



MORTON "MEROUDER" OFFENSE . . .

THE ABOVE LINEUP of top offensive squadmen are expected to carry much of the load in the point-making department for Morton this year. They went far in proving their mettle in downing Plains 20-0 Friday. Left to right,

kneeling, Willie Holland, Rocky Dewbre, Kim Coats, Gerald Grusendorf, Darrel Betts, Haskali Lamar and Ted Thomas. Standing, Larry Thompson, Stan Coffman, Kevin Kuehler and Eddie Lewis.

INDIAN "TOMAHAWK" DEFENSE . . .

SOME SAY DEFENSE is where the action is and the above front line braves are ready and willing to sink their tomahawks into a large piece of that action whenever and wherever necessary to hold the enemy score down. Kneel-

ing Jimmy Harvey, M. C. Collins, Kirby Gresham, William Grant, Monte Dewbre and Ted Thomas. Standing, left to right, Keith Embry, Elton Patton, Dubbie Bryan, Bryant Lewis and Eddie Lewis.

## Dedication of gas lights at Girlstown set for Saturday

"Lighting the Avenue of Opportunity" will be the theme of a ceremony Saturday, Sept. 19, at 2:30 p.m. at Girlstown, U.S.A. in Whiteface when 62 gaslights presented by Caprock District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, will be dedicated.

The Honorable R. B. McAllister of Lubbock, state representative and past Girlstown board member, will make the dedicatory speech, with Betty Fore, "Miss Girlstown of 1970," giving a response. Mrs. LeRoy Johnson of Morton, Caprock District president, will introduce the speaker, acknowledge telegrams and letters and welcome guests.

Mrs. Lane Decker of Floydada, past district president, will give the invocation. The pledge of allegiance will be led by Kim Piazza of Girlstown. Lloyd Thompson of Lubbock will sing "The Star Spangled Banner."

Climax of the program will be the symbolic lighting of the gaslights by Girlstown girls. Refreshments will be served afterward.

Pioneer Natural Gas Company installed the lights free as a courtesy to Girlstown and Caprock clubwomen and will service and maintain the lights regularly free of charge.

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## 'Teen Challenge' group hold services at Methodist Church

Lyle Noah and a group from the Dallas Chapter of Teen Challenge will be in Morton at the First United Methodist Church Sunday, September 20. Noah will be the featured speaker at the 7 p.m. service.

"Teen Challenge grew out of the ministry of a young man named Dave Wilkerson who felt the call of God to go to New York City and administer to the needs of drug addicts, many of them teenagers," according to Rev. Rex Mauldin, minister of the First United Methodist Church in Morton. Wilkerson has written many books including "The Cross and Switchblade" which is being made into a motion picture and will star Pat Boone.

From its beginning in New York, this movement has spread to most of the major cities of the United States. Along with Noah, who is director of the Dallas Chapter, will be some of the youth who have been rescued from drug addiction. Youth from all churches are invited to come at 5:30 p.m. for a salad supper and to hear Lyle speak, adults and children are invited to attend the hour of worship at 7 p.m.," Rev. Mauldin stated in announcing the youth of this area to attend.

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## Tribe takes on tough Tigers in Friday game

For the past two years, Frenship High School and football have fit together like Bob Lilly and his heroics of the gridiron and all pre-season prognostics indicate that the Tigers may just be the first team in recent years to beat the Denver City Mustangs two years in a row and run away with District 4-AA honors.

Friday night is D-Day for the Morton Indians who will have their opportunity to break a two-year jinx and perhaps outshine both perennial grid powers as they take on the Tigers in their home den. Game time is 8 p.m. at Wolfforth.

Big, fast and talented describe the Frenship Tigers for 1970, and with seven offensive and eight defensive men back from last year's district championship team, the conference kingpins are predicted to fight it out for the crown with Denver City and Slaton.

Since Morton moved out of district 4-AA, Friday's game has no bearing on any conference race, but the contest is an

important clash for both squads. Frenship is still looking for its first test of the season. Last week, the Tigers tore up a hapless young Lubbock Christian High team that was playing several notches over its head, the final tally was 54-0.

Meanwhile Morton bounced improved Plains, 20-0, but hampered by injuries, the Indians' full strength was not tested. Thus, this week's game is somewhat of a showdown.

Last year, the Tribe played determined football in losing to the bigger Tiger squad, 14-0, at Morton.

Morton fans got close glimpses of the Rogans' boys last year, especially in

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SHOWING THEM HOW . . .

LOOKING OVER PROSPECTIVE MATERIAL for possible use in the "Make It With Cotton" contest to be held in Morton next week are four young seamstresses who welcome the guidance of Betty Silhan, the reigning "Miss Cotton of Cochran County", far left. Receiving her advise are, left to right, Lisa Bennett, Connie Jo Foust, Christy Foust and Peggy Bennett. Lisa and Peggy are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Daryl Bennett and Connie Jo and Christy are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Foust, all of Morton.

## City of Whiteface approves sales tax

The City of Whiteface, in a special election, voted to pass a City sales tax in balloting held Tuesday, September 15. The voting was 56 for the tax and 18 against.

According to officials, it was a good turnout as there are only 170 eligible voters in the city limits. Six absentee ballots were cast.

Ballots were cast at the City Office from 8 a.m. until 7 p.m. Tuesday. The new 1% City sales tax will go into effect January 1, 1971.

## Center organizing classes for adults

Morton Community Action Center will meet Monday, September 21, to organize classes for persons 18 years of age or older who wish to further their education.

These classes will be conducted at the Community Action Center two nights a week beginning September 21 each Monday and Thursday thereafter from 8 to 10 p.m. There will be no charge for the classes or for the materials used.

The program will be designed to meet the needs of those who can neither read nor write for adults wishing to work toward a high school diploma. Basic skills will be taught with emphasis on reading, communication skills, and math. Anyone interested in the program may register at the Community Action Center at anytime before, or at the meeting September 21. Enrollment will be continuing throughout the year.

Mrs. W. G. Freeland is director of the G.E.D. program for Cochran County and will be in Abernathy today to observe the program in that city. Jeff Townsend and Vanice Lovett, teachers in the Morton Independent School System, will be instructing classes.

## Local officials seek ways to retain ambulance services

The second meeting in as many nights was held in the Cochran Memorial Hospital board room Tuesday night to discuss measures to be taken to continue ambulance service in the local area.

The announcement that the Singleton Funeral Home will terminate its ambulance service in the near future, has resulted in the meetings between the hospital district and the local government agencies for the purpose of seeking a solution to the problem.

Maintaining the ambulance service was

the main topic of discussion at the Morton City Council meeting Monday night when hospital district board president Raymond Devours and hospital administrator Truman Swinney appeared before the city fathers to discuss the subject.

The Tuesday night meeting consisted of representatives of the county commissioners court, the city council and the hospital board. No solution to the problem was decided upon at the meeting but a

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"CHEERFUL" SPIRIT BUILDERS . . .

FRONT AND CENTER in the "spirit line" this year as the football and basketball teams fight it out for district honors will be this sextet of beauties who should raise the spirits of many hard-pressed athlete. Front, left to right, Betty

Silhan, Rita Spence and Michelene Marina. Top, left to right, Beverly Dolle, Sue Winder and Karen Willis. The group has worked long and hard to perfect their cheer-leading abilities and would be an asset to any school athletic program.

## Indians pound out 20-0 verdict over Plains

Morton's Indians, displaying two solid goal line stands and the ability to strike like lightning, shut out an able and determined crew of Plains Cowboys last Friday in the season's opener for both teams.

Playing before one of the largest home crowds in recent years, both teams thrilled their fans with every variety of football prowess, but appeared to have been following last year's script as the Indians took a 6-0 lead to the dressing room at the half to match last year's first-half show.

But, like any opening game, mistakes kept both teams from appearing overly impressive. The visitors displayed tremendous improvement over last year's 1-8-1 record, but the Tribe's potential still remains undisclosed. Promises of great

things glimmered at intervals through an otherwise sluggish offense; top defensive play in the second half helped to offset Morton's first-half mediocre play.

Late in the first half, the Indians began to put things together, but the Cowboys banged to the two-yard line before time ran out in the second quarter. During the first period, the Cowboys drove over the double-stripe from five yards out, but an off-sides penalty rubbed out the score. Then, with a first and goal from the five, the Indians threw back four stabs at the goal.

Deep in their own territory, the Tribe had trouble getting out of the hole as the Cowboys took advantage of a good strong south breeze that held up M. C. Collins' two first-half punt attempts. After

the second punt, the Pokes tried to move from the Indian 35 but four plays lost 12 yards as time ran out in the opening period, the Indians in turn prepared to take advantage of the same strong south

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## ★ Cotton contest

The annual Last Frontier "Sew With Cotton Contest" will be held Tuesday, September 22 at 7:30 p.m. in the County Activities Building. The public is invited to attend.

Lou-Ana 100% Cottonseed Cooking Oil will be on sale at the door.

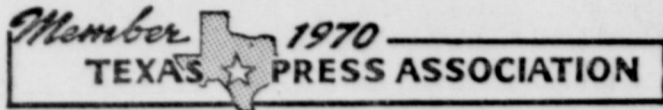
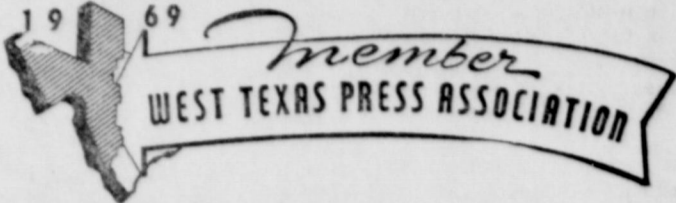
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## The Voice of Business

by ARCH N. BOOTH

Almost every time you buy something these days — food for the family, clothing or what not — you are conscious of inflation. Prices are higher. Your money doesn't go as far as it used to.

Your dollar has lost about 15 per cent of its purchasing power in the past three years, U. S. Department of Commerce statistics show.

The trend is continuing. The value of your dollar is shrinking rapidly.

We all know what the main cause of this inflation is: It is excessive government spending.

The government has been spending far beyond its income.

Continued deficit spending puts more money into circulation in relation to the amount of goods and services available, and makes prices go up.

In the long run, no one escapes the inroads of inflation.

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### NOTICE —

#### SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
County of COCHRAN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable 99th Court of Lubbock County, on the 31st day of March 1969, by J. R. Dever, Clerk of said Court for the sum of Five Hundred Forty and 40/100 Dollars plus interest at 7% per annum from April 12, 1968, and attorney's fees of \$82.00 and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of Municipal Investment Corporation in a certain cause in said Court, No. 48737 and styled MUNICIPAL INVESTMENT CORPORATION vs. JUAN RODRIGUEZ and wife, CELIA S. RODRIGUEZ, placed in my hands for service, I, HAZEL HANCOCK as Sheriff of Cochran County, Texas, did, on the 1st day of September 1970, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Cochran County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Lot Ten (10), Block One Hundred Fifty-Eight (158), Original Town of Morton, Cochran County, Texas;

and levied upon as the property of JUAN RODRIGUEZ and wife, CELIA S. RODRIGUEZ and that on the first Tuesday in October 1970, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door of Cochran County, in the City of Morton, Texas, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said JUAN RODRIGUEZ and wife, CELIA S. RODRIGUEZ

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Morton Tribune, a newspaper published in Cochran County. Witness my hand, this 1st day of September 1970.

HAZEL HANCOCK  
Sheriff Cochran County, Texas.

It certainly affects you if you live on a pension or a fixed income. Yes, but it also affects you if you earn wages, carry insurance, having a savings account, or own property, stocks or bonds.

By undermining the value of the dollar, inflation affects the whole economy. It affects the future of the country.

There are two ways Congress could hold inflation in check, if it would. It could increase taxes. It could slow down the rate of federal spending. It could do both.

The businessmen of America feel that the sensible place for Congress to start is by reducing spending.

For some reason, however — whether the reason is political or otherwise — Congress is in a spending mood.

In fact, it looks as though Congress is deliberately trying to perpetuate inflation. Consider what has happened on Capitol Hill recently:

— Action by the Congress will add \$7.5 billion to the President's 1971 budget request, if the House action is sustained by the Senate.

— Appropriations bills already passed by both the House and the Senate total \$2.8 billion more than the President requested — and final action has been taken on only five of the 15 regular appropriations bills.

As originally proposed by the Administration, the budget for this fiscal year projected a surplus of \$1.3 billion. Subsequent changes in estimated revenues, and spending actions taken by Congress, have put the budget in the red. The estimated deficit is now \$10-\$15 billion.

For fiscal 1972, forecasts of the deficit run as high as \$23 billion.

If an about-face is not taken on deficit spending, we will have inflation with a vengeance. How could it be otherwise?

Once inflation is permitted to become a way of life, a tax increase would not be able to slow it down. Nor would governmental controls on wages, prices, rents and credit solve the problem.

Certain Congressional leaders are rationalizing their present spending actions by promising that they will economize later on, when they find an opportunity to do so.

The way to economize, however, is to economize now.

The way for Congress to put the brakes on inflation is to look the facts in the face, and to get out of the spending mood.

As a responsible citizen you can be helpful toward halting inflation by writing to your elected representatives in Washington, and urging them to keep federal spending within bounds — and then by letting them know that you appreciate their doing so.

Why don't you?

### Mrs. Walker hosts president's dinner for ES Junior Club

The Emlea Smith Junior Study Club met September 10 in the home of Mrs. James Walker for the annual president's Dinner.

Following a patio dinner, catered by Temple Kern, the business meeting was presided over by Mrs. James Dewbre, president.

Mrs. James St. Clair was voted into the club and Mrs. Glen Lowe's name was presented for membership. The 1970-71 yearbook was dedicated to Mrs. Rodney Fralin, past president. A motion was made and carried to donate \$10. for the friendship walk at Girlstown and each member was asked to make cookies for the dedication of the gas lights at Girlstown to be held Saturday, September 19.

Members and guests present were: Mesdames Walker, Ronald Coleman, Sherrill Griffith, Tommy Hawkins, Robert Taylor, Jimmy Harris, Glynn Price, Don Lynskey, Fralin, Ted Whillock, Bill Foust, Sandy Asbill, Ronnie Wallace, Bob Polvado, Roy McClung, St. Clair, Doug Reed, Lester Dupler, Tommy Thomson, Mike Doss, Gary Willingham, Earl Polvado, Dewbre, J. W. Tyson, Robert Terry and Lou Kern.

The next meeting is scheduled for September 24 in the home of Mrs. Doug Reed.

### Letter to the Editor

Ft. Smith Arkansa  
Sept. 10, 1970

Morton Tribune  
Dear Editor:

Mother and I read the Tribune each week, and do you know that most old timers have passed away.

We hardly know any one who lives there now.

Please give my regards to my kid sister (Mrs. Spotts).

I have a cabin on the lake, if you should pass this way please stop and I will take you fishing.

Thanks, J. L. York

(Editors note —Mr. York may be sure that if we are in the Fort Smith area, we'll take him up on the fishing offer and our hi! to HESSIE B.)

## Comments on Conservation

BY WAYNE WILCOX

Have you ever had a week that didn't seem to have enough hours? Last week was one of those weeks for us.

Monday was a holiday for some. However, the Cochran Soil and Water Conservation District Board of Directors met. High up on the list of business was the upcoming Director's election for Zone 2. As you may know, Zone 2 in the Cochran SWCD is located in the southeast corner of the county. It is the same area as County Commissioner's Precinct 2. If arrangements can be made, the directors plan to hold the election at Whiteface on October 1, starting at 8:30 p.m. (The board expressed hopes that all land-owners who have land in this zone will turn out for the meeting). Eugene Bentley is currently the district director for Zone 2.

Tuesday Cochran SWCD Chairman Eddie Silhan and SCS District Conservationist Wayne Wilcox attended a meeting in Post, Texas. This was a bi-annual meeting of the South Plains Association of Soil the business meeting part of the gathering. Silhan reminded the directors that the Cochran SWCD was looking forward to hosting the meeting in February, 1971.

Ten billion gallons per month. This is the amount of water used by the Postex Cotton Mills at Post. The group toured this plant following the business session. In case you are wondering, it would take 46,296 sprinklers putting 5 gallons per minute 30 days to put out 10 billion gallons of water. This water goes through the plant and is then dumped into a pond. Nature takes over here in an effort to make the water useful once again for plants and animals. Studies are under way to determine how this water can be purified enough to be re-used in processing cotton into sheets. Wonder how many gallons of water across the nation are being used once and then lost that could be reclaimed?

Thursday was spent at Halfway, Texas. Rain dampened the spirits and chilled the bodies of spectators at the 14th Annual Field Day at the High Plains Research Foundation. However, before the afternoon was over, the sun regained its place in the sky and visitors were able to see various trials. One of the most interesting and promising studies being carried on is minimum tillage. Much of their conventional tilled cotton blew away this year. The cotton planted using minimum tillage survived the winds that accompanied the tornadoes. The minimum tilled cotton and grain sorghum both looked real good. If you haven't seen it, it might be well worth your time to drive up to Halfway and look around a bit.

Friday was football day. The Morton Indians finished the day in fine style and started another winning season.

Speaking of the Morton Indians football brings a question to mind. How in the world do such outstanding stars both in football and basketball find the way to the foreground? A look around the school grounds makes you think that only a very few are able to hit the top barrels!

### Letter To The Editor

Dear Bill:

I'd like to take this opportunity to express my appreciation to the doctors, dentists, nurses and all the hospital staff who helped give the physical examinations to our football boys — all free of charge.

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A Football Mother

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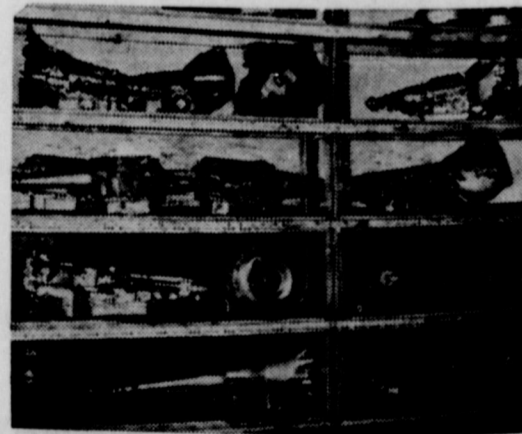


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### Local youth enrolled in Amarillo school

Edward E. York, son of Earl E. York and E. Fillmore in Morton is a student at Texas State Technical Institute where he is enrolled in Commercial Art and Advertising.

Enrollment at the T.S.T.I. Campus ends September 15 for the first trimester, according to Dr. J. N. Baker, T.S.T.I. President and General Manager of Mid-Continent Campus. The next trimester at State Tech will begin January 4. State Tech became an official part of Texas educational system last year

when authorization was given by the 69th Legislature to purchase portions of the old Amarillo Air Force Base for use as a Vocational-Technical School.

Other courses being offered this trimester (State Tech's school year is divided into three 15-week semesters called trimesters) include Airframe Mechanics, Livestock and Ranch Operations, Building Construction Craftsman, Graphics and Design Technology, Farm and Industrial Equipment Mechanics, and Technical Communications.



#### IN WITH THE NEW . . .

THAT WAS THE THEME as a new slate of officers for 1970-71 were installed at a meeting of the Emlea Smith Jr. Study Club late last week. Taking the reins of responsibility for the coming year are, seated left to right, Mrs. Bill Foust, first vice-president; Mrs. James Dewbre, president; Mrs. Robert Terry, second vice-president and Mrs. Don Lynsky, historian. Standing, left to right, Mrs. Jimmy Harris, recording secretary; Mrs. Robert Taylor, reporter; Mrs. Ronald Coleman, parliamentarian; Mrs. Roy McClung, auditor; and Mrs. Mike Doss, treasurer. Not present for the picture was Mrs. Ray O'Brien, corresponding secretary.

### Field day farm tour set Tuesday

A Cochran county agent and Soil Conservation Service field day tour will begin at the county activities building at 10 a.m. Tuesday, September 22, county agent Roy McClung has announced.

All interested persons are invited to join the tour and view the crop demonstrations, nematode control measures, use of chemicals, crop varieties, alternate crop usage and soil conservation projects in progress.

The tour will last two hours and will terminate at the country club with a luncheon and program sponsored by Donald Johnson, executive vice-president of Plains Cotton Growers of Lubbock, who will deliver an up-to-date report on the progress of the new farm program and the agricultural outlook in general.

The program will also feature the election of a farm director representative from Cochran county to the board of Plains Cotton Growers. Lloyd Miller is the present farmer director for the county.

### Three Way news

BY KATIE GARVIN

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hines from Farmington, N.M. are visiting her mother, F.H.A. girls had initiation for the freshman girls Monday evening.

Kay Fine was in the hospital at Lubbock. She is home now and is doing fine. Mrs. J. Wheeler and her daughter-in-law Peggy went to Clovis Thursday and then went to her grandsons 7th birthday party at Muleshoe.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Long went to Wichita Falls for the weekend.

Maldean Mastons', mother Mrs. Roberts from Phoenix, Ariz., had been visiting with relatives as well as her daughter and family. She left for home Saturday morning.

Threeway Jr. High played Smyer Thursday night. Threeway lost. High School played Dawson Friday night and lost. Two of our high school boys were injured at the game. Gene Abbe has a broken collar bone, James Partlow received head injuries. Both boys are at Cochran Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Carpenter went to Dalhart for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davis and family and Mr. and Mrs. Clampt from Kansas City, Mo. were here visiting kin folk this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Fowler went to Dallas last week on a short vacation.

Mrs. J. Wheeler attended the funeral of Walter Holt. The services were held at Morton Missionary Baptist Church Friday. He was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Lee Harris.

### Tribe . . .

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basketball play. Well, Joe and Jake play football, too. Fullback Joe Rogans is the 188-pound workhorse for the Tigers and can clip out 100-yards in 10.5. Left end Jake Rogans at 202 pounds, is a favorite target of senior quarterback Kim Morris.

Joe scored twice against LCHS and recovered a fumble. Brother Jake booted six extra points. Halfback Roy Cuellar scored three times for the Tigers.

With a 192-pound line, the Tigers will have quite a weight advantage over the Tribe's rather light forward wall.

With a backfield that has "four backs who can score anytime," to quote a Morton scout, the Tigers may just be the most potent team the Indians will face all year, with perhaps Floydada being an exception.

Frenship's new coach, Jack Tayrien, describes his quarterback Kim Morris as being able to throw "the sprint out pass real well while running to either side, but yet he is tall enough to throw from his pocket." Tayrien told the Avalanche-Journal that Morris has "a good arm and can throw accurately for a good 30 yards."

Morton's Indians could add a might big blue and gold feather to their war bonnets with a Friday win over the Tigers, and the Tribe should be at full strength for the attempt. Morton's Stan Coffman was impressive last week against Plains and has a touch with the football himself.

Keith Embry described by his coaches as being "able to play anywhere on the field," helps the Tribe pose a double threat in the backfield. Embry picked up 44 yards on 4 carries last week against the Cowboys.

Friday's game promises to be suspense loaded as both teams are expected to go the airmail route frequently. With Frenship's usual breakaway threat, and the Indians' quick-strike capability, football fans may just miss the best game of the year if they stay home from the Indian-Tiger shoot-out.

## Mexican independence day observed by local schools

BY DOROTHY ROSE

The 16th of September is an important date for Mexico, for it was on that day in 1810 that Mexico won its independence from Spain. Dies y Seis de Septiembre is to Mexico what the Fourth of July is to America.

Many of the residents of Texas have Mexican ancestors, and observe the day with various celebrations including parades and festivals with Queens, music and dancing.

The Morton Public Schools — on all levels — helped to observe the day by having class discussions on the contributions of Mexican nationals to the state of Texas. The lunch room featured a Mexican food menu, and school dismissed early.

The Mexicans have made many contributions to the history and culture of Texas and the Southwest. This fact is often overlooked and is the basis for the Mexican-American complaints against history textbooks.

According to Eugene Smith of the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal, the greatest contribution was the colonizing and settling of the area.

The first vice president of the Republic of Texas was Lorenzo Zavala, a Mexican. He was also one of the three Mexicans who signed the Texas Declaration of Independence.

Seven Mexicans were among those who died defending the Alamo, according to Texas Tech historians, and 25 Mexicans fought with Sam Houston at San Jacinto.

Smith also found in his research that "Virtually any term or practice connected with the cattle industry can be traced

to Mexican origins, as can the very industry itself, which was begun in Texas by Mexicans before Anglos settled here."

"Concho, remuda, lariat, ranch, rancher, bronco, mustang and chaps are all words and concepts rooted in Mexican Spanish. So is the word rodeo, which means among other things in Spanish, roundup and corral. So is the holding of the rodeo event so popular in this part of the country, which began not with Anglo cowboys, but with Mexican vaqueros."

The provision in Texas law that a person's homestead cannot be taken from him to pay his debts came from a Mexican law.

A long poem titled 'The Chronicles of New Mexico,' was written in 1613 by Gaspar Perez de Villagra, and is the first truly American literary work.

We are most grateful for the many contributions of the Mexicans to Texas and the Southwest.

### Morton area receives very welcome rainfall

Several inches of long-awaited and deeply welcome rain descended on a baked and begging Cochran county this week and set area farmers and ranchers hearts aglow.

Perhaps too late to be of real value to the fast-maturing cotton and feed grain crops, the liberally bestowed moisture should prove of vast benefit to the winter wheat acreage and substantially raise rangeland grazing prospects. Fall plowing should be made easier by the presence of the added moisture.

The main downpour, which continued for several hours Sunday night, appeared to be quite general over the county and adjacent areas, but reports indicated it varied in intensity from location to location. Amounts reported vary from more than seven inches near Pettit to four and one half inches in Morton, six inches southwest of town to no more than two inches in the southeast portion of the county.

Rainfall measured by the city utilities department following the showers late Tuesday night came to one half inch. Prospects for further showers in the next few days are fair, according to the U.S. Weather Bureau.

### Sheriff rounds up wire theft suspects

Two suspects in the recent theft of approximately \$800 worth of copper wire from a high tension line near Whiteface were apprehended by Cochran county sheriff's personnel late last week.

Free on \$3,000 bond each are Robert Harvey Curry, 36, of Hobbs, New Mexico and Bobby Gene Hodge, also 36, of Levelland.

Curry was taken into custody at Hobbs late last Wednesday and transported to Morton by sheriff's personnel where his bond was set by Justice of the Peace Joe Gipson.

Hodge was taken into custody Friday in Levelland and brought here where his bond was also set by Gipson.

### School menu

Monday, September 21 — Salmon patties, buttered potatoes, buttered pinto beans, celery sticks & tomato wedges, cheese, apple crisp, biscuits & butter, milk.

Tuesday, September 22 — Corn dogs & mustard, baked beans, au gratin potato, tossed salad, blackberry cobbler, batter bread & butter, milk.

Wednesday, September 23 — Veal cutlets & gravy, buttered green beans, whole kernel corn, sliced tomatoes, peanutbutter cake & sauce, rolled wheat rolls & butter, milk.

Thursday, September 24 — Tacos (Beef, cheese & pinto beans), buttered peas, tossed salad, bread & butter, sugar cookies, milk.

Friday, September 25 — Beef stew, mixed chilled fruit, corn bread & butter, chocolate milk.

### Hansen re-elected land bank director

Hugh Hansen, Route 2, Morton, was re-elected as a director of the Federal Land Bank Association of Levelland to serve for a three-year term, at the Annual Stockholders' Meeting held last week, according to Joe Breed, manager of the Association.

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### 1970 INDIAN SCHEDULE

|                           |                            |                          |                                   |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <b>Morton 20</b> .....    | <b>Plains 0</b>            | <b>October 16</b> .....  | <b>Morton at Dimmitt</b>          |
| <b>September 18</b> ..... | <b>Morton at Frenship</b>  | <b>October 23</b> .....  | <b>Lockney at Morton</b>          |
| <b>September 25</b> ..... | <b>Farwell at Morton</b>   | <b>October 30</b> .....  | <b>Olton at Olton</b>             |
| <b>October 2</b> .....    | <b>Abernathy at Morton</b> | <b>November 6</b> .....  | <b>Frona at Morton</b>            |
| <b>October 9</b> .....    | <b>Morton at Floydada</b>  | <b>November 13</b> ..... | <b>Littlefield at Littlefield</b> |

# Castilloja-Bratcher exchange ing vows in Edinburg rites

Miss Angelina Castilloja of Edinburg and Hugh Gene Bratcher of West Columbia exchanged double ring vows August 14 at 6 p.m. in Sacred Heart Church in Edinburg.

Rev. James Lyons and Rev. Hubert Bratcher, father of the groom, officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mrs. Adela Castilloja and the late Victorio Castilloja of Edinburg and Dr. and Mrs. Hubert Bratcher of Whiteface and Morton.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, Apolinar Castilloja, wore a floor length gown of white imported silk organza with overlays of Chantilly lace. The dress featured a semi-empire waistline outlined by a white satin sash. Chantilly lace covered the bodice styled with a long neckline and was repeated in long tapered sleeves. Applied motifs of Chantilly seed pearls and crystals accentuated the full skirt. Her cathedral length train of organza was highlighted with medallions of Chantilly lace, pearls and crystals. The chapel length bouffant of silk illusion was held by a crown of crystals. She carried a crescent shap-bouquet trimmed with yellow and red carnations, statice, and long floral streamers in love knots. A white tulle orchid was in the center.

Miss Lupita Castilloja, niece of the bride, was maid of honor and wore a floor length formal gown of off-white organza over taffeta. She wore short gloves and carried a formal crescent bouquet of yellow carnations with tufts of yellow

and lime green tulle. Her headpiece was a tulle veil cascading from an organza rose cluster.

Mrs. Eva Bernal was matron of honor and Miss Minda Duarte, Belinda Wright and Maria Lumbreas were bridesmaids. They wore gowns identical to the maid of honor in yellow organza over yellow taffeta.

Miss Patricia Charles, niece of the bride was flower girl and Rena Gonzales, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer.

Jim Barker of Edinburg was bestman and Cayetano Cavazos was usher.

Other attendants were: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. King of Petersburg, sister and brother-in-law of the groom, first witnesses; Mr. and Mrs. Julio Castilloja, brother and sister-in-law of the bride, de lazo; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gonzales, primeros padrinos; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wisener, de arras; and Mr. and Mrs. John Barker, de libro y rosario.

Juan Perez was organist and Mrs. Dan Layne sang "The Lord's Prayer."

A reception was held at the Echo Motel Pool Patio following the ceremony.

Following a wedding trip to Mexico City the couple will reside in West Columbia.

The bride graduated from Texas A&I University with a B.A. in Home Economics and is employed with the Edinburg Independent School District.

Bratcher graduated from McMurry College and received his Master's Degree from Colorado State College and is employed as a counselor with the Columbia-Brazoria Independent School District.



Mrs. Hugh Gene Bratcher

## About local folks . . .

BY DUTCH GIPSON

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers, residents of Morton for the past twenty years, have moved to Carlsbad, N.M. and will reside at 1805 Rincon Street. They will live near their daughter, Mrs. Fred Danforth.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Rountree returned home last week from a vacation with friends and relatives in Oklahoma, Arkansas, Illinois and East Texas.

Mrs. Eugene Bently entered Methodist Hospital Friday, September 11, and is scheduled to have back surgery.

Mrs. Lennie Doyle is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Jones and is going into Lubbock each day for treatments.

Mrs. O. D. Chesshir attended her family, the Russell, reunion at the Cowboy Bunkhouse in Stamford last week. There were six brothers and sisters, children of Jack Russell, deceased, present. Mrs. Chesshir also attended a reunion of her mother's family (Rhea) and, visited with an aunt Stella Russell who is in the nursing home in Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Smart of Lubbock, Miss Zodie Ledbetter of Texas Tech University, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brownlow and children of Amherst and Mr. and Mrs. Loy Kern and children attended a birthday celebration in the home of their parents, Judge and Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter Sunday. The celebration was in honor of Judge Ledbetter's birthday.

Recently Mrs. Alan James and son, Mark, of Casa Grande, Arizona visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Huggins. Mrs. James will be remembered as the former Cathy Huggins.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Nesbitt and Allen Nesbitt of Morton, Cynthia and Steve Shields of Idalou attended the annual "Miller Family" reunion Friday, Saturday, and Sunday which was held at Juartz Mountain State Park near Altus, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gipson received word from their son, Lt. Col. Joe B. Gipson and his wife, Major Shirley L. Gipson, that their new assignment will be in Fort Knox, Kentucky. Col. Gipson who is with the medics will be with Research and Development while Shirley, who is connected with blood work, will be working in the hospital at Fort Knox. Col. and Mrs. Gipson have been stationed with the 91st Evacuation and 27th Surgical Hospital in Vietnam for the past year. They will return to the States in early November.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. L. DeBusk of Clovis visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDermott and other friends here over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wiggins visited with their son, Robert, who is stationed with Fitz Simmons Hospital in Denver, Colo. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Moncelli of New York and son, Paul, accompanied their other son and family, Captain and Mrs. Roy Moncelli and boys to Morton. Mrs. Moncelli, the former Penny Farmer, will live here while Captain Moncelli will serve a tour in Vietnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Marina returned to Morton the last of the week after visiting several days with relatives in Eagle Pass. The Marinos visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Farhat, former Morton residents, while gone. Their daughter, Mrs. Carolyn Graves of Lubbock, managed the New York Store while they were away.

Mesdames Hessie B. Spotts, John L. McGee, Roy Hickman and Carol Nettles enjoyed the Lawrence Welk Show in Lubbock last week.

Mrs. Charles Taylor, accompanied by Owen Egger, left Friday morning for an extended visit with her daughter in Houston. Owen drove Mrs. Taylor down and will attend to business en route home in Brownwood and Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Webster and family returned to Morton Friday after spending several weeks in Flint, Michigan due to the illness and death of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Woolam have returned to Morton after living in Hobbs, N.M. for several weeks. Danny is employed with Doss Thriftway.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Taylor spent several days at Lake Stamford recently. They were joined by their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Batchelor and son of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. James McCuller and son of DeKalb and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Taylor and son of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Merrill of Petersburg, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Montgomery of Plainview and Miss Teresa McCuller of DeKalb. From Lake Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor went to Fredrick Okla. to visit with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Amyx and also in Oklahoma City with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Merrill and with Mr. and Mrs. Jack DeGraw and family, all are former Morton residents.

The Monthly Luncheon Club met Monday in Anton with Mrs. S. M. Monroe as their hostess. Bridge was the feature of the day. Those attending the luncheon from Morton were: Mesdames Reba Brown, Ethel Harris, Ona Payne, Mildred McDermott, Katie McDaniel, Susan Dubberley, Dorothy Lawdermill, Kay Houston, Pat Mullinax and Ernestine Drennan.

Mrs. Gerald Ramsey is in University Hospital in Lubbock undergoing tests.

Mr. and Mrs. Dake McRitt left Wednesday for a vacation in Arkansas. They plan to return next week.

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### Rites held Friday for John W. Holt

Funeral services for John Walter Holt, 71, were held Friday at 3 p.m. in the First Missionary Baptist Church. The Rev. Mearl Moore, pastor, officiated.

Burial was in Morton Memorial Cemetery under direction of Singleton Funeral Home.

Holt died about 8:15 a.m. Thursday, September 10, in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock following a lengthy illness. He had been a Cochran County resident since 1938.

Survivors include his wife, Alice; a daughter, Mrs. LuDean Crockett of Levelland; five sisters, Mrs. Bertha Kerr of Dallas, Mrs. Ola Warren of Wyoming, Mrs. Effie Carpenter of Como, Mrs. Martha Green of Oregon and Mrs. Leona Cooper of Tyler; three brothers, Otis of Commerce, Crockett of Dallas and Ernest of Wimsboro; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

### Whiteface club meets in G. C. Keith home

The Whiteface Garden Club met Monday, September 7, in the home of Mrs. G. C. Keith with eight members present.

Roll call was answered with "something I hope to share for our flower show," which will be held October 10 in the Whiteface School Cafeteria.

The show will be open to the public, admission free, from 1 to 6 p.m. and will also feature exhibits for the FFA, FFA 4H and a Bazaar. Theme for the annual show will be "This Is America."

Mrs. J. L. Schooler presented a program on Horticulture Grooming.

The next regular meeting will be in the home of Mrs. R. K. McCoy September 21 at 7 p.m. A workshop will be conducted.

### Bridal shower fetes Mrs. Dale Lemons

Mrs. Dale Lemons, the former Janice Crockett, was honored with a bridal shower September 11 from 9:30 till 11 a.m. in the home of Mrs. E. L. Reeder.

Honored guests were Mrs. Johnny Crockett, mother of the bride and Mrs. L. T. Lemons, mother of the bridegroom.

The serving table was covered with a white lace cloth with a centerpiece of hot pink and white flowers.

Co-hostesses were: Mesdames Inez Brownlow, T. J. Stevens, Pete Pierce, Roy Davis, Harvey Blackstone, Wayne Seigler, Ray Bridges, Pete Thomas, Ira Brown, Leonard Davis, Junior Lindar, M. M. Fred and Miss Dorothy Spence.

Hostess gift was a set of cookware with matching canister and stove set.

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### Indians . . .

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Morton's senior quarterback Stan Coffman, starting in his first varsity game, lost no time in impressing the Plains visitors as he threw a bomb to Willie Holland on the first play of the second quarter. Holland squirmed to the 10 and from there, the Indians' Terry Harvey powered in for the first TD of the season. Less than half a minute and two plays were required in the 53-yard drive.

But the Cowboys did not fold. Racking up 81 yards and five first downs, the visitors dominated the rest of the second quarter play and out-first-downed the hosts, 9-4, during the initial half. But the two goal line stands on the part of the Indians marked the difference as the teams took the half time break.

One of Ted Whillock's secrets is his half time talk. The 1970 version of the Indians hit the field in the second half much in the same spirit as last year's squad would do following the intermission, and the Tribe proceeded to methodically tear apart the Cowboys offensively and defensively. The visitors were forced to punt after the kickoff, but Morton had to do the same four plays later. Then, a booming Collins punt bounced off the head of a Cowboy receiver and the free ball was pounced upon by Morton's Bryant Lewis at the 32.

Coffman then ran the option to perfection as he racked up gains of 17 and six yards. Elton Patton banged out the final nine for Morton's second score. Harvey took a pitchout from Coffman and galloped the necessary three yards for the additional two points.

The Cowboys mounted a short drive late in the third, but it bogged down at the 31 when Harvey brought down Tony Chandler in a fine play.

The Indians then used the first ahlf of the final period to put the icing on the shutout. Five backs, including Coffman, Harvey, Keith Embry, Kevin Kuehler and Patton needed only ten plays to drive 69 yards for the score. A 16-yard run by Embry and a 15 and 12 yard performance by Harvey highlighted the impressive drive. Patton set up the score with a ten yard run to the one and Coffman carried the ball over to give the Tribe the 20-0 lead. The kick attempt was fumbled.

Late in the game Keith Embry engineered the Indians from their own 19 to the Cowboys 23 before time ran out. Embry's fine running gave him top rushing

honors for the game with 44 yards on four carries for an 11-yard average. He fired one pass for an additional 12 yards.

Harvey fell short of the 180-yards he racked up against the Cowboys last year as he was used sparingly in Friday's game due to an injury. Harvey had 41 yards on seven tries.

Stan Coffman made his varsity quarterback debut in fine fashion with 29 yards in nine tries and hit two of four passes for 60 yards.

Kevin Kuehler highlighted Indian defensive play with several fine tackles from his guard position.

| Morton     | Plains          |
|------------|-----------------|
| 12         | 13              |
| 100        | 127             |
| 72         | 45              |
| 3-5        | 3-10            |
| 9          | 1               |
| 3-28       | 2-21            |
| 7-79       | 4-30            |
| 1          | 2               |
| RUSHING    | Att. Yds.       |
| Embry      | 4 44            |
| Coffman    | 9 29            |
| Harvey     | 7 41            |
| Patton     | 5 24            |
| E. Lewis   | 5 17            |
| PASSING    | Att. Comp. Yds. |
| Embry      | 1 1 12          |
| Coffman    | 2 4 60          |
| RECEPTIONS | Att. Comp. Yds. |
| Holland    | 1 1 12          |
| Holland    | 2 2 60          |
| Patton     | 2 0 0           |

### Ambulance . . .

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committee representing each of the above agencies and the City of Whiteface was formed to investigate the law governing ambulance service and report the findings to the joint meeting at an early date.

Investigating committee members appointed include Leonard Coleman, county commissioners court; Truman Swinney, hospital district; Elra Oden, City of Morton and Wendell Dunlap, City of Whiteface.

Decision to terminate the funeral home ambulance service here after 28 years of operation is strictly from economic necessity, according to Jerry Iley, Singleton Funeral Home manager. A recently received directive from the State Department of Health imposing highly expanded requirements in manpower and equipment has made it economically prohibitive for us to continue the service, Iley stated to the joint meeting. He assured the group, however, that he would not cut off service immediately and leave the area unprotected, but would continue service for such time as it takes to replace his ambulance with a like service.

Another joint meeting will be held within in the next few days to hear the investigating committee's report, Deavours indicated.

### Dedication . . .

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charge. The lights were bought by clubs and individual members at a discount price of \$22 per light and the donor's name is placed on each light.

Thirty-two gaslights line the quarter-mile long road from the highway to the Girlstown Campus and intersperse the Honey Locust trees planted by Caprock District members in 1968. Around the circle are 15 lights, gifts of past presidents and life members.

Past presidents who provided lights are Mrs. W. P. Averitt, Lamesa; Mrs. J. W. Walker, Plainview, also a state president; Mrs. H. F. Godeke, Lubbock; Mrs. A. T. Cocanougher, Lubbock; Mrs. A. E. Boyd, Plainview; Mrs. Bill W. Davis, O'Donnell, who served as chairman of the Girlstown Project committee; Mrs. Robert N. Tipps, Denver City; Mrs. Louis Cummings, Plainview; and Mrs. Decker. Life members donating lights are Mrs. A. L. Putnam, Plainview, also a state life member; Mrs. Tillman L. Jones, Post; Mrs. M. W. Luna, Plains; Mrs. B. M. Terry, Sudan; and Mrs. W. K. Crawley, Lamesa.

Three lights have been placed in front of the dining hall, two in front of each dormitory, and six around the semi-circle.

Pioneer Gas Company officials, members of the Press, guests from other districts, and other dignitaries, club members, their families and friends are expected to be present for the dedication ceremony. Guests are asked to bring folding chairs for comfort.

Assisting Mrs. Davis on the projects committee was Mrs. M. J. Malouf of Post.

Another project of Caprock District has been the building of a Friendship Walk around the center circle, giving the girls a place to stroll and skate.

### Cochran County 4H organizes rifle club

The Cochran County 4-H Rifle Club was organized Monday, September 14, in the County Activity Building Banquet Room.

Boys and girls — thirteen by January 1, 1971 through nineteen — interested in learning safety and marksmanship are invited to join the Rifle Club.

Each boy and girl will be required to complete the safety phase before hand-



### TEX-ANS ON DISPLAY . . .

THE TEX-ANS FOR 1970-71, have been selected. They are as follows: Co-captains, Connie Gardner, Tahoka; and Janella Nebhut, Morton; Lts. Debbie Peterson, Plains and Nancy Huffman, Sundown; Manager is Carol Ann Freeland, Morton; Sophs. Kay Elkins, Spur; Karen Fred, Morton; Pam Galloway, Levelland; Dellinda Tyler, Sundown; Freshman; Christi Alderson, Smyer; Marcy Arend, Lubbock; Rita Kay Bedwell, Morton; Jeanne Bradley, Levelland; Jonnie Caldwell, Whitharral; Patsy Chidester, Whiteface; Darla Copeland, Lubbock; Sherri Demel, Pep; Rose Elkins, Tulia;

3rd row Terri Gerik, Pep; Patti Lane, Lubbock; Paula Green, Levelland; Olivia Loya, Seminole; Christy Lupton, Shallowater; Debbie Marlow, Sudan; Karen Olson, Levelland; Glenda Price, Levelland; Vicky Ray, Olton; 4th row, Kathy Rice, Sudan; Carmen Robertson, Olton; Debby Sanders, Abernathy; Cathy Sahw, Sundown; Sally Shea, Levelland; Annette Simon, Tulia; Marilyn Thompson, Smyer; Teresa Wallace, Levelland; Marvana Wheeler, Levelland; Lynne Wisby, Lubbock.

## Local girls important part in 'Tex-Ann' events

Four Morton area girls attending South Plains College are taking a large part in the activities of the college women's drill team, the Tex-Anns.

They are Rita Kay Bedwell, Janella Nebhut, Carol Ann Freeland and Karen Fred. Carol Ann is manager of the team and Janella serves as one of the co-cap-

ing the rifles. The safety phase will begin Monday, September 21, at 7:30 p.m. in the Farm Bureau Meeting Room.

The 4-H members present for the organizing of the rifle club included Larry Hale, junior leader, Terry Shaw, Larry Shaw, James Bell and Gregg Bell. Mark Harbin and Jim Bell are the adult leaders.

tains, Rita Kay and Karen are freshman and sophomore members of the team respectively.

Following recent try-outs for the 1970-71 team, thirty seven girls were selected, thirty four of whom are freshmen.

Those making the team include Christi Alderson, Mercy Arend, Darla Copeland, Jeanne Bradley, Paula Green, Karen Olson, Glenda Price, Sally Shea, Teresa Wallace, Marvana Wheeler, Levelland; Rita Kay Bedwell, Morton; Jonnie Caldwell, Whitharral; Patsy Chidester, Brownfield; Sherri Demel, Littlefield; Cheeta Elkins, Annette Simon, Tulia; Terry Gerik, Pep; Olivia Loya, Seminole; Christy Lupton, Shallowater; Debbie

Marlow, Kathy Rice, Sudan; Vicky Ray, Carmen Robertson, Olton; Debby Sanders, Abernathy; Cathy Shaw, Dellinda Tyler, Sundown; Marilyn Thompson, Smyer.

Co-captains for this year are Connie Gardner, Tahoka, and Janella Nebhut, Morton. Lieutenants are: Debbie Peterson, Plains, and Nancy Huffman, Sundown.

Tex-Ann manager is Carol Ann Freeland, Morton.

Sophomores include Kay Elkins, Spur; Karen Fred, Morton; and Pam Galloway, Levelland.

Tex-Anns' first performance will be November 10 at the Texan-Ranger game at Texan Dome.

**ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
The Rev. David Greka, Pastor  
8th and Washington Streets

Mass schedule—  
Sunday 9:00 and 11:15 a.m.  
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.

**"COME"**  
*Let us go into the house of the Lord*

**FIRST BAPTIST MEXICAN MISSION**

Sundays—  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Training Union 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

Wednesdays—  
Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
F. J. Collins, 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.



**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
G. A. Van Hoose  
Jefferson and Third

Sundays—  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Evangelistic 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.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Paul McClug, Pastor  
202 S. E. First

Sundays—  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:35 a.m.  
Morning Service KRAN 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Tuesdays—  
Helen Nixon W.N.U. 9:30 a.m.

Wednesdays—  
Graded Chords 7:30 p.m.  
Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.  
Church Choir Rehearsal 8:30 p.m.

**NEW TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Willie Johnson  
3rd and Jackson

Sundays—  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship Second and Fourth Sundays 11:00 a.m.  
H.M.S. 4:00 p.m.

Wednesdays—  
Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

**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.  
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Second and Fourth Monday  
Wesleyan Service Guild 7:30 p.m.

Tuesdays—  
Women's Society of Christian Service 9:30 a.m.

Each Second Saturday,  
Methodist Men's Breakfast 7:00 a.m.

**FIRST MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Merle Moore, Pastor  
Main and Taylor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.  
Training Service 7:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship 7:45 p.m.

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

Sundays—  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Evangelistic Service 7:30 p.m.

Tuesdays—  
Evening Bible Study 8:00 p.m.

Thursdays—  
Evening Prayer Meeting 8:00 p.m.

**EAST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Russell Danerom, Minister  
704 East Taylor

Sundays—  
Bible Study 10:00 a.m.  
Worship 10:45 a.m.  
Worship 6:30 p.m.

Tuesdays—  
Ladies' Bible Class 4:15 p.m.

Wednesdays—  
Midweek Service 7:30 p.m.

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## Bula-Enochs news

**MRS. J. D. BAYLESS**  
and Mrs. A. P. Slone from Alvord, daughter and little son of Brown visited the C. C. Snitkers Thursday. Slone is an aunt of the Snitkers. L. E. Nichols and her sister, Mr. Clarence Caperton, of Lubbock and their brothers, Sammie Powell spent Thursday night with Mr. and Victor Powell. They attended their reunion Sunday, September 6, in Smith, Ark. All of Mrs. Nichols' brothers and sisters were present. 22 relatives of the senior class sponsored an enchilada on Friday from 5 to 7:30 p.m. at the school lunch room. John Blackman visited Mrs. Nettie and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Snitker in nursing home in Muleshoe one day last week. A ball team played Gale Friday night at the Bula field. They lost the game to Gale. Enochs received 1/2 inch of rain Sunday night and southeast of Enochs the W. M. Bryants received one inch of rain. Johnson of Fort Worth spent the weekend with the Harvey Blackstone family. Other guests were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James McDonald daughter, Stacy, from Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Richmon and children, Terry, Paula, Kerby and Karen spent last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Thomas. Another daughter, Mrs. Ruby Holliday and children, Dennis Bobbie and Rebecca, from Silver City, arrived Thursday for a visit with her parents and is doing some canning. Mr. and Mrs. Edd Autry visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Billy West and family, last week. They also visited with her brother, Bill Willhort from Bellview at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mamie Chambers at Burk Burnett Sunday and Monday. They did some fishing at Lake Kemp. Mrs. C. H. Byars visited her daughter, Mrs. Jack Parr and family, at Lubbock Friday and Saturday while her husband and son, Tom, did some fishing at a lake near Logan, N.M. The Enochs W.M.S. met at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday for their business meeting with Mrs. Harold Layton in charge. The meeting opened with a song and a prayer by Mrs. C. R. Seagler. Mrs. W. M. Bryant brought the devotional "Going To The Top." Mrs. L. E. Nichols read the prayer calendar and dismissed the meeting with a prayer. Fourteen were present. A baby has about 9,000 taste buds; an adult about 3,000.

## 1936 Study Club luncheon opens 1970-71 club year

The 1936 Study Club opened the new club year with a luncheon meeting in the home of Mrs. Maurice Lewallen Saturday, September 12. Mrs. John L. McGee, Mrs. Joe Nicewarner, Mrs. W. W. Smith and Mrs. Bill Sayers were co-hostesses. Members were served a salad buffet and seated at tables for four with place cards featuring the theme for the year "Seek and you shall find." Mrs. Gage Knox, president, welcomed Mrs. Iva Williams as a new member and urged all members to attend the dedication of the Lights on the Avenue of Opportunity at Girlstown. The ceremony is scheduled September 19. Reports were made of the progress in establishing a satellite school in Morton of the West Texas School for Mentally Retarded. Anyone wishing to help with the tutoring program at the Community Action Center was asked to contact Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter and those who might assist with the sewing classes were asked to notify Mrs. W. C. Benham. A vote of thanks was expressed to the Morton Tribune for the covers and clasps for the 1970-71 Year Books and to Mrs.

McGee who did the typing. Other members present were: Mesdames John Crowder, Cyrus Fields, Joe Gipson, L. F. Hargrove, H. B. King, Lloyd Miller, Neal Rose, Hame Russell, James St. Clair, Glenn Thompson, B. H. Tucker, C. H. Silvers, Ledbetter, Williams and Benham.

## Morton FFA elect 1970-71 officers

Officers for the 1970-71 school year were elected by the Morton Chapter of the Future Farmers of America at a meeting held at the school. Those elected were: President, Morton Smith; Vice-President, Butch Davis; Secretary, Sammy Burnett; Treasurer, Donnie Kuehler; Reporter, Gary Pierce; Sentinel, Doug Crockett. Butch Davis was elected as District Officer Nominee, DuWayne Baker and Keith Coats were elected as the voting delegates and Keith Coats was elected to serve as the Student Council Representative.



MARK FIFTY GOLDEN YEARS . . .

MR. AND MRS. W. B. DUNN of Star Route 2 will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception from 2 to 5 p.m. September 20 in their home north of Bledsoe. Hosts for the occasion will be their children: Louise Gunem of Springdale, Arkansas, Reba Frye of Springfield, Missouri, Jeann Dunn of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas B. Dunn of Bledsoe. Dunn and the former Yurmah Mathis were married September 19, 1920 in Lorraine and moved to Cochran County in 1939. Friends are invited to attend.

# To the People of the Cochran County Area:

Our funeral home has provided ambulance service for the people of Morton and Cochran County since the establishment of the funeral home July 10, 1942 by Mr. C. V. Singleton and Mr. L. W. Barrett. This necessary service has been provided by this firm continuously over the past 28 years on the basis of 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Today, many funeral homes across Texas are removing their ambulance business from their funeral service for any one of several reasons. Our firm wishes to remove its ambulance service from operation for the following reasons:

- (1) Increased cost of operation each year.
- (2) The wage and hour law directly affecting our funeral business because of our ambulance service.
- (3) The State Department of Health requirements.
- (4) The State Department of Health, after running many surveys, has repeatedly stated that funeral homes should not engage in ambulance service due to a conflict in interests.

Our state association board in 1969 shows the figure of only 35-40% of the funeral homes in Texas, at that time, remain-

ing in ambulance service. This figure has been sharply reduced since that date. There are a number of funeral homes that have given up their ambulance service on very short notice. Our firm has no intentions of doing this, unless it would be for reasons (2) and (3) that I have mentioned.

We feel we have provided good ambulance service in the past for the people of Morton and Cochran County. This service would have been discontinued long ago had it not been for the excellent help and cooperation of the Morton Police Department, the Cochran County Sheriff's Department, and the local Highway Patrol. Their assistance with loading and unloading patients at the hospital, as well as helping with traffic, has been immeasurable.

We are asking to remove our ambulance service at an early date, but only at such a time when a suitable arrangement has been made to provide this service.

Ambulance service in Cochran County is a necessary service, just as our local law enforcement agencies and our fire department are. Our firm is interested in good ambulance service for the future. The Citizens of Morton and Cochran County will accept nothing else.

Respectfully Yours

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Vice President and Manager

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## ASCS Farm News

By John W. Hall

Farmers of Cochran County have elected a total of 25 ASC community committeemen and alternates in a mail election conducted earlier this month, according to Danny Key, Chairman of the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

The just-elected ASC community committees have an important responsibility in the near future in filling vacancies on the County ASC Committee and determining the chairman and vice-chairman for the coming year, Key said.

The new ASC community committeemen will convene September 25, 9:00 a.m. at the County Activity Building in a meeting open to the public. They will elect one County Committeeman to serve a three-year term and two alternates to serve one-year terms. After the vacancies are filled, the community committeemen will determine which of the three regular members of the County ASC Committee will be Chairman and Vice-Chairman.

Each of the five ASC community committees are made up of three members and two alternates, who serve for a one-year period. The candidate in each ASC community who received the largest number of votes is the committee chairman. Second highest is vice-chairman; third is regular committee member; fourth and fifth in the number of votes received are first and second alternates.

Following are the newly-elected ASC Community Committeemen in Cochran County, listed in the order of chairman, vice-chairman, member, first alternate, and second alternate:

## Delta Kappa Gamma meets in Levelland

The Theta Epsilon Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society met for a business meeting and coffee September 12 in the home of Mrs. Helen Roberts in Levelland. Co-hostesses were: Mrs. Nina Birtciel, Mrs. Cornelia Couch, Mrs. Wanda Balch, Miss Imogene Copeland, Mrs. Lasca McChristial and Miss Mary Beth Sims.

Names for new membership were presented and reports from the state meeting in June were made by those attending. The district meeting for October was announced and Inez Witte was presented a past-president's pin.

Those attending were: Mesdames Mildred Baker, Hazel Blakely, Ruth Breed, Flora Bryant, Inez Grant, Cherylone Ingalls, Mary Lois Ledbetter, Bernice Railsback, Evelyn Seagler, Lois Selman, Lessey Silvers, Lois St. Clair, Marie Stockard, Frances Watkins, Inez Witte, Jeanett Young, Maxine Adair, Laura Cole, Ina Fern Gray, Darlene Lucas, Jerry Nowlin, Polly Ann Farmer, Cathy Powell, Dorothy Rose.

Community A: Loy Kern, Chairman; Ike Williams, Vice-Chairman; Jimmy Millar, Meber; Troy Wells, First Alternate; Dub Henry, Second Alternate.

Community B: Donnye Baker, Chairman; Curtis Sealy, Vice-Chairman; Raymon Hall, Member; Hugh Hansen, First Alternate; Earl Polvado, Second Alternate.

Community C: Gaylon Baldwin, Chairman; Leonard Gainer, Vice-Chairman; Fred Lasater, Member; Jack French, First Alternate; Dan Keith, Second Alternate.

Community D: Edward Brownlow, Chairman; R. A. Stevens, Vice-Chairman; Leo Cunningham, Member; Eugene Bentley, First Alternate; W. B. Merritt, Second Alternate.

Community E: Ernest Trull, Chairman; Kenneth Bilbrey, Vice-Chairman; Douglas Dunn, Member; Windell Mason, First Alternate; Dwight Gober, Second Alternate.

## Mrs. Roy Hill hosts Study Club breakfast

The Town and Country Study Club met September 12 at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Roy Hill for a breakfast honoring Mrs. Lenave Freeland, club president.

Theme for the year "Time For Commitment" was discussed by Mrs. Freeland, stressing interests and concern for the civic problems of the day not only local but state and national as well.

Mrs. Connie Gray, yearbook chairman, presented year books to the members.

Mrs. Bill Hovey presided as Toast Mistress. Tables were decorated with the club colors of pink and white.

The next meeting will be September 23 in the home of Mrs. Joe Seagler.

## Sgt. Cartwright home from Vietnam

Sgt. Jimmy Cartwright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cartwright, has returned home after serving a year with the 366th Security Police Squadron in Da Nang, Vietnam.

Cartwright is serving with the United States Air Force and has been assigned to the Security Police Squadron at Richards-Gebaur Air Force Base.

## Bookmobile schedule

The High Plains Bookmobile will be in your area on the following dates. Wednesday September 23, Whiteface No. 1 — 9:30-10:30; Whiteface No. 2 — 10:30-10:40; Lehman — 11:05-11:30; Bledsoe — 12:00-1:00; Maple — 2:15-3:15.

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