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Deadline For Name On Ballot Is Monday

May 3rd (that's Monday) is the final date for getting a candidate's name placed on the ballot in the coming election, Democratic Chairman Alton Burleson announced this week in releasing a list of important dates for all candidates to remember.

Texas' Election Laws require a candidate to enter his request to have his name placed on the ballot not later than the first Monday in May, preceding the primary.

22 days later, by May 25, the first sworn statement must be filed by the candidate, 60 days prior to the election. On June the 14th, the next sworn statement must be filed.

Candidates must pay their assessments to the County Chairman by Saturday, June 26, on or before the Saturday before the fourth Monday in June.

On July 4 the final sworn statement is due. The same day absentee voting for the first primary commences.

Whiteface Surprises With Triumph In Regional Track Competition

Sterling performances by three men, all placing high in their individual events, plus a split in various other points gave unheralded Whiteface a Class B regional championship at Amarillo last Saturday in a big upset. Reese Washington headed the three man Whiteface delegation. The sterling Antelope athlete took first places in the mile run and the high jump to garner 10 points. Teammates Jimmy Asby and Weldon Curbo racked up a tie for first in the pole vault and a tie for second in the high jump for six more points, enough to enable the Antelopes to edge to victory.

New Deal, rated to be champion and Hale Center, strong contender, found just enough opposition to split up their point totals and they could gain only 15 points to the Antelopes' 16.

Key to the Whiteface victory was the fact that 23 Class B teams garnered points, any few of which would have earned victory for the two runnerup teams.

However, if their victory was a three man show instead of a team victory, the Whiteface triumph was no less spectacular for the team that had finished only fourth in their own District meet. It took nearly twice as many points to win the Class AA and A divisions.

All of the Whiteface trio qualified for state finals at Austin.

On May 1, hand students will travel by school bus to Lubbock for the band contests.

On May 4, an instrumental demonstration for future band students and parents will be held at 7:30 at the school auditorium.

May 6-7, from 4:00 until 5:00 the band will rehearse at the County Auditorium for the coming concert.

May 9, at 3 p.m., the Band Concert will be held in the County Auditorium with the public issued a cordial invitation. Admission will be 25 cents.

May 10, the Band Boosters will hold their final meeting of the year at the Band Hall and will elect officers for the coming year. That will be at 8 p.m.

May 22, from 9 a.m. until noon, all band uniforms and school owned instruments must be checked in at the school.

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LITTLE LEAGUE PARK UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Grading on the new Little League Baseball Park is scheduled to start sometime late this week or early next week the Morton Jaycees announced Tuesday. A county grader will level the field and erection of some type of fence will be started as soon as possible.

H. L. Coon Announces For Constable

Another candidate in the race for Constable of Precinct One was assured this week as H. L. Coon, local trucker authorized the Tribune this week to announce his candidacy.

Coon will be a candidate for his first public office. Married and the father of three children, H. L. has been a resident of Cochran County since 1936.

Other candidates, previously announced for the same office include, in order of their filing, Cecil Lindsey, Sam Neville and J. H. (Hardy) Rhyne.

Darla Oats Is Whiteface Valedictorian

WHITEFACE (Spl.) — Darla Oats, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Oats posted the highest average of any senior in the school it was announced last week and her 94.4 average earned for her school valedictorian honors at the commencement exercises set for May 21.

Salutatorian will be Mary Tucker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Tucker. Mary had a 91.7 average.

Highest boy in the class is Billy Wall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wall who had a 90.8 average.

Jaycees Secure "Go Ahead" On Little League

Nineteen Morton Jaycees were on hand Monday for the regular luncheon meeting, the last before the state convention at El Paso, which begins today.

Most important business on hand concerned one local project hanging fire. The committee on the Little League park reported they had received the "Go ahead" signal and would proceed as soon as exact Little League park specifications were made known.

Further reports on the coming installation banquet were also heard.

Bill Glassford reported on the Lovelland Jaycee installation, attended by three local persons.

It was announced that Walter Shaller, Amarillo Jaycee has withdrawn his candidacy for state president.

A committee was appointed to look into the possibility of the Jaycees sponsoring or co-sponsoring a cleanup week for Morton. Possibility of entering a local candidate in the national Jaycee Junior Golf Tourney was also discussed.

At least two local members were making plans to attend the state convention this weekend where the Morton Jaycees have entered a scrapbook of their activities competing for a state award.

Planter Boxes Bought For Use Of SCD Farmers

W. W. Smith, Cochran County Soil Conservation District Supervisor, this week announced the purchase of two planter boxes to be added to the local district's collection of equipment available to Cochran farmers.

The planter boxes, one to fit a Twin City tractor and the other to fit a John Deere, are for drilling peas along with the planting of feed. Smith points out that the peas will add vitally needed soil building elements and will make a tremendous difference in next year's crop.

The boxes are available, for loan only, at the local school, Clovis Cattle Company, agriculture department. Harvey Walker Ag instructor is in charge of them.

The Soil District has several other pieces of equipment purchased to be used by Cochran District farmers, some at no charge and some for a nominal fee.

Patton Escapes Serious Injury

Winfred Patton, well-known Cochran County farmer was reported okay this week after a serious auto accident late last Wednesday evening. Five miles north of Morton on Highway 214, Patton's Oldsmobile flipped and rolled over two and one half times nearly being demolished as the wheels skidded off the pavement and he attempted to regain control of the car.

He was taken to the County hospital for treatment but was released almost immediately.

Lions Name Cole Assistant Director Of Rodeo Assn.

Luke Cole was appointed director for the "Last Frontier Rodeo" by the Morton Lions Club, Wednesday at their regular luncheon meeting.

Cole will assist J. W. McDermott in representing the Lions Club on the directory. The new plan was put into effect to allow someone to gain the knowledge needed to serve on the board of directors without asking the same men to serve each year.

Each of the four co-sponsoring clubs is to name an assistant.

Eight local Lions were cited as possible perfect attendance pin winners for the past year. Secretary Roy Gentry singled out Arlee Barnard, Lloyd Hiner, T. J. Simpson, Floyd Smith and himself as so far possessors of perfect attendance records. J. B. Knox, Zeke Sanders and Don Allsup were also believed to have made up absences to qualify them for the annual pin award.

P. B. Ramby gave a talk on the convention held at Amarillo last weekend and reported the color guard made a fine showing.

Homer Thompson said the committee on livestock has not yet finished with plans they are to reveal to the club at a date in the very near future.

Five guests were on hand, including two visiting Lions and two ex-Lions from this club.

Earns Place In State Competition

WHITEFACE (Spl.) — Carlene Peacock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Peacock, earned for herself competition in the state finals of Journalism division, Texas Interscholastic League meets, last week as she placed second in the regional competition. She will represent 9-B Conference in the competition at Austin, May 6-8.

Sam Kelly Is Presented Lion's "Farmer of the Year" Award

Sam Kelly well-known Morton farmer was presented the Lion's "Outstanding Farmer" award for 1953 at a regular Lions Club meeting last week.

Presentation of the honor was made by Lion Homer Thompson, County Agent. In describing Kelly's outstanding job during the past year, Thompson pointed out that Kelly has a diversified farming setup.

At present Kelly has 16 acres of alfalfa, 30 acres of rye and vetch, some clover and Kentucky Fescue; approximately 80 acres of cotton; 28 head of calves and cows and three hogs. Last year he had about 100 acres of cotton but the allotment cut that.

Kelly thanked the Lions for the honor.

In other business attended to last week, H. S. Hawkins and Thompson urged local Lions to attend the stock show and described the picture of entries for the year as "twice as many as in 1953."

Two Lions said they would be in Amarillo for the Lions convention at which time the local county guard was to lead the parade.

Coats Qualifies For State Finals In High Jumping

An excellent six foot one inch leap, good enough to capture first place in any of the regional track divisions last Saturday except the one in which he was competing, earned for Morton's Alfred Coats a trip to Austin and the state finals, May 6-8.

Coats placed second thanks to a tremendous 6' 4 5/8" jump by Lawrence Miller of Crane. Not only did Miller break all existing records with his sensational jump, he far surpassed even his own previous ability.

Coats' jump was top of all other jumpers, even in the Class AA competition.

Coach Hoy Marcum feels that Alfred had an excellent chance of taking first place in the state finals at Austin. He has cleared 6'2" on previous occasions and once by what onlookers termed "at least two inches."

Three Way Seniors On Annual Trip

Three Way (Spl.) — Honors for the earliest senior trip of the season go to Three Way seniors who left on their senior trip, following Friday evening's senior play presentation, "Taming of the Brat."

The seniors left for a trip to South Texas where they are visiting San Antonio, Austin, Houston and Galveston. Miss Carter and Melvin Rigley, both teachers at Three Way, made the trip as chaperones, along with Mesdames J. G. Ann, Cecil Cole, Jack Lowe and Clifford Dupler.

Members of the cast of the play were Gail Ann, Mamie Fowler, Willie Jack Pierce, Jimmy Miller, Mickey Sowder, Keith Price, Pauline Hodnett, Shirley Reeves, Ann Cole and Gail Milligan.

The play was directed by Miss Carter and serving as stage hands were L. V. Pierce, Don Lowe, Curtis Smith and Clifford Dupler. Dale Krebs and Pierce furnished entertainment between acts.

Gate receipts for the play, held in the school auditorium, totaled \$70.00.

WILL CONDUCT MEETING

Jesse Brookshire will conduct a five-day gospel meeting at Ralls, beginning Monday night, May 3rd and continuing through May 7.

Pair of Break-ins Monday Night

Two Monday night break-ins in local stores had local law enforcement officers hopping, right after their chase and capture of a pair of runaway teenagers in a stolen auto.

E. L. (Snoball) Willis returned to his store about 8:30 p.m. Monday night to find the front door glass broken out. He summoned officers and they entered the building but the intruders had left through a rear door.

Nothing was taken giving light

to the thought that Snoball may have surprised the burglars as they were inside.

Tuesday morning R. C. Strickland reported finding his rear door open and his safe looted of an estimated \$300 in checks and cash.

Officers were unable to determine how the Strickland building was entered, since R. C. recalled locking the door. The lock may have been picked but showed no signs of such.

Taken from his office safe were about \$75 to \$100 in checks and an estimated \$200 in cash. The safe was unlocked.

ATTEND OPEN HOUSE

The Bula Homemaking girls attended Open House at Tech last Friday along with their substitute teacher, Mrs. Leon Jones, while their teacher, Mrs. Wayne Alkey, was attending the State Meeting in Fort Worth.

BIBLE QUIZ SET

A public service feature on KCBT-TV, beginning May 9 will be a Bible Quiz show.

Hoffman, Holloman Entrants In Pct. One Commissioner's Race

The list of candidates for Commissioner of Pct. One swelled to seven this week as the names of Raymond Hoffman and M. R. Holloman were added to the list.

Hoffman, local welding shop proprietor became a candidate by filing his name on the ballot early this week. A resident of Morton for 12 years, he is married and the father of five children.

Holloman, known as (Rand), is a long time resident of the County, now employed by the County. He is married and has two children.

Other candidates, previously announced, include Jim Hill, incumbent; Amos Taylor, E. B. (Earl) Wages, R. C. Strickland and Lem Chesher.

Country Club Ladies' Day Planned May 12

Ladies' Day, a regular monthly feature at the Morton Country Club, will be held May 12 with golf, a luncheon and an afternoon of games scheduled.

Held on the second Wednesday of each month, the golf competition is under the direction of Blackie Reynolds, chairman and the social activities are under the direction of Mrs. Scott Hawkins.

Cub Leaders In Annual Pow Wow

The Annual Cub Leaders Pow Wow was held at Lovelland, on April 22 for Leaders and Parents of Cub Scouts. Six parents from Whiteface attended the meeting.

Demonstrations were given on several games that can be played at pack and den meetings.

Several articles were exhibited that had been made by cubs. On display was a Scrap book, serving tray, ceramics, paper sculpture, an insect collection and some handicraft work shown by Bill String.

Those attending from Whiteface were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Worley, Mr. and Mrs. George Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carter.

TO SHALLOWATER

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffith and children and Mrs. Florence Bailey visited relatives at Shallowater and Anon, Sunday.

Teen Aged Youths In 'Borrowed Car' Finally Halted After Wild Chase

Two teenaged boys from Oklahoma led area officers on a wild chase late Monday afternoon before being brought to bay in a field behind the local Drive-In Theatre after being involved in the theft of three automobiles.

The boys, one 14 years old from Altus, Okla., and the other a 15-year-old from Lawton, Okla., began what they said was to be a trip to California by "borrowing" a car at Lawton. The first car they used was a Ford which "wouldn't go fast enough" so

they traded it for a 1953 Oldsmobile.

They were low on gas near Plainview, so they got out and "borrowed" a 1953 Packard but they soon decided this car would not drive right so they siphoned the gas into the Oldsmobile and took off to Earth. There they pulled into a filling station, got filled up with gas and drove off without paying. Here Lamb County law enforcement officers started the chase.

A radio call to Muleshoe located an officer who waited for the boys there. They failed to heed his signals to stop and went around him, heading out Highway 214 to Morton. Notified, local officers at first thought the car heading toward Whiteface, then later switched toward Muleshoe. Road blocks were set up by the Highway Patrol unit, and by county cars in three places. One by one, the boys ignored the warning signals and ran each road block. The last two times they nearly ran down local officers.

At the local drive in theatre they turned off and hid behind the screen and could have possibly escaped as local officers came on to Morton, figuring they had stayed with the highway. But a call from a resident in the theatre area, headed officers back that way. The boys had abandoned the car and headed out into the fields on foot, finally lying down in the fields.

But they were detected by some boys who saw them cut across the field and were pointed out to local officers who made the stop.

They had one shotgun in their possession when apprehended and said they disposed of another in the field. However, by the time they were picked up it was dark and the other weapon could not be immediately located. The boys were taken back to Earth where they were being held for Plainview officers.

One of the juveniles was already on probation from Juvenile Court on a car theft.

Local officers reported as they blocked the road and attempted to stop the speeding car, the boys just turned the car toward the officers who were out of their car, and then took to the bar ditches to go around the blockades. One shot was fired at the fleeing car but, after slow motion as if they would stop, they decided to go on.

The boys told local officers they abandoned the car because they just kept meeting road blockades and figured there would be others ahead of them.

It was not known late Tuesday what disposition would be made of the case.

Bledsoe Play Is On Tap Monday

Bledsoe's Junior-Senior class play will be held in Morton at the Cochran County Auditorium, Monday, at 8 p.m.

Entitled "Willie's Weekend," the play is a three act comedy. Tickets will be on sale at the door at 25 cents for students and 50c for adults.

It will be the second showing for the play which was a success, playing to a full house at Bledsoe two weeks ago.

Pleads Guilty, Not Guilty On 2 Counts

A Morton Spanish-American entered a guilty plea to one of two charges brought against him last week but was freed on \$500 bond pending trial on the second charge.

Angel Prieto pleaded guilty to "failing to stop and give information" when a car he was driving was involved in a collision with a parked car in Morton, in front of Morton Hotel, last Wednesday night. For that he drew a fine of \$50 and costs.

To the second charge, driving while intoxicated, Prieto maintained his innocence. The arresting officer was City Marshall Joe Hodge.

Tommy Keener, Ray Miller Exhibit Top Animals In Fat Stock Show

A 784 lb. lightweight black angus steer was the star of the show at the annual 4-H and FFA Fat Stock Show held here last Saturday with Tommy Keener of the Whiteface FFA capturing first place and also drawing top prize money. Keener's steer sold for 50 cents per lb., rated a pretty good price in a show following three poor crop years. The Lubbock Auction Commission paid the top price for Keener's animal. Tommy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Keener, Route Five, Lovelland.

The top animal nosed out Lowell Hatcher's 935 lb. reserve champion. Lowell's animal placed first in the heavyweight division before placing second in the overall judging. Lowell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hatcher of Route Two, Morton. Total price of \$420.75 was topped.

Other grand champion honors went to the Whiteface FFA chapter which exhibited the top barrow, a 272 pounder and Ray Miller, Morton Route One whose lamb walked off with grand championship honors in that division.

Collins Packing Company of Morton paid the top price for the grand champion barrow, 35 cents per lb. and Sheriff Hazel Hancock purchased the grand champion lamb at 45 cents per lb.

Reserve champion barrow was raised by Bobbie Nelman whose 235 lb. animal brought 41 cents on the auction block. R. C. Strickland was the purchaser. Sheep Division shelled out 35 cents for Sam Drum's reserve champion lamb and Roy Gentry of Morton Forrest Lumber Company paid 45 cents for Hatcher's reserve champion calf.

And there were other winners in the show which featured the sale of 22 calves; six lambs and 10 hogs. Charlie Silhon and Billy Stovall got first place awards in the dairy division, a field that was mighty low on entrants. Silhon exhibited a mix-bred dairy cow (Jersey-Durham) and Stovall's calf was a registered Durham.

Four special awards were handed out for stall keeping and showmanship. Lowell Hatcher added to his prize money with \$5 first award for having the nearest calf bed. James Rutherford took the \$5 bill offered for the best hog showman hip. Jim Wheeler was top calf shower for another \$5 award and Ray Miller had the nearest hog pens.

Bobby Harris, representing the Lubbock Auction Commission was the auctioneer at the two-hour show and several out of town buyers were fed a noon lunch, up with a good share of the animals, were introduced. Among them, two buyers from Farmer and Ranchers of Lubbock; two from the Clovis Cattle Commission; two from private Lubbock firms and Skinny Edwards, representing Piggy-Wiggly.

Judging, done earlier in the morning, was completed by Dave Sherill and Paul Gross. The number of entrants was higher than last year but fewer than had been expected. County Agent Homer Thompson attributed the small output to the prolonged drought that has ravaged West Texas.

The judges and out of town buyers were fed a noon lunch, courtesy Morton Chamber of Commerce.

The big animals sold brought \$6711.17. Total results including showman, purchaser, total price follows:
Lambs
Sam Drum, Clovis Cattle Commission Co., was purchaser of animal weighing 107 lb. for a total of \$37.45, Ed Lloyd, McDermott Butane Co., 155, 45.50, Wesley Lloyd, George Benson, Lubbock, 105, 33.60, Wesley Lloyd, George Benson, Lubbock, 100, 32.00, and Wesley Lloyd, George Benson, Lubbock, 107 lbs., 36.38.
Hogs
Bobby Nieman's entry was bought by Western Abstract Co. at 225 lbs. for \$1.00, Larry Stegall, G. C. Keith, Whiteface,

\$6.73, Douglas Zuber, Strickland Cleaners, 91.76, Davie Castle, G. C. Keith, 98.51, Billie Stegall, Ranchers and Farmers Commission Co., Clovis, 91.58, Whiteface FFA, Hoffman Welding, 80.35, Douglas Zuber, Forrest Lumber Co., 90.72, Bobby Nieman, Hoffman Welding, 80.64, and James Rutherford, E. O. Willingham Gin, 70.35.
Calves
Billie Ray, Willingham Gin, 319.94, Jimmie Wheeler, Cobb's Dept. Store 243.21, Richard Greer, Clovis Cattle Commission, 282.56, Gerald Ramsey, Bedwell Imp. Co., 244.20, Jimmie Wheeler, Ranchers & Cattle Commission, 258.90, Bob Keith, Morton Power

& Light, 218.10, Bill Ed Thompson, Whiteface Grain Co., 305.40, Dan Keith, George Benson, 290.25, Wayne Kuehler, Morton Coop Gin, 301.32, Billie Ray, County Line Gin, 295.65, Melvin Kuehler, First State Bank, Morton, 254.40, Dan Keith, Hawkins Oldsmobile Co., 206.70, Bob Keith, Wallace Theatres, 206.70, Gerald Ramsey, Morton Coop Gin, 199.36, Melvin Courtney, Allsup Chevrolet Co., 214.20, Wilson Hefflin, Doss Food Store, 235.80, Melvin Courtney, County Line Gin, 225.00, Bob Keith, Hoffman Welding Co., 194.40, Dan Keith, Bessie Grain, Whiteface, 178.50, Gerald Ramsey, Forrest Lumber Co., 150.25.

ROSS COOKS VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Cook and three children from Gillette, Wyo. are in Morton on a two-week vacation visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cook and her mother, Mrs. R. H. Wright.

MRS. IRA BROWN IS BOOK REVIEWER

Mrs. Ira Brown reviewed "Far From Home," by Ruth McKenney at the regular meeting of Book Lovers in the home of Mrs. Evelyn Rose, Thursday night. Mrs. Rose served refreshments to the following Mesdames: Joe Gipe, Brown, J. A. Gowdy, Hazel Harrison, M. C. Ledbetter, H. A. Owens, Neal Rose, W. L. Miller, A. E. Sanders, E. L. Willis, John Bealmeier, L. B. Gibson, Sue Hunter, Phil Claasford and Miss Loren Jackson.

Why "NO OPPOSITION"

Seldom do we enter into national politics in our editorial columns. Just an idea we have, that the daily papers can usually handle the national issues. Most of our readers are concerned with local issues.

But something has come up during the past few weeks that has troubled us. At the risk of being counted among the very few let us state clearly and concisely our side on this issue.

This sentiment that Senator Lyndon Johnson should be elected to another term of office without opposition, seems to us a little un-American.

Don't get us wrong. We have no quarrel with the Senator. Seems like he's done a good job. We like to think that it has been other Texans and not the senator's publicity staff that have pled for this "no opposition."

If Senator Johnson has done a good job? If the unfortunate mess in Duvall County, which at the last election gave Johnson his meagre edge over Stevenson, was not in any way his doing? Then, let us elect him by a whopping majority.

But it's the American way to overwhelmingly endorse a candidate for office, rather than to condemn the aspirations of any others who could also serve in that office.

Our hat goes off to the two Texas newspapers that have taken this stand editorially (there may have been others we did not notice), the Bee-Picayune and the Liberty Vindicator.

If Johnson is the man for the job, our job is to say so with ballots.

ATTEND DEMONSTRATION

Mrs. Dorothea Weekes and Mrs. Shirley Head of Dorothea's Beauty Salon attended a demonstration of the "Etiopside wave" at the Carveek Hotel in Lubbock and on Sunday they attended the fifth annual Hair Fashion Clinic at the Lubbock Hotel, which featured Thomas Colesant, guest artist from New York City.

VISITS PARENTS

Bill Markham of Tatum, N. M., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Markham in Morton Monday.

Cub Scouts Use Petroleum Theme At Recent Meet

Den One of the Whiteface Cub Scouts met in the home of Mrs. Ray Carter April 22.

Petroleum was the theme for the program. After the meeting, games were played.

Members attending were Royce Drennan, Ralph Hensley, Gary Parton, Jack Brock, Tommy Carter and one guest, Mrs. Hensley. The next meeting will be on Tuesday, May 4.

Mrs. Tom McAlister President-Elect Of Local Sewing Club

Mrs. E. H. Durkee was hostess in her home to the Happy Hour Sewing Club Thursday, April 22. A short business meeting was conducted. Officers were elected for the new year beginning in September.

Mrs. Tom McAlister will serve as president; Mrs. L. M. Baldwin, vice-president; Mrs. E. L. Polvado, secretary and Mrs. H. S. Hawkins, reporter.

Each member agreed to bring a white elephant to the next meeting that will be auctioned off by Mrs. McAlister.

The members were entertained with several piano selections by Miss Francis Love.

Birthday gifts from the club were presented to Mrs. Bertha Miller, Mrs. McAlister and Mrs. W. E. Childs.

A salad plate with cake and ice cream was served to Mesdames Gene Huggins, F. F. Roberts, J. B. Knox, L. A. Cochran, Roy Hill, McAlister, Miller, Polvado, Childs, Baldwin, Hap Rogers and Durkee.

The next meeting will be May 6 in the home of Mrs. F. F. Roberts.

L'Allegros Will Aid Local Negro School

The L'Allegro Jr. Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Bob Cross for a regular meeting on Thursday, April 15.

Mrs. Paul Goodman, president presided over the business meeting.

It was decided to purchase a three-speed record player for the negro school. Club projects for the coming year were also discussed.

Mrs. Truman Doss gave an excellent talk of folk lore.

Members present were Mesdames Ira Brown, Dan Brown, Truman Doss, Bob Dunham, J. C. Reynolds, Paul Goodman, Tom Rowden, Charles McDermott, T. A. Rowland, Reta Willingham, Bill Proctor and one new member, Mrs. Buddy Taylor.

Four From Here Attend FHA Meeting

Mrs. Helen Crone, Homemaking teacher in the Morton Schools along with Barbara Stovall, president of the FHA for 1954-55, Marry Ruth DeBord and Barbara Lackey, vice-president attended the State FHA meeting in Fort Worth last week.

Mary Ruth received her State degree certificate which she has been working toward for three years, at the meeting. Mary Ruth is a Junior and an outstanding worker in her class as well as FHA.

While in Fort Worth the group was able to obtain reserved tickets and attend the Ice Capades on Thursday night.

Bula FHA's, Teacher Attend State Meet

Mrs. Wayne Alkey and delegates, Carolyn Jo Young and Susie Jones of the Bula FHA Chapter attended the State meeting in Fort Worth last week from Wednesday through Saturday.

Carolyn Reynolds and Brenda McCall journeyed to Fort Worth with the trio for a sight seeing tour. The girls enjoyed swimming in the pool at the lodge where they stayed and attended the Ice Capades.

VISIT HERE

Mrs. Presley Thorpe and Brenda visited in Morton last Friday and Saturday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lindsey.

RETURNS FROM TRIP

Mrs. Willie Rose returned last Wednesday from a two week visit with relatives in Dallas and Graham.

GUEST OF THOMAS

Charles M. Thomas of Albuquerque, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Thomas, was a Morton visitor over the week-end.

Last year's traffic toll of deaths and injuries was the heaviest in history.

In 1953, 38,500 Americans were killed in traffic accidents.



DOES THE BIBLE TEACH "FAITH ONLY"



We pointed out in our article last week, that James 2:24 states that a man is "justified by works and NOT by FAITH ONLY." If I would use the same reasoning, that faith only teachers use, then I could say that we are saved by "works only." However, such is not the case at all. It takes a faith that "works through love" (Gal. 5:6) to save any individual. Faith only teachers often quote, "For by grace are you saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: Not of works, lest any man should boast." (Eph. 2:8-9) An honest student of the Bible will recognize that we are saved by faith and works coupled together, but not works of our own choosing, as we shall show.

According to Jesus in John 6:28-29 there is a work of God. The people ask Jesus, "What shall we do, that we may work the works of God?" Jesus said in verse 29: "This is the work of God that you believe." That you do what? That you believe. A work that God produces? No, a work that they do. God produces it through the revelation of truth, faith produced in the heart by the Holy Spirit, certainly so, but who does the believing? Why you must do the believing, and Jesus said it is the work of God.

Then we read about the works of faith. Paul talks about the work of faith and labor of love. Does faith work? James declares in chapter 2 verses 14, 17, and 20 that "faith without works is dead, being alone." Faith must work in order to be alive. If faith does not work it is dead, and there are works that belong to faith, that grow out of faith, that are identified with faith, and in James chapter 2 he declares that the faith of Abraham worked. By those works "his faith was made perfect" and was thus "imputed unto him for righteousness." Yes, there are works of faith.

Welcome To The

Morton Church of Christ

Where God's Word In It's Purity Is Taught

Jesse Brookshire, Minister



Advertisement for Jack Rhea's Gro. & Mkt. featuring 'BIG FOOD BARGAINS ALWAYS AT JACK'S' and a list of products and prices including PICNIC HAM, CRISCO, and various fruits and vegetables.

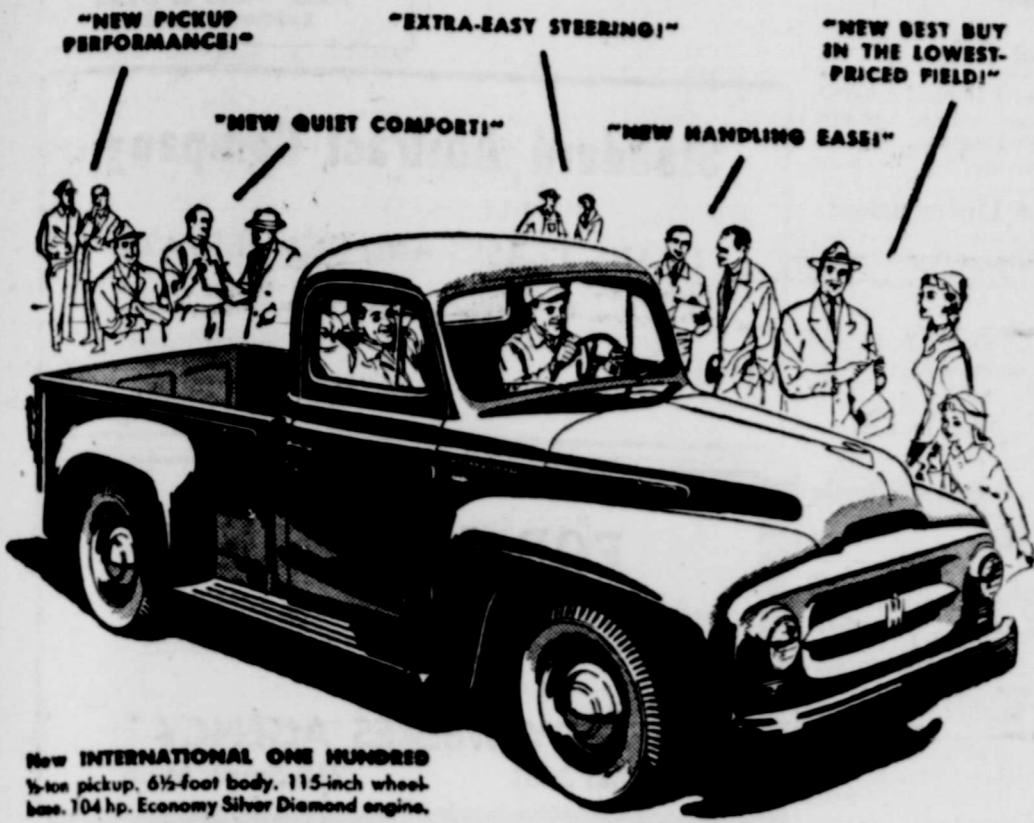
Advertisement for Mother's Day featuring 'MOTHER'S DAY IS MAY 9' and 'Winnie's Shop'. Includes an illustration of a woman in a dress and a list of clothing items like 'lovely, lovely Lingerie' and 'exquisite Slips and Gowns'.

Large advertisement for Chevrolet cars with the headline 'out-performs! out-saves!' and 'lowest-priced line!'. Includes an illustration of a Chevrolet car and text describing its performance, economy, and price.

It's Here!

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Helen Hodges New Pi Omega Pi Member At Texas Tech

Pi Omega Pi, honorary organization for women business education majors at Texas Tech, initiated six new members last week at a banquet.

Initiated were: Jane Hampton, Amarillo junior; Lou Ann Owen, Hobbs, New Mexico, junior; Delia Scudday, Lubbock graduate; Charlotte Love, Lubbock junior; Helen Hodges, Morton, junior; and Pat Robertson, Plainview, junior.

Sue Shawver, Megargel junior, is president of the club. Prerequisite for membership is a two-point grade average in business courses with a 1.5 overall grade average.

Mrs. Grusendorf Hosts Altar Society

A regular meeting of the Altar Society was held at the home of Mrs. A. Grusendorf on Tuesday, April 6.

Mrs. D. Wesley was welcomed into the society as a new member.

Plans were made and discussed to sponsor a white elephant sale and game night to be held at the Community Building in the Activity room on May 14. Proceeds from this project will go towards buying church needs. Refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames Dunham, Zelinski, Tisdale, Beseda, Hanna, Grusendorf, Cunningham, D. Wesley, Proctor, and one guest, Mrs. P. B. Ramby. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Buddy Hanna on May 5th.

FITTED FOR BRACE

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn W. Thompson returned from a trip to Dallas, Texas, recently where they took their daughter, Treva Jo for further fitting of a brace to replace a cast she now wears correcting a spinal curvature caused by polio. Glenn expected his daughter to remain at the hospital in Dallas for about 10 days.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Frances Silhon returned home last week from a two week visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Lytle, Jr., in Fort Worth.



AWAY FOR EASTER

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morrison and Tommy visited Easter with Airman and Mrs. Kenneth Wynn in Laredo. They returned by way of Houston and visited Mr. Morrison's sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gray. His mother, Mrs. Alpha Morrison returned to Morton with them for an extended visit.

Needle Club Plans Annual Family Social

The Busy Fingers Needle Club met Thursday afternoon, April 15, at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Sammie Williams.

Mrs. Markham presided over the business meeting. Plans were made for the annual social to be held in May with a dinner for families of club members. Secret plans will be revealed at that time.

Members present were Mesdames L. W. Barrett, Willie Taylor, B. C. Butler, W. M. Harryman, Bula Newton, C. B. Markham, W. E. Angley, J. S. Boydston, Henry Bedwell, Roy Allsup, Rolly Hill, Jack Baker, E. C. Roddy and the hostess.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. E. C. Roddy, Thursday, May 6th at 2:30 p.m.

VISITING MOTHER

Mrs. Bobby Ray Short, who has been living in Washington state for the past several months is home visiting her mother, Mrs. Francis Silhon, while her husband is on eight week maneuvers.

THOMAS' GUESTS

Visiting in the A. D. Thomas home last week was their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Burns of Salt Lake City, Utah.

AT EASTER SERVICES

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Thomas of Morton attended Easter Services at the Broadway Church of Christ in Lubbock, and also visited with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Melroy who are leaving soon for a month's vacation in New York and Canada.

VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Allsup of Denver City spent Easter Sunday with Lloyd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allsup.

UNCLE VISITING

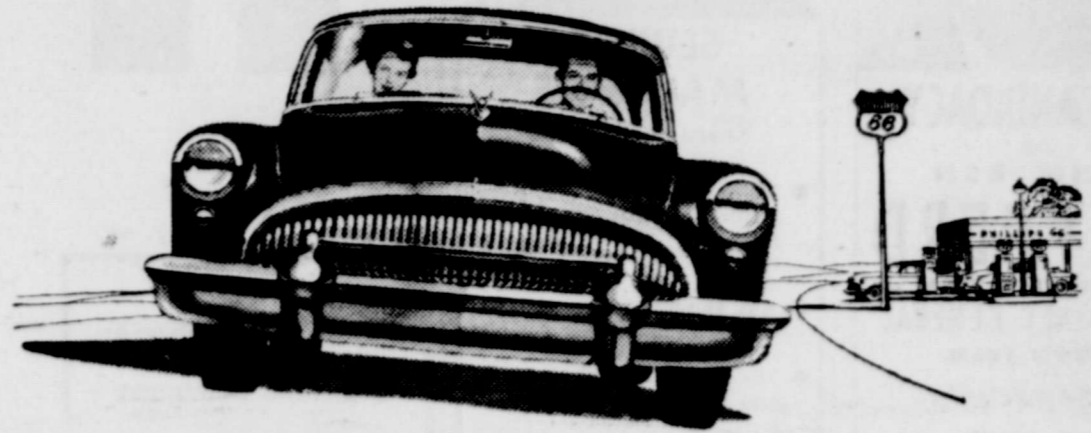
Mr. Allen Overtwiff of Dennison and Vernon is spending a few weeks in the Roy Allsup home. Mr. Overtwiff is Mr. Allsup's uncle.

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Soil Conservation News

Interest in soil building and soil protecting grasses and legumes is at a record high among local area cooperators for the 1954 year.

The following Cochran Soil Conservation District cooperators are planning to plant grass and alfalfa. Sometime within the next two to four weeks: H. H. Hanson, 10 acres Blue Panic; C. O. Durham, 10 acres Blue Panic; Alvie Harris, 100 acres Weeping Lovegrass; J. Frank Bennett, 170 acres Weeping Lovegrass; J. W. Pond, 10 acres Blue Panic and Weeping Lovegrass; L. Hooper, 10 acres Blue Panic; C. A. Hollingsworth, 90 acres Blue Panic and 116 acres Weeping Lovegrass; M. D. Adair, 4 acres Weeping Lovegrass; R. I. Morris, 15 acres Alfalfa; C. O. Durnam, 5 acres alfalfa; H. A. Barns, 10 acres alfalfa; W. J. Cunningham, 4 acres alfalfa; F. G. Kennedy, 3 acres alfalfa.

In addition to the above District cooperators who are to initiate grass and alfalfa plantings, there are a number of cooperators who plan to plant summer legumes such as Guar, Brabham, New Era and Blackeye Cowpeas. The Guar will be seeded alone as it is expected that the majority of the New Era and Brabham peas will be planted with grain sorghums on irrigated land.

To these farmers who are not district cooperators and are therefore not aware of the grass drills owned and maintained by the District it might be stated at this time that this equipment, if they should so desire to use it, is available and that they should contact Mr. W. W. Smith, Mr. D. A. Ramsey, Mr. M. Woodley or one of the local soil conservation Technicians for further information.

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Mrs. Bea Yarbrough of Morton and Mr. Roy Amyx of Grandfield, Okla., exchanged vows in the Methodist Church at Alva, Okla., on April 20th.
Rev. W. O. Main, pastor of the

Methodist Church at Alva and son-in-law of Alex Key of Morton performed the ceremony.
After a wedding trip to Ft. Bend, Kan. and Colorado, the couple are in Morton where they plan to remain through May 15th.

Mrs. Marvin Doss Named Jaycette President

The Morton Jaycettes met in the home of Mrs. Merlin Roberts Tuesday night for election of officers.
Mrs. Marvin Doss was elected president. Other officers elected were: Mrs. Eddie Irwin, vice-president; Mrs. Andy Behrends, secretary-treasurer and Mrs. Tye Williamson, reporter.

The group decided to meet Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Jack Loran to work on decorations for the Jaycette Installation Banquet.
Two new members were welcomed into the club.
After the social hour, during which time the group watched The Morton program on TV, refreshments were served.

because of our present limited cotton acreage we are provided with a means whereby we might improve our land as cash crops are taken off of it and suggests that the most rapid method for maximum soil building benefits is a good vegetative cropping system which includes grasses and legumes in rotation with cash crops.

Under the 1954 Agricultural Conservation Program a farmer who has not already drawn full payment to which his farm is entitled on previous practices is eligible for assistance on grass and legume plantings and should contact Mrs. McGee at the ASC (PMA) office if he should so desire to draw assistance on the above practices.

Whiteface Cubs Plan Camporee

Pack 73 of the Whiteface Cub Scouts met in the gym for their monthly pack meeting Monday night, April 26.

Boys receiving awards were Royce Drennan, Lion badge and one gold arrow point; Weldon Gainer, Bear badge; Tommy Carter, Bear badge and one gold arrow point; Ronnie Holliday, Bear badge and one gold and two silver arrow points; James Manning, Bear badge and gold arrow point; and Albert Lee Wood, Bear badge and gold and a silver arrow point and Lynn Martin, bear badge and gold arrow point.

It was decided that the boys and their fathers will have an all-night Camporee June 11 on the Whiteface football field. They will sleep out and do their cooking.

A basketball game was played by the boys and Dens 2 and 4 entertained the group with a skit.

Parents attending were Mr. and Mrs. O. Rankin, Mrs. Ronald Cooksey, Mrs. W. D. Holliday, Mrs. Horton Gainer, Mrs. Geo. Martin, Mr. R. D. Hensley, Mr. Clyde Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carter.

The next pack meeting will be the last Monday in May.

Mrs. Arlee Barnard Elected President Of WSG; Committee Chairmen Named; Stockdale Speaks

Mrs. Arlee Barnard was elected president for the Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church for 1954-55 at the regular meeting of the Guild Monday night. Mrs. Carlton Luper presided over a short business session in which the following officers were also elected for the forthcoming year: Mrs. Bill Wood vice-president; Mrs. George Ingle secretary; and Mrs. Lem Chesher, treasurer.

The following officers were appointed by the president: Mrs. Bill Glassford, reporter; Mrs. Raymond Ross, chairman of Missionary Education committee; Mrs. E. H. Durkee, chairman of Status of Women committee; Mrs. J. W. Askew, chairman of Spiritual Life committee; Mrs. Paul Goodman, promotion secretary; Mrs. P. B. Ramby, chairman of Christian Social Relations committee; Mrs. Lloyd Miller, chairman of Leisure Time Activities committee; and Mrs. Courtney Sanders, chairman of Supplies.

Mrs. Lee Taylor introduced the speaker for the evening, Judge Fred Stockdale, who continued the Guild study, "Who Are the

nard, Mrs. Chesher, Mrs. Hazel Harrison, Mrs. Sue Hunter, Mrs. Ingle, Mrs. Luper, Mrs. J. L. McGee, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Ramby, Mrs. Fred Stockdale, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Frank Weir and Mrs. Glassford.

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J. O. GILLHAM (Re-election)
- For District Attorney, 72nd Dist.
TRAVIS D. SHELTON (Re-Election)
- For County Judge
FRED STOCKDALE (Re-election)
GLENN W. THOMPSON
- For Commissioner Pct. 1
JIM HILL (Re-election)
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M. R. HOLLOMAN
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G. C. KEITH (Re-election)
- For County Commission Pct. 3:
J. N. FOSTER (Re-election)
- For Commissioner Pct. 4
R. Z. (Sonny) DEWBRE (Re-election)
- For County and District Clerk:
MRS. LEE TAYLOR (Re-election)
- For County Attorney
M. C. LEDBETTER (Re-election)
- For County Sheriff
HAZEL HANCOCK (Re-election)
- For County Treasurer
ODELL SMITH (Re-election)
- For Justice of Peace
A. D. FOREHAND (Re-election)
- For Constable Pct. 1
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California Solid Packed TOMATOES No. 303	15¢	FROZEN FOODS	
Blue Plate—Large Size SWEET POTATOES	29¢	Whole Kernel CORN 10 oz.	19¢
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FRESH PRODUCE			
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By Eddie Irwin

IT'S FAR TOO EARLY for some

one who knows as little about farming as we do, to predict any kind of a crop. But, things are sure looking good around the Barrett brother's potato crop.

if for no

OTHER REASON THAN the psychological lift it offers, drive out the Muleshoe Highway today, just outside the city limits on the west side of the road and take a gander at the 90 acres of potatoes coming up.

we've about

DECIDED IT HAS its advantages to be a city boy and know little about crops. All through the drought last year, we couldn't see as how things were as bad as they were being painted. In fact, we wouldn't trade the optimistic outlook we had for all the pessimistic moments many of our friends had.

yeah

WE ADMIT we still owe a local man a big malt because we thought the county would gin 50,000 bales of cotton. But we still contend, with all our ignorance about crops, that just a handful of bad days late in the season was the difference between the 50,000 bales we hoped for and the 32,000 bales we actually got.

sometimes

BLIND IGNORANCE pays off. That's why we still contend, bad crop year or no, we could still have a bangup County Fair if we had enough people willing to lend a hand. However, it isn't a job for the County Agent or for one small group. To stage the Fair properly, it would take the help of lots of willing workers.

we're not

QUITE SO ANXIOUS for softball season to roll around, after last Sunday afternoon. In the interest of "getting loosened up" and ready for the season, we

some were

A LITTLE OPENLY unhappy

last Saturday when there seemed to be a lack of local bidders in the early stages of the Fat Stock Show sale. They shouldn't forget that one local firm, in the meat packing business, bid on a great many of the animals and purchased the grand champion hog. But, the fact that local merchants didn't come out should be fairly obvious. We've harped on it again and again and there's little you can do but grant it as a fact. After two or three bad crop years in a place like this, the merchants have their backs against the wall. It's not just the farmers who suffer. More than a dozen of our top merchants closed doors here last year. Economic problems more than likely had the major share in the reasons for this.

you can't

RUN AWAY FROM the fact that lots and lots of merchants couldn't have bought any animal at all without borrowing money. Plenty of them couldn't have stood a 25 loss on a resale. We don't just need a big crop here this year, we've gotta have one if some of the local merchants are going to stay in business.

our

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played a little baseball and the game wasn't over two hours until we felt like we sure enough had loosened up some of our bones.

but that

IS ONE OF THE penalties one pays for getting a little older each year. It gets harder to get in shape for any sporting event. That won't slow things down as far as this league is concerned. It's going to get opened and any of the older fellows who aren't ready to respond will get lost in the shuffle. Each year sees a few more "hang up their spikes" for good.

we now

HAVE FIVE TEAMS in the league. Enochs, Bula, Maple, West Side and Hawkins. The league needs one more team badly. The next meeting will be held next Monday night in the District Courtroom. Representatives of each team should come prepared to pass on the league rules to nominate and elect commissioners and should have any new idea they wish to see enacted, ready for presentation. This one meeting should set the league off and running.

don't forget

TO NOT HAVE a representative at the meeting will be to let the others decide the league rules which will govern your play. Don't let that happen.

in Morton

MANY STILL DON'T know it but we did have some rain in the area Saturday afternoon. Notice the Lubbock paper got ahold of the wrong person because in Sunday's paper they said Morton reported stormy skies but no rainfall in the county. Well sir, it did rain, and rather heavy too, south and up to about four miles from the city limits. In fact, some even reported as much as a half inch of water out of that rain squall.

and

IN CASE YOU DIDN'T happen to be out Sunday afternoon around 5:15, it rained again. This time the drops lasted approximately 15 seconds.

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our Scouts

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they

REPEATED AGAIN at Levelland last weekend under the tutelage of Elra Oden, Scoutmaster Dr. Dan Brown couldn't be on hand for this honor but he certainly has had a big hand in preparing the boys for taking honors.

other

CHAMPIONSHIPS WERE won under Clyde Carson and R. T. Wilson, the two previous Scoutmasters.

and

OVER AT AMARILLO our local color guard again did themselves proud last week end as they led the District 2-TI Lions parade and drew plenty of compliments from the audience. We had two local Lions at the convention, P. B. Ramby and Tip Windom. They were lavish in their praise of the color guard



ARTHRITIS?

I have been wonderfully blessed in being restored to active life after being crippled in nearly every joint in my body and with muscular soreness from head to foot. I had Rheumatoid Arthritis and other forms of Rheumatism, hands deformed and my ankles were set.

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and the fine job they turned in.

evidently

THEY WERE A little calmer than the parademaster. He was sweating plenty with the rest

of the parade lined up and ready

to go, the clock fast approaching

4 p.m., official starting time, and no Morton Color Guard.

in relief

HE MOPPED HIS brow when

the boys appeared at 3:58. Re-

worried the parademaster was met with the remark, "What

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Business Is Due

Business hasn't been extra good at Butler Body Shop these days. Skinner Butler feels that people are being a little more careful. Just haven't got the money to get their cars fixed up. But he's not too worried. Thinking over the situation the other day he noted dozens of cars running the stop signs in front of his business the other day.



"At that rate I'm going to get some business pretty soon," he says. "Looks like a law enforcement officer could make his salary for a month, in just a few days at this corner."

BUTLER BODY SHOP

Where They Gather To Eat

Hasn't been much happen of general interest around here. Bob Richards said. His wife recalled that business has been pretty good. So good, in fact, they don't have time to get much gossip.



The general topic of conversation, around the Malt Shop, as is always the case, is the school. But before Bob could elaborate on what the school kids are discussing these days, a crew of REA men came in and ordered five malts and a tall Coke; a couple sat down to an order of steak fingers each; and Cokes began selling like hotcakes.

Guess we'll have to wait till another time to discuss what the school kids are talking about.

MORTON MALT SHOP

Before It Gets Too Hot

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Better check up before the real hot weather comes. You'll get more kick out of watching that TV program in air conditioned comfort.



ROSE AUTO AND APPLIANCE

That Sigh of Relief

That was just Don Allsup, offering his thanks that the month of March has been completed and with it, the 1954 Red Cross Fund Drive.

In case you didn't know, Don was chairman of the deal and had quite a time finding enough spare time to peddle Phillips petroleum products and an assortment of electrical appliances he now has on hand.

He'd appreciate the opportunity of telling you personally about his ability to deliver the goods.



DON'S PHILLIPS SERVICE

If It's Irrigation, You Need Electricity

Irrigation wells have been keeping Walt Sandefer, at City Electric, hopping the past several weeks and it doesn't show any signs of letting up.

Walt is still available for electrical repairs, wiring and TV repair and antenna installation. Nevertheless, with farmers sinking irrigation wells at a rapid pace, he's more than happy to be kept busy wiring in wells; work that each day adds bright hope to the future of Cochran County.

If it's electrical work you need, give Walt a buzz.



CITY ELECTRIC

Still Time for Cleaning

Chinchilla fever got the best of Jack Wallace.

The local Nu-Way Cleaning proprietor admits, under the constant ribbing of friends, the prospect of selling the chinchillas he's raising along with Elmo Smith, is a little terrifying. The little furry animals are worth just too much money. A man has to stop and think before parting with them.

However, he's still in the dry-cleaning business. Chinchillas take only two hours a day. The rest of his time and his employees' time is spent providing the best in dry cleaning service possible.



NU-WAY CLEANERS

They're Hanging Out The Shingle

A new Pontiac will go on display at Bedwell Implement and Pontiac in the near future.

The famed Pontiac Chief's head in neon lighting will be installed on the front of the building.

And incidentally, if you have not dropped in to view the new Pontiacs on display at Morton's newest auto dealer, you've a treat in store.

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The other day, a mechanic was checking over a customer's car when the customer objected to a correction that had to be made before a safety sticker could be issued.

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District Safety Inspector White happened to be in the room. "You won't be able to get a sticker without it," he said pleasantly.

Just who in the — are you, the customer growled.

White pulled out his badge and the customer decided the car needed the repair after all.



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Once Again, Forrest Lumber Company is proud to help out a most important cause, the local 4-H and FFA training program.

Realizing the importance of the Fat Stock Show to the county's youth, Forrest took an active part in buying two calves and a hog at the show last Saturday.

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"The meeting place of fishermen, hunters and other liars" says a sign at a cafe, near San Marcial, favorite fishing spot of a good many Cochran County fishermen. Noting the sign, Amos Taylor, owner of Morton Auto Parts, decided to just tell about the three Yellow catfish he and Herb Hillman brought in this week from their latest trip, and not about the one they think got away.

"When they're biting," Amos says, "big fish usually get hooked at San Marcial. But at Morton Auto Parts you'll find one place you won't get hooked."



MORTON AUTO PARTS

S. AND Q. MEMBERS CUT OUT QUILT

The S. and Q. Club met in the home of Mrs. Ray Carter Thursday, April 22, for the purpose of cutting out a quilt.

Those attending were Mesdames Ceell Grantham, Lucille Taylor, Nell Outlaw, Bertha Betts, Mauds Miller, Darle Betts and the hostesses.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Ceell Grantham, May 6.

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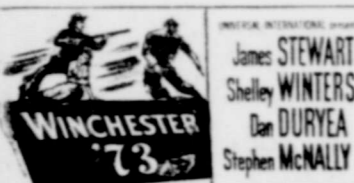
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Metropolitan Opera To Visit Texas



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Below, Robert Merrill and Eleanor Steber

Dallas civic leaders will bring the Metropolitan Opera Company to State Fair Auditorium for four performances May 8, 9 and 10. Above are four of the celebrated singers to be presented. The three-day schedule will be: Saturday, May 8, evening, "Lucia Di Lammermoor" with Lily Pons, Jan Peerce and Frank Valentino; Sunday, May 9, matinee, "La Traviata," with Eleanor Steber, Richard Tucker and Leonard Warren; May 9, evening, "Le Nozze Di Figaro," with Roberta Peters, Victoria de los Angeles, Cesare Siepi, Frank Guarrera and Mildred Miller; Monday, May 10, evening, the Met's new production "Faust," with Thomas Hayward, Nadine Conner, Robert Merrill and Jerome Hines. The Dallas Grand Opera Association has opened offices at 1315 E. 7th Street, for receipt of seat reservation orders, Arthur L. Kramer, Jr., president, announced.

3-Way News . . .

ATTEND HOMECOMING
Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Ann visited relatives at Childress recently. While there they attended the Carey School homecoming where

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they both had attended High School.

LEAVES FOR SERVICE
Leroy Pierce son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pierce left for the Armed Service, April 21.

WEEKEND HOME
Wanda Pates spent the weekend with her parents. She is employed in Lubbock at the present.

Girls Host Mothers In FHA Breakfast
THREE WAY (Sp.) - The Freshmen girls at Three Way School prepared a breakfast for their mothers last Thursday morning in the school's Home Economics room.

Three tables were laid with lace and linen cloths. Centerpieces of fruit, flowers and a miniature May Pole were used for decorations. The menu consisted of frosty cocktail, fluffy scrambled eggs, bacon, banana nut bread, jelly and coffee. Attending were Mesdames Bud Warren, Leon Reeves, Carl Polard, Cecil Cole, Jack Lowe, Frank Griffith, and Roy Crawford.

ATTEND MEETING
Lucy Clark and Lois Ann Collins were Three Way school representatives to the FHA state meeting at Fort Worth last week. Mrs. Jimmie Jenkins, their sponsor accompanied them on the trip and Mrs. Roy Crawford served as substitute teacher while they were gone.

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Births

BIRTHS AT COCHRAN COUNTY HOSPITAL

Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Polk, baby girl, April 21.
Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Trevino, baby boy, April 21.
Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Washington, baby boy, April 24.
Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wheeler, baby boy, April 28.

Nancy Corder, Bobby Key Are Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Corder of Morton announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Nancy Corder to Bobby Key, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Key of Morton.

The ceremony will take place on May 23, 1954, in the home of the bride-to-be's parents.

Attend Annual Family Reunion

The H. T. Lebow family held their 12th annual family reunion on Mr. Lebow's 81st birthday at the City Park in Clovis, New Mexico, on April 18.

Friends and relatives attending the reunion were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baker, Tommy and Gwen, Mrs. R. H. Baker and son of Morton; Mrs. Grace Carter of Maple, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Carter of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Al Chapman also of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lebow, of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lebow and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lebow of Clovis, Mrs. Weldon Ford and Glenda Gale of Dickens, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Montgomery of Matador, Mr. and Mrs. Don Lebow and Herman of Tucumcari, N. M. and Vickie Abbe of Morton. The H. T. Lebow's are residents of Maple.

Mrs. Wempken Hosts Lehman H D Club

The Lehman H. D. Club met in the home of Mrs. Lloyd Wempken for an all-day meeting on Wed. April 21.

Mrs. Arvel Snodgrass and Mrs. F. L. Fred gave a demonstration on basket weaving and in the afternoon Mrs. Harrison gave a program on Fashion Trends.

A covered dish luncheon was served to six members and Mrs. Harrison.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Arvel Snodgrass on May 5.



GUESTS OF POND'S
Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pond were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Pond and children of Eunice, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pemberton and girls of Clovis, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Don Boies and children of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thompson and children of Lubbock and Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Pond and daughter of Waco, Camp.

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FRESH MEATS	Ruby Red GRAPEFRUIT Lb. 9¢	Orange Juice 6 Oz. Cans 2 Cans . . . 25¢
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