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tion in the Nervous Wreck . . .

LOOK OF HORROR comes over Bobby Combs, an escaped bank robber who is disguised as Althea, a little, old lady, as he, or she, realizes that he is about to be hit by a dancing dancer. Ivan Petroff, played by Dick

Vanlandingham, is a noted Russian dancer who decides to give an exhibition with Tildy Mae, Dana Webb. The action unfolds Friday at 8 p.m. in the County Activity Building Auditorium. (Staff Photo)

The Nervous Wreck" opens Friday at 8 p.m.

A certain goes up Friday, at 8 p.m. on Morton School's Junior Class Play, "The Nervous Wreck." Because of conflicts in town, the original performance time of 7:30 has been changed to 8 p.m. in the County Activity Building Auditorium.

Mrs. Higgins; Deborah Culppeper, Madame X; Lanya Dolle, Gladys Burr; Bobby Combs, Althea; Billy Baker, Eddie; Ray King, Mr. Burr; Dick Vanlandingham, Ivan Petroff; Randy Wood, Ralph; Margaret Ledbetter, Alice; Dana Webb, Tildy Mae; and Ronald Hale, as Jimmy, the Nervous Wreck.

Class sponsors and directors of the play are Mrs. Murray Crone, Mrs. Ann Inglis, Mrs. Ted Whillock and Fred Weaver.

Council discusses "new" problems

The Morton City Council spent a lengthy meeting Monday night mostly discussing the new park, specifications for a new police car and promotions in the water department.

The meeting opened with W. L. Taylor acting as mayor. Mayor Jack Russell phoned in to say that he would be late and Taylor was delegated the authority by the other councilmen.

Russell arrived before the council could pay the monthly bills. The bills were paid on a motion by E. C. Setaney, seconded by Donnie Simpson.

presented them with a tentative list of specifications for a new police car. After much discussion the council suggested that he come back at the next meeting and present a final list of specifications. Bids would then be taken for the car. Cloud also reported that he had received a total of four applications for the position of patrolman. He said that two more were expected and that when they came in he would make a decision on the candidates.

City secretary Elra Oden announced that Wimpy Houghton, the water superintendent, had tendered his resignation effective March 15. Houghton is moving out of town.

The council agreed to promote Roy Dean Hill to water superintendent following the usual 90-day probation period.

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Miss Girlstown . . .

BRENDA GRIFFITHS was crowned the new Miss Girlstown, U.S.A., during open house activities held at the home Sunday afternoon. The open house drew 4,000 visitors, compared with 1,800 last year.

Seven athletes receive awards at MHS banquet

"Mediocre men with pride, determination and preparation stand like giants among those who have it not," declared Texas Tech assistant football coach Tom Wilson Friday night.

Wilson spoke during the annual Morton Athletic Banquet, sponsored by the Morton Athletic boosters.

Seven outstanding athletes were honored for their achievements during the evening. Donnie Harvey, a junior halfback, received the Fred Morrison Award as the outstanding football player during 1966. John St. Clair, award recipient for 1965, made the presentation.

Larry Shaw received the Sportsmanship Award from its sponsor, Neal Rose. Shaw was a senior tackle on the football team.

Receiving the Morton Tribune award as the Hustlingest Indians were: Randall Tanner, senior wingback, for football; John St. Clair, senior forward, for basketball; and Jimmy Joyce for track. Joyce is attending Lubbock Christian College on a track scholarship and was unable to attend. Tribune editor H. A. Tuck made the awards.

Sophomore center Byron Willis received the award as the top basketball rebounder. Senior guard

County receives "excellent" bid in sale of bonds

The Cochran County Commissioners Court sold \$400,000 in improvement bonds Monday afternoon to the First National Bank of Dallas at an effective interest rate of 3.5891626.

This action further paves the road toward actual construction of hospital and courthouse improvements. Bids for the improvements are expected to be let within a few months.

The bid from First National Bank of Dallas, which was lowest of the nine received, called for a net interest payment of \$146,297.75. Other bidders present when the Dallas bank was announced as winner said the county had received an excellent bid.

D. E. Benham, president of the First State Bank of Morton, said the Commissioners Court should be commended for saving the county \$20,000-\$25,000 in interest. This was accomplished by taking bids for the bonds.

Second low bidder was Rowles, Winston & Co. of Dallas with an effective interest rate of 3.63344. Third was First National Bank of Fort Worth and Weeden & Co. of Houston with an effective interest rate of 3.689927.

The motion to award the bid to the First National Bank of Dallas was made by Commissioner Leonard Coleman and seconded by Harrah Rawls. All the commissioners voted in favor. The motion to authorize the sale of bonds was

made by Coleman and seconded by U. F. Wells. All voted in favor.

In the morning session the commissioners discussed the life guard situation at the swimming pool, but no action was taken.

Mrs. Kenneth Thompson, administrator of the Morton Memorial Hospital, appeared before the commissioners to present to them a list of deficiencies in the hospital as noted by the Medicare inspector. The inspector was in the hospital last week.

Mrs. Thompson said that some of the deficiencies could be corrected when the new addition is built, but that some of them need to be corrected before the inspector returns in about six to eight months.

She said that the outside door locks should be removed and panic doors installed (those that open via a bar, rather than a knob-double hinged doors leading to the north exit, and sprinkler heads in the store rooms and at the top of the elevator shaft in order to comply with the requirements.

Other deficiencies noted: need an emergency gas and water supply to the hospital; need a fire door at the top and bottom of the stairwell with temperature control on it to help contain fire if one should break out; doors to patients rooms have louvers, should not have; acoustical tile on the ceiling is not fire resistive; kitchen equipment as old and the kitchen is not easy to clean; and a cardiac defibrillator is needed in surgery.

In other action the court discussed the possibility of getting a new photocopying machine rather than continuing the lease on the present machine. The present machine rents for \$10 per month plus paper, which was said to be very expensive. The proposed machine, a Xerox, rents for \$40 monthly.

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Betsy Crowder, Charles Ledbetter in SPC Who's Who

Betsy Crowder, sophomore Special Education major at South Plains College and Charles Ledbetter, sophomore, Pre-Law major, were named to Who's Who on Campus. This honor is based on academic achievement, student activities, and leadership.

Betsy, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Crowder of Morton, is Wing Advisor at Mary-Gillespie Hall, a member of the Methodist Student Organization, Program Director for MSO, and a member of the Student Education Association. Her grade average for the fall semester was 4.0.

During her freshman year at East Texas University in Commerce, she was a member of Kappa Delta Sorority, Chaplin of Kappa Delta, Kappa Delta Ideal Pledge, on the Dean's Honor List, a member of the Association of Childhood Education, the Texas Student Education Association, the Wesley Foundation, and the Psychology Club.

Miss Crowder was named the 1967 Homecoming Queen during activities on February 25. She was presented a bouquet of roses by Student Body President Charles Ledbetter and a trophy by Vice-President Bob Myers. Her attendants were Darlene Bragg, Estelene Libby Tubbs, Levelland, Jan Nicholson, Brownfield; and Connie Dennis, Levelland.

Charles, who is the son of Judge and Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter of Morton, is a member of the Varsity Basketball Team, Student Education Association, and is President of the Student Council.



Construction activities . . .

THESE TWO CONSTRUCTION workers are in the process of fitting steel beams together prior to welding them to the frame. The building, located on E. Washington in Morton, is the new city storage barn and should be ready for occupancy within a few weeks. The prefabricated steel building is being built by Gilliland Const. Co. (Staff Photo)

Ronnie Allsup exhibits Overall Champion lamb

Ronnie Allsup of Morton showed the Overall Grand Champion Lamb at the Levelland Area Junior Livestock Show last weekend and collected a record \$2.10 per pound.

"We were really pleased with the way our students showed at Levelland," commented Owen Young, Morton FFA advisor.

Other Morton FFA students who placed in the show included: Connie Stowe, second place light Southdown lamb, not sold; Rory Kuehler, second place Duroc barrow, County Line Gin, Morton, 55 cents; Tommy Hudson, second place Poland China barrow, Commercial Equipment Co., Levelland, 30 cents;

Tommy Hudson, second place Berkshire barrow, Doss Thriftway, 33 cents; Ricky Lemons, eighth place Duroc barrow, Levelland Savings and Loan Assn., 35 cents; Dale Lemons, fifth place Southdown lamb, Tye Williamson, 80 cents; Jim Heflin, fifth place Hampshire lamb, Lewis Supermarket, Levelland, 35 cents; J. Mark Thomas, sixth place Hampshire lamb, Allsup-Perry Chevrolet, 80 cents; Gary Stowe, sixth place Southdown lamb, Allsup-Perry Chevrolet, 75 cents; and Jim Heflin, seventh place Hampshire lamb, Levelland Savings and Loan Assn., 35 cents.

Car-horse crash fatal to horse

A car-horse accident Sunday night west of Morton about 8:30 p.m. proved fatal to the horse and caused about \$400 damage to the 1965 car. The occupants of the car were uninjured.

Driver of the car, Janice Holley of Lubbock, formerly of Morton, said two horses crossed in front of the path of the car and she was unable to stop before hitting one of them. Her husband, George E. Holley was riding in the front seat.

Mrs. Holley was driving east on SH116 about 2.2 miles west of Morton when the accident occurred. T. A. Rowland, Dept. of Public Safety, investigated. The horse was reported to have belonged to Horace Gilmore of Levelland.

Morton LL boys meet

Pre-season activities for the Morton Little League were discussed at a meeting of officers and managers Monday night.

Registration for potential ball-players will be held on Saturday, April 8, at the Morton Fire Hall, from 1-5 p.m. Prior to this, registration slips will be passed out to interested boys at the various county schools.

Try-outs for boys 9 and 10 years of age who are not on major league teams will be held Friday, April 21, from 5-7 p.m., at the Morton Little League field. Try-outs for boys 11 and 12 will be held on Saturday, April 22, from 5-7 p.m.

Player auction is slated for 7:30 p.m. on April 22.

Sponsor fees, uniform purchases and several other items also were discussed during the meeting.

Contributions to be taken for family displaced by fire

Cash contributions for the Kenneth Thompson family are now being taken at the First State Bank, Byron's Auto Supply, KRAN and the Morton Tribune.

The Thompson's home at 104 SW 5th was severely damaged by smoke and flames in a fire Monday about 11 a.m. Smoke damage was severe to clothing, furniture and appliances.

The fire was discovered by Steve Thompson upon returning home to get a paper for school. Morton firemen answering the call were hampered in their fire fighting because of the heavy smoke in the house. Fire Chief Rowden was able to enter the house only upon wearing a self-contained breathing device.

Damage to the house and furnishings was estimated to run several thousand dollars. However, actual damage to the frame of the house was not immediately known.

Kenneth Thompson is hospital technician and his wife is hospital administrator. Their children are Lavoy, Wayne, Bill and Steve.



Dons breathing unit . . .

MORTON FIRE CHIEF Tom Rowden dons a self-contained breathing suit before entering the smoke filled Kenneth Thompson home, 104

SW 5th. Damage to the house and contents was estimated at several thousand dollars. The fire was discovered Monday about 11 a.m. by Steve Thompson.

(Staff Photo)

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CARD OF THANKS

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The family of Mrs. W. A. Lindsey would like to thank everyone for their many kindnesses in word and deed shown to us during the time of our grief. We will always remember all of you. God bless you.

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR AN ACT CREATING HOSPITAL DISTRICT OVER COCHRAN COUNTY, TEXAS

TO THE RESIDENTS OF COCHRAN COUNTY, TEXAS AND ANY OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that after due publication hereof, the undersigned intend to apply to the Texas Legislature at its regular session in 1967 for the passage of an Act Creating a Hospital District over Cochran County under the authority granted by Section 9 of Article IX of the Texas Constitution, the general purposes and nature of such Act being expressed as follows:

AN ACT providing for the crea-

Patrolman Wanted!

City of Morton

is taking applications from men seeking a career in law enforcement. Men interested may obtain application blanks from City Hall or the Cochran County Sheriff's Office.



Pleased with honors . . .

RECOGNITION went to two outstanding Morton High athletes during the annual all-sports banquet Friday night. At left is Donnie Harvey, who received the Fred Morrison Award

as the outstanding football player. Larry Shaw received the Neal Rose Award as the athlete who exhibited the best sportsmanship during the year. (Staff Photo)

Rain, freeze cut cotton production

Untimely rains and an early freeze in 1966 cut cotton production in the area, 300,000 bales comes to an average per-acre actual yield decrease of almost 105 pounds.

County projected yields for 1968 will be figured, among other factors, from a five-year average of actual yields for the years 1962-1966 inclusive.

Losses to the weather of course were far worse in some counties than in others. But based on the 1,450,000 estimated planted acres in the area, 300,000 bales comes to an average per-acre actual yield decrease of almost 105 pounds.

County projected yields for 1968 will be figured, among other factors, from a five-year average of actual yields for the years 1962-1966 inclusive.

And since both price support and

acreage diversion payments to producers are based each year on projected yields, some producers have expressed to PCG a concern that in addition to reducing income in 1966, abnormal weather in that year may reduce the amount of years.

The Agriculture Act of 1965 instructs USDA to adjust yields per harvested acre in its calculations "for abnormal weather conditions affecting such yields, for trends in yields, and for any significant changes in production practices."

This would seem to obviate the possibility that future projected yields will be adversely affected by abnormal weather in 1966, either on the High Plains or elsewhere.

But to help answer producer questions on the matter, PCG asked F. W. Blease, South-Central Area Director for USDA's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, for an explanation of the procedure used in adjusting yields for weather, trends and changes in production practices.

Blease replied that it will be some time before the formula to be used in computing projected yields for 1968 is determined and approved. Projected yields for 1967 were announced in October, 1966, and he outlined the procedure used to establish them.

The adjustment for abnormal weather conditions was made in two steps. (1) If any annual yield in the five-year base period was less than 80 per cent of the five-year average was substituted for that yield, and (2) if any annual yield was more than 140 per cent of the five-year average, a yield equal to 140 per cent of the average was substituted therefor.

A five-year average of the yields after these adjustments was obtained for each county.

The adjustment for trends and significant changes in production practices was made by averaging the five-year average with the two-year average for 1964-65 after both had been adjusted for weather conditions, if the two-year average was higher than the five-year average.

If either the 1964 or 1965 harvested yield was less than the five-year average, the five-year average was substituted for the yield in that year in figuring the two-year average.

There was also an adjustment made for the change in regulations for counting acreage of cotton planted in skip-row patterns beginning with the 1966 crop. Briefly, the yield adjustment was based on a 30 per cent increase in acreage counted as cotton for acreage planted in patterns which skipped less than four rows.

Following these somewhat involved calculations, preliminary county projected yields were determined by: (1) obtaining a State average adjusted yield by weighting each county adjusted yield by its 1966 allotment, (2) finding a State "factor" by dividing the State projected yield by the State average adjusted yield, and (3) multiplying each county adjusted average yield by the State factor.

On individual farms, actual yields for the three-year period 1964, 1965 and 1966 will be used in figuring 1968 projected yields. Therefore abnormal 1966 weather will have a considerably greater effect in some cases unless a proper adjustment can be obtained.

Donald Johnson, Executive Vice President of PCG, said "This is a problem which is going to require a great deal more work and study before a concrete solution is found. But we have already pointed out 80 per cent of the five-year average to USDA officials that substituting age for those years when actual yields fell below that level hardly constitutes a full adjustment. And Agriculture Act of 1965 it should from the language used in the be obvious that Congress intended that a full adjustment be made."

Johnson also noted that USDA on January 27 notified ASCS State Committees that a total of up to

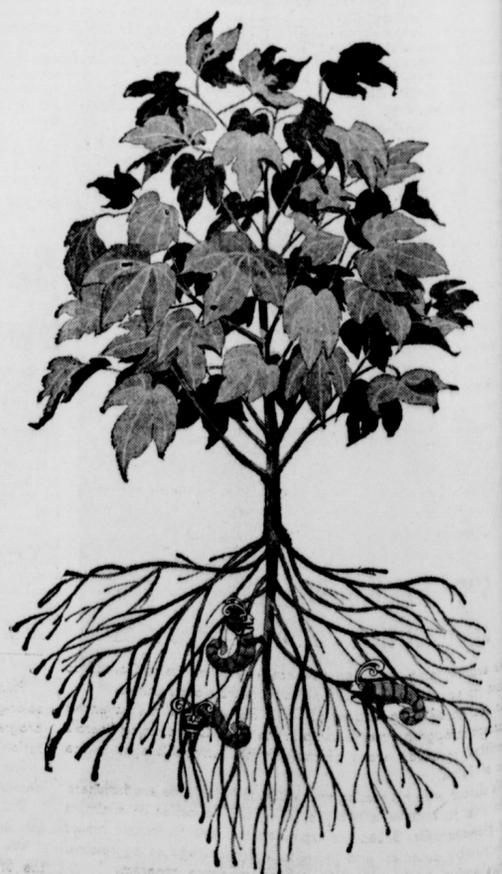
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Nematodes take their cut off the top.

(Unless you cut them off at the bottom.)



Council

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The transfer of sewer water and gas accounts to the delinquent files was approved on a motion and second by Taylor and Seaney.

A lengthy discussion centered around several improvements in and around the new Strickland Park. The majority of it concerned running a pipe line from the city well to the park. This would provide un-chlorinated water for the lake. No action was taken in the matter, however.

Also receiving considerable attention was the building up of Grant St. at the dip near the lake. Earl Stowe, who has been designated Park Superintendent by the other councilmen, said that he would prefer the road be built up at least two feet. By doing this the lake would hold that much more water. However, it would probably necessitate hiring an engineer to map out drainage patterns for the housing area north of the lake.

The council finally decided not to raise the height of the road. It was also suggested that a concrete road and bar ditches be installed on Grant near the lake to prevent further water damage to the road and to prevent erosion near the north end of the lake. No action was taken on this either.



Speaker and prey . . .

TOM WILSON, left, chats with Morton Booster Club president, Fred Thomas, prior to the annual Athletic Banquet Friday night. Wilson is a former Texas Tech and All-Southwest Conference quarterback and now an assistant grid coach at Tech. (Staff Photo)

County

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but the paper is much less expensive.

On a motion by Rawls, seconded by T. A. Washington, the court terminated the lease on the present machine. This motion will be put into effect as soon as a new machine is available from the factory. On a motion by Coleman, seconded by Wells, the court agreed to lease the Xerox, with the court paying \$40 per month and the balance being paid by County Attorney James Walker.

On a motion by Coleman, seconded by Wells, the Commissioners Court approved payment of the stated bills for February.

About 200 persons attended the banquet. The master of ceremonies was the Rev. Fred Thomas, president of the Booster group.

The Morton coaching staff was introduced and they, in turn, introduced their players. The coaches are Fred Weaver, Ted Whillock, Lane Tanshill, Robert Taylor and David Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weeks of Muleshoe spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Watts.

Athletes

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regardless of his physical size." Wilson outlined his philosophy for success: work, preparation, self-discipline, teamwork, competition, determination and faith in God.

He also related some of his experiences when he quarterbacked the 1964 and 1965 Red Raider teams to two bowl games and earned himself a spot as the All-Southwest Conference quarterback for 1965.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Gary Melton to Rev. Fred Thomas, Mrs. E. L. Bledsoe, Mrs. Morton J. Smith, and Mary Smith.

The next meeting will be held on March 17 with the Father's Day banquet on Saturday, March 18 at 7:30. The tickets on sale for \$1.25.

They closed the meeting by singing "Sing Your Way Home."

Campfire girls have meeting

The Ta-Wan-Ka Campfire met March 10 to practice a program for the Father's Day banquet.

Emilee Smith called the meeting to order. They began by singing the woodgatherer's desire. They sang the Freedom pledge.

The girls sang the Campfire and Wo-he-ho.

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Archaic practice of posting notices on courthouse door needs changing

Whenever newspapers advocate passage of legislation that would require publishing of legal notices so that the people might know facts in matters of public interest, they are immediately accused of seeking to create forced business for their own profit. However dissemination of public notices was the reason for the existence of newspapers originally in the early days of our Republic, and that reason exists in even greater importance today. People look to their newspapers for such information and people look to our legislators to see to it that such policies are made a mandatory part of our lives.

A public notice bill has been introduced at Austin (House Bill 343) that deserves the attention of the full House, and should not be allowed to die in sub-committee without at least being given a perusal by all the Legislature. This legal notice bill is designed to make mandatory the advertising of sales of real estate under the present procedure. Evidence was presented in the preliminary hearing that many a home has been taken away from the owners by unscrupulous lenders, aided and abetted by archaic laws.

Present procedure is for the lender to post a notice on the courthouse door or bulletin board (once payments on the loan become a few months delinquent) which "legally" places the property up for sale by the sheriff without further adieu. This has been done more than once without homeowners knowing a thing about the sale. And it is perfectly legal under existing Texas laws, because all that is necessary to fill the laws requirements is that a notice be posted in three public places . . . and that could be a winter-closed summer park, a tree or a telephone pole.

Under terms of House Bill 343, adequate notice to the owner would be required, giving him three weeks to round up the necessary funds with which to pay the delinquent payments. Then if the property has to be sold to satisfy the lien, publication of this fact would increase the sale price of the property, because it would build up the buying audience and increase competition for the property. It is a common occurrence at such sales for no bidder to appear except the mortgagee who can then bid the property at the balance due on this mortgage, or some figure far below actual market price.

In days gone by when many people hung around the courthouse all day awaiting news, posting was important and really served a purpose. But this is not true today, for news is brought to the people via their hometown newspaper. Every city or town of any size has one or more newspapers, for by actual count, there are 100 cities and 556 weeklies in Texas.

Today, unless they are being sued or have other legal business, the great majority of the people visit the courthouse only once or twice a year . . . to pay taxes or buy a license. Even then very few ever stop to read the bulletin board, and we'd wager that not more than one out of 10 even know the basic procedure for conducting a sheriff's sale.

Confiscation without proper notice is unfair, unkind, and actually dishonest. Certainly a posted notice is far from adequate, as is even a registered letter directed to the attention of the owner.

The only proper notice is a printed notice, distributed as widely as possible among the general public.

Cost of such notices would revert back to the property owner, and would not have to be paid by the lender nor the county.

House Bill 343 has been sent to a sub-committee of the House Judiciary Committee for study and recommendation. The Judiciary Committee, as a whole, is composed entirely of lawyers, and unless the people of Texas demand some action along this line, that's where it will probably stay.

SPC plan would expand service of education to nearby counties

An exciting plan has been advanced by South Plains College to expand its educational opportunities to nearby communities.

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



"Git outta there Sooky, you're jist like L.B.J. . . . the more you git the more you want!"

VIEWS . . . of other editors

There are only two things which can safely be said about the present plans to change America's draft system. The first is that it is crucial that there be long, thorough, and thoughtful debate before any major changes are made. The second is that any unfairness in the choosing of which youth will serve and which youth will not must be eliminated as far as it humanly possible.

This may seem to be stating the obvious. Yet the rush of differing reactions to the President's proposals, the possibility of serious disagreement between the White House and Congress on what needs doing, the political positions which some persons have already taken in advance of knowing all the facts, the present absence of any clear-cut popular judgement, all these show that a period of impartial, unheated, nonpolitical discussion is the first essential step.

This is all the truer since President Johnson's proposals leave many questions unanswered. His proposals boil down to four major steps: (1) eligible 19-year-olds be called up first; (2) they be chosen through a nationwide lottery; (3) deferments for graduate students be ended, other than for those in medicine and dentistry, and (4) deferments be ended for all fathers and those in so-called essential work.

The President's program would have many major effects. It would greatly cut back the power of local draft boards to designate who will serve. (They will apparently still retain the power of determining physical, mental and extreme hardship eligibility.) It would shut off many present loopholes through which millions of young men have been more or less protected against the likelihood of service. It would greatly increase the probability that those in the first several draft year ages would serve, proportionately lessening the likelihood of service by older men.

There are many elements of greater fairness in these proposals. If a man must serve in the armed forces, it is, in general, better for him to do this as early as possible. There is also much evidence that the national feeling is swinging against too broad deferment privileges, thus throwing the weight of service on those less educated and from poorer families.

The question of deferments is a hard one. No one denies that it has shielded some inequities. Yet it has also sped on their careers countless young men of special promise in all walks of national life and this has doubtless been of benefit to the country. Doubtless certain types of deferments should end. But the division within the President's own commission on this subject proves that greater debate both by experts and by the public as a whole is needed before a final decision.

The same is equally true of the proposal to substitute a national lottery for draft board selections. While it is true that each of the nation's 4,000-odd boards has evolved its own standards, it is also true that such boards have done their work conscientiously and are

familiar with individual cases where special care and consideration are justified. It is indicative of the explosiveness of this issue that the largest volume of first-day reaction came against the lottery proposal.

We welcome the readiness to question all aspects of the draft system. We trust that national good sense and conscience will eventually work out a system fairest to all. But this cannot be done unless time for careful thought is taken.

Christian Science Monitor

Plan considered economical

Proposed legislation now being studied by the lawmakers in Austin calling for some drastic changes in the county governmental organization is meeting with some opposition throughout the state, but apparently is being well accepted in the Panhandle.

In short, the legislation would specify that the Commissioners Court and the County Judge be the only elective offices in the county government, with all other officials, now elected, to be appointed by the commissioners court.

The plan has both merit and pitfalls. As the Brand has stated in the past, we believe that many counties the size of Deaf Smith and larger would find much merit in a "county-manager" type system, whereby the county commissioners court could hire a qualified person as county manager to direct the heavy workload both inside the courthouse and at the precinct level. Modern communication and modern transportation has made the present "road commissioner" form of government somewhat outmoded. Rural electrification and the rural telephone, plus our many fine highways and well kept lateral roads brings even the most remote areas of our county within contact in a matter of minutes, or at the most, a couple of hours by motor transportation. Modern two-way radios can also keep the county manager in constant contact with road foremen who would, we presume, still reside in the precincts for which their commissioner is responsible.

By the same token, the pooling of equipment and labor in time of emergency could be handled much more efficiently by a qualified county manager directing the entire operation.

Still on the plus side of the ledger, we feel that under the county manager system, qualified personnel could be hired to direct the many departments necessary in the operation of a county government, and could be fired just as quickly in the event they proved to be inefficient or unqualified for the job. These actions, of course, would find final approval or disapproval being the prerogative of the county commissioners court.

Under this system, we would assume that qualified and interested citizens would then be willing to serve on the county court for a token salary, probably based upon the number of times the court was called into session.

Citizens residing both in the country and within the city would still have a "sounding board" in their precinct commissioners, and although commissioners sometimes become upset when pounced upon unjustly by their constituents, this is still the best method for keeping the elected officials toeing-the-mark.

This type organization has worked well for most cities and we point to our own municipal governmental body as a good example for the effectiveness of such a system.

Certainly there are some pitfalls. No system or government is perfect, and we cannot expect it to be so. But it is wise we feel, to explore at least one of the pitfalls connected with the "appointive" system.

Of primary concern, of course, is the "political" aspect that is bound to arise somewhere down the lane. There will come a time when an ambitious commissioner will seek to fill an office with a friend to whom he owes a political favor, and it is here that most people feel that the system's weakness begins to come to the surface. This could be a problem, and it is one of deep concern to all interested citizens who want only efficient, effective county government in return for their tax dollars.

The advantages in the opinion of The Brand much outweigh the disadvantages and we feel that the outmoded governmental organization of the 24 counties in Texas would profit by the revisions.

Deaf Smith County has been fortunate down through the years in having conscientious county officials. But we find more often than not, that would-be office holders enter the race not through a genuine desire to serve, but because they have failed in every other endeavor and are now looking for a nest.

It's time we made some changes. Hereford Brand

Easy Come, Easy Go

A poll shows that 60 per cent of those interviewed thought misuse by members of Congress of funds for travel and other expenditures is "fairly common." Interest has been shown in both branches of Congress in curtailing some of the excesses members have enjoyed at the expense of the taxpayer.

Members who divert expense account checks to their own personal accounts, for example, are certainly operating on the fringes of ethical conduct, if not illegally. So are members who exhaust funds for their staff with four or five highly paid individuals, and then resort to the subterfuge of hiring additional employees by placing them on the staff of a committee on which the congressman serves.

This is a widespread practice. Payrolls of the various committees are loaded with assistants who do not work for the committee but in fact are hidden employees of one member.

Travel expenses have long caused congressional embarrassment. Reporters who periodically scan secretary of the Senate's reports, for example, are interested in the number of times Sen. Warren G. Magnuson of Washington found it necessary to go to Seattle on business for the Commerce Committee, which he leads.

Or the 1960 entry which shows the Committee on the Judiciary spent \$1,200 in travel expenses alone to send Dr. Frederick Harris, chaplain of the Senate, from Washington to Honolulu on a three-week trip. When asked to explain what business took him there, Dr. Harris replied: "Well, Hawaii had just become

Highlights and Sidelights —

Solons threshing out laws

AUSTIN, TEX. — Now that virtually all the bill-introducing has been done, Texas Legislators can get down to the business of thrashing out laws.

Under the State Constitution and the rules of each house, a four-fifths vote must be obtained for a bill to be introduced in either house after the first 60 days of the session. That deadline came at the end of last week.

As the 60-day deadline approached the House had about 1,200 bills on file. Senate had another 900 bills. In addition to these, each house has a number of resolutions to consider.

Subject matter ranges from minor local measures to proposals for sweeping overall changes in the constitution and state agencies.

The 60-day deadline is a magic number in the Senate for another reason, too. A four-fifths vote in the upper chamber is necessary in order to bring up a bill for final action before the first 60 days have elapsed.

Actually, the House is similarly restricted, but the members voted to suspend that rule early in the session.

NEW BOARD — In order to mobilize Texas' vast agricultural resources another board is proposed. It would be known as the Texas Agricultural Development Board.

Noting that Texas is falling behind in the relative growth of one of its key industries, the interim House Study Committee suggests that a 15-member board representative of all areas of the state be appointed by the Governor.

Its duties would be to inventory agricultural assets and needs, establish goals for the industry, prepare an agricultural market program, develop new ways of converting raw agricultural products into marketable items and perform other similar activities designed to boost agriculture in the state.

TAX HEARINGS — Major portions of the Governor's \$187,300,000 tax program came under heavy fire at initial House revenue and tax committee hearings. Industry spokesmen suggested a general sales tax hike as preferable.

Gas industry representatives opposed the proposal to increase the natural gas production tax from seven to eight per cent.

Breweries objected to beer being placed under the general sales tax.

Surprisingly, corporations did not speak out against the recommended increase in the corporate franchise tax rate (from \$2.25 to \$3 per \$1,000 on capital and surplus with a gradually decreasing levy on debt).

Opposition to boosting the gasoline tax from five to six cents a gallon will come at a second hearing set for March 14.

Another big date will be March 21 when the controversial liquor-by-the-drink bill comes up for tax committee review.

A tipoff to opposition strategy was given by William H. Abing-



ton of Texas Midcontinent Oil and Gas Association when he suggested the Legislature might find its revenue-raising job easier by adjusting the sales tax.

Lt. Gov. Preston Smith says he favors the sales tax approach if new money must be found. He still insists that the budget can be balanced without any new taxation.

Smith indicated that the optional one per cent city sales tax bill already passed by the House will be okayed by the Senate.

REDISTRICTING — Redistricting is going to be a bigger headache this year than in 1965. So predicts House Speaker Ben Barnes after studying legislative and congressional reapportionment problems.

Some Texas congressmen reportedly are upset. Rep. Gus Mutscher, Brenham, chairman of House district committee, Sen. J. P. Word of Meridian, his Senate counterpart, and Sen. Ralph Hall of Rockwall visited Washington over the weekend to talk with congressmen and swap ideas.

Numerous redistricting bills are in the hopper.

NEW GOVERNOR — Texas will have a "new" governor on March 28. On that date Sen. William Patman of Ganado takes his turn as acting chief executive.

Patman is president pro tempore of the Senate. Each holder of that office traditionally serves as "Governor-For-A-Day" while both the governor and lieutenant governor are out of the state.

Citizens from Patman's 14-county 18th district will be honor guests



COMPLEXITY, CHALLENGE, PROGRESS, WORK — These four words are descriptive of the 60th Session of the Texas Legislature as members undertake the sometimes insurmountable solutions to numerous and sundry problems of the State of Texas.

Issues range from such controversial measures as liquor - by - the - drink and pari - mutuel wagering to the garnishment of wages and legislative redistricting. As your State Representative in Austin, I know you are vitally concerned and affected by the many far - reaching measures which must be dealt with by your elected officials. Now that the Cochran County Legislative Community Council has been organized and oriented on some of our more complex issues, we are all more cognizant of the need for citizen participation in our state government.

The Texas Legislature is confronted with decision-making on the measure to outlaw daylight saving time in Texas. The Federal Uniform Time Act of 1966 will place Texas on daylight saving time from May until October unless the legislature acts by April 30 to exempt the State. The measure has drawn little attention until recently, but now various elements are lining up to support daylight saving time, while others are vigorously opposing the measure. Though I feel that uniformity of time throughout the Nation might be beneficial in so far as radio and television stations are concerned, it appears that our West Texas area stands to benefit more economically by our retaining the standard time under which we now operate. Your views regarding this matter are desperately needed. Thus far, I have received six letters from the district on the measure, all of which prefer to exempt Texas

from as a major problem of the State Legislature. The difficult situation came about through the recent decision of the United States Supreme Court which invalidated the legislative redistricting measure passed by the Legislature two years ago. Redistricting was forced on the State Legislature at that time as result of one-man, one-vote principle laid down by the Court. We realized that minor changes, specifically those involving elimination of the 11 flatorial districts, might be held invalid. However, as a result of the Supreme Court's recent action, a minor task has now become a major task of Texas legislators.

Proposals before the Constitutional Amendments Committee, of which I am a member include debate on such controversial issues as revision of the State Constitution, annual sessions of the legislature, repealing the section of the Constitution prohibiting the garnishment of wages in Texas, and re-establishment of the veteran's land program.

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May I encourage you to express your views to me either individually or collectively. Pertinent material on various issues may be obtained from the Chairman of the Legislative Council, Mrs. H. A. Tuck, the Secretary, Mrs. H. B. Barker, or from my office. Our decisions are more substantial, concrete, and sound when all views are expressed and analyzed. It is nice to see so many of you in Austin from time to time, and I appreciate your dropping by the office, whether on business or just a friendly chat.

Temple Daily Telegram

Garden club hears program on "roses"

The Cochran County Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. Clyde Brownlow on March 6, with Mrs. Charles Jones presiding, for a combination of two programs on "Roses."

A work-day was scheduled for Tuesday, March 14, for club members to be the spring gardening at the Morton Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. W. B. McSpadden, incoming President, appointed Mrs. Bobby Travis as chairman of the club's new civic development project — the landscape of the Strickland Park area. Mrs. Travis then appointed Mrs. Charles Jones, Mrs. Willie Taylor and Mrs. McSpadden to help on this committee in the planning stages.

Mrs. Hattie B. Spotts was in charge of the first program "To Prepare for a Rose" which was another in the club's comprehensive study on roses. Mrs. C. B. Jones gave the soil requirements for roses by saying that roses are not fussy about their soil. Any soil must be well drained as roses do not grow well in wet soil. She said that the soil should be dug to a depth of two spades and super phosphate and peat moss or dehydrated manure should be mulched into the soil to be returned to the hole after the rose is in position. She told members that roses demand some acid content in the soil.

Mrs. Elwood Harris gave information on soil preparation by saying that it is first a matter of preparing the ground properly as roses are permanent plantings and will flourish if the soil is properly prepared. She said that a plentiful supply of moisture in the subsoil is a must for roses, and that roses purchased that have bare roots should be soaked overnight in water before planting.

Mrs. Willie Taylor told the club of maintenance of soil fertility saying that roses have annual growing cycles of two periods — early spring and early autumn and that they should be fertilized only at these two periods — rather than monthly as some gardeners do. Mrs. Taylor told members that banana peelings were very high in potash and therefore very good

for roses. She said they decay quickly and that six to nine peeling could be used safely at one time by mashing them and covering them lightly with soil around each rosebush and that this could be done very month.

Mrs. H. A. Tuck was program leader for the second of the comprehensive studies on roses presented at this meeting. Her topic was "To Plant a Rose." Mrs. W. B. McSpadden presented "Stock Selection of Roses" from a book titled "Rose Growing Simplified." She said that you get what you pay for in buying roses and that a quality bush should be selected. The highest quality named by Mrs. McSpadden was the two year field grown plant and that it was preferable to purchase from the grower by mail or from the grower's own ben, and second from a reliable garden center. She said that one should be familiar with the types and kinds you would like to have. She listed several "don't" suggestions when buying roses as: don't buy if the bark is dry and crusty and don't buy if light red shoots are growing out of the package or if the package is light in weight which would mean the plant is probably dried up.

Mrs. R. L. DeBusk told members of the time to plant a rose. She said roses available in the dormant stage are best planted from mid-November through mid-February and the container grown roses (in balls or cans, etc.) can be planted anytime during the growing season. She stated that any broken roots should be cut back before planting.

Mrs. Kenneth Thompson presented the "Method of Planting." She said that the planting distances will depend upon the type of rose. Hybrid perpetuals should be planted 2 to 2½ feet apart. Hybrid Tea and Tea roses, 18 inches to 2 feet apart, except for some of the vigorous varieties. Floribundas and Grandifloras should be 18 to 36 inches apart. She said that loose soil mounded slightly in the bottom of the hole will allow the roots to be placed in a natural position extending outward and downward. The depth of planting is very important, and the plant should be watered thoroughly and the bed should not be allowed to dry out until the plants are well established, and immediately after the first watering the soil should be mounded up about the plant.

Mrs. Clyde Brownlow gave the final part on the program which was the "Landscape Effect of Roses." She said that roses should be planted in formal beds, that is a bed entirely of roses, but she went on to say that in our part of the country this is not done frequently. She said that roses give a good effect in front of a fence, gate or an arch and that floribundas are nice as borders in front of shrubs. She told members that tree roses add dimension to any landscape. She showed members pictures of roses combined with other flowers and plants. Some of these were: the Gay Princess (a 1967 rose winner) and the Bob Hope were shown with delphinium, the Valencia roses were left in their containers and placed around a terrace, the Lucky Lady was shown with sugar-daddy petunias, the Roman Holiday was shown with Snowball Geraniums, and the Seventh Heaven with potted Dainty Marietta marigolds.

Those present for this meeting were: Mesdames Charles Jones, Elwood Harris, R. L. DeBusk, Clyde Brownlow, C. B. Jones, Bobby Travis, Kenneth Thompson, Earl Brownlow, Willie Taylor, W. B. McSpadden, H. A. Tuck, Hattie B. Spotts and two new members, Mrs. George Hargrove and Mrs. Ray Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. Hume Russell went to Ruidoso, N.M., and to El Paso over the weekend.



Medalist honors . . .

ROGER THOMPSON of Olton took individual honors in Morton last weekend at the close of a 36-hole high school golf tournament. The steady Mustang swinger had a 153 total, six strokes better than Mike Broussard of Levelland. (Staff Photo)

Area Council meets with Mrs. Connie Gray

The Area Council of Federated Clubs met Monday, March 13 at 5 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Connie Gray.

Mrs. Gray, vice president, presided in the absence of Mrs. W. B. McSpadden, president.

Mrs. Ruth McGee reported on the meeting held Friday, March 10, to organize a local cancer so-

ciety. Officers elected at this meeting to head the cancer society are: president, Mrs. Ruth McGee; vice president, Mrs. Willard Henry; secretary, Mrs. Leonard Coleman; treasurer, Mrs. Jim Walker.

The Board of Trustees of the Area Council was discussed and Mrs. Gray asked that each club elect a new trustee.

Discussion of the election of the Outstanding Clubwoman was then brought up and it was decided they would wait until the June meeting to decide when she would be elected.

Mrs. Iva Williams gave each president a Headstart calendar to take back to their clubs to ask volunteers to sign up when they can work this summer during "Project Headstart."

Mrs. Willie Taylor moved that the council pay the expenses of the scrapbook for the Shell Oil Project made by Mrs. Neta Rose. The motion carried.

Mrs. Leroy Johnson reminded everyone of the District Convention to be held in Lubbock on March 27-28.

The next Area Council meeting will be June 12 in the home of Mrs. Kenneth Thompson.

Members present were: Emlea Smith Jr. Study Club, Mrs. Jim Walker, Mrs. Gary Willingham; L'Allegro Study Club, Mrs. E. O. Willingham; Elma L. Slaughter Club, Mrs. Ruth McGee, Mrs. Leonard Coleman, Mrs. Iva Williams, Mrs. Willie Taylor; Town and Country Study Club, Mrs. LeRoy Johnson, Mrs. Connie Gray, Mrs. Don Sanford; 1936 Study Club, Mrs. Glenn Thompson; Y-M Study Club, Mrs. Kenneth McMasters.

Rapeseed project test for possible new money crop

Rapeseed production was selected as the 1967 Project of the New Oilseed Development Committee of the Texas Cottonseed Crushers' Association, says M. A. (Rip) Elms, Jr., Paymaster Oil Mills, Chairman of the Committee. The selection was based on the phenomenal acceptance of the crop in Canada. Farmers in that country took to the crop like "ducks to water" and have made it their number one oilseed crop. All the mills on the Plains have pledged their support of the Committee's efforts to aid in giving rapeseed production a fair trial this year. They are prepared to provide a competitive market for rapeseed just as soon as the volume justifies.

W. L. Goble, Jr., Levelland Vegetable Oil Inc., a member of the Committee, made a study of rapeseed production, processing, and marketing in Canada this summer. He is convinced rapeseed can be produced profitably on the Plains if grown under good management. He points out that farmers who grow wheat successfully should, also, grow rapeseed profitably. He feels the crop will fit into Plains' agriculture because of its low moisture requirements.

Board Development Committee, he Board of Directors of the Association have authorized:

1. Furnish growers enough Certified Target Rapeseed — highest yielding Canadian variety with the best quality products — plant 2500 acres.

2. Agree to purchase the seed from this acreage at 4c per pound delivered to a designated oilmill, provided they are of acceptable quality.

The Committee realizes that getting rapeseed production or any other new crop off to a good start won't be easy. It will take the cooperation of farmers, research and educational leaders, news media, fertilizer and implement dealers, beekeepers, oilmills and refiners, feedlot operators, and many others. "We know we are taking a chance," says Rip Elms, "but, nothing charred; nothing gained!" Farmers with land, water, and equipment who are willing to take chance on growing rapeseed this spring should contact a representative of: Lamesa Cotton Oil Mill, Lamesa; Levelland Vegetable Oil Inc., Levelland; Lubbock Cotton Oil Co.; Paymaster Oil Mill Co., and Plains Cooperative Oil Mill, Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Miller attended the funeral services for her brother, J. W. Hanie at Stanton, Friday, March 10. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Key.

Ronald Sharber of Amarillo, nephew of the Bobby Warrons visited with them Monday. He just arrived home from Viet Nam after spending a year there.

★ Meeting

Husbands of Emlea Smith Junior Study Club members will be guests at a special meeting on Thursday, March 23. The dinner meeting will start at 7:45 p.m. in the First Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. Program will be on "Mental Refreshment Through Leisure Living."

Levelland takes local golf match

Six high school golf teams competed with the wind and each other at Morton Country Club last week. The consistent Levelland squad captured team honors with a 655 total for 36 holes.

Medalist honors went to Roger Thompson of Olton, who fired a 153 despite high winds both days.

Olton placed second in the tournament with a 660 total. Morton was third with 727. Brownfield had 735. Whiteface had 859 and Post didn't post a final total after one of its golfers withdrew.

Only ten strokes separated the top and the bottom scores for the Levelland Linksters. Mike Broussard led the way with 159. Jeff Casper had 161. Greg Renegar 166 and Ronny Shettlesworth 169.

Olton was five strokes back as Thompson got 153. Randergrass had 164, Roberts 171 and Turner 172.

John St. Clair led the Morton team with 171. Ronnie Windom had 177, Dick Vanlandingham had 178 and Todd Fields 201.

Trophies for the medalist and the first place team were donated by Windom Butane.

Former Morton resident dies

A former Morton resident, Mrs. Alice Mary Lindsey, 88, died in Heritage Manor Rest Home in Levelland last Thursday. She had lived in Levelland for six years after moving there from Morton.

Services were held Saturday at 2 p.m. in First Baptist Church with Dr. W. H. Cook, pastor, Rev. W. H. Hughes, pastor emeritus, and the Rev. Fred Thomas, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Morton, officiating. Burial was in the Morton cemetery under the direction of George C. Price Funeral Home, Levelland.

Survivors include two sons, Cecil E., Maple, and Floyd G., Las Vegas, Nev.; four daughters, Mrs. Myrtle Fry, Mrs. G. V. Humphreys, and Mrs. R. V. Vialle, all of Levelland, and Mrs. Paul Barnes, Moraga, Calif.; three sisters, Mrs. E. E. Mason, Big Spring, Mrs. H. O. Hearn, and Mrs. Pearl Martin, both of Eastland; two brothers, H. E. and A. E. White, both of Eastland; 21 grandchildren and 47 great-grandchildren.

★L'Allego

The L'Allego Study Club will meet Tuesday, March 16, at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. E. O. Willingham. A program entitled "Education: the Act of Learning," will be presented by Mrs. Buddy McGehee.



Grand champion . . .

RONNIE ALLSUP, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Allsup of Morton, poses with his Southdown lamb that took Grand Champion in the lamb

class of the Levelland Junior Livestock Show last weekend. The freshman FFA member, who was showing for just the second time, also took a third place in the lamb judging.

Morton Jaycee-Ettes had meeting, elected officers for the year

The Morton Jaycee-Ettes met Monday night, March 13, at 7:30 p.m. at the WigWam.

Officers for the coming year were elected and they are: president, Mrs. Jerrell Sharp; vice president, Mrs. Alton Lamb; secretary, Mrs. Ed Pruitt; treasurer, Mrs. Wilson Hodge; reporter, Mrs. Norman Beauchamp; historian, Mrs. Buck Tyson; parliamentarian, Mrs. Doyle Webb; and state director, Mrs. Harold Ogle.

The installation banquet will be March 17 at the WigWam at 7:30.

The outstanding Jaycee-Ette for the year was elected. She is Mrs. Harold Ogle.

Plans for a bake sale were made for Tuesday, March 21 at Truett's. It will start at 9 a.m. This is to aid the Jaycees in paying for a bus presented by them to Girlstown. Free Girlstown cushions will be presented with each purchase. The program was presented by

WMA CIRCLE MEETS

The Edna Bullard WMA circle of the First Methodist Church held its monthly meeting March 14 in the home of Mrs. Junior Linder. A devotion was given by Mrs. Kenneth Gray. Those present were Mrs. C. V. Wiggins, Mrs. B. R. Stovall, Mrs. Bill Weems, Mrs. L. L. Rouse, Mrs. W. E. Childs, Mrs. Harna Bedwell, and Mrs. Linder.

Guests were Mrs. Wayne Brackin, and Mrs. Royce Hanna.

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Receives Campfire award . . .

Mrs. M. C. LEDBETTER, center, is shown with daughters after receiving the Luther Halsey Gulick Award, the highest Campfire Award

for leaders. With Mrs. Ledbetter are Mrs. Clyde Brownlow, Margaret Ledbetter, Mrs. Loy Kern, and Zodie Ledbetter. (Staff Photo)

Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter is presented with Luther Halsey Gulick award

The Morton Campfire Association presented a special tea on March 13 at the home of Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter as a guest. The Morton Campfire Association, the Leaders Association and all the Blue Bird, White and Horizon Clubs participated in the program.

Mrs. Ledbetter was presented the Luther Halsey Gulick Award, the highest Campfire award for outstanding leadership. This is the first time it has been given in the Morton Campfire Association.

Loy (Vivian) Kern — the daughter of Mrs. Ledbetter — presented the award. Mrs. Ledbetter has been a member of the Campfire Association since 1915.

Following the presentation of the Luther Halsey Gulick Award, each Bluebird, Campfire and Horizon Club group presented Mrs. Ledbetter with a small memento to show their appreciation for the many things she has done.

In December of 1966, the Morton Campfire Association had a fly-up ceremonial. At that time, Mrs. Ledbetter was presented a fifteen year pin, which meant she had been a leader for fifteen years. In making her acknowledgement for the pin, she stated that with

such and such a time. This, of course, was the annual candy sale which is the only money making project the Campfire Girls have. Another thing Mrs. Ledbetter was commended for was handling the camp situation. The Morton Campfire Girls go to camp every other year. This takes a lot of work — find a camp, making menus, arranging for transportation and drivers, getting counselors, and many other things that go into such an endeavor. Mrs. Ledbetter always says concerning camp that she only blows the whistle, but everyone who has ever gone to Campfire Camp — girls or workers — knows that many an hour goes into the before hand planning and seeing that the schedule is carried out at the camp — such things as K.P., and who sleeps where.

1967, it would have been forty years since she began Campfire work as a Blue Bird. So, many heads began working and the council sent an application to National Headquarters for Mrs. Ledbetter to receive the Luther Halsey Gulick Award.

The following story was used to obtain this award. Mrs. Ledbetter helped to establish Campfire Girls in Morton. She has been a leader for fifteen years, having five daughters who have and are going through the ranks. Mrs. Ledbetter began work with Camp Fire Girls, Inc. at the age of ten when she became a Bluebird. Thus, with 1967, she has been in the organization for forty years with the exception of a few years when she was in college and beginning her family. Without Mrs. Ledbetter, or "Mary Lois" as we all know her, the Camp Fire organization in Morton may have fallen by the wayside. She has served on all committees and offices from time to time.

When camp time rolls around she literally runs the show. She makes menus, buys groceries, sees that each girl has a physical, obtains a bus and other vehicles, lines up counselors, and all the other things that go along with it — all this on no pay. Then when the bus rolls out, she is right along with the others who are waving from the windows. She now has three granddaughters who will, in a few years, start down the Campfire trail. These things plus many, many more are the reasons we think Mrs. Ledbetter is deserving of the Luther Halsey Gulick Award.

Campfire is a wonderful organization and a great help to the girls and leaders who participate in it. A great big "thanks" goes to Mrs. Ledbetter who has given so much of her time and effort and still is, and to the many, many other leaders who have and still do devote so much of their time to this rewarding cause.

Earl Cadenhead services Monday

Funeral services for Earl Thomas Cadenhead, 72, of 606 E. Pierce were held Monday, March 13. Mr. Cadenhead was a resident of Cochran County for 34 years. He was born in El Paso, May 10, 1894 and died March 11, 1967 in the Morton Memorial Hospital. As a resident of Cochran County he was well known as a rancher, banker and served as county auditor.

Services were at 2 p. m. in the Church of Christ with T. A. Grice and Byron Willis officiating. Burial was in the Resthaven Memorial Park in Lubbock under the direction of Singleton Funeral Home. Pallbearers were: Joe Seagler, M. C. Ledbetter, Joe Nicewarner, E. L. Polvado, Jug Hill and Homer Thompson. Survivors include: his wife, Lorena of the home; his mother, Mrs. Josephine Cadenhead, Lubbock; one sister, Mrs. C. C. Christian, Lubbock; one son, Herbert, of Morton; and four grandchildren, Sherry, Mary, Susan and William Herbert, all of Morton.

Look Who's New!

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mayon are the parents of a daughter born March 13, at 11:20 p. m. at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. She weighed in at 8 pounds. Her name is Teresa Anne. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wood of Lubbock and the paternal grandparent is Mrs. Grace Hooley of Earth.

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Meeting is held for reorganization of American Cancer Society

The Cochran County Unit of the American Cancer Society was reorganized on March 10, 1967, with a meeting held in the home of Mrs. W. B. McSpadden. The following officers were elected: Mrs. John L. McGee - President, Mrs. Willard Henry - Vice President, Mrs. Leonard Coleman - Secretary, Mrs. James Walker - Treasurer.

Committee Chairmen named were: Mrs. Jack Russell - Chairman of the Medical Committee,

Dr. W. B. McSpadden - Sub-chairman for Medical Guidance of Total Program and Physician, Mrs. Daryl Bennett and Mrs. Lovell Jackson - Sub-chairmen for nurses, Mrs. Willard Henry - Public Education Committee Chairman, Mr. Neal Rose - Sub-chairman for Education, Mrs. Bobby Travis - Sub-chairman for Schools and Colleges, Mr. Leon Kessler - Sub-chairman for Clubs and Organizations, Mrs. Lula Blanford - Sub-chairman for Mass Media, Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter - Service Committee Chairman, Mrs. Dexter Nebhut and Mr. Dean Weatherly - Publicity Chairmen, Mrs. H. B. Barker - Campaign Committee, Mrs. Elwood Harris - Sub-chairman for memorials and legacies, Mrs. Gary Willingham - Sub-chairman for annual course.

Eight area clubs enter Shell Oil's education program

Texas Federation of Women's Clubs submitted more entries — 107 — than any other state in the United States in the 1967 General Federation of Women's Clubs — Shell Oil Company Education Program. This is also the largest number of entries ever submitted by the Texas group, according to Mrs. Howard Wear, of Fallurrias, State Chairman of the TFW Education Department.

Among the entries are eight clubs from the Morton Area. Included are the Area Council of Women's Clubs, 1936 Study Club, Elma L. Slaughter Study Club, Emlea Smith Jr. Study Club, Y-M Study Club, L'Allegro Study Club, all of Morton, and the Whiteface Study Club, Whiteface, and the De Algodon Study Club, Three Way.

Now in its fifth year, the GFWC-Shell program rewards local clubs for outstanding work in assisting young people from their community in furthering their education. Three state awards totaling \$1,000 will be given to the Texas winners. The first-place prize is \$500, second-\$300, and third-\$200. In addition to the state awards, three national awards will be given this year: \$2,300, \$1,500, and \$1,000.

Judging the Texas entries were Morris S. Strong of Fallurrias, Superintendent of Schools, Brooks County; Col. (Ret.) Gaillard Peck, USAF, now Vice President of the Laredo Chamber of Commerce; and Donald E. Hood of Austin, Southwestern Regional Representative for the Educational Testing Service.

In evaluating the entries, the judges must consider such things as the need for the educational assistance; a well organized, effective and imaginative program; community reaction and involvement in the club program; participation by club members, and the effect of the club's assistance on young people.

Top winner in Texas in 1966 competition was the History Club of Fairfield. Second-place went to the Junior Woman's Club of El Paso, while the Moran Amity Club of Moran was judged third place. Clubs winning awards this year will be honored and presented checks at a dinner to be held during the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs annual convention May 2-4 in Dallas.

News items from Bledsoe

By LYNDA THOMS

Most of the BHS students have been very busy preparing and practicing for some interscholastic events that will take place this month or next.

The students in the One-Act Play have had play practice every day this week. The students involved in this particular event are Margie Griffiths, Sandi Hale, Linda Brown, Paul Row, Niva Gilliam, Brenda Hall, Karen King, and Steven Dunn; Sponsor, Mrs. Charles King. The play will be held in competition Friday, March 17, at Cooper, Texas.

Other activities are volleyball, which will be held on April 4, Tuesday, at Bledsoe. The boys have not, as yet, chosen their team, but the High School Girls have: Linda Brown, Lynda Thoms, Brenda Hall, Sandi Hale, Margie Griffiths, Barbie Bowley, Janis Buchanan, and Linda Burns.

Wednesday, April 5, and Thursday, April 6, Track and Field and Tennis will be held. Most of the High School boys are going out for track, but are undecided about a tennis team. The girls' team has six: Seniors, Brenda Hall and Lynda Thoms; Juniors, Linda Brown and Karen King; Sophomore, Sandi Hale; Freshman, Barbie Bowley. The girls had some play-off matches Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Barbie Bowley beat Sandi Hale, Lynda Thoms beat Linda Brown, and Karen King beat Brenda Hall.

★ Bake Sale

The Jaycee-Ettes are having a bake sale, at Truett's Tuesday, March 21, starting at 9 a.m. This is to aid the Jaycees in paying for the bus presented to Girlstown, U.S.A. Free Girlstown cushions will be given with each purchase.

Friday, April 7, Interscholastic Debate will be held. So far, as yet, the BHS students have no one to represent them in this.

Saturday, April 8, the High School Literary Meet will be held. This includes: Persuasive Speaking, Extemporaneous Speaking, Poetry Interpretation, and Prose Reading. Lynda Thoms and Steven Dura are going in persuasive speaking, Brenda Hall and Derrell Hale in extemporaneous, Karen King in Prose Reading, and Benny Rawls in poetry interpretation.

The Seniors have been deciding which colleges or otherwise they plan to attend after their graduate. Derrell Hale, Valedictorian, is planning to attend Wayland Baptist College, and likewise Crist Bowley, Lynda Thoms, who is Salutatorian, is going to Texas Tech. Brenda Hall plans to go to Commercial College in Lubbock.

Last Tuesday, the Juniors had one Senior took the National Merit Test, directed by the principal, Mr. A. A. Chandler. This test may enable one or more of the students to get a college scholarship.

Dr. D. T. Jordan had surgery Feb. 10 in University Hospital in Lubbock. He had a complication pneumonia, which kept him over there for 30 days. However he came home this weekend and is recuperating.

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TWO MEMBERS OF THE COCHRAN County 4-H Saddle Club, Jimmy Jones and Emlea Smith, make their sales pitch for Olin Safety Flares to Cochran County Sheriff Hazel Hancock. The flares sell for \$1.25 for a box of three. Each flare will burn for 15 minutes and may be

seen great distances under all kinds of weather. The sheriff, who bought a box, said that all motorists need to carry a set with them especially for emergencies. The flares may be bought from Baker Feed and Seed, Piggy Wiggly, and the Farm Bureau as well as from any member of the 4-H Saddle Club. (Staff Photo)



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Campfire council has election of officers

The Morton Campfire Council and the Leaders Association held a joint meeting on March 13 in the School Cafeteria.

Mrs. Iva Williams, Council president, presided over the meeting. She announced that Sunday, March 19, was Campfire Sunday and urged that each girl attend the church

of her choice.

Council officers for the coming year were elected. They were: Mrs. Iva Williams, president; Mrs. C. E. Dolie, vice president; Mrs. Dexter Nebhut, secretary; Mrs. James Desbire, treasurer; Mrs. Jessie Clayton, training; Mrs. M. L. Fred, registration; Mrs. Don Hoffman, program chairman; Mrs. Connie Gray, adult member; Mr. Keith Kennedy, camp chairman; Mrs. Neal Rose, organization; Mr. Dexter Nebhut, finance chairman; Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter, regional director; Mrs. L. J. Wallace, publicity chairman.

Helping Hands has meeting

The Helping Hands of Roberts Memorial Nursing Home held their monthly meeting Monday, March 6, at 2:30 p.m. in the dining room of the home.

Mrs. Pearl Kobs, manager, gave tips on grooming to the group and emphasized what good grooming habits can do to an individual and to those around him.

The next meeting will be April 3. Members present at the meeting were: vice president, LVN Johnnie Moore; sec. LVN Jane Vinson; reporter, Della Gonzalez; manager, Mrs. Pearl Kobs; Mrs. Francis Reyes, Mrs. Novis Lebow, Mrs. Modesta Garza, Mrs. Aracelia Gonzalez, Mrs. Mary Salas, Mrs. Kathryn Joiner, and Mrs. Lavon Sullivan.

Weekend guests in the home of the Detn Weatherlys were Mrs. Weatherly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cawthon of Amarillo.

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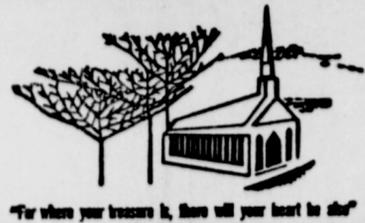
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Top golf team . . .

LEVELLAND HIGH carried off top honors in an invitational golf tournament at Morton Country Club last weekend. The Lobo linksters

had a team total of 655 to earn the trophy. From the left are Greg Renegar, Mike Broussard and Jeff Casper. Not shown is Ronny Shettlesworth. (Staff Photo)

Emlea Smith Junior Study Club has meeting and announces tea

The Emlea Smith Junior Study Club met Thursday, March 9, in the home of Mrs. Courtney Sanders and Mesdames Don Lynskey and Mesdames Dewbre serving as hostesses.

on the plans of the social committee. She asked for volunteers to bake cookies for the Tea honoring their sponsoring clubs. She announced the Tea to be from 2:30 until 4:00 Saturday, March 11. Plans were also announced for Men's Night. It will be held in the social room of the Methodist Church on March 21 beginning at 7:45 p.m. and club members were asked to sign up for one dish to be brought that night. The dress to be casual — sports clothes and pants.

Also during the business session, Mrs. Eddie Milligan was elected into membership. The president, Mrs. James Walk-

er reported on the State Convention to be held March 27 and 28. Club members were encouraged to attend and were advised that pre-registration should be completed by March 23. It was announced that at the banquet, which is to be semi-formal, the club members could bring their husbands as guests.

Mrs. J. W. Tyson reported on the amount of money collected for the Heart Fund. It was suggested that they contribute \$3.00 as a club to be added to this amount, which they did.

The bank to be judged at the State Convention was presented for club members to see before being carried to the convention. It was circulated and each member contributed her "penny per member per meeting."

It was suggested that the Horizon Club girls would all meet at the president's home before the April 13 meeting and the girls and club members would go from there to the assigned meeting place — the home of Mrs. Alton Ainsworth. Club members were reminded of the Tea sponsored by the Horizon Club girls to be held Sunday, March 12 at 3 p.m. They were advised that it would be a seated tea with a surprise awarded to be presented to Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter.

The program for the evening was presented by Mrs. Dwight Goph. Her program, entitled "The Great Roundup" was taken from the book by the same name. She told of the many problems facing the first ranchers of Texas, their dangerous and sometimes humorous formation to these problems, and their formation of an association through which to deal with these problems. The present day Texas and Southwestern Cattle-men's Association. The club members gained much knowledge of Texas history in general and of the history of their own area in particular.

The next regular meeting will take the form of a social for club members and their husbands. It will be held in the Methodist Church social room on Tuesday, March 21, at 7:45 p.m.



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Through the telescope by truck

Red faces and laughter were plentiful at one point during the annual Morton Athletic Banquet on Friday night. Head football coach Fred Weaver introduced all the coaches' wives, the cheerleaders and the 1966 football players. Then he turned the microphone over to Ted Whilleck, head basketball coach. "Fred's not so smart," Whilleck commented. "He forgot to introduce his own wife!" Whilleck introduced her, then named his 1965-67 basketball squad and sat down . . . quite pleased with himself. But Whilleck had made one omission. He forgot to introduce sophomore Byron Willis, a starter for two years, the team's leading scorer and rebounder, during the past season. Ted apologized, saying, "I don't think I would overlook Byron when I began making out a list of starters for a game."

We are looking forward to the Junior Class play, "The Nervous Wreck". It will be presented Friday, March 17, at 8 p.m. in the county auditorium. The time has been moved back a half hour from the original curtain time.

Another event that should be most interesting is the Morton Lions vs Whiteface Lions basketball game that will get underway at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 16. The game will be in the Morton High gym with proceeds going to renovate the Morton Scout Hut. I just wonder how many hot-shot basketball players these two clubs have recruited this week?

One former Morton cage star closed out his junior college career on a high note last weekend. Ernie Chessin, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Chessin, led the Lubbock Christian College team to the championship in the Harding College Invitational Tournament at Searcy, Ark. LCC defeated Ohio Valley Junior College, 95-92, then dropped Fort Worth Christian, 110-94, in a high-scoring finale. Ernie made 15 points in one game and 12 in another. He was named to the All-Tournament team, along with teammates James Meeks and Marvin Levels.

Entries still are being sought for the arts and crafts show that will be held in Morton on Saturday, April 8. There will be no charge either for entrants or visitors. The show is sponsored by the Town and Country Study Club and will be held from 10:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. Anyone wanting to enter may contact Mrs. LeRoy Johnson, Mrs. Joe Sengler, Mrs. J. L. Cox or any member of the club. One unique feature of the show will be the artists working during the show itself.

We know now that Spring isn't far away. We got word this week that Amarillo Dragway will begin its season on Sunday, March 19. And that strip will begin at the top as Connie Kalitta, National Champion, will run in open competition against at least 15 AA fuel dragsters. Also on hand for the opener will be Gene Snow vs Tom Strum of California and Mike Burkhardt of Dallas trying Fenner Tubbs of Lubbock. Other races dates in Amarillo are April 23, May 21, July 16, Aug. 20 and Sept. 17.

Morton High School athletes and scholars are preparing for the spring events in District 4-AA. The tennis tournament will begin at 10 a.m. Thursday, April 6, at Denver City. The girls' volleyball tournament will start in D.C. at 10 a.m. Friday, April 7, followed at 1:30 p.m. with the track and field meet. The junior high track and field meet gets underway at 10 a.m. Saturday, in D.C. The literary events will be held at Post beginning at 10 a.m. on Saturday, April 8.

Morton's track team will travel to Hale Center Saturday for another invitational meet. The Indians were able to garner only 10½ points last week at Abernathy.

We had another go-around with our infamous second tv antenna Tuesday afternoon. The last high winds knocked off some fingers, so we purchased a jumper clamp. It's a two-piece metal and plastic gadget that clamps over a lead-in wire without puncturing or cutting the cable. You then hook another leading wire to the clamp and the second tv set. Fine, sounds easy enough. I climbed up on the house, disconnected the second antenna and walked across the roof to the other antenna. The clamp wouldn't fit! The antenna cable coming down the pole was round. No amount of squeezing nor shaving with a knife would make the

★ Car tags

About two weeks is all that remains for getting your 1967 vehicle tags. Tax assessor-collector Leonard Groves urged all those who have not bought their tags to do so before the March 31 deadline. All vehicle owners were reminded of the April 15 deadline for car inspections. There will be no extension of these deadlines.

Cotton varieties talk set March 21

Dr. Levon Ray, Research Agronomist of the South Plains Research and Extension Center, Lubbock, will be the principal speaker on cotton varieties and their production in this area, specifically Cochran County.

Dr. Ray as a cotton breeder for the station and has been working on cotton varietal improvement for many years. Dr. Ray will meet with the farmers and businessmen of this area Tuesday evening, March 21 at 7:45 p.m. in the County Auditorium of the Agricultural Building, Morton.

This is an open meeting for men and women or anyone who is interested in improving their cotton production and quality. Dr. Ray has agreed to be more specific and talk about individual varieties that are more suitable for this country.

Selection of cotton seed for purity and germination is of vital importance for cotton quality production.

If time permits, J. W. McDermott or Roy Hickman will give us a bird's eye view of their recent trip to Washington, D.C., when they met with the Secretary of Agriculture and others and discussed the national cotton program.

Girls Auxiliary has meeting

The Janette Doyle Girls Auxiliary had a meeting which was called to order. Following a song, the prayer calendar was read by Chrysi Cade, the program presented was "All Must Tell".

Members present were: Becky Jerder, Landra Coker, Jeanita Thomas, Peggy Steed, Ann Winder, Chrysi Cade, Becky Goodman, Denise Aldridge, Vickie Shiffert, and their leader Miss Jean Cade.

Friday, March 10, Mrs. Bob Carter of Lubbock came and brought a friend. They spent the day with Mrs. Carter's mother, Mrs. Tone Young. Another daughter of Mrs. Young's, Rev. and Mrs. Odell Henderson of Sprinklake spent Thursday with her.

cable small enough. Through our tears, we saw that this cable had been spliced. Sure, enough, the other cable was a flat one . . . but also was too large to fit inside the clamp. We finally descended, and brought the lead-in cable inside, fitted the clamp to the antenna wire in the living room and then strung cable through the hall and into a bedroom to the second set. It worked. Our wife is out of town, but somehow we feel that the wire snaking through the house isn't going to be accepted with great joy and appreciation when she returns. However, we now have both sets working and hate to tear up our hard work. So we'll leave it for a couple of days and then try once more.

Oh yes, to complete our feeling of mechanical ineptitude: We helped younger son put up a basketball goal Sunday afternoon. Monday afternoon it fell off the house.

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Presentation of layettes . . .

MRS. JAMES K. WALKER, left, and Mrs. Clyde Brownlow present sterilized baby layettes to Rev. Kenneth Wyatt, president of the Morton Ministerial Alliance. Mrs. Walker is president of the Emlea Smith Junior Study Club and Mrs. Brownlow is Junior Director of the Caprock Dis-

trict, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, and district chairman of the Well Baby Project. The layettes were assembled and packaged here as Morton's participation in the project. They will be distributed by the Ministerial Alliance as needed. (Staff Photo)

News from Three-way

By MRS. H. W. GARVIN

Wayne Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Harris spent the week-end visiting his parents. Wayne is in the Air Force and stationed at Abilene.

Mrs. Kenneth Fox and children are spending this week with the A. G. Fox family in McAdoo.

B. T. Battist underwent surgery in Green Memorial Hospital in Muleshoe Monday and is doing very well.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gaddy celebrated their 68th wedding anniversary Friday in the home of their daughter and family the Cass Stegalls. They had a quiet dinner with their children.

Mrs. Elmer attended the funeral of an aunt in Amherst Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ira Temple of Paris is seriously ill. Mrs. Temple is the grandmother of Mrs. Frank Stegall, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stegall are at her home in Paris.

Joe Wheeler from Paris visited his parents this weekend, the Johnnie Wheelers. Also visiting Saturday night in the Wheeler home was the Jimmy Wheeler family from Lovington, N.M., and George Wheeler and two boys from West Camp.

We wish to express our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lindsey on the passing of Mrs. Lindsey's mother, Mrs. Alice Mary Lindsey, who was buried Saturday.

Mrs. W. N. Oxford from Martens, Calif., and Mrs. Bernice Littlefield from Lubbock spent Sunday with the Roy Oxfords. Mrs. Oxford will spend a few days with her son and wife.

Mrs. Roy Oxford suffered a severed artery in her hand Sunday while washing dishes.

Mrs. Paul Powell was host to a cosmetics demonstration Tuesday. Mrs. Earl Bowers is the dis-

tributor for that line of cosmetics.

Mr. and Mrs. McNeily from Lubbock visited in the Rayford Masten home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Powell ate lunch in Morton then visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman at Whiteface Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Minnie Dupler spent Sunday in the home of her son and family the Bill Duplers.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson was dinner guests in the home of

their son Buck Tyson of Morton, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gib Dupler and family spent Sunday visiting in the home of her sister and family the Luther Edwards and family of Sundown.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Powell and girls visited Littlefield and Lubbock airports Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Garvin were in Clovis visiting Saturday afternoon.

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Improving cotton was subject of Lubbock meeting

Principles for Improving Cotton Quality was the theme of a special meeting held by the Extension Service Feb. 22 in Lubbock.

Keynote speaker at the session was Dr. M. K. Horne, Jr., chief economist of the National Cotton Council, Memphis.

Dr. Horne was the first speaker when the public meeting got underway at 9:30 a.m. at the Koko Palace, Ave. Q at 50th.

SIX OTHERS TO SPEAK

Six other speakers discussed various segments of producing and marketing quality cotton before the meeting adjourned at 2:30 p.m.

Extension Service District Agent Billy C. Gunter, who planned the cotton quality meeting with county agents and members of their County Program Building Committee, said they feel particularly fortunate in getting Dr. Horne to appear at the meeting.

Horne is recognized as one of the leading cotton economists in the nation, Gunter said.

He spoke on the world cotton situation and the demand for quality cotton.

Horne has been an economist with the Cotton Council since 1950. He has served on the Economic Research Advisory Committee to the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Other speakers at the meeting were also highly regarded in cotton circles, Gunter said.

BLOCK GINNING EXPLAINED

Dr. Harold Loden, general manager for Paymaster Seeds, Abilene, gave the closing address on the one variety-block ginning concept.

He discussed how this production and handling system can improve cotton quality.

Loden has been a member of the Joint USDA-Industry Cotton Breeding Policy Committee since it was formed in 1954.

He was appointed by the Secretary of Agriculture in 1965 as a member of the USDA's Cotton

RESEARCHES DISCUSSES GINNING

Ginning for fiber quality preser-



SPRING SHOPPING was never better. Mrs. Richard Houston finds many new styles and colors from St. Clairs.

vation was the topic discussed by Victor L. Stedronsky, of Mesilla Park, N.M.

Stedronsky has been a cotton ginning researcher for more than 30 years and currently heads the USDA's Southwestern Cotton Ginning Laboratory at Mesilla Park.

FOUR LUBBOCK MEN INCLUDED

Four Lubbock men made presentations during the Extension Service meeting.

Lubbock men speaking during the morning session were Dan Davis, general manager of the Plains Cotton Cooperative Association, and Lee McElroy, Lubbock County agricultural agent.

Davis discussed how quality control can help to improve High Plains cotton.

McElroy's speech was titled "Cultural Practices for Producing Quality Cotton."

PCG PROMOTES QUALITY
In the afternoon session, Donald A. Johnson, executive vice-president of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., discussed the role of the producer organization in improving High Plains cotton.

Following Johnson was Dr. Levin Ray, an associate professor of agronomy with Texas A&M at the South Plains Research and Extension Center.

Dr. Ray titled his speech "The Cotton Variety - Fiber Quality Picture on the South Plains."

Lynn County Agent Bill Griffin was morning chairman and E. M. Trew, Plainview farmer and chairman of the Hale County Program Building Committee, was the afternoon chairman of the meeting.

Sponsors of the events were area county agents and members of their County Program Building Committees.

List Bookmobile tours for week

The Bookmobile will be in the following areas this week:

Thursday, March 16: Amherst No. 1, 9:15-9:45; Amherst No. 2, 9:45-10:15; Springlake No. 1, 11:00-11:45; Springlake No. 2, 12:00-1:00; Earth, 1:15-3:45.

Friday, March 17: Pleasant Valley, 10:00-11:00; Sudan No. 1, 12:00-1:00; Sudan No. 2, 1:00-4:00.

Saturday, March 18: Morton, 9:30-12:00.

Harrell Holder, Superintendent of Three Way Schools, lists honors

Harrell L. Holder, Superintendent of Schools at Three Way has announced the following students as achieving honor marks for the fourth six-weeks period:

High Honors

First Grade: Ronnie Altman, Janna Bailey, Bill Hodnett, Sandra Gilliam, Patti Bowers, Susan Corkery, Prycess Parkman, and Bernardo Amparan.

Second Grade: Evelia Lopez, Etta Warren, Cindy Hutcheson, Bobby Holder, Sheryl Lynskey, Gloria Simpson.

Third grade: Leann Abbe, Karen Corkery, Randy Locke, Ronnie Richardson, Shannon Sowder.

Fourth Grade: Yvonna Vanstony, Robby Sowder, Kent Hicks, Debra Burkett, Debbie Furgeson, Steall Cantux, Pam Partlow, Patti Heard.

Fifth Grade: Lynn Carpenter.

Mark Corkery, Ronnie Richardson, Danette Lane, Johnny Boyce.

Sixth Grade: Cheryl Abbe, Terry Pollard.

Seventh Grade: Saundra Simpson and Mary Mercado.

Eighth Grade: Geneo Abbe.

Tenth Grade: Chester Huff.

Eleventh Grade: Joy Eubanks.

Twelfth Grade: Julia Burkett.

Honors

First Grade: Mark Lowe, Jeffery Carpenter, and Carman Ortega.

Second Grade: Craig Kirby, Alfonso Amparan, Tressie Gilliam, Jose Virdales, and Andrea Kelley.

Third Grade: James Cornish, Andrea Herrera, Donnie Nichols, and Lea Anna Wylie.

Fourth Grade: David Rodriguez, Rickie Meyers, Ricky Lee, Debra Gilliam, Chuck Dupler, and Dan

Simpson.

Fifth Grade: Alice Hanna.

Sixth Grade: Rena Neutzler, Kandy Sowder, Ann Warren, Ellis Grimes, Joey Kindle, Tony Neraz, Lorenzo Morin, and Patty Carpenter.

Seventh Grade: Larry Neutzler.

Eighth Grade: Johnny Furgeson and Mike Sowder.

Ninth Grade: Kathy Hicks, Mike Lynskey.

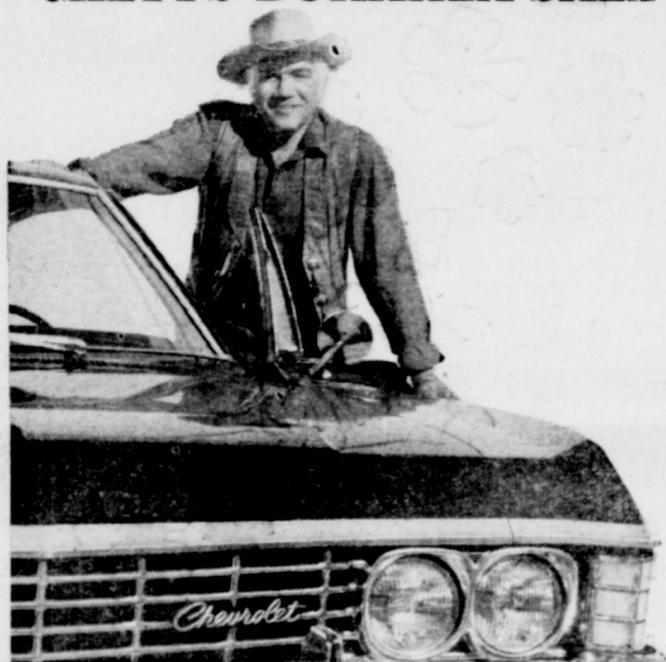
Eleventh Grade: Perry Lynskey.

Twelfth Grade: Sharron Locke.

Mr. and Mrs. Connie Gray and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Polvado are visiting in Benjamin with retired Judge L. A. Parker, who suffered a heart attack. Judge Parker is the father of Mrs. Gray and grandfather of Mrs. Earl Polvado.

Mrs. Jerry Iley left here Friday, March 3, for Gorman to take Mr. Iley's parents home. They had been out here for a visit. From there she went on to DeLeon to visit her parents. She arrived back home Tuesday, March 7.

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MISS SANDY KELLY, at left, is ready for Easter with a three-piece dress by Jerrie Lurie. The Paisley design is 100% Rayon. The long coat has a light beige background to highlight the predominant olive colors with shades of hot pink and orange. Her natural straw bag, with long chain handle, is by Dena of Dallas and the natural straw hat is by Peggy.



MISS PATSY COLLINS, above, likes this all-cotton, wide-wale pant suit. The pale shades are just right for spring. Bobbie Brooks designed this suit with straight, long-legged pants and a double-breasted coat. Bobbie Brooks designed the shell sweater of ribbed, 100% cotton knit.

HANNA'S DEPARTMENT STORE

WELCOME SPRING, thinks Janette Cooper. She's dreaming of warm summer breezes and an Allsup-Perry Chevrolet.



Dean's Honor List for SPC released

Betsy Crowder of Morton is one of 18 students at South Plains College to make a perfect grade point average of 4.00 to earn a top place on the Dean's Honor List for the fall semester, said Academic Dean Nathan Tubb.

Others named to the Dean's Honor List are Jane Albus, Pep; Larry W. Buchanan, Morton; Mary Burt, Pep; Charles Campbell, Pep; Sharon Dickson, Morton; Jerry Lynn Elliott, Morton; William C. Gray, Morton; Margaret Hansen, Morton; Charles Ledbetter, Morton; Donna Parker, Morton; Kay Peterson, Morton; Ellen K. Price, Whiteface; Melba Ray, Morton; Pat Risinger, Buha;

Jeannett Rowden, Morton; Wanda J. Sanders, Whiteface; James Sheek, Pettit; Glenda Smith, Morton; Willard Ware, Morton; and Carolyn Jeanne Waters, Morton.

Rose on honor roll

Marlin D. Rose of Morton has been named to the Pharmacy dean's honor list at University of Texas Pharmacy School, Dr. C. C. Albers, acting dean reported. Rose was named to the "with honors" list for the fall semester. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Seagler.

JUNIOR PETITE styles are cuter, more colorful than ever this year. Helen Lynch liked this versatile dress from Minnie's.



Hustlingest Indians . . .

MORTON TRIBUNE'S annual award went to John St. Clair, left, for basketball and to Randall Tanner for football. Not present at the MHS Athletic Banquet was the 1966 recipient

for track, Jimmy Joyce, who is attending Lubbock Christian College on a track scholarship. The players were chosen by their teammates for the honor. (Staff Photo)



Top basketballers . . .

CAGE HONORS were given to Byron Willis, left, and Freddy Thomas during the annual Morton High School athletic banquet Friday night. Willis was honored as the top rebounder.

The sophomore gathered in 208. Senior Thomas was recognized for his 82% shooting at the free-throw line and also was named the outstanding basketball player of the 1966-67 season. (Staff Photo)

PFC Miller with Army in Germany

Recently joining Delta Battery, 4th Battalion 41st Artillery, Stuttgart, Germany, was PFC Douglas Eugene Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester T. Miller, 706 W. Hayes, Morton. Private Miller will work as a

Supply Specialist within Battery D. The 1965 Morton High School graduate took basic training at Ft. Bragg, N.C., and took training at Quartermaster School, Ft. Lee, Va., prior to his arrival overseas.

He worked as a clerk for the FBI, Washington, D.C. before entering the Armed Forces. Back Country "Boondocks", slang for the back country, derives from the Philippine word bundok, a remote area of Luzon.

Notes from County Agent

By HOMER E. THOMPSON Supplemental feeding

With the moisture shortage this fall and winter, supplemental feeding will be mighty important during the next few months.

According to the county agricultural agent, cattlemen may be able to save some time and money by feeding protein supplement twice a week rather than daily feeding.

In a Texas A&M University test, cattle fed protein supplement twice a week performed just as well as those fed daily. The result from twice weekly feeding was about a 60 percent saving of labor and travel as compared to daily feeding.

Feeding twice a week doesn't necessarily mean feeding less supplement, just feeding larger amounts less frequently.

Also, during cold winter weather, cattle need plenty of forage to produce body heat. A low quality roughage that is high in fiber is a good feed during a storm, because of the high body heat production resulting from digesting the fiber in the roughage.

A well-fed cow can stand extremely low temperatures. Researchers say the critical temperature is just above the temperature at which cattle begin to shiver. A cow on a fasting diet, or without any feed, reaches a critical temperature at about 55 degrees F. A maintenance ration lowers the critical temperature to about 25 degrees F. With an increase in feed consumption, the critical temperature will drop to well below zero.

Wet hair coats and an increase in wind velocity raise the critical temperature and at the same time increase feed requirements necessary for body heat production.

It'll pay good dividends to keep cattle well-fed during the winter stress months.



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Antiquing furniture hints heard by club

The Whiteface Study Club held its regular meeting in the Elementary Auditorium, March 2, at 7:30 p.m. The roll call was a remodeling tip.

In a short business meeting a letter was read announcing that the Caprock Convention would be held March 27 and 28. Chairman of the nominating committee, Mrs. James Cunningham, announced that the committee would meet next Wednesday at 1:00 p.m. at her home. It was decided also that the study club would contribute an act to the Junior Talent Show.

Three representatives from the Glidden Drive-In Paint Center in Lubbock, Mr. Carroll Stevens, Mr. Randy Lick, and Miss Donna Neal brought a program about antiquing furniture. Mr. Stevens said that there were three methods of preparing furniture for antiquing:

1. Paint and Varnish Remover

Girls basketball tryouts at WBC

The second tryout for high school senior girls for the Wayland College basketball team is scheduled April 8 at 2 p.m. in the Plainview High School gymnasium.

The first tryout was March 11 and was arranged by Harley Redin, coach of the Wayland College Flying Queens who a few years ago set one of the most fabulous records in amateur sports with 131 consecutive victories under the hoops.

Redin said that if a player is going to enroll in Wayland anyway, there is no need to participate in a tryout, as scholarships are not awarded on basis of tryouts.

"We had much rather have the girls attend Wayland and then come out for the team," Redin commented.

During a year on the freshman team, they will have a fair chance to demonstrate basketball ability and if they can play for us, and maintain a good academic record, they will be eligible for scholarships in their sophomore year. Or, if a scholarship is awarded in the freshman year, it will be renewable on basis of scholastic standing and achievements of the basketball court," Redin said.

Those attending the tryouts may stay in women's dorms on the campus and eat in the dining hall as guests of Wayland. The visitors are to bring their linens.

for surfaces which are in poor condition; 2. Sandpaper; 3. Surfacecane (Liquid sandpaper) for surfaces which are in good condition. Some other tips that he gave were: experiment on an old board first and think what you are going to do first.

Two guests enjoying the program were: Mesdames Johnny McClure, and Truman Swinney. The members present were: Mesdames James Cunningham, Max Dickerson, Dale Read, Marvin Kuhler, Billy Wall, Glen Lucas, Marvin Lassater, Dewayne Smith, Ed Jennings, Carl Ward, Darwood Marshall, S. J. Bills and Fred Moseley.



SWINGING STYLES, decided Patsy Collins, after she tried on a new pants suit from Hanna's.



EASTER SPECIALS

It's only two weeks until Easter, so visit Minnie's Shop soon for a complete selection of dresses, suits, hats and accessories that will make your spring and Easter the prettiest ever.

At left, Helen Lynch models a Junior Petite of Juttah fabric, an authentic Tussah weave inspired by the hand-woven silks of the Orient. She chose this number in peach.

At right, Mrs. Budd Fountain wears a two-piece dress made of 100% Dacron knit. It is perfect for West Texas—no wrinkles and no ironing needs. Tangerine ice, modeled by Mrs. Fountain, is just one of the many new colors available.



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Easter Parade of Gifts



Spring is here ... and Easter's near!

What a delightful outfit this is for Spring! Mrs. Dale DeBord models a Butessa knit dress with long overblouse that swings into spring, stays cool and fashionable all through summer. The outfit is dacron and machine-washable for easy care. She chose black patent shoes by Connie, along with black patent bag and black gloves. The natural straw bag provides the finishing touch. St. Clair's is bulging with new spring and Easter fashions.

From any angle, this ensemble is just right for Easter. Mrs. Richard Houston will be well-dressed and eye-catching in this Butte Knit suit of machine-washable Dacron. And the banana color is just one of many new spring shades you'll find at St. Clair's. The suit is complemented by the beige accessories: Jacqueline shoes, bag and leather gloves.

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