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Local politics getting three contested races

Local politics are beginning to get interesting with the close of filing for office drawing near. Cochran County Democratic Chairman Carl Ray said the filing deadline for all Democratic posts is midnight Monday, February 5.

Ray said that while most offices have all the candidates they are going to draw, he expects that one or two more candidates might yet appear.

So far only three county offices are contested. These include both County Commissioner races and the Sheriff's contest.

Incumbent County Commissioner Leonard Coleman, Precinct 1, has drawn four opponents for his position. They include H. L. Coon, Weldon Newsom, Calvia "Buddy" Franks and L. T. "Short" Lemons.

Harral Rawls, incumbent commissioner from Precinct 3, has drawn two opponents for his post. They include M. C. "Lefty" Hall and Benton C. Davis.

Leonard Groves, Tax Assessor-Collector is unopposed as is James K. Walker, County Attorney.

Three people are entered in the Sheriff's contest, headed by incumbent Hazel Hancock. Others are Don Lamar and Frank Davidson.

On the district level, two offices are unopposed. These include District Attorney, E. W. Bodecker, and District Judge, M. C. Ledbetter. Both are incumbents.

Running unopposed on the state level is Bill Clayton, incumbent State Representative, and William H. Evans, State Board of Education.

Unopposed also is George Mahon, veteran U. S. Representative for the 19th Congressional District.

Ray said that in the event a run-off is necessary in any of the contests, the second primary or run-off would be held June 1.

County Tax Assessor-Collector Leonard Groves said nearly 2,000 people have secured voter registration certificates Wednesday morning. These included 1,810 in Morton and 170 in Whiteface.

Registration Certificates will be required before people will be allowed to vote. This also includes people over 60. See LOCAL POLITICS, Page 2

One shooting and two wrecks are investigated in county

State, county and local law enforcement officers have had two wrecks and a shooting to investigate the first two days of this week.

The trouble started at 1:05 a.m. Sunday when an argument between two Latin Americans resulted in a shooting incident. As a result, John Rodriguez is out on \$2,000 bond after being charged with assault with intent to murder Eddie Mendiz.

Sheriff Hazel Hancock said he was called to the Rodriguez home at the corner of Jefferson and NE 3rd to investigate the shooting. He said the shooting had grown out of an argument about Rodriguez's family. When the shooting occurred Rodriguez was inside his house and Mendiz had just walked outside. Mendiz was reported to have been shot with a .22 cal. rifle. The bullet struck Mendiz in the stomach. He is hospitalized in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital.

The first wreck Monday occurred about 8:35 a.m. at the intersection of 214 and the railroad track at Lehman. The vehicle, a 1965 Ford Mustang, driven by Curtis Dale Johnson, who listed his address as Drawer ZZ, Denver City, collided with a railroad crossing post on the east side of the road.

Johnson said the accident, which happened in a dense fog, was caused by a truck that pulled out in front of him. Johnson applied his brakes and slid sideways down the highway, striking a railroad crossing sign. The Johnson vehicle was traveling south on 214.

Investigating Texas Highway Patrolmen

T. A. Rowland and Ronald Coleman said damage to the vehicle was estimated to be \$300.

The second wreck of the day took place

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Frank Davidson enters county sheriff contest

A candidate for sheriff of Cochran County, Frank Davidson, has authorized the Morton Tribune to announce his election intentions.

The 43-year-old law enforcement officer is a two-year veteran of the Morton police force. He has lived in Cochran County for 15 years and farmed near Morton from 1951 through 1965 when he joined the local police force.

He came here from Knox County in 1949 and lived in Enochs that year. Davidson was reared in Aspermont.

He married Bobbie Cotton in 1949 and they have four children: Edith, 17; Marie, 16; Ginger, 15; and Robert, 12. They live at 206 SE 5th, Morton.

Davidson said he entered the sheriff's race at the urging of his friends and feels his two years experience as a policeman will be of benefit to him. "If elected I will try to make this county the best sheriff it has ever had," he said.

He said people wishing to talk with him about his candidacy should feel free to do so.

Davidson and his family are members of the First Missionary Baptist Church in Morton and are former members of the County Line Baptist Church.

He is subject to the action of the Democratic Primary May 4.



Be my Valentine . . .

PRETTY LYNN FRENCH, a senior at Whiteface High School, smiles at being surrounded with a Valentine's Day border. The Tribune's calendar girl for February said Valentine's Day would be great if she had a boyfriend. A 4-H Gold Star winner, Lynn spends much of free time riding

horses in Play Day contests. She recently went to the National Play Day finals in ribbon and barrel races. In school she is the business manager of the annual. Perhaps with all those activities she doesn't have time for a boyfriend. But she says, "Please be my Valentine." (Staff Photo)

Charles Carter sparks Morton win

Sparked by ball-stealing and timely baskets by Charles Carter, Morton overcame an atrocious first half to knock off the Lubbock Christian High Eagles here Tuesday night.

The non-conference win, 52-48, gave the Indians a 19-9 mark for the season. This gave them a chance to surpass their 19-13 mark of last year.

It's back to district play for the last six games as the second half begins. Morton will host the Slaton Tigers here Friday night and the Midland Carver Hornets next Tuesday. Both teams hold first-round victories over the Indians.

Lubbock Christian hung a 45-52 loss on the Tribe in the season opener this year and Morton was looking for scalps Tuesday night. But the Indians couldn't find the range at all during the first period and only little more in the second quarter. Many of the shots were missing by as much as five feet.

The Eagles jumped to a 6-0 lead before Rusty Rowden hit a field goal with 4:35 left in the period. The teams traded baskets for the remainder of the period at LCHS took a 12-6 lead after one period.

During the second quarter, the teams swapped points and it was 22-16 at half-time.

Wayne Thompson and Charles Carter led the attack during the third quarter as Morton found the range for 12 points and limited the Eagles to just five. Thompson and Carter hit for two quick baskets as the period opened. David Davis countered with a free throw.

Thompson hit for two field goals to put Morton in front, 24-23 with 6:10 left. Gary Keener gave the Eagles their last lead, 25-24, as he hit from the field. Thompson, Rowden, Rowden and Byron Willis all started hitting then as Morton scored 12 points in less than four minutes and took a 36-25 edge.

A basket by each team left it an 11-point lead, 35-27, going into the final quarter.

The Tribe hit a basket as the fourth stanza opened to make it 40-27, then almost blew the lead. LCHS nibbled away at the lead, trading free throws for field goals. Midway through the quarter, the lead was down to eight points, 46-38.

Doug Perrin and David Gregory hit a pair of baskets to make it 47-42 with 1:45 left. Willis made it 48-42 with 1:35 left.

That seemed comfortable enough until Keener hit a pair of goals and suddenly it was 48-46 with 50 seconds remaining.

Ten seconds later Wayne Thompson was fouled and Morton got a one-and-one opportunity. That made it 50-46. The Eagles stormed down court and Perrin hit a long jumper to get within two points, 50-48, with 33 seconds left.

Rowden was fouled with 20 seconds left, but missed the first shot. The rebound was contested bitterly until Willie Moore kicked it out. A last-second shot missed, but

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Tractor maintenance short course slated here Feb. 5

A tractor maintenance short course for adult farmers will be held Feb. 5 under the sponsorship of the Morton High School Vocational Agriculture Department, according to Owen Young, teacher of vocational agriculture.

The short course is being sponsored by the vocational agriculture department of Morton High School.

Harold T. Wiedemann, tractor maintenance specialist with the Vocational Agriculture Division of the Texas Education Agency and the Department of Agricultural Engineering at Texas A&M University, will do the instructing. He is headquartered at Texas A&M University.

Wiedemann, a native of Mission, received his B. S. Degree in Agricultural Engineering from Texas A&M University, in 1956. During summer vacations he worked with the John Deere Implement Company of Mission, and while serving 24 months active duty with the U. S. Army he was in charge of instruction and maintenance of both track and wheel type vehicles.

"Outstanding success" has been the words associated with the tractor maintenance short course taught by Mr. Wiedemann, according to Walter Loboy, area



Susan Blackley

Morton girl injured in a two-car crash

Miss Susan Blackley, 19, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Blackley of Rt. 1, Morton, is in fair condition in the intensive care unit of Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene after being injured in a two-car crash near Haskell Saturday night.

Investigating Highway Patrolman Skip Lane said Miss Blackley's car struck a disabled car driven by Narcisco Lucio on Highway 24, 13 miles east of Haskell about 10 p.m. Saturday. A passing motorist took Miss Blackley to Haskell Memorial Hospital where she was treated and then transferred to Abilene.

She is reported to have sustained facial cuts, a broken ankle and possible chest injuries.

Miss Blackley is a sophomore at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene. She is a 1966 graduate of Morton High School.



Frank Davidson

Telephone Co-op sets meet

The Annual Membership Meeting of the Five Area Telephone Cooperative, Inc. will be held in the Muleshoe High School Auditorium, Muleshoe, on Friday, February 9, at 2 p.m. At this meeting, members will hear the Financial Report, Progress Report, and general condition of the Cooperative, consider and take action on any matters that might come before the meeting.

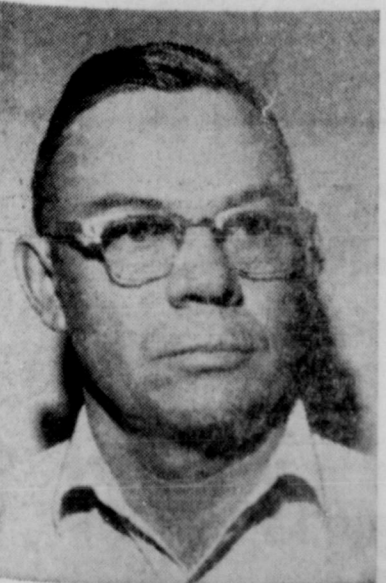
Also, on the order of business will be the election of four members of the Board of Directors. The Nominating Committee elected at the 1967 meeting and composed of Bob Byrd, E. W. Gray, R. B. Seaton, R. L. Jones, Cullen Hay, Jack Angeley, Van Rogers, M. C. Street, Jr., and Chester Setliff met on January 8, 1968

and nominated the following: District No. 1 — Lonnie Wilhite and Joe Sinnacher; District No. 2 — Joe Embry and Reaford Wenner; District No. 3 — Wallace O. Jones and M. G. Kellar; District No. 4 — Raymond Gage and Jack Schuster.

Additional nominations for directors may be made from the floor of the meeting. Lonnie Wilhite, Joe Embry, Wallace O. Jones and Raymond Gage are now serving as directors.

Prizes worth \$200 will be given away at the meeting. Each member who registers will receive a souvenir.

Entertainment will be furnished by the First Street Rhythm Band of Muleshoe High School. Refreshments will be served by Bailey County Adult Leaders Council.



M. C. "Lefty" Hall

Lefty Hall announces for Precinct 3 office

M. C. "Lefty" Hall has authorized the Morton Tribune to announce his candidacy for County Commissioner of Precinct 3.

Hall is 46-years-old and has lived in Cochran County for 15 years, 12 of them in Bledsoe. A farmer, he is a veteran of World War II.

He and his wife, Pat, have four children, Brenda, Patti, Monte and Guy.

Hall has served five years as trustee of the Bledsoe Independent School District. He has served on the community and county ASC committee and on the county FHA committee.

He is subject to the action of the May 4 Democratic Party Primary.

Tractor course

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to begin Feb. 5 at 7 p.m. in the vocational agriculture building. Meetings will also be held Feb. 6, 7, and 8.

During the dates the short course is in progress, Wiedemann will be available to assist farmers with individual tractor problems and to provide "on-the-farm" instruction.

Farmers interested in attending the short course should write or call the teacher of vocational agriculture, Owen Young. An entry fee of \$2 will be charged. Tractor Maintenance Short Course Certificates are to be presented to each individual who attends all the training sessions.

Wiedemann states that the key to longer tractor life comes from a full knowledge of the fundamentals of an engine and the application of the proper maintenance skills involving lubrication, fuels, carburetor, air cleaners, cooling systems, valves and ignition. Wiedemann will cover the proper adjustments and maintenance of the above, with emphasis on the importance of each in obtaining a longer tractor life. Throughout the short course emphasis will be placed on "Learning to do by doing" through the use of several demonstration tractors. All students will have the opportunity to perform actual adjustments and maintenance on these tractors. Safety during both maintenance and actual operation will also be included in this course.

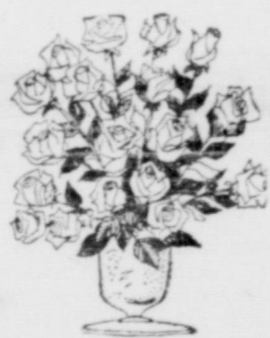
Local politics

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fore, it was not necessary for them to register to vote. They merely had to sign a sheet at the polls stating that they were 60 or older.

Groves said the number of certificates issued has surpassed the number of poll taxes issued in any one year. He said the most ever issued was about 1,750. However, since the older voters are having to register, the number of certificates has increased.

The Democratic Party primary election will be held Saturday, May 4, with the General Election being held Tuesday, November 4.



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One shooting

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at the intersection of Main and Washington about 2:30 p.m. Occupants of one of the vehicles involved in the crash were taken to Cochran Memorial Hospital for treatment of cuts and shock. Treated and released were Bennie O'Brien and Carla McCarty.

The crash occurred when a 1960 Ford with a trailer driven by Joe Hightower collided with a 1967 Chevrolet driven by Bennie O'Brien. The O'Brien vehicle was attempting a left turn off Main onto Washington. The Hightower vehicle was traveling south on Main.

Damage to the Hightower vehicle was estimated to be \$200 while the O'Brien vehicle sustained damages amounting to \$1,000.

Chief of Police Curtis Cloud investigated the accident.

Morton win

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Moore shoved it back up and in for the final basket just ahead of the buzzer.

Willis got 19, Carter 11, Thompson 10, Rowden eight and Moore four for the Tribe. Gary Kener had 20 and Doug Perrin 16 for the Eagles.

The B game was a forerunner for the varsity game. Morton started slowly, trailed by as much as 13 and then staged a rush in the final half to win by 11, 48-37. The young Indians were behind 6-8 after one quarter and 13-26 at halftime. But a 20-point effort gave them a 33-32 edge going into the final quarter. They padded their margin by ten, winning 48-37.

Jerry Steed dropped in 16 points, Bob Hawkins netted 13 and Kenneth Taylor had 9. Dennis Clayton got seven, all in the second half.

Cub Scout banquet to be held here Feb. 8

The annual Morton Cub Scout Blue and Gold banquet will be held Feb. 8 at 8 p.m. in the County Activity Building announced Cecil Williams, Cub Master. The speaker for the banquet will be Don Ferguson, District Boy Scout executive of the George White District.

Williams said 170 people were expected to attend. Tickets may be purchased from any Cub Scout.

Morton Pack 644 is the only pack in the district that has met its quota for new boys. The pack will be awarded a gold star for its efforts. The membership of the pack went from 16 boys in September to 52 in January.

Awards for various achievements will be awarded members of the pack. Williams issued a cordial invitation for all parents and relatives of Cubs to attend.

Three Way announces honor roll members

The honor roll for Three Way junior and senior high school has been released for the third six weeks.

Named to the seventh grade A honor roll were Cheryl Abbe and Terry Pollard. B honor roll members were Patty Carpenter, Joey Kibbell, Lorenzo Morin, James Partlow and Candy Sowder.

Eighth grade A, Mary Mercado; B, Wendell Kelly, Larry Neutler, Jeff Lynsky and Sandra Simpson.

Freshman B, Geno Abbe; sophomore A, Mike Lynsky, Joyce Boyce and Kathy Hicks; senior A, Joy Eubanks and senior B, Jerry Lynsky.

Emlea Smith Club has Famous Women program

The Emlea Smith Junior Study Club met Thursday, January 25 in the home of Mrs. Sherrill Griffith with Mrs. Don Lynsky as co-hostess. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Loy Kern and clubmembers were led in the Club collect by Mrs. Gary Willingham.

Mrs. Sherrill Griffith reported on plans for Men's Night. With approval of clubmembers the date was changed to Saturday, February 10 so the gym could be secured for volleyball.

It was decided to send \$1.00 per member to the High Plains Training Center.

★ Communism

The Elma L. Slaughter Study Club invites you to attend a program on Communism, a film "On the Square".

The program will be narrated by George Hargrove and will be at the banquet room of the County Activity Building on Thursday, Feb. 1, at 8 p.m. There will be no admission and everyone is welcome.

Mrs. Richard Greer honored with shower

Mrs. Richard Greer was honored with a baby shower Friday, January 26, from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. in the home of Mrs. W. A. Woods at 104 E. Garfield.

The table was covered with a white crocheted cloth over yellow. The centerpiece was an arrangement of white and yellow chrysanthemums around a stork.

Forty guests were registered from Bula, Enochs, Lubbock, Levelland and Morton.

The following hostesses presented the honoree with a high chair: Mesdames Leon Hamilton, R. L. DeBusk, C. W. Elliott, Pete Stewart, J. C. Reynolds, W. R. Adams, A. M. McBee and W. A. Woods.

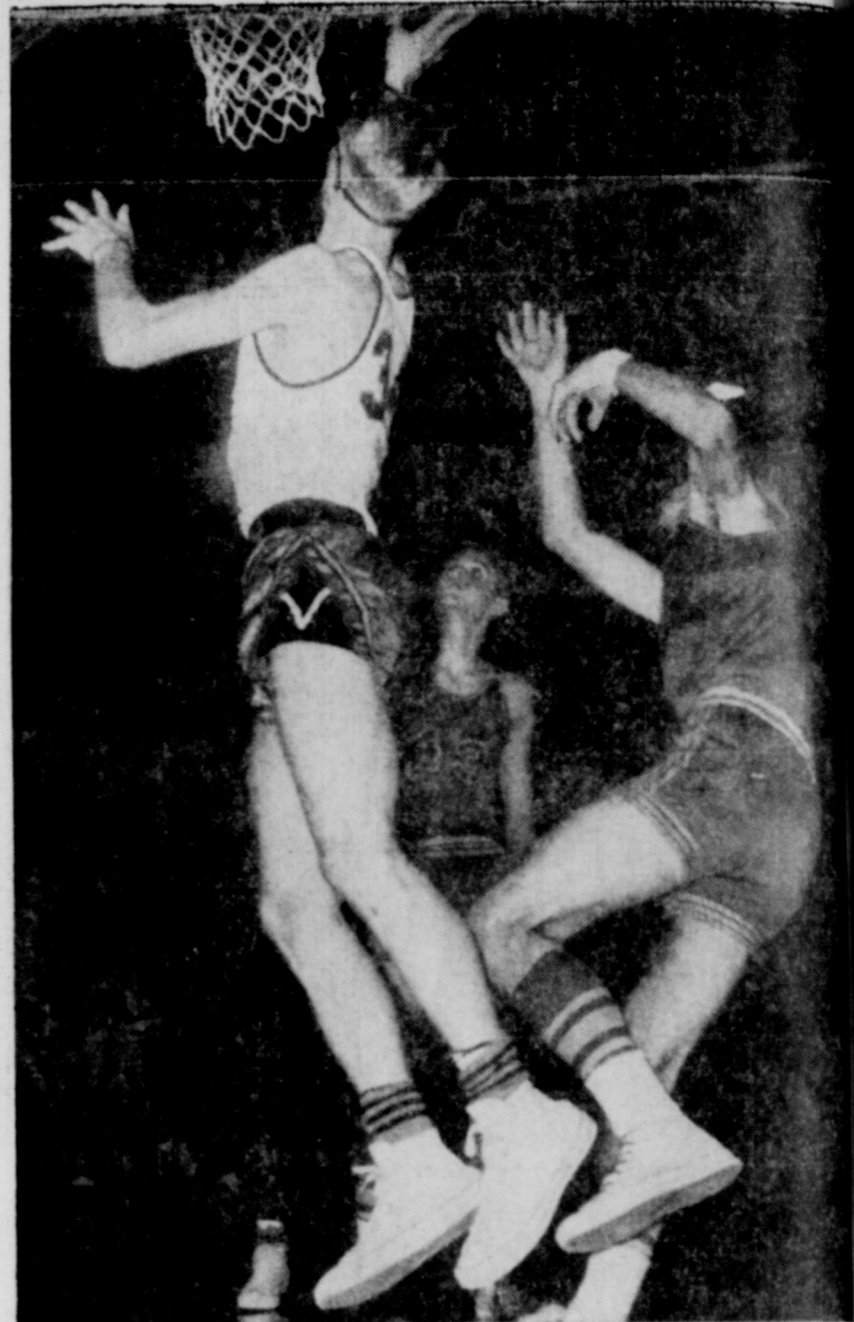
This would be a total of \$23.00 in support of the center as a district project. In support of L.V.N. Training, the Club pledged \$60.00 for the purchase of textbooks for four Morton women currently enrolling in L.V.N. Training at South Plains Junior College.

Mrs. Earl Polvado introduced the program on Famous Women of the World presented by Mrs. James Walker. Mrs. Walker covered famous women of the world in all areas of fame or ill-fame from Cleopatra (69-30 B.C.) to our present First Lady of the White House. She told of the lives and contributions of Joan of Arc, Queen Elizabeth, Mary Queen of Scots, Marie Antoinette, Queen Victoria, Pocahontas, all of whose histories are well known. Then there were equally famous women such as Mad Ann Bailey: 1742-1825) whose histories are not quite so widely known. Mad Ann's husband was killed by Indians and she avenged her husband's death by becoming an Indian fighter. When Ft. Lee was surrounded by Indians, she rode 100 miles and brought back gun powder for the defense of the fort.

Mrs. Walker went on to tell about Betsy Ross, Dolly Madison, and Clara Barton. Then there was Molly Pitcher whose real name was Molly Hayes. During the Revolutionary War she cared for the wounded. She dressed like a man and was reputed to be as strong as a man. She brought pitchers of water to the men whose call was "Here comes Molly with the pitcher." This was shortened to "Here comes Molly pitcher" hence her new name.

Then there were the dozens of crusaders for anti-slavery, total abstinence, and womens rights such as Lucretia Motley, Harriet Beacher Stowe, and Susan B. Anthony. There were Maria Mitchell, Louisa Mae Alcott, Jane Adams, and in conclusion she reviewed "100 American Women of Accomplishment" published by the Harper's Bazaar.

The meeting was adjourned and refreshments served.



Defender off-balance . . .

BRYAN WILLIS goes up for two of his 19 points here Tuesday night. Defender Gary Keener finds himself off-balance after taking the fake. Keener led all scorers with 20 points, but the Indians won the non-conference tilt, 52-48. In the background is Lubbock Christian High's David Davies. (43). (Staff Photo)

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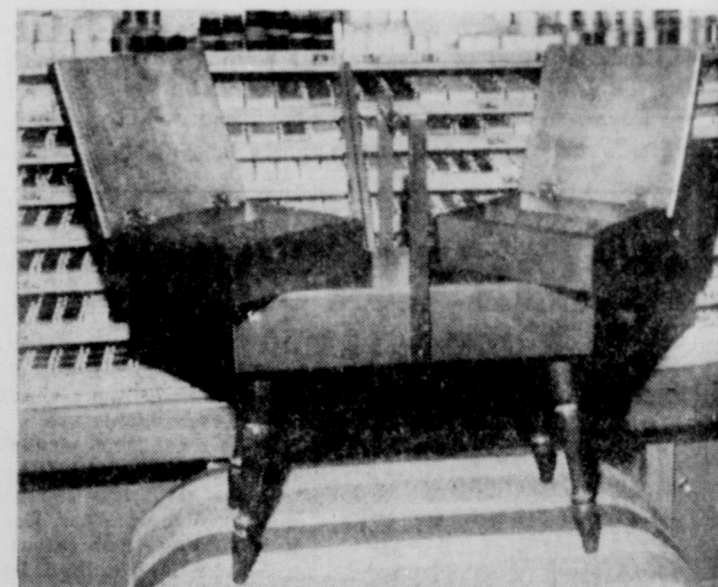
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Attend farming frontiers meeting . . .

AMONG MORE THAN 200 people who attended the Farming Frontiers Meeting sponsored by Griffith Equipment Co., the Morton John Deere agency, were (front row) Weldon Newsom, Dalton Redman and Ray Griffith, partner in the agency. Standing are G. W. Barrett, John Deere Territorial Manager; Jack Fitts, John Deere adver-

tising department, Moline, Ill.; and Bob Wilson, John Deere Sales Promotion Manager, Dallas. Winner of the \$25 cash prize for ladies was Mrs. Elmer V. Jones while A. L. "Lawrence" Nesbitt won the \$165 Roll Gard and Canopy with seat belts. The meeting was held Jan. 26 in the County Activity Building. (Staff Photo)

Semester honor roll list for Three Way Elementary

Honor roll students at Three Way Elementary School have been announced for the third six-weeks period and for the first semester. Those named for the third six-weeks include:

First Grade: Belia Meraz, Berry Alvis, Ken Eubanks, Beverly Dupler, Fred Mortin.

Second Grade: Bill Hodnett, Manuel Vidales, Susan Corkery, Patti Bowers, Sandra Gilliam and Prynness Parkman, high honors; Jerry Waltrip, Linda Ornelas, Rosa Ann Cantu, Jodi Wylie, Rita Perez, Larry Morin, Mark Lowe, Lally Mercado and Hilda Arispe, honors.

Third Grade: Cindy Hutcheon, Andria Kelly, Craig Kirby, Sheryl Lynskey, Gloria Simpson, Etta Warren, Jose Vidales, high honors; Tressie Gilliam, Evelia Lopez, Doug Vanstory, Diana Ornelas, honors.

Fourth Grade: Randy Locke, Shannon Sowder, Leann Abbe, Connie Richardson, high honors; Julia Mercado, Andy Warren, Karen Corkery, Donnie Nichols, Lea Ann Wylie, honors.

Fifth: Yvonna Vanstory, Debra Ferguson, Kent Hicks, Stella Cantu, high honors; Oralia Dela Rosa, Robby Sowder, Debbie Burkett, Pamela Partlow, Ricky Meyers, honors.

Sixth: Mark Corkery, Connie Richardson, Lynn Carpenter; high honors; Darnette Lane, Cinday Haraa, Tommy Gilliam, honors.

Those making the honor roll for the semester are: First: Berry Alvis, Beverly Dupler, Fred Marin, Ken Eubanks, high honors.

Second grade: Manuel Vidales, Susan Corkery, Patti Bowers, Prynness Parkman, high honors; Linda Ornelas, Rosa Ann Cantu, Jodi Wylie, Bill Hodnett, Rita Perez, Larry Morin, Lally Mercado, Robert De La Rosa, Sandra Gilliam, honors.

Third Grade: Cindy Hutcheson, Sheryl Lynskey, Gloria Simpson, Jose Vidales, Andrea Kelley, Craig Kirby, high honors; Tressie Gilliam, Evelia Lopez, Doug Vanstory, Etta Warren, honors.

Fourth Grade: Connie Richardson, Randy Locke, Shannon Sowder, Leann Abbe, Karen Corkery, high honors; Andy Warren, Julia Mercado, Lea Ann Wylie, Donnie Nichols, honors.

Fifth grade: Yvonna Vanstory, Kent Hicks, Debbie Ferguson, high honors; Robby Sowder, Pam Partlow, honors;

Sixth grade: Mark Corkery, high honors; Ronnie Richardson, Lynn Carpenter, Darnette Lane, Cindy Hanna, Tommy Gilliam.

Teens dance club to have Valentine dance

The Swinging Teens Square Dance Club of Morton will resume regular dancing with a Valentine Dance to be held at the County Activities Building on Saturday, February 3 at 8 p.m.

Mr. Roy Pierce will serve as the club caller. All members are urged to attend. There will be refreshments served and a door prize.

Dues of 50 cents will be taken from each member that night.

Officers are: Mike Stevens, president; Kay Davis, vice-president; J. Wayne McDermitt, secretary-treasurer; Roger McClintock, reporter. Sponsors will be Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Roman, and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Bryan.

Glenda and Dena Smith visited in the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith over the weekend. They are students at South Plains College.

Mr. and Mrs. Lillard Thomas of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Damron of Lamesa visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Griffith and attended John Deere Day.



Sharon Graves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Graves visited in the home of her parents.

Engagement told for Sue Lewis-Larry Smith

Announcement of the engagement and forthcoming marriage of Miss Sue Lewis to Larry G. Smith has been made by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Lewis. Mr. Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Olen Click.

The wedding will take place February 23 at 7 p.m. in the Whiteface Church of Christ.

The bride-elect graduated from Whiteface High School and attended South Plains College. Mr. Smith is employed with Southern Industrial Steel, Inc. of Arlington.

Mrs. Eunice R. Oden rites held in city

Services for Mrs. Eunice R. White Oden, 86, of Morton were held January 31 at 2:00 p.m. in the First Methodist Church of Morton. Rev. Rex Mauldin, pastor of the church officiated, assisted by Rev. Fred Thomas, and Rev. Bill Hobson.

Born March 25, 1881, in Illinois, she married G. W. (Cap) Oden in 1908. They moved to Morton in August of 1924.

She is survived by three sons, Elra of Morton, Rev. E. F. Jamaica West Indies, and W. F. of Phoenix, Ariz.; two daughters, Mrs. L. C. Diggs, Levelland; Mrs. Ralph Fowler, Crosbyton; one sister, Mrs. E. R. Rushing, Paris; 18 grandchildren, 32 great grandchildren, and five great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Joe Nicewarner, G. O. Cooper, C. D. Ray, Jack Baker, F. F. Rowland, and M. R. Holliman.

Services were under the direction of Singleton Funeral home. Burial was in Morton Cemetery.

Mrs. Bess Neblitt of Carlsbad visited in the home of her son and family Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McDaniel over the weekend.

Mrs. Darlene Burnett and daughter Mar-lana of Carlsbad visited in the home of her aunt Mrs. E. L. Polvado over the weekend. She also visited other relatives, while here.

Cheryl Fincannon gets homemaker award

Because she finished first in a written knowledge and attitude examination for senior girls December 5, Cheryl Fincannon has been named 1968 Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow for Morton High School.

Cheryl's achievement has made her eligible for state and national scholarship awards and also has earned her a specially designed silver charm from General Mills, sponsor of the Betty Crocker Search for the American Homemaker of Tomorrow program. A senior, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Fincannon. Her award was presented at the FHA banquet Monday night.

A state Homemaker of Tomorrow and runner-up will be selected from the winners of the schools in the state. The state winner will receive a \$1,500 college scholarship, and her school will be awarded a complete set of the Encyclopaedia Britannica by Encyclopaedia Britannica, Inc. The runner-up will earn a \$500 educational grant.

The Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow from this state, together with the from all other states and the District of Columbia, each accompanied by a school advisor, will join in an expense paid educational tour of Colonial Williamsburg, Va., and Washington, D.C., next spring.

The national winner, the 1968 All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow will be announced at a dinner in Minneapolis, Minn., home of General Mills, Inc. She will be chosen from state Homemakers of Tomorrow on the basis of her original test score plus personal observation and interviews during the tour, and her scholarship will be increased to \$5,000. Second, third, and fourth ranking national winners will have their original scholarship grants increased to \$4,000, \$3,000 and \$2,000, respectively.

This is the 14th year of the Betty Crocker Search, initiated in 1954-55 by General Mills to emphasize the importance of homemaking as a career. Approximately six million senior girls have participated in the Search program since its inception, and 1,358 winners will have earned scholarships totaling \$1,481,500 at the conclusion of the current program.

The 603,798 girls from 15,079 schools registering for the 1968 Search established a new record for the program.



Receives Homemaker award . . .

CHERYL FINCANNON, a senior at Morton High School, was honored during the Morton High School Future Homemakers of America banquet Jan. 29 in the school cafeteria. She was honored for being named as 1968 Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow for her school. Admiring her award is Mrs. A. E. Sanders, home economics teacher. (Staff Photo)

David Newsom, a student at Baylor University visited in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Newsom over the weekend.

Pam Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, and a student at Howard Payne College in Brownwood, visited in the home of her parents over the weekend.

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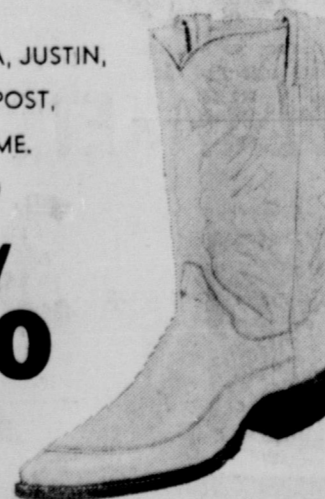
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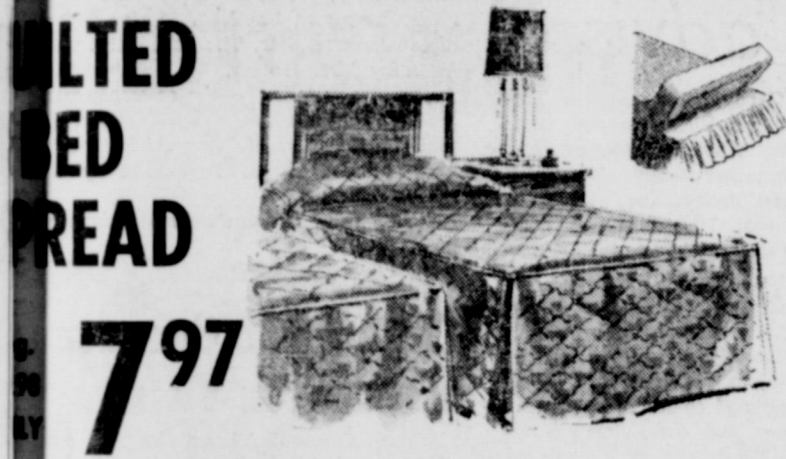
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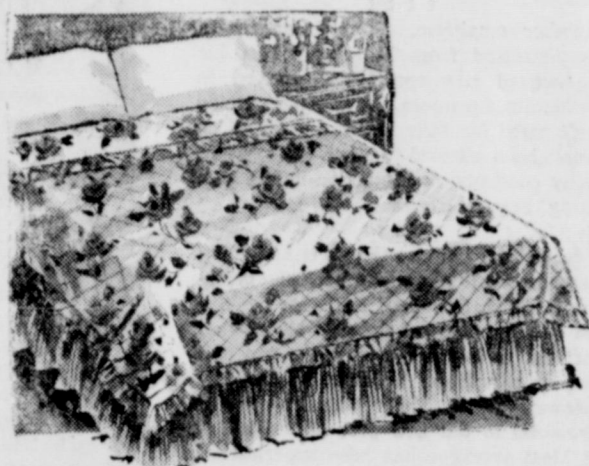
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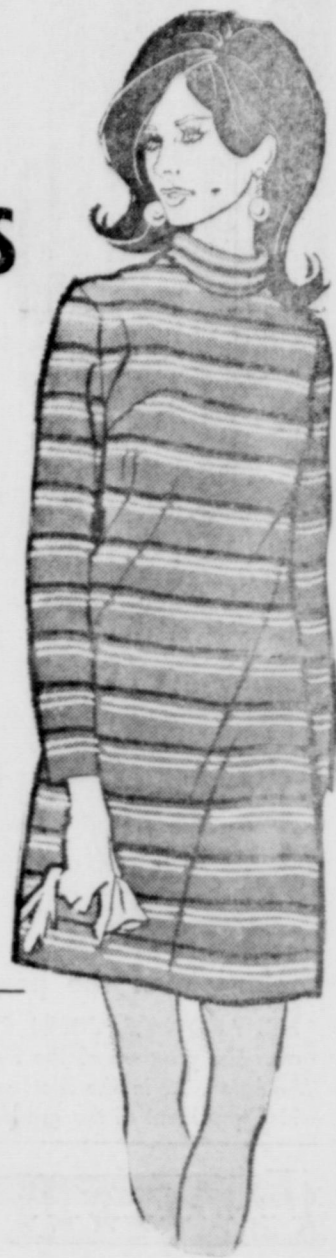
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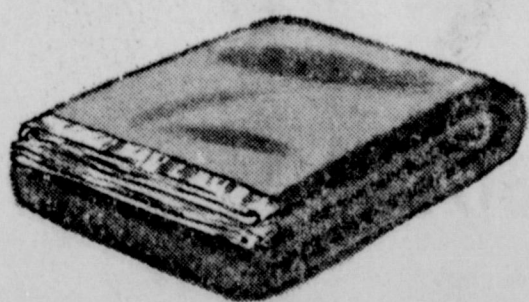
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Looking over the program . . .

MR. AND MRS. JOHN CROCKETT and daughter Janice of Morton look over the program of the Future Homemakers of America banquet which was held Jan. 29 in the Morton School cafeteria. Holding the program is Sharon Hall, president of the group. Janice is FHA treasurer. (Staff Photo)

Through the telescope by Luck

This is the middle of one of those "interesting" weeks that poses a challenge. We have been helping as the commercial printing crew moved equipment to Denver City the past two weekends. The move still isn't finished and the printers are commuting back and forth, gathering bits of equipment with each trip. Naturally, most of what they need seems to be in the other place, regardless of where they are at the time.

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The first press to be moved was the easiest, but the move was complicated by rain and drizzle. It thrilled everyone when the pick-up got stuck enroute and had to be pulled out of the ditch. Other minor hitches, such as presses too wide, or typesetting machines too tall, have added to the enchantment.

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And our secretary-Girl Friday, Carla McCarty, was involved in a minor wreck Monday afternoon when the car in which she was riding was hit from the side. She got a bump on the head and discovered muscles she didn't even know she had, but was back on the job Wednesday.

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A former employee, Beverly Criswell, graciously consented to come in one day and help us out since we were at the busiest time of the week for news and trying to get statements ready at the same time.

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Another employee, Jimmy Cartwright, was distracted from his work when his long-awaited new sports car arrived in Morton. Since printers and newspaper folks aren't noted for their tidiness, most of us haven't been allowed to sit in the car yet. Jimmy conducts an inspection before permitting any passengers.

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East side of the courthouse is beginning to assume its final appearance. The brickwork is finished and all the solar-tilt has been installed. Part of the porcelain enamel trim now is in place across the top and more of it will be installed around the windows after they have been changed to correspond to the new part of the building. Most everyone has been superintending the project, but Judge J. A. Love, Auditor Joe Nicewarner and Commissioner Leonard Coleman probably are the most faithful of the ex-officio foremen.

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If you haven't registered to vote by now, forget it! The deadline was Wednesday. But you still can be an early-bird in getting your 1968 vehicle registration. Tax assessor-collector Leonard Groves reminds auto owners that they need the car title, 1967 license receipt, mailing address and zip code. Of course, a little money also will be required.

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The new plates will boost San Antonio's huge world's fair, Hemisphere '68. I wonder if we could apply now to have "Last Frontier Rodeo" on the plates next year?

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It's been more than a week and we still don't have the USS Pueblo or its crew back from North Korea. The coming week should be a critical one as the administration likely will exhaust diplomatic efforts and then face the decision of whether to use force to gain the ship's return.

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There's fog in London town
Where you expect it to be found.
But to find daily pea soup
In usually sunny West Texas
Makes the spirit kinda droop!

Bill White is member of ACC judging team

A Morton student, Bill White, is a member of Abilene Christian College's senior judging teams which participated in judging competition at the National Western Stock Show in Denver last week.

ACC teams entered all three intercollegiate contests — regular livestock, carlot livestock and wool. They competed with 19 other teams, or 95 individuals, in both livestock division and with 11 teams, 44 individuals, in wool.

White is a member of sixth ranked carlot judging team and the seventh placed swine judging team.

Son of Mrs. T. B. White, 414 S.W. 5th, White is a 1963 graduate of Morton High School. He is an agriculture major at ACC and has won two track letters.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Abbe and children Mayland, Mel, Mike and Rhonda were in Clifton, Tex., over the weekend to attend the wedding of their niece and cousin Kitsy Bennette. Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brown of Morton also attended.

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New Rainbow officers . . .

INSTALLED JAN. 27 AS NEW officers for the Morton Rainbow Assembly were Ruthie Smith, Worthy Associate

Advisor; Peggy Thomas, Charity; Vicki Goodman, Worthy Advisor; Diane Avery, Hope; and Sue Winder, Faith. (Staff Photo)

Vicki Goodman installed as new Rainbow advisor

Miss Vicki Goodman, daughter of Mrs. Ruby Goodman, was installed as Worthy Advisor for the Morton Rainbow Assembly No. 239 in ceremonies Saturday night at the Masonic Hall.

Mrs. Jerry Winder, mother advisor, welcomed guests. Invocation was given by Rev. Fred Thomas, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

The installing officer was Pam Reynolds, past Grand Immortality. Other installing officers were: Mary St. Clair, past worthy advisor as installing marshal; Kay King, past worthy advisor as installing chaplain; Janice Toombs, past worthy advisor as installing recorder; and Mrs. Lois St. Clair, past Mother Advisor, as installing musician.

Officers serving with Vicki are: Ruth Smith, worthy associate; Peggy Thomas, charity; Diane Avery, hope; Sue Winder, faith; Jeannie McMinn, recorder; Karen Fred, treasurer; Rebecca Greene, chaplain; Cindy Gunnels, drill leader; Ann Winder, love; Vickie Hodges, religion;

Glorietta Gray, nature; Diane McCasland, fidelity; Janice Hall, fidelity; Mickella Windom, patriotism; Rita Bedwell, service; DeAnn Ramsey, confidential ob-

server; Linda Gandy, outer observer; Trezelle Hill, musician; Vicki Kennedy, choir director and Mrs. Winder, mother advisor. Vicki introduced her family, Mrs. Goodman and sister, Becky, and they were seated in the east. Her term was dedicated in loving memory of her father.

Miss Lanya Smith sang "I Believe", accompanied by Miss Jeanna Thomas, which is Vicki's song. Her theme is "Faith", motto, "Every event of life points, if it does not carry us on, to the cross;" her symbol is the cross; and colors are pink and white; her flower, pink rose. Vicki's scripture is "If ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed nothing shall be impossible unto you." Mat. 17:20.

Mrs. Winder installed members of the Advisor Board who are: Harold Toombs, Mrs. Ruby Goodman, Mrs. T. A. Rowland, Bob Travis, Dean Weatherly, Mrs. Merlin Roberts, Mrs. Lolita Hovey, Fred Payne, Mrs. June Kennedy, Mrs. Tip Windom, Mrs. Kenneth Watts, Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Winder.

Awards were also presented to the girls

for their work by Mrs. Winder. Gavel was presented to Misses Peggy Thomas and Diane Avery, the newly installed charity and hope, by Karen Reynolds, acting on behalf of Morton Order of the Eastern Star. The benediction was given by Mrs. Winder.

A reception following the ceremony was hosted in Vicki's honor, by Karen Reynolds, junior past worthy advisor and her mother, Mrs. M. M. Fred. Approximately 75 guests attended.

Vicki's term is from February through May.

Cpl. Alberto Gonzalez stationed in Vietnam

Marine Corporal Alberto Gonzalez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilberto Gonzalez of 603 E. Wilson St., Morton, is at the Marble Mountain Air Facility near Da Nang, Vietnam serving with Marine Medium Helicopter Squadron 265, a unit of Marine Aircraft Group 16, First Marine Aircraft Wing.

His squadron airlifts troops to battle zones, evacuates wounded, and flies resupply missions in support of U. S. and Allied ground forces engaged in combat operations.

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Miss Diane Fields is wed to Steve White January 27

Miss Gayla Diane Fields, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus W. Fields, 702 E. Garfield, became the bride of Steven D. White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd White, 313 Third Avenue West, Oskaloosa, Iowa, Saturday, January 27, in the First Methodist Church of Morton, Rev. Rex Mauldin, pastor of the church officiated for the double ring ceremony.

Mrs. Pegues Houston, organist, and Mrs. Robert Marra soloist, provided wedding selections "Whither Thou Goest" and "The Lord's Prayer".

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a carpet length gown of candlelight pure silk organza. The molded bodice was fashioned with a scooped neck-

line. The gown was delicately accented with handrun re-embroidered Alencon lace and tiny sleeves of Alencon lace completed the gown. Her controlled skirt flowed from the bodice. The court length train gracefully flowed below the small covered buttons on the bodice. Her veil of candlelight English illusion was fashioned to a Queen's crown of seed pearls and iridescent beads. She carried a cascade of feathered mums, lilies of the valley, white orchid, atop a white Bible.

Miss Bette Benn was the bride's only attendant. She wore a formal length gown of antique gold jakarta and lace. It was fashioned with a scoop neck and long sleeves, a band of lace and velvet ribbon circled the empire bodice and a back panel extended to the hem. Her headpiece was a matching blossom and illusion. She carried a cascade of gold mums.

Chic Keifer of Portales, N.M., served as best man. Todd Fields, brother of the bride, and Gerald Henry were the candle lighters. Graham Wall, Bob Sealing, and Dale Severson seated guests.

A reception followed immediately in the fellowship hall of the church.

The couple will be at home at 1213 N. Main in Clovis, N.M. The bride is a graduate of Whiteface High School and a graduate of ENMU school of music. The groom is a graduate of Oskaloosa High School, and a candidate for graduation at E.N.M.U. He will do graduate work at E.N.M.U.

The bride is employed by Clovis Public schools.

Among out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Oren Soules, Conroe, Tex., Mr. and Mrs. Grady Henry, Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Garth Wall, Ewart, Graham Wall, Stephenville, Gerald Henry, Lubbock, Ted Rogers, Sweetwater, John Soules, Sundown, Dr. and Mrs. Joe Dixon, E.N.M.U. Portales, Mary Ann Vaughn, Lubbock, Mary Kay Seale, Levelland, Mrs. Bill Riddle, Talequah, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd White, and Mrs. Lou Pearson of Oskaloosa, Iowa.



Installing officers . . .

THESE FOUR YOUNG LADIES were the installing officers for the Morton Rainbow Assembly installation Jan. 27. They included Mary St. Clair, Installing Marshal; Pam Reynolds, Installing Officer; Janice Toombs, Installing Recorder; and Kay King, Installing Chaplain. (Staff Photo)

Five accidents worked within Cochran County

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated five accidents on rural highways in Cochran County during the month of December according to Sergeant A. E. Roberts, Highway Patrol Supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in four persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$1,885.00.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the calendar year of 1967, shows a total of 39 crashes resulting in four persons killed, 44 persons injured and an estimated property damage of \$19,984.00.

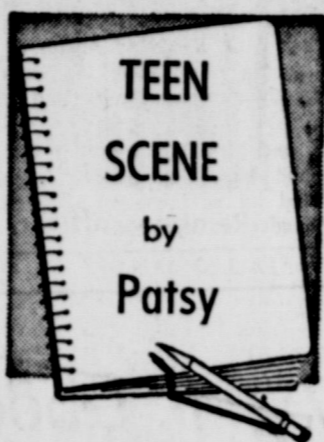
When the final fatal traffic accident re-

ports are tabulated for 1967 it is estimated that the death count for Texas is expected to be 3,349 or about two per cent less than the all time high of 3,406 traffic deaths in 1966. If this proves true, then it will be the first reduction in traffic deaths since 1960. This decrease should be a challenge for every driver to put forth his best defensive know-how and efforts to reduce accidents in 1968.

The Sergeant cautions all motorists to keep windshield, windows, outside rearview mirrors, and all lights clear of ice, snow, sleet, dirt and mud. The driver's vision is obstructed in one out of five fatal accidents.



Mrs. Steven D. White
... nee Diane Fields



Hi! Here it is the second week of the new semester, and it looks like it isn't even going to be as good as the first. Oh well, that's the break!

Our varsity basketball team added another game to its district victories last Friday night as they downed the Post Antelopes after playing a brilliant second half. The Indians remained behind most of the first half, but recovered the second half to take an eleven-point lead over the Antelopes, with a final score of 59-48. The Indians are now 3 to 3 in district ratings.

Some of you may have noticed the signs on the trophy case, as you came the last three ballgames in our home gym, with assigned places for each class to have its students sign their names. The purpose for this is a contest which is being sponsored by the senior class. Which ever class has the biggest average percentage of its students attending the last three games and the next two, will be honored by a Coke party at the seniors' expense. So far, the juniors are ahead. (LET'S GO JUNIORS!)

We also had some visitors at Friday's ballgame — the S. M. Monroe family and two of their friends from Anton. All the kids were excited about seeing Rick and Rita again, and of course Smiley (Henry), Jean, and Gina!

You may have noticed the signs on the bank clock announcing each next home game. We could sure use a little bigger attendance at our ballgames! (That's a hint to all you teachers and townspeople who just can't seem to make it to any games.)

Well, it's finally that time again, and the juniors tried out for the annual junior play Monday afternoon. The results of the try-outs were not known at the time of this writing, however.

The name of the play is "If a Body Meet a Body" written by Patricia Klapp. The class will present it on March 22 in the County Auditorium, so y'all come!

The Texas Tech Stage Band came Monday morning to perform in a concert for the MHS and junior high student body. The group was quite good, and everyone seemed to enjoy the performance. The high school band paid the Tech band's traveling expenses, which came to about \$70. \$124 was taken at the door, leaving the band with a \$54 profit to add to their trip fund.

The Morton chapter of Future Homemakers of America held its annual banquet Monday night in the school cafeteria. Members of the FHA chapter and their parents attended the banquet. They enjoyed a panel discussion by several teachers on "Family Life". Jimmy Waters, a MHS senior, provided entertainment for the group.

Well, I guess that's about it for this week (seems like I've heard that somewhere before). Everyone be good and come to all the ballgames —okay??

Margaret Ledbetter wins Camp Fire award

The Morton Council of Camp Fire Girls presented its first Wohelo Medallion to Margaret Ledbetter at the annual ceremonial Tuesday, January 16.

This achievement in the Camp Fire girl program is not a rank, but a challenge to individual Horizon Club members. It is the completion of a special twelve step year accomplishment, an award for girls who are juniors or seniors in high school. Comparable to the Eagle award in Boy Scouts it recognizes growth in the ability to understand oneself, to communicate with and relate successfully to others and to understand and practice leadership in a democratic society.

Margaret, who has been a Camp Fire girl for ten years met the requirements for the Wohelo Medallion by her activities in her home, her church, her school, her community and her camp fire group in its camp and council program.

Reception honors Mr. and Mrs. Paul Davis recently

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Davis were honored with a reception in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Rose, 404 E. Lincoln, Tues., Jan. 23.

The serving table was laid with a cut-work cloth over pink, and pink flowers in a silver container centered the table. Mrs. Bobby Travis and Mrs. Ross Shaw alternated at the coffee service.

Guests were teachers from the elementary, junior high and high school, friends from the First Baptist Church and members of the 1936 Study Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis have been in the Morton School for the past four and one-half years. Mrs. Davis will leave February 1 to go to Austin as a reading consultant with the Texas Education Agency.

While teaching in Morton, Mrs. Davis secured a Masters degree in Education at Eastern New Mexico Univ., and has completed work on an Education Specialist degree. This is an intermediate degree between the Masters and Ph.D.

For the past two summers Mrs. Davis has worked in the Reading Lab at ENMU and she helped set up the Remedial Reading Program for the Morton School.

In her job with the Texas Education Agency, she will travel over the state helping to set up reading programs and serving as a consultant at reading clinics.

Mr. Davis is the guidance counselor for the Morton Schools. He will remain here for the present.

Former Morton grad appointed to new post

Mrs. Lois C. Gibbs, has been appointed Erath County Home Demonstration Agent effective Feb. 16.

Mrs. Gibbs, the former Lois Courtney of Morton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Courtney of Morton. She is a graduate of Morton High school and of Texas Tech School of Home Economics.

In high school, she was named Outstanding Home Economics Student and was a member of FHA four years and earned her state degree, and was selected for the County Gold Star Award. She was a member of the 4-H club for ten years.

Mrs. Gibbs, taught school at Lorenzo for one year after graduating from Tech.

She will replace Miss Wanda Bridges who has been named assistant Home Demonstration agent for McLennan County.

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Band concert

The Morton High School, Junior High School and Beginner bands will present a concert in the County Activity Building Sunday at 2:30 p.m. Music will consist of light classics and show tunes. Featured during the concert will be a snare drum solo by David Salinas. Admission will be 25-cents for students and 50-cents for adults. Director John Stockdale said the public is invited to attend.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

2501 Manor Circle No. D8 Austin, Texas, 78723 January 13, 1968

Editor Local Newspaper Morton, Texas

Dear Sir:

If the two "Good Samaritans" from Whiteface that I met during the Christmas holidays are typical examples, you must have some very fine people up there on the Plains.

My brother and I were driving from Abilene to Austin back to school on January 2, and in one of those inexcusably stupid blunders, we ran out of gas about 10 miles outside of Goldthwaite. We lifted the hood and trunk lid as a distress signal, and stood by the car trying our best to look like the sort of clean-cut young Americans that a passing motorist wouldn't be afraid to stop and help.

After a great many cars had whizzed by at speeds of 70 or 80 miles per hour, a car did stop. This genial couple, a young rancher and his wife, were on their way home to Whiteface after visiting relatives in the Valley. They had a long drive ahead of them that day, and I know it must have been a sacrifice of their time to stop and help us. Moreover, after the young man had driven into town to get us some gas, our car still wouldn't start because the battery was dead. He was kind enough to spend still more time unscrewing the battery from his own car in order to start ours. All this was done with the pleasant, casual attitude that stopping to help another person was nothing remarkable.

These people were not paid for their trouble. We did not even learn their name. It was the sort of situation in which you feel that just saying "thanks a lot" isn't nearly enough, and yet you hesitate to insult by offering money, when you are fairly certain that they are the sort of people who would not accept payment for doing something that apparently comes naturally to them — helping other people.

So I write this letter as a token gesture to again say "thank you for helping us out" to two wonderful people. I know that their community is proud to have such people as residents.

Yours truly, Jean Caffey

My Neighbors



"Your receptionist, for one, said I might call again."



Pvt. Glen P. Kuehler

Marine Pvt. Kuehler completes training

Marine Private Glen P. Kuehler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kuehler of Rt. 1, Morton, was graduated from eight weeks of recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot in San Diego, Calif.

He will undergo from two to four weeks of individual combat training and then, after leave at home, will report to his first Marine Corps Assignment.

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Bula-Enoch news

Mr. and Mrs. Zed Robinson home after extended tour

(Delayed from last week)

By MRS. J. D. BAYLESS

Company in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Preston Harrison Tuesday night were Rev. and Mrs. Dennis Bennett pastor at Bethel Baptist Church at Spur.

Those attending the youth rally at the First Baptist Church at Sudan Monday night were Rev. and Mrs. Preston Harrison, Patricia Grusendorf and Jerry Nichols, Rev. Leon Leo Buschur, Elaine Tiller, Keith Overland, Dorna and Diane Crume, Margaret Richardson, Allen Black, Karen Buschur, and Joyce Sowder, Bula.

Mrs. J. M. Angel spent Friday night in Lubbock, visiting in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Angel.

Rev. Preston Harrison left Monday to attend the "State Evangelism Conference," at Dallas, January 17-19. Mrs. Harrison stopped in Andrews to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Howard.

The Associational Women's Missionary Union, met at the Parkview Baptist Church in Littlefield recently for the quarterly meeting. Theme of the meeting was "We Have A Message to Give." Rev. Winters pastor of Edmore Baptist Church, brought the message, "Mission with a Message."

Enochs received the attendance banner for having the most ladies present. Those attending were Mmes. Quinton Nichols, Donald Grusendorf, Preston Harrison, Harold Layton, J. O. Dane, Dale Nichols, J. M. Angel, Junior Austin, L. E. Nichols, J. D. Bayless, and J. W. Layton. Mrs. G. R. Newman is able to be up and around some after being confined to her bed for 16 days.

The Bula ladies that attended the WMU Quarterly meeting at Littlefield Thursday, were Mrs. Leo Buschur, Mrs. C. A. Williams, Mrs. Fred Locker, and Mrs. P. R. Pierce.

A wedding shower was given for Miss Opal Bogard daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bogard of Bula, Thursday January 18, at 3 p.m. in the Bula lunch room.

The W.M.U. of the Bula Baptist Church met Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. Mrs. Leo Buschur read the missionaries names on the prayer calendar and offered the prayer for the missionaries.

The program title was "Students work overseas" China, Peru, and Thailand. Present and taking part on the program were Mrs. Phillip Pierce, Mrs. Edward Crume and Mrs. Fred Locker.

Rev. Mahesha Chavda from India, a student of Wayland College Plainview, was a guest speaker at the Bula Baptist Church for both services Sunday.

Bula high school played their first conference basketball game with Three Way Friday night at Bula. Bula girls won 72 to 22. The boys played a good game but lost their game.

Bula high school also entered the tournament at Smyer, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The girls won their games with Lazbuddie, Smyer and played Friendship

4-H NEWS

Nan Ray saluted as 4-Her of the week

Morton 4-H Club officers met recently and planned the year's programs and on parliamentary procedure and club manners, 4-H records, photography and wild-life. They also planned to sponsor a county camp in July which will include crafts, recreation, skating and other items to add fun to the County 4-H program.

4-Hers with bedroom improvement projects met this week to make plans with Mrs. E. C. Hale, leader. Anyone interested who did not attend this first meeting should contact Mrs. Hale at 927-3647 immediately.

The date for the 4-H Food Show has been tentatively set for February 24. This is the weekend before the 4-H-FFA County Stock Show.

Entry for the Stock Show will be due by February 22. Cost will be \$2 for beef, \$1 for sheep and swine. This will include cost of bedding.

Nan Ray is this week's 4-H Club member. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ohlen Ray, Route 1. She has been a member of the Morton Club for four years. Her main projects have been recreation and foods.

In 1967 she scored highest on the fruit and vegetable division at the County Food Show and also won a blue ribbon at the district food show.

Nan has prepared a total of 68 dishes and 40 complete meals. She also helps out at home with food preservation. One of the things Nan enjoyed last year was visiting the local dairy, egg farm, packing plant and tomato greenhouse as a part of her foods project.

Nan's leaders have been Mrs. A. E. Cade, Mrs. O. L. Tilger, and Mrs. E. C. Hale.

Nan is 1968 council delegate for the Morton Club. In the past she has served as club secretary and reporter.

Army Private First Class Ervin C. Stroud, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin C. Stroud, Enochs, was assigned as a fire direction computer with Headquarters Battery of the 30th Artillery's 1st Battalion in Vietnam, Dec. 12. His wife, Elva, lives at 805 S.W. Fourth, Morton.

for first place and won. Rodney Claunch, Judy Sniker, Joyce Sowder made all tournament.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bayless Saturday night and Sunday were Mrs. Ray Cunningham and son Bill of Wells. She is a sister of Mrs. Bayless.

Dick Bryant was on the sick list last week with the flu.

There will be a wedding shower for Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dean Nichols, Saturday night January 20, at 7:0 p.m. in the Bula lunchroom. The men are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Orphus Tate are the parents of a baby boy, John Kevin. He arrived January 9, in the West Texas Hospital in Lubbock and weighed 8 lbs. and 10 ounces. Mrs. Tate is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Austin of Bula. Mrs. Austin is spending the week with her daughter to care for her and the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Clark of Olton and Mrs. Guy Sanders spent last weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daa Sanders at Seminole.

Guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Preston Harrison Sunday were his brother, Rev. and Mrs. Ray Harrison of Plainview. Ray was also a guest speaker at the Enochs Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Thomas were in Lariat Saturday and visited in the home of their nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Jeter Garner. Mrs. Gene Autry and sons are spending the week in San Angelo, visiting friends.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Byars Tuesday night and Wednesday were her brother Mr. and Mrs. Alford Roller. Also the Byars granddaughters, Tracie and Jackie Parr all of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pearson left Sunday night to be with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Pearson near Wichita Falls. They received word that Mrs. Pearson was very ill.

Since the warmer weather, several farmers have started chiseling their land.

Mr. and Mrs. Zed Robinson are home after an extended visit with his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Harold in Murphreeboro, Tenn., and her sisters, Mrs. E. L. Fletcher and Mrs. Irene Moore in Baltimore, Maryland. Also a tour through the Capital, Blair House, White House, Capital, U. S. Museum of Natural History, and Arlington National Cemetery and viewed Kennedy's grave at Washington, D.C.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zed Robinson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Johnson of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Adams of Bula, Mr. and Mrs.

John W. Gunter of Enochs. Mrs. Preston Harrison was honored with a pink and blue shower Tuesday afternoon January 9, at 2:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall of the Enochs Baptist Church.

The serving table was laid in white lace over yellow, centered with a flower arrangement of fern and white spider mums with a bow of yellow ribbon, topped with a stork. White napkins decorated with pink and blue. Plate favors were made of pink and bluegreen jelly beans a white candy ring with a pink bow.

Mrs. Junior Austin gave a reading, "What is a girl and what is a boy." Refreshments were green and pink cookies in the shape of a baby buggy trimmed in white. Hot spiced tea, pink punch, mints and nuts were served by Mrs. Donald Grusendorf, Mrs. Junior Austin and Mrs. Dale Nichols. The hostess gift was a corsage, blanket, diaper bag and diaper pail. Those serving as hostesses were the Enochs WMU ladies and each hostess brought an extra gift.

Those present were Mmes. Preston Harrison, W. M. Bryant, C. C. Sniker, C. H. Byars, L. E. Nichols, J. B. Vanlandingham, Quinton Nichols, Harold Layton, Ray Seagler, J. W. Layton, Clyde Price, Guy Sanders, J. O. Dane, John Pool, E. N. McCall, George Fine, E. F. Campbell, J. D. Bayless, J. M. Angel, H. B. King, Donald Grusendorf, Junior Austin, Dale Nichols and five children, Paula and Mike Nichols, Ranece Beasley, Greg Austin and Aneta Clark.

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Mrs. Elra Oden is Mother of Year



Mrs. Elra Oden
(Design Studio Photo)

The Morton Area Federation of Women's Clubs has chosen Mrs. Elra Oden as the Elma L. Slaughter Study Club to receive the honor of Mother of the Year.

Mrs. Oden, the former Mildred Shields, was born near Jacksboro and attended school in Childress before moving to Morton in 1929. She graduated from high school in 1933 and married Elra C. Oden that same year. He is employed as City Secretary of Morton.

In 1934 they built a home where they now live. Their children were born and grew up there. Their family has consisted of their children; Elra's parents, the late G. W. Oden and Mrs. Oden; their grandchildren; and close personal contact with Mildred's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shields, who live in Morton. Mildred has one brother, William J. Shields, who lives in Midland.

They are members of the First Methodist Church where Mildred has taught Sunday School, helped with Bible School and the nursery. She has been a member of the WSCS and Wesleyan Service Guild.

Mildred was active in the work of the P.T.A. and the band parents and served as Cub Scout Den Mother.

She has also helped work with Boy Scouts during the 25 years Elra worked as a Boy Scout leader. She has helped the boys with their merit badge requirements, helped them make Indian costumes, fed them and often acted as a chaperone with Elra for their co-ed parties.

She has seen 11 of the Morton Boy Scouts receive their Eagle Scout awards. Mildred is a member and has held office in the Elma L. Slaughter Study Club and is a member and past president of the TOPS International. Her interests, other than these and her family, include cooking, reading — especially history, archeology and anthropology — and hunting Indian artifacts.

Their three older children, Clinton Jr., Dalton and Eddie Lee, were active in all school activities; choral, band, Indian Capers, FFA, War Whoop, annual staff, Future Teachers, football, baseball, track and M-Club. In their church they took part in choir and all youth activities. All three were Scouts. Dalton and Lee both earned the two highest awards of Scouting, the Eagle and the God and Country awards.

As adults the boys have worked as leaders in Little League, Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts and in their churches. All three served in the Armed Forces with Clinton and Dalton in the Army and Lee in the

Air Force.

Clinton attended Eastern New Mexico University and is married to Jan Boaz. Their children are Karan, Wendy, Chris, Craig, Tommy and Clint. He is employed with Jonson & Wimsatt, Inc., wholesale lumber and building supply company and they live in Hampton, Va.

Dalton attended South Plains College and is married to Jean Wells. They have one daughter, Angela. He is employed with the Beall's Dept. Stores in Beaumont.

Lee is married to Linda Elliott and they have one son, Eddie Lee Jr. He is em-

ployed by the Civil Service in the communication department at Ft. Monroe, Va. They live in Hampton, Va.

The youngest son, Elra Clint III, is a second grader. He enjoys school, singing, music, reading, hunting Indian artifacts, and "all the things that are fun for a 7-year-old boy."

Mildred said, "Being chosen Mother of the Year for 1968 is indeed an honor that gives me great pleasure. I am very proud of, and grateful for, my family who made this honor possible. It encourages me to work harder at being a good mother."

Less than 10 years service

Mrs. Ruth McGee selected as Clubwoman of the Year

The Elma L. Slaughter Study Club has selected Mrs. John L. McGee as Clubwoman of the year with less than ten years of service in a Federated Club. The Area Council of Women's Clubs has endorsed this selection.

Ruth (Young) McGee was born Nov. 2, 1908, at Burk Burnett to Mrs. J. T. Young and the late J. T. Young. She is the only child. She lived in Ringgold all of her public school days, finishing high school there. The following year she lived with an aunt in Grainesville and took more high school work in order to graduated from an accredited high school.

College plans were disrupted by the illness of her mother which necessitated her staying home for a year to care for her mother. During this year she worked part time in a country grocery store where her duties included everything from bookkeeping to testing cream. During this time she decided on a business career and enrolled in Bowie Business College at Bowie. After graduation in 1928 she was employed to teach in a business college at Wewoka,

Oklahoma. It was here she met the late John L. McGee and they were married Dec. 5, 1929.

In 1931 they moved to Cochran County to live on the Westheimer-Daube ranch ten miles west of Morton. On January 18, 1933 she accepted the job as secretary to the first County Agent of Cochran County (L. T. Stone), and they moved to Morton. This was the beginning of a job that lasted 33 years with the Department of Agriculture.

In 1941 she was promoted to Office Manager of the Cochran County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, which position she held until she retired on Jan. 1, 1967. During this time Mr. McGee engaged in the construction business and later in stock farming until his death on September 18, 1962.

Ruth was a charter member of the First Christian Church of Ringgold. After moving to Morton she united with the First Methodist Church because her denomination did not have a church here. She is a member of the Asbury Sunday School



Mrs. Ruth McGee

Class, Secretary of Wesleyan Guild, and a member of the Commission on Christian Social Concerns.

Mrs. McGee is a charter member of the Elma L. Slaughter Study Club which was organized in 1964. She has served as Treasurer of the club since its organization; Yearbook committee; Texas Heritage Department; Student Loan Fund, and Community Improvement. She served as Chairman of the USDA Defense Committee, Secretary of the Christian Rural Overseas Program, assisted with Salvation Army drives, and many other community projects. In 1959 and again in 1962 Mrs. McGee was the victim of cancer which required treatments of radium and cobalt. It was because of this personal experience that she willingly accepted the job as President of the Cochran County Unit of the American Cancer Society.

She is a member of Women Democrats, Friends of the Library, T.A.S.C.O.E., has served as Secretary of C.R.O.P., Chairman of the U.S.D.A. Defense Committee, and on the Board of Directors of Community Fund; she has assisted with Maarch of Dimes and Salvation Army drives.

In 1967 Ruth and Mrs. C. H. Silvers realized a lifelong dream by making a two weeks trip to Hawaii.

Her hobbies include knitting, reading and crafts.

Ruth McGee has those qualities required of an Outstanding Clubwoman. She has made a noteworthy contribution to her community, not only as president of the Cancer Society but in other activities as well.



Mrs. A. E. Sanders

ing in rural schools and attending summer school at East Texas State Teacher's College which later became East Texas State University.

In the summer of 1942 a long time goal was reached, she received her B.S. degree and a certificate which qualified her to teach in Texas schools. Her major was home economics and minor English.

She taught English the next year at Direct in Lamar County so that she could be with her parents, who had moved near the Lamar County line in Fannin County. World War II had begun and both of her brothers and her sister left home within a space of one year.

During the years that she taught in rural schools she sponsored 4-H Club groups which made her anxious to reach her goal of becoming a county home demonstration agent. She began her work as an agent in Garza County January 20, 1944 and moved to Cochran County as an agent in 1945. She served as the county home demonstration agent until August 15, 1952. She and A. E. Sanders were married in June of that year.

Her retirement was not very long. She began her career as a teacher in Morton schools on September 1, 1952, just 15 days after retiring. The first year with the system she taught junior high English and arts and handicraft. The next two years she taught sophomore and junior English in Morton High School. She began teaching homemaking in the fall of 1956 at the end of the first six weeks of the school term. Mrs. Alberta Hammonds, one of the homemaking teachers, resigned after the first three weeks of the school term.

Mrs. Sanders and her husband are members of the First Baptist Church. She is a member of the Town and Country Study Club and serves that organization as Secretary and chairman of the Family Life Committee. Other organizations that she belongs to are: The Theta Epsilon Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma, a national honorary society for women teachers; the American Home Economics Association; Texas Vocational Homemaking Teachers Association; and the National Vocational Association. The Texas State Teacher's Association, and its local branch in Cochran County; and National Education Association.

She is a co-sponsor for the local Future Homemakers of America Chapter and the High School Sophomore Class. She is also serving as a member of the Home Economics Sub-Committee for the Extension Service of Texas A&M University's County Program Building Committee.

She says that she cannot remember when she first decided that she wanted to be a teacher. In fact, she never remembers having any other ambition. Teaching to her has never been boring and watching young people learn and mature and take their place in society is very exciting.

Since receiving her B.S. degree, Mrs. Sanders has attended Arts and Crafts workshop at Gatlinburg, Tennessee sponsored by the University of Tennessee, Texas Technological College and Eastern New Mexico University. Each summer the Texas Education Agency has an in-service training program for homemaking teachers. She has missed only one summer and that was due to a death in the family.

Mrs. Elwood Harris is clubwoman with more than 10 years service

The Area Council of Women's Clubs has named Mrs. Elwood J. (Tommye) Harris as Clubwoman of the Year — with more than ten years service in a Federated Club. She has been a member of the L'Allegro Study Club since September 1956. The Area Council is an organization composed of representatives from seven local clubs: Whiteface Study Club, 1936 Study Club, Town and Country Study Club, Y-M Study Club, Emlea Smith Junior, Elma Slaughter Study Club and L'Allegro Study Club. Mrs. Harris is now a candidate for district title and will complete with nominees from other clubs in the Caprock District Convention in March.

Tommye Bea (McAlister) Harris was born in Brownwood to Tom Lewis McAlister and Martha Bea (Bowden) McAlister. She is the oldest of three. Her younger sister, Mrs. Joe Bob (June) Nunley lives in Lubbock, and her younger brother, W. A. (Bill) McAlister lives in Austin.

When Tommye was a year old, the family moved from Brownwood to Alabama, where they lived until she was 13, then moved to Lubbock. She graduated from Lubbock High School and attended Texas Technological College. During the war she taught in the Morton Independent School District.

She has two children, Terry and Patsy. Terry, born August 23, 1943, was graduated from Morton High School, and was a senior at Texas Tech when he was inducted into the Army in November 1966. At the present, he is a Sergeant stationed at Fort Ord, Calif., where he is an instructor in Basic Combat Training. Patsy, born August 13, 1947, graduated from Morton High School and has completed one and one-half years of college.

In 1960, she married Elwood J. Harris, of Ballinger. Elwood is a graduate of Texas Tech, and was Vocational Agriculture teacher in the Morton Schools for two years before he became self-employed as a farmer. During the fall semester of 1967, he taught Agriculture in the Three-Way Independent School District.

For nearly ten years Tommye was a United Civil Service Employee, six of these being with the Farmers Home Administration in Morton, from March 1956 until March 1962. During the past five and one-half years, she has been employed by the First State Bank of Morton, where she is Assistant Cashier and Secretary.

While a teenager, she was united with the Calvary Baptist Church of Lubbock where she sang in the choir and worked in various departments of the Sunday School. She is a member of the First Baptist Church of Morton, where she works in the library and is President of the Mary Martha Sunday School Class. She has helped in Vacation Bible School and

worked as Secretary of the Adult II Sunday School Department.

As a member of the L'Allegro Study Club, she has held seven offices, including President during the 1963-1964 club year. Through lots of work and cooperation by its members, her club accomplished the following during her term as President: started sale of 1000 copies of Area Directories, which they had compiled; organized Federated Club at Maple; purchased new figurine for Nativity Scene; assisted at 15th Anniversary Open House — Girlstown; won \$50 first place for float in Christmas Parade; purchased a flag pole for Roberts Memorial Nursing Home; won first place for pressbook in Division B at District Convention; sponsored float in "Last Frontier Rodeo Parade"; held regular meeting of club at Girlstown with social and visitation period with girls following; co-hosted District Workshop with other local Federated Clubs; joined other local clubs in purchasing portable partitioning screens for County Activity Building; hosted "Spring Round-Up", sponsored by Chamber of Commerce for newcomers; assisted with decorating for District Convention in Levelland.

She was President of the First organized Friends of the Library and is a member now; is County Memorial Chairman of the American Cancer Society, Cochran County Unit and is also Memorial Chairman for Cochran County Unit of Texas Heart Association. She has served as Counselor for the Camp Fire Girls — a member of the Morton Insurance Bowling team for four years. Recently she was elected Treasurer of the newly organized Cochran Memorial Ladies Auxiliary, who will spend time assisting patients in the hospital.

As a member of the Cochran County Garden Club, she participates in Flower Shows where she has won several ribbons in both Artistic and Horticulture Divisions. She takes part in decorating for civic affairs with the club, and enjoys making arrangement, both artificial and fresh for her home.

Her hobbies are fishing (wherever she finds the time and place), reading and spending time at her parents' cabin in Cuchara, Colo.

Without the understanding, help and encouragement from her family, she admits, she could not give so much to these community activities. She would like to give credit for her having received this honor, to the many congenial women with whom she has worked. Tommye stated, "No where will you find a community such as ours where so many friendly and cooperative women, working together for the community, accomplish so much."

The following is a quotation used by her in a speech at the first club meeting dur-

ing her term as President, "A single 10 watt bulb brightens only one dark corner; many 10 watt bulbs can shine as a torch to light the world."

Mrs. A. E. Sanders named Teacher of the Year by Federated Clubs

Mrs. A. E. Sanders, Morton High School home economics teacher, has been named Teacher of the Year by the Morton Area Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mabel Ann (Manley) Sanders was born

in Delta County. When she was still a pre-schooler her family moved near Sulphur Springs. Her first two years of school were spent in a small rural school three miles from her home. There were no

buses in Hopkin County in those days. She remembers that her first teacher's name was Miss Dolly Pace, who was "quite well educated". She had finished two years at East Texas Normal School. Miss Pace went to a larger school at the end of the term and was replaced by a teacher named "Miss Goldie". Mrs. Sanders cannot remember her last name, however, she does remember that she had passed the county examination for teachers and had attended six weeks of "Teacher's Normal".

The family moved back to Delta County and the children were enrolled in the Cooper elementary school, East Ward. This was a change from the little two room school from which they had come. There was one teacher for each grade. Her teacher was a Mrs. McBride with a master's degree and a grown son. She cannot remember being home sick for the little school. Mrs. McBride kept her 31 third graders very busy with many interesting activities.

Mr. Manley was a farmer at heart and never could adjust to working in town. He felt "all cooped up" he said. The next year the family moved to a farm near Cooper and the children went to rural schools.

The last two years of Mrs. Sanders' public school year were spent in Cooper High School. She graduated in the spring of 1933 on June 6.

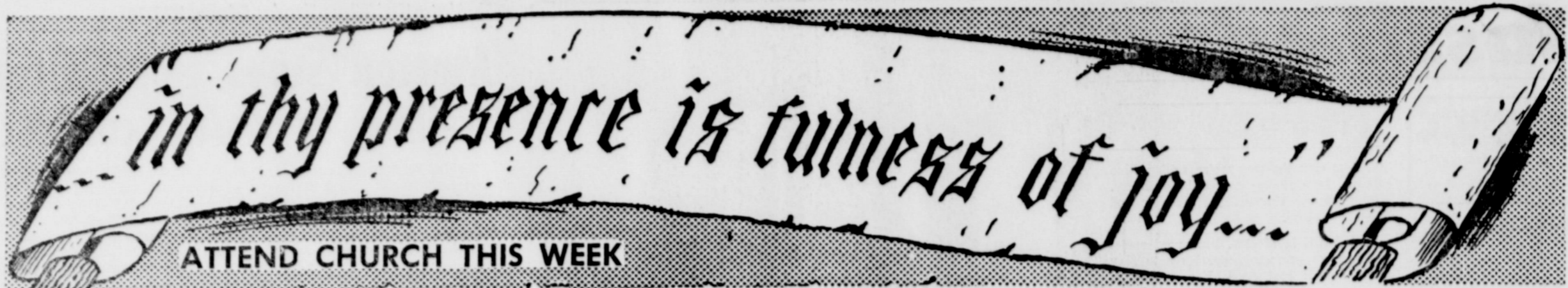
That fall she enrolled in North Texas Agricultural College, which later became Arlington State, on a 4-H Club Scholarship. The school was a junior college at that time.

Her teaching career began in the fall of 1938. The school was a two room school just outside of Commerce. There were supposed to be four grades but there were no children in the fourth grade and only one child in the third. Of the fourteen first graders, almost half of the class was left handed. By the end of the year she too had become pretty adept at using her left hand and still sometimes catches herself writing with her left hand on the chalk board.

The next six years were spent in teach-



Mrs. Elwood J. Harris
(Design Studio Photo)



ATTEND CHURCH THIS WEEK

CHURCH OF CHRIST
J. A. Woolley, Preacher
S.W. 2nd and Taylor

Sundays—
Bible Class — 10:00 a.m.
Worship — 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship — 7:00 p.m.
Wednesdays—
Midweek Bible Class — 8:00 p.m.

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Rex Mauldin, Minister
411 West Taylor

Sundays—
Church School Session — 9:45 a.m.
Morning
Worship Service — 10:55 a.m.
Evening
Fellowship Program — 5:00 p.m.
Evangelism — 6:00 p.m.
Mondays—
Each First Monday, Official
Board Meeting — 8:00 p.m.
Each First Monday
Commission Membership on
Evangelism — 7:00 p.m.
Second and Fourth Monday
Wesleyan Service Guild 8:00 p.m.
Tuesdays—
Women's Society of
Christian Service — 9:30 a.m.
Each Second Saturday, Methodist
Men's Breakfast — 7:00 a.m.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Fred Thomas, Pastor
202 S.E. First

Sundays—
Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship — 10:55 a.m.
Morning Service KRAN at 11:00
Youth Choir — 5:00 p.m.
Training Union — 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship — 7:00 p.m.
Tuesdays—
Helen Nixon W.M.U. — 9:30 a.m.
Wednesdays—
Graded Chorus — 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Service — 7:30 p.m.
Church Choir Rehearsal 8:30 p.m.

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SPANISH
ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Gilbert Gonzales
N.E. Fifth and Wilson

Sunday—
Sunday School — 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.
Evening
Evangelistic Service — 7:30 p.m.
Tuesdays—
Evening Bible Study — 8 p.m.
Thursdays—
Evening Prayer Meet — 8:00 p.m.

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EAST SIDE
CHURCH OF CHRIST
Cecil Williams, Minister
704 East Taylor

Sundays—
Bible Study — 10:00 a.m.
Worship — 10:45 a.m.
Song Practice — 5:30 p.m.
Worship — 7:00 p.m.
Monday—
Ladies Bible Class — 4:15 p.m.
Wednesdays—
Midweek Service — 7:30 p.m.

**"YOU TOOK MY PICTURE...
AND I WASN'T READY!"**

How concerned we are with the image we present to others! And it is right that we should be. How mightily we influence others. It is so important that the self we present is one that will influence others for good.

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ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Rev. Perry L. Shuffield
Jefferson and Third

Sundays—
Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.
Evening
Evangelist Service — 7:00 p.m.
Wednesdays—
Night Prayer Meeting and
Christ's Ambassadors
Convene Together — 7:30 p.m.
Thursdays—
Every 1st and 3rd, Women's
Missionary Council — 2:30 p.m.
Every 2nd and 4th, Girls'
Missionette Club — 4:30 p.m.

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**FIRST MISSIONARY
BAPTIST CHURCH**
William S. Hobson, Pastor
Main and Taylor

Radio Broadcast — 8:00 a.m.
Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship — 10:45 a.m.
Training Service — 7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship — 6:00 p.m.
Mondays—
Mary Martha Circle — 2:30 p.m.
Edna Bullard Circle — 3:00 p.m.
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Wednesdays—
Mid-Week Worship — 8:00 p.m.

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Mass Schedule—
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Monday — 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday — 7:30 a.m.
Wednesday — 7:30 p.m.
Thursday — 7:30 a.m.
Friday (1st of Month) 7:30 p.m.
Friday (2nd, 3rd & 4th) 7:30 a.m.
Saturday — 8:00 a.m.
Sunday—Catechism Class,
10:00 - 11:00 a.m.
Confessions—Sunday
Half hour before Mass.
Baptisms: — 12 noon Sunday
and by appointment

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Training Union — 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship — 7:30 p.m.
Wednesdays — 7:30 p.m.

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