dallas For Thanksgiving Holiday**

Ann Sanders, 11 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Sanders, left here Wednesday for Slaton and Dallas, where she will spend the Thanksgiving holidays.

Ann accompanied her grandmother and grandfather, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Teague back to Slaton. They arrived in Morton Monday.

MRS. C. C. STEPHENS and children spent the week-end visiting relatives at Lamesa.

**McDERMETTS ATTEND BIRTHDAY DINNER**

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDermott and son, Don; and Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDermott and son, Mike were guests for a birthday dinner Sunday in Ralls for C. P. McDermott, father of J. W. and Charles.

Sunday afternoon the group motored to Crosbyton, where they visited friends and relatives.

**THANKSGIVING IN LUBBOCK**

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Ramby and daughter, Barbara, will spend Thanksgiving in Lubbock as guests of the W. A. Johnson family and Mr. Ramby's mother, Mrs. W. G. Ramby.

MRS. S. W. HAWTHORNE visited Tuesday in Lubbock with Mrs. J. H. Vinson, who was celebrating her 85th birthday.

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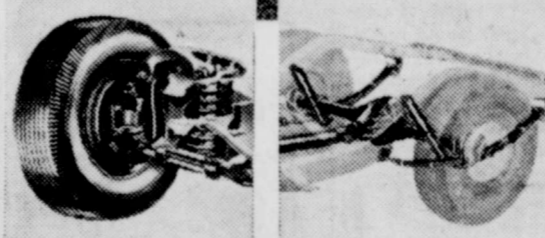
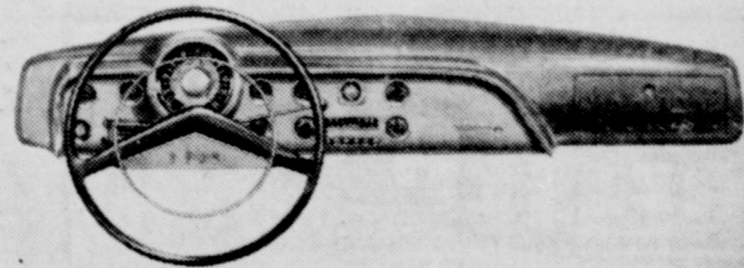
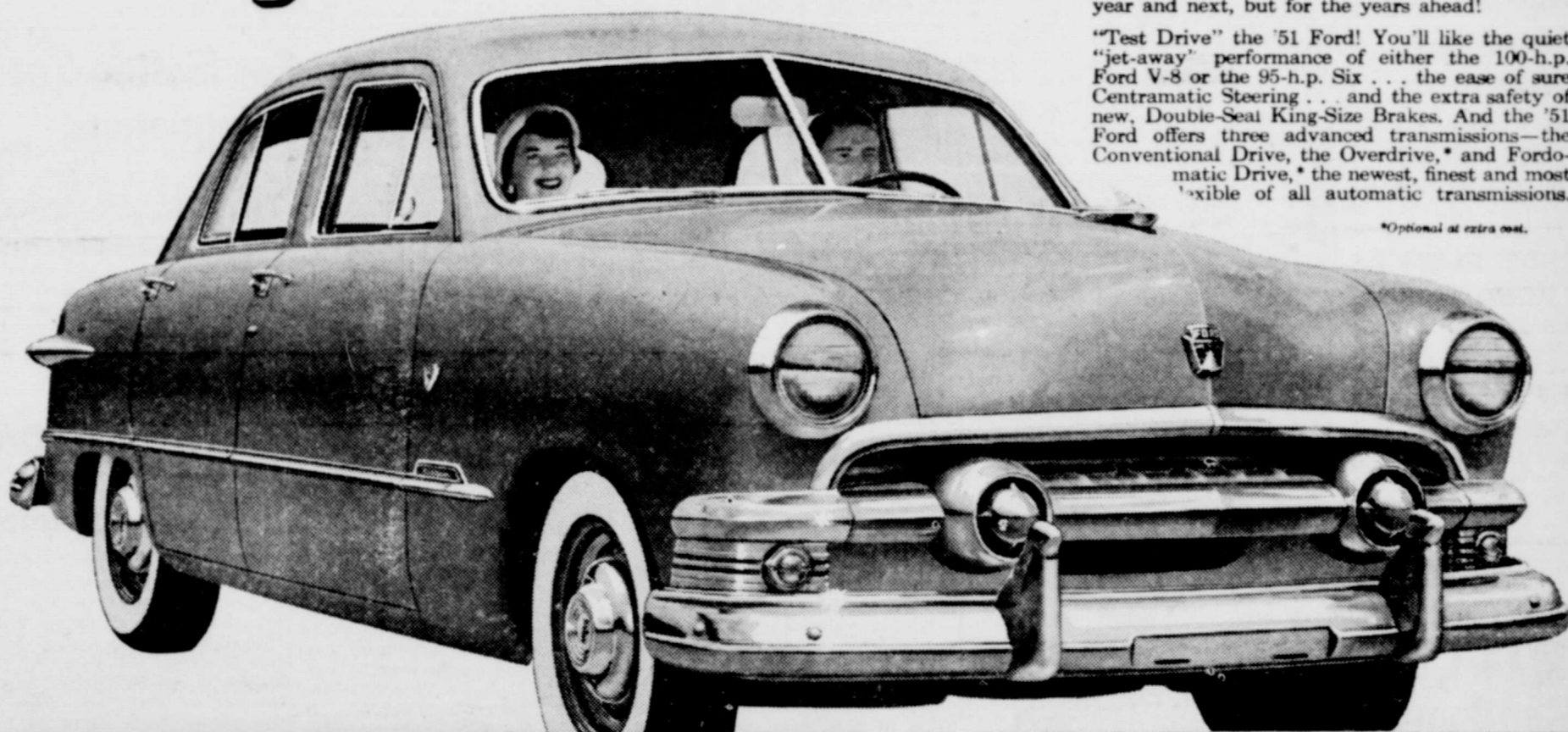
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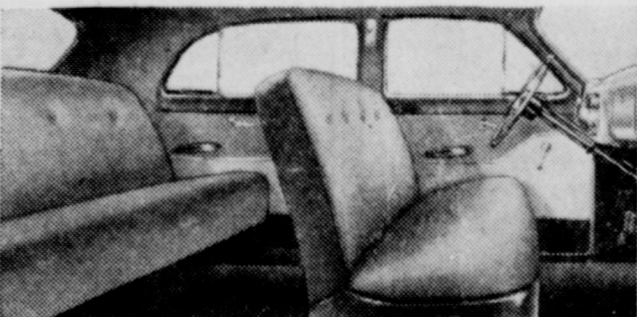
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# Indians Edge Antelopes, 21-20, in Thrilling Season Finale at Post

The Morton Indians got something they have been looking for all season long, breaks; put it together with something they have had only a few times this season, fight; and wound up the season with a triumphant 21-20 victory over Post.

Fans who most of the season had joined in the chorus of disbelief as the Indians week after week fell heir to bad decisions, unlucky breaks, and consistent losses; had their day last Friday as the Raphaelites found themselves on the receiving end of most of the good breaks. The payoff break was a five yard penalty assessed against Post as they held the ball on the Morton 1 yard line with fourth down and goal to go.

The spirit was there also and perhaps those good breaks had a major share in that. A team

plagued with bad breaks can soon lose its spirit. On several occasions this season it looked as though that was Morton's Major trouble.

Friday's struggle, the last of the season for both teams, was a hard fought battle all the way but a surprisingly clean battle. Generally, with each team fighting for every inch of ground, plenty of roughness penalties will be called. Most of Friday's penalties were for off-sides, a penalty for over anxiousness rather than roughness.

It was the terrific toe of senior Waydell Hill that told the tale of victory. He split the uprights on three straight conversion attempts to give Morton the winning point. But let's not forget the other co-captain Johnny Green who blocked the one Post extra point attempt that was no

good.

The statistics show the teams very closely matched. So did the score. Morton garnered one more first down, about 50 more yards and recovered two costly Post fumbles. Take away the yardage Morton picked up through the air and the two teams would have gained almost the same amount of yardage on the ground throughout the entire tilt. We must not forget the 55 yards in penalties assessed against Post. That, in itself, was enough to go a long way toward giving the local boys their triumph.

The scoring in the game was almost methodic. A blocked Morton punt gave Post the ball on the local's 20 yard line and the Antelopes, despite two penalties, went all the way for the score. Green blocked the try for extra point. Morton took the suc-

ceeding kickoff and ground out 54 yards to score 30 seconds before the end of the quarter. Don Baldwin's 25 yard run netted the talley and when Hill was rushed with his try for extra point, Post was off-sides. His second attempt was good.

Morton kicked off and on the second play from scrimmage, Hodge recovered a Post fumble on the Post 35 yard line and Don Baldwin, Jimmy Coats, and Lanar Burns accounted for the yardage necessary for the second Morton score. Hill converted and it was 14 to 6. Post then marched 80 yards for a score with Parks lugging the leather over. Kirkpatrick booted the extra point.

In the opening minutes of the second half Post struck with sudden fury as Stevens took a short punt off the toe of Lanar Burns

and ran it back 30 yards for a touchdown. Morton then started a 60 yard march that put the pigskin on the Post 15 yardline as the third quarter ended. On the second play of the final canton Burns heaved a 15 yard aerial to Jackie Shipp for the score. Hill's conversion kick was perfect, the point that eventually decided the issue.

As far as scoring was concerned the game was over right there. But the break of the game was yet to come. Post came back with four consecutive 1st downs and a 49 yard drive to put the ball on Morton's 5 yard line with a first down and goal to go. King picked up a yard, Cash drove for two, Long could get only one and the ball rested on the one yardline with fourth down coming up. Here Post received a five yard penalty for

delay of the game and an attempted pass failed. Morton, refusing to punt drove on out to the mid-field stripe where they again almost gambled once too often. A Burns pass was intercepted but four plays later the game ended with the ball on the Morton 39 yardline.

In a game where one little factor could make such an important difference, it's impossible to name all the factors. Jim-

my Coats' return to action applied needed spark for Morton. On the other hand, an interception, Kirkpatrick's sideling, except for kicking duties, kept the Morton victory possible.

It was truly a glorious victory, one the local seniors will soon forget. It turned a bad season into a good one, and all because of a little five letter word: FIGHT.

## Tribune Sport Page

Tribune, Morton, Cochran County, Texas, Thursday, Nov. 23, 1933

### Local Bowlers Take Three Victories

Bradbury's men's bowling team, after reaching the bottom of the heap in a three week prolonged losing streak, started up the long comeback road last week with a three game triumph over Dahlison Furniture to climb out of the league cellar and into fourth place.

Paced by Clyde Carson's 218, the local boys captured the 1st game by a scant 12 pin margin and then took the other pair handily to drop Dahlison into the 6th slot in the Business Men's League at Lubbock.

Bob Ziesenheim joined the Morton crew with Buddy Hanna, Buzzy Ward, Eddie Irwin, and Carson rounding out the list of men who competed last week under Bradbury sponsorship.

No competition has been set for this week because of the expected absence of players over the Thanksgiving holiday

Standings this week show Furr Food entry pacing circuit with a 20-10 record followed closely by Seven-Up Bluebonnet tied for 2nd place at 17 victories and 13 defeats. Bradbury's has 14 wins and total of 16 losses.

Bowling League standings:  
Furr Food ..... 20  
7-Up ..... 17  
Bluebonnet ..... 17  
Bradbury ..... 14  
Cun. Golf ..... 13  
State Drug ..... 12  
Dahlison ..... 11  
Public Inv. .... 10

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## Girls Trip Three Way Again; Lose to Levelland

**Tickets On Sale**

Tickets for the state "A" play-off game between Levelland and Spur are being handled by Pinky Lowrey, Athletic Manager for Lubbock High School. Tickets will be \$1.50 for adults and .50c for school children.

The skein of consecutive basketball victories by the two Morton High School girls basketball teams came to an abrupt halt at the local gym last week as the Three Way "B" team stopped the Morton "B" stringers, 27 to 18. Morton's varsity then came back to notch their third straight win, and second over Three Way, with a 31 to 24 margin.

10, and Janette Waller 9. Once again Nell Brown turned in a sparkling job on defense guarding Three Way's high scoring center, Miss Tyson. She still managed to dump 11 points through the meshes to pace Three Way.

The "B" stringers, paced by Velda Ruth Baldrige and Shirley Tucker were never headed. They took an early margin and built up to finally rout the Lobo reserves. Velda Ruth was high scorer for the Morton team with Shirley Tucker close behind. Shirley's ability to get rebounds played a very important part in the win.

### Levelland-Spur Meet in Playoffs

District 4-A's co-champions, Littlefield and Levelland shared the victory laurels this week but Levelland, by virtue of a victory over Littlefield was named representative of District 4-A in the Class A playoffs which begin tonight, Thursday, at Lubbock.

The defeat ended a three game winning streak for the Morton varsity girls. They had racked up consecutive wins over Three Way, Levelland, and Three Way again in their last three outings. It started another winning streak for the "B" string who lost to Three Way last week.

**Final Grid Standings**

Levelland	6	1
Littlefield	6	1
Post	4	3
Tahoka	3	1
Brownfield	3	4
MORTON	2	5
Slaton	2	5
Muleshoe	2	5

In the Levelland game last Thursday night, the varsity cagers fell far behind and then dropped a close 27 to 24 verdict. With mostly reserves starting the game, the Morton girls dropped behind 11 to 3 before coach Marcum rushed in his first stringers. Paced by Janette Waller, the local girls began to close the gap steadily and at the half trailed by only 6 markers.

The last half was a nip and tuck affair with the Lobo girls determined to hold onto every shred of their lead. They did this until the clock showed just three minutes to go in the game. Morton whittled the gap to three points and several times had the opportunity to pull even but they had difficulty finding the hoop.

## Baldwin Captures Scoring Honors For Morton Team; Burns Bats 50 Per Cent On Pass Completions

Don Baldwin, Morton's heaviest backfield man to play the entire season, became the Indians individual scoring champion for this season with a total of five touchdowns, 30 points.

Right behind him was Kirby Lackey whose 3 six pointers put him in the runnerup position. Biggest hinderance in the Morton scoring race came in the form of three early season goose eggs in a row when the Indians failed to score against Tahoka, Levelland and Slaton.

Looking down the list of season statistics there were only a few bright stars. One was the gifted passing of Lanar Burns or, although the statistics don't show who caught the aerials, let's add a word for the gifted receivers.

Morton gained a total of 1517 yards during the season, about a mile's worth of plowing through enemy lines. Of that total, 501 yards, or approximately one third of the total, was gained through the air. In fact, aerial yardage gained is about the only department in which the Indians wound up the season in domination over their collective opponents. The Indians opponents rolled up a total of 2172 yards but could manage only 380 by air.

Even more heartening in the passing statistics is the fact that Burns accomplished a feat that many, many collegiate passers all over the country this year have been attempting to do. Burns' passing average was better than .500. The slight sopho-

more heaved 95 aerials and saw 48 of them received for a .505 shooting mark. Burns had 10 passes intercepted.

Morton received the benefit of 40 less yards in penalties during the season, being assessed an even 300 yards to their opponents 340. The Indians rolled up 83 first downs, an average of approximately 9 per game while their opponents got 106, or about 12 per tilt.

The Indians did dominate in one other division. They fumbled 18 times during the season but only lost the ball seven times. That is a good mark. Their opposition handed the Indians the ball 11 times through 26 fumbles.

Punting definitely was not an Indian strong point. In the entire season the warriors only had one good series of punts and Burns wound up the season averaging 25.1 yards. This hurt the Indian cause considerably in view of the fact that the other guy was averaging 34.1 yards per kick. In other words, during an average game, the Indians would lose about 36 yards total distance by punting.

All in all, the statistics don't show the opposition of the Indians this season so domineering. This was to be expected. Those who witnessed all or most of the games can recall that in at least three cases the Indians lost the game by a decision or a couple of breaks. Certainly the team stacked up creditably against its opponents. A real bright star will

### Buzzbombers Drop Morton Electric In Practice Game

Morton's outsider basketball teams rang up the curtain with a practice game in the local gym last week as Buzzy Ward's "Buzzbombers" defeated Morrison Electric. No accurate score was kept on the game and estimates of the final score ran the gamut from 25 to 20, to 29 to 13. Of far more importance than the final outcome was the fact that 20 showed up to compete. It is hoped that enough men for about four teams can get together for some sort of league arrangement before the season is over.



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Burns ..... 2 0 0 12  
Hill ..... 0 0 10 10  
Coats ..... 1 0 0 6  
Green ..... 1 0 0 6  
Shipp ..... 1 0 0 6

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# EDITORIALS

## With His Help, We Grew

Though we in America find ourselves constantly griping at all the changes we want in our form of government, the easiest tasks we undertake today would sit down and list all the things we have to be thankful for. We would find it amazing how the list adds up and how the benefits we have received overbalance those things we have to complain about.

For the 329th time we celebrate the date of the first Thanksgiving. It would be no trouble to total up the advantages we have over our forefathers, Pilgrims, who gave thanks that day in 1621. Year after

## Street Re-painting

Street painting job recently undertaken by the city will do a lot for Morton but before it can accomplish its real goal the citizens must be educated as to the uses of the various markings.

One influential Morton citizen remarked, "at least we can like the big cities even if they don't know what they are doing."

He was referring to the curbing strips painted a yellow. Various attempts to mark what the yellow means: some up with the idea that they mean 15 minute parking zones. If so, signs should be telling the motorists the real purpose of marking the streets into separate park-

## Overemphasis? — Not Here

Overemphasis of athletics in our schools is a dangerous thing. The overemphasis, in almost every case, is forced upon the school by victory hungry alumni. Within the radius of 100 miles in any direction from Morton, can be found schools that place such a terrific emphasis on winning that defeat is almost impossible to bear.

Let us be thankful that we have not succumbed to this greed. Let it be known that here in Morton we like to win, can stand to lose, but above all play for the enjoyment offered by the sport.

## Looking Ahead

By George S. Benson  
President, Harding College  
Searcy, Arkansas.

### YOUR STAKE IN INFLATION

For generations life insurance has been a mainstay of economic protection for the American family. It still is one of the most important security props in most American homes. Today three out of every four families own life insurance through the investment of their savings with private insurance companies. In comparatively recent years the pension plan idea mushroomed and now approximately 50,000,000 workers are participating in the Federal government's Old Age and Survivors Insurance ("Social Security") program through which a fixed monthly pension is paid at retirement age.

Thus these two sources—private insurance and public "Social Security"—constitute primary bulwarks of economic security for the homes of America. But day by day, week by week, both are being sabotaged by inflation. Every day the inflation continues the holders of 170,000,000 insurance policies with a face value of \$214,000,000,000 are being robbed, their future made less secure. Every day it continues, these people are seeing this promised "security" evaporate with the declining value of the dollar.

**Sapping The Dollar**

The \$100 monthly old age pension of today may be so sabotaged in purchasing power by inflation within a few years that it wouldn't pay a week's grocery bill for a retired man and his wife. So long as inflation continues, pensioned "security" life insurance "security" and savings account "security" can only be a mirage. The \$100 pension of 1939 has now dropped to \$56 worth of purchasing power for food and clothes and the decline continues.

The 1950 Congress doubled old age pension payments under the "Social Security" program but the increase in dollars barely took care of the loss to inflation during the last 10 years. Congress didn't do anything about the "security" loss sustained by the nearly 40,000,000 families who have invested over the years in insurance policies. The insurance owned by these families has lost about \$100 billion in purchasing power due to inflation. Hardly anybody has escaped injury.

**An Illustration**

What inflation has done to such savings is strikingly illustrated by the plight of my friend Joe. He's a salaried man. For 20 years he denied his family many wished-for things in order to pay for a 6-unit apartment building which he felt would provide ample "security." In 1939 he made the last payment. Then he got an offer of \$14,800 for the property. To Joe, that much cash seemed a small fortune. He sold and put the money in a savings account to await the day when he would buy another investment property. The money's still in the bank. Today it would scarcely pay the down payment on the apartment building Joe sold 11 years ago—priced now, in inflation-hit dollars, at \$45 thousand.

Joe's salary is another illustration of damages of inflation. He's had four substantial raises since 1940 but his present salary actually has only five per cent more purchasing power, in food and clothing, than his much lower salary had in 1940. The industrial wage earner has probably had twice as many raises; his income has increased about 150 per cent since 1940. But inflation has hit wages so heavily the Bureau of Labor Statistics reports that in actual purchasing power the weekly income of the average industrial worker has increased by only \$9.22 since 1946. That's about enough to buy an average pair of shoes—with out cheap 1950 dollars.

**What's The Answer?**

Obviously higher wages and salaries cannot bring a permanent improvement in living standards

## From The Exchanges

### CITY TAXES BEING PAID UP WELL

As of November 1st 62% of the total tax assessment for the City of Canyon has been collected. During September and October \$26,069.43 of a total of \$41,800.00 was collected.

October collections for 1949 was 67% of the total or \$23,842.65 of \$35,705.60.—Canyon News.

### BUILDING PERMITS ARE ISSUED FOR CANYON

Building permits granted by the City of Canyon for the month of October amounted to \$50,750. Of the eight permits granted two were for duplex residences, one for a garage, and the others for homes.—Canyon News.

### 99 YEAR OLD MAN BECOMES FATHER ONCE MORE

Jesus Coronado, 99-year-old resident of Meadow, is the father of a new daughter born Sept. 12. She is the twentieth child in the Coronado family, and was born to Coronado's third wife, who is only 36. If you think we were a long time getting around to reporting the Coronado baby's birth, think how long Papa Coronado was in getting around to fathering his twentieth child!

There is time for everything.

Little girl: "Daddy, why do editors call themselves 'we'?"

Daddy: "To fool the readers into thinking there are too many of them to beat up."

Radio station KGLU in Safford, Ariz., recently received a short but emphatic protest.

"For heaven's sake," it read, "either play another tune or give it a different name."

The card was signed Mrs. Irene Goodnight.—Brownfield News.

SCOTT HAWKINS spent a few days in Oklahoma City last week. He drove a new Oldsmobile back to Morton.

## THE LAW ---AND YOU

By ROBT (Bob) KIRK  
County Attorney, Lamb County

Do You Know whether a minor child is entitled to wages earned by him?

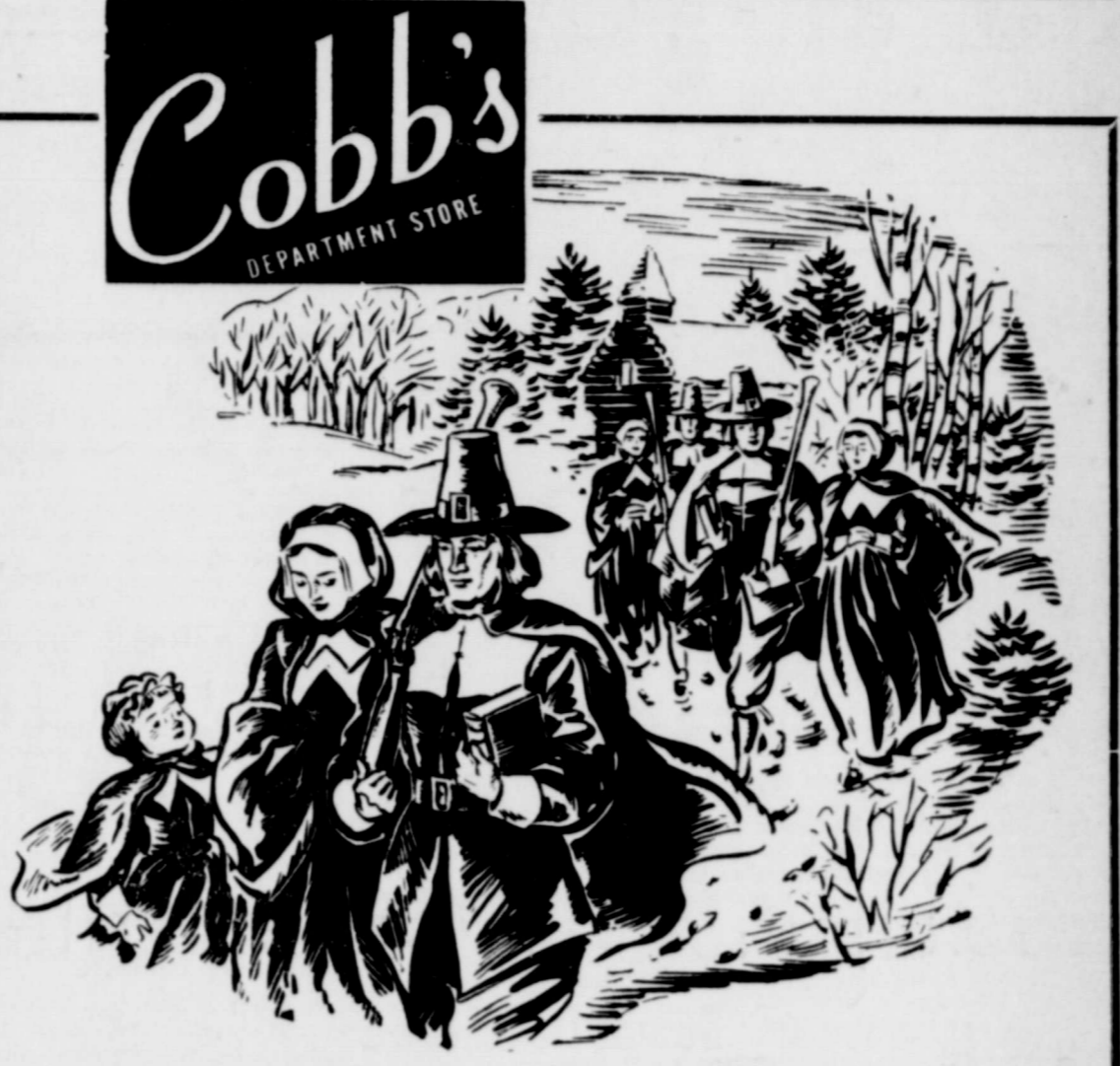
The parent of a minor is entitled to demand and receive and use the wages of a minor, unless by his acts or words he has forfeited such right. In this connection, the parent owes a duty to properly support, maintain and protect the child, and should he fail to do this, then the child

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### Princess Maxine Tyson



Miss Maxine Tyson will represent West Texas State College as Princess at the Annual Sun Carnival in El Paso New Year's day.

Miss Tyson will be part of the Royal Court of the Sun Queen, and will participate in all the festivities, including a street carnival, concert, and SunBowl football game.

Princess Tyson graduated from Three Way High School, where she was a popular member of the student body.

—Photo Courtesy of Canyon News.

#### RETURNS TO WORK

Mrs. Lucille Cunningham, patient last week in a Littlefield hospital, is back at work at Modern Beauty Shop.

#### GREMLINS — GREMLINS

See these cunning dolls at MINNIE'S SHOP. Hand made by members of Jesse R. Bond Unit of American Legion Auxiliary.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our mother and grandmother. May God bless each of you.

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#### FRED STOCKDALE

Lawyer

Morton, Texas

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There is a new screw worm smear 335 that is more effective than the smear 62 according to Homer E. Thompson, county agricultural agent. This smear consists of lindane, pine oil, white mineral oil, emulsifier, and silica gel.

This new smear is much more effective than smear 62 and is recommended by the Extension Service and you will be able to purchase it in local stores soon.

#### WEEK-END IN ALBUQUERQUE

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond C. Ross spent last week-end in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

The Ross children, Ray Ann and David visited their grandparents in Farwell.

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Tulip planting time is here. Right now, in these last days of November, is the ideal time.

Plant the bulbs deep. An established rule is four times the diameter of the bulb. Make it eight inches, or even nine inches, and maybe by this deep planting the bulb will "make it" through the summer and come up the following spring.

Cultivate the soil deeper than setting the bulb requires. Dig down at least one foot, add commercial fertilizer or bone meal (one-half cupful to one tulip bulb) and mix it into the soil thoroughly. Then add sand in which to set the bulb for good drainage. Firm the bulb into this sand, and add more. After covering the bulb, add soil to which peat moss or leaf mold has been added. Adding such humus to the heavy old soil will enable the tender shoots to make an easy journey up to the top in early spring.

This is the time to plan for spring color schemes in tulips, too. So set them out accordingly.

Plant hyacinths now, too, in beds or borders. They will need some meal in the soil beneath sharp sand. Plant them at least five inches deep.

Fallen leaves are heaped up in corners now, and are covering lawns and beds. They can be converted into excellent soil, and soil needs the humus they will provide if gardeners will add them to the compost bin instead of burning them.

Set out pansy plants where they are to bloom. Plant behind them Dutch iris, daffodils, tulips and narcissus bulbs. Clean off and spade and ferti-

lize all beds that are to lie idle until spring. Let them "weather" and mellow for those early spring plantings. So say members of Cochran County Garden Club, who last year made a special study of tulips.

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