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MORTON, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1960

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## 21,339 BALES GINNED HERE; HARVEST NEARLY HALF OVER

The latest report from the Texas Employment Commission, dated November 28 (that was Monday) listed 21,339 bales of the 1960 cotton crop ginned in Cochran County.

The report estimated the crop at 95 percent open and 42 percent harvested. The expected harvest, according to the TEC report, is 50,000 bales, a figure that has stood for the past three months, despite some late damaging storms.

Gins are working around the clock and should wind up the majority of their 1960 operations within a week or so of Christmas, though there still will be some tailing ginning in January.

cent complete and Lamb county's is figured 63 percent ginned.

Cochran remains in the \$1.50 per hundred pulling rate group in cotton hand pulled, while surrounding counties are in the \$1.55 group. However, practically all of the hand pulling is over for this year.

Area farmers, despite the TEC predictions, continue to report cotton ginning out less poundage than had been expected, and the 50,000 bale figure may be from 5,000 to 10,000 bales too high, some have estimated.

Cochran county's crop condition is listed as good, and only Bailey county, in this area, is given a "very good" cotton crop rating.

Surrounding counties are farther along than Cochran County in their ginning operations according to the report. Bailey's crop is estimated 54 percent ginned; Hockley's 58 percent.

Exploratory is the word for the stage in which the organization is now operating... not with any expectations, but with only the certain knowledge that you never know much about a thing until you spend a little time and money investigating the possibilities.

MRS. PEGUES HOUSTON TAKES HOME CHINA

Mrs. Pegues Houston of Morton was named the winner of the 49 pieces of China Wednesday evening at Piggly Wiggly.

Last week's winner, which the Tribune could not announce since the newspaper went to press one day early, was Mrs. Jess Marks of Morton.

Area residents will have another opportunity this week to register for another set valued at \$71.60. The drawing will be conducted at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 7.

Details will be found on page six of this publication of the Tribune.

## FHA STYLE SHOW FRIDAY NIGHT AT COUNTY ACTIVITIES BUILDING

The Morton Future Homemakers and local merchants have announced plans for a style show to be held in the Banquet Room of the County Activities Building, Friday, Dec. 2, (that's tomorrow) at 7:30 o'clock.

The theme of the show will be "A Surprise Package for Christmas."

Garments that have been made in homemaking classes and some clothes from local stores will be modeled at the show.

Stores having clothes in the show will be Cobb's, St. Clair's, Minnie's, Clarke's, and Ideal Gift Shop.

Admission is 50c per person. Tickets may be purchased from any FHA member.

## 4-H Achievement Program Set Saturday Night

The annual Cochran County 4-H Achievement program will be held Saturday night, December 3, at 7 o'clock in the Banquet Room of the County Activities Building.

Medals will be presented to the boys and girls who have made outstanding records in 4-H projects during the past year.

Parents of 4-Hers and 4-H leaders will also be in attendance to see their charges receive their awards.

## Hospital News

**MEDICAL, dismissed**

Mrs. Jack Wallace, Morton; Mrs. J. C. O'Brien, Morton; Juan Contrera, Maple; Rhonda Sue Cooper, Pep, N. M.; Alice Reza, Morton; Alfonso Jaramello, Morton; Alcario Gracia, Morton; Lula Belle Boyce, Morton; Edmund L. Proctor, Morton

## Indians Play Amherst Today

The Morton Indians meet the Amherst Bulldogs in a 3:30 p.m. game this afternoon (Thursday) in the first round of the 16-team boys and girls basketball tourney at Lazbudie.

Both the Indians and Maids are entered in the tourney but the Tribune did not know the time of the first girls game.

Candy will be available for dis-

# Christmas Season is Here

## DEC. 13TH IS DATE OF COTTON REFERENDUM

Tuesday, Dec. 13, cotton farmers will vote in a referendum on marketing quotas for the 1961 crop of upland cotton, according to Ruth McGee, county office manager, Cochran A.S.C.

The choice which growers will make in the referendum is between marketing controls for the 1961 upland cotton crop and price support at not less than 70 per cent of parity, or no marketing control on the crop and support at 50 per cent of parity. Whether or not marketing quotas are approved for the 1961 crop, allotments will remain in effect as a means of determining

## Bake Sale Set At Willis Food By W. M. A.

The W. M. A. of the First Missionary Baptist Church will have a Bake Sale Saturday, Dec. 3, at Willis Food Store.

Folks desiring a special order are urged to call Mrs. Maurice Lewallen, at 6366 or 5126.

The group plans to have a selection of cakes, pies, brownies, fried pies, and other baked products.

Area residents are urged to drop by Willis Food for their weekend pastries, or, if they have a special order, it will be delivered to the house.

## RECLINING CHAIR TO BE GIVEN AT SALE BRACKEN FURN. & APPL.

Starting Friday, Dec. 2, area folks may register for a free "early American style recliner chair" at Bracken Furniture and Appliance, North Main, Morton.

(Details of the announcement will be found in an ad which appears on page eight of this publication of the Morton Tribune.)

The chair, valued at 79.95, is all part of Bracken's "Giant Stock Reduction Sale," starting Friday.

## MRS. WILLIE ROSE IS BLOUSE WINNER

Mrs. Willie Rose of Morton was the winner of a "Graft" blouse on Saturday at Minnie's Shop, west-side square, Morton.

In announcing the winner, Mrs. L. B. Childs pointed out, this will be the last week in which to register for a free blouse.

The final drawing will be held Saturday night, Dec. 3. Anyone who visits the store may register, there is no contest, nothing to buy, and one need not be present to win.

## MONDAY IS DOLLAR DAY IN MORTON

The Modern Beauty Shop of Morton will be open six days a week from 9 a.m. until 6 p.m., Mrs. Paulk, owner, announced this week.

Mrs. Paulk said the schedule would be observed during the month of December.

DEC. 21 DATE FOR  
AWARDING OF MINK  
AT DOSS THRIFTWAY

Folks may still register, and as many times as they visit the store, for the free mink stole to be given away at 6 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 21, at Doss Thriftway Super Market.

The mink stole is part of the firm's introduction of its new super market on South Main, Morton.

The Yule season officially got underway in Morton the day after Thanksgiving, last week, as the downtown Christmas lights were turned on in Morton.

And, by the time the colored streets lights were ignited, many of Morton's downtown stores already had their Christmas window decorations up.

Christmas buying had already started by Monday of this week but Dollar Day, next Monday, and the Christmas season Shopper's Night parade, bringing Santa to town next Thursday, were to be highlights of the Christmas season.

Two other annual Christmas events have also been announced. The annual Jaycee sponsored show for students will be held on Saturday, Dec. 17, at 10 a.m. through the courtesy of Wallace Theatres.

At the show, youngsters will

## WILLARD COX NAMED CHAIRMAN Sugar Beet Organization Formed

Possibilities of Cochran County farmers having some future in the Sugar Beet economy of agriculture and the sugar refining industry, were one step closer this week with the formation of a Frontier Beet Growers Association, an organization formed to study the situation.

The formation of the association came at a meeting held a week ago Tuesday at the County Auditorium at which 19 persons joined the organization and paid \$20 dues toward expenses to be incurred in the investigations. A second meeting was held on Tuesday night of this week at which time membership was officially closed with a total of 26 members signed up.

Willard Cox was elected chairman of the new organization and Van Greene is secretary.

In motions adopted at the second meeting, held at the First State Bank, it was decided a majority of members present at meetings would constitute a quorum and it was voted to send Cox and two representatives of his choice to Colorado to further study the sugar beet picture both from the agricultural side and from the industrial side.

T. K. Williamson will represent the local organization at a special meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at the Texas Hotel in Ft. Worth, Friday, Dec. 2. The special meeting will be devoted to a study of the sugar beet situation. At this meeting Representatives Omar Burleson, Frank Ikard, George Mahon, W. R. Poague, Walter Rogers and Jim Wright are all expected to be on hand.

The situation will be outlined, the Representatives will be made aware of the sentiments of the agricultural leaders attending the meeting, and they will be available for questioning about how they as Representatives stand on possible sugar beet legislation.

Cox will leave on his trip to Colorado within the next week or so and plans to interview heads of sugar refineries and leading sugar beet growers — and anyone else who might be able to furnish facts in the case.

One of the more interesting drawbacks to sugar beet raising that came to light in the local meetings was the revealing that sugar beets can only be grown on a specific plot of land once in about every five

## Pages Filled With Christmas Season Shopper Bargains

For folks who don't believe Morton is the place to find bargains — a careful check of this publication of the Tribune is suggested.

Not only will you find exciting bargains throughout the Tribune, but you'll find many places to register for valuable "FREE" gifts.

It's all part of the beginning of an "exciting shopping" period in Morton — Christmas is just around the corner.

## MCLAIN'S WINNERS NAMED; REGISTRATION CONTINUES AT STORE

Area residents may register anytime prior to Saturday evening, Dec. 3, for an electric skillet at McClain's Super Save, across the street west, from the First State Bank, Morton.

Recent winners of drawings at Super Save were Mrs. Everett Jones, a free turkey, and Mrs. Maudie Peacock, a waffle iron.

No purchase is required to register, just drop by and register. You need not be present at the drawing to win.

## Indians Gain First Cage Victory; Maids Overwhelmed by Sundowners

After two narrow misses, the Morton boys basketball team tackled their first victory on the scoreboard at Morton, Tuesday night capturing a 51-39 decision from Sundown's Roughnecks who had dealt the Indian cagers an overtime defeat at Sundown last week.

But the Morton girls, though playing well enough to win many games, found the rugged Sundown girls team too tough and lost their third decision to that group, 75 to 49.

Sue Jaynes poured in 31 points and Jean Stokes contributed 27 for the winning Sundown girls as they built up a comfortable 39-19 half-time lead and coasted to the win.

Doris Fleenor meshed 27 points for Morton and Melba Cook added 15 in a first half performance, before she switched to a guard post after the intermission.

It was the fourth loss for Ted Whillock's girls, but three of them have been to the powerful Sundown team. The other was a two-point loss to Frenship.

The Morton boys, who felt they should have won over Sundown with ease at Sundown last week, showed a tremendous improvement in gaining their first victory in three close games. And it was a close game for nearly three quarters. It wasn't until the late minutes of the third period that Morton pulled to a 6 point lead and then they stuffed in 18 points in the final period to pull away handily.

All but one man on the 12 man roster got into the game. Each team lost one player via the foul route, but Sundown was the loser in points made from personal fouls.

## Maiden's Rites at Lubbock

Funeral services were held at the Funeral Home Chapel in Lubbock, Sunday, at 2 p.m., for Christy Mae, 83, father of Mrs. Jim Bates of Morton.

Mr. Lightfoot, a retired farmer, resident of the Whitharal Community, nearly 32 years, resided at Morton county before coming to Whitharal. He died Friday at the age of a son, in Lubbock. Burial to be at Resthaven Memorial Park, Lubbock.

Survivors include the wife, Katy; sons, James T. Alverson, Lubbock and Joe Alverson, Carlsbad; daughters, Mrs. R. D. Keeney, Pampa; Mrs. Ernie Wheeler, Bismarck, Calif.; and Mrs. Warren, two brothers, Hugh, Childress and Near, Hollis, Okla.; and four sisters, Mrs. Joe Tarpoley, Farmington, N. M.; Mrs. Bertha Watson, Bismarck; Mrs. Mae Hare and Mrs. Bell Turner, both of Hereford.

## Athletic Banquet Date Announced

Monday, January 16, will be the date of the Morton Athletic Banquet as announced this week.

Final plans for the type of program have not yet been announced, but the banquet, which annually holds Morton High School athletes, will get underway at 7:30 p.m. at the school cafeteria.

Sponsored annually by the Morton Athletic Boosters, the banquet will cost \$1.50 per plate.

Complete plans will be announced later.

## Thief's Rites at Lubbock

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Nov. 30, at 2 p.m. at the First Methodist Church in Muleshoe for A. L. Davis, 83, pioneer Bailey County rancher, and brother of Mrs. Mary Word, Whiteface.

Rev. Horace Brooks, pastor and Rev. Hugh Blaylock, Dimmitt pastor officiated rites for the prominent Bailey Countyman who retired several months ago because of ill health. He had been very active in County affairs.

Mr. Davis was found dead at his ranch home Sunday night. The body was discovered in the bathroom of the home by his wife and he had apparently been dead for several hours.

Justice of the Peace Joe Vaughn returned a verdict of death from natural causes, apparently a heart attack.

A native of Georgia, Mr. Davis came to Texas when he was 9 years old. He moved to Muleshoe in 1920.

Survivors include the wife, a son, Cecil, Muleshoe; a daughter, Mrs. Mary Clary, Truth or Consequences, N. M.; a sister, Mrs. Mary Lou Word, Whiteface; and a brother, Grover, Austin.

Burial was in Sudan Cemetery under the direction of Singleton Funeral Home.

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING YET BOSS?

ONLY 21 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT

# SOCIETY

## Mary Ann Esch, Blaine McDonald Exchanged Vows at Levelland

The wedding of Miss Mary Ann Esch and Blaine McDonald was solemnized at St. Paul Lutheran Church on the Sundown Highway at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 20. Rev. A. L. Meyer, pastor, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the bridal couple are Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Esch, Route 4, Levelland, and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. McDonald, Route 1, Morton.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a wedding gown of Chantilly type lace designed with that tapered to petal points over the bateau neckline and long sleeves that tapered to petal points over the hands. From the fitted bodice flowed a magnificent floor-length skirt, highlighted by a satin band on the ruffled tulle petticoat, peeking through the lace. Her veil of soft net was attached to a head-band of chantilly lace accented with pearls.

To follow the tradition, the bride wore a locket which belonged to her great grandmother, for something old; the wedding dress, for something new; the wedding veil belonging to Mrs. Henry Storch, aunt of the bride, for something borrowed; a blue garter for something blue; and a penny for her shoe.

Maid of honor was Miss Ann Fowler of Amarillo, sister of the bridegroom, and bridesmaids were Misses Mary Gras of Portales, N. M., cousin of the bride, and Carolyn Samsel of Knox City. They wore dresses in different tones of blue chiffon over taffeta of floral design with white lace headbands. They carried bouquets of white carnations with blue and white streamers. The maid of honor wore a dress of light blue taffeta with lace on neck and sleeves.

Flower girls were Kathy Sweeney of Levelland and Jane Murphy of Ropesville. They were attired in light blue taffeta dresses designed with lace on the bodices with white headbands. They carried small baskets filled with rose petals from which white streamers tied in love knots depended.

Ring bearer was Dennis Joe Storch of Levelland, cousin of the bride. He carried a white satin pillow with a large white rose in center where wedding rings were pinned white ribbon streamers tied in love knots were attached to the pillow.

Mrs. Henry Lucke sang "The Lord's Prayer" accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Earl Cerstenberger.

Don Fowler, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, was best man and groomsmen were Paul Edward Esch, brother of the bride, Levelland, and Bill Storch, uncle of the bride.

### ALVIN KELLY ON FURLOUGH

PFC Alvin Kelly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kelly of Morton, is home on a 30 day furlough after serving two years overseas with the U. S. Army.

He served with the 2nd Howitzer Battalion and the 7th Artillery at Tanau, Germany.

He is also visiting his sisters, Mrs. Bob Scott and Mrs. E. W. Houghton and families of Morton and a brother, Calvin Kelly of Lubbock.

His next assignment will be with the 52nd Field Artillery group at Ft. Sill, Okla.

### Methodist Men To Show Film

"Bob White throughout the Year" will be the title of a film to be shown the Methodist Men's group tonight (Thursday) at their 7:30 o'clock meeting in Fellowship Hall.

The announcement came this week from Ed S. Thomas, president of the group.

Dinner will be served by ladies of the W. S. C. S. of the church.

All Methodist men are invited to attend and bring a guest.

### Gracie Altman, Kenneth Millsap Are Wed in Ceremony at Enochs

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The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Altman, Enochs.

The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Wavill Millsap, Bledsoe.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown with a fitted bodice of chantilly lace and featured long sleeves tapering to petal points and a sabbina neckline accented with scalloped lace. The skirt was full, tulle and satin over taffeta.

On her head the bride wore a tiara of seed pearls which formed the crown that caught her fingertip veil of illusion. She carried a white orchid atop her white Bible.

Mrs. Sae Hodge, Morton, was matron of honor and wore a white sheath dress and blue accessories. She carried a white Testament topped with two white carnations and from which flowed white ribbon streamers.

Patricia Williams, cousin of the bride, wore a blue taffeta dress with white accessories and carried a white Testament topped with two white carnations from which hung white ribbon streamers.

Candle lighters were Deanna Lynn Coats, niece of the bride, and Nadine Millsap, sister of the groom. Susan Baker, niece of the bride was flower girl.

The best man was Wallace Stacup, Bledsoe and groomsmen was David Millsap, brother of the groom, Bledsoe.

Kenny Coats, nephew of the bride, and Keith Millsap, brother of the groom were ushers for the occasion.

The mother of the bride wore a blue jersey dress and red accessories. The groom's mother wore a beige linen dress and brown accessories. They both wore white carnation corsages.

The wedding took place before an altar decorated with two large baskets of bronze mums, and burning tapers in candelabra.

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### JAPANESE GIRL SPENDS THANKSGIVING IN TEXAS WITH MR. AND MRS. C. E. JONES

Emiko Shiga of Kyoto, Japan, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her "Texas Parents," Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones and family of Morton.

Miss Shiga is a freshman student at Wayland College where her favorite courses include English and Bible. After Wayland, she plans to return to Japan where she will go into the missionary field as a Christian worker.

The 18-year-old Japanese girl thinks America is wonderful because of the Christian effort that is put forth by American people. About Texas she says, that she misses the mountains and trees of Japan but the people are most kind and friendly.

Her favorite American food is hamburger. When asked about hot dogs, she replied that she had no desire to eat "a dog." Most of her time is spent studying, but she does get around to beating the boys at Wayland in ping-pong.

A teenager's time in Japan is

spent studying, she stated. They are not allowed to date until they are 23 or 24, and then their dates are chosen by the parents.

She claims that the American girl is the happiest girl, but is also the most spoiled. In Japan the girls are the ones who open doors, carry wraps, and perform the chivalrous tasks which are reserved for the boys in this country. She finds it very strange for the boys to want to open the doors for her.

The required education in Japan includes the curriculum of all the grades up to and including the sixth grade. High school consists of only three more unrequired grades, and only 50 per cent of the Japanese students pass the entrance test required for admittance to high school.

Only the most intelligent enter college and after graduation become teachers, government workers or railroad engineers, etc.

She likes music and is a member of the Wayland International Choir. She also plays the Koto-Japanese harp.

Miss Shiga has visited in Morton once before, during October.

### Karen Kitchel, Raymond Hoffman Are Married In Morton Ceremony

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Powers of Elida, N. M., announce the marriage of her daughter, Karen Kitchel to Raymond Lynn Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hoffman of Morton.

The wedding took place at 3 p.m., November 18 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Akin of Morton. Clyde Strickland, minister of the Church of Christ at 202 Southwest Second, in Morton, officiated.

Attendants were Marvalene Hoffman, sister of the bridegroom and Roy Akin, brother-in-law of the bridegroom.

The bride's wedding dress, designed by her, was of white satin, fitted bodice, puffed sleeves and a bouffant skirt. It was accented with a stand out bow in back. She carried a bouquet of white carnations.

She had a 1941 penny in her shoe for the traditional "something old." Her accessories included a borrowed blue garter, loaned her by Mrs.

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**SON IS BORN TO SIMON MARINAS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Simon Marina announce the birth of a son, 9 lbs., 10 oz., at Taylor Clinic in Lubbock, Monday, November 28. The son has been named Henry Simon. He is the fifth child of the Marinas, having three sisters; Caroline, 12; Michelin, 8; and Mary, 4; and one brother, Charles, 7. The parents are proprietors of the New York Store on the square in Morton.

**OCI CLUB MEETS DECEMBER 1**  
Members of the OCI Club will meet Thursday night, Dec. 1, at 8 o'clock in the Western Abstract building, Morton.

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WESTSIDE SQUARE MORTON

Notes from MAPLE . . .

By Mrs. H. W. Garvin

VISITED IN VERNON

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Smelser spent the Thanksgiving holiday with her mother in Vernon.

HOLIDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. John Flinn and three children of Phoenix, Arizona, and Miss Jane Garvin of Lubbock spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Garvin.

UNDER NEW OWNERSHIP

The Maple Mercantile Store is under new ownership. We want to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Westull and daughter into the community as new owners.

1,700 BALES ON GIN YARD

The cotton harvest is in full sway. Over 1,700 bales of cotton were on the gin yards of the two local gins Saturday night.

STORM DAMAGE

The sand storm Sunday damaged several trailers in the community. A trailer house in Maple was blown over and very heavily damaged.

HOSPITALIZED WITH ATTACK

Mr. Paul Coffman suffered a serious heart attack Sunday. He is in a Clovis, N. M., hospital. His condition is considered serious. Mr. Coffman has been helping in the harvest of the community. His home is Clovis, N. M.

HOLIDAY

The Maple Cafe closed Thanksgiving Day so the owner, Gladly Pierce, and the employees could be with their families.

### Water District Continues Plans For Test Case

LUBBOCK (Spl.)—At a recently held business meeting of the Board of Directors of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District, the major items on the agenda were the review of illustrations, charts, graphs and maps being prepared for use in the underground water depletion case which will be filed very soon in the federal court.

The Water District will attempt to show the court that underground water in the southern High Plains of Texas is a natural resource that being mined in a manner quite

similar to oil and gas, or any of the other natural deposits that come under federal laws allowing an income tax deduction for their depletion.

The District will contend that water users who can show an actual cost in underground water beneath their land and who are using the water to produce income should be entitled to deduct the cost of such water as it is exhausted.

The Board of Directors of the Water District reports that a favorable decision by the federal courts would ultimately mean millions of dollars in tax savings to water users in the southern High Plains during the lifetime of the underground-water supply.



### Value of Testing Center Is Extolled by Agent

The wise use of commercial fertilizer reduces production costs and boosts net profit according to area farmers cooperating with county agricultural agents in numerous field demonstrations. "With the new Agricultural Extension Service Laboratory headquartered at Lubbock to concentrate on West Texas fertility problems, soil tests will be of even greater value to Cochran county farmers," said County Agent Homer Thompson. The pictures above illustrate the value of fertilizing properly.

vided ample grazing for two cows and calves from mid-September to the first of November.

Demand for planting stock prompted Horton to dig roots in the spring of 1960. He sold \$631 worth of sprigs to neighbors and dug an additional \$400 worth for his own use.

The grass made a remarkable recovery after it was top-dressed with 50 pounds of nitrogen per acre and watered twice. It has carried 16 head of cattle since mid-July.

"I made one serious mistake . . . I guessed at the kind and amount of fertilizer to use," Horton admitted. He plans to soil test and follow recommendations next season. "That new soil testing laboratory the Extension Service set up for us in Lubbock will be a real help to West Texas farmers," Horton observed.

RIGHT PANEL—"The final story will not be known until the crop is harvested, but just a glance reveals the difference." Hale county farmer Robert Schoppa, right, tells County Agent Ollie Linger, Stronger stalks and heavier fruiting are evident in the area fertilized according

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The fertilized cotton produced 3,480 pounds of seed cotton per acre while the check plot produced only 3,020 pounds. This amounted to an increase of 101.2 pounds of lint in favor of the fertilized plot, an additional net return of \$19.30 per acre.

CENTER PANEL—A 3 1/4 acre field of Midland Bermudagrass is like money in the bank to R. W. Horton who farms near Meadow in Terry county. This cold-hardy hybrid was sprigged in 40 inch rows on July 3 and 4, 1959. When the grass started to run, Horton top-dressed with 45 pounds of nitrogen per acre and irrigated twice. The field pro-

duced ample grazing for two cows and calves from mid-September to the first of November.

Demand for planting stock prompted Horton to dig roots in the spring of 1960. He sold \$631 worth of sprigs to neighbors and dug an additional \$400 worth for his own use.

The grass made a remarkable recovery after it was top-dressed with 50 pounds of nitrogen per acre and watered twice. It has carried 16 head of cattle since mid-July.

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### Conservation Of Water for Irrigation

Conserving water for future irrigation by draining the playa lakes into the underground Ogallala sand through recharge wells is an increasing practice on the High Plains. The surface water drained by gravity into the sand is thereby stored for future use rather than being lost by evaporation if permitted to remain in the lake.

One of the problems encountered in recharging is the silt in the lake water. Several filtration systems are being tested at the High Plains Research Foundation to determine the most efficient and economical method of silt removal, James Valliant, water engineer, announced.

One system will use 13 sections of porous concrete pipe capable of taking up to 5,000 gallons of water per minute. Each section is 12 inches in diameter and 36 inches long with an intake rate of 385 gallons of water per minute. Sand and gravel covers of different thickness will be used to cover the porous pipe to study the effects of silt in clogging the microscopic holes in the porous pipe.

The second filtration system will use perforated well casing 16 inches in diameter, eight feet long wrapped with fiber glass filter one inch thick.

A third method to be used for silt removal will be an eight foot circular cage of 3/4 inch expanded metal with a 7 foot cylindrical cage inside. Plastic screen will be placed inside the 8 foot cylinder and outside the 7 foot inner metal circle with 6 inches of gravel between the two cylinders.

The use of chemical flocculant will be continued to precipitate silt in the lake before the water enters the recharge well. A new chemical, M-1883, designed for use in soft water produced by the Dow Chemical Company, is now being tested. This testing will be continued through 1961.

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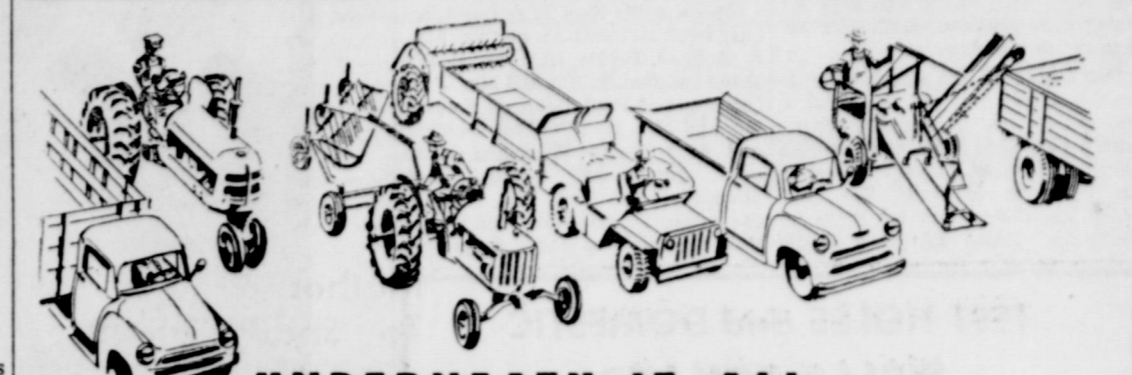
Mr. and Mrs. Ermon Miller and son, Mike, of Lamesa, were holiday visitors in Morton with his mother, Mrs. W. L. Miller. The Ermon Millers are former Morton residents. Mike is now a student at Texas Tech.

### TO TULIA FOR THANKSGIVING

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Miller and family spent Thanksgiving visiting in Tulia with his mother, Mrs. J. W. Miller, and other relatives.

### VISITORS FROM SEMINOLE

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bridges and sons, Bill, Jr., and Mike were Thanksgiving visitors in Morton at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hawkins, and also visiting other relatives and friends.



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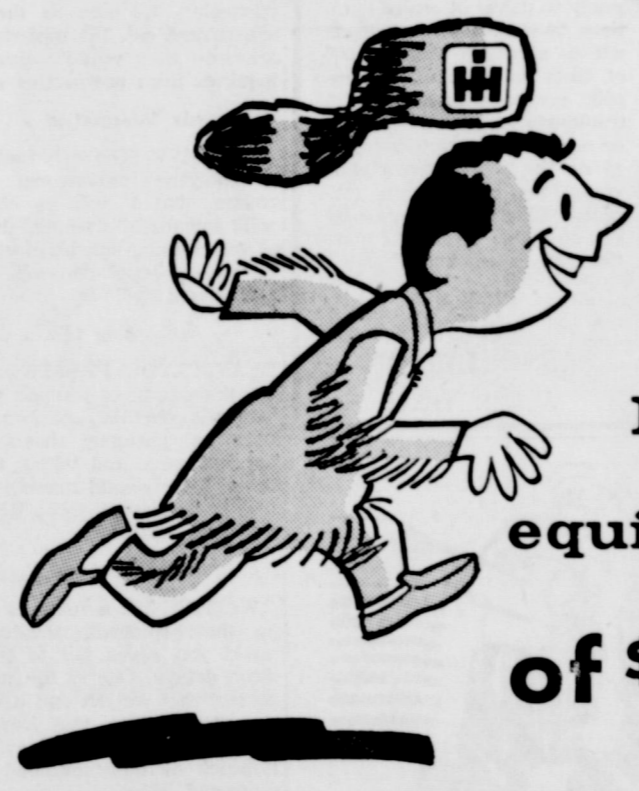
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### VISIT HERE DURING THANKSGIVING WEEK

Guests in the Neal Rose home this past week included his mother, Mrs. A. B. Rose, Peoria, Ill.; Mrs. Rose's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ormsby and Paul Dean of Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Don VanPelt, Denton; and Miss Denise Rose and house guest, Jim Berley, Lubbock, both attending Texas Tech. Mrs. VanPelt, the former Deanna Rose, and Denise Rose are the Neal Roses' daughters.



**PRIZE WINNERS ALL**—Shelly Stokes, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Stokes, Sundown, and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ramsey, Morton (shown left with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Stokes) won a \$25 tuition certificate to Wayland Baptist College in the annual Parade of Future Pioneers at Homecoming. Shown with the Stokes family, who live in Plainview where the parents teach, are (center) Mrs. Charles Lipscomb, Plainview, and son Shane, who won in the baby

class, Jane Hewett, who won in the under 5-year-old class. Mrs. Wayne Hewett, Plainview, and President A. Hope Owen who made the presentations. Shelly Stokes, who is just one year old, caused her mother to lose a week out of her senior year because of being born. Mrs. Stokes is the former Belva Ramsey, a 1960 Wayland graduate. Mr. Stokes is a 1959 Wayland graduate. (Wayland Public Relations Photo)

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**edlines...**

By Eddie Irwin

DON'T KNOW HOW many hunters there are in the area who may have wondered why Texas has no open season on sandhill cranes this winter, but in case there are some, Billy Van Tries, of the U. S. Fish and Wild Life Service, stationed at the Muleshoe Game Preserve, gave this explanation:

It's just . . .

THAT THE LEGISLATURE did not meet and tend to the matter last year. If it had, Texas would have had the same open season that New Mexico has, Van Tries said.

asked about . . .

THE GEESSE POPULATION at the preserve, Van Tries estimated it to be about 150, when he spoke to the Lions Club a few weeks ago.

**AD FACT No. 18...**

U. S. tourists are getting ready to travel in record numbers. Over 2,000,000 Americans will go abroad in 1961—800,000 of them to Europe. To pinpoint prospects more sharply, transportation advertisers rely on newspaper advertising. And to do the job, transportation companies invested an estimated \$50,000,000 in newspapers last year—over 17% more than they spent in 1958.

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THE USUAL student nurse type of program. This is a course that leads directly to a Registered Nurse license. For that reason, the course is much stiffer, and the entrance requirements are much greater. But if a young woman is interested, she ought to be making plans a year or so in advance, because of certain requirements she will have to meet as far as education is concerned.

certainly . . .

THERE ARE FEW fields in this day and age open to women that can be more interesting or financially lucrative. True, in some cases the salaries are not what they should be, but with the program being discussed as it has the last 18 months, it's almost a lead-pipe cinch that some real adjustments are in store as far as salaries are concerned in many professions, and among them will be nursing and school teaching.

the college . . .

HAS PROMISED TO send us full particulars as soon as the details are worked out, but meanwhile, we are sure they would welcome any inquiries from prospective students.

only information . . .

WE HAVE SO far as that it'll be a two-year professional nursing course, that it will be almost 24 solid months of training, that most of the training will be in classroom instead of hospitals, and that requirements will be much stiffer.

according to . . .

DEAN CLYDE PRESTWOOD, this is not the type of training you give women so that they can become proficient at changing sheets, emptying bed pans, and taking temperatures. This is solid nursing training that leads directly to an RN degree for those qualified.

when you are . . .

WRITING UP a story as involved as the Sepulveda shooting, last week, you never fail to leave out some details. One of the more important that we left out, accidentally, was the mention that Deputy Joe Hodge accompanied Sheriff Hazel Hancock as they searched for the suspected killer.

now the fact . . .

THAT HODGE wasn't mentioned certainly wouldn't perturb him, we are sure of that, but there are always folks who are ready to say, "Where was the other deputy?" or

words of that nature, so we regret failing to add that Sheriff Hancock picked up Deputy Hodge, on his way to search for Hernandez.

we also . . .

ALWAYS REGRET when mistakes occur in the Avalanche-Journal story about something that has happened here. A lot of those stories are phoned into the Journal office by us, but experience has shown us, that even experienced reporters have a hard time getting their facts by telephone assembled in the right order and down on paper correctly. If you think it's easy try it sometime, with lots of names, times, titles, etc. See how easy it is to place a particular person in wrong relationship to another, or in the wrong place, at the wrong time.

the Journal's . . .

STORY HAD Sheriff Hazel Hancock at the scene of the inquest when in reality, he was out looking for Hernandez at that time. Truth is, if we had all of our facts assembled in a little better order, we would call the A-J, they probably wouldn't have such a hard time in writing a story . . . but, seems as though you're always in a hurry.

**MONDAY IS DOLLAR DAY IN MORTON**

**VISITED FOR HOLIDAYS**

Miss Ray Ann Ross spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ross and her brother, David.

Guests who accompanied Miss Ross home were Miss Sallie Yewens of Houston and Joe Stockert and Bill Meisner of Boulder, Colo. All are students at the University of Colorado.

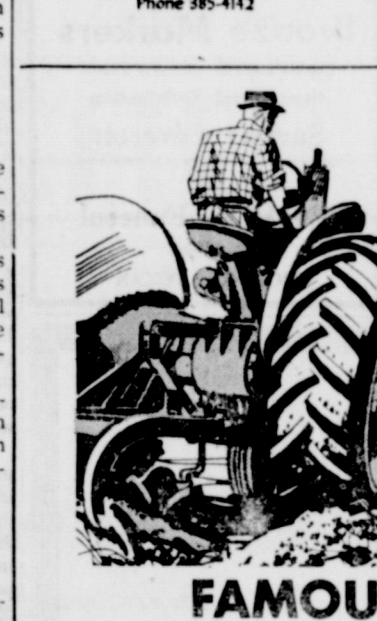
Miss Yemens is a member of Alpha Gamma Delta sorority, to which Ray Ann pledged. The girls live in a new sorority house recently completed on the U. of C. campus.

**VISIT IN CLAUENE**

Mr. and Mrs. Ted King and daughter, Kay, of near Whiteface were joined by their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Stanley King of Whiteface, Sunday in a visit to another daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Carr, Jr., at Claene. Also present were two other daughters of Mr. and Mrs. King, Mr. and Mrs. Hub Baggett, Jr., and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Baird and family, all of Levelland. The occasion was the celebration of King's birthday.

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Local firemen said that a fire wall was dug and the fire never did get out of control, although the shifting winds made it extremely dangerous.

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**RANCH IS SCENE OF GARDEN CLUB MEETING, MONDAY**

The Cochran County Garden Club met Monday, Nov. 21, at the headquarters of the F. O. Masten Ranch. Members answered the roll by showing a gardening magazine.

New officers elected for the 1960-61 club year were Miss Leila Petty, president; Mrs. Tim Tanner, vice-president; Mrs. Murry Crone, secretary; Mrs. Bud Thorn, and vice-president; Mrs. Roy Hill, treasurer; Mrs. Bob Cook, parliamentarian; Miss Lonora Jackson, librarian; and Mrs. J. J. Jenkins, reporter. The program chairman, Miss Petty, introduced Mrs. T. D. Marshall, who presented an informative program on "Holly."

A "White Elephant" flower container sale was held, with proceeds

going to the building program of the State Garden Headquarters.

After a tour of the building, a refreshment plate was served to Mesdames: Murry Crone, Tim Turner, T. D. Marshall, W. C. Benham, Bud Thomas, Dona Doughty, Roy Hill, H. A. Barnes, and Miss Leila Petty.

The next meeting will be in the home of Miss Jonora Jackson on December 5.

**PLAN TO RESIDE IN PEP AREA**

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome A. Decker, who wed recently at St. Mary's Catholic Church at Nada, will be at home near Pep.

She is the former Miss Henrietta Marie Kuba, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kuba of Garwood, and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Decker of Route 1, Pep.

**L'ALLEGROS MET IN SILVERS HOME**

The home of Mrs. M. A. Silvers was the scene of the regular meeting of the L'Allegro Study Club on Thursday, Nov. 17.

The president, Mrs. James McClure presided. The Club Litany was read by Mrs. Jack Wallace.

The club voted to sponsor any contestants in the 4th annual General Federation of Women's Clubs Sewing Contests.

They also voted to send a Christmas box to the Mental Hospital at Big Spring.

The program for the night, "The Awareness of Blessings," was given by Mrs. H. B. Barker.

In her talk, Mrs. Barker pointed out how the blessings of development of power and education have enriched our lives. She reminded that Thanksgiving can only come from one who believes God lives and is at work, and from one who has taken time to think first, and offer thanks later.

She traced how many of the blights of our lives... the things that work toward the destruction of our lives, are merely products of our own wrong thinking. "The most creative thing in our favor," she said, living in a world where there are an almost interminable number of things we can't control. "Is that we can control our way of thinking." It takes a lifetime of thinking to achieve real mastery over circumstance and things," she said. She urged people to take time more often... every day... to offer thanks for what they have, instead of just on one day a year.

Cake and coffee were served by the hostess to the following who were present: Mesdames McClure, J. C. Reynolds, Tom Pate, Wallace, DeWitt Allsup, Al Mullinax, Truman Doss, Barker, Bob Travis, Tommie Harris, and the hostess, Mrs. Silvers.

**VISIT IN H. F. COLLINS HOME**

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Collins of Blodsee were Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Harrington and sons, Al and Bill, of Grants, N. M. Rev. Harrington is pastor of the First Methodist Church at Grants. Mrs. Harrington is a niece of Mrs. Collins.

**VISIT IN O'BRIEN**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hulse and family of Morton visited over the weekend in the home of Rev. Bill Wright and family in O'Brien. Rev. and Mrs. Wright have a new son, three-weeks old. He is a student at McMurry College and preaches at the Methodist Churches at O'Brien and Benjamin.



MRS. FRANK WARREN HILLIARD (Nee Miss Thetis Foust)

**Miss Thetis Foust, Frank Hilliard Wed in Double Ring Rites Saturday**

A double ring candlelight service read at the First Baptist Church in Morton by Rev. Fred Thomas, pastor of the church, united in marriage, Miss Thetis Foust, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Foust, Jr., of Morton and Frank Warren Hilliard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bohn Hilliard, Arlington, Tex.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose a gown of Dresden silk taffeta designed with scooped portrait neckline that enhanced the deep yoke of re-embroidered Alien lace. The princess bodice flowed into a magnificent skirt highlighted at the center by a self-fabric rose and featuring streamers that swept into a chapel train. She wore a crown of seed pearls, sprinkled with iridescent sequins which anchored the fingertip veil of silk illusion. She carried a white orchid bouquet surrounded by stephanotis with white streamers flowing down.

The Maid of Honor was Miss Jamie Sutton of Austin and the Matron of Honor was Mrs. Jimmie Johnson of Lubbock. Serving as Bridesmaids were Miss Ann Hilliard, sister of the bridegroom, Miss Susie Hawkins, Morton, and Mrs. Roger Coble, cousin of the bride. Junior Bridesmaid was Miss J'Taun Lewallen, cousin of the bride, Morton.

Attendants wore dresses of burnished gold satin fashioned with scoop neckline and brief sleeves complimented by short kid gloves. The fitted bodice was enhanced by a bell skirt of ballerina length with unpressed pleats to emphasize fullness at center back. A flat bow in matching fabric held circular veils to complete their costume. They carried bonze mums encircled with bronze pom-poms which formed a crescent shape.

Miss Hollye Smith, cousin of the bride, of Lubbock served as flower girl. Her gown of white burnished satin trimmed with white velveteen, featured a V-yoke and gathered full skirt, and she carried bronze pom-poms arranged in a white basket.

Mrs. Earl Polvado of Morton played the organ and Miss Sara Jo Wallace sang "At Dawning;" "Because;" and "The Lord's Prayer." Mark Allsup of Roswell, N. M., served as ring bearer. Karen Beauchamp, Bovina; Celia Kay Lawson, Oklahoma City; and Gary Beauchamp, Bovina; all cousins of the bride and Buck Hilliard, brother of the bridegroom, Arlington all served as candlelighters.

Ushers were Paul Howard of San Antonio and Buddy Nelson, Austin. Bohn Hilliard, of Arlington, father of the bridegroom served as best man and groomsmen were: John Passero, Austin; John Young and David Snider, Arlington; and Bill Foust, Morton, brother of the bride. Junior Groomsmen was Buck Hilliard, Arlington, brother of the bridegroom.

A reception at the home of the bride featured the following hostesses: Mesdames Gage Knox, Elwood Harris, Scott Hawkins, Lloyd Hiner, and Maurice Lewallen all of Morton and Mrs. Royce Smith of Lubbock.

Miss Nalda Mae Coffman registered the guests as they arrived and Mesdames Gage Knox and Royce Smith served and poured for the guests.

For her wedding trip the bride chose a cinnamon colored suit with black accessories and a white orchid corsage. Following their trip the couple will reside at Lubbock.

The bride, attending the University of Texas where she is classified as a senior, majoring in interior decoration, is a member of Alpha Phi sorority. She is a graduate of Morton High School.

**ANOTHER DAUGHTER FOR THE BOB TRAVISES**

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Travis became the parents of a 7 lb., 6 1/2 oz. daughter, Shelly Ann, born Wednesday, Nov. 23, at 12:05 a.m., at Methodist

Hospital, Lubbock. She is the second daughter of the Travises, having a sister named Kelly. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Travis of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gourley of Eastland. Mrs. Travis is returning home Sunday of this week.

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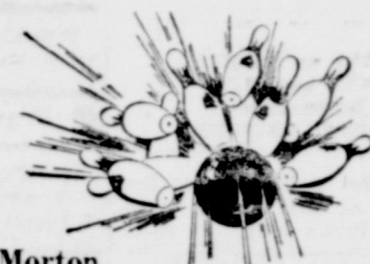
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1958 Cushman motor scooter for sale — Lots of accessories. See Troy Hanson, phone 6301 or 6916. 41-2tp

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**Alcohol Study To Continue**

Following the showing of a film, Mrs. Bob Mayon will conduct a discussion period Sunday evening at the 6 p.m. study for adults at the First Methodist Church, Morton.

The program is part of a continuing study of "Stumbling Blocks" in regard to alcohol.

Last Sunday evening the program was presented adults and youth by three speakers; Max Hamilton, Mrs. J. D. Hawthorne, and Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter.

Hamilton spoke on "Alcohol and the Bible," Mrs. Hawthorne discussed "Alcohol and the Churches," and Mrs. Ledbetter talked on "The Christian Responsibility."

The nursery is open evenings for the 6 p.m. study, and all adults are invited to attend.

**Three Way News ...**

By Mrs. Frank Griffith

Students home for Thanksgiving were Carter Williams, a student at West Texas State, Canyon; Nan Johnson and W. C. Eubanks of Texas Tech; Bonnie Batteas of Wayland College, Plainview; Annonie Hightower, James Tarlton, and Butch Tucker all of South Plains College, Levelland; and Jane Garvin of Draguhs Business College, Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Tucker of Carlsbad and Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Borces of Morton spent Thanksgiving Day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Tucker. H. E. is a brother of D. L. and Mrs. Boreas is a sister to Mrs. Tucker.

Thanksgiving Day guests in the Frank Griffith home were Mr. and Mrs. Paul of Portales, N. M.; J. D. Mrs. Jimmie Batteas and girls of Farwell, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Kenchoate of Whiteface, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McCelvey of Three Way were also guests.

Mrs. Andrew Wittner is on the sick list. She is under treatment of a doctor at Lubbock.

Mrs. Thurl Lemons and children spent Thanksgiving week-end at Ft. Worth and Corsicana visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. James Courtney and children visited at Paris, Texas, during Thanksgiving. Mr. Courtney is high school principal at Three Way.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Adams and Nancy spent the Thanksgiving holiday with relatives at Honeygrove, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Adams are teachers at Three Way.

Recent guests in the D. C. Fowler home were Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Cook of Dallas. Mrs. Cook is the former Peggy Fowler, daughter of the D. C. Fowlers.

Miss Shirley Reeves and Miss Maudine Eubanks of Lubbock returned from a tour in Europe in time to spend Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon

Reeves and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Eubanks.

Miss Reeves, an instructor at Isbell's University of Beauty Culture, made the beauticians' tour and convention in Europe and attended eight days of classes in Paris, France. Miss Eubanks was her traveling companion. The girls visited London, Paris, Rome and Amsterdam.

Thanksgiving day guests in the Jack Furguson home were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen and daughter of Midland. Mrs. Allen is a niece to Jack.

Mrs. Jack Furguson and Donna were shopping in Lubbock Friday.

Glenn Furguson of McKinney spent two weeks with his son, Jack Furguson of Goodland. The elder Mr. Furguson returned home last week.

Visiting in the Leon Reeves home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Sid Conner and children of Dickens; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis and children of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. James Reeves and children of Portales, N. M.; and Shirley Reeves of Lubbock. Mrs. Conner, Mrs. Davis and Shirley are daughters of the Reeves and James is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flinn of Phoenix, Arizona, spent Thanksgiving in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Garvin of Maple. The Flinns are moving to California soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Westall have moved here from Ruidoso, N. M., and are the new owners and operators of the Maple Mercantile. They purchased the store from the J. T. Stevens who have moved back to Ruidoso.

The Cass Stegalls and the Tommy Galts spent Thanksgiving in Portales with the T. G. Gaddys. Mr. and Mrs. Gaddy are the parents of Mrs. Stegall and Mrs. Galt.

Madalyn Galt spent the week-end with the Gaddys.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Chapman visited in Lubbock with Mrs. Chap-

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man's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Thrush.

Sunday dinner guests in the Cass Stegall home were Mr. and Mrs. George Schuman of Needmore, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gaddy of Portales, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Chapman of Goodland.

The high school basketball teams play in a tournament at Lazbuddie this week.

The Tommy Galts are remodeling their home. The kitchen and utility rooms are being enlarged and a den is being added.

Mrs. Buck Ragsdale went to Floydada Monday to attend the funeral of her grandfather, S. A. Guffee.

He was the father of Mrs. Ragsdale's mother, and her last grandparent to be laid to rest.

The farm house of Mr. and Mrs. Burns went up in flames yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Burns and her pre school aged children were taking an afternoon nap. When she awakened, she and the children had time to run out of the house in their bare feet. The house and everything in it was completely destroyed by the fire. The house is northeast of Segli.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cole spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Rainey at Lamesa. They went on to Stamford, Rotan, and Albany with Cecil's brother, Sandy, of Levelland and visited relatives at each place.

**WATCH for SANTA ...**

**He Plans To Visit Morton**

**THURSDAY NIGHT**

**DEC. 8**

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**CHRISTMAS SONGS**



### High Band Awarded Trophy At Denver City

The Morton Junior High Band took part in the Denver City Christmas parade, Tuesday afternoon. Bill Hulse, director, said the band was presented a trophy for their part in the parade.

### Former Area Pastor Moves Back

Rev. V. P. Whitfield, former pastor of the Baptist churches at Ennis and Maple, has returned to the area after an absence of two years while he was serving as pastor at Longview.

He and his wife, Mildred, and family are residing in Morton where he is employed at Strickland Cleaners. He plans to resume the ministry when his present throat trouble is alleviated.

### Conference Meeting Tuesday

Dr. D. D. Dennison, superintendent of the Brownfield district of the Methodist Church, will conduct the Brownfield district conference meeting beginning Thursday morning at 9 o'clock at the First Methodist Church, Seminole.

A number of local Methodists, including the pastor of the First Methodist Church, Morton, Rev. H. F. Dunn, plan to attend the conference meetings.



### FAMOUS SAN ANTONIO FORT

Teddy Roosevelt trained his famous Rough Riders in Texas in the same fort that housed such outstanding generals as Grant, Lee, Sheridan and Hood.

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### BABY SHOWER FOR MRS. EDDIE IRWIN AND SON, EDDIE, JR.

Mrs. E. H. Irwin and son, Eddie, Jr., were honorees Sunday at a baby shower in the home of Mrs. Fred Payne.

Guests called from 3 to 5 p.m. and were served from a table laid with white linen and centered with a floral arrangement of salmon pink gladiolus and white chrysanthemums, featuring tiny baby dolls.

The hostesses, Mrs. Fred Payne, Mrs. W. C. Vanlandingham, Mrs. Dexter Nebhut, Mrs. Jerry Winder, Mrs. Leonard Gandy, and Mrs. Bill Bridges, presented the honorees with a high chair. Many other lovely gifts were received.

### Whiteface Boys Whip Frenship

The Whiteface Antelopes took out their revenge on the Frenship boys cage team capturing a 38 to 28 verdict after Frenship girls had beaten two Whiteface girls teams, Tuesday night at Whiteface.

Frenship captured the girls "B" game, 30 to 27. Linda Jennings led the scoring for Whiteface with 14 points.

In the second game, Frenship's girls team rolled to a 45 to 34 victory behind 17 and 16 point efforts by Gwen Burkes and Sherry Burgamy. For Whiteface it was Louise Sloan with 12 points and Linda Pond with 11.

The Whiteface boys pulled away in the fourth quarter after a slow start. Frenship posted a 10 to 5 first quarter lead and by halftime Whiteface had forged ahead, 13 to 12, by virtue of a tremendous defensive effort in that quarter.

With Joe Henderson pacing the way, Whiteface opened up a 21-18 third quarter lead and then almost matched their previous three quarter performance with 17 points in the fourth period to win going away.

Jim Stapleton of Frenship tallied 13 points for high honors, while Henderson managed 12 points to lead a well divided Whiteface scoring effort.

### HOSPITALIZED

Mrs. L. T. Doss of Morton was taken to the West Plains Hospital in Muleshoe, Saturday.

### VISIT HERE THANKSGIVING

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Baker of Morton had as visitors over Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Baker and children of Denver City, Mr. and Mrs. Max Baker and children of Lovington, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Poor and girls of Snyder.

### THE AMERICAN WAY



The Big Bully

### IN LEVELLAND HOSPITAL

Mrs. Bud Young of Morton was taken to a Levelland hospital this week.

### HOME FROM SCHOOL

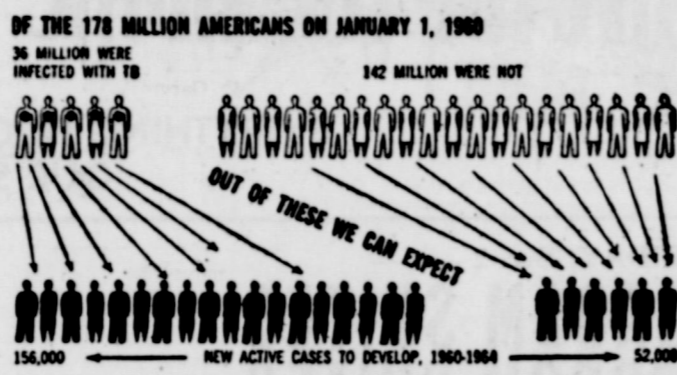
Jeff Jones, student at Texas Tech, was home visiting his parents and friends over the holidays.

### VISIT HERE OVER HOLIDAYS

Miss Susie Hawkins, and brother, Tommy Hawkins, students at Texas Tech, visited over the holidays in Morton with their mother, Mrs. Scott Hawkins and family, and other relatives and friends.

### MONDAY IS DOLLAR DAY IN MORTON

### THE ORIGIN OF FUTURE TB CASES



Most new cases of tuberculosis will come from people now infected. The 20 per cent of our nation's population estimated to have been infected with TB germs sometime in the past will contribute three out of four of the new cases in the next few years. The rest will come from people not now infected. Christmas Seal donations help to find these infected people.

### Bledsoe Rolls Over Ropesville

The Bledsoe boys basketball team racked up another victory on the Ropesville court, Tuesday night, after their girls team had been hopelessly outclassed by the host Ropes girls.

Jay Ness and Bobby Hoyl tallied 14 and 11 points to lead the Bledsoe boys to a 34 to 29 triumph, their third win in four starts in the young season.

Pat Smith managed a 13 point effort for Bledsoe's girls but had no scoring support as the Ropes Eagles rolled to a 50 to 16 victory behind Patricia Bridwell's 16 point spree.

Ness and Hoyl have both averaged in the double figures thus far this season giving Bledsoe one of its most promising boys teams in many a year.

### HERE FROM KANSAS

Mrs. H. D. Crockett of Ellinwood, Kansas, was a business visitor in Morton this past week, and while her visited with relatives and friends.

### VISIT IN CARLSBAD, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Strickland and Mrs. W. A. Wilson, all of Morton, visited Sunday with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jones in Carlsbad, N. M.

### SPEND HOLIDAYS HERE

Miss Mary Ruth Henry of Carlsbad, N. M., spent the Thanksgiving holidays here visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Henry.

### VISIT IN PLAINVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Arnold and son, Robert, drove their son, John, to Plainview where he joined his roommate returning to NTSC, Denton. The Arnolds later visited with friends and relatives in Plainview. John was here visiting during the holidays.

### METHODIST GROUP TO PRESENT PLAY

The Wesley Players from the Methodist Student Center at Texas Tech will present "The Blue Tea Pot" Sunday night, Dec. 18, at 6 p.m. at the First Methodist Church, Morton.

The play is based on events in the life of John Wesley.

### VISITS LINDSEYS

Ronald Lindsey, a student at NT SC, Denton, visited over the holidays in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lindsey, Morton.

### VISITED IN OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ramsey and Family of Morton visited over the Thanksgiving holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Wayman Marshall and family at Burkburnett, and their son, Gerald, and family at Lawton, Okla.

### VISITS HERE

Walter Glen Sandefer of Denver, Colo., was a visitor in Morton this past week. He reported he was engaged in television work there. He and his family moved to Denver from Morton some time ago.

### HOME FROM UNIVERSITY

Misses Mary Lee Ledbetter and Myrlan Cox, students at the University of Texas, Austin, spent the Thanksgiving holidays visiting their parents, Judge and Mrs. Ledbetter and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cox and family.

### CONDITION UNCHANGED

The condition of Mrs. Charles J. Hill, Jr., of Morton was reported "unchanged" Wednesday at Methodist Hospital, Lubbock.

Mrs. Hill, wife of the East Side Church of Christ minister, underwent emergency brain surgery Sunday night, Nov. 13. She is in Room 406.

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By LEILA PETTY

## 4-H AWARDS PROGRAM

The annual County 4-H Achievement program will be held in the Banquet Room of the County Activity Building Saturday evening, December 3. The program will begin at 7:00.

County medals will be presented 4-H Club boys and girls who have been outstanding in Achievements during this year. National business concerns and individuals are donors of the medals.

A short program will precede the presentation of awards.

## TIME TO BAKE FRUIT CAKES

Fruit cakes need time to age, to develop mellow, spicy flavor and good texture, so if your Christmas cakes are not already baked, now is the time to do it.

Why not get together with a neighbor and make fruit cake this year? One of you might bake the light kind, and the other the dark, spicy one. Then divide the cakes so each will have variety. Extra ones make fine Christmas gifts.

Prepare all dried and candied fruits, dates, peels and nuts one day, and make the batter the second day. It's less tedious that way. Long, slow baking is a must to make a fruit cake with a tender crust.

Recipes for light and dark fruit cake and for uncooked fruit cake are given in the colorful Extension bulletin "Christmas Time at Home," available from this office. Directions are included for decorating, glazing, canning and storing fruit cakes.

Whether you use these two tips might save some disappointment in baking: (1) Use two layers of brown paper to line your cake pan. Grease the paper with soft shortening; (2) If glass baking wear is used, reduce the oven temperature 25 degrees.

## SANTA'S BAG STUFFED WITH SEVEN PLENTIFUL FOODS

Santa's bag of gifts this December will include a bountiful supply

of farm-produced foods, reports the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, College Station.

Seven food items will be especially plentiful all month. These are cranberries, broiler-fryers, turkeys, onions, dates, peanuts and peanut products, and vegetable fats and oils.

Broilers and cranberries are the features of the December list.

Recent chick placements have been running 15 to 20 per cent higher than a year ago, so it looks like marketing of live broilers will be unusually heavy in December. Fresh cranberries come from the 1960 record crop, which was a third above average.

The plentiful foods list is determined each month by the area food distribution division of the Agricultural Marketing Service. Items are eligible for listing, at the request of the food industry, when supplies exceed expected trade needs.

Consumers usually will find it profitable to watch for special sales on plentiful items at local stores, as the food industry cooperates with producers in attempts to move the abundance in normal trade channels.

## STILL TIME TO CUT HOLIDAY EXPENSES

Installment buying and borrowing reach a peak in December, presumably the result of a splurge of gift buying. Miss Wanda Barkley, our Extension Specialist in Home Management of Texas A&M College, says now is the time to plan to stay out of debt for Christmas shopping. Or, at least, to limit your spending.

Start by making a list of all persons included in the family's gift giving. To the list add other Christmas expenditures such as cards, postage, decorations and extra food for entertaining.

Set tentative cost limits on each item and total. Divide this sum by the number of pay periods before Christmas. If this sum can be set aside for Christmas buying without interfering with everyday living expenses, you have a ready-made

plan. However, if the sum is high, decide now where you will trim expenditures in order to finish the year free of debts. Be honest with yourself in determining what you can and cannot afford to spend.

The specialist advises that after the holidays, you include a realistic gift allowance in the family's spending plan for the coming year.

## SEASON FOR SWEET POTATOES

Crisp, fall weather and juicy, luscious sweet potatoes go well together. Baked, fried, candied or served in puddings, pies and combination dishes, they offer lots of fuel for energy, plus other food nutrients.

Sweet potatoes contain large amounts of vitamin A, some of the vitamin B and C groups, and yield fair amounts of calcium, phosphorus and iron. Though calorie content is relatively high, a daily serving of sweet or Irish potatoes is necessary for a well balanced diet. One baked sweet potato yields 183 calories as compared with 97 calories in a baked Irish potato of the same size. Calorie watchers may need to leave off dessert or other less nutritious food to allow for a daily serving of potatoes.

Try serving sweet potatoes in a variety of ways. Here's the recipe for a delicious sweet potato dessert which has been handed down for generations:

**Old Fashioned Grated Raw Sweet Potato Pudding**  
 2 cups grated or finely chopped, raw sweet potatoes  
 2 eggs, beaten  
 1/3 cup sugar  
 3/4 cup unsulphured molasses  
 1/2 teaspoon salt  
 1/4 teaspoon allspice  
 3/4 teaspoon cloves  
 2 cups milk  
 1/3 cup butter or margarine

Peel raw sweet potatoes and grate them finely or put them through the food chopper twice, using the fine blade. Combine eggs, sugar, salt and spices.

Heat milk and stir in grated sweet potatoes, and butter or margarine. Mix well. Pour in a baking pan (8" x 2"). Bake 2 hours in slow oven (300 F.). Serve warm—plain, with light cream, or damson preserves. Yield: 9 servings.

# 8th Graders Beat Levelland; Others Lose

Morton's Junior High boys basketball teams gave a fine accounting of themselves, Monday night, in a trio of games played at the Morton gym, but the local lads salvaged only one victory.

In the 8th grade game, paced by Charlie Ledbetter's 16 points and Bobby Dobson's 10 points, the Morton boys gained an early six point lead, saw it whittled to 26 to 25 at the third quarter stop, and then blanked Levelland in the final period for a 32 to 25 triumph.

In the 7th grade game, Levelland came through with a 17-16 win in a nip and tuck affair that saw Morton shoot a free throw and two rebound shots in the final seconds, Smedley tallied six points for Morton and David Holland added four.

Morton's 9th graders, facing a tremendous height disadvantage nevertheless fought all the way before dropping a four point decision to the rangy Levelland quintet.

# With Your ... COUNTY AGENT

By Homer E. Thompson

**COTTON**  
 Plant the allotment of cotton acres is a campaign to get rolling in every area. Farmers will have a lot to do with the final word of 1961 cotton planted acres according to Fred Bailey, Jr., Washington Bureau.

Here is how the law works: To bring you up to date and spike rumors and misinformation, here's how the law works on planting and releasing cotton acreage allotments.

Start with the individual grower: He must plant or release for reapportionment at least 75 per cent of his allotment. Part of the 75 per cent may be planted and part of it released, just so the total acreage and/or released adds up to at least 75 per cent of his allotment.

Further, a grower must plant some acreage at least once every third year, even if only a few acres, in order to maintain his eligibility for an allotment as an "old" cotton farm.

If the grower fails to meet these requirements, his allotment base for the following year will be reduced—

a loss which he will probably never be able to regain! Here's the way it works:

If he meets the 75 per cent rule, his allotment, base for next year will be this year's allotment. If he doesn't meet the 75 per cent rule, his allotment base for next year will be the average of this year's allotment and the acreage actually planted or released.

An example to make this clearer: Assume that the grower has an allotment this year of 20 acres. If he plants and/or releases 75 per cent (15 acres) his base next year will remain at 20 acres. Assume instead, that he plants only five acres and releases five acres, a total of 10 acres. Then his allotment base for next year will be the average of 20 acres and 10 acres—that is, 15 acres. He would have lost five acres (from 20 to 15) from his allotment base for failure to comply with the 75 per cent rule.

Next, look at what happens after the grower releases his acreage to

the county committee (usually by a deadline just ahead of planting time). The county then offers it to other growers in the same county. If other growers do not want it, the county committee can release it to the state for distribution to other counties. Note, it can—but doesn't have to.

At this point, it should be pointed out that release and reapportionment of allotment acreage doesn't affect the acreage history. A grower who releases his acreage continues to receive credit for the history. A county that releases acreage to another county also continues to receive the history for the acreage. By the same token, a grower or a county that gets additional acreage through reapportionment does not get additional acreage history for planting it.

Back now to the county: If a grower does nothing with his acreage for three consecutive seasons, then not only does he lose the acreage history but the county also loses it. As long as the grower plants 75 per cent of his allotment in at least one of the three years, however, his entire acreage history remains in the county.

States Can Lose Acreage—There's also the possibility a state may lose

acreage—to the extent that there are losses by the counties as a result of growers failing to plant at least 75 per cent in one of the years. And, contrary to general impression, acreage lost by a county does not automatically go to other counties in the same state. Rather, it is spread across the entire Cotton Belt.

Above are the rules you'll want to emphasize in getting a plant-the-allotment campaign rolling in your area.

The job starts, but doesn't stop with getting unused acreage released. It must then be reapportioned and, once reapportioned, it must be planted.

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### Former Mortonite To Be Presented in Music Recital

MILL VALLEY (Spl.)—Milton Martin, 1953 Morton High School graduate, will be presented in a recital by the Golden Gate Seminary Church Music Department, Friday, December 2.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Martin, formerly of Morton. Mr. Martin will also be tenor soloist in the Seminary Oratorio Choir presentation of Handel's "The Messiah," December 6-8.

A student of Dr. Carlyle Bennett, Mr. Martin will give the tenor recital as partial fulfillment of require-

ments for the master of church music degree.

He is a former member of the Seminary Chapel Choir and is minister of music at First Baptist Church, Manteca, California.

### HOME FROM SCHOOL

Clayton Flanagan, student at Texas A&M College was home for the Thanksgiving holidays visiting his mother, and other relatives and friends.

### HERE FOR HOLIDAYS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ed Thompson of Stephenville were in Morton over the holidays visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Thompson. Bill Ed is a student at John Tarleton College at Stephenville.

### Morton Places Three Men on 2nd All-District

Coaches of District 2-AA met in Olton last week to select the all-district grid teams.

Four players were named to both the offensive and defensive first team, but Morton failed to place a man on either of the top teams.

Three Morton griders were nominated, but all were relegated to the second team. Tommy Morrison, senior end and Steve Middleton, junior back were named to the all district second defensive team and Middleton and Bob Pyburn, end, made the second offensive team.

Injuries cost three Morton seniors a chance to make the team. J. R. Wilson, Wilburn Zuber and Tootsie Davis, out most of the conference season with injuries, conceivably could have had a chance to make the select list.

Coach John Paul Jones of Morton attended the meeting held at Olton last Wednesday (a week ago). The meeting was presided over by Neal Dillman, Muleshoe Superintendent, chairman of the district. The rules allowed coaches to nominate only boys from an opposition team, not from their own. But once a boy was nominated, each coach had one vote. The selections were held up for press release until Olton had been eliminated from state playoffs, by Denver City, last week.

Jimmy Patton, Muleshoe end; Kenneth Hooper, Olton tackle; Rodney Teague, Floydada back and Don Davis, Floydada guard were the only lads to make both the first offensive and defensive teams.

Olton led the selections with eight players on the top two teams, and two more on the second teams. Floydada placed five on the top teams and four on the second teams. Muleshoe had three on the top teams and three on the second teams. Lockney had five on the top two teams and two on the second teams. Abernathy had three on the first teams and seven on the second teams.

Others on the all district offensive team were end, Billy Dan Rolling, Lockney; tackle, Bobby Brown, Olton; tackle, Larry Florence, Abernathy; guard Harold Featheringill, Olton; center, Wayne Cooper, Lockney; and backs, Robert Priest, Olton; Bill Mangold, Lockney and John Brown, Abernathy.

On the all district defensive team, in addition to the four mentioned, were end Wayne Cooper, Lockney; tackles, Wilton Manley, Abernathy and Russell Davis, Lockney; line backs, Robert Duncan and Bobby Brown, Olton and Ray Walker, Floydada; and backs, Curtis Walker, Muleshoe; Joe Allard, Lockney and

Johnny Schenck, Olton.

Russell Davis was the only sophomore to make the select list and Teague is the only junior to make both teams.

Donnie Hanst of Lockney was the only sophomore on the second team. Joe Lee Dunn, sophomore, Floydada, got honorable mention. Three others received honorable mention, but none were from Morton.

### with bowling ...

The daytime women's scratch league, the Challengers, is now rolling and after three weeks (9 games of bowling) Reba Brown has the high average posted on the bulletin board. Her 119 average tops Pat Mullinax (111); Ethel Harris (110); and Eva Willoughby (108). Reba also leads the league in victories with 6½ wins and 1½ losses. Tied for second place are Pat Mullinax and Eva Willoughby with 9 and 3 marks. Reba's 362 was high series.

In the Sunset league, Denez Beauty Salon team still holds a comfortable lead, 23-9, over second place B and C Phillips 66, 19-13. Tommye Harris has moved into first place in average at 117 with Nelda Ford and Nelda Shifflett tying for second place at 116. Each of the two top teams won three points and lost one last week.

With the Moonlighters, Gage and Son Gin team continued to roll comfortably with a 22-6 mark over second place Willis Food, 19-9. But individually, Lucille Cheatham's 422 scratch series (593 with handicap) vaulted her into first place in the standings. Lucille's average climbed to 130, one point ahead of Katie Van. Ruth Curtis, with a 127 average, dropped to 3rd spot. Genny Merrill and Ann Gerik, who along with Lucille posted the top series last week, both climbed well up in the list of individual averages.

The Frontier Men's League, Monday nights, continues to supply most of the best competition in any of the bowling leagues now in operation at Frontier Lanes. Seldom has a week gone by when there was more than a game or two separating the teams in the standings, and now the individual averages have levelled off and the same things are occurring. Silvers' Butane has a 1½ game lead over Cities Service after last week's rolling with Star Rt. Coop Gin in third spot. Bill Gerik's 158 average is tops, followed by Ralph Ware, 152; Jack Moler, 151; and J. P. Stevenson, 150. Walter Gerik's 668 (with handicap) series rolled last week was tops and brought him well up in the standings. But it was Jug Hill (643) and Francis Shifflett (655) who made the most impressive climb, tying Don Lamar for 5th spot in the league at 149 averages.

The Major League was idle last week leaving Rose Auto in first place (20-8); Morton Tribune second (17-11); and Morton Drug third (16-12). The two leading teams clash in three games this week. Ray Spector's 164 average is tops among the regular bowlers and Weldon Newsum has climbed into second spot with a 156 average.

visited here

The Jake Johnson family of Calhan, Colo., visited her parents, the Rolly Hills, and other relatives and friends during Thanksgiving.

### Nematode Killer May Be Found

College Station (Spl.)—A newly discovered species of fungus, common to Louisiana sugarcane soils and believed to be widely distributed in nature, is being tested for possible use in biological control of nematodes, according to the USDA.

In laboratory research at Baton Rouge, Louisiana, the new fungus killed rootknot, sting, sheath, dagger, lance, ring, meadow, citrus and



**BEEF WEEK SET**—Governor Price Daniel last week officially proclaimed December 4-10 as "Beef Week in Texas" for 1960, the 6th traditional state-wide observance of the Texas Beef Council. Governor Daniel is shown handing proclamation to Hugh A. Fitzsimons of San Antonio, president-elect of the Council.

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stunt nematodes. The fungus kills by penetrating the skin and growing within the bodies of the nematodes. It is a type of water mold and apparently is not harmful to plant life.

Wray Birchfield, ARS nematologist, discovered the fungus about a year ago on a species of dagger nematodes, which was found attacking St. Augustine grass. Later, the fungus was found in sugarcane and rice fields in Louisiana. Researchers at Baton Rouge have been able to isolate the fungus for experimental purposes by growing it on beef liver extract.

Dr. Birchfield has found that the fungus thrives in the laboratory under widely varying conditions of acidity and temperature. His research also shows that this new species of fungus is not selective in the kinds of nematodes it attacks. Greenhouse experiments to test the nematode control possibilities of this new fungus are expected to get underway in 1961.

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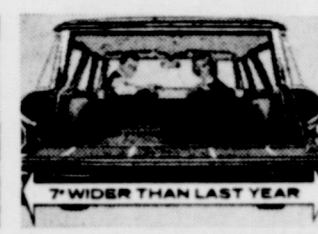
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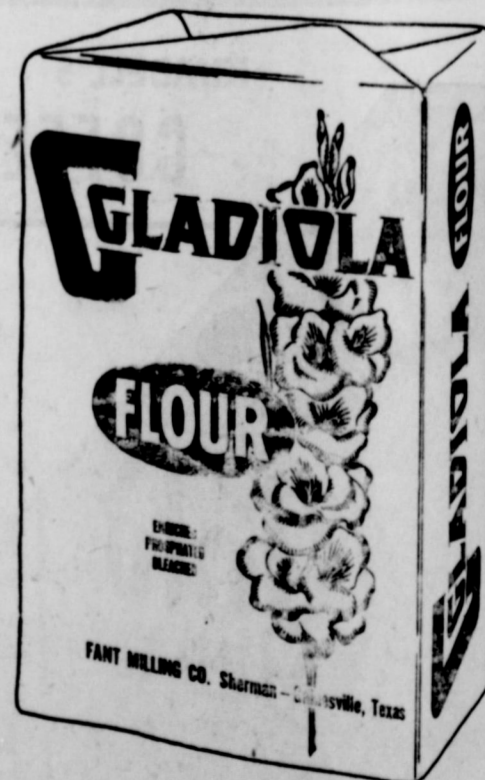


Bake cakes to be Glad about GLADIOLA CAKE MIXES



3 boxes . . 89¢

5 POUND PAPER BAG 39¢



Whole Potatoes SHURFINE NO. 303 CANS 7 CANS 100

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