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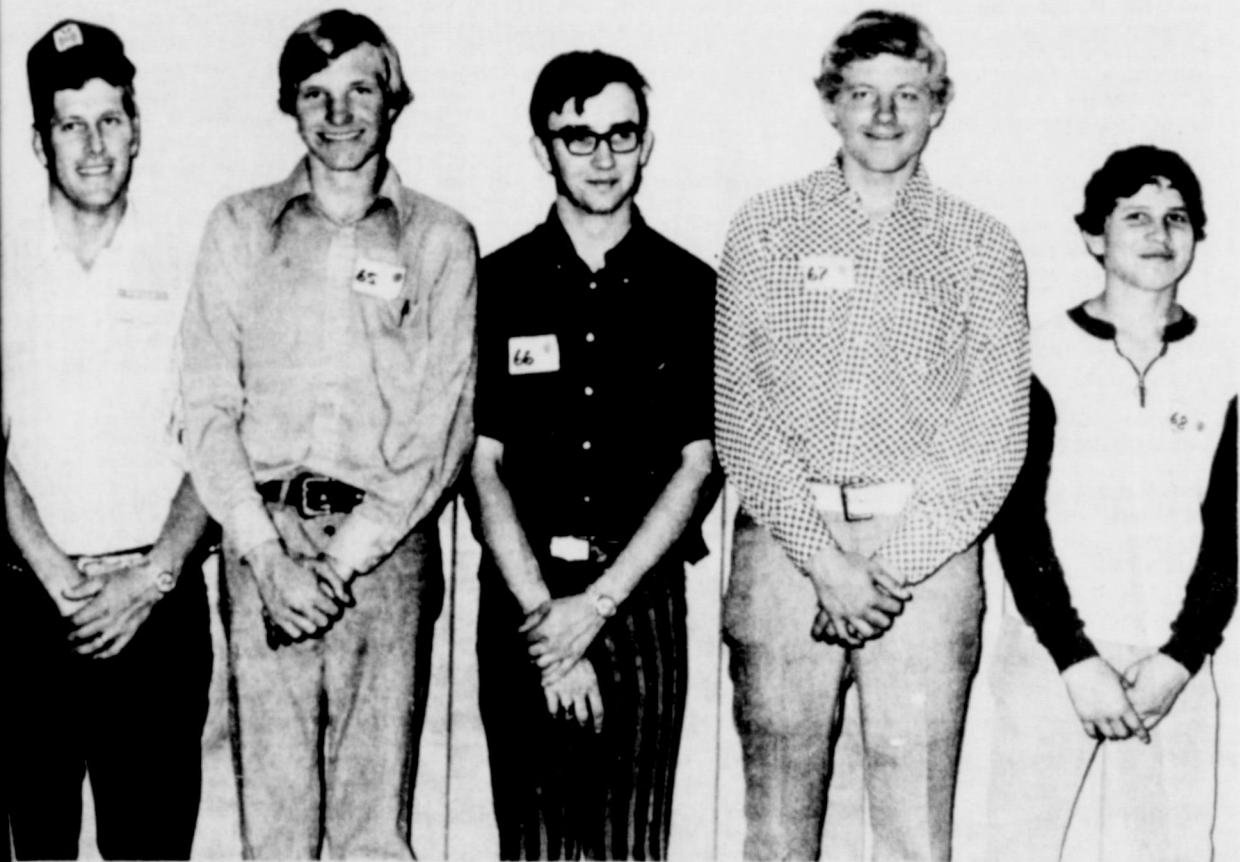
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MHS commencement slated Friday



MORTON TEAM WINS DISTRICT COMPETITION—A team of vocational agriculture students from Morton won first place in the Littlefield District vocational agriculture Area I 11th annual Agricultural Mechanics Contest at Texas Tech University, May 9. The contest was sponsored by area rural electric cooperatives and

hosted by the Texas Tech Departments of Agricultural Education and Agricultural Engineering. Team members are, left to right, teacher Dale Meixner, Danny Silhan, John Taylor, Freddie Brown and Ralph Mason. (Tech Photo)

The most important moment in the life of any student—graduation—will become a reality for 63 Morton High School seniors Friday night.

Commencement exercises for the class of 1973 are to begin at 7:30 p.m. in the county activities building auditorium. A close association, which in some cases spans the full 12 years of their school life, will come to a close as they accept their diplomas and march out into the adult world to take their own separate paths.

There are many personal reactions to the approach of the "great day" as there are individual personalities in the 63 member graduating class. Some view it with great elation and celebrate their freedom from the bonds of educational restriction, while others express sadness at the parting of long, close and friendly association with their fellow students and teachers.

As with all graduating classes, this one will have its share of those that continue on up the ladder of higher education, and others who consider twelve years of schooling sufficient for their roles in adult life. All, however, will leave Morton High School with the basic education and academic background that should assure success in whatever life endeavors they choose to follow.

Morton's commencement exercises are set for the earliest date of any of the five schools in the immediate area, with Baccalaureate services having been held Sunday, May 13 and graduation slated for Friday, May 18.

The other four high schools in order include: Whitface, Baccalaureate May 20 and commencement May 22; Bula, Baccalaureate May 20 and commencement May 25; Three Way, no separate Baccalaureate services and graduation May 25 and Bledsoe, Baccalaureate services May 27 and commencement May 31.

In addition to Morton's 63, Whitface will graduate 17, Three Way 15, Bledsoe 10



COEDS PLACE IN TOURNAMENT: These four South Plains College coeds recently were named winners in a Tennis Tournament held at the college. All four coeds are enrolled in Mrs. Mary K. Shea's, Tuesday-Thursday Tennis Class. Winning in the tourney were: (from left to right) Lydia Turner, Levelland, six matches; Susan Reyes, Morton, six matches; Elaine Dobnier, Nazareth, seven matches; and Mikella (Windom) Ruthardt, Morton, five matches. (SPC Photo)

New football coach for MHS announced

Morton High School has a new head football coach. He is Roy Von Winters, first assistant football coach at Canyon High School.

Announcement of the choice of Winters was made to the Tribune Wednesday by Superintendent of School Bob E. Travis, who expressed high gratification for the fine quality coach the extended search had produced.

Winters is a product of West Texas State where he served as the number one quarterback for two years under Coach Joe Kerbel. He served as assistant football coach at Carrizo Springs High School in 1969-70, was called up by Kerbel in 1970 to serve as assistant football coach at WTSU and following Kerbel's departure, he remained in Canyon as assistant at the high school from 1971 to the present.

"Roy Winters has an excellent football background for so young a coach, and the board and myself feel that a young man who has both played and coached under Joe Kerbel, is bound to know his football," Supt. Travis stated in making the announcement. He added that "though this is his first head coaching job, he has an outstanding background and we are holding high hopes for the results he will produce here."

Winters is qualified and will undoubtedly serve on the teaching staff in the fields of Biology, Physical Education and Driver Education. He graduated from Rankin High School in 1967 and received his Bachelor of Science degree from West Texas State University in 1969.

His wife, Pat, is also a teacher. The couple have no children.

The school board is still to act on Winters' signed contract which arrived early this week, but Travis indicated that board approval is almost certain as the board members have all expressed a preference for his services over other applicants. He will probably bring one assistant with him, though his identity is not known at this time, Travis concluded.



Roy Winters

Dentist opens office here

Dr. Glenn Thomason, DDS has opened his offices in the Morton Professional Building. He will be in Morton Mondays and Wednesdays.

Dr. Thomason also has offices at 4501 50th Street in Lubbock. His office hours in Morton will be from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. A 1968 graduate of Texas Tech University and a 1972 graduate of the University of Texas Dental Branch, he is married and has a daughter, Gail, 4 years old.

His wife, Gail, is a teacher in the Lubbock public school system.

No-ag team wins district title

Morton was a major winner as eleven of its vocational agriculture students from area high schools participated in the annual Agricultural Mechanics Contest at Texas Tech University May 9. The teams represented schools throughout Area I of the Texas vocational agriculture teaching system. Competing teams were from the Lubbock, Littlefield and Plainview districts which comprise Area I. The contest was sponsored by area rural electric cooperatives and hosted by the Texas Tech departments of

Agricultural Education and Agricultural Engineering.

Four areas of competition comprised the contest. Team members each were judged as to their ability in electrification, arc welding, plumbing and tool identification.

Contest guidelines specified a number of skills which might be tested. Each team member had to be able to perform all the skills listed so he would know what was required in the actual contest, said Dr. Lewis Eggenberger, Texas Tech

professor of agricultural education and contest judge.

Plaques were presented to individual high scoring competitors in each division of the contest for each district. Overall high individuals from each district also received plaques as did first, second and third place teams.

Individual winners from the Lubbock District were: Dalvin Alexander, Spur, in electrification competition; Scott Gilbreath, Ralls, in arc welding and tool identification; Gaylen Hudson, Patton Springs, in plumbing; and Kevin Verett, Ralls, overall winner in the district.

In the Lubbock District contest, Ralls won first place, followed by Patton Springs, second and Idalou, third.

Individual winners from Littlefield District were: Ricky Hardage, Muleshoe, electrification; Terry Stewart, Muleshoe, arc welding; David Carter, Muleshoe, plumbing; and Tim Wheeler, Muleshoe, tool identification and overall high individual.

Winning teams from the Littlefield District were, Morton, first place; Muleshoe, second, and Anton, third.

Individual winners in the Plainview

See TEAM Page 4

Cancer drive results good

The Cochran County Cancer Crusade netted \$2,066.25, according to an announcement made by Mrs. Leonard Groves, CC treasurer, at a meeting held May 15 in the Tic Tac Restaurant.

Part of the money, which was given in the form of memorials, is designated for research. Mrs. Groves also reported that the First State Bank has been chosen as a depository bank by the American Cancer Society and they have deposited \$20,000 on a six month certificate of deposit.

Harold Drennan was re-elected president of the CC unit of the American Cancer Society. Other officers elected were: Mrs. Willard Henry, vice president; Mrs. W.L. Foust, secretary and Mrs. Groves treasurer.

The group voted special awards to Mrs. James St. Clair and Hi Duncan for the outstanding work they have done to make the crusade a success.

Mrs. Henry reported that 12 ACS films had been used in 22 showings to a total viewing audience of 2220; 20 radio Rap Sessions carried spots for cancer wipe out; 8 unannounced public exhibits of quizmatics were displayed; 50 posters were exhibited; 33 programs were given using a total of 35 speakers; 11,070 pieces of literature were distributed.

Present for the meeting were: O.L. Tilger, Drennan, Mrs. Ruth McGee, Foust, Mrs. T.K. Williamson, Mrs. Dexter Nebbut, Mrs. Leonard Coleman, Mrs. St. Clair, Mrs. Deryl Bennett, Mrs. M.C. Ledbetter, Mrs. Groves and Bill McDivitt, District chairman from Lubbock.

Collins funeral services today

Funeral services for Johnny Eugene Collins, 18, of Morton are scheduled at 4 p.m. today in the George Price Funeral Home Chapel in Levelland.

Rev. Mack McArthur, Pastor of the Christian Church of Levelland, will officiate. Interment will be in City of Levelland Cemetery under direction of the George Price Funeral Home.

Collins' body was found by Mexican border patrol Monday in the Rio Grande near Eagle Pass. He was found dead near the Mexican side of the river near Las Negras, Chihuahua, Mexico.

Survivors include the mother, Mrs. Emma Collins, of Morton; one sister, Joanne Waldrop, of Stringtown, Texas and the grandmother, Mrs.

Jess Hall of Whitface.

Pallbearers will be Riley Dewbre, Jim Hargis, Alex Soliz, Wendell Bickett, David Palmer and Rocky Dewbre.

The exact circumstances of Collins' death are unknown. An autopsy performed in Mexico showed the cause of death to be drowning. The body was found Monday night. Mexican authorities notified the Cochran county sheriff's office who notified Mrs. Collins at 1:15 a.m. Tuesday. She went to Mexico and identified the body as her son.

Collins had gone to visit a friend in Mexico with several other companions. The others returned to Morton, but Collins said he wanted to stay longer and would hitchhike home.

PIANO RECITAL

The Annual Awards piano recital will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church.

The recital will be in reverse with the Senior levels playing first then downward to the elementary levels.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Top students give impressions

PAST, PRESENT, AND FUTURE

By Richard Coleman, Valedictorian

In recalling my twelve years as a student in the Morton Schools, I can truthfully say most of the experiences I had were happy ones. The many friends I have made throughout these years are the apogee of all these pleasant memories. The organizations with which I have been associated have greatly broadened my horizons and have helped me to better understand my fellow student. And, of course, there are always those little predicaments we all seem to work

ourselves into at times, without which no high school career would be complete.

As I prepare to leave high school and go on to college I hear myself giving a slight sigh of relief. Twelve years of hard work has come to an end. But now I must look to the future as I embark on a relatively new style of life. At the present I feel contentment and satisfaction when recalling my high school days, and yet, at the same time feel awe and anticipation for what lies ahead. But I am sure that my education and experiences at MHS will prove beneficial to me and hope that my future will turn out to be as fruitful as my days in Morton.

OF SAD AND HAPPY TIMES

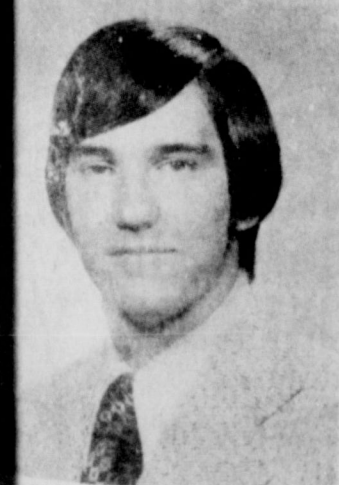
By Debra Silhan, Salutatorian

Graduation is finally here! We've all waited for twelve long years. Yet, it is a sad experience. Leaving friends and activities of true enjoyment are really sad.

On graduation night, we will all be a class. But after that night, each one of us will become a loner, being without the favorite friend or teacher. It is sad, but getting there with happy times.

Parents are sad, too, they too, are also happy for their graduating child. The parents know that they have tried to raise their child in a good and happy home. There are many students who have been raised this way and yet, there are others who have never had this joy of loving parents.

I was raised this way and I am proud of it. I would like to thank my parents, teachers, and friends who helped to influence my life and whom I hope will continue to follow my progress in later life.



RICHARD COLEMAN Valedictorian



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DATED April 30, 1973 and issued pursuant to a judgement decree of the District Court of Cochran County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 74-A, and styled The State of Texas and Cochran County Vs. James A. Gowdy, et al and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on April 30, 1973 Seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in June 1973, the same being the 5th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Morton, between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Cochran and State of Texas, to wit:

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in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest, penalties, and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED AT Morton, Texas, this the 3 day of May 1973.

C.G. Richards
SHERIFF, Cochran County, Texas

by Betty Akin Deputy

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BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONER'S COURT, COCHRAN COUNTY, TEXAS.

Glenn W. Thompson, County Judge
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Probate File No. 561

Notice To All Persons Having Claims Against The Estate of J.J. Watts

Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration upon the Estate of J.J. Watts, deceased, were issued to me, the undersigned, on the 21st day of March, 1973, in the proceeding indicated below my signature heretofore, which is still pending, and that I now hold such letters. All persons having claims against said estate, which is being administered in Cochran County, Texas are hereby required to present the same to me, respectively at the address below given of my attorney, before suit upon same are barred by the general statutes of limitation, before such estate is closed and within the time prescribed by law. Claims may be presented at room 201 of the Courthouse, Morton, Texas 79346.

Ruth B. Watts
Executrix of the Estate of J.J. Watts, No. 561 in the County Court of Cochran County, Texas

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The public is hereby notified that there are two meetings scheduled for Cochran County. The first is Tuesday, May 22, 1973 at 8:00 p.m. in the Community Building in Whiteface, and the second is Thursday, May 24, 1973 at 8:00 p.m. in the Activity Building in Morton. These meetings are for the purpose of discussing the employment of a Veterans Service Officer for Cochran County. All veterans, widows and those who deal directly with the Veterans Service Officer should plan to attend these important meetings. The meetings are scheduled separately for your convenience.

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and often economically infeasible task, and has "soft-pedaled" the idea of protecting workers through systematic hearing testing programs.

Without such testing programs, he said, they will never know the effects of what they are doing. Hearing losses, he noted, can result from the individual's own particular sensitivity to noise, from excessive noise levels or from faulty protective measures.

He said he would like to see base line studies made on all employees with regular monitoring of their hearing made thereafter on a regular basis.

"That's the only way to be sure," he said, "and that's the purpose of the law - not to reduce noise but to protect hearing."

Industry thinks such monitoring systems are too expensive, Millin said, but added that they wouldn't represent a "fraction of the expense of the heavy lawsuits and damage claims" that could arise.

Monitoring programs, he indicated, could avoid such problems by identifying high-risk employees, dangerous noise situations and the possibility of inadequate preventive measures.

"A handicapping hearing loss is one of the most devastating things that can happen to a person," Millin said. "It takes them out of the mainstream of life, they tend to withdraw and to become resentful, cut off from such normal activities as listening to radio, TV or even conversation."

The damage done by noise in an industrial plant, he said, is a real physical damage although it may take years for it to become handicapping.

It would be better, he said, if the noise caused bleeding or pain immediately because then the worker would realize its danger.

The evidence indicates, he said, that noise does its main damage to the cochlea, a spiral structure of the inner ear. This structure, he explained, holds the tiny hairs and nerve endings that turn sound waves into the electrical impulses that race to the brain.

Overstimulation of these features, he said, actually causes them to break or to disintegrate so that they can no longer function. Once the damage is done, he said, it is irreversible.

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Three Way News

By Mrs. H.W. Garvin



Monday night Three Way hosted a supper for the Three Way teachers, School Board and Bula teachers.

Tuesday night Three Way Baptist Church honored the Three Way seniors and their parents with a banquet at the Baptist Church. Rev. Preston Harrison from Lubbock was the speaker and Elizabeth sang for the banquet.

Friday night the annual junior and senior banquet was held in the Three Way cafeteria.

Mrs. Lera Cloud of Lovington, N.M., spent the past week with her sister, Beadie Powell.

Charlie Bob Abbe from Lorenzo spent the weekend with his parents, the Charles Abbes.

Larry Travathan, who is stationed at a air force base in Denver, is visiting his parents the S.G. Longes.

Mrs. Johnnie Wheeler spent Wednesday and Thursday visiting her granddaughter Jill Wheeler a student at West Texas State U. at Canyon.

We wish to congratulate Cheryl Abbe on being the Valedictorian of the Senior class at Three Way and also Rena Neutzler on being the Salutatorian.

Belenda and Wade Wheeler from Floydada spent the weekend visiting their grandparents, the Johnnie Wheelers.

Mr. and Mrs. H.W. Garvin spent the weekend in Lubbock visiting their daughter and family the James Gilentines.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Durham and children from Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. D.A. Williams and son from Bula visited their parents the George Tysons, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D.S. Fowler spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting the James Fowler family and Ray Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sowder and children spent Sunday in Muleshoe visiting Mrs. Opal Ruth Sowder.

Road deaths climb with auto growth

MOSCOW — As the age of the automobile reaches the Soviet Union the traffic toll is zooming. An estimated 40,000 Soviet citizens died in traffic accidents last year.

This may not seem high compared with figures in several Western countries, but it is if related to the volume of Soviet traffic. There are only some 6 million vehicles on the road in Russia.

Soviet pedestrians are responsible for almost two-thirds of the nation's traffic accidents, according to official statistics. And one-third of these happen because the pedestrian in question is drunk. And one in three of drivers responsible for an accident fails to pass a breath test.

Not so long ago traffic accidents were regarded as a non-event here. Now the authorities have launched a full-scale campaign to keep death off the roads. Adults as well as children are compelled to attend road safety lectures in Moscow and new, stiff fines are handed down to jaywalkers.

The problem of the Soviet pedestrian, says one Russian psychologist, is one whose roots go deep into the social fabric.

Many city dwellers are barely a generation away from the country, where the horse and cart are still a far more familiar sight than a car.

Ironically, the average speed of all state-owned vehicles last year was 18 miles per hour, roughly the same speed of horse-drawn troikas from Moscow to St. Petersburg two centuries ago.

The explanation for this is the appalling state of the roads and the indiscriminate imposition of speed limits — sometimes as low as 3 miles per hour — in an effort to stop the growing number of road deaths.

A large proportion of Soviet traffic accidents is caused by faulty vehicles. Poor brake systems accounted for over 200 accidents in one month here recently. Repairs are too expensive for most Soviet citizens lucky enough to own a private car mainly because of the lack of spare parts.

Private owners, whose cars are immobilized for lack of a spare part, are often daring and resourceful about obtaining what they need. It is common in Moscow to hear someone say that his car was "undressed" during the night, meaning that the tires or some other removable part were stolen.

CHARLENE HARRISON, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Harrison of Morton, Okla., formerly of Morton, Okla., graduated from Northwest Classen School in Oklahoma City this month. She is a member of the Pep Club, Glee Club, German Club, Girl's "O" Club, and received an award for her work in Business Administration. Miss Harrison plans to attend Oklahoma University and study psychology. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. J. Jones, both of Morton.

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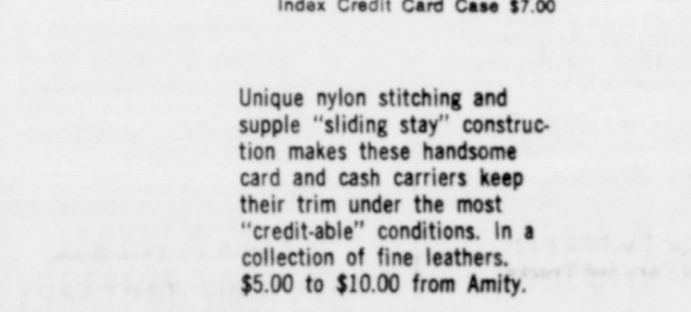
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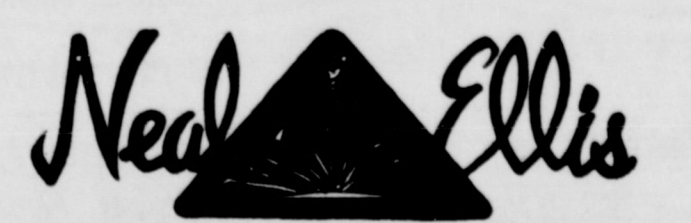
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Price of farmland shows upward spiral

What price farmland in Cochran County? How much have land values gone up, locally, in the last few years? The competition for farm properties

as they become available, has become more intense than ever.

Farmers are bidding against one another in the desire to enlarge their acreage and attain better operating efficiency through the use of more sophisticated machinery.

Also, as pointed out by the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago in its recent Agricultural Letter, the large farms are able to achieve economies in the purchase of supplies and equipment and advantages in the marketings of their products.

It finds that the boom in farmland prices reached a peak, nationally, in the past year. They were 10 percent over the previous year. It was the largest year-to-year gain since 1951.

In Cochran County, as elsewhere, the values have been zooming upward. Back in 1964, farm real estate in the local area averaged \$203 per acre, according to the Census of Agriculture taken that year. The figure represents the price of land plus the buildings on it.

Throughout the State of Texas, at the time, the average value of such property was \$106 per acre.

Now, nine years later, farm real estate has reached a record high of \$170 per acre, the statewide average as of November, 1972, according to the latest findings of the Department of Agriculture.

In Cochran County, on that basis, assuming the local area kept pace with the rest of the state, its farmland has now appreciated to approximately \$325 per acre.

The increase since 1964 amounts to 60 percent. For the country as a whole, the rise is 56 percent and, for the rest of the Southern Plains States, 64 percent.

The Federal Reserve Bank concludes, as a result of its survey, that the rise in farm real estate values was accentuated "by 1972's record-high net farm income and the increase in farm mortgage funds provided by institutional lenders."

"The combination of high farm level prices, bumper marketings and a one-third increase in government payments boosted gross farm income to \$66 billion—up \$5.5 billion from 1971. Net farm income rose to a new record of \$19 billion."

ZIPPER PATENT

On April 29, 1913, a patent was granted to Gideon Sundback of Hoboken, N. J., for the invention of a "separable fastener," the zipper.

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April Highway toll is light

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated four accidents on rural highways in Cochran County during the month of April, according to Sergeant H. E. Pirtle, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in no persons killed and three persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first four months of 1973 shows a total of 16 accidents resulting in no persons killed and ten persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety, Region 5, for April 1973, shows a total of 544 accidents resulting in 24 persons killed and 283 persons injured as compared to April 1972 with 445 accidents resulting in 44 persons killed and 232 persons injured. This was 99 more accidents, 20 less fatalities and 51 more injuries in 1973 at the same period of time.

The veteran officer reminds motorists that the accident rate has increased about 20 percent in the 60 counties in Region 5. We have more than seven million licensed drivers on Texas Highways. Summer vacation time is approaching and more people will be using the roads.

The 24 traffic deaths for the month of April 1973 occurred in the following counties: Crosby, Hockley, Lubbock, Lynn and Sherman, two each, and Clay, Floyd, Garza, Gray, Hartley, Oldham, Palo Pinto, Parker, Potter, Randall, Terry, Wichita Wise and Wheeler, one each.

'72 cotton quality improved over '71

The 1972 South Plains cotton crop showed great improvement in quality over the 1971 crop, according to W. K. Palmer, in charge of the Lubbock Cotton Classing Office of the USDA.

Unfavorable weather plagued South Plains farmers through the entire harvesting season. This caused the harvest to extend well into this year and some cotton is still being ginned. Through May 15th, samples from 2,007,000 bales of the present crop had been classed. This compares to only 1,122,000 bales produced from the 1971 crop.

One-third of the South Plains cotton this season was classed in the White grades, one-third in the Light Spotted grades and one-third in the Spotted and Tinged grades. During the 1971 season, only 14 per cent was classed in the White grades, 60 per cent in the Light Spotted grades and only 26 per cent in the Spotted and Tinged grades.

Average staple length of the 1972 crop showed great improvement over the 1971 average. Staple averaged 31.3-32nds of an inch, or between 31-32nds of an inch and one inch. This compares to an average of 30.4-32nds of an inch for the 1971 crop.

Micronaire also showed considerable improvement over the 1971 crop. Twenty-three per cent was in the premium range of 3.5-4.9, compared to only 7 per cent of the 1971 crop.

Quality of the 1972 crop was much better than the poor quality 1971 crop but was still below average. However, quality of the 1972 crop would have to be

considered as excellent when extremely unfavorable conditions taken into account.

Judge Ledbetter to attend legal training course

Judge M. C. Ledbetter of the District Court of Morton has been accepted for enrollment in an intensive law course in post graduate legal education conducted by the National College of State Judiciary, an activity of the Judicial Administration Division of the American Bar Association.

The college, located at the University of Nevada in Reno, is dedicated to providing continuing education for judges regardless of their length of time on the bench, but also to bringing modern case management techniques to trial courts nationwide.

Judge Ledbetter will be attending a session this summer and will attend proceedings before trial court developments in evidence, civil law and criminal law as well as advanced concepts in court management and administration.

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and Bula five. The Morton High School commencement exercises will open at 7:30 p. m. with the Processional played by the high school band. The invocation will be given by Mr. Roger Posey, music director for First Baptist Church. Presentation of the colors by James Bell and Gary Collier will be followed by the National Anthem sung by the audience. Miss Debra Silhan will deliver the Salutatory address, which will be followed by the class song, "Long and Winding Road", by Donna Sanders.

The Valedictory address will then be delivered by Richard Coleman, who holds the highest academic rank in the class. Mr. Nathan Tubb, academic dean of South Plains College will deliver the main address following his introduction by Mr. Kenneth Baker, Morton High School Principal.

Mr. Bob E. Travis, superintendent of schools, will present the class for reception of diplomas to be presented by Mr. Dexter Nebhut, president of the MISD Board of Education.

The Alma Mater will be sung by the senior class, followed by the benediction offered by Mr. Eddie Allsup, high school teacher. The ceremonies will conclude with the traditional candle service conducted by the high school band.

Rev. Ross Standifer, First Missionary Baptist Church, delivered the sermon for the Baccalaureate services held in the county activities building auditorium on Sunday, May 13.

TEAM

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District were: Billy Whitaker, Matador, electrification; Rodger Phillips, Abernathy, arc welding; Ruben Rodriguez, Abernathy, plumbing; and Wesley Stanfield, Abernathy, tool identification. Stanfield was also overall high individual in the competition.

Winning teams from the district were Abernathy, first place; Matador, second, and Floydada, third.

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Cochran County Treasurer's 1st Quarterly Report

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	Balance 1-1-1973	Receipts 1st Quarter 1973	Disbursements 1st Quarter 1973	Balance 4-1-1973
Officers Salary	8,921.95	68,846.58	26,920.68	50,847.85
General	107,360.18	20,231.42	85,633.33	41,958.27
Welfare	124.50	1,773.54	1,274.67	623.37
R & B # 1	9,876.98	18,000.00	9,268.37	18,608.61
R & B # 2	275.34	18,104.00	3,111.19	15,268.15
R & B # 3	9,581.51	18,000.00	2,691.26	24,890.25
R & B # 4	29,097.58	18,000.00	3,236.74	43,860.84
R & B # 5	15,477.37	5,512.99	7,406.47	13,583.89
Jury	12,077.63	1,422.80	1,730.76	11,769.67
C & J	30,549.46	7,465.43	10,278.17	27,736.72
Special Ad Valorem	87,040.74	9,848.52	72,000.00	24,889.26
Lateral Road	1,057.23	.00	958.87	98.36
Car License	.00	39,516.95	10.00	39,506.95
Social Security	5,509.03	4,546.30	5,503.00	4,552.33
Withholding Tax	3.37	3,821.90	3,796.10	29.17
Group Insurance	1,867.54	2,227.97	3,487.46	608.05
Law Library	450.29	88.00	515.35	22.94
C & J Sinking	32,714.96	20,263.27	41,059.08	11,919.15
C. J. Planning	720.00	370.00	720.00	370.00
Workman Compensation	672.50	6,000.00	1,746.00	4,926.50
Criminal Justice	1,832.69	3,561.30	2,202.10	3,191.89
Federal Revenue	6,473.10	45,581.00	51,985.23	68.87
Sharing				
TOTAL	\$361,683.95	\$313,181.97	\$335,534.83	\$339,331.09

I, Bill A. Crone, County Treasurer, Cochran County, Texas certify that this report reflects condition of Receipts, Disbursements and Balances for the First Quarter: January, February and March, 1973.

Bill A. Crone
Bill A. Crone, Treasurer
Cochran County, Texas

Examined and Approved: *May 14, 1973*

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Highlights and sidelights from the State Capital

By Bill Boykin
 Texas Press Association
 Coast and South Texas newspaper publishers kicked off an investigation of the "newsprint crisis" last week which could become a nationwide issue.

current newsprint crisis was adopted at the joint board meeting of the Texas Gulf Coast Press Association and the South Texas Press Association.

Publishers speaking for the resolution asked the Texas Press Association and National Newspaper Association to "investigate the problem at all levels," including "price fixing" and the "reported nationwide newsprint shortage."

The resolution asked the press associations to report their findings to their memberships so that "publishers can make necessary plans and adjustments for the future months and years."

Several weekly newspapers recently have converted to daily publication because of the growth of their cities, and are having problems getting more newsprint for their publications.

The regional press associations also asked that the Texas Congressional delegation be alerted to the problem and requested "assistance in working toward solutions for an adequate supply of this resource which is so vital to our industry."

Other state press associations in the southwest and midwest have received copies of the resolution, and have received requests for action by their officers at future board of directors meetings.

The newsprint manufacturers in the United States have told publishers that shortages have been caused by paper mill closings in some states because of "environmental problems." Wet weather has kept timber in the forests and away from the mills, newsprint officials have said.

Canadian mills—another big source of newsprint in this country—have not been contracted by the publishers, but will be asked to report the reasons for current shortages, the press association officials said.

Some publishers have inquired about newsprint supplies in other countries, and "pool purchases" of newsprint from overseas markets.

Recent price increases by the

newsprint companies have sparked part of the controversy also.

"We cannot understand why the price of newsprint is the same in the states with newsprint mills—close to the source of supply—and in areas hundreds of miles from the manufacturing plants," one publisher pointed out.

GOVERNOR SUPPORTS SCHOOL FINANCE AID—Gov. Dolph Briscoe threw his support behind a stopgap school finance aid measure to provide \$39.7 million in enrichment grants to the state's 113 poorest districts.

He spelled out his recommendations at a rally arranged here by San Antonio and Crystal City residents to dramatize the case for overhaul of inequities in educational funding.

Briscoe pledged additional legislation will "set into action a process of altering our entire funding system so that state funds will be allocated to all school districts...based on the financial resources of each."

While the governor didn't say exactly what he meant by the latter, aides said a "complete review" of tax capabilities of districts across the state will be ordered.

Briscoe, committed to avoiding a tax bill this year, found it difficult to accept far-reaching overhauls of the school finance system which will cost \$500 million to \$800 million for implementation.

The legislation he backs, with Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby's and House Speaker Price Daniel Jr., support, would require each district to report its taxable assets to the state comptroller on specified forms by January 1, 1975.

Data will aid in fixing true market value of the property for school tax purposes, aides said.

The governor's office will also be made responsible for coordinating work of legislative committees and other official agencies in working out a plan for overhauling the school finance system by 1975.

Briscoe told the demonstrators a court case from San Antonio's Edgewood district pointed out inequities and "we must move to correct them."

MAJOR BILL ADVANCE—Texas' first state-supported adult basic education program received final legislative approval and was sent to the governor.

Meanwhile, a bilingual education plan for the first six grades of public schools also cleared both houses.

House and Senate adopted a conference committee report on legislation (HB185) to extend collective bargaining rights to Texas policemen and firemen.

Rival House and Senate versions of the 1974-75 appropriations act wound up in the hands of a conference committee for adjustment after the House finally completed action on its bill in seven days of debate.

The House launched into another long debate over drug law reform, including lowering of the penalty for first offense possession of marijuana to a misdemeanor.

SPEAKER CANDIDATES EMERGE—Candidates for House Speaker have begun to emerge, meeting deadlines fixed by state law for reporting their campaign expenses. (Few have any expenses to report).

Reps. Carl Parker of Port Arthur, James Nugent of Kerrville and Fred Head of Troup joined Reps. Bill Clayton of Springlake and DeWitt Haale of Corpus Christi as officially-declared candidates. Head issued the most optimistic announcement, claiming he has 67 supporters.

Other possibilities included Reps. George Preston of Paris, Dave Finney of Fort Worth and Chris Miller of Fort Worth.

AUTO INSURANCE HEARING SET—The State Board of Insurance will hold public hearings on auto insurance rates here July 10.

Hearings, starting at 2 a.m. on that date will cover rating plans, manual rules and endorsement forms for both voluntary and assigned risk policies. Written statements were requested by June 11 from witnesses. New rates would be effective September 1.

AG OPINIONS—Gov. Briscoe had to withdraw appointment of Lou-Tou City Councilman Judson Robinson to the State Board of Corrections after Atty. Gen. John Hill said one man can't hold both jobs.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

+ A public school teacher can serve as a county commissioner if he isn't paid for county duty; a legislative aid can serve as committee consultant; and a state university professor can be paid for consulting services to a property tax committee but a county judge can't serve on a school board.

+ Hemphill County commissioners cannot be elected countywide at large to avoid redistricting.

+ Private college students in part-time work-study programs are covered under workmen's compensation.

+ A beer-wine sale for on-and off-premise consumption election should be submitted to a single question rather than as two separate issues.

+ Bowie County commissioners can determine compensation and expenses paid justices of the peace and their assistants, but they have no powers of removal over the J.P.'s.

+ A bill allowing county commissioners to employ private counsel to represent public officials or employees in suits brought by a non-political entity is constitutional (as long as duties and acts in question are official).

COURTS SPEAK—A man who was partially negligent cannot collect damages due to a collision with an Abilene Christian College school bus which rana red light, the State Supreme Court held.

The High Court upheld a lower court opinion invalidating a Howard County resident's attack on constitutionality of county hospital district taxes.

Seizure of an obscene film from a Dallas theater was approved by the Supreme Court.

APPOINTMENTS—Retired Air Force Brigadier General James U. Cross is new executive director of the Texas Offshore Terminal Commission.

Governor Briscoe named Dr. Robert J. Bacon of Houston to the State Board of Corrections.

Briscoe also announced these new appointments:

+ Judson Robinson of Houston to the Texas Southern University board of regents.

+ Glenn W. Justice of Dallas, Mrs. George P. Cullum Jr., of Dallas and Ernest Powers of Carthage to the Stephen F. Austin State University board of regents.

+ Mrs. Johnnie M. Benson of Fort Worth and Francis A. Flynn of Austin (reappointment) to the Texas Board of Licensure for Nursing Home Administrators.

James H. Milam of Lubbock was selected new chairman of the State Securities Board shortly after David D. Allen of Houston was sworn in as a member.

GAS RATE HEARING BEGINS—A significant Railroad Commission Examiner's hearing into whether or not Lo-Yaca Gathering Company should be allowed to raise rates charged cities under contracts began here last week. Opponents will state their case at a future date.

Mayors claim the case holds the key to higher gas and electrical rates for consumers.

Austin City Attorney Don Butler asked a commission investigation of the company's gas reserves. Lo-Yaca is a subsidiary of Coastal States Gas, Corp., which holds contracts with many Texas cities.

Legislation to permit gas companies to renegotiate their contracts on showing they aren't making enough money is stalled in House sub-committee.



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Bula-Enochs News

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sanders last weekend was his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Sanders, and their son, Mr. and Mrs. Delvin Sanders, and children, Chris and Patric, all of Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Seagler left April 29 and met his brother George Seagler, and family at Toledo Bend Lake for 4 days of visiting and fishing. Returning home Mrs. Seagler stopped off at Sweetwater and spent a week with her daughter Mrs. Royce Lane and children while Mrs. Lanes husband, Royce, attended a Bell Telephone school at San Antonio.

Enochs Baptist women met at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday for their mission study. The meeting opened with a song, and a prayer by Mrs. J.D. Bayless. Wanda Layton and Rose Nichols had parts on the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dunn of Nashville, Tenn., and Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Layton spent last weekend visiting relatives at Possum Kingdom the Little Newman and the Hubert Newmans and all of the Layton's sisters, Mrs. Betty Long of Possum Kingdom, Mrs. Amanda Terrell of Midland, Mrs. Janel Johnson, of Coleman, Mrs. Grace Spears of Mineral Wells, and a brother, Mr. and Frank Layton of Covington, were all together for the annual McAdams Cemetery Home coming Sunday May 6th.

Fishing up at a lake in the Lazbuddie area Friday were Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Bayless.

Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Adams had Mother's Day dinner with their son Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Adams, at Rt. 2 Morton.

FHA Girls and their sponsor Alice Kister, had as their guests the FFA boys and their sponsor Jack Birdwell and wife, on a Hayride and a weiner roast at the Game Reserve May 7.

Henry Ogletree of Heaton, Okla. visited Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones and Mrs. Jane Thompson who is making her home with her daughter at the present.

The Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Bonnie Blackston May 8. The County Agent Robbin demonstrated making foundation garments. The next meeting will be at Mrs. Charlie Byars.

Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Wright returned home Sunday from Tascogoula, Miss., after a visit with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wright and children, Eric, Micah and Melissa. They also went to see the Witness Commission, U.S.S. William Bates Submarine, that Bill has been working on. He has left out for sea on this submarine.

Their grandson Micah returned home with them for a visit.

Tanner Childers and Bill Childers spent last week with the James Sinclair.

Mrs. Laverne Cox returned home Saturday from the Hospital.

Deanna Coats bride-elect of Robert Jones of Clovis was honored with a shower in the home of Mrs. Wanda Kelly at Clovis. The home was decorated with the bride's colors of tangerine and yellow. The table was covered with a white lace cloth over tangerine and yellow. The centerpiece was a miniature May Pole with four dolls dressed in tangerine and yellow with white ribbon to the top of the pole caught up in a spray of gardenias. Refreshments were individual squares of white cake topped with tiny tangerine and yellow rosebuds, orange punch, mints and nuts. Mrs. Kay Ellis served the guests as they arrived. Corsages of tiny tangerine roses were presented to the bride-elect, her mother, Mrs. Modene Coats and the groom's foster mother Mrs. Mooreland.

Hostesses were Mrs. Wanda Kelly, Mrs. Gail Giacullo, Hope DeLa Santos and Kay Ellis and Mrs. Eshleman.

Wendell Jones was in Lelia Lake last Friday and visited his sister Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. Mearon Walker of Winsboro and daughter Sarah Beth of Erwin visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G.R. Newman Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Autry visited their daughter Mrs. Jack Jackson, at Clovis Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Lorella Jones visited her daughter Mrs. Sarah Ann Jones and family Sunday and her grandson Britt returned home with her to spend a few days.

Melonie Roberts was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Saturday.

Girls in Action of the Bula Baptist Church, Ruby and Gloria Peacock, Dora Black, Leisa Kester, Denise Overnam and their sponsor, Alice Kester had a weiner roast at the Game Reserve Wednesday afternoon. Guests were Donald Black and Jeff Kester.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bogard accompanied by their daughter Mrs. Ray Kennison, of Olton drove to Ft. Worth Thursday for the surgery of an other daughter, Mrs. Glenn Gaston. She underwent surgery Friday at Harris Hospital. They returned home Saturday.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Milsap Sunday were her brother Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Anderson of Borger.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H.B. King Mother's Day were her mother, Mrs. Clara Childers and a brother Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gilbert of Dumas and Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Vance Bradford of Plainview. They all attended services at the Enochs Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Former resident observ birthday in Kerrville

"I'm four years old," announced Daniel Keller, proudly holding up four fingers.

"...and I'm 84," smiled Daniels great-grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Greer, a Texas resident from Tennessee since 1900 and a former resident of Morton.

Along with a gathering of relatives and friends from far and near, they were attending Mrs. Greer's surprise birthday party held Saturday April 28, at Rio Robles club house.

The party was planned by Mrs. Greer's daughters and their husbands, Luke and Kate Hargrove and John and Betty Casey. Mrs. Greer is a resident in the Colonial Nursing Home. All of them moved to Kerrville within the last six months. The Hargroves moved from Morton where they had lived for many years previously and Mrs. Greer moved from King Manor Residence at Hereford. The Caseys are from North Carolina.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Layton for dinner Sunday were Earnest Ellison of Lubbock and his son Mr. and Mrs. Zane Ellison and children of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Layton, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Layton, and son, Robert visited with them in the afternoon.

From San Antonio came the children George, 11, "G-2" and their house guests Mr. and Mrs. Walker and sons Jimmie and George Hargrove also here. Morton and Walker is a Morton Hargrove is Bureau of National Inc. area representative.

The Casey's daughter Rosanne the Rev. David Keller, an Episcopalian priest, came from Northport, La. with their children Luke, 10, and year old Daniel for a week. Rosanne is writing a book on her experiences as a missionary in Alaska.

"I was really surprised and with the festivities," said Mrs. Greer.

MORTON SCHOOL MENU Monday, May 21, 1973 Corn dogs with mustard, salad, pork and beans, apples, cookies, milk. Tuesday, May 22, 1973 Hamburger, lettuce and tomato, beans, orange jello, relish, milk. Wednesday, May 23, 1973 Oven fish, whipped potatoes, beans, 1/2 peach, rolls, milk.

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Friday 8:30 a.m.
Saturday 8:30 a.m.
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Morning Services 11 a.m.
Training Union 7 p.m.
Evening Services 8 p.m.

BLEDSOE BAPTIST CHURCH
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Worship Service 11 a.m.
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Evening Worship 7 p.m.
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Bible Class 10:00 a.m.
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Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

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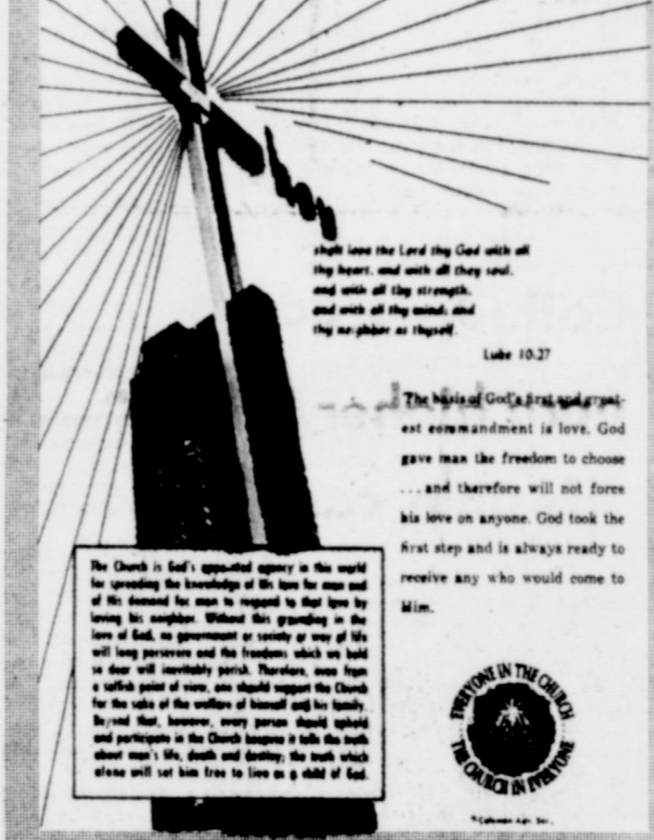
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John 1:9
Light came the Lord the God with all they have, and with all they need, and with all they strength, and with all they mind, and they neighbor as thyself.

Luke 10:27
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Hospital notes

Patients admitted to Cochran Memorial Hospital May 8 through May 15: Ailine Samford, Jean Palmer, Johnny Cantrell, Mrs. Bessie Ivey, Johnny Scoggins, E.E. Thomas, Heneritta Davis, Jack Baker, Harold Blackstock, W.T. Zuber, Joe Olivas, Jessie Fern Thomas, Darrell Smith, Ann Sinclair, George

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HELP WITH PRESENTS—Mrs. Elizabeth Greer is surrounded by some of her great-grandchildren as she opened packages during her surprise birthday party held April 28 at the Rio Robles club house in Kerrville. From left are George Hargrove, II, Panceen Keller (back), Daniel Keller, Ann Hargrove and Luke Keller. Mrs. Greer, a former Morton resident, moved to Kerrville from Kings Manor in Hereford.

SPAG slates law enforcement training course

The South Plains Association of Governments' Law Enforcement Institute will conduct a 240-hour basic law enforcement training course, May 14-July 27. Meeting every other week, in the South Plains College Library in Levelland.

Instructors from the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Department of Public Safety, the Lubbock Criminal District Attorneys office, and the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Education will conduct classes on all aspects of the Criminal Justice System. Other guest instructors from throughout the state will teach subjects on which they are considered experts.

The training course will cover Civil

Procedures, Juvenile Law, Traffic Regulations, Firearms, Narcotics, Criminal Investigations, and many more areas in which a professional law enforcement officer must be trained to effectively serve the community.

Officers completing the 240-hour basic law enforcement training course will be eligible to receive basic certification after completing one year's service with a law enforcement agency. Agencies and officers failing to meet certification requirements are subject to a \$1,000 fine for each day of violation, according to Royce Couch, SPAG Training Director.

SHORT SNORTS

A proposed constitutional amendment providing for annual legislative sessions and a \$15,000 salary for lawmakers has been cleared for a November 6 statewide election.

Both houses of the Legislature also have agreed to a bill overhauling workmen's compensation laws and raising maximum benefits to \$63 a week starting September 1.

The House passed bills to restore the death penalty for certain crimes, to lower the first offense penalty for possessing up to an ounce of marijuana to a misdemeanor (punishable by up to six months in jail and \$1,000 fine), and to allow competitive auto insurance rates.

Legislation giving 18-20-year-olds full majority rights was amended in the House to restrict drinking and abortions until age 21.

Bail bond reform has been approved by the Senate.

College grads earn higher lifetime cash

College graduates have an average lifetime income that is \$237,000 more than persons with only a high school diploma—\$608,000 compared to \$371,000.

The earning averages from Department of Labor studies were pointed out by Jack Coker, Waco VA Regional Office Director, in urging the use of G.I. Bill training by Vietnam veterans.

The G.I. Bill has other features: Veterans enrolled in high school studies also receive monthly allowances without a charge against basic eligibility, so that full G.I. Bill entitlement is retained for college attendance.

Those veterans in colleges on a half-time or more basis can now be tutored. Under the G.I. Bill, VA will pay veterans up to \$50 a month for a maximum of \$450 for tutorial assistance. Again, there is no charge against the veterans basic entitlement, Coker pointed out.

Details are available at any VA office, veterans county service office, or from the various veterans service organizations.



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RAMSEY'S SHOF SHOP

Toombs receives degree from LCC

Monte Toombs, son of Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Toombs, Box 67, in Maple, received the Bachelor of Science degree in Agriculture from Lubbock Christian College in special ceremonies May 12 in the LCC field house.

Toombs is a 1968 graduate of Threeway High School.

Lubbock Christian College, a fully accredited senior college offering liberal arts and pre-professional programs, has a student body of 1100.

Camp year at Blue Haven

Camp Blue Haven is located at an elevation of 7,200 feet in the Sangre de Cristo Mountains of Northern New Mexico. It is 17 miles west of Las Vegas, New Mexico on the Mineral Hill Road. The road to camp turns west off the Las Vegas — Santa Fe Highway about two miles south of Las Vegas.

Just what are Camp Fire Girls? From the Blue Birds to the High School Horizons...small groups are formed in each age level. Meetings are held in homes, school rooms, or church buildings. A Camp Fire Girl takes pride in being a girl. Through group activities she learns the meaning of friendship, the joy of sharing, to value home and family, the love of her country, and to be a responsible citizen. She finds beauty and peace in the world of nature and self-satisfaction in giving service to others. She develops skills of home, citizenship, business, out-doors, science, creative arts, sports and games.

This year is camp year, it is held every other year. The directors hope they have planned a good program of learning, sharing the fun for everyone. There will be nature hikes, sports of all kinds, crafts and fishing and all will be adult supervised.

Any little girl from the second grade through high school who will be willing to abide by the rules of the camp and be willing to participate as the campfire girls may go. It will cost each girl and adult \$25.00 plus spending money while there and to buy lunch on the way home. Anyone wanting to make this camp please go by Mrs. C.E. Doile's, 605 East Garfield, for a registration slip before May 20.

The group will leave the court house May 28 at 7 A.M. and return Saturday, June 2.

The Campfire Council could use some financial assistance if anyone wishes to help. This money would go toward insurance, craft supplies, gas and other essentials.

Highlights and Sidelights from your State Capitol

COURTS SPEAK—Texas Supreme Court held a new Austin high school can be constructed on land near a city lake without a referendum.

On the other hand, the High Court said Austin school district's plans to place an athletic field and sports center in a residential area would violate municipal zoning ordinances.

In other cases, the Court included: —An insurance company is responsible to its policyholders even when they mis-represent use of autos covered by policies.

—It will hear June 13 a Nacogdoches school district tax suit involving a contractor's heavy highway-building equipment.

—A San Antonio night watchman is entitled to \$177,000 damages dues to a fall from a ladder at a construction site.

The Court of Criminal Appeals held a defendant in misdemeanor cases is entitled to bail pending hearing on revocation of probated sentence.

A district court in Scurry County ordered American Magnesium Company to cease operations of its Snyder plant until it receives a Texas Air Control Board construction permit and is in compliance with the Clean Air Act.



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ABOUT LOCAL FOLKS

by Dutch Gipson

Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Childs spent the weekend in Plainview visiting with their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bedwell, in observance of Mother's Day.

Mrs. Glynda Warsham, of Lubbock and children spent Mother's Day visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allsup.

Mr. and Mrs. F.E. Baldrige are visiting in Temple with friends and relatives at present.

Several members of Missionary Baptist Church attended District G.M.A. House Party Friday night and Saturday. Among those who went were Mr. and Mrs. Carol Shelton, LaNita and Ivy Jay, Beverly Criswell and Rev. and Mrs. Rois Standifer.

Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Wiggins visited with his mother who lives in Childress over the weekend.

Mrs. Othol Bellamy of Houston arrived in Morton last week visiting with her sisters Mrs. W.L. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. T.W. Marshall, and Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Childs.

Mrs. Bellamy owns and operates the Bellamy Private Nursery School, kindergarten and private first grade and is taking a break between graduation and summer school.

Mmes Eugene Bedwell, B.E. Elliott, C.W. Wiggins, Roy Turney, Rois Standifer and Miss Beverly Criswell attended the District Seminar which met with Melonie Church of Lubbock last Thursday.

Miss Jo Neavett of South Plains College was a guest of her grandparents Sunday observing Mother's Day and attending Graduation Exercises of Little Folks School.

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Reynolds spent Mother's Day weekend with their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. David Newsom and John David.

Mrs. S.A. Ramsey's daughter Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Pinson and son, Brandon, of Brownfield spent Mother's Day with her.

Jackie Watts receives scholarship

Jackie Watts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Watts, received a \$500 Chemical Engineering scholarship for the 1973-74 school year.

The scholarship was presented by the South Plains Chapter of American Petroleum Institute to Texas Tech.

Watt is a 1971 graduate of Morton High School and graduated from South Plains College this month. He will enter Texas Tech University as a junior student in the fall.

The 15th graduating class at South Plains College will receive associate degrees and certificates of proficiency at 10:00 A.M., Friday, May 18, in Texan Dome. The public is invited to attend the exercises for 295 graduates. Levelland Independent Public Schools Superintendent Bill Vardeman, will deliver the commencement address and a reception hosted by the South Plains College Faculty Women's Club will follow.

The processional and recessional will be played by Jack Nowlin's Texan Band. The commencement exercises will begin with the traditional, colorful faculty processional. Graduates will follow.

Approximately fourteen students will be graduating with honors during this year's ceremonies. One student will be graduating with highest honors, three with high honors, five with honors and five will be designated as honor graduates.

Donald Clyde Cook of Levelland, will be graduating with Highest Honors during this year's commencement exercises at SPC. High Honor graduates include: Jackie Lynn Burris, Wellman; Hangthorn Tumwattana, Thailand; and Beverly Jan McCravy, Plains.

Teresa Quezada, Levelland; Wanda Joyce Wilcher, Lamesa; Gerald Grusendorf, Levelland; Howard Avery Kemp Jr., Levelland; and Kathryn Sue Chappell, Florida, will be graduating with honors.

Individuals selected as honor graduates in Occupational Programs include: Patsy Awre, Lubbock, Vocational Nursing; Michael R. Fields, Lockney, Diesel Mechanics; Charles David Gilbert, Sundown, Machinist Trade; Phillip Gary Daniel, Levelland, Radio-Television Servicing; and Virgie M. Long, Morton, Vocational Nursing.

Academic Dean Nathan Tubb and Technical Vocational Dean Frank Hunt will certify the graduates to the Board of Regents for degree conferral. Lt. Col. Kearney Jr., Chairman of the Board of Regents, will present the diplomas and certificates.

During the commencement ceremony all graduates that have been selected for membership in Phi Theta Kappa, national junior college honorary fraternity, will be recognized. In addition, the Vera Spencer Award, established by former President and Mrs. Thomas Spencer in memory of their daughter, will be presented to an SPC coed who has demonstrated outstanding leadership, loyalty, and support for South Plains College. Last year's recipient was Melba Nancy (Sanders) Schapp, from Abilene, who is presently residing in Lubbock. The award consists of a cash award.

The 295 degrees to be conferred include 109 Associate in Arts, 8 Associate in Science, 8 Associate in Business Administration, 53 Associate in Science and 61 Certificate of Proficiency.

Thoughts

From The Living Bible

And if your brother is bothered by what you eat, you are not acting in love if you go ahead and eat it. Don't let your eating ruin someone for whom Christ died. Don't do anything that will cause criticism against yourself even though you know that what you do is right. For, after all, the important thing for us as Christians is not what we eat or drink but stirring up goodness and peace and joy from the Holy Spirit. If you let Christ be Lord in these affairs, God will be glad; and so will others. In this way aim for harmony in the church and try to build each other up.

Romans 14:15-19
Religious Heritage of America

Highlights and Sidelights from your State Capitol

APPOINTMENTS—Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby was designated by Briscoe as chairman of a new state energy advisory council charged with recommending a coordinated state policy on energy.

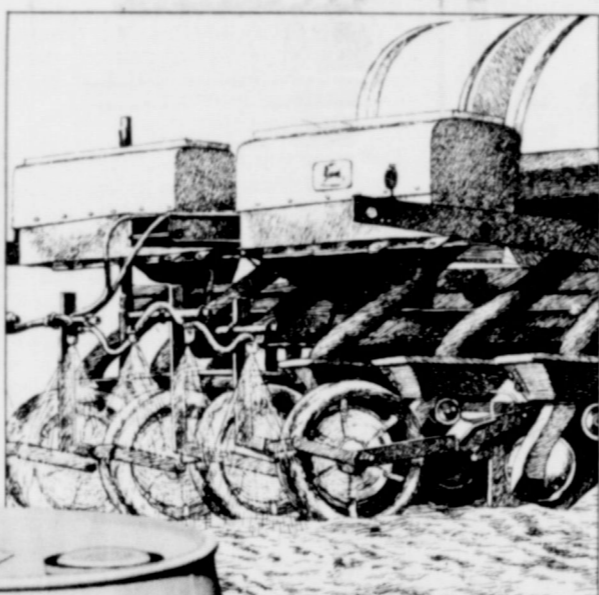
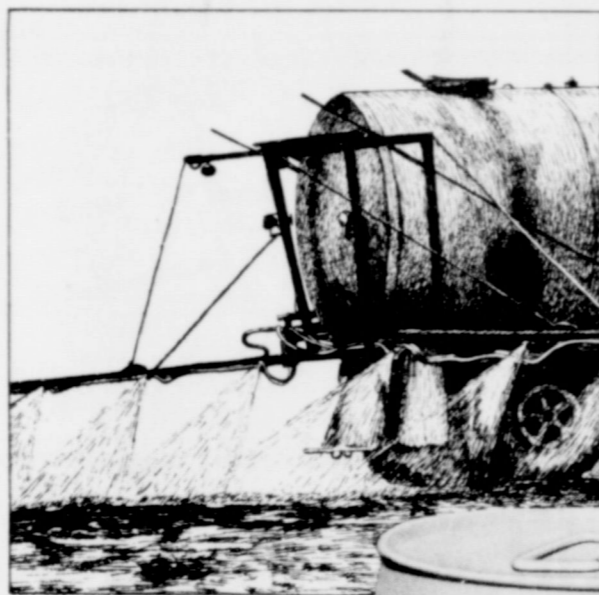
Briscoe's executive assistant, Charles Purnell of Dallas, was named vice-chairman. Heads of 11 state agencies and representatives of 13 industries, sciences and professions will be permanent council members.

Briscoe reappointed the Rev. J. Carroll Chadwick of Center and George L. Allen of Dallas members of the Texas Southern University board of regents.

RECORD WHEAT HARVEST REPORTED—Agriculture Commissioner John C. White reported the first wheat harvest of 1973 in Frio County averaged 26 bushels an acre, a record high.

The Texas wheat harvest is expected to reach 83,200,000 bushels this year, double the 1972 yield, from 3,200,000 acres, White estimated. Major harvest in North Texas won't start until late May, and won't reach a peak until June.

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House passes bill reducing pot penalties

As passed by the Texas House of Representatives, the bill would let some dope pushers go to prison and back on the streets, State Representative Clayton of Springlake said today.

Clayton voted against the bill which passed the House by a 97-38 vote today. Under the measure, approximately 700 persons now serving for possession of marijuana must be sentenced, Clayton added, and noted that many of these men were sentenced for simple possession but were in fact in possession of substantial amounts of the weed when arrested.

Men must be re-sentenced at least to the state under terms of the bill, and many will be released, he said.

Clayton was also in favor of reducing the amount of marijuana for first time possession to one-half ounce instead of one ounce, as the bill calls for.

"A half ounce of marijuana will make 10 to 15 cigarettes, and if they have more than that number on them, I feel like they are not one of the innocent first time offenders this bill is supposed to make allowances for," Clayton added.

Clayton said he hoped the bill would be cleaned up when it comes before a joint House-Senate committee, and said if certain objectionable features were removed, he might be able to vote for it in final version.

Jobs for migrants in North reduced

The Texas Employment Commission reports that seasonal agricultural jobs for migrant workers have been greatly reduced for 1973 in Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio and Wisconsin.

Bert P. Darden, TEC Manager in Lubbock, advises migrant workers not to go to these states to seek work unless they have an official job commitment from an employer. Migrant workers interested in working in the harvest in these states should contact their nearest Texas Employment Commission Office and get details on any official job openings.

Illinois, Indiana and Wisconsin will employ about the same as in 1972, except that officials warn that workers should have firm commitment for jobs before coming to their state; Michigan and Minnesota report a decrease in their states because of the increased mechanization in such activities as sugar beet cultivation, cherry and asparagus harvest, and decreased acreage in strawberry and pickles; Ohio is the only state reflecting any increase in labor needs.

This is due to projected acreage increase in tomatoes and pickles to be planted in 1973. Any increase in workers needed is contingent on the effect of the late freezing and flooding.

Darden reports that the reason for the decline in workers needed this year is due to mechanization in harvest methods. Free wheelers will again encounter a great deal of difficulty in securing employment and their migration should be discouraged.

Such action is particularly important this year in view of the uncertainties surrounding the refunding of projects or organizations that normally provide supportive services to migrant workers who become "stranded" in the above six states. Major crops that are involved consist of cherries, asparagus, tomatoes, cucumbers, sugar beets, apples, blueberries, and strawberries.

Darden asks that migrant crews who need further information about out of state work, contact the nearest office of the Texas Employment Commission.

Vernon Slaten services held

Services for Vernon Slaten, 63, were held at 2:30 p.m. Monday in First Missionary Baptist Church with the Rev. Rois Standler, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. H.T. Clark of the Assembly of God Church in Sudan.

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

Slaten died about 1:30 a.m. Saturday in Cochran Memorial Hospital after an apparent heart attack. He was an employee of the State Highway Department and had lived in the county for the past 23 years.

Survivors include his wife, Vannie; two daughters, Mrs. Nina Cartwright of Levelland and Mrs. Roma Watts of Morton; eight sons, Lindsey Bates and Lindell Bates, both of Morton, John Slaten of Port Arthur and Kenneth, Ben Luther, Vernon Ray and Tommy, all of San Diego, Calif.; his mother, Mrs. Albert Slaten of Chachotah, Okla.; a sister, Mrs. Ned Sizemore of Checotah; a brother, A.J. of San Jose; 17 grandchildren and a great-grandchild.



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Myrtle Ray Bledsoe news

Terry Dale Davis, Bledsoe senior made the State All-star Basketball team.

Mrs. June Gandy and Don Weaver took the 4th, 5th, and 6th grade students on a field trip to McKenzie Park in Lubbock last Friday.

Velinda Davis is home again after undergoing surgery on her arm.

Some of the High school students toured Carlsbad Caverns and the Carlsbad Botanical Gardens during a field trip last Saturday. Sandra Gandy, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hale and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mowery accompanied the group.

Piano students of Eva Kaye Guber gave their program Saturday, May 12. Selections varying from bouncy boogies to graceful waltzes were presented by Karen and Leesa Bilbrey, Jehahn and Jeffrey Bilbrey, Donna Funk, Jon and Michelle Gandy, Franze and Rene Guber and Daryle Weaver.

The Senior Citizens meeting will be at 2 p.m. this afternoon in the County Barn.

The Seniors are sponsoring a supper which will start at 7 p.m. Friday, May 18. Chicken and all the trimmings will be \$1.75 for adults and 75 cents for students. Immediately after the supper, students will present the senior play "The Hoax of Hogan's Hollar." Following the play there will be an awards assembly for the presentation of athletic awards.



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Comments on Conservation

BY WAYNE WILCOX

A multi-colored general soil map of Texas has now been published and is available for sale to the public, a local conservation official said this week.

The Wilcox, district conservationist of the U.S. Soil Conservation Service at Lubbock, said the beautiful 36-by-45-inch map is available in his office. It shows soil conditions compiled from years of soil survey work by the Soil Conservation Service in cooperation with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

The map lists basic soil conditions which should be useful to planners, conservationists, engineers, developers, farmers, ranchers, and others.

The map gives color delineations of the soil series (containing 161 soil series) in the state and their special limitations of use.

The map also shows rainfall, elevation, and length of growing season across the state. Current and potential urban and rural uses by soil conditions are also listed.

The map was developed cooperatively by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the Soil Conservation Service, the map is available in two sheets or printed front and back, the map costs \$4.00.

Biologists with the department are confident that the deep, cool waters of the lake will make a good home for the perch.

Belton Lake will offer new fishing

recommended the two-sheet style. For folding and filing, he said the map printed on both sides might be the best.

The map may be purchased from the Department of Agricultural Communications, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas 77843.

Order blanks can be obtained from the SCS office at County Activity Building or from the County Extension Agent's office at same location.

Belton Lake will offer new fishing

Anglers around Belton Lake can look forward to a different kind of fishing within the next couple of years.

The Parks and Wildlife Department stocked the Central Texas lake April 30 with 360,000 12- to 14-day-old walleye fingerlings reared in the Eagle Mountain State Fish Hatchery in Tarrant County.

Biologists with the department are confident that the deep, cool waters of the lake will make a good home for the perch.

Belton Lake was filled in 1952 and has recently been raised some 12 feet. It will eventually be raised 25 feet which will double its surface-acre size and triple the acre-foot capacity.

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A weekly public service feature from
the Texas State Department of Health

Accent on Health

J.E. PEAVY, M.D., Commissioner of Health

Emergency care received before a wreck victim reaches a hospital could make the difference in a patient arriving alive or dead, says the Texas State Department of Health.

Since 1968 the Health Department has worked to raise the odds on victims arriving alive through intensive emergency care training programs for ambulance attendants.

Although other factors must be considered, emergency training is part of the reason why there has been a decline in traffic deaths in rural areas as compared to the total percentage of traffic deaths across the state.

Two programs are carried out by the Civil Defense and Traffic Safety Division. One is an 18-hour course called an Emergency Care Attendant School, while the other is a comprehensive Emergency Medical Technician School with a minimum of 72 hours of instruction.

So far this year 11 ECA Schools have been held in Texas. Since the first school was conducted in San Angelo in 1968, the 18-hour program has been presented to 12,652 students with 8,784 successfully completing the courses. Many of those trained came from rural communities which had been without trained emergency medical care personnel. The training was presented close enough to their home so they could attend one of the 135 courses offered in that span since 1968.

The longer Emergency Medical Technician School was conducted the first time in 1970 at Austin. Thirty-one others have been concluded since then with 889 graduates from an enrollment of 1,062 persons.

EMT Schools are underway now in Galveston, Beaumont, Austin, Dallas, Webster, Victoria, Wharton, Nacogdoches, Baytown, Bryan, Brownwood, and San Angelo. After their completion in June, three others are scheduled for El Paso, Alice and Texarkana.

Students attending the Emergency Care Attendant School receive instruction in resuscitation, cardiac massage, splinting of fractures, handling of emotionally disturbed patients and emergency childbirth. Many of the students attending the course do so out of dedication to their community and at their own expense. Realizing this, the State Health Department provides training in the students' own or neighboring community.

With the cooperation of local medical societies, the State Health Department conducts the school free of charge to all students.

In the major metropolitan areas of Texas' great strides are being made in providing trained personnel and equipment to meet the most critical lifesaving situations. Dallas, Houston, Fort Worth and San Antonio have seen the need for more detailed and lengthy training of ambulance personnel.

The methods and curriculum used in the ECA School are expanded in the Emergency Medical Technician School, again with the aid of local medical societies.

Texas was one of the first states to provide such training for ambulance personnel with the Austin course which began in May 1970.

The second school—in Houston—was a milestone in emergency training in Texas. With the highest traffic death toll

in Texas continuing to increase, Houston city officials members of the medical profession and persons from the private sector decided that something must be done to improve emergency medical care in the Bayou City.

The result was an ordinance specifying that an ambulance driver must be a qualified Emergency Medical Technician. Standards of proficiency and training are the responsibility of Houston's director of public health. The ordinance placed the ambulance service in the Houston Fire Department.

With assistance from the State Health Department, the first EMT School required by law was begun in January 1971 in Houston. Six SMT Schools in the first year produced 206 graduates.

The other major cities followed with EMT trained personnel and city ordinances and Dallas officials are now considering the use of highly trained

paramedics in its city-operated ambulance service. These well-trained personnel would man mobile intensive care units, an emergency care concept that goes far beyond the traditional ambulance service.

Receiving the necessary training is a step towards providing needed emergency care for citizens, says the State Health Department. But the level of proficiency must be maintained and improved continuously. This is one of the functions of the State Registry maintained by the State Health Department. By promoting professionalism, the Registry increases the level of emergency care. Registrants must pass a rigid skill test and subscribe to a code of ethics pertaining to their profession. To date, there are 2,243 members of the Registry with 1,337 applications pending.

There is no way to estimate the number of lives saved—or hospital stays limited by professional emergency care—but one thing is certain: training given emergency personnel will greatly increase your chances should you be an accident victim.

BUDGET Science faces lean times

Science and medical research are reaping a bitter harvest from the Nixon administration's proposed budget for fiscal 1974.

Although the budget for research and development in all departments and agencies adds up to \$17.4 billion, up 1.7 per cent over 1973, the increase is so small that it will undoubtedly be eaten up by inflation.

This stringent budget is an obvious reflection of the administration's determination to hold the line on spending across the entire national scene.

The effect in the world of science and medicine, however, is magnified by another administration goal — to emphasize programs that seem to offer short-term payoffs.

The combined result of this two-way pinch is the drastic curtailment or outright elimination of many programs, some far out and others down to earth.

Perhaps the best example is the budget for the National Institutes of Health. Here, we find substantial increases for the "war" on cancer and efforts to combat heart disease. However, all other areas of the NIH world — arthritis, neurology, allergy and infectious diseases, general medical sciences, child health, eye research and environmental health — have received substantial cutbacks.

This "go" or "no go" philosophy seems to run throughout the entire search and development field.

The National Science Foundation gets more money over-all, but the biggest increase goes for Research Applied to National Needs while support for graduate students, the scientists of the future, is cut to the bone.

The space program gets similar treatment. Skylab, the joint U.S.-Russian Apollo-Soyuz mission, several unmanned probes to Venus and Mercury and Jupiter, and the Viking lander to Mars are still scheduled. However, the famed "grand tour" of the outer planets is out, along with the important High Energy Astronomy Observatory and the vital space shuttle program stretched out over several additional years.

This kind of up and down treatment has left many programs and people in the cold and they are naturally upset.

The Physics Survey Committee of the National Academy of Sciences says that "if current trends in the growth of support of U.S. physics continue... the relative position of the United States in the international physics community will inevitably decline."

The downward trend in federal financial support for basic research may have "disastrous long-range effects on the nation," echoes Dr. William F. Miller, vice president and provost of Stanford University.

The California Committee on Regional Medical Programs, eliminated under the new budget, charges the administration with "complete lack of knowledge and understanding of the program."

The National League of Nursing is "alarmed" over proposed budget cuts that affect the nursing field. Employees of the famed Brookhaven National Laboratory are told that 225 of them will lose their jobs because of budget restrictions.

The Children's Memorial Hospital of the District of Columbia finds its construction program severely curtailed.

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Honor society installs two local teachers

Morton teachers were among members installed into the Delta Kappa Honor Society for International during a special ceremony held in the Carpeted Student Center at South Morton.

Members are Cassie Jean Reed, Phyllis Ann Reed. Other new members included: Glenna Cooper, Lanette Dickson, Levelland Jones, Levelland June Melton, and Mary K. Shea, Levelland.

The special initiation ceremony was held at 7:30 p.m. and was presided over by the chapter officers, which included Mrs. Frances Watkins, Mrs. Leabee Freeland, First

Vice President; Mrs. Gail Burrier, Second Vice President; Mrs. Virginia Yarborough, Recording Secretary; Mrs. Felba Amis, Treasurer; Mrs. Laura Cole, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Inez Knox, Parliamentarian; Mrs. Bert Stockard, Immediate Past President of the chapter, was a special guest at the ceremony.

There are approximately 62 active members in the Theta Epsilon Chapter. There are Delta Kappa Gamma Chapters located all over the United States (including Hawaii and Alaska), Norway, Sweden, Canada and one will be established in Mexico this summer.

A reception followed the special installation ceremony. The reception was hosted by Mrs. Lois St. Clair, Mabel Ann Sanders, Ina Williams, Inez Grant,

Hazel Blakely, Virginia Yarborough, Jimmie Campbell and Wanda Balch. Refreshments of cookies, punch and mints were served.

Cassie Jean Benham, one of the new initiates, is a Title I Reading teacher, Grades 2-5, Remedial Reading in the Morton Independent School District. She was named "Outstanding Teacher" in 1971 by the Area Council of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. Phyllis Ann Reed presently serves as an Elementary Librarian and Junior Arts and Crafts teacher in the Morton Public Schools. She also serves as a Volunteer Story Teller to the disadvantaged. Phyllis is an officer in the Emela Smith Junior Study Club and is an active member of St. Ann's Catholic Church.

Highlights and Sidelights from your State Capitol

CONVENTION DISCORD RAISED—Senate planners for the 1974 constitutional convention were angered by House efforts to dominate the arrangements committee.

The House adopted a resolution calling for 16 members of the convention planning committee and only five senators. Senate spokesmen said the proposal will never be accepted.

Meanwhile, House Speaker Price Daniel Jr. said he does not condone circulation of a petition endorsing him as convention chairman. Both Lt. Gov. Hobby and Daniel have acknowledged they are interested in the chairmanship, although they say they are not campaigning. Several House members have endorsed Daniel.

AG OPINIONS—A \$3,000 homestead exemption applies to property subject to ad valorem taxes for county farm-to-market road and flood control purposes, but a second resident exemption on the same property can't be claimed, Atty. Gen. John Hill held.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

- A bill allowing the State Board of Control to serve as purchasing agent for college districts is constitutional.
- Cooperative purchasing agreements by local governments with the Board of Control or among themselves would also be constitutional.
- A Commission on Revenue Earmarking would be constitutional.
- Metropolitan county supplementation of Court of Criminal Appeals pay would be unconstitutional.

THE FAMILY LAWYER

Robbed At Work

Hired as floor manager in a department store, Phyllis asked where she should leave her new fur coat during working hours. Since there were no more lockers available, she was told to leave the coat in a corridor closet.

A few days later, the coat was stolen from the closet. The store denied any responsibility for the loss, but Phyllis—unconvinced—took the matter to court.

At the hearing, the company said it had never guaranteed its employees against theft. But it seems the closet had neither lock nor guard. Finding a lack of reasonable care, the court said the company would have to make good the loss.



It is common for employees to deposit clothing and other personal belongings in company facilities while at work.

As a rule, the company must provide reasonable safekeeping if—as in Phyllis' case—the employee has been instructed to put the article in a particular place. This creates a "bailment" relationship, with a legal duty imposed on the company as the "bailee."

But the duty is not unlimited. In another case, also involving a stolen coat, the clothes closet was within a locked enclosure to which only employees had access. A court ruled that the company had made a reasonable effort to prevent theft, hence could not be held liable.

Of course, some responsibility

Whiteface News

The annual banquet honoring Whiteface High School athletes was held Monday night, May 7, in the school cafeteria. Bill Sarpaullus was guest speaker and the Rev. Harold Harrison emceed the event.

Special awards were given to Randy Peden, Richie Marshall and Wade Sanders in recognition of their talents displayed in football, basketball and track. Girls awards went to Toni Smith, Kim Peters, Cathy Moseley and Pam Henry.

BUTTON-A-DAY



Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Moore are the proud parents of baby girl, Misty Leigh, who was born at 2:25 a.m. Saturday, May 5, in Lubbock. She weighed 6 pounds and 11 ounces.

The Elmer Evans' were honored Wednesday night, May 9, with an ice cream and cake get-together in the Community Center. Elmer has been pastoring a church in California the past several years and is soon to be moving back to Whiteface to pastor the local Church of Christ.

Eleven members of the WHS Band attended the Greater Southwest Music Festival in Amarillo last week, bringing home some high ratings in the contest. A flute quartet consisting of Debbie McHam, Gail Sanders, Lea Logan and LaWand Bill's received a 1 rating. Sixth grader Mary Iglesias received a 1 rating for Alto Sax solo and Lanette Joiner received a 2 on her clarinet solo. A clarinet trio consisting of Jackie McHam, Claudia Breaux and Patsy Lopez received a 2 rating.

The Seniors returned from their trip to Colorado Sunday night.

The FFA Banquet will be held tonight at 7:30 in the school cafeteria and exams will begin Friday.

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Richard Coleman, valedictorian of the Morton High School graduating class of 1973, participated in various school activities during his four years at MHS. He was in the band four years, on the annual staff, student council, National Honor Society, Band Council, and was named All Regional in his junior and senior years, was stage manager for the junior play; U.I.L. Debate team; Slide Rule, 3, 4; One Act Play and was voted Most Likely to Succeed his senior year and was also High Point Junior Usher.

Debbie Silhan, salutatorian, participated on the annual staff and was co-editor her senior year, she was active in FHA, band, Pep Squad, National Honor Society, Jr. Play, U.I.L. Spelling, High Point Junior Usherette and named Most Likely to Succeed her senior year.

Other graduates and a list of their activities are: Edward Akin, Band 1-3; All Region All. 1,3; FFA 4; Jr. Play Stage Crew 3.

Donna Arnold, FTA Reporter 4; Most Courteous 4.

Amado Artega, choir 1,3,4; U.I.L. 1; track 1,2.

Sherry Baker, FHA 1,2; Parl. 2; FTA 2,4; Band 1,2,3; Student Council 4; Basketball 1,2; Track 1,2; tennis 1,2.

Phil Barker, Annual 3; FTA 2-4; FFA 1,2; Choir 4; Band 1-4; S.C. 1-3; Bus. Man 1; Sec. 2; V.P. 3; Class Pres. 2,3; Tranquility 4; Jr. Play 3; U.I.L. typing 2; Most Courteous 4.

Deloris Bautista, Choir 4; Pep Squad 1,2.

Ricky Bedwell, FFA 1,2; Basketball 1; V.I.C. Sec. 3.

Jack Benham, FTA 4; Parl. 4; FFA 1-4; Sent. 3,4; Band 1-4; All Region 4; Jr. Play Stage Crew 3; Best Personality Cand. 4; Band Sweetheart Escort 4.

Doris Beseda, Annual 3; FHA 1; FTA 3,4; Band 1-4; Hist. 4; NHS 3,4; Sec. 4; Band Coun. 4; Jr. Play 3; Most Courteous Cand. 4; Band Sweetheart Cand. 4; Band Fav. 4; Most Likely to Succeed Cand. 4; High Point Junior Usherette 3.

Diane Bickett, annual 4; FHA 3; FTA 4; Band 2; Tennis 4.

Fred Brown, FFA 2-4; Choir 1; VICA 4; Golf 1; Debbie Bryan,

Fred Brown, FFA 2-4; Choir 1; VICA 4; Golf 1.

Dubbie Bryan, Band 1-3; Student Council 4; Band Council 3; Football 1-4; Captain 3; VICA 4; Most Attractive Cand. 4; Football Queen Escort 4.

Sam Burnett, FFA 1-4; Sec. 3; Treas. 4; Dist. Rep. 3; NHS 3,4; U.I.L. Persuasive Speaking 4; Football Mgr. 1-3.

Mary Cadenhead, FHA 1; FTA 3-4; FFA 4; Band 1-4; Student Council 3-4; NHS 3-4; Band Coun. 2,3; Twirler 2-4; All Region Band 2-4; Jr. Play 3; U.I.L. 2-3; Volleyball 1-4; Most Attractive 4; Miss M.H.S. Cand. 4; Hallo. Carn. Queen 3; Band Sweetheart 4; Cand. 3.

Lesly Carter, Band 1-2; Jr. Play 3; U.I.L. Interpretive Reading 4; One Act Play 4; Basketball 1-2; Football 1-4; 2nd Team Def. Guard 4; Track 1,2; VICA 4; Serg. of Arms 4.

Terry Cartwright FFA 4; Football 1; VICA 3,4.

Mary Lou Chavez, Choir 4.

Landra Coker, FTA 4; Prog. Chairman

4; Choir 1-4; Librarian 4; Pep Squad 1.

LaNita Combs, FHA 1; FTA 3-4; FFA 4; Band 1-4; V.P. 4; Band Council 4; Twirler 3-4; All Region Band 3-4; Jr. Play 3; U.I.L. 1; Best Personality Cand. 4; Most Courteous Cand. 4; Band Sweetheart Cand. 4.

Gerry Corder, FFA 1-4; Dist. Rep.; Student Council 4; Parl. 4; NHS 3-4; Pres. 4; Football 1-4; Track 2; Best Personality 4; Hallo Carn. Queen Escort 4; Pep Squad Queen Escort 4.

Doug Crockett, FFA 1-2; Sent. 2; Band 2; Class Pres. 1; Class Favorite 3-4; Jr. Play 3; One Act Play 3; Basketball 1-2; Football 1-3; Track 1-3; VICA 3-4; V. Pres. 3; Pres. 4; Most Attractive 4.

Greg Crone, FFA 1-2.

Arlene Crow, FTA 4; FFA 4; Band 1,2,4; Student Council 4; Class Favorite 1; Cheerleader 1-2; U.I.L. Oral Interp. 2-3; Hallo Carn. Queen Cand. 1.

Junior Fitts, Choir 1; Football 1,2,4; Track 1-2; Tennis 4; VICA 4.

Sherry Fred, Band 1-3; Twirler 2; U.I.L. Poetry Interpretation 1; Extemp. Speaking 3.

Emma Fuentes, Choir 4.

Mike Gilham, FFA 1; Basketball 1-4; Football 1; Track 1-2.

Becky Goodman, Annual 4; Choir 1; Student Council 1; Class Reporter 2-3; Pep Squad 1-4; Cheerleader 1-4; Head Cheerleader 4; Jr. Play 3; Most Attractive Cand. 4; Miss M.H.S. 4; Football Queen Cand. 3; Football Queen 4.

William Grant, Class Sec. 3; Vice Pres. 4; Basketball 1,2; Football 1-4; Tract 1,2; VICA 3-4; Sec. 3; V. Pres. 4; Football Queen Escort 4.

Bob Greene, FFA 4; Jr. Play 3; U.I.L. 3; One Act Play 3; Football 1-4; Track 1,2; Most Courteous Cand. 4.

Ellis Grimes, Annual 3,4; FFA 1-4; Reporter 3,4; Student Council 4; Business Mgr. 4; NHS 3,4; Jr. Play 3; Football Mgr. 1,2; Track Mgr. 1,2.

Mike Grusendorf, Annual 4; Jr. Play 3; One Act Play Props. 3; Football 1-4; Track 1.

Jimmy Harvey, FFA 1-3; Choir 3,4; Librarian 4; U.I.L. 3-4; Basketball 1-4; All District 3; Capt. 2,4; Football 1-4; All District 4; Capt. 4; Track 1-4; Mr. M.H.S. Cand. 4; Most Courteous 4; Pep Squad Escort 4.

Mando Hinojosa, Choir 1-3; Football 1,2.

Mike Hunter, FFA 1; Band 3,4; Student Council 4; St. Counc. Chaplain 4; Class Sec. 2; NHS 3,4; Band Council 4; Jr. Play 3; U.I.L. Typing 1; U.I.L. Slide Rule 3; Basketball 1,2,4; Football 1; Track 1,2; High Point Usher 3.

Barry Key, FFA 1-4; Dist. Rep. 4; Basketball 1,3; Football 1,3.

Larry Key, FFA 1-4; Dist. Rep. 4; Student Council 3; Basketball 1; Football 1.

Donnie Kuehler, FTA 4; Vice Pres. 4; FFA 1-4; Treas. 2; V. Pres. 3; Pres. 4; District Treas. 4; Band 1-4; President 4; Band Council 3,4; Basketball 1; Football 1; Track 1; Band Sweetheart Escort 4; Band Favorite 4; Most Likely to Succeed Cand. 4.

Emma Leal, Choir 1,2; Pep Squad 1,2.

Ernestine Hawkins Moore, NHS 3-4; Student Council 2-3; S.C. Repres. FTA

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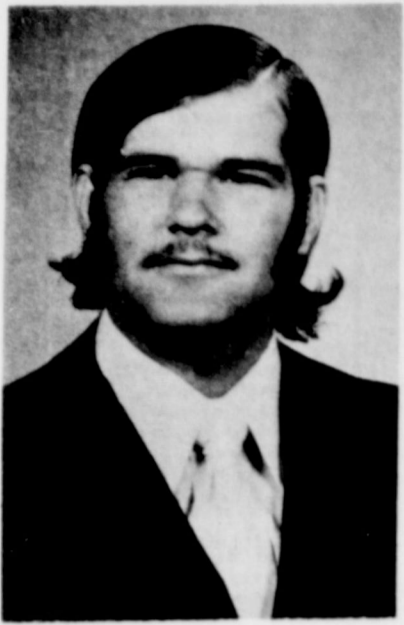


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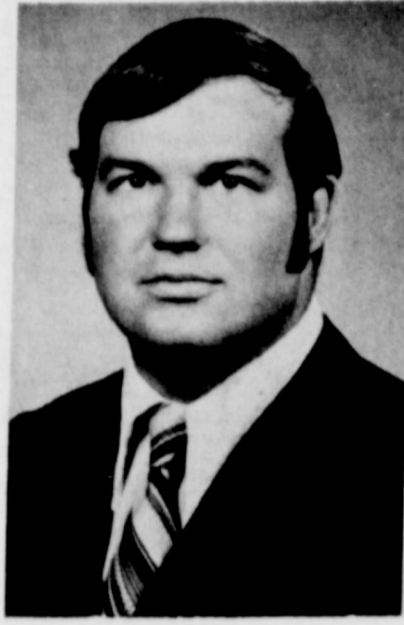
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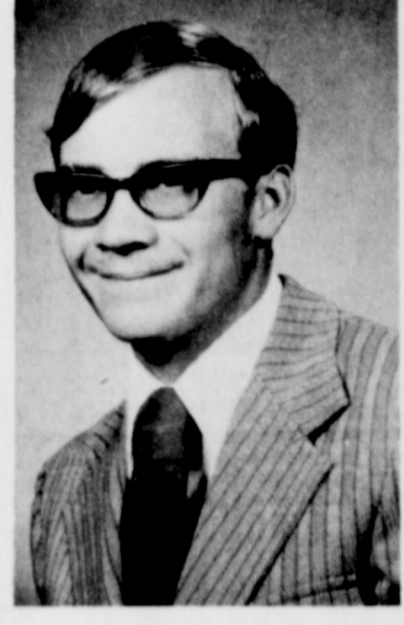
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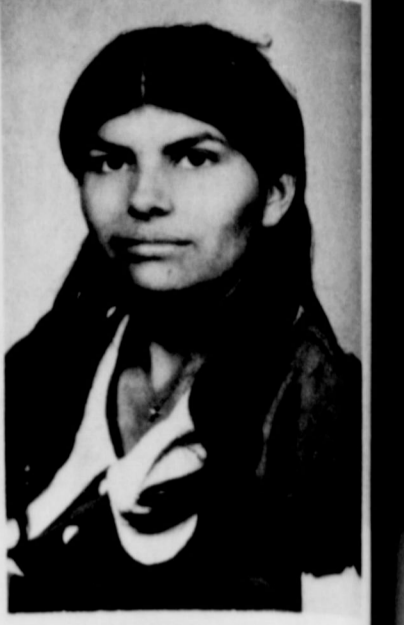
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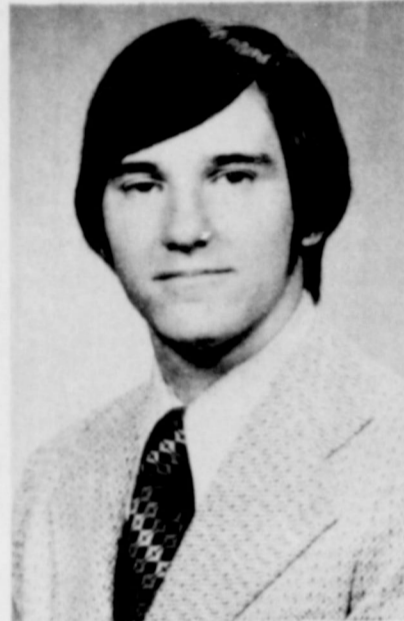
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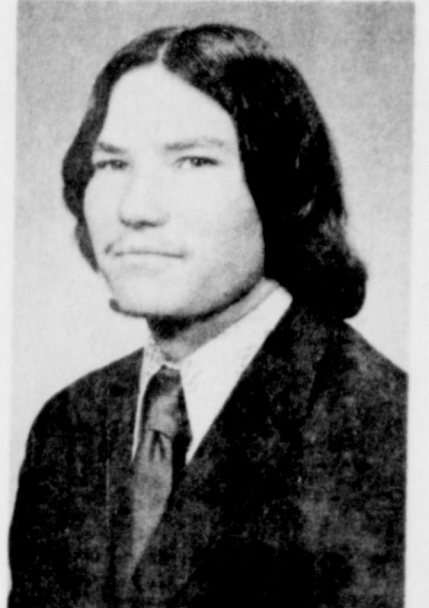
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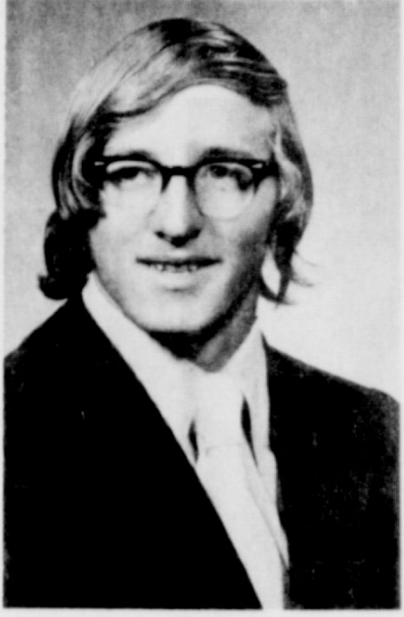


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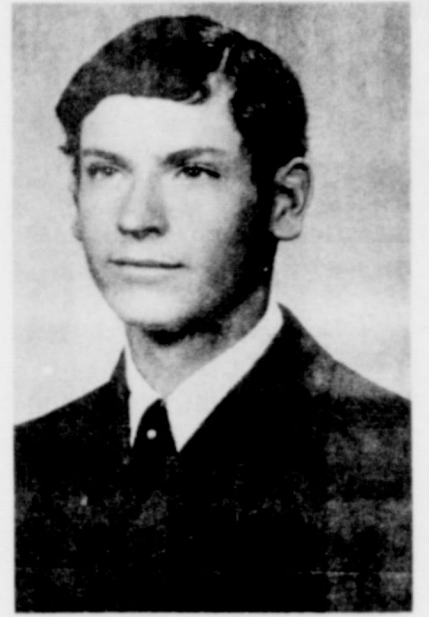
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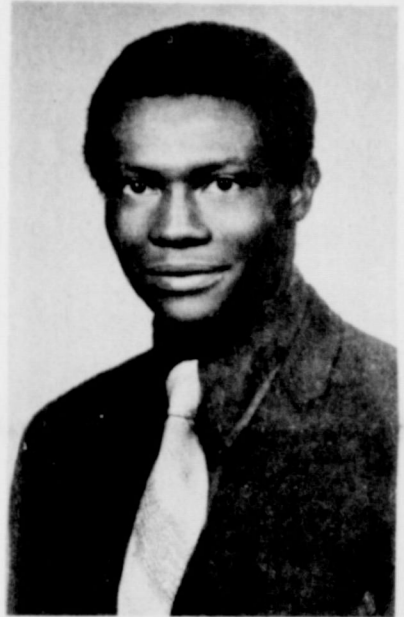


Going Places

You're on your way, class of '73
to further achievements.
Best wishes, whatever you do.



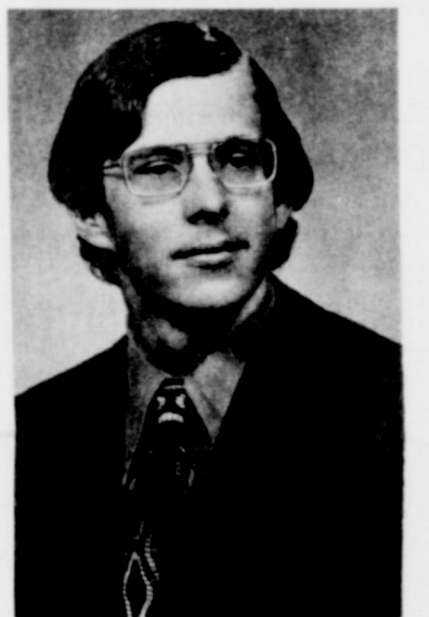
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MANDO HINOJOSA



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We wish for the members of
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happiness and success.
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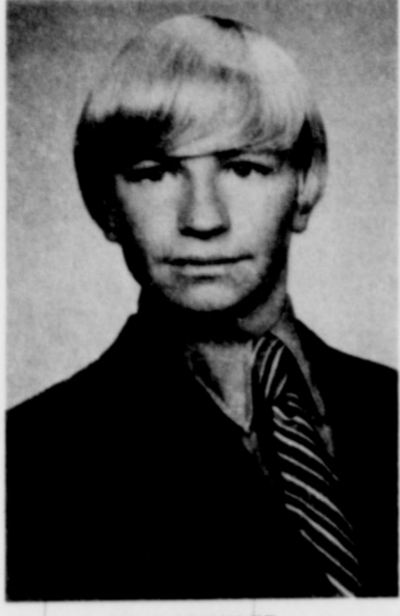
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These Graduates say Goodbye To School Days



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EMMA LEAL



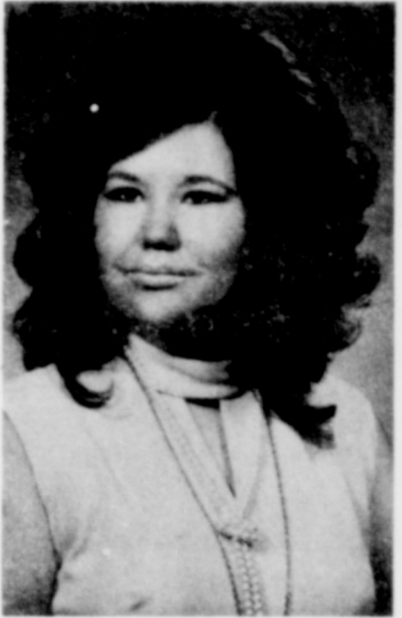
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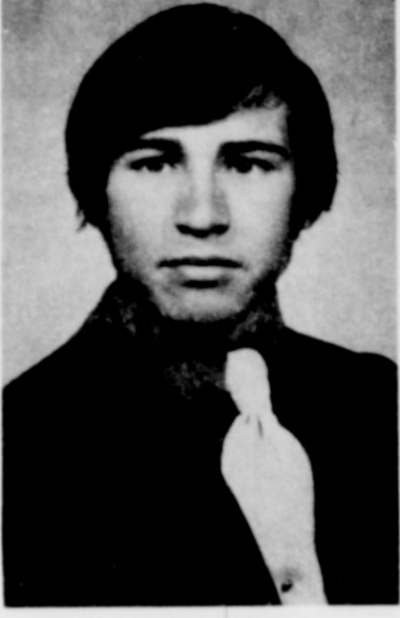
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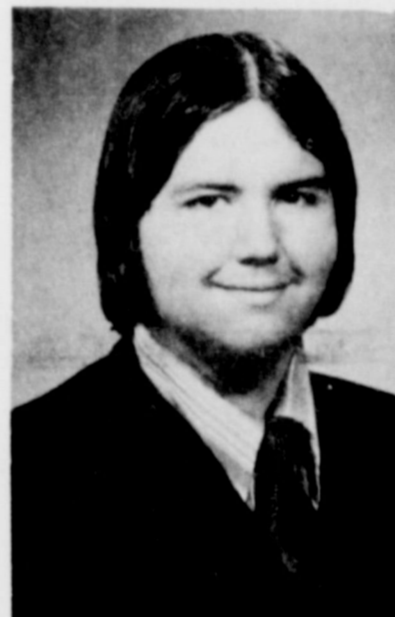
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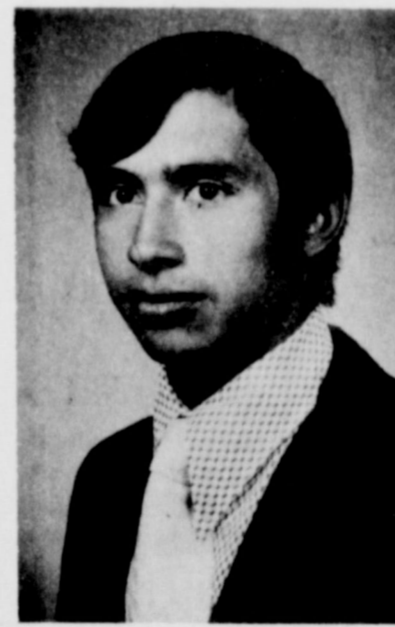
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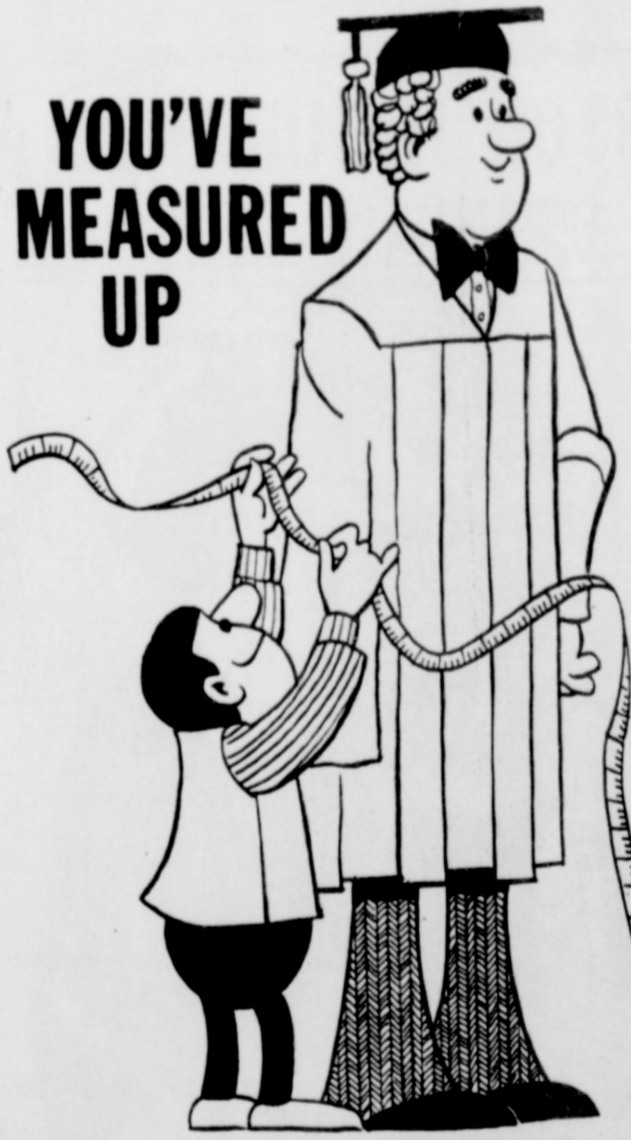
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1973 Bledsoe Graduates

Activities of Bledsoe Graduates varied

Terry Davis is the valedictorian for the Bledsoe graduating class of 1973. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Davis. Terry's activities for his four years at Bledsoe High School are: Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Fighting Hearts Award; 2; All State; 4; All District; 2, 3, 4; Track; 1, 4; U.I.L. 1, 2, 3, 4; National Honor Society; 3, 4; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; One act Play; 2; Class Officer; 1, 2, 3, 4; He plans to attend college and major in physical education.

Randy Coffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Coffman, has been named salutatorian for the class of '73. Activities he has been involved in are: Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball captain; 4; All District; 3, 4; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; class officer 2, 3, 4; Fighting Hearts Award 3; National Honor Society 3, 4; U.I.L. 3, 4; Best All Around; 4; Most Dependable 4. Randy is making plans to attend South Plains College in the fall.

Other graduates and a listing of the activities they have participated in are: Sherri Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harrie Adams, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Fighting Hearts Award 2; Halloween Carnival Queen 3; Homemaker of the Year 4; U.I.L. 3, 4; Track 1; National Honor Society 3, 4; tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; One act play 2, 3, 4; Best All Around 1, 4; Class secretary 4; basketball captain 2, 3, 4; She plans to attend college and will major in elementary education.

Freddie Brannum son of Mr. and Mrs. H.I. Chaddick, basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; track 3, 4; U.I.L. 3, 4; senior play 4.

Rita Fipps, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gilliam, basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; cheerleader 3, 4; Homecoming Queen 3; U.I.L. 1, 2, 3, 4;

National Honor Society 3, 4; Most Courteous 1; Most Dependable 2; One Act Play 1, 2, 3, 4; Most Likable 3; Most Likely to Succeed 4; Class officer 1, 2, 3, 4; Bailey County Electric Co-op Speech Contest 3; Student of the Year 4. Rita is planning to attend South Plains College and will major in English.

Mary Perez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Perez, basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Fighting Hearts Award 3; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; track 2, 3, 4; tennis 3; cheerleader 3, 4; One Act Play 4; U.I.L. 3. She plans to attend South Plains College and have a career in nursing.

Kay Row daughter of Mrs. Herbert Row, basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; track 1, 2, 3, 4; tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; cheerleader 3, 4; Fighting Hearts Award 4; Homecoming Queen 4; One Act Play 1, 2, 3, 4; U.I.L. 2; Class Favorite 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball Captain 3, 4; Most Likable 4; Most Courteous 2; Most Wittiest 4. Kay plans to attend South Plains College and major in Art.

Larry Langrill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Langrill, basketball 2, 3, 4; Fighting Hearts Award 4; U.I.L. 4; Most Likable 3, 4; Class Favorite 1, 2, 4; Senior Play 4. Plans to attend South Plains College.

Rose Tarango, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Tarango, basketball 2, 3, 4; citizenship 2; senior play 3, 4; volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; track 1, 2. She plans to attend either South Plains College or Alpine University and major in nursing.

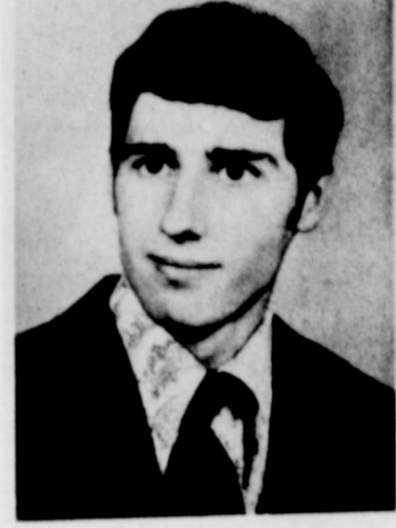
Terry Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edsel Young, basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; basketball captain 2, 3; All District 2, 3, 4; All South Plains 3, 4; tennis 1; class officer 1, 2, 4; One Act Play 2, 3, 4; U.I.L. 1, 2, 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; plans to attend college and major in the engineering field.



SHERRI ADAMS



FREDDIE BRAMUM



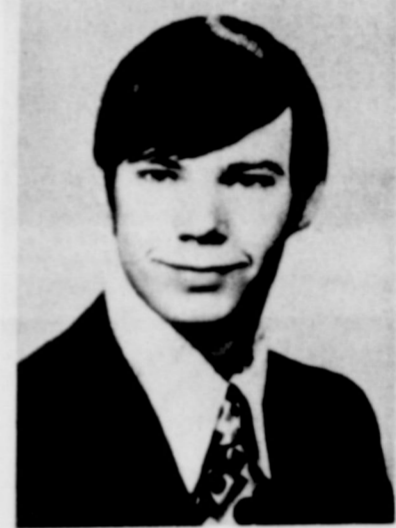
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A Weekly Report Of Agri-Business News

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John C. White, Commissioner

Farm Prices Decline...Read Meat Production Increases...Cook-Off Contest in May 19.

What goes up must come down; at least that is true for farm prices. The all-farm products index of prices received by Texas farmers as of April 15 is down 10 points from the previous month. The livestock and livestock price index was down five percent from a month ago.

Hog prices averaged \$34.50 per hundred pounds, down almost \$7 from a month ago. Beef cattle at \$43.60 per hundred pounds are down \$2.50 from a month ago. Calves at \$56.80 per hundred pounds are \$6.60 under a month ago.

Sheep at \$16.90 per hundred pounds are \$2.10 under last month. Lambs at \$36.10 per hundred pounds are \$4.50 below a month ago.

Turkeys and eggs showed price increases during the recent month. Turkey prices averaged 33 cents per pound compared to 28 cents a pound a month ago. Egg prices reached an

average of 58 cents per dozen compared to 53 cents a month earlier.

Wool and Mohair prices remained unchanged from a month ago.

In crops, wheat was up four cents at \$2.20 per bushel. Grain sorghum was down a penny at \$2.76. Corn at \$1.73 per bushel was down two cents per bushel.

Despite price increases during 1972, livestock producers did not achieve full parity. No category of livestock achieved full parity throughout the year.

The average price of cattle, calves, hogs, sheep and lambs in Texas during 1972 was \$35.85 per hundred pounds.

The average parity price for those categories of livestock during 1972 was \$42.06 per hundred pounds, thus the average price the farmer received was more than \$6 under the average parity price during 1972.

RED MEAT production in Texas during

March showed a nine per cent increase above a month earlier.

Cattle slaughtered during March in Texas totaled 300,000 which is up 31,000 over the month ago. During the first three months of 1973, a total of 865,000 head of cattle were slaughtered in Texas.

Average live weight of cattle slaughtered was 934 pounds compared with 928 a month ago.

Hog slaughter in Texas during March was down 6,000 compared to a month ago.

TWENTY-FOUR state finalists will compete in Austin May 19 in the annual grain-fed beef cook-off, coordinated by the Texas Department of Agriculture.

The contestants will be competing for the grand prize and category prize of \$200 each. The three categories of the contest are: tender cuts, such as steaks, less tender cuts, such as stew meat and variety cuts such as liver and kidney. Winning recipes will be published.

Sponsors of the cook-off are the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, the Texas Cattle Feeders Association, the Texas Meat Packers Association, and the Texas Cow Belles.

looking up

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CLASS OF 1973

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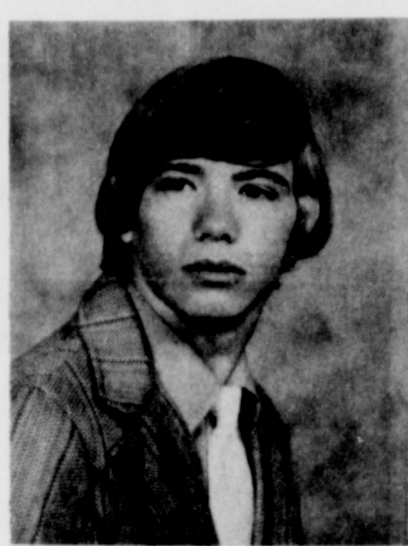
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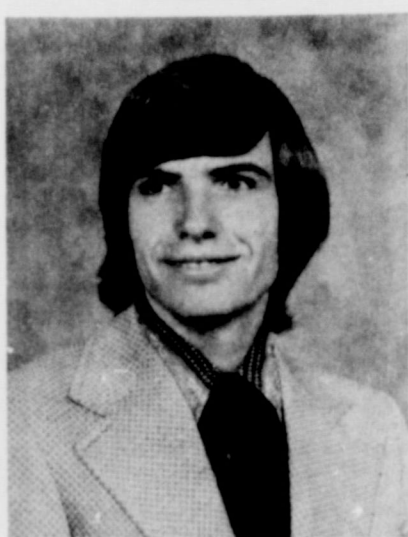
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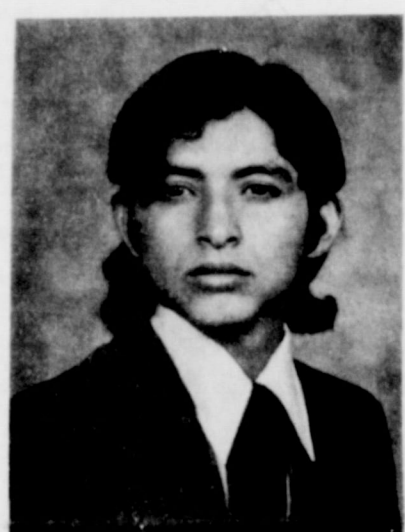
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New horizons in store for Three Way Graduates

Cheryl Abbe will lead the Three Way High School graduates as valedictorian of the 1973 class with a 93.18 average. Rena Neutzler will be second in line for honors as Salutatorian with a 89.28 average.

Cheryl has a long list of activities marked up during her four years at Three Way High School. Some of them are: Basketball 1, 2, 3; Basketball Queen 1, 3; Basketball Captain 2, 3; All District 1, 2, 3, 4; All Tournament 3; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 2, 4; Track 3; Twirler 2, 3; Pep Squad 1, 4; Who's Who 2, 3, 4; Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 1, 2; Class Favorite 4; Most Likely to Succeed 4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Jr. and Sr. Play; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA Officer 2, 3, 4; as well as being valedictorian her senior year.

Rena too has been active during her high school years. She was in FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Volleyball 1, 2, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Jr. and Sr. Play; Track 3; Who's Who 3, 4; Honor Roll 1, 2, 3; Class Officer 1, 2; Crisco Award 3; Cook

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"A-OK"

All is well on this fine day. Best of everything, class of '73.

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May happiness and success greet you every step of the way.

**DANEZ BEAUTY
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You're the best, class of '73. We tip our hat to you this graduation day.

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Whiteface Graduates Of 1973



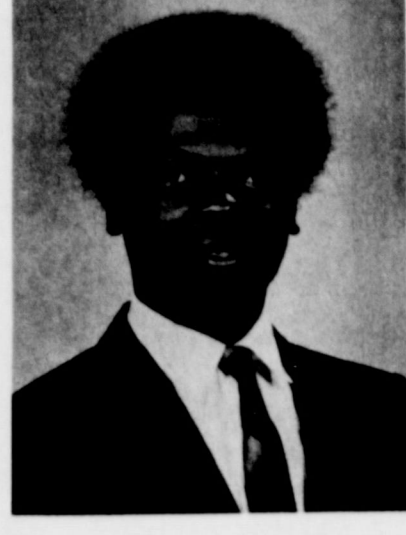
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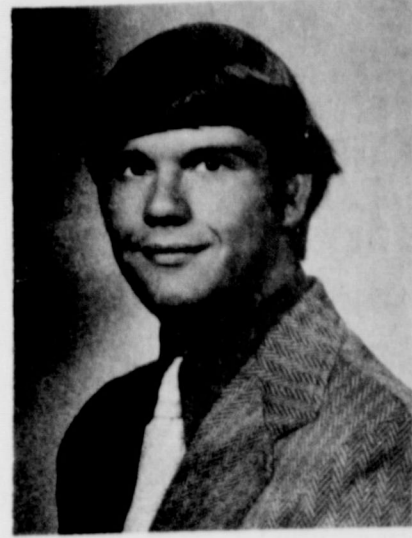
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LARRY DAVIDSON



ROBERT DAVIDSON



RAIMUNDO ELIZONDO

Whiteface Graduates activities impressive

Bonnie Lou Purcell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Purcell, is valedictorian at Whiteface High School, class of '73. She has been active in band all four years and was named scholastic favorite all four years. Other activities and honors include, Wittiest Girl, Student Council, National Honor Society, Who's Who Among American High School Students in her junior year. Her senior year she was a member of the student council, in the National Honor Society, and again listed in Who's Who.

Christy Cade, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Cade is Salutatorian for the '73 class. Her school activities include Band member her freshman and junior years, FHA member all four years and secretary of that organization her junior year; "B" team basketball both as a freshman and sophomore; Class secretary and "most courteous" in her sophomore year; "Most Likely to Succeed," Manager of girls' basketball team, "Outstanding Student of the Year" and business manager of the annual staff her senior year.

John Bradley Akin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Akin was a member of the "B" team basketball both his freshman and sophomore years; "Outstanding Achievement in Vocational Agriculture" as a freshman and sophomore; member of Future Farmers of America all four years; member of the band four years; vice president of FFA local area and Area I as a junior and senior and a member of the student council, senior year.

Michael Ernest Burris, son of Mr. and Mrs. D.F. Burris, football and basketball four years, was on the track team four years and was a regional qualifier both his junior and senior year; class officer both freshman and senior years; Class favorite as senior and was in FFA four years.

Billy Wayne Chambers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Aron Chambers, Jr., played football and basketball three years, was a member of the track team as a freshman, was in FFA four years and served as an

officer his junior year, participated in choirs as a junior student, was in the cast of the senior play and was elected Most Cooperative.

Larry Davidson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Davidson, attended Whiteface High School his junior and senior years. Both years he played basketball was in FFA, the choir and the senior play. Larry attended Rochester High School his freshman and sophomore years. He played football, basketball, track, tennis and was in FFA. He was a member of the All District football team as a sophomore.

Robert Davidson, son of Mr. and Mrs. F.L. Davidson played football, basketball, tennis was a member of the choir, FFA and in the senior play. He was All District and All South Plains in Basketball his senior year.

Raimundo R. Elizondo, son of Pete Elizondo, Jr., attended Morton High School as a freshman. He transferred to Whiteface as a sophomore and participated in track, was a class officer his junior year, and was a member of FFA as senior.

Sundai Diane Ford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Cooper, participated in Band, Future Homemakers of America, track team, pep club, Christian Youth Organization, basketball and student council. She was selected Scholastic Favorite as a junior and as a senior was named Miss Whiteface High School, Most Dependable Senior Girl, Homecoming Queen Candidate, Senior Class secretary, FHA president, Pep Club president and member of National Honor Society.

Jaynell James, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.W. James. She was a member of FHA four years, played on the basketball team three years and was voted "Friendliest" her freshman year. She was a member of the band as a junior student.

Norma Lee Josey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Cooper, was in the Rodeo Club, member of the student council, choir, Girlstown Trio and FHA. She was

named Homecoming Queen her senior year.

Vicky Virginia Landeros, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Juan Mejorado, was active in FHA, the Antelope Band and the Whiteface Choir.

Pamela Kay Linder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D.L. Linder. Pamela was a member of the FHA club, played basketball four years; was Football Queen, Class Favorite, Most Cooperative, FFA Sweetheart, Scholastic Favorite, Cheerleader and junior class reporter. In her senior year she was class Favorite, reporter, head cheerleader, a member of the band and Homecoming Queen candidate.

Ricki Marshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Darwood Marshall, played football, basketball, track was active in FFA and was Star Greenhand Farmer his freshman year, Star Chapter Farmer as a sophomore, vice president of the junior class, president of the senior class, and also president of the student council and Spirit Club and named Mr. Whiteface High School his senior year.

Lesla Orr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Orr attended Thayer Kansas High School both her freshman and sophomore year. At that school she was vice president of her class both years, secretary and treasurer of the Pep Club, a member of the Thespians, played basketball, and was an alternate cheerleader, member of the band and student council, and was also a candidate for both football and basketball queen. She attended Okmulgee Oklahoma High School as a junior and was in the National Honor Society. She served as president of the society as a senior student at WHS.

Randy Peden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oren Peden, was District Champion in tennis as a freshman, sophomore and junior. He played both basketball and football and was named First Team all district as a sophomore, junior and senior and was All South Plains basketball his senior year.

Beth Powers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Cooper, attended Austin Freshman High School and Johnston High School before moving to WHS as a junior student. She was a cheerleader her senior year at WHS and was also a candidate for football queen.



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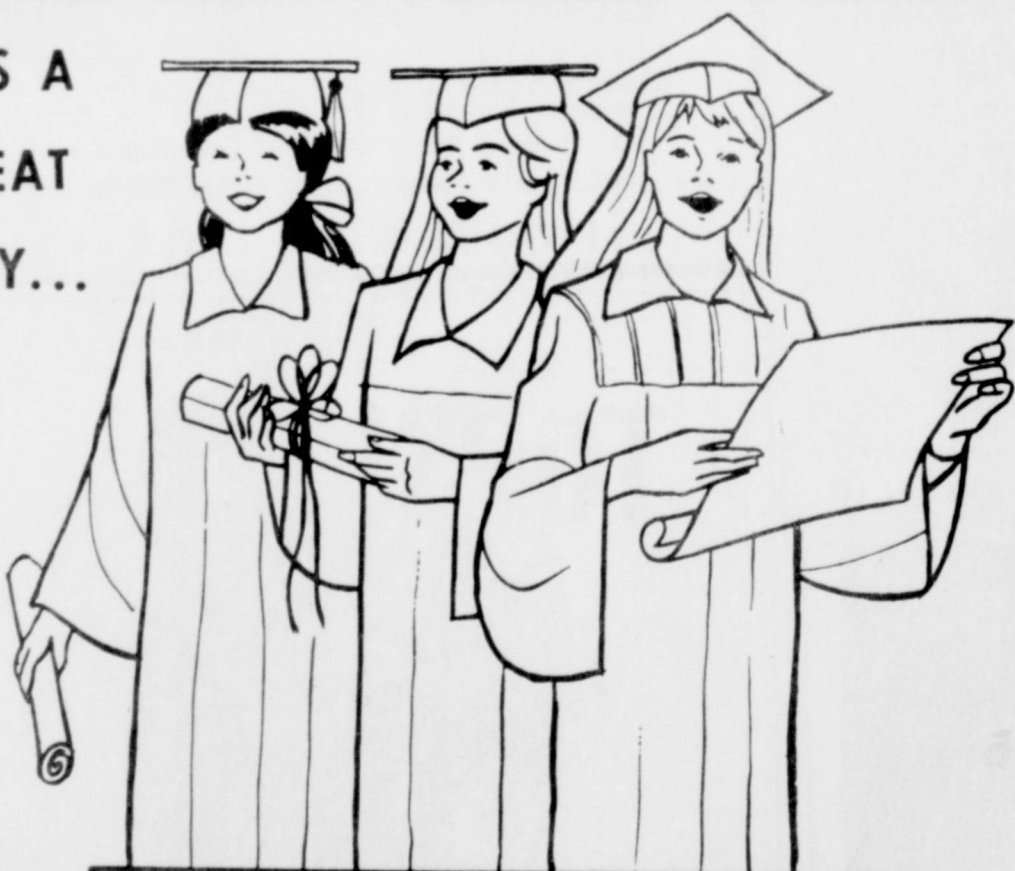
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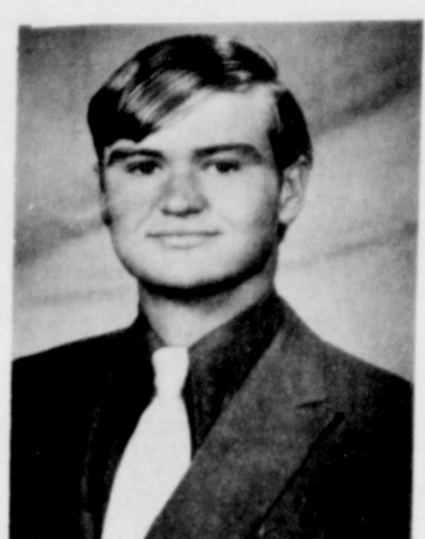
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The cotton section of the farm bill reported May 8 by the Senate Agriculture Committee "is a far cry from an extension of the present program, which had industry-wide support," says Donald Johnson, Executive Vice President of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lebbok, "and it has features we will not want to support without careful study."

Prior to the Committee's going into executive session, Senator Herman Fairbridge, democratic committee chairman from Georgia repeatedly voiced the intent and belief that the Committee would report a simple extension of the current law. Therefore no one outside committee membership had any advance notice or opportunity to

comment on the Committee's May 8 action. Johnson points out that the bill, which Fairbridge hopes to get on the Senate floor by June 1, are not yet known to PGC. But it is understood that price support payments for cotton would be the difference between a 45-cent "target price" and the average spot market price for Strict Low Middling one and one sixteenth inch cotton, 3.5 to 4.9 micronaire, for the first five months (August through December) of the cotton marketing year.

PGC's calculations for the years 1966 through 1972 show that High Plains producer income from allocated acreage would have averaged slightly better under this formula than under the flat 15 cents per pound payment in effect under the Agriculture Act of 1970.

"But there are several reasons why these calculations might be misleading," Johnson cautions.

"For example," he says "whatever past averages may show, there isn't necessarily any direct relationship between the August-December average price quotations for Strict Low Middling one and one sixteenth inch cotton and the average price paid to farmers for High Plains cotton."

"Therefore it is conceivable," he continues "that under the Senate's bill the High Plains crop which averages about Strict Low Middling Light Spot 31-32 microns and normally sells at a 10 to 15 micronaire discount, could sell for 14 or 15 cents per pound, and because of the price structure for the longer staple, higher grade, earlier sold cotton, quality for little or no support payment."

Johnson also notes that the 45-cent "target price" is only the "first offer" from the Senate Committee and that the ink was hardly dry on the committee print before knowledgeable sources were reporting that committee members might later be willing to compromise on a target as low as 35 cents.

With a target price of 35 cents, even the unreliable averages compiled for 1966 through 1972 would indicate a drastic reduction in producer returns on the High Plains. Quoted price average for High Plains cotton, 1966 through 1971, was 20.03 cents per pound. The five-month average quotation for SLM one and one sixteenth inch cotton for the same years was 25.75 cents.

The cotton loan level under the Committee's version of a new farm law, according to presently available information, would remain at 90 percent of the average world market price, with the Secretary retaining authority to make adjustments as he might see fit.

Minimum base allotment would be set at 10 million acres, the same national allotment as that of 1972, but first reports indicate the Secretary would be given new authority to restrict plantings above the base allotment should he anticipate a carryover above 7 million bales.

Other program provisions, including set-aside requirements and payment limitations, may or may not be in accord

with language known to be under discussion by the committee, Johnson stated, and further comment "should be reserved until a final draft of the committee report is available."

"We have called a meeting of the full PGC Board of Directors for May 29," he advised "at which time we will go deeper into the entire bill and discuss a course of action."



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14; office, Choir 1-4; Girls Choir 3; Librarian 3; Most Versatile 4; Jr. Play 3; Football Queen Candidate 4; Volleyball 2-3.

Alex Perez, Band 1-4; All Region 1-4, Jr. Play Stage Crew 3.

Irene Pritchett, FHA 1-3; FTA 1; Choir 1-4; Pep Squad 1-4; Pres. 4; Treas. 3; U.I.L. Solo Choir 3; Volleyball 1-4; Pep Squad Queen Cand. 4.

Teresa Ellis Reeder, Pep Squad 2-3; Rodrigo Reyes, FFA 1, 2; NHS 4; Football 1, 2; Track 1, 2; VICA 4.

Steve Scott, Band 1, 2; Student Council 4; NHS 4; Basketball 1; Football 1; Track 1; VICA 4; Secretary 4.

Hope Soliz, Choir 1, 2, 4; Pep Squad 1, 2, 4; Volleyball 3; Pep Squad Queen Cand. 4.

Becky Standifer, Volleyball 1; Gymnastics Club.

Peggy Steed, Annual 4; FHA 1-4; FTA 3-4; Sec. 4; Pep Squad 1-3; Jr. Play 3; U.I.L. Persuasive Speaking 3; One Act Play 3.

Ricky Swicegood, Band 1; VICA 3, 4; Football 1; Track 1.

Ted Thomas, FFA 1-3; Pres. 3; Student Council 2-4; NHS 3, 4; Basketball 1-4; All District 4; Captain 4; Football 1-4; All District 4; All South Plains 4; Capt. 4; Track 1, 2; Tennis 3, 4; VICA 1; Mr. M.H.S. 4; Hallo Carn. Queen Escort 3; Football Queen Escort 4.

George Trejo, Band 1-4; NHS 4; Jr. Play Stage Crew 3; Football 1; Track 1-2; Pep Squad Queen Escort 3.

Georgia VanHoose, Annual 3, 4; Editor 4; NHS 4; Jr. Play 3; U.I.L. Spelling 3; Sp. C. 2, 4.

Sylvia Villereal, FHA 1-4; Choir 3, 4; Pep Squad 1-4.

Craig Vinson, FFA; Football 1; VICA 3, 4.

Jade Wells, Annual 4; FHA 1-3; Jr. V. Pres. 2; Proj. Chair man 3; FTA 2-4; Rep. 3; Treas. 4; Pep Squad 2, 3; Reporter 3.

Rosa White, FHA 1-4; Sec. 2; end V. Pres. 3; Pres. 4; FTA 3, 4; Historian 3; Class Rep. 4; Pep Squad 1-4; Sec. 3; V. Pres. 4; Jr. Play 3; Volleyball 3; Pep Squad Queen 4.

Mildred Williams, FHA 1, 2, 4; Choir 1-4; Officer 4; Pep Squad 1-4; Officer 4; Volleyball 2-4.

Ricky Williams, FFA 1, 2; Class Pres. 4; Basketball 1, 2; Football 1-4; Track 1, 2; VICA 3, 4; Treas. 4.

Margie (Perez) Woods, transferred; Choir 4; Basketball 1-3; Volleyball 1-3.

Ann Winder, FFA 4; Pres. 4; Choir 1-3; Librarian 1; Rep. 3; Student Council 2; Class Sec. 1, 4; Class Rep. 1; Class Favorite 4; Pep Squad 1-3; Cheerleader 1-3; One Act Play 3; Hallo Carn. Cand. 4; Best Personality 4.

Ricky Woods, FFA 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Football 1-4; Track 1-4; VICA 4; Rep. 4.



The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill Attorney General

AUSTIN—Now that the weather's nice, and you're spending more time outdoors, you may be noticing that the house could do with a little fixing up.

That kind of thinking might make one susceptible to a home improvement salesman's suggestions for a new roof, aluminum siding, or a remodeling job.

But, be very cautious about agreeing to any construction work until you are certain you are dealing with a bona fide contractor who makes a specific work proposal, complete with plans, specifications and cost estimates. There are literally thousands of Texas builders who can be depended upon for a workmanlike job.

Too often, homeowners have been fast-talked into unwanted, unneeded and unsatisfactory "improvements," only to find that the so-called contractor has flown the coop, leaving the homeowner with an expensive, long-term installment note which had been sold to a financing company.

In the legitimate construction trade, these home improvements fly-by-nights are known as the "hit-and-run variety." Both the Texas Association of Home Builders and the National Home Improvement Council provide advice telling you what to expect in dealing with a reputable builder, and how to avoid involvements with the type who offices only out of the trunk of his car.

Through complaints handled by members of the Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division staff, we have learned that the "hit-and-run" operators prefer to zero in on low-income neighborhoods, but may turn up anywhere.

The typical gambit is to show the man or lady of the house a photograph of a pretty cottage finished with fancy siding. If he protests that he doesn't have the funds to remodel, the salesman counters with an "easy-payment" installment proposal. If the customer still resists, saying that he already is overloaded with payments, he may be tempted with a plan to "consolidate" his bills and the improvement cost under one installment note.

One easy way to tell the unscrupulous home improvements salesman from the contractor you can count on is his

insistence on getting you to sign on the dotted line right away.

A regular contractor will expect the homeowner to get bids and estimates from three or four firms, and will present exact plans and specifications for your consideration. Also, he will tell you which financial institutions usually make loans for his company's home improvements, and ask if you would like to go through one of them.

A fast signing with one of the hit-and-run fellows usually leads to heartbreak and heavy expenses. In one case, a homeowner realized several months after accepting a "siding" job that the material used was so thin, it bent on touch. He refused to pay any more installments on the \$4,000-plus note, only to learn that the note had been sold within 24 hours after he had signed it to another company which had a holder-in-due-course defense against his complaints. Since the papers he had signed included a mortgage on his house, his refusal to pay any more resulted in his home being sold out from under him. By then, the fly-by-night had flown.

The best advice for avoiding that type of problem is:

1) Make a double check on anybody who is selling "home improvements" door to door. Remember, that auto or pickup truck has four wheels. Look to see if it has Texas license plates.

2) If the salesman asks you to go with him to a notary, or pulls out a notary seal, he probably is asking you to mortgage your property to him as security on the note. Are you sure that is what you want to do?

3) Under the Federal Truth-in-Lending law, anyone planning to take a second mortgage as security has to disclose to the buyer in writing that he has the right to change his mind within 72 hours after signing. If the purchaser is not given that notice, he may rescind the contract at any time.

4) Under the Texas Consumer Credit Code, the contractor must obtain from the consumer who signs a retail installment transaction a certificate of completion, imprinted with these words: "WARNING TO BUYER—Do not sign this certificate until all services have been satisfactorily performed and materials supplied or goods received and found satisfactory."

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Other graduates and their activities are:

Kay Fine—Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; All District 3; All Tournament 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Drummer 4; Annual Staff 4; Carnival Queen 3; Basketball Queen Candidate 3; Track 3; Class Favorite 1; Jr. and Sr. Play and Interscholastic League Play 2.

Lorenzo Morin—FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 1, 2; Annual Staff 4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Volleyball 4.

Joey Kindle—Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 4; Basketball King 4; All District 3; Basketball 4; Hon. Men. Def. Guard 3; Golf 2, 3, 4; District Golf Champs 4; Class Officer 2, 3, 4; Favorite 1, 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 2, 3, 4.

Becky Perez—FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA Officer 4; Basketball 1, 3, 4; All District 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 4; Class Princess 1; Drummer 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Basketball Candidate 3; and Jr. and Sr. Play.

Petra Morin—FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA Plowgirl 2; FHA Officer 4; Class Favorite 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Volleyball 1, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 4; Annual Staff 4; Junior and Senior Play.

Gladys Stroud—FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; OEA 3; Science Club 1; Pep Club 1, 2; Speech 1; Drama 1; Senior Play 4.

James Partlow—Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 4; Hon. Men. Def. Back 3; Football Hero 3; All Star Team 4; All

District Offensive Back 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball Captain 3, 4; All District 2, 3, 4; All South Plains 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Regional Track 1, 2; Golf 2, 3; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA Officer 1, 2, 3; Senior Play; Honorable Mention 3; FFA Livestock Judging 2, 3, 4; MVP 4; All Tournament 4.

Ann Warren—FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; All District 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mascot 4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Basketball Queen Candidate; Jr. and Sr. Play; Class Officer 1, 2, 3, 4.

Terry Pollard—Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Hon. Men. Def. End 3; Football Captain 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball Captain 3, 4; All District 4; Hon. Men. All South Plains 4; Track 1, 2; Mr. THS 4; Most Likely to Succeed 4; Class Favorite 1, 3; Class Officer 1, 2, 3, 4; Who's Who 3, 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA Officer 2, 3, 4; Prince Charming 4; Golf 2, 3, 4; District Golf Champs 4; U.I.L. Play 2, 3, 4; All Star Cast 4; Senior Play.

Vanessa Powell—Cheerleader 4; Football Queen 2; Lions Queen 1; Most Beautiful 4; Most Popular 3; Basketball 1; Manager 2, 3, 4; Track 3; Annual Staff 1, 2, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Junior and Senior Plays and U.I.L. Play 2, 3.

Isreal Zapata—FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA Officer 1, 2; Annual Staff 4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Volleyball 3, 4; Class Officer 2; Football 4; Football Captain 4; Prince 2.

Lee Sanderson—Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Football Captain 4; Basketball Manager 1, 2, 3, 4; Track Manager 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf

1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 2, 3; Star Green Hand 1; Chapter Farmer 2; Livestock Team 2, 3, 4; Halloween Carnival 1; Friendliest Boy 4; Annual Staff 1 and Senior Plays.

Kandy Sower—Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; District 4; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3; Volleyball 1, 2; Football Queen 3; Most Beautiful 3; Miss THS 4; Livestock Queen 3; FFA Sweetheart 1; Most Courteous 3; Who's Who 1, 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior and Senior Play and Class Officer



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