

## Know the drug threat

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the first in a series of thirteen articles pertaining to drug abuses that are plaguing our nation and our community. Considering the magnitude of the series and the drug problem currently troubling Morton, the Tribune has decided to run one article each week for thirteen weeks in the hope that it will further the education of parents in the community on the pitfalls of drug abuse. Author of the series is not known, therefore no credit is given.)

This is No. 1 in my new series of "let's talk to parents. Since I cannot possibly talk to every parent individually I find this is a speedy and efficient way to communicate. This series, as the title indicates, will be to give all parents in our community some of the latest information on drug abuse.

A noted college professor in the east said recently, the present generation of young people in our schools and colleges are the most informed, the most intelligent, and the most idealistic of any we have ever had in this country." He adds, "today's young people are more moral than their parents, 90% of them." Only a small minority of young people are using and abusing drugs, but a minority still means a large number of young people, some quite naive, and the number is evidently increasing rapidly.

This is a drug-obsessed society. In

## Elvis Fleming named outstanding teacher by ENMU students

Elvis E. Fleming, former teacher of social studies at Morton High School, was awarded the Kosa Merit Award as the outstanding teacher of the year in the Division of Academic Studies of the Roswell campus of Eastern New Mexico University in commencement exercises on Thursday, June 3.

The award, which includes a \$50 cash prize, was presented to Fleming by Dr. E. Traylor, Dean of the Roswell campus. Fleming, an instructor of history, was chosen by a faculty committee from a list of teachers who were nominated by the Student Government. The award is based on merit in teaching achievement, extra-curricular contributions in working with students, and in service to the university and community.

Fleming serves on the Faculty Senate, Scholarship Committee, and Library Committee, and is Faculty Adviser to the Student Union. He is a native of the Three Way community, having taught in the Morton schools from 1962 to 1969 and was active in the Cochran County Historical Museum. He is a member of the National Survey Committee and the National Survey Committee and the National Survey Committee and the National Survey Committee.

## Funeral rites for William Calvin Dawson held in Bridgeport

Funeral services for William Calvin Dawson, 21, were held Tuesday at 4 p.m. in the Church of Christ in Bridgeport.

Dawson, a former resident of Cochran County, drowned near Grapevine Sunday afternoon, June 10, while on a picnic outing. He was employed by Redman Industries, and the former Clara Richards of Morton were married in August of 1969. They had one son, Deryl Lynn. Other survivors include his father, Cal Dawson of Gary; two brothers, Jimmy and Gary; and two sisters, Barbara and Mrs. Don Brooks Whiteface.

1965 about 167,000,000 prescriptions were written by doctors for psychotropic drugs, the kind that change or affect mood or behavior. Adults were the main consumers. See DRUG THREAT, Page 2a



Fred White

## Church of Christ has new preacher

The Eastside Church of Christ in Morton has a new minister. He is Fred White, 36, who took up his duties in Morton last week following his ministry at the Church of Christ in Lockhart, Texas.

A native of Rotan, White received his BBA from Southwest Texas State University in 1970 following previous study at Texas Tech University and Abilene Christian College. Previous to his ministry at Lockhart, he had served congregations at Midkiff, Loop and Lubbock.

Fred and his wife, Clara, are the parents of two daughters and one son. Karen is 11, Vicki is six and Timothy is four. The family occupies the church parsonage at 708 E. Taylor Avenue.

## Highway construction scheduled in county

A contract for highway construction in the Lubbock district has been awarded by the Texas Highway Commission.

The work will be under the supervision of District Engineer O. L. Crain, and will be in Cochran County.

Western Pavers, Inc. of Lubbock was awarded a contract for grading, structures, base and surfacing on 12.4 miles of Farm to Market Road 1855. Low bid was \$196,883.67.

The project extends from State Highway 214, 9.0 miles south of Lehman, eastward to FM 1780. William M. Pope of Brownfield is the Highway Department engineer in charge of the project which will take an estimated 160 working days.

## ★ Counterfeit \$20's

The First State Bank in Morton sent out a message at press time Wednesday for all Morton area residents to watch for counterfeit \$20 bills. The bank received one Wednesday morning, according to information given to the Tribune.

Bank officials indicated the one received was darker in color and more rough in texture than the genuine article. These are two characteristics to watch for, they stated.

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## Drugs dominate local offenses

Law enforcement action in the field of drug abuse and against burglaries to ostensibly procure drugs have been in the spotlight in Morton this week.

The Cochran County Grand Jury, sitting in 121st District Court June 4, returned a total of five true bills, all but one of which dealt with drug abuse.

Two arrests were made Monday by police and sheriff's department personnel in connection with the burglary late Saturday night or early Sunday morning of Fralin's Pharmacy, Morton Drug and the Professional Building offices of Dr. Joe Dorsey, Dr. William Grubbs and the office of Levelland Savings and Loan.

Sheriff Hazel Hancock stated to the Tribune that, due to the types of businesses and offices that were burglarized, it was his opinion that the intruders were in search of drugs. "They did get a bottle of amphetamines from Fralin's, but missed a large container with approximately 500 capsules that was in plain sight," he said. "The fact that they rifled the Savings and Loan office is incidental to their purpose, because after gaining entrance to the doctors' offices, the loan office was open and accessible," Hancock added.

Arrested Monday in connection with the burglaries were Larry Gene Bates, 19 of Morton and his brother, Gerald Lynn Bates, 18, also of Morton. Both were free the same day after posting bonds of \$1,000.

Indictments returned by the grand jury included one count of possession on May 30, 1971 of a narcotic drug, marijuana, by Robert Silhan, of Morton. Silhan is free after posting a \$1,000 bond.

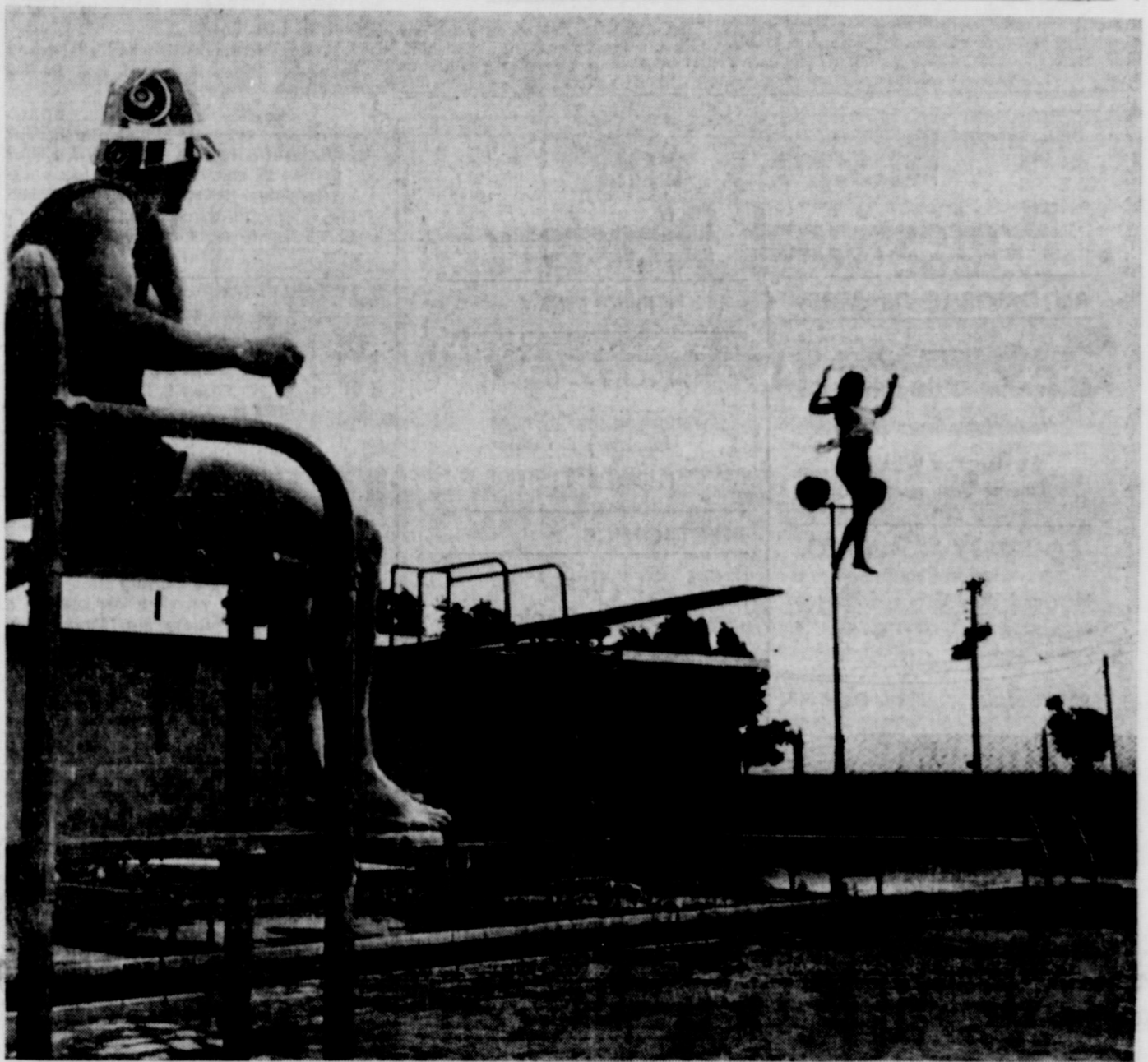
Jerry Wayne Cloud received indictments on two counts, one for possession of a contrivance used for smoking a narcotic drug and one for possession of a narcotic drug, marijuana, both on May 6. Bonds of \$1,000 for each count have been posted and Cloud is free awaiting arraignment.

Denny Lee Williams was indicted for possession on May 6 of a dangerous drug, marijuana and was freed after posting his bond set at \$1,000.

The fifth indictment was against Jesse E. Sims, of Whiteface and was not related to the drug abuse offenses. He was indicted on one count of passing a worthless check in the amount of \$75 to Amos Taylor of Morton Auto Parts on August 28, 1970. He was also free after posting \$1,000 bond.

Arraignment in the five cases is expected to be held approximately 10 days after the indictments were returned.

Access to the two drug stores and the Professional building by the above mentioned burglars was made by a rather unique method, according to the deductions of sheriff Hancock. "Each was a steel door that the average man could not readily force open with a pry bar, so the intruders used their car bumpers. They drove the car up to the door sash at a slanting angle and forced it open with the front bumper. It took some thinking to work out the method," he concluded.



## SUMMER CAN NOW BEGIN . . .

WHEN IT COMES TO SUMMER VACATION, kids ignore the calendar. It's when the pool opens that they will officially allow summer to begin. The girl above celebrates the opening Tuesday with a nifty leap from the high board, something she has sorely missed since way last September.

Safety for her is provided by the watchful eye and skilled lifeguard capabilities of Keith Embry, (who apparently has a thing about hats.)

## Courthouse was 'born in turmoil'

by David Murrah

(AUTHORS NOTE: The following article was prepared for publication in a Morton Women's club booklet describing area history. The principal source for the article is Elvis Fleming's "Texas' Last Frontier.")

Cochran County, situated on the western edge of the Texas South Plains, enjoys the distinguished title, "Texas' Last Frontier." A part of what was once the barren

wilderness of the Llano Estacado, the arid plains discouraged Indians, Spaniards, and Anglo settlers from occupying the region for many years. Cattlemen finally pushed into Cochran County in the late 1880's and established beef kingdoms. C. C. Slaughter, the "Cattle King of Texas" for the last quarter of the nineteenth century in Texas, established a large ranch that covered half the county in 1898. The ranchers maintained their holdings in the region until the 1920's.

In 1921, the vast Slaughter ranch was divided into separate outfits and the resulting sale of part of the land opened Cochran County for settlement by land-hungry farmers. By 1924, the county's population had tripled from the 1920 count of 67, and in that year, the settlers organized a county government, the last in the state's 254 to be created.

But the birth of the county came amidst a feud between farmer and cattlemen. Arguments raged over location of the county seat, who should control the new

local government, and where the railroad should be located. The farmers, headed by land promoter Morton J. Smith, won the dispute over the county seat as Smith's townsite of Morton was chosen over the

See COURTHOUSE, Page 2a

## Thundershowers bring both good and bad

The crop outlook in the Morton area was given another welcome boost with nearly one inch of rainfall that descended during a three-hour period Saturday evening.

A total of .95 of an inch was measured at the local radio station facilities between 6-9 p.m. Saturday. There was a darker side to it, however, as some hail fell and caused moderate damage to the newly emerging crops. In some county areas heavy rains caused serious runoff problems.

Rainfall was spotty over the area, with parts of the county receiving up to 3.5 inches and other locations receiving little or none. Planting is forging ahead at a torrid pace and sand fighters are out in force in some areas to break up the soil impacted by the heavy rain.

## ★ New schedule

The Morton Youth Center has announced new hours of operation as follows:

Monday from 8 p.m. until 11 p.m. Family night; Friday open from 8 p.m. until 11 p.m.; Saturday 5 p.m. until 11 p.m. and Sunday 1:30 p.m. till 4:40 and 8 p.m. until 11 p.m.

Adult volunteers to help supervise at the center are needed. Anyone interested in helping please call Mrs. Fluit after 5 p.m. at 266-5664.

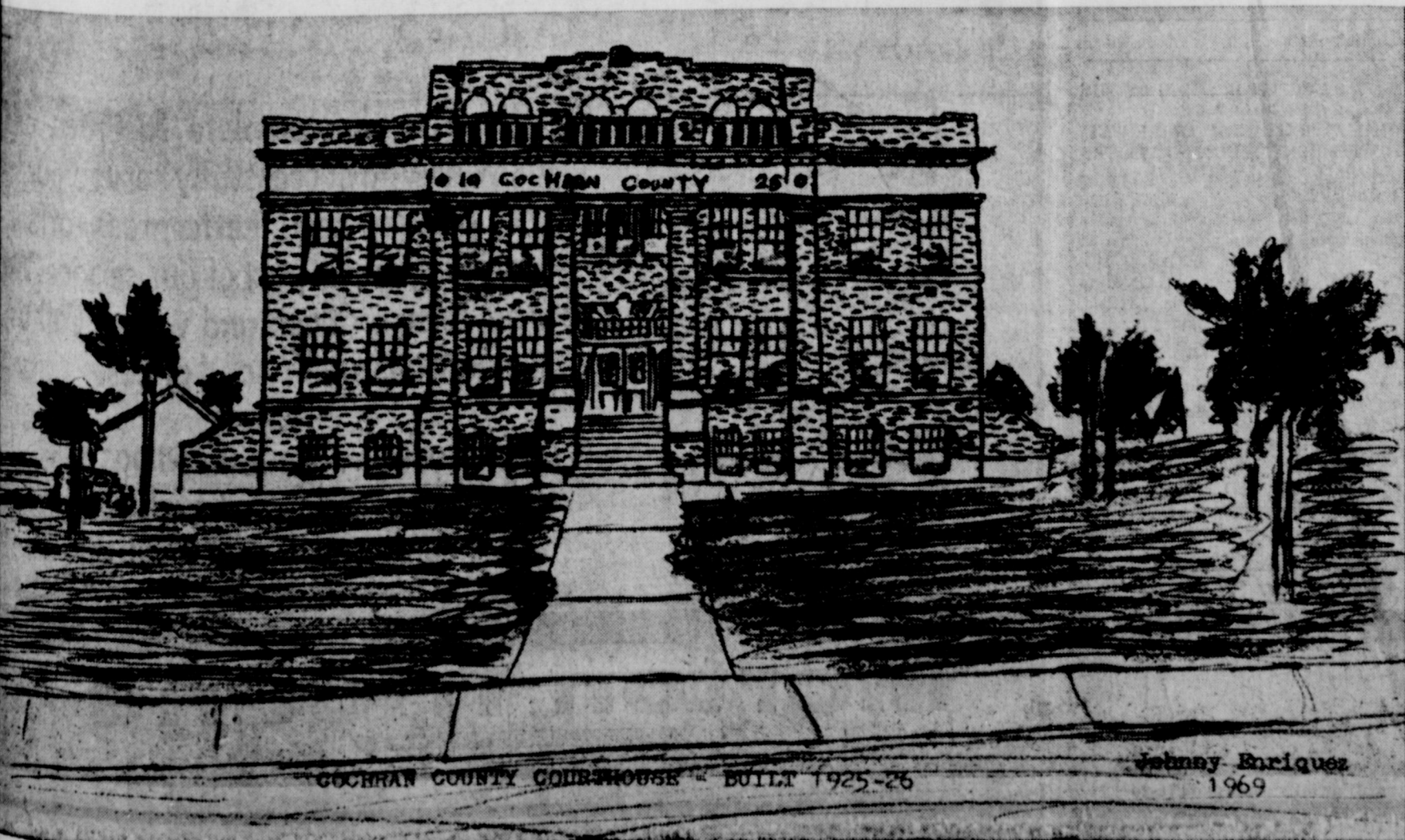
## Meeting on drugs has varied program

The second "town meeting" on the local drug problem will be held in the Morton schools cafeteria Thursday, June 10 (tonight) beginning at 8 p.m.

Main speaker for the meeting will be Mrs. Inez Moore, drug consultant for Region Seventeen Education Service Center. She will use slides and other training aids to illustrate the points in her talk.

The meeting, which is sponsored by the Morton schools administration, will also feature several film strips and a movie titled "The People Next Door," which deals with drug abuse causes. A "film strip festival," consisting of 16 mm film strip on drug problems, will be presented in various rooms of the building so that the audience can travel from room to room and view each one separately.

All interested persons are invited to attend the meeting.



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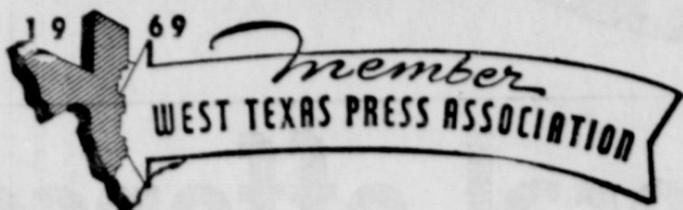
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Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Redman  
and family

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Three Way Independent School District  
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trict, June 15, 1971 from 1:00 P.M. to  
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Conrad Williams  
Secretary  
Three Way ISD  
Equalization Board

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"The handwriting on the  
wall usually means you're go-  
ing to have to repaper."

### Courthouse . . .

from page one

Slaughter's village of Ligon. Then, a has-  
sle erupted over the regular 1924 election  
of county officials. The incumbent county  
judge, R. T. Campbell, was defeated, but  
he charged that the winner, J. D. Cald-  
well, had not satisfied the residency re-  
quirements and Campbell refused to issue  
a certificate of election.

The feud then divided the four county  
commissioners into two separate factions  
with each group supporting separate judg-  
es. At the first regular meeting of the  
newly elected county commissioners, a  
dramatic showdown threatened as both  
groups arrived armed and ready for ac-  
tion. Threats and counter-threats had pre-  
ceded the meeting and the whole atmos-  
phere of the sparsely settled county was  
tense. But a Texas Ranger arrived in  
Morton the same day, calmly disarmed  
and handcuffed to a water tank the body-  
guard of one of the commissioners, and  
then made his way inside the store build-  
ing for the historic meeting. The Ranger  
let his coat fall back to reveal the six-  
shooter revolvers in his belt, then let the  
meeting proceed. The meeting occurred  
without violence, needless to say.

But for several days, the two factions  
sat as separate county governments, both  
claiming to be the legal governing body  
of the county. Finally, the dispute faded  
away as two of the commissioners were  
disqualified for not filing bonds or taking  
the oath of office.

In February, 1925, the commissioners  
began plans for constructing a handsome  
three-story courthouse and jail building.  
A month later, a contract for construction  
was awarded to the W. M. Rice Construc-  
tion for its \$126,000 bid. Work, however,  
was soon delayed as court suits by county  
cattlemen produced restraining orders a-  
gainst the county. The cattlemen were  
attempting to have the county's organiza-  
tion set aside. To complicate matters, the  
contractor died, further delaying the work  
on the partially-built structure. But by  
August, the legal disputes had been settled  
and work was resumed by another  
company. County officials moved into the  
handsome new structure in the spring of  
1926.

Cochran County officers proudly display-  
ed pictures of its new seat of government  
on its stationery and heralded the build-  
ing as one of the finest in the state. The  
new courthouse stood as an imposing struc-  
ture amidst the scattered frame buildings  
of the tiny village of Morton. For several

### Drug threat . . .

from page one

mers, and so we must assume that adults  
themselves are high on the list of drug  
abusers.

If this is true, and national statistics  
seem to indicate it, the parents must  
lock to themselves when trying to under-  
stand how the drug problem got its start  
in the first place. However, the purpose  
of this series is not to place blame, but  
rather to become familiar with terminol-  
ogy, learn more about the drug problem  
itself, and discuss how best to cope with  
it as parents.

It takes no giant intellect to realize  
that a parent cannot scare a child into  
doing "the right thing" with statements  
that are not factual. During these trying  
times most children, from their associa-  
tions on the street, know more about drug  
use and terms than their parents. There-  
fore, what we discuss here about drugs  
will be an effort to meet and surpass the  
knowledge of our children, so that we  
may better impress them on the pitfalls  
of drug use.

Everyone knows, if he reads at all,  
the use and abuse of drugs that affect  
the mind is spreading across the country.  
Hundreds of thousands, maybe millions  
of young Americans are tasting, testing  
and experimenting or going further with  
marijuana, LSD, with "uppies" and  
"downies" . . . pep pills and sedatives,  
with "Speed," and a few with heroin. So  
then, in the series ahead, we will ex-  
amine such things as Oral Amphetamines,  
Injected Methamphetamine, Barbiturates,  
Heroin, Marijuana and LSD — what they  
look like, the names they are called by  
the teens, where they are obtained, how  
they are used, dangers of use, affects of  
use, reactions, etc.

For a majority of youngsters, an en-  
counter with mind-affecting drug seems  
only a flirtation with the user feeling sure  
he can take it or leave it. Some authori-  
ties say that such experimentation can

years after the building's construction,  
Morton grew very little, but the town of  
Bledsoe, situated on the western side of  
the county and at the terminus of the  
newly-built Santa Fe railroad, reigned  
as the trade center of the region with a  
population three times the size of Morton.  
In 1933, only 200 people lived in Cochran  
County's seat of government, but an oil  
and land boom of the late 1930's swelled  
Morton's population to 1,137 in 1940. Thus,  
what had once been a sleepy, dusty village  
surrounding its majestic courthouse had  
become a bustling community, and vestiges  
of its frontier beginnings had disappeared.

### ★ Pep Sweaters

Fred Weaver, principal of MHS, an-  
nounced June 15 as the last day of  
Squad members may place orders for  
sweaters.

Members or any student enter-  
ing MHS in the fall and planning to be  
member of the Squad may place their  
orders at the principal's office.

### Camp Fire Girls to attend camp at Sandy Beach

Thirty-three area Camp Fire girls  
boarded a bus for Sandy Beach Park,  
Brownwood, for a five day camping  
Monday morning at 7 a.m.

Mrs. E. L. Reeder will be the Camp  
Director and Mrs. Doyle Webb will be  
the assistant director and bus driver.  
Mrs. Robert Yeary will direct swimming  
and Mrs. Bobby Travis will supervise  
First Aid and be in charge of the hand-  
craft program. Mrs. LeRoy Owens will  
lead the sports and hiking events. Other  
counselors are Mrs. Wayne Seigler, Mr.  
Jimmy Cook, Mrs. Everett Davis, Mr.  
Ralph Ware and Mrs. Curtis Sealey.

Keith Kennedy and Rusty Reeder will  
take tents, bedrolls, suitcases and sup-  
plies to the camp and Everett Davis will  
drive the bus.

Members of the Horizon Club will be  
in charge of the Flag Ceremonies, morning  
devotionals and evening sing-song.

The bus is scheduled to return to  
Morton Friday between 6 and 6:30 p.m.

amount to drug roulette; some young peo-  
ple happen to be particularly suscepti-  
ble to some drugs and can become depen-  
dent and hurt badly by what they intend  
as an innocent adventure.

American society tolerates alcohol  
and nicotine, both of which are tech-  
nically drugs, and millions of people ab-  
use both of them. Many drugs are taken in-  
timidately by prescription, but there is  
a black market among some potent drugs.  
Every year billions of sedative and  
pillars are diverted to illegal use and  
abuse. This is enough pills per person  
year to keep everyone in the United States  
awake and jumping for a week, and en-  
ough barbiturates to keep them in a stupor  
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## About local folk . . .

Mrs. O. B. Coates and daughter, Mrs. Lewis Hodge, attended the funeral of one of their relatives in St. Jo.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Saunders of Abilene visited his mother, Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts, last weekend.

Ed Buxton of Whiteface was a visitor in Morton Monday.

Mrs. Evelyn Seagler joined her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Rose, of Austin for a vacation in California.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Fincher visited over the weekend with their daughter, Neida Faye, in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Nesbitt, Louise Talley, Louis and Lee spent Sunday in Hereford with Mr. Nesbitt's sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bell and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. O'Donnell of Canyon.

Mrs. Floyd Rowland and Mrs. Eira Oden drove to Ceta Canyon Monday to take John Paul Mauldin, Connie Berggren, Patti Groves, Robin Rowland and Clint Oden to the Methodist Youth Camp.

Mrs. Robbie Key, Kevin and Kim took her mother, Mrs. Altie Corder, to Leveland Monday to spend a few days with her other daughter, Mrs. Ethel McKnight. Mrs. McKnight has just returned from University Hospital in Lubbock where she underwent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Payne, Zeb and Sandy attended the wedding of his nephew, Ed Lee Hunter, of Plains to Cynthia Swidom, in Abilene Saturday. Both of their children were in the wedding party. Zeb served as groomsman and Sandy as flower girl.

Mrs. Truitt Latimer, Tiffany and Laura of Austin are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Ramsey, Mike and Renee attended the wedding of their cousin, Rita Lisenbee, Saturday night in Kermit. They later drove to Midland and spent the rest of the weekend with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Sokes, in Midland.

Attending the Jim Carlin Football Camp at Texas Tech University this week are: Ronnie Alman, Jerry Waltrip, Mark Lowe, Dale Simpson, Wayne Parkman, Bryan and Craig Kirby all of Three Way.

Larry Bates, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lusey Bates, is home on leave from the U.S. Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Croe and family visited in Clayton, N.M. over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Royal Berggren and fami-

ly returned Monday from Oakley, Kansas where they attended the funeral of Royal's father, Elmer Berggren.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Larey of Idaho Falls, Iowa have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mullinax and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Willis, Mrs. Laney, Mullinax and Willis are cousins.

Greg and Julie Holleman of Lubbock are visiting with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lewallen.

Out of town guests in Morton for the Ledbetter-Fields wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. James Gowdy, Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Slack, Archer City; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Smart, N., and Mrs. Bobby Head, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Mayland Abbe all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miller and Steve White from Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brownlow, Amy, Brian and Lee Ann from Amberst; Mrs. Glen Kuehler and John David, Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ledbetter and Michael from Denver, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. Garth Wall, Evans; Mr. and Mrs. Graham Wall and Lori, Whiteface; Mrs. Grady Henry, Odessa; Oren Saules, Conroe; Mrs. Soules, Evans; Mrs. Francis Shifflett and Vicki, Hatch, N.M.; Mrs. Don Van Pelt and Valeric, Wellington; Mrs. Carl England, Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Brown and Miss Alice Ann Brown all of Midland; Miss Prisi Sanders, Winters; Miss Cathy Coryell, and Miss Kathy Knox, Richardson; Mr. and Mrs. R. K. McCoy and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rankin, Whiteface; John H. Davis, Levelland and Miss Cynthia Sue Srygley of Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sokora and daughter, Stephanie, moved to Baker, La. Thursday, Mrs. Sokora is the daughter of the Ralston Mastons of Maple.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Woolam and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Taylor spent the weekend at Lake Stamford where they met with good success fishing for yellow catfish via the trotline. Woolam's largest weighed in at a respectable 32 lbs. and Taylor's at 29 lbs.

### MNS teachers attend Amarillo conference

Mrs. Helen Crane and Mrs. Jeannette Young, MNS Homemaking teachers, attended an Area 1 In-service Conference at the Caprock High School in Amarillo June 3 and 4.

Some of the highlights of the conference were "Teaching Child Development as a Semester Course" by Miss Nancy Cleavinger of Caprock High School; "Income: Your's and the Internal Revenue" by James C. Hodges, Chief, Administration Division, Internal Revenue Service, Dallas; and "Conceptualized Teaching for Homemaking Education" given by Verne Laws, Consultant, Division of Counseling and Guidance, Texas Education Agency, Austin.

Both Mrs. Crane and Mrs. Young participated in completing the Teaching Guide for Homemaking Education which they worked on individually and in group service meetings at Sundown, Abernathy and Cooper during the school year.



Mrs. Delwin Thomas Newton

## Turney - Newton neptial vows pledged in Enochs

Miss Carolyn Ann Turney became the bride of Delwin Thomas Newton Saturday, June 5, in the Enochs Methodist Church before a greenery covered archway topped with a bouquet of carnations. The Rev. Ben Day, pastor of the Spade Methodist Church, officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mrs. Myrna Turney of Morton and Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Newton of Enochs.

Given in marriage by her brother, Dennis Turney, the bride wore a formal length gown of embroidered lace over wedding white peau de soie. The empire waistline was accented by a matching bow, rounded neckline and wrist length sleeves featuring ruffles of embroidered lace. The back of the gown flowed into a short train of white lace. Her veil of bridal silk illusion was attached to a tiara covered with seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of white carnations and greenery with streamers of white satin.

Miss Sharon Turney, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and Miss Iva Noble of Sudan was bridesmaid. They wore street length dresses of green and white embroidered double knit featuring empire waist lines and headpieces of clusters of matching green net. They carried single long stemmed white carnations with green streamers.

Steve Newton served his brother as best man and Dennis Newton, brother of the groom, was groomsman. L. D. Hol of Littlefield and Kenneth Turney, brother of the bride, rested guests.

Musical selections were presented by Beverly Turney, sister-in-law of the bride, and Patricia Newton, sister-in-law of the

groom, sang "Twelfth of Never" and "Whither Thou Goest."

Following the ceremony a reception was held in Fellowship Hall of the church. The bride's table, covered with white lace over green, featured a four-tiered wedding cake. The centerpiece, flanked by cat lilies, was a bouquet with green streamers, embossed with "Carolyn and Tom."

For a wedding trip to Carlsbad, N.M., the bride chose a mint green dress with a white and mint green vest and white accessories.

The bride is a graduate of Bula High School. The groom is a graduate of Bula High School and attends South Plains College in Levelland. He is employed by the College.

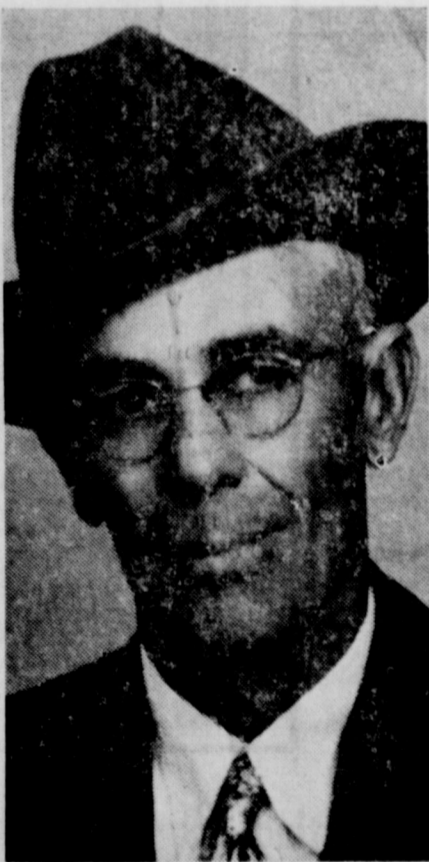
The couple will make their home at 101 Clubview Drive in Levelland.

### Kansas rites for Elmer Berggren

Services for Elmer Berggren, 78, father of Royal Berggren of Morton, were held in Oakley, Kansas Sunday, June 6.

Berggren died at his home in Oakley June 3.

Survivors other than Royal are two sons, Gerald and Harold of Oakley; five daughters, Helen of Oakley, Ruth of Wichita, Kansas, Ruby of Oshkosh, Nebraska, Lois Ware of Stockton, Kansas and Waunita of Dodge City, Kansas; 30 grandchildren; 5 great-grandchildren and three sisters.



### Rites for long-time county resident held

Services for Omar Barnett, 68, Cochran County resident since 1929, were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the First Missionary Baptist Church. The Rev. Jim Mosley of Plains officiated.

Burial was in Morton Cemetery under direction of Barrett's Funeral Home of Plains.

Barnett died about 8 a.m. Wednesday in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after a lengthy illness.

He was reared in Knox County. Survivors include two sons, J. O. Barnett of Plains and Don R. Barnett of Galveston; a daughter, Mrs. Syble Moore of Houston; four brothers; five sisters; and seven grandchildren.

## CHILD'S' Men's Store

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### IN STORM'S AFTERMATH . . .

THE ABOVE IS A TYPICAL SCENE in the Cochran county area following rainfall Saturday that ranged from a deluge of up to 3.5 inches in some areas to a trace or none at all in others. Morton received approximately .95 of an inch, while Whiteface was inundated with an estimated 3.5 inches. Following a short drying period, the farm machinery in use was about evenly divided early this week between planters in areas of light rain to sandfighters like the one above in areas where heavy participation impacted the soil. The above barely-emerged crop received substantial hail damage and impaction.

### Former resident graveside rites held in Morton

Graveside rites for William R. Jeffries, 81, of Slaton, were held at Morton Cemetery at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 2 under direction of Englund Funeral Home. Services were at 10:30 a.m. in St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Slaton with the Rev. Brandon McCormick officiating.

Jeffries, a former resident, died Tuesday in Mercy Hospital in Slaton following a long illness.

Survivors are his wife, Myrtle Mae; a daughter, Mrs. Barbara Turner of Sla-

ton; a son, James of Lubbock; a brother, Murry of Portales; five sisters, Mrs. Loreta Ferguson of Plains, Sister Mary Mercedes of Slaton, Mrs. Elizabeth Agnew of Portales, Mrs. Hazel McWhirter of Portland, Ore. and Mrs. Sophie White of O'Donnell; and five grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Alfons Bednarz, Alex Bednarz, A. A. Wimmer, Walter Heinrich, Willie Heinrich and Joe Kitten all of Slaton.

To make mint cows for thirsty people, mix and beat until smooth one-half cup chocolate syrup, one-half pint vanilla or chocolate ice cream, one-fourth teaspoon mint extract and two and one-half cups cold milk. Pour into tall chilled glasses and top each with a scoop of ice cream.

# FOOD BUDGETS *Twine*

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<b>RIB STEAKS</b> LB. <span style="float: right;"><b>79¢</b></span>	<b>CHEER Detergent</b> King Size <span style="float: right;"><b>\$1.29</b></span>
<b>BACON</b> Decker's First Quality 1-LB. PKG. <span style="float: right;"><b>58¢</b></span>	<b>TOILET TISSUE</b> Best Value 4 Rolls <span style="float: right;"><b>39¢</b></span>
<b>German SAUSAGE</b> Links LB. <span style="float: right;"><b>89¢</b></span>	<b>Turnip Greens &amp; Turnips</b> 5 FOR <b>\$1.00</b>
<b>Home Made Sausage</b> LB. <span style="float: right;"><b>59¢</b></span>	<b>Cut GREEN BEANS</b> Del Monte No. 303 Can <span style="float: right;"><b>2 FOR 53¢</b></span>
<b>PORK ROAST</b> Fresh, Lean LB. <span style="float: right;"><b>57¢</b></span>	<b>SWEET PEAS</b> Del Monte No. 303 Can <span style="float: right;"><b>2 FOR 53¢</b></span>
<b>Kim Towels</b> 39¢	<b>BLACK EYE PEAS</b> Kim No. 303 Can <span style="float: right;"><b>2 FOR 37¢</b></span>
<b>CARROTS</b> Kim No. 303 Can <span style="float: right;"><b>2 FOR 37¢</b></span>	<b>Pepsi-Cola</b> 39¢
<b>QUICKKICK</b> Quart Bottle <span style="float: right;"><b>2 FOR 59¢</b></span>	<b>CORN</b> Kounty Kist 13-oz. Can <span style="float: right;"><b>2 FOR 39¢</b></span>

## TRUETT'S Food Store

# STATE Capital NEWS

By VERN SANFORD

AUSTIN, Tex. — Legislature in regular session agreed to submit 14 more proposed constitutional amendments to voters in November, 1972.

Among major ones is HJR 61, which would authorize the 1973 Legislature to serve as a constitutional revision convention.

Two others (HJR 58 and HJR 95) would provide for raise in salaries of legislators (to \$8,400) and lieutenant governor and House speaker (to \$22,500).

Other amendments on the general election ballot in 1972 will be:

SJR 1 — Providing four-year terms for governor and other statewide officials now limited to two-year terms.

SJR 16 — Guaranteeing that no rights will be abridged because of sex, race, color, creed or national origin.

SJR 7 — Permitting local governments on popular vote to exempt \$3,000 of assessed value of resident homesteads of persons 65 or older from all ad valorem taxes.

HJR 68 — Providing for advertising (twice) of proposed constitutional amendments in clear, concise language in all legal newspapers in Texas.

HJR 35 — Authorizing a tax exemption for disabled veterans and a partial exemption for partially-disabled veterans.

HJR 57 — Permitting county commissioners to reduce the county permanent school fund and provide for payment of money to independent and common school district on a pre-scholastic basis.

SJR 29 — Providing that state employees can serve on non-paying school boards and city governing bodies without forfeiting state pay.

SJR 20 — Exempting soil and water conservation district directors from dual office-holding prohibitions.

HJR 61 — Relating to rates of interest to be borne by bonds.

HJR 41 — Requiring that justices of the peace be compensated on salary basis.

HJR 31 — Abolishing Lamar County hospital district.

**JOBLESS ROLL DROPS** — Number of

unemployed in the state decreased 6,000 during April to 181,000, Texas Employment Commission reports.

TEC said the jobless rate was only 3.8 per cent of the total labor force, thus the decline may signal a "possible end to the doldrums of the past year."

Mid-April figure was identical with December, 1970 and considered probably the lowest of the year.

Thirteen labor areas reported improvements. Austin enjoyed the lowest rate of unemployment in the state — 1.8 per cent of labor force.

**APPOINTMENTS** — State Supreme Court Chief Justice Robert W. Calvert named William Skelton of Lubbock as a member of the State Board of Pardons and Paroles. Senate confirmed the appointment.

Charles W. Horan Jr., Fort Worth, is the new chairman of Texas Tourist Development Board, succeeding John R. McCarty of Dallas. George Dillman of Dallas is vice-chairman.

Appointed branch pilots for Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries were Capt. James William Throgmorton of Groves and Capt. Daniel Joseph Bromley also of Groves. Gov. Preston Smith asked the Senate's approval of the nominations.

**LIQUOR TAX PASSED** — Tax on liquor-by-the-drink passed in the first day of the special legislative session.

Measure (HB 3) will place a 10 per cent gross receipts levy on sales and service of mixed drinks in bars and private clubs. Cities and counties each will get 15 per cent of the revenue collected within their boundaries.

Bill also boosted the tax on liquor from \$1.62 to \$2 a gallon and upped the wine gallonage tax depending on strength of the wine.

Beer tax on July 1 will go up from \$4.30 to \$5 a barrel. This rate supercedes the \$6 a barrel ordered in the regular session omnibus tax bill (HB 730).

About \$28 million in new revenue for the

next two years is expected from the bill.

**COURTS SPEAK** — Clark's discount house in Abilene cannot legally arrange with an allied concern (Sundaco Inc.) to offer Sunday sales in its store, State Supreme Court ruled.

High Court also reversed and sent back for a new trial a Dallas auto accident case where the jury returned two different verdicts as to which driver failed to yield the right-of-way.

Court of Criminal Appeals, reversing a Galena Park robbery by assault conviction, held that jurors are not qualified without expert advice to decide whether signature of a defendant is the same as that on criminal records.

A San Antonio man's claim that removal of a bullet from his back was an illegal search because the surgeon turned the slug over to a policeman was overruled by Court of Criminal Appeals.

**AG OPINIONS** — A called session of the Legislature cannot pass a legislative redistricting bill, Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin said in a recent opinion. Martin held that unfinished Senatorial reapportionment must be accomplished by a five-member committee of state officials.

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded that:

Taxing authority of a junior college district is specified by the Texas Education Code, regardless of whether the board of trustees of the district is also board of trustees of the independent school district. If a separate board of trustees is created for the junior college district, it would have control and management of all district property but only such control over school district property as the district board agrees to.

Alcoholic Beverage Commission has no authority or jurisdiction to regulate beer sales by vendors who sell from ship's chandlerage under U.S. Customs bond.

State Treasurer will receive fines collected in district court for violation of the Texas Motor Carrier Act, and neither district attorney nor district clerk may retain a percentage.

A bill providing for establishment of a schedule of abused drugs by rule of the State Board of Pharmacy and for dispensing of drugs is constitutional.

**AIR PERMITS NECESSARY** — A new law provides that any company planning to construct or modify a facility which may emit air contaminants must get a construction permit from the Air Control Board.

If a construction permit is granted, the facility must also have a permit to op-

## Survey shows large majority in favor of strong drug laws

A two-to-one majority of teachers, students, and boys on probation believe laws on drug abuse should be more strict according to a state-wide survey made by Texas Alcohol Narcotics Education (TANE).

The question: "Do you believe laws on drug abuse should be more strict?" was answered, "Yes" by 85% of teachers, 65 of high school students, and 54 of boys on probation. Total response was 67% for more strict laws.

The survey was taken in both rural and metropolitan areas of the state, from Farwell, near the New Mexico line, to Houston. In large city schools, the administration was asked to determine a representative cross section of teachers and students.

"Are you personally acquainted with a

rate before going into actual operation. Air Control Board will formulate procedures for implementation of the permit system.

**MH-MR GRANTS APPROVED** — Board of Mental Health and Mental Retardation approved \$260,795 in supplemental grants for improving MH-MR facilities.

Grants went to Abilene Area MH-MR Board of trustees, \$34,581; Bell County, \$15,000; Dallas County, \$26,593; Lubbock County, \$10,000; Midland, \$13,176; Austin Travis County, \$43,100; Galveston County, \$12,826; Brownwood, \$5,000; Nueces County, \$10,000 and Harris County, \$125,000.

**SHORT SNORTS** — Bureau of Outdoor Recreation has approved a \$296,150 grant for the development of Pedernales Falls State Park in Blanco County.

Alpine Independent School District has been cleared by the Texas Highway Department to acquire highway department property as site for a new high school.

State Industrial Commission officials are in Munich, Germany, to promote development of international trade for Texas.

Construction showed a seven per cent gain in April over March, five per cent of which was accounted for by residential building, reports University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

State economy and immediate prospects for significant recovery is described as "checkered" by the Bureau of Business Research, but encouraging indications must be weighed against "soft spots."

drug abuser?" was answered "Yes" by 18% of teachers, 53% of high school students, and 50% of boys on probation.

"Do you know someone who could get illegal drugs for you today if you wished to make a purchase?" was answered "Yes" by 12% of teachers, 52% of students, and 39% of boys on probation.

"Do you know someone who would sell illegal drugs directly to you if you wished to make a purchase?" was answered "Yes" by 10% of the teachers, 40% of students, and 39% of boys on probation.

"In your opinion, what are the two main factors leading to drug abuse in teenagers?" was answered "Peer Group Pressure," and "Curiosity," in that order, by teachers. Students, however, rated "Curiosity" first. Boys on probation rated "Escape" first, and "Sex Substitute" second.

"In your opinion, what are the two most important preventative measures that can be taken to combat drug abuse?" was answered "Education" and "Elimination of Supply of Illegal Drugs," by teachers and students. Boys on probation rated "Education" slightly ahead of "Law Enforcement," "Stronger Laws," and "Legalization of Marijuana."

The question: "Is it possible to learn about the effects of a drug without personally experimenting with it?" was answered "Yes" by 98% of teachers, 90% of students, and 84% of boys on probation.

"Have you come to a decision about whether or not marijuana should be legalized?" was answered "Yes" by 80% of teachers, 78% of students, and 44% of boys on probation. (They were not asked what their decision was.)

Areas involved in the survey were Farwell, Cotulla, Sulphur Springs, Richardson, Garland, Childress, Grapevine, McAllen, Fort Worth, and Houston. (The survey was also taken in Dallas, but results were not returned in time for tabulation.)

TANE is a non-profit, educational organization, dedicated to preventing alcohol and drug problems. In existence since 1935, it is supported financially by Texas churches, individual contributions, businesses, industry, and proceeds of sale of educational aids.

Programs include public school assembly programs, inservice teacher training

## HD Agent report

BY MRS. MARY HARBIN Home Demonstration Agent

Fast action along with proper procedure is the key to successful stain removal. Upholstery, drapery and other fabric furnishings, reminds Jan Slabaugh, Extension housing and home furnishings specialist. Don't forget to pre-test cleaning product in an inconspicuous area of the upholstery fabric.

Common stains fall into three categories: greasy, nongreasy and stains that are a combination of the other types.

Greasy stains such as butter, margarine, or car grease can be removed from washable fabrics using a detergent. However, it's usually necessary to use dry cleaning solvent. Soaps, detergent glycerine, denatured alcohol, or a ammonia solution should be used on rubber and nonwashable fabrics.

Mrs. Slabaugh advises caution in using any solvent, since many are flammable, poisonous, and may cause illness if vapors are inhaled.

For removing nongreasy stains, such as fruit, black coffee, milk or catsup, use a damp sponge wrung out of cool water on washable fabrics. Or, try a detergent water foam, wiping thoroughly with sponge wrung out with clean water. Nonwashable, a final rinse with sponge wrung out of alcohol helps remove detergent and dries the fabric. Dilute the alcohol with two parts water for use on state fabrics.

Use a sponge wrung out with cool water then apply a detergent water foam, removed by sponging with clear water to remove combination stains from ice cream, chocolate or coffee with cream. If the stain is still visible, sponge with a grease solvent on either washable or non-washable fabrics.

Use bleaching on upholstery fabrics as a last resort. Then use only a weak solution if a trace of the stain's coloration remains.

workshops, drug education seminars, schools and churches, publishing the production of audio visual aids, a man speakers bureau, legislative information service, research, and an annual education workshop co-sponsored with Baylor University. The next workshop is scheduled for August 5-7 at Waco.

**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.

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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**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.

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**NEW TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. W. D. Anderson  
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.

**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.

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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.  
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.

**COME**  
Let us go into the House of the Lord.

**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.

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**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.

WMA Circles

Monday—  
Night Circle 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday—  
Mary Martha 2:30 p.m.  
G.M.A. 4:00 p.m.

Wednesday—  
Midweek Service 7:30 p.m.  
Edna Bullard 9:30 a.m.



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

Sundays—  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:55 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 Choirs 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

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.

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**EAST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Fred White, Minister  
704 East Taylor

Sundays—  
Bible Study 10:00 a.m.  
Worship 10:45 a.m.  
Worship 7:30 p.m.

Wednesdays—  
Midweek Service 8 p.m.

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# News from Bula-Enochs area

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Nichols and Tom of Plainview, visited last Saturday afternoon with his mother, Mrs. L. E. Nichols. Other supper guests were Myrtle Nichols and Pat Huggins of Lubbock. Mrs. Nichols attended church at the Enochs Baptist Church Sunday morning. Carl Hall took his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lawrence Hall, and Mrs. Arnold Archer to Lubbock last Sunday morning to catch the plane for Calif. Mrs. Archer went to see her brother, Buster Hubbard, who is

present were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shults, Jamie, Lee Ann and Wendol Ray of Pampa, and Mr. and Mrs. Ike Shults of Denver City.

Brother and Mrs. W. B. Peterson were in Brownfield Sunday where he preached at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Petree spent Saturday night and Sunday in Midland, for his family gathering at the home of his sister, Mrs. Eda Richardson's home. All of his brothers and sister were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Millsap and daughter of Muleshoe were dinner guests in the home of her mother, Mrs. Alma Altman, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Autry came home last week to attend their granddaughter's Carolyn Turney's wedding, Mr. Gene Autry and children and Mrs. John Autry and children came home with them.

There was a going away party May 29, for Mr. and Mrs. Marion McDaniel and family at the Bula school lunch room.

Mr. and Mrs. Linsey Bates and son, Gerald, from Phoenix, Ariz. have moved to Morton.

David McDaniel is attending Tech this summer. He will be a senior.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Peterson and son, Scott, of Brownfield visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Marion McDaniel, last weekend and attended the going away party for Mr. and Mrs. Marion McDaniel Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bayless were guests in the home of Mrs. Gracy Swanner and son Jim at Lubbock, Tuesday, other guests were Rev. and Mrs. Ray Cunningham of Wells, and Mrs. Linda Robinson and son Britt of Tahoka. J. D. saw his Dr. for a checkup, and he got the cast off of his arm.

John Gunter III finished grade school at Muleshoe. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Gunter, Jr. of Muleshoe and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. John Gunter, Sr. of Enochs.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Newton of Bryan attended the wedding of his brother, Tom Newton and Carolyn Turney, 4:00 p.m. Saturday June 5 at the Enochs Methodist Church, and spent the night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Newton. He drove to Plainview Sunday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Grusendorf.

Mrs. L. E. Nichols visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. W. Hardin, at Littlefield, Memorial Day and her daughters, Mrs. L. B. Davis and Myrlene met her in Littlefield and they visited and went out to the cemetery.

Robert Layton was first place winner in the 9 year Pitch, Hit and Throw competition at Morton and Cary Ausin was second place in the 10 year group.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Layton took Robert to Amarillo Saturday to compete there in the Pitch, Hit and Throw. He won fourth place out of the 60 competing. All of their expenses were paid by the Windom Oil and Butane.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wright and sons; Eric and Micah, of Idaho Falls, Idaho are here for a thirty day visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wright and other relatives. Wright is in the service and has been stationed at Idaho Falls for several months. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright of Dallas also spent the weekend with the Wrights.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cannon visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Garlon Cannon in Amarillo recently and the group toured the museum in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Clawson were in Higgins last Friday for the funeral of her nephew, Richard Rice. Rice was killed in a car wreck at Shattuck, Okla.

## Cyrus Fields' hosts rehearsal dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Fields honored Miss Zoellen Ledbetter and their son, Jerry Todd Fields with a rehearsal dinner at 8 p.m. Friday in Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church.

The tables were covered with white cloths with centerpieces of ivy and daisies.

Special guests were Judge and Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter, parents of the bride-elect.

Other guests were: Oren Saules of Conroe, Mr. and Mrs. Steve White of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brownlow of Amherst, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Smart, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Head and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Thomas all of Lubbock, the Rev. Rex Mauldin and Mrs. Pegues Houston, all members of the wedding party.



"HOUSE MOTHER" honored...

MRS. ADDIE HENRY was honored on her 90th birthday with a reception Friday from 4 till 5 p.m. at the Community Action Center. Approximately 35 friends gathered at the Center to help with the celebration hosted by Judge and Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter and family. The badge Mrs. Henry is wearing reads "House Mother" and lists all of the Ledbetter names in gold. She was employed by the Ledbetter family for 17 years before retiring and now lives at Robert's Memorial Nursing Home.

## Three Way news

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Dupler from Bryant are visiting his parents, the Leon Duplers.

Mrs. H. W. Garvin was a medical patient in Cochran Memorial Hospital the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lee and children spent the weekend in Roswell, N.M. visiting his brother and family, the Gene Lees.

Mrs. George Tyson from Maple, Mrs. D. A. Williams and son from Sudan and Mrs. Tommy Durham and daughter left Wednesday for Omaha, Nebraska to visit Mrs. Tysons other daughter, Mrs. Wendell Price, family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Garvin attended the funerals of Mr. Marvin Brown Sr. and Mr. Marvin Brown Jr. in Tatum, N.M. Sunday afternoon.

Lanita Powell underwent knee surgery in Methodist hospital in Lubbock Wednesday.

Ronny Bruce spent last week visiting his grandparents in Mundy.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Wheeler attended Play Day in Muleshoe Sunday afternoon.

Part of the community received rain Saturday afternoon, amounts varied.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Sides and son from Wheeler spent the week end visiting in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Brinker attended the Golden Wedding anniversary of his cousin and wife, the P. O. Smiths, of Lubbock Sunday.

Janet Mitchell and Rhonda Dupler spent the week end with their parents. The girls are students of a school in Clovis, N.M.

Gladys Martin from Clovis, N.M. spent the week end visiting her parents, the Fred Kelleys.

Sister Teresa and Sister Victoria from St. Louis, Mo. were dinner guests in the Dutch Powell home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Tucker and Mrs. Bobby Carlisle visited in the Dutch Powell home Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. James Gillentine and boys from Lubbock visited her parents the, H. W. Garvins Monday.

## Study recess called in telephone talks

A recess in negotiations to review and study company and union proposals was jointly announced Friday (June 4) by Communications Workers of America and General Telephone Company of the Southwest.

Sessions are scheduled to resume Monday June 21 unless circumstances require a called meeting prior to that date.

Since negotiations began May 19 the union and the company have presented proposals to revise the present three-year contract which is scheduled to expire June 27.

Some of the recess time will be spent by the company and the union representatives attending meetings to which they were previously committed, according to the joint statement.

## Hospital notes

Patients admitted to Cochran Memorial Hospital June 2 through June 8 were: Gerald Bates, Librado Mendoza, Stella Garrett, Mrs. Jess Marks, Dorothy Patton, Juan Gonzales, Josephine Colton, Yvete Cox, Gracela Hinojosa, Eric Vanstory, Mildred Butler, Barbara Price, Mary Lou Herrera, Johnny Herrea, Jack Hutchenson, L. V. Hill, Leona Hancock, Josephine Vanlandingham, Roy Allsup, S. E. Barton, Sophia Young, Doyle Miller, Myrtle Ray, Quinton Hill and Ronnie DePuy.

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## Little League play intensifies as third round action begins

Baseball play became more intense this week as Little Leaguers swung into third round action. At least four of the league's six teams remain in the running for the league crown as second round play saw the Colts and the Sox wind up in a deadlock for first with identical 4-1 records.

The Pirates have already assured themselves of a playoff berth by winning the first round action. In the third round, the Cubs have made a strong showing with impressive victories in this week's action.

Tuesday night, a pair of 6-3 ballgames provided top-notch action for fans as the Cubs surprised the Colts in the opening clash, and the Sox took the Pirates for the second time this season in the nightcap.

The top game on tap for tonight pits the Sox versus the Cards in the 9:30 clash. By winning the Sox will match the Cubs' 2-0 record in third round play. The Giants and Pirates play in the opener at 7:30 tonight.

The big game for next week will be the Sox-Cub clash Tuesday night.

Lloyd Joyce pitched six strong innings to pace the Sox to their fourth straight win in their 6-3 victory over the tough Pirates. Joyce also scored three runs on two hits and a Pirate error. Rusty Lamar absorbed the loss.

The Cubs overcame a 3-1 lead by scoring four runs in the fourth inning on three straight singles by Don Daniels, Aldofo Morales, and Larry Moore in their 6-3 win over the Colts. Morales and Daniels scored two runs each in the big Cub win. Shayne Duncan was the winning pitcher; Ruben Martinez took the loss for the Colts.

Monday night was highlighted by Troy Patton's second grand slam home run of the season as he powered the Colts to a 6-3 win over the Cards. Trailing 3-1 after four innings, the Colts loaded the bases in the bottom of the fifth as Kevin Key walked, and Bobby Paton and Terry Dupler hit back-to-back singles. Then Patton cleaned the bases with his big round tripper. Ricky Lewis added another run to put the Colts ahead, 6-3. Ricky Lewis then got the Cards to ground out twice after a force at home to end the game.

The Cubs blitzed the winless Giants, 3-0, Monday night as Tino Sabala scored six runs for the winners. Chris Simpson led Giant scoring with two runs. Rick Hodge picked up the win for the Cubs.

Last week, the Colts came up with a big and important win over the Pirates in a crucial seven-inning affair. Both teams scored one run each in the first and third innings, and then Pirates' pitcher Martinez hooked up to pitch three scoreless innings. Both pitchers were relieved after the sixth inning. Then, in the bottom of the seventh, Kevin Key singled to drive in a run to end the game and to give the Colts a 3-2 win.

In another one-run affair, the Cubs withstood a five-run last inning rally to edge the Cards, 10-9. Tino Sabala, pitching in relief for the Cubs, cut off the late Card rally as David Lamb grounded out after the team had batted around in the last of the sixth.

In minor league play, the Orioles posted

two big wins in play during the past week. After drubbing the Indians last Friday, 11-6, the Birds edged the Sox 9-6 Tuesday afternoon in a makeup game that saw a triple play. A Sox batter fled out to second base, and then two runners were caught well in advance of their bases after the fly was caught. Ty Hall was the winning pitcher.

In another minor league game, the Mets slipped by the Sox, 6-5.

Morton Little League play will continue until June 22. Then playoffs for the league championship will begin. An all-star game, managed by the league-winning coaches, will compete in district playoffs in July.

### FINAL SECOND ROUND STANDINGS

	Won	Lost
Colts	4	1
Sox	4	1
Pirates	3	2
Cards	2	3
Cubs	2	3
Giants	1	5

## Whiteface Club meets in special session

The Whiteface Garden Club met in a special called meeting, May 17, in the home of Mrs. Ed Jennings.

Mrs. Jerry Marks, vice president, presided over the business meeting.

The resignation of Mrs. O. F. Hemphill and Mrs. James Sinclair and Mrs. R. K. McCoy's resignation as Flower Show Chairman, were accepted with regrets. Mrs. Marks accepted the presidency of the club. Mrs. Ed Jennings will serve as first vice president and Mrs. J. L. Scholes was elected Flower Show Chairman.

In other business, it was announced that approximately 23 books of stamps have been donated toward the project to purchase chairs for the Community Center. It takes almost two books for each chair and all donations are appreciated. The Year Book and Flower Show Committee met May 24 in the home of Mrs. Marks.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses to: Mmes Sinclair, Stocks, Hensley, Bill, Keith and Smith.

Club members have issued a special invitation to anyone interested in becoming a garden club member to call Mrs. Hensley at 3272 or visit the meetings.

## ★ Scraps needed

The Community Action Center is in need of fabric scraps for the summer sewing groups.

Those interested are asked to clean out your sewing baskets and bring the scraps to either the Center or to the Home Demonstration Agent's office in the County Activity Building. They will be greatly appreciated.

Only 12 letters comprise the Hawaiian alphabet.



Mrs. Jerry Todd Fields

## Ledbetter - Fields joined in double ring ceremony

Miss Zoellen Sue Ledbetter and Jerry Todd Fields exchanged double ring vows Saturday, June 5, at 10:30 a.m. in the First United Methodist Church. The Rev. Rex Mauldin, pastor, officiated.

Parents of the couple are Judge and Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter and Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus W. Fields.

The church was decorated with arrangements of white peonies and snapdragons with garlands of ivy and stephanotis on the chancel rail and kneeling bench. On the altar was an open Bible, a wedding gift to the bride and groom. The windows were highlighted with baskets of daisies and ivy and the pews were marked with yellow and green ribbon bows.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal-length gown of white organza, with empire bodice and sheer, billowy sleeves, accented with appliques of chantilly lace. Her heirloom veil of lace and illusion was made by her grandmother, the late Mrs. J. A. Gowdy, and was worn previously by her four older sisters in their weddings. She carried a colonial nosegay of daisies, ivy and baby's breath

with white and yellow ribbon streamers.

Mrs. Billy Smart of Lubbock, sister of the bride, served as matron of honor. Miss Terry Shifflet of Hatch, N.M. was maid of honor and Miss Sue Winder was bridesmaid. They wore street length dresses of yellow flocked dotted swiss featuring empire waist and short puffed sleeves with green ribbon sashes and hair bows. They carried white baskets of daisies and ivy with yellow and green ribbon streamers.

Billy Thomas of Lubbock was best man and Bobby Head of Lubbock was groomsman. Guests were seated by Steve White of Clovis, N.M. and Billy Smart of Lubbock.

Musical selections were presented by Mrs. Peques Houston, organist. Mrs. Clyde Browlow of Amherst, sister of the bride, sang "O Perfect Love" and the Rev. Mauldin sang "The Lord's Prayer" at the close of the ceremony.

A reception for the couple was held in the home of the bride's parents. A three-tiered wedding cake and punch was served from the bride's table which featured crystal appointments. Coffee and dark cake were served from the groom's table featuring silver appointments.

Mrs. Glen Kuehler of Fort Worth and sister of the bride, Mrs. Charles Ledbetter, sister-in-law, of the bride, from Denver, Colo. and Mrs. Joe Slack, aunt of the bride, from Archer City served.

Other members of the houseparty were: Mrs. Randy Wood of Lubbock, Mrs. Steve White, sister of the groom, from Clovis, Miss Diane McCasland, Mrs. James Gowdy, aunt of the bride, from Littlefield, Misses Cathy Coryell, Kathy Huox, Prisi Sanders and Alice Ann Brown all of Texas Tech University.

For a wedding trip to Ruidoso, N.M. the bride wore a green and white suit with white accessories. The couple will be at home in Lubbock after June 10.

The bride is a 1970 graduate of Morton High School and is a sophomore at Texas Tech University where she is majoring in elementary education. Fields is a 1969 graduate of Morton High School and attended South Plains College. He is a junior student at Texas Tech, majoring in business administration. He is employed by Anderson Bros. Jewelers.

## Local student receives scholarship from TTU

A Morton student is among five entering freshmen for the 1971 fall semester who have been awarded \$100 scholarships by the Texas Tech Agricultural Ex-Students Blood Association, according to Dr. W. F. Bennett, assistant dean of the College of Agricultural Sciences.

Scholarship recipients include: Ronnie Layne Hemphill of Star Rt. 2, Morton; Roland Jerome Kee Jr., of Rt. 2, Slaton; Roxanne Roff of 2537 Walsh, Fort Worth; Michael Wayne Williams of Box 251, White Deer; and William Daniel Dowdle of 5423 38th St., Lubbock.

Texas Tech is a multi-purpose university with eight academic divisions — the colleges of Arts and Sciences, Engineering, Business Administration, Home Economics, Agricultural Sciences and Education, the School of Law and the Graduate School. Tech has a student body of more than 20,000.

## COUNTY AGENT NEWS

From the Office of Roy L. McClung, Jr.

(Editor's Note: This is the third in a series of news articles on narrow-row cotton production.)

Cultural practices become more critical when shifting to the narrow-row method of cotton production, and seedbed preparation is certainly no exception in fact, there is less margin for error in preparing good seedbed.

"Narrow-row patterns almost necessitate on-the-bed or flat planting," says Dr. Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Robert Metzger, area agronomist with the "The method of irrigation must be considered, too. Flat planting works well under sprinkler irrigation while on-the-bed planting is recommended for furrow irrigation.

Metzger suggests that the new producers may first want to consider planting in intermediate row widths or double rows rather than in the very narrow, grain-drilled row widths. Row widths 20 to 32 inches apart or two rows on the conventional 40-inch bed have offered the most consistent results. Furthermore, equipment adjustments are not as drastic, and present varieties have performed better in intermediate row spacings.

"Double rows should be spaced as wide apart as possible for best results," contends Metzger. "With double rows spaced 26 inches apart, dry soil can be moved to get seed in moist soil when planting. Also, cultivation to control weeds or the application of post-emergence herbicides will be more effective."

As far as the planting rate is concerned, the agronomist points out that highest yields under irrigation have been obtained from planting four to six good quality, acid delinted seeds per foot of row. On double rows this means about 30 pounds per acre and from 60 to 65 pounds per acre for 10-inch drilled rows.

"Keeping planting rates low is the key to successful narrow-row production on dryland," emphasizes Metzger. "Producers should shoot for a plant population equivalent to one plant per square foot or 43,560 plants per acre. This means about 15 pounds of delinted seed per acre for dryland production regardless of the row spacing used."

Lack of surface moisture is often a problem when producers plant flat with a grain drill. This necessitates the use of a sprinkler irrigation system to provide the needed moisture for germination and plant emergence.

Generally, producers who plan to follow the narrow-row method of cotton production can enjoy a little more flexibility as far as the growing season is concerned, adds the agronomist. Narrow-row varieties are generally smaller in stature and

require less time to reach maturity. The growing season is shortened somewhat. Thus producers can afford to wait a little longer before planting without having to be concerned about the hazard of an early freeze.

"The narrow-row method of production does require special adjustments as well as more critical management decisions," points out Metzger. "However, there are dividends to be reaped by producers who can make the change."

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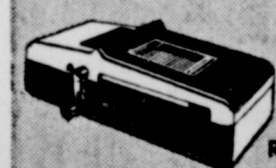
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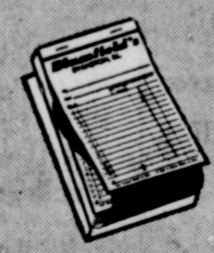
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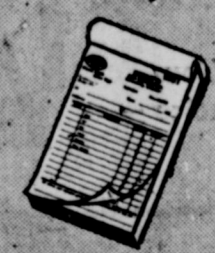
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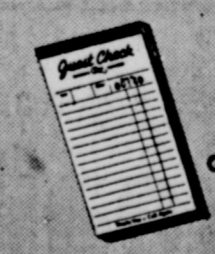
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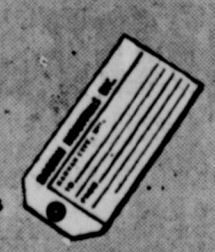
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## New consumer protection laws recently passed by Congress

Two new consumer protection laws have recently been passed by Congress, reports Mrs. Doris Myers, Extension specialist in home management at Texas A&M University.

One new law states that an individual will not be liable for any loss from unauthorized use of his credit card after he has reported its disappearance to the issuer. The other law, titled the "Fair Credit Reporting Act," gives consumers new rights against the use of erroneous data in the files of credit bureaus.

According to the law affecting lost credit cards, an individual may report the loss of a card by telephone or by letter to the issuer. Most companies will cancel use of the card once they have been notified. The notice is by letter, cancellation effective the day the letter is postmarked. For losses occurring before notification, liability is limited to \$50.

The \$50 liability applies separately to each card that is lost. So, if a billfold or purse containing five credit cards is misplaced, the potential maximum liability is a total of \$250. If a husband and wife lose their cards on a joint account, however, the total liability is limited to \$50.

The new law also prohibits banks and other firms from mailing out unrequested credit cards. Companies must inform the cardholder of his rights and potential liabilities, and they must assume the legal burden of paying for liabilities the cardholder may suffer.

The Fair Credit Reporting Act, the second new law protecting consumers, generally forbids bureaus to send out adverse information that is more than seven years old. The exceptions include bankruptcy, which may be reported up to 14 years; and information in reports on those applying for a loan or life insurance policy of \$50,000 or more, and those applying for a job with an annual salary of \$20,000 or more, both situations having no time

limit. Once informed that a credit bureau has hampered your credit, insurance or employment status, you have the right to obtain from that bureau all information in your file. The exception is medical information.

If the file contains false, incomplete or inaccurate information about you, the material may be re-investigated by the credit bureau, and the findings sent at your request to all who have received your report within the past six months or within the last two years, if he file was sent for employment purposes.

If the credit bureau's investigation doesn't settle the dispute, you are entitled to insert a personal statement of 100 words in your file. Your side of the story, then, will be included in any future report, and it also may be sent to those who have already received the disputed information.

## Trans-Pecos antelope hunt prospects good

If the weather cooperates a good year should be in the offing for the Trans-Pecos antelope hunt, according to biologists of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

They are busy tagging fawns to study the movement of the animals.

At this same time last year the surveys conducted in nine counties showed an antelope population of 8,661 animals, of which 2,150 were bucks, 4,230 does and 2,281 fawns. This represents a normal fawn production of about 54 percent.

Millard Fillmore was president when the first bathtub was installed in the White House in 1851.

Pythagoras first announced the belief that the world is round.

## New method planned for counting ringneck pheasants in Panhandle

Ringneck pheasants in the Texas Panhandle produce an annual harvest of more than 12,000 birds and thousands of man-hours of recreation, so biologists of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department are going to study the bird with a new technique this year, says biologist Jim Dillard.

In the past the birds were censused by attempting to count the crowing birds in the spring, but roadside noises and irrigation motors made the task difficult and often inaccurate. Thus a new method has been devised.

Over counties with huntable populations of birds, 15 in all, field personnel are setting up roadside counts, a system close to being an actual head count of birds seen.

The lines will be run during the last two weeks of July and the first week of August to obtain data on pheasant reproduction, then again during the first two weeks of October and the first week of November to determine the distribution and density prior to hunting season. This will enable the department to advise hunters where concentrations of the birds may be found.

## Tops Club hold weekly meeting

The Lighter Later Tops Club met June 2 at 8:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church.

Rita Thomas led the opening prayer and the Tops pledge. Gene Bridges led in singing the club song. Jane Sinclair called the roll and Donelita Chesshir answered with the meat weight loss for the week.

Thought for the day was "Don't let your success like sunbeams pass you by — you never miss the water till the well runs dry."

Marie Adams gave the treasurers report.

## Much comment inspired by valedictory address

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Gerald Grubendorf's valedictory address at the Morton High School commencement exercises received a rare standing ovation by all those present and has been the subject of so much favorable comment since that it was decided to publish it verbatim in the Tribune so that those who were not present may benefit from it.)

Honored guests, Ladies and Gentlemen, fellow classmates. Looking out past the audience into the future, I see two roads branching off in two completely different directions, each trying to see how many in the 1971 graduating class will travel its path. From my observations this year, both will be heavily traveled. One is the road to a hopefully successful and rewarding life, the road of reality. The other is the road to self destruction, accomplishing nothing except harm for the traveler and those around him; his is the road of escape.

Reality may be a rough road. But escape is a precipice.

This motto fits very well the situation now facing many students today. My question to you, fellow classmates, is this: Is your life headed down the rough road of reality, or are you going to rely upon the precipice of escape?

Our choice of roads depends greatly on what road we are now traveling. Will our attitude be the same as it now is toward our school and community?

The senior year is supposed to be one

of the most enjoyable years of our school life, but for me as well as for many of us, it has been just about the worst. The attitude of many in our student body can be described best by saying, it stinks.

Some students have shown no respect for upperclassmen, administration, or faculty. Respect for teachers is very low, academic and athletic achievement has declined from past performances in recent years. There seems to be an air of mistrust between school and community, and parent and child. What has brought about this change in attitude? In my opinion it is the growing drug abuse among many students. The attitude of students who do not use drugs has also been greatly changed by this.

We could have a fine school. We have some outstanding students and organizations. We have an excellent basketball team. Some of our band students made the all-region band. Two choir members made the all-region choir, and Indian Capers was one of the finest productions seen in Morton. We had two student competitors in the regional track and tennis meet. The speech department has presented some very enjoyable plays for the school and public. Our football team, although not showing too well record-wise, has aided in building a fine team for future years.

These are just a few of the organizations working for Morton High School. Morton has the potential of being an excellent school, but it has another growing reputation which is hurting it. People

of other towns think of Morton as a nice place to get drugs, yet until about a month ago concern about the drug problem was shown only by a handful of students and teachers. Little else had been done.

How much better could this year have been had not the ugly serpent of drug abuse reared its head and deceived many of our students?

Our life is still ahead of us. Hopefully no one has completely fallen off the precipice of escape — it's not too far back to that rough road of reality.

Let's take a look down that road of Reality — what does it hold for us? This road, although rough, is the way to true happiness and success. Not all of the road is rocky; portions are paved, and the rough part will let us enjoy the pavement even more.

Look down this road, find yourself a destination, a goal in life. Make a personal commitment that you will reach fellow travelers, see how they are striving for their goal. Let other committed people influence our lives. Many can and will help us along this rough road.

My attitude was changed by a fellow traveler. About three years ago I was doing just enough to get by in school and make a fair grade, then I changed and started working hard, studying hard, and started taking school seriously.

Who was this traveler? What brought about this change? That traveler was my mother. Everyone's mother has a great influence on his life, but I feel my mother changed my whole attitude. I was never realizing she was doing so. My mother never finished high school, but 25 years after last attending a class, she went back to school. She started the nursing program at South Plains College as did many from Morton. She studied more and harder than any one I had ever seen. Often she would come home from school and would begin studying immediately, and would keep studying until after everyone else was in bed. When she started working at the hospital she would study while not busy, then would come home and study some more. This continued for a year. She then received her license after passing the state board test. Now my mother is Dr. Sneed's office nurse.

Mother's accomplishment may not be unique, but she had the determination and dedication to devote her time to improve herself and hereby improve the life of her family. This is why she has been my inspiration.

I wish all of us had something like this to give us a direction to travel, to give us the needed incentive to travel the road of Reality.

After we leave here, let's look around and see what road we want to travel, not being afraid to seek help from fellow travelers. Our learning has just started, and we must put to use what we have learned.

Let's see if we can all travel the right road, the rough but rewarding road of Reality.

In a little while we will walk across the stage and receive our diplomas; which road will you choose when you step down?

Reality may be a rough road, but escape is a precipice.

Benjamin Franklin designed a dollar made of silver, brass and pewter, bearing the motto, "Mind Your Own Business," and minted in 1776.

Generals Lee and Grant fought on the same side in the Mexican war.

Snakes have as many as 30 pairs of ribs.

## ASCS Farm News

Producers Benefit by Early Certification, ASCS Reports

Producers have to certify their compliance under the 1971 set-aside farm programs. Deadline for certification in Cochran County is August 1, according to Danny Key, Chairman of the County Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) Committee.

In most cases, it will be to a producer's advantage to certify his program acres as early as possible, he said. However, he emphasized that early certification is optional, and that a producer may certify at any time through August 1.

A producer must complete his certification before he can receive any set-aside payment.

To certify, a producer signs a statement at the County ASCS Office showing the acreages devoted to various crops under the 1971 farm programs. At the same time, he designates the amount and location of his set-aside acres.

"The Cochran County ASCS Office is ready to give farmers all possible help in correctly certifying their acres," Key said. "County Executive Director John W. Hall and his staff will be glad to answer any questions or help with problems."

Producers who certify in time for data to be processed will get checks for their preliminary set-aside program payments as soon after July 1 as possible.

The ASC Committee Chairman pointed out that the preliminary feed grain and cotton payments could be complete, as additional payments depend on changes in market conditions. Such changes are not foreseen, he said.

First payment in the cotton program will be 15 cents a pound. In corn it is set at 32 cents per bushel, and the grain sorghum rate is 29 cents a bushel. Feed grain payments are made on established farm yield times one-half the feed grain base; those for cotton on the established yield times acres planted, but not in excess of the farm's allotment, Kek explained.

The preliminary wheat payment has not yet been announced but will be 75 percent of the estimated final value of domestic certificates.

Producers receive photocopies of aerial photography of their farms to help them certify, the ASC Committee Chairman said. The photocopies show boundaries of farms and most up-to-date field acreage information. They are valuable for planning farm operations as well as for certification of program compliance.

The County ASCS Office also provides measurement service, at cost, to help producers determine acreages at planting or at certification time.

"Most producers are familiar with our system of certification, followed by spot checks around the county to verify accuracy of these statements," Danny Key said. "Producers can certify acreages once they complete their planting operations if they do not plan to make any changes. The important thing is to certify accurately and as soon as practical for early payments. But they must remember no changes can be made after certification."

LIVESTOCK FEED PROGRAM: The emergency livestock feed program has been approved for Cochran County. Applications for the program will be accepted at the County ASCS Office beginning June through June 30. Final date for taking applications is June 15.

Sales prices for grain sorghum delivered in the County are: (1) \$1.47 per

CWT, for primary livestock (breeding stock), and (2) \$1.96 per CWT, for other eligible livestock. Any approved applicant who prefers to purchase feed grain as a component of a processed feed from stocks of an approved dealer may do so. The following eligibility requirements are to be met by the applicant:

1. Sufficient feed (including hay) is not available for livestock for the authorized period.
2. A serious loss of his crops must have been suffered because of the emergency.
3. Feed purchases are larger than usual because of the emergency.
4. It would be an undue financial hardship to obtain sufficient feed through normal trade channels.

Undue financial hardship is deemed to exist only when the applicant's financial resources would prevent his obtaining required feed from normal suppliers without (a) imperiling continuance of his farming operations; (b) defaulting on existing financial obligations; (c) unsecured borrowing; or (d) excessive disposal of livestock.

If you believe you meet the above requirements and desire to file an application, complete a financial statement and bring it with you when you come to the county office.

Any livestock producer who qualifies for livestock feed is eligible for cost-assistance for the transportation of hay. Assistance will be for two-thirds of the transportation cost, not to exceed \$20.00 a ton.

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# Ben Franklin

## COW POKES

By Ace Reid



"Now, Maw, I jist finished tellin them ole boys how sweet, tender and understandin' you were, then you made a liar out of me!"

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