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Installation Of Seats to Delay Theatre Opening

Progress on the Rose Theatre, Morton's newest addition to the place chain of theatres, is progressing well according to T. Simpson, new local manager. Simpson who moved to Morton with his wife a few weeks ago to take over the local management, was formerly manager of the drive-in theatre at Levelland. He lived in Levelland for 20 years before coming to Morton. Biggest drawback in the completion of the local theatre is the seating problem. According to Simpson the seats were to be installed this week but delay on the job has forced the opening of the theatre to be postponed several days. Upon completion the Rose Theatre will seat approximately 100 patrons with provisions made for a cry room. A small balcony in the rear of the theatre.

Shivers Favors Lifting Ceiling On Old-Age Aid

Northright answers to four questions put to him in a letter from a West Texan this week. Gov. Allan Shivers clearly agreed for a "fair and equitable" old-age assistance system in Texas.

Replying to a communication from Archie Yates, 1318 North St. Abilene, Shivers set forth three questions and answers as follows:

Your first question is, "Do you favor the removal of the ceiling on old-age pensions and payments to needy children and dependent blind?" My answer is "Yes."

Your second question is, "Will you not do all you can to have a constitutional amendment submitted to the people to be voted on at the earliest possible time?" My answer is, "I will."

Your third question is, "Will you not, if ceiling is removed, support a law raising payments?" My answer is: "It is a matter entirely for the Legislature, but I will be happy to see the Legislature pass such a law as it feels fair and just in the circumstances."

Your fourth question is, "Do you not favor the State taking a lien on whatever property the old folks may have?" My answer is, "I do not."

In his letter to Yates, Gov. Shivers pointed out that, as a member of the State Senate in 1940, he wrote and sponsored the old-age pension law that has had. Shivers also was a co-author of the 1941 tax bill which to this day provides income for the old-age assistance program.

As a public official," he said, "I have always endeavored to work for a fair and equitable old-age assistance program in Texas."

Gigantic Sale at Morton Electrical Supply

A store wide sale of all merchandise will get underway Saturday at Morton Electrical Supply, located on East Side of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morrison, owners of the supply and record store, are offering customers bargains on everything in the store in order to reduce the stock before moving into their new building some time in August. The new brick structure, located on South Main, immediately North of Dorthea's Beauty Shop, is considerably larger than the present building. Morton Electrical Supply plans to add many new items of merchandise.

Lightning Hits Transformers, Halts Power As Needed Rains Lash County

The long delayed rains came to Morton and Cochran county last week in heavy doses that gave the cotton farmers new hopes of another good crop.

An approximate one half inch rainfall in Morton during two day last week cooled off the sweltering sun considerably but the real bounty from heaven came Monday night when the entire county reported from 3/4 inches to 2 inches of water.

Fogging Weather Must Be Perfect To Be Effective

Morton's fogging machine will be put to work again as soon as the weather permits. Recent rains have more than likely brought a heavy infestation of mosquitos and other insects. But the prevailing wind is an important factor in successful fogging.

According to Odie Vernon, driver of the fogger, the air must be very still before the fogging will be effective. The purpose of the fogger is to cover everything with a thin blanket of the DDT compound. Even a slow moving but steady wind would cause the compound to settle in pockets in some places and would completely miss other spots.

Attempts by the city to purchase additional compound met with difficulty when the Monsanto Chemical Company advised City Secretary, J. S. Harrison that they could not furnish him an order at this time. Retail jobbers however seem to have a good supply on hand.

Mr. Harrison believes, however, that the city has enough compound on hand to last several months.

Thrilled 4-H Girls Hear Gov. Shivers Laud Their Work

A coincidental visit to Lubbock by Governor Allan Shivers and the 4-H club camp committee resulted in a big thrill for local 4-H Girls on June 30th.

The 4-H Club camp committee on recreation and county home demonstration council chairmen were having a meeting at the Hilton Hotel. They had previously learned that the Governor had established his headquarters there for the day.

En route to Lubbock the conversation of three girls, Mary Helen Keith, Joyce Ramsey and Shirley Taylor, hinged upon whether or not they would get to see the Governor.

Miss Kate Adele Hill, Agent of District Two contacted Mr. Shivers just after noon and the Governor consented to speak to the group for a few minutes. He complimented the girls and women on their outstanding work.

Rally and Box Supper Attracts Large Crowd

A political rally and box supper sponsored by Home Makers Club of Fumiliner Community at the Woodrow Cunningham place last Thursday night attracted a large crowd.

Forrest Weimhold and Waggoner Carr, candidates for office of Representative of the 19th District, were each represented at the meeting. A large number of local candidates were also present. There were 150 persons in attendance.

C. L. Harris and Travis Shelton, candidates for District Attorney, were also among those present.

The club realized \$319.00 from sale of boxes and \$15.25 on a quilt. These funds will be used in promoting community projects. Cake and soft drinks were served by the club.

Home Makers Club wished the Tribune to express appreciation to all candidates for cooperation in the project.

The rainfall on Wednesday, June 28, was recorded at .12 inches in Morton and then another .4 inches was listed the following day. The USDA office was closed Tuesday, July 4th, because of the holiday and so an official report on Monday's rainfall in Morton was not available.

Vernon Blackley, North of town said he received about two inches of rain on his place. This was the first moisture of any consequence Mr. Blackley had received. Virgil Riley, farming in the same neighborhood also had good rain.

Edmund Irwin, Morton staff writer, was motoring in vicinity of Baileyboro Monday night and reported gully washers in four or five places on the highway between Baileyboro and Morton. Mr. Irwin said that entire area seemed to be getting some much needed moisture. This section has suffered from serious lack of moisture.

The Harve Andrews place 12 miles West of town, reported two inches. Rain at Maple and surrounding area was estimated at between four and five inches.

Murray Crone Installed Wednesday As President of Morton Lions Club

Murray Crone, popular Morton postmaster became president of the Morton Lions Club at installation ceremonies Wednesday noon at the Methodist Church in the final meeting of the summer.

Mr. Crone takes over the duties from Tom Arnn who had succeeded the late David Todd during the winter. His first official proclamation was to declare a vacation from weekly meetings during the heat of the summer. Regular sessions will be resumed first Wednesday in September.

Also installed were: Paul Goodman, 1st vice-president; E. L. Snoball Willis, 2nd vice-president; and Truman Doss, 3rd vice-president.

Ermon Miller took over the

secretarial duties and Raymond Strickland was installed as treasurer. R. D. Ormand is Lion Tamer and Bob Dunham, Tail-twister.

The Board of Directors had two new members in Fred Stockdale and Willard Cox. Holdover directors were M. C. Ledbetter and Pfeiffer Ramby.

Neal Rose, Chairman of the Cleanup Drive reported the final preparations for the drive which is to be concluded today.

SPENT FOURTH IN OLD MEXICO
Van Greene and T. K. Williams spent the Independence Holidays in Chihuahua, Mexico. They made the trip in Mr. Greene's airplane.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT MAKES TWO ARRESTS
Only two arrests were made over the long 4th of July weekend in Morton in one of the quietest celebrations in recent years.

The sheriff's office made two arrests for drunkenness and Judge O'Pry's court fined them \$63.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor Start 22nd Year of Business With New Building



Charlie Taylor, owner of the Morton Drug at Morton which this week holds its formal opening in a brand new building on the North Side of the square. Mr. Taylor is the owner of eight business locations in Morton, is a City Commissioner, and a member of the Chamber of Commerce.



Sadie Taylor, the former Sadie Horn of Abilene, has worked alongside her husband Charles Taylor in the drug business in Morton for nearly 21 years. In that time she has amassed a host of friends who joined in wishing the Taylors well in their Formal Opening this Saturday.

Neal Rose Heads Cleanup Drive; Stores To Close From 7 Till 12

The Morton Lions-Chamber of Commerce sponsored cleanup drive got underway this morning at 6 a.m. after citizens had been asked to get their premises in condition earlier this week.

Under the chairmanship of Neal Rose, the campaign officially went into effect Monday morning according to a proclamation by Mayor Roy Tarver. Cleanup and collection of the trash and inspection were to complete the job by noon today.

Fifty-six out of town property owners were contacted by letter in an effort to get their permission and support in cleaning up their property at the same time. The letters sent out by City Secretary, J. S. Harrison, had an attached reply sheet which would authorize the city to clean up their premises at a cost not to exceed \$7.50.

Chairman Rose appointed seven general committees to help carry out the drive and the chairmen and members of these committees were notified by mail. These committees in turn were authorized to appoint whatever help in the way of block lieutenants etc. that they would need. The committees covered inspection, transportation, Northeast, Northwest Southwest and Southeast sections of the city and the area known as the Flats.

Comprising the three man inspection committee were Drs. Monk and Metzner and the mayor, Roy Tarver. Lonnie Allsup headed the transportation committee in charge of soliciting trucks and scheduling the runs to collect the trash.

Heading the divisions of the city were: Bill Weatherly, Northeast; Bob Dunham, Southeast; Tip Windom, Northwest; Bill Williamson, Southwest; and H. R. Christian, Flats.

The Lions and Chamber of Commerce agreed that the morning hours would be the best

time to get the work accomplished because of the sweltering heat that has plagued Morton during recent afternoons. Collection was to start at 6 a.m. this morning with all businesses requested to close their doors during the morning hours. The drive was to conclude by noon and stores were to reopen at 1 o'clock after lunch.

There was every indication that the drive would be extremely successful if citizens have been cleaning up their property during the early part of the week and are ready for collection today.

(All chairmen of sections in the cleanup drive, and all candidates are requested to meet at the courthouse on Thursday morning at 6 a.m.)

School Transfers Must Be Made Before August 1

Glenn W. Thompson, county superintendent Cochran County, is calling attention to parents of students who need to be transferred. This must be done before August 1.

Judge Thompson said, "All of the people who send their children to a school district other than the one in which they reside should call at the county superintendent's office within the month of July to investigate a need for transfer. If it is found that there is a need for transfer, the application must be made and filed with the county superintendent before August first."

A Tuesday night rain that covered a good portion of the county left .12 inches of rain in Morton bringing the total for the past week to approximately 1 inch and nearly 6 inches in many parts of the county.

City Boosters Seek Six Citizens Who's Noses Haven't Been Counted

The more avid Morton Boosters have a theme song today, a song calculated to dig up six more statistics to add to the growing Morton population.

When it was first reported that the official Morton census would be checked at 2,268 little comotion was registered. Complete figures released last week comparing Morton and Cochran county with other counties in the 19th Congressional District showed that just six more heads needed to be counted from Morton to give the city a 100% population increase in the past 10 years. That was the cue for the song.

The theme is that old time crowd pleaser "Come out, come out wherever you are." Many local citizens feel that somewhere

within the city limits there are at least 6 more people who have not been tallied. Several names have been mentioned but as yet nothing has been done to add these to the official count.

Despite the six statistics lacking here, only 7 cities in the 19th congressional district out of a total of 43 listed have made heavier increase in population the last ten years. Heading the list is the rapidly growing city of Andrews, county seat of Andrews county located at the very bottom edge of the panhandle. Andrews boasts a jump from 611 citizens in 1940 to 3,309 today. That's increasing them at a rate of 442%.

Second in rate of increase is the booming oiltown of Snyder, county seat of Scurry county. A jump of 12,088 persons gives this city a 214% increase and leaves it almost a third larger than Levelland. The two were nearly the same size in 1940.

Levelland with 170% increase, Stanton 128%, Lubbock 125%, Idalou 103% and Abernathy 99.8% are the others that pace Morton.

In actual population of course Lubbock is the leading city of the district with 71,592 citizens. Others in order are Big Spring, Plainview, Snyder, and Lamesa.

In size of counties the story is somewhat different. Andrews leads in increase with 290%, Scurry county has jumped 97%, Lubbock 94%, Hockley 61% and Cochran county is 5th with a 58% increase.

Democratic Heads Name Officers For Coming Elections

The county Democratic Executive Committee has released the names of election officers for the July and August elections of this year.

Sixteen men have been named to serve at the six voting places within the four precinct area.

Morton officers are W. B. Lackey, A. T. Taylor, W. E. Angley, and J. W. McDermott.

At the two polls in Precinct No. 2 five men were named. J. A. Taylor, Melvin Woodley and Charles Coffman will preside at Whiteface and Felix Fred and J. W. Ponds are the Lehman officers.

Bledsoe finds Syd Coffman and Mrs. Alvie Harris as officers in that half of Precinct No. 3 and at White's Gin, Ford Hawkins and D. D. McCasland will officiate.

Neely Ward in Precinct No. 4 has a three man committee. G. G. Williams, M. A. Tanner, and R. R. Stovall are the election officials.

MRS. A. J. LOVE is a summer student at E. N. M. U., Portales,

J. W. McDERMETTS ATTENDS RODEO

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDermett and son, Don, attended the Level-land Rodeo, July 4.

Mr. McDermett is one of the charter members of the rodeo association and has been instrumental in its development to the big four day annual event it has become.

VISITORS HERE FROM HENRIETTA, TEXAS

Recent visitors in the Pat Hatcher home were Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Mayfield of Henrietta, Texas, parents of Mrs. Hatcher.

MR. AND MRS. R. E. DUNHAM and four children are visiting in Slaton, Texas, with her parents.

FRED STOCKDALE

Lawyer

Morton, Texas

THIRD PERIOD BAND TO MEET THURSDAY

Third Period Band Class will meet Thursday night, 7:30, July 6, in the home of Betty Massey. All members urged to attend.

The last meeting was held in the home of Kenneth Welch with the following members present: Ruth Gattis, Lowell Bowman, Marie Lamb, Kenneth Welch, Betty Massey, Glenda Allsup, and Wayne Crabtree. There were two visitors.

MORTON GROUP VISITS BARKERS IN SWEETWATER

Dr. and Mrs. Norman A. Monk, Miss Bettie Cantrelle and Miss Effie Knott visited last Thursday evening in Sweetwater with Dr. and Mrs. Frank Barker and family.

Miss Cantrelle was observing her birthday. She and Mrs. Barker were college classmates in Louisiana.

Adding Machine Paper at the Tribune Office Supply Dept.

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Around Texas with the Exchanges

490 WELLS LISTED IN BAILEY COUNTY

An irrigation survey of the High Plains area of Texas gives an estimate of 83,600 acres of land being watered from 490 shallow wells, County Agent J. K. Adams reports.

The survey was issued by the A and M Extension Service and the USDA, and is dated May, 1950.

The survey found there are 425 irrigated farms. Fuels used on these farms were: Butane, 300, gasoline, 75; natural gas, 0; electricity, 100; and diesel, 15.

There were 440 wells which had a pumping lift of under 125 feet; 50 wells had a pumping lift of more than 125. Only 70 wells were pumping under 700 gallons per minute, 420 were pumping more than 700 gallons per minute; there was only 1 sprinkler irrigation system in operation in the county.—Muleshoe Journal.

COUNTRY CLUB EMPLOYS PRO

Announcement of the employment of R. C. (Bob) Campbell, of Dallas, as pro-manager of the Littlefield Country Club was made Wednesday by J. H. Lee, president.

In addition to giving golf instruction, Lee said Campbell would manage the club house and its activities. He will also be in charge of the golf course and the work and maintenance that go into its upkeep.

Campbell will give golf lessons covering 30-minute periods, each lesson to cost \$2.00.

Campbell has been a golf professional and assistant pro for many years. He was a pro in Colorado for 13 years, also for a time in Dallas.

Campbell is married and the father of a seven-year-old boy. His family will move to Littlefield as soon as suitable living quarters can be found.—County Wide News.

PRESS CAN PRESERVE FREEDOM BY ADHERING TO SOUND PRINCIPLES

In the editorial columns, on the front pages and from the speakers' platforms, we constantly hear about the "freedom of the press."

Newspaper editors are constantly seeking ways to safeguard the "freedom of the press." There is no reason for the search to be prolonged or difficult, for this right is guaranteed under the Constitution.

"Freedom of the press" is a right which carries certain definite responsibilities with it. All that the newspapers of the nation have to do, to protect and preserve the "freedom of the press," is to see to it that they rigorously perform the duties that the public has a right to expect of a free press.

As long as the people of this country believe that the press is, in fact, free, there is no danger whatever of the newspapers' losing their "freedom." If the public becomes convinced that the newspapers of this country are distorting the news, misrepresenting officials, or otherwise using their journals for selfish purposes, there will be no need of clamoring about a free press.

The general public, disgusted with a sycophant press, will applaud any step taken to curb unbridled license. A decent code of ethics, a sense of responsibility and the evidence of a desire to serve the public will go far towards preserving the "freedom of the press."—Canyon News.

THROWING MUD IS SORRY SPECTACLE

The human race contains individuals entirely worthless except for a nuisance value. They attract slight attention by throwing mud at better men. This

pleases their ego. All they want is a little attention.

The trait is seen in small boys who write naughty sayings upon sidewalks, barn doors and other places to compel attention and to have the fun of seeing cleaner-minded individuals remove their trash.

The interesting little nuisance seldom grows up, revealing his nature all through the years. As intriguing studies of the so-called human race, they amuse those who understand what is behind their behavior.—Canyon News.

PRESS CONVENTION

Readers may wonder what goes on at a Press Convention. When we mention conventions, most people draw the wrong conclusions, and think meetings of that sort are only for fun and play. The 71st Annual Convention was particularly designed from the standpoint of readers and their reactions to the newspapers we are producing for them. Eight out-of-state speakers told the some 500 newsmen how to make newspapers more readable and more attractive; how to be of greater service to our advertisers; how to increase the editorial value of our publications; how to build our revenue in order that we may produce better newspapers. It was truly a chance to learn how to improve ourselves, and our products the better to serve our public.—Paducah Post.

GROUP VISITS IN HOBART, OKLAHOMA

Mrs. G. G. Nesbitt and daughters Louise, Ovella and Mrs. W. W. Shields and her two children and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Nesbitt and son were in Hobart, Oklahoma last Thursday through Sunday.

They attended the wedding of Mrs. G. G. Nesbitt's niece.

MR. AND MRS. CREIGHTON HOGAN of Portales, New Mexico, were guests here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hargrove, over the July fourth holidays.

MRS. S. W. HAWTHORNE is visiting in Plainview with her daughter, Mrs. Kay Crouch, and family.

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District 4-H Club Girls' Camp To Be Held July 25-27

The annual district encampment for 4-H Club girls is to be held on the youth camp site in Lubbock, July 25-27. Each county in District 2 will send a 4-H Club girl to camp as a county representative. The camp is a training camp. The girls will be taught recreation, handicraft, camp cookery and journalism which they will in turn teach the members of their own clubs.

Five Cochran County 4-H Club girls will have an active part in the camp program. Mary Helen Keith, Shirley Taylor, and Joyce Ramsey will assist with camp recreation. Patricia Masten will help with handicraft and Martha Garrett will serve on the clean up committee. On June 29 and 30 the girls serving on the recreation and handicraft committees attended training schools to learn more about their duties. The school on handicraft was held in Levelland in the home of Mrs. Jewell Robinson, Hockley County Home Demonstration Agent. The recreation training school was held in the Hilton Hotel at Lubbock.

Other 4-H Club girls that will attend District Encampment are: Alice Faye Thompson, Ann Martin, Winona Webb, Rita Gay Garand Treva Thompson.

Mrs. Hawthorne Hosts Morton Bridge Club

Members of Morton Bridge Club met Monday night, July 3, with Mrs. J. D. Hawthorne. After four tables of bridge, Mrs. Hawthorne served watermelon to Mesdames Lloyd C. Miller, Norman A. Monk, J. S. Harrison, Neal H. Rose, Scott Hawkins, Courtney Sanders, V. L. Lawson, W. P. Houston, Hume Russell, Carl England, Willard Cox and James St. Clair.

Mrs. Roy Hickman is the next hostess.

--annegrams

— by ann england —

Notice in one of the papers where a doctor recommends holding breath for cure of tuberculosis. Expect most of us could cure ALL of our ills if we'd just hold our breath long enough.

★ Have you noticed the beautiful roses grown by the W. W. Williams? Bill brought three or four to the bank the other day. One "Peace" rose was especially pretty.

★ You would've died laughing at Eddie Irwin and his remedy for tight shoes. As most of us E's left foot is larger than right but he hasn't learned yet to have it shod first—so a pair of new shoes he was unable to wear because left one was too small. Some one told Dot to soak the shoes for five hours in water and then have E put them on and wear them until they dried out—he did and surprisingly enough the darned things are all right.

★ Well now—we just love that Vern Sanford all to pieces. He was kind enough to have his secretary write us a "thank you" note for taking part on TPA program in Fort Worth a week or so ago. Vern along with a few (very few) other people realizes that appreciation applied at the right time goes a long way toward smoothing the path of life for all concerned.

★ Not long ago on our way home from visiting the Earl Louder in Seagraves we stopped in Plains for a cup of coffee with Al and Grace Wolfenberger (remember they used to live here) and before we left G said, "Be sure on your way out to drive by Plains Park and swimming pool."

★ We did, it is a beautiful spot—big nice swimming pool, green grass, trees, barbecue pits, tables and benches. Don't know how they did it but Plains has really accomplished wonders in the way of a park.

★ Notice an article by Bob Kirk (county attorney over at Littlefield) on name changing. Reminding us that Gerald Lemons recently changed his name to Riley. One of the chief reasons G changed his name was his love and respect for his step-father, Virgil. This is one of the nicest compliments we ever heard of a man receiving.

★ Gerald is a sweet boy and every one around here was mighty happy to welcome him and his new bride home from California.

★ Michael Irwin, who will be two soon, (no one seems to remember the exact date) is a light turner-oner. The other day he visited us for a little while and as soon as he walked in the door he started turning on the lights. Bawled then when his parents got ready to leave. We told Eddie and Dot if they were not good to Mike we'd take him. Eddie replied, "All you'd have to do 24 hours a day to make Mike happy is let him turn the lights on and off."

★ There are so many cute little boys in this town we'd have a difficult time naming them all but several come to mind right off. Warren Williamson, Mike Doss, Lem Chesher, Ronnie Metzner, Mike Todd, David Ross; and many others—except if there is anything we like better than little boys it is big ones.

★ Had a note from Amy Stevenson (Mrs. O. E.) she was in Fort Worth when we were and she knew we were there but it didn't occur to her to get in touch with us until she'd returned home to Crane. Wish Amy were a little faster on the thinker as we'd have loved seeing her.

★ Mrs. Albert Morrow made two trips of two days each week before last in interest of district garden clubs. They have a new car. Except Albert feels as if she'd worn out one while holding the office of district councilor and if she keeps up the pace will be well on the way toward wearing out this one. Haven't heard him complain tho.

★ Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Newton have a new home just about finished. They've been living in our block but we seldom ever see them except when we have an alley party for clean-up campaign purposes.

★ Jo Beth Russell—Hill that is—was married just two days after her eighteenth birthday. We won't see much of Jo Beth around here since she is now living in Carey, Texas. Maybe tho she'll come over occasionally to visit her sister, Mrs. O. D. Chesshir and family.

★ We are indebted to Ruth McGee for this:

Mistakes
When a plumber makes a mistake, he charges twice for it.
When a lawyer makes a mistake, it is just what he wanted, because he has a chance to try

the case all over again.
When a doctor makes a mistake, he buries it.

When a judge makes a mistake, it becomes a law of the land.

When a preacher makes a mistake, no body knows the difference.

But when the Editor makes a mistake—W O W.

★ Saw five year old Judy Lawson all dressed up in a red cowgirl suit, boots, ten gallon hat and everything the other day. She said, "Ann would you like to go with my daddy to the rodeo?" We told her we'd be enchanted except we didn't have a suitable costume. Incidentally Dr. and Mrs. Lawson knew nothing of Judy's promotion scheme.

★ Mrs. R. C. Smith was here last week as guest of her sons, Floyd and Roy, two of our favorite bachelors around town. We are always glad to see Mrs. S as feel she will prepare the boys some good meals—otherwise we aren't sure about where they eat and what.

★ We were not overwhelmed with responses to requests for home made ice cream recipes. Jaunita Louder makes a dish that is both good and economical. For one gallon of ice cream use one can of crushed apricot with syrup, one can sweetened condensed milk and enough raw milk to fill freezer within two inches of top.

★ Didn't get Anna Fay Watsons recipe the other night at Guild but she served wonderfully flavored ice cream AND angel food cake.

★ Eddie tells us that it was something we wrote that prompted his mother-in-law, Mrs. Cornelia Lytle, to seek medical advice with resulting radical surgery, which everyone feels saved her life.

★ We feel grateful and humble and proud of being able to help just one person — if we actually have it is worth everything we have ever done.

★ Mrs. J. W. Alford mentioned the other night at Guild that in her studies at Tech this summer she'd become acquainted with Joe Garrison. Joe is a KLVT staff member and we understand will teach in Levelland this year.

★ Radio Station KLVT is staffed with a group of mighty nice boys. Altho occasionally we do get out of sorts with them—for instance the night Hawkins Olds softball team played over there. As near

Miss Ethelda Miller Assistant H. D. Agent-in-Training

Miss Ethelda Miller of Era, Cook County, began her work as Assistant-in-training with Miss Mabel Ann Manley, Cochran County Home Demonstration Agent July 1st.

Miss Miller is a recent graduate of Texas Technological College in Lubbock. She was the winner of the Maggie W. Barry Scholarship in 1944. This is the highest honor that can come to a 4-H Club girl.

The Texas Extension Service has carried the agent in training program for two years. Through this program interested young women and men who are college graduates, juniors or seniors actually go out in to the county and train with the regular county Extension agents. When the training is completed and the young person likes the work they are placed in some county in the state usually as an assistant agent. Miss Miller will be in Cochran County until October.

Mrs. Duggan Lytle To Appear On Florist Program

Mrs. Duggan Lytle will appear as guest artist on the program of Texas State Florist Association convention in Houston, July 11 through 13.

The 37th annual convention is being held at Rice Hotel. Mrs. Lytle and her husband, own "The Remembrance Shop" in Weatherford, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Chesher, owners of Morton Floral, plan to leave here Sunday for Houston to attend the convention.

BELLS VISIT HERE BRIEFLY

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bell and ten months old daughter, Margaret Ruth, visited here last Wednesday with the Fred Morrison family. They were en route to Roswell from their home in Oklahoma City. The Bells formerly lived here.

MR. C. A. MEBUS of El Paso, Texas was a fourth of July holiday guest here in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lloyd C. Miller, Mr. Miller and the two Miller children, Shirley Ann and Mary Katherine.

as we've been able to find out the announcer never did get the team's name from here correct.

★ The spouse says, "Sure, the boss has a snap; all he has to do is worry."

Tribune, Morton, Cochran County, Texas, Thursday, July 5, 1950

Report of Condition of FIRST STATE BANK of Morton, Texas

at the close of business, June 30, 1950, a State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$1,300,239.43
United State Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	108,100.00
Obligations of State and political subdivisions	20,952.29
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	49,298.91
Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	3,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$956.64 overdrafts)	1,789,381.05
Furniture and fixtures	6,000.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	
Bank Site	7,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$3,283,971.68

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$2,915,618.99
Deposits of United State Government (including postal savings)	18,020.39
Deposits of State and political subdivisions	162,662.92
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	6,926.74
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$3,103,229.04
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	\$3,103,229.04

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	80,742.64
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	180,742.64
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$3,283,971.68

This bank's capital consists of:
Common stock with total par value of \$50,000.00

MEMORANDA

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CAPITAL ACCOUNTS \$3,283,971.68

★ ★
I, T. K. Williamson, Cashier, of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: W. W. Williamson, A. T. Taylor,
James St. Clair, J. B. Nicewarner, Directors
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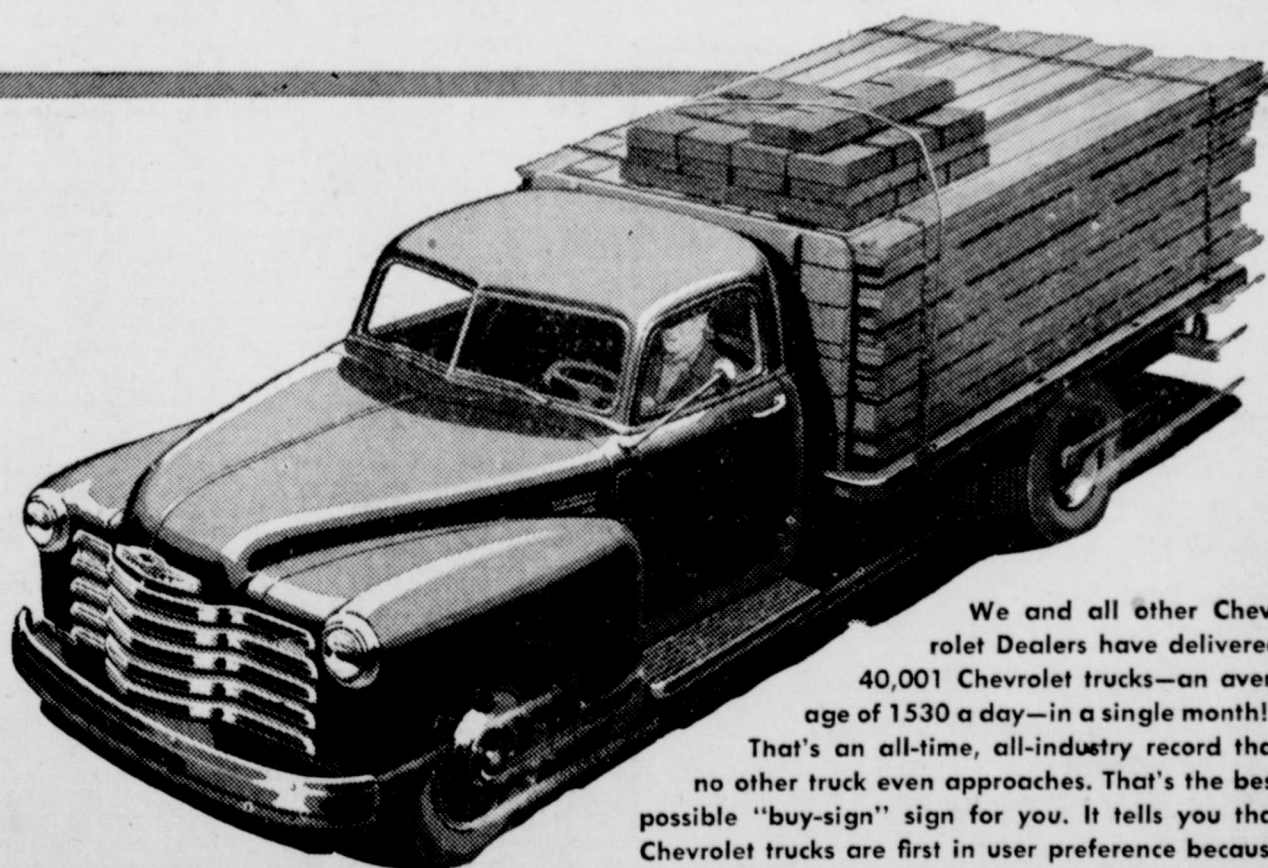
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Local All-Stars to Face Midland Tuesday

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Plans have been drawn up for an All Star Morton team which would be pitted against a team from Midland.

Tentative schedule calls for the Midland team to invade the local diamond next Tuesday night in the second game of a double header. Pitching for the Midland crew will be Johnny Vandeventer, former local soft-baller, who has moved to Midland recently.

The local team will be under the direction of Eddie Irwin, Reynolds Tire left fielder. He has been directed to choose whatever men he feels can best handle the positions with an eye towards representation of all teams if possible.

According to Irwin, "the 1st objective of the game will be to win. If to win necessitates the use of only nine men and several from one team, then I am sure the fans will agree that this is the prime objective to consider. However, if at all possible, plenty of substitutions will be made to assure more All Stars of a chance to play."

The tentative local lineup which will start the game is representative of every team. From there on, substitutions will follow as the progress of the game dictates. Here is the probable Morton starting lineup:

Willis (Hawkins)	ss
H. Pollard (Enochs)	1f
Hanna (West Side)	rf
Scram (Reynolds)	1b
Lewis (Hawkins)	3b
Clayton (Texaco)	2b
Watts (Arnn)	cf
Oden (Enochs)	c
B. Sowder (Maple)	p

Others: Outfielders, Jerden, Markham, Dukes, E. Hall, and Monk; Infielders, C. Hall, L. Pol-

Team Standings

These are the standings of the Softball League teams as of last Wednesday, June 28, 1950.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Hawkins	3	0	1.000
Arnn	2	0	1.000
Maple	1	1	.500
Reynolds	2	2	.500
West Side	1	2	.333
Enochs	1	2	.333

Waydell Hill, local baseball star, is holding down the third base position on the Levelland Legion team. At present the Levelland team has won three out of five decision from the Lubbock team including exhibition games.

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Tribune Sport Page

Hawkins Does It Again To Keeling; Junior Mills Spins 4-0 Whitewash

The Hawkins Oldsmobile nine delighted a home town crowd that had jammed its way into Slaughter Field Friday night, with a 4-0 shutout victory over the highly rated Keeling Buick team of Levelland.

Most of the crowd of more than 2,000 people that came out to see the battle, came in wondering whether the Hawkins victory over Keeling at Levelland a week ago was a fluke. They left the field Friday night well satisfied that Hawkins is capable of some of the best ball available this side of Lubbock.

Junior Mills, the same twirler who had tossed a six hit 11-2 victory a week ago, came back to throw a four hitter at the Keeling team and shut them out easily. Only two men reached third base for Keeling as Mills whiffed 2 batters and walked none. In the clutch he seldom

threw a bad pitch but the Keeling batters were on hand to attest that most of his offerings hit the corners and weren't exactly "fat" pitches.

Mills was backed up splendidly by sparkling fielding by the Hawkinsmen and at the plate he got hit support. Lewis, Lamar and Junior Mills led the attack with two hits apiece in three trips. Early Hall's two run homer was the heavy blow of the game.

The Buickmen started the pitcher who finished last week's game, Bob Young. He kept pace with Mills for two innings before two hits and an error allowed a run. Another bobbie by the Keeling shortstop in the fourth inning was followed by Hall's blast over the head of the left fielder to run the count to 3-0. Lamar's second single and Mills double plated the final tally.

Young fanned 7 Hawkinsmen and was equally good on control, not walking a single batter.

Line score:

Keeling —0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 2

Hawkins —0 1 3 0 0 0—4 8 0

Morton Driver Has Difficult Time At Buffalo Lake Racing Oval Sunday

Teams Urged To Reschedule All Washout Games

For the second time in the young second half of the Morton city softball league, rain washed out part of the evening's entertainment.

A sudden deluge of rain Thursday evening drove fans for cover in the top half of the 7th inning of the opening game. Despite the rain, Reynolds Tire and Enoch's finished their last three outs and completed the game.

Washed off the slate was the game between Arnn Motor and Hawkins Oldsmobile that was to be a fierce battle for top spot in the standings.

League officials and schedule makers warned the teams that have been victim of these rains, that the games which were postponed should be rescheduled by the managers and played as soon as possible. Waiting too long to reschedule the game may result in erasing the games from the books in which case a team might lose the pennant by ½ game because they did not play as many games. The other game which must be rescheduled will pit Enoch's against Maple.

J. B. Lilledahl, injured in a recent softball game, will have the cast removed from his arm this week.

Merchants Claw Texaco Toddlers For 36-7 Triumph

The West Side Merchants tore into three Texaco pitchers for 26 hits and 36 runs to make a farce out of their battle with the Refiners, 36 to 7, Friday night.

Oddly enough, the cushion was just what pitcher Bo Phillips of the Merchants needed. He started out behind 7 to 2 after Texaco slammed across 7 runs in the bottom half of the 1st inning.

West Side exploded for 17 runs on 13 hits in the second inning to end the game as far as most of the fans were concerned. Bill Markham, center fielder, lashed out three hits in that big inning including a double and a homer. Phillips meanwhile had the Refiners throttled the rest of the way on just two hits. West Side picked up 11 more runs in the 3rd inning and 6 in the 4th to end the scoring.

The victory elevated West Side into a tie with Enoch's for 5th place and dropped the Refiners into the cellar. Leading the West Side attack were Bill Scott and Markham with 4 hits apiece. Hanna and Bill Scott also homered. Buchanan's 2 for 2 paced Texaco.

West Side —2 17 11 6 0—36 26 4
Texaco —7 0 0 0 0—7 7 16

Top-Ten

PLAYER	AB	H	Pct.
Scram	11	9	.818
E. Hall	11	8	.727
J. Willis	10	6	.625
C. Van	10	6	.600
Irwin	14	8	.571
Gross	14	7	.500
Watts	11	5	.454
Parker	16	7	.437
Foster	10	4	.400
J. Davis	10	4	.400

S. L. Keeler's three home runs continues to lead the Morton softball league in that department as the second half of the season enters the third week of play.

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OVERHEARD ON THE FAIRWAYS AT MORTON COUNTRY CLUB

BY V. L. L.

Fourth of July—Yes-sir-ee, fire crackers and noise celebratin' our independence. The biggest explosion around these parts is some of these golfers tellin' what all they did to so and so.

Well sir, I finally collected that nickel the "prexy" owed me. I let him beat me one hole Sunday afternoon and that's how we balanced the books. Wouldn't anybody else play with us, so we fought it out alone. Henry B. and C. B. M. were evidently late for supper. They were playin' just ahead of us and we tried to stay up with them but couldn't make it.

Button Silvers, James St. Clair, Willard Cox, Snoball Willis, and the "prexy" enjoy their golf of a morning on weekends. Guess it's too hot in the afternoon. It couldn't have been anybody's golf game interfering.

My apologies to Mrs. J. D. Hawthorne for not mentioning that good corn bread I used to get when I dropped J. D. off en route home. She hasn't had any left over lately so I've been coming home to raid the ice box. That old familiar custom of "crumbly in" corn bread and sweet milk still tastes good to this Brown Countian. You see I was 20 years old before I was told that corn bread crumbled in sweet milk

wasn't dessert.

Bridge and Canasta were being enjoyed at the Club Sunday afternoon. I don't know but I spect Mrs. Hume Russell or Mrs. E. Crum was winning.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Huggins and Kathy were enjoying the cool breeze, Sunday. The air is certainly enervating at the Club 'cept when some guy starts tellin' about how good his golf game was.

Plans are being made for picnic and lots of golf for all stay at homers on the 4th. Hope Hume Russell has charge of barbecuing that steak again. He really knows his business. Guess he learned how, fryin' fish down at Childress long ago.

You guys better quit drinkin' Hadacol and then tryin' to play golf. Entertaining the ladies should be enough fun. Wonder if the "prexy" succeeded in his efforts to make H. R. president of ladies auxiliary. He certainly made a vigorous attempt.

Perhaps, Scott Hawkins, Earl Crum, and Courtney Sanders enjoy their golf most of all. They yell, cuss, jump, move the ball, and a "jillion" other things to cause the shooter to miss his shot. Needless to say, they are generally successful too. There isn't much golf to that method but I'm sure it's plenty entertaining.

Boating and swimming is in vogue too. Several have enjoyed a little swim late in the afternoon. The water is muddy but wet enough to play make believe. (Ed. Note: The water referred to is an overgrown pool of rainwater in the valley). A swimming pool would be the center of attraction, if we had one.

Hope no one was insulted when yours truly took down that barb wire fence back of the club house and tennis courts. If necessary, we'll replace it with smooth wire. We don't want anymore of our kids getting hurt.

Mrs. Hattie B. was certainly enjoying her barbecue steak last Tuesday along with about 50 others. Wonder if we won't have an even larger crowd this Tuesday. Eating seems to be a favorite pastime with a lot of folks.

Mrs. Scott Hawkins was instructing her offspring on the fine points of croquet but seems they didn't need much help. Mrs. Courtney Sanders certainly is a nice "golf widow". She just sits and sits so patiently while C. plays a round. Wonder if he is so considerate when she asks him to empty the garbage at home.

M. C. Ledbetter has lost his nickname, (Tournament). He's been out the past two Sundays playing. Here's hopin' you had a safe and sane 4th. Golf is a good game when you're at a ripe old age. So Long.

Reynolds Tire Humbles Enoch's 14-9 In Well Balanced 13 Hit Attack

Reynolds Tire became the second team in the season's second half to humble the once proud champions from Enoch's last Thursday night. They accomplished a 14-9 victory in surprisingly easy fashion by blasting Harry Pollard for 13 hits over the seven inning route.

Enoch's, minus the pep and sparkle that earned for them the championship this season, first place in the league last season, and a final two game victory over VFW's playoff champs last season looked lifeless. They punched out 8 hits off Carl Kernell but never did get a concentrated attack rolling.

Much of the heavy scoring in the game came in wind blown fly balls that were difficult to judge by the outfielders. One batter, catcher Lamar of Enoch's blasted two home runs that blew foul at the last minute.

Pacing an evenly balanced Reynolds hitting attack that may signify better things to come, were five men with two hits each. First baseman Scram continued his spree collecting two hits in three official trips to the platter, scoring four runs, and batting in one. Parker poled a three run homer for Reynolds and Cleo Hall got one for Enoch's.

Enoch's committed 7 errors in the game which saw them drop to fifth place in the league standings. Reynolds in climbing to 3rd, booted five times. A driving rain hit the diamond in the 7th frame but the game was completed.

Line score:

Enoch's —12 20 22—9 8 7

Reynolds —3 0 5 1 5 0—14 13 5

Enoch's Fireworks In Late Innings Down West Siders

Enoch's pennant defenders got back on the winning side of the ledger in their second battle of the 2nd half as they turned a close game into a late inning rout and walloped West Side, 17-3.

The game at the end of 5 innings of play showed Enoch's with a scant 4-3 margin. They had garnered only three hits off the slants of Zeke Sanders and West Side had touched Harry Pollard for five. Then the fireworks broke loose.

Hall and Lamar opened the 6th with singles. Dudley Cash walked and Hall scored on a wild pitch. Oden walked and Gilliam punched home two more runs on a single. Sanders was relieved by Bo Phillips. The attack continued as Phillips walked Davidson, Pollard and Johnson both hit rollers to third and were safe when the fielders played to the wrong base. Two runs scored. Duke singled home another pair before the leadoff men, Hall and Lamar were out to end the inning.

Enoch's added five more runs in the 7th inning to complete the rout. Gilliam paced the Enoch's team with two hits, a single and a homer. Six West Siders garnered a hit apiece. Enoch's moved into a tie for third place in the league standings and a victory over Reynolds Tire would give them undisputed possession of 3rd.

Line score:

Enoch's —3 10 0 0 8 5—17 8 2

West Side —2 1 0 0 0 0—3 6 8

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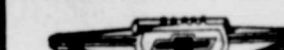
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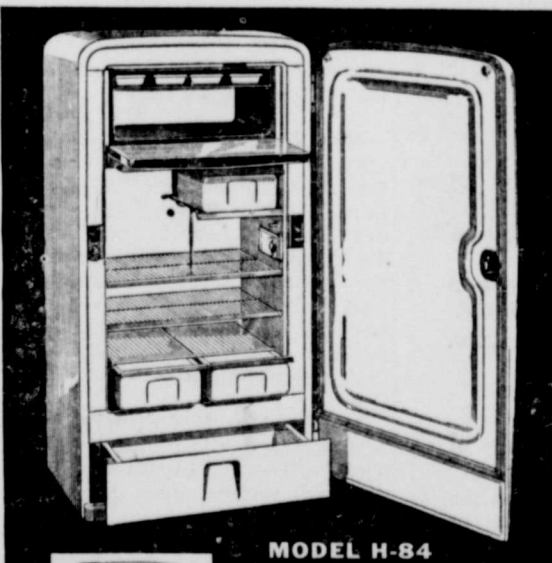


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There are a lot of people around Morton today who can boast 21 years of consecutive life and service in this community. But there are few who can boast 21 years in one field, one general endeavor.

Twenty-one years ago next October, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor came to Morton and established a drug store. This week, nearly 21 years of continual service to the community, the Taylors will hold the formal opening of their new drug store.

From the West Side to the North side of the square, from a small building to a large one, from a struggling novice to success; that's the story of the Taylors. It's a story that not only the Taylors, but Morton, is extremely proud to tell.

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We Ought To Be Ashamed

For several years the mothers and fathers of Cochran county and Morton have been hammering away at the more important citizens of the county trying to get a swimming pool and a park for the county. The hammering has been unsuccessful, not because the plan was unwise and not because the citizens were tightfisted, but because the voters did not take the opportunity to see what could be done.

The old adage, experience is the best teacher, rings very true in this situation. Cochran county residents now have an excellent opportunity to see what can be done in a county almost the same size as ours.

It is just about 35 miles, a little over a half an hour's drive to Plains the county seat of Yoakum county where Mortons can see in a minute what a difference a swimming pool and park can make.

Few of the people in Morton know anything about the swimming pool at Plains. It hasn't been widely advertised. But there in all its cool, shimmering, splendor. It's dimensions are approximately 100 feet long and 30 feet across. It's capacity for pleasure is boundless.

But explanations have availed us little. This haven of relief from the sweltering sun is near enough that each and every one of us can visit it sometime in the near future.

We dare you to drive to Plains and let your family cool in the waters of that swimming pool and then return to Morton and say, "Morton can't afford it." We dare you to take a picnic lunch and spend an evening in that cool grove of trees and then return and vote against a park.

Seeing is believing. If Plains, a smaller town than Morton, can do it, we ought to be ashamed to say, "that's too much money to spend on our children."

Absentee Balloting Not A Farce

Is Absentee Balloting just a waste of the taxpayers money? Certainly not. Just as there are many, many citizens who fail to see the necessity for voting at all, there are also far too many people who fail to take advantage of the system of absentee balloting simply because they don't want to take the trouble.

Editorials have been written by the reams in an effort to point out why we, as citizens, owe it to ourselves and our fellow men to cast a vote in any election. The success of these editorials is not very gratifying. The percentage of voters who actually cast a ballot in major elections usually varies between 40 and 60 per cent of those eligible.

Just as surely as the citizen has a duty to cast his vote for the man or men he feels can handle the public office, he has not lessened that duty by the simple expediency of being out of town on election day.

Absentee balloting has been set up for the convenience of those voters who will not be in their voting precinct on election day. It is not a complicated process at all. It simply requires that the would be voter make application for absentee ballot and then upon receipt of that ballot a certain specified time before the election, that he mark the ballot and return it to the proper official.

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If you are going to be in the county on election day, get out and vote. If not, go to the office of County Clerk, get that absentee ballot and vote anyway.

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Ben Ramsey's Campaign Tour To Cover State

Ben Ramsey candidate for lieutenant governor and former Secretary of State, last week completed another chapter in his person-to-person handshaking tour of the state.

Ramsey found considerable interest in his program for economy in government, blacktop roads to every farm home, soil and water conservation and rural telephones at reasonable rates.

Ramsey, a 46-year-old country lawyer from San Augustine in East Texas, has been conducting soil and water conservation experiments on his own farm near San Augustine. Several classes of students studying conservation have visited the farm to observe the results of the experiments.

Ramsey is campaigning for the office of lieutenant governor, the presiding officer of the state Senate, on the basis of his experience. Ramsey served in both the House and Senate before he became Secretary of State, a position he resigned in February in anticipation of making the race for lieutenant governor. He was elected to the House in 1931, the same year he received his license to practice law. He served two terms and was then elected to the Senate in 1941. In 1947 he was elected president pro tem (assistant presiding officer) by his fellow senators, in recognition of his leadership. Ramsey retired from the Senate in 1947 and in 1949 he was appointed Secretary of State by the late Governor Beauford Jester. Ramsey continued to serve as Secretary of State under Governor Allan Shivers, resigning in February.

BULA, MAPLE RECORD VERY HEAVY RAINFALL

According to reports which reached the Tribune office Tuesday afternoon, a veritable avalanche of rain fell in Maple and Bula Monday night. Maple reported 4 inches, one of the biggest ever to be recorded there. Bula was covered with 5 inches of water.

Entomologist Gives Local Farmers Tips On Insect Control

Three meetings were held June 28 by County Agricultural Agent Homer E. Thompson and Guy Carpenter, Extension Entomologist. There were cotton patch meetings and 105 attended at the first two meetings. Thrip damage has slackened up over the previous week and damage to young cotton by insects was practically negligible, because most of the farmers have learned to identify flea-hoppers and will be looking for these in the immediate future.

Thrips have done the most damage to date but since they have let up, the flea-hopper will likely be the worst enemy. Mr. Carpenter advises. Be sure to look for these.

A demonstration was also held at one of the meetings showing a spraying mixture.

Thompson was clad to see the good turn out at these two meetings. Bulletins on cotton insects and insecticides were passed out. These same bulletins are now available at the county agent's office.

LINDA CAROL BUCK, daughter of Mrs. Doug Jarvis was taken to a Lubbock Hospital Monday for medical treatment.

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by Robt. (Bob) Kirk
County Attorney
Lamb County, Texas



Do You Know what "absentee voting" is?

Absentee voting is a means whereby one who is not going to be at his regular voting place on election day, so that he can vote in person, may vote prior to election day.

Absentee voting may be done during the period of not more than twenty (20) days or less than three (3) days prior to the date of an election.

One who is in the county of his residence during the above period may go to the office of the County Clerk, and there he will be furnished the necessary supplies for absentee voting. After he has voted, his ballot is sealed, and at

Mac W. Hancocks Honor Son

Mr. and Mrs. Mac W. Hancock Jr., were hosts to a family party Tuesday, July 4, in honor of their son and Mrs. Hancock's brother, Jack Taylor, who celebrated their birthdays on July 3 and 4th respectively. Mac W. III, was one year old, Monday.

Others present were Mrs. Lee Taylor mother and grandmother of the honorees, Burlie Wayne Taylor and Mrs. Jack Taylor, nee Dolores Wages, Mrs. Hancock Jr., is the former Louise Taylor.

Edward Hamilton Returns to Morton Sometime This Week

Five Morton men left Sunday by automobile to Galveston where they were to pick up Edward Hamilton at the Memorial Hospital and return him to Morton. As far as could be determined, hospital officials at Galveston decided that Edward would need no skin grafted.

The five who made the trip to Galveston were: Courtney Moudy, Weldon Weston, Leon Hamilton, Frank Hamilton, and Melvin Butler. They are expected to return to Morton, Wednesday.

FORREST LUMBER EMPLOYEES SPEND FOURTH AT SLATON

Employees of Forrest Lumber yards were guests of honor for an all day fourth of July outing and barbecue at the Forrest Ranch near Slaton, Tuesday.

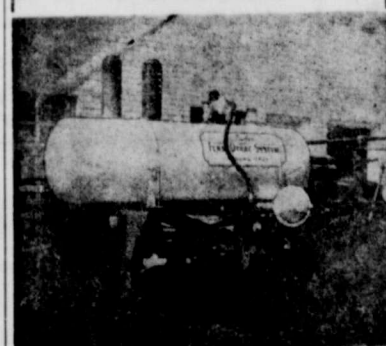
GUEST IN WEEKS HOME

Mrs. W. A. Nelson of Granbury visited here during the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Roy Weekes and Mr. Weekes.

MRS. BETH GARWICK, former three to eleven nurse supervisor at West Plains Hospital, left last Wednesday for her home in Dallas.

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6:00 A. M.
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CUT COSTS 50%
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MORTON, TEXAS

Family Night At Country Club Tuesday, July 11

Family night will be observed at Morton Country Club, Tuesday, July 11. Committee in charge for evening suggested a wiener and marshmallow roast; fires will be built in the grill for this purpose. However any member or members are to feel at liberty to bring what ever type food desired for the get-together.

MRS. ROY HICKMAN is in Fort Worth, at the bed side of an aunt, who is critically ill.

Hospital News

New Babies:

A son, Gilberto, weighing 7 pounds ½ ounce, born July 2nd at 4:15 a.m. to Mr. and Mrs. Vicente Arteaga of Morton.

Medical Patients:

S. E. Davis, Morton; Michael Pierce, Morton; Mrs. Reacy Morton; Morton; Fred Layton, Morton; Mrs. Fred Smith, Whiteface; Mrs. Jean Vestle Morton; Mrs. W. C. Wright, Morton.

Surgical Patients:

Larkin Taylor, Morton; W. T. Zuber, Morton.

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Upon Completion of a New Home For Morton Drug

And on the Occasion of Your 21st Anniversary in Business in Morton.

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Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Ramby
Barbara and Pharmacy Personnel

Condensed Statement Of The Condition
Of The

FIRST STATE BANK

MORTON, TEXAS

At the close of business June 30, 1950

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 540,773.70	Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	6,000.00	Surplus Certified	50,000.00
Real Estate (Bank site)	7,000.00	Undivided Profits	80,742.64
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	3,000.00	DEPOSITS	3,103,229.04
Available Cash			
U.S. Government Bonds	\$ 108,100.00		
Other Bonds & Warrants	70,251.20		
Gov't Commodity Loans	1,248,607.35		
Cash & Due from Banks	1,300,239.43		
	2,727,197.93		
TOTAL	\$3,283,971.68	TOTAL	\$3,283,971.68

The Above Statement Is Correct — T. K. Williamson, Cashier

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School Transfers

All students, or parents of transfer students, who need to transfer from one School District to another MUST attend to the matter of transfer

Before August 1st
Transfers must be made and filed with the County School Superintendent before Aug. 1.

Glenn W. Thompson

Cochran County Judge and School Superintendent.

ENJOY OUTING AT PLAINS
Mr. and Mrs. Carl England, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Irwin and son, Michael, enjoyed a swim and picnic supper at Plains Park Sunday evening.

EXPERIENCE Is What Counts



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LT. GOVERNOR
Has the Experience!
A Blacktop Road
To Every Farm Home

Tribune, Morton, Cochran County, Texas, Thursday, July 5, 1950

Camp Fire Girls Returned Monday

Morton Camp Fire Girls returned Monday morning from El Tesoro where they had been for 10 days.

El Tesoro is located on the Brazos River between Fort Worth and Granbury, Texas.

The girls enjoyed swimming, hiking, horseback riding, handicraft, folk games and other outdoor activities.

Girls attending were Martha Deane Morrison, Jean Henry, Doris Gardner, Maxine Bowers, Alice Fay Thompson, Mary Carolyn Moore, Sue Macon and Linda Stockdale. Linda did not return with the group but remained in Fort Worth with her grandmother for a visit.

J. D. HAWTHORNES VISIT IN LOVINGTON, NEW MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hawthorne and son, Sharon, visited in Lovington, New Mexico, July 4 with the C. E. Alexander family. Dean Alexander who had been visiting here returned home with them.

Jan and Max Hawthorne, guests for a few days in the Alexander home returned to Morton with their parents Tuesday evening.

FRED STOCKDALE JR., and brother Johnny are vacationing in Fort Worth with relatives.

Rites Held Tuesday At Lorenzo For Mrs. K. D. Brian

Funeral services for Mrs. K. D. Brian, 79, of Morton, were held at 4 p.m. Tuesday in the First Baptist church at Lorenzo. Her five sons who are ministers officiated.

Mrs. Brian died en route to a morton hospital at 9:30 a.m. Sunday. She had been a resident of the Morton vicinity for 32 years. Mrs. Brian had been in ill health for some time.

Survivors include three daughters, Mr. W. F. Greenshaw, Desdemona; Mrs. Jeff Brisco, Morton; Mrs. A. A. Howard, Silverton, six sons, Rev. W. P. Brian of Plains; Rev. A. A. Brian, Brownwood; Rev. W. L. Brian, San Angelo; Rev. D. D. Brian, Turlock, Calif.; Rev. Sam Brian, Salinas, Calif.; and M. D. Brian of Broncho. One sister, Mrs. Dora Sims, Sarepta, La. There were also 31 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

Burial was in the Lorenzo cemetery under the direction of the Rix Funeral home of Lubbock.

Californians Visit Mother Here

Mr. and Mrs. Galin R. Greer and daughters, Gayle Ann and Linda of Bakerfield, California; Mr. and Mrs. Norman S. Stogner and daughter, Dian, Visalia, California, have been visiting here with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Greer, and the L. F. Hargrove family. Mrs. Hargrove is another of Mrs. Greer's daughters.

Mrs. Greer, the Californians, Mr. and Mrs. Hargrove and their children, Mr. and Mrs. Creighton Hogan, Portales, New Mexico and Bunky Hargrove all visited recently in Abilene with the John Casey family, spent some time at the Hargrove cabin at Possum Kingdom Dam and attended the Fandangle at Albany, Texas.

They were also guests at a four generation reunion in the home of Mrs. C. E. Shiflett, 84, mother-in-law of Mrs. Greer, who lives in Denton, Texas.

Western Chat and Sew Club Meets

The Western Chat and Sew Club met in the home of Mrs. H. F. Browning, Wednesday, June 28.

Following a business and recreational period the hostess served a refreshment plate to Mesdames Willie Robinson, Georgia Nuecoats, Ruby Jones, Cathryn Oats, Ollie Wesson, Bertie Pope, Imogene Pope, Goldie Meek, Gaylo Taylor, Leta Fay Pierce, Pansy Servier, Urna Smith, Ruby Robinson, Lila Kennedy, Maxine Meek, Irene Barnett, Prudy Washington, Marie Stanley, Winnie Moore, Dorothy Barrington, Irene Rhode, and Marie Asby.

Mrs. Barrington will host the group Wednesday, July 12.

MR. AND MRS. JESSE PAULK VISIT IN LAMESA

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Paulk visited Sunday in Lamesa with their daughter, Mrs. Sol Cleveland and family.

Mrs. Paulk also visited briefly with Mrs. Andrew Essary and the new baby girl, who was born Friday morning. The baby weighed seven pounds, 10 ounces, and has been named Eltha Elayne. She is a namesake of Mrs. Hume Russell.

VISITORS IN C. STEPHENS HOME

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Toney and son, Benny Claude, of Fort Worth spent the Independence Holidays here with her sister, Mrs. Clarence Stephens and family.

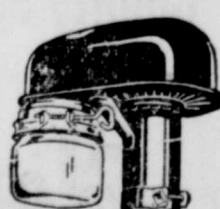
MR. AND MRS. WENDELL WATSON and children, Anna Jo, Terry, Susan and Jim III, visited with Mr. Watson's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Jim Watson, Lubbock, Tuesday, July 4.

CARD OF THANKS

As we are unable to contact each of our many friends, we take this way of showing our deep appreciation for your kind deeds and thoughtfulness of us during our recent illness. May God's richest blessing be upon each and everyone of you, is our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clark and daughter.

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EXTRA FANCY

OTOE Cream Style

2 For

25¢

Pineapple

CRUSHED

No. 2 Can

23¢

Cashmere Bouquet
With the Fragrance Men Love

3 For
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Cashmere Bouquet
BATH SIZE Larger, Longer Lasting

2 For
25¢

**WONDER WHIPPED
SALAD DRESSING**

Quarts

39¢

Kimbell's 10½ Oz.

CHILI . . . 32¢

TOMATO JUICE

HUNT'S
300 Size Can

2 For

19¢

EMPSON—Sour or Dill
PICKLES ½ Gallon . . .

49¢

PRUNES 1 Gallon . . .

49¢

CRACKERS Pound . . .

25¢

Frozen FOODS
VARIETY

3 Packages
ORANGE JUICE . . 79¢

Whole Kernel
CORN Pkg. 25¢

Sliced
PEACHES Pkg. . . 30¢

PEAS

EMPSON

No. 303 Size Can

Champion

2 For 25¢

PRODUCE

Large Yellow
BANANAS Pound . . .

12¢

CABBAGE Pound . . .

4¢

Fresh Green—In Celo
CORN 4 Ears

19¢

Bunch
ONIONS—RADISHES . . 5¢

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12 Oz. Cans
LUNCH MEAT 39¢

Fresh
HAM HOCKS Lb.

35¢

Nice Fat
BEEF RIBS Pound . . .

39¢

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SWEET BREADS—BRAINS**

PORK & BEANS

WHITE SWAN

1 Lb. 8 Oz.

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Pictured above from left to right assisting D. E. Hamilton, resident, in his preparations for a mercy flight to Galveston, Cochran County Judge, Glenn W. Thompson, R. Z. "Sonny" Gray and County Sheriff, H. D. "Herman" Crockett. Arrangements were made through the sheriff and the judge and officials Reese Air Force Base in Lubbock to have Mr. Hamilton flown to Galveston for medical treatment last Thursday. Mr. Dewbre accompanied Mr. Hamilton to Galveston.

CONSTRUCTION STARTED ON CLEANING COMPANY

Construction started last week on a new building to house the Bowman Cleaning establishment. The building is located on South Main Street, south of the Weeks building.

DR. V. L. LAWSON
DENTIST
Morton, Texas

DALE PONDS ENTERTAIN

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Pond Saturday, were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brodie Gray and children of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Morris and Eva Lena of Winter, Texas.

MR. AND MRS. J. W. POND and family spent Saturday with the former's brother, Rev. T. L. Pond and family of Tarzan, Texas.

MRS. DAVID TODD and son, Michael, spent the week-end at Ruidoso, New Mexico.

R-U-AWARE by STRICKLAND

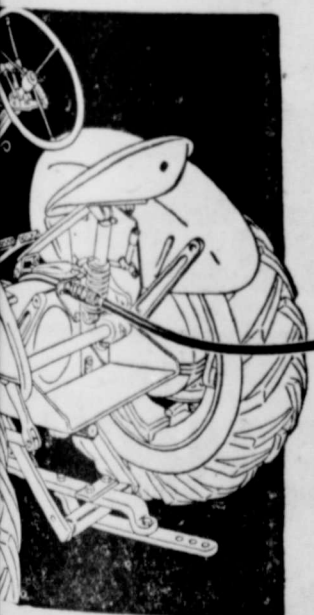


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Much of Cotton Not Expected to Need Chopping

In view of the conditions existing in Cochran county it is not considered advisable for the opening of a full time labor lot in Morton for the cotton chopping season, it was learned from Fred Presley Representative for the Texas Employment Commission Friday.

After a survey over the county, Friday, Presley said that with good weather conditions a large percentage of the cotton crop will not have to be chopped and it appeared that no outside help will be needed.

If farmers in the area need hoe hands they can get in touch with the Cochran County Agent Homer Thompson and leave an order. He will mail the order to Levelland. Crews should be ordered a few days in advance so that the necessary labor may be contacted and will arrive when needed.

An office will be opened somewhere in Morton this fall, Presley said. The Employment office was located on the Hawkins Olds lot last year. Presley served the area through his Levelland office on the Ranson Brothers lot in Levelland last year. He may be contacted there or by phone.

DR. AND MRS. W. R. T. METZNER and son, Ronnie, spent the July 4 Holidays in Ruidoso, New Mexico.

POLITICAL Announcements

The Morton Tribune has been authorized to present the names of the following citizens as candidates for office subject to the action of the Democratic Voters in their Primary Election on Saturday, July 22, 1950.

For U. S. Representative
GEORGE MAHON

For District Attorney
72nd Judicial District
C. L. HARRIS
TRAVIS SHELTON

For Representative 119th District
FORREST WEIMHOLD
WAGGONER CARR

For Cochran County Judge
FRED STOCKDALE
J. A. (Johnnie) LOVE
A. D. FOREHAND
L. L. PRICE

For Cochran County Clerk
RAYMOND STRICKLAND
JOE PIERCE (reelection)
JOHN E. (Tubby) HOLLOMAN

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor
and Collector
HERMAN CROCKETT
(reelection, second term)
W. M. HARRYMAN
HAZEL HANCOCK
CLAUDE P. DRENNAN

For County Commissioner
Precinct 1
L. M. BALDWIN (reelection)
J. C. (Joe) MILLER
JOE BENNETT
J. R. WARD
J. O. HILL

For County Commissioner
Precinct 2
FLOSS S. BALDWIN
E. C. WHITE (reelection)
G. C. KEITH

For County Commissioner
Precinct 3
J. N. FOSTER
E. V. THOMPSON
JOHN KENNEDY (reelection)
W. G. (WILLIE) GRIFFIN

For County Commissioner
Precinct 4
C. G. SHAW (reelection)
HADLEY KERN
PAUL (P. L.) BYRD

For County Attorney
M. C. LEDBETTER (reelection)

For County Treasurer
ODELL SMITH (reelection)

For Justice of Peace
ALVIN O'PRY (reelection)
R. E. (Bob) DUNHAM
E. E. COON

For Justice of Peace, Precinct 2
H. B. ROBBINS (reelection)

For Constable, Precinct 1
Charlie (Tex) Vandeventer
SAM NEVILLE
AMOS TAYLOR



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FRUIT Cocktail

No. 2 1/2 Can
In Heavy Syrup
3 Cans **\$1.00**



Fresh
ONIONS Bunch **5c**

CANTALOUPE Pound . . **9c**

Crisp
CELERY Stalk **14c**

PINEAPPLE

SHURFINE
Crushed
No. 2 Can . . **29¢**

ZESTEE 14 Oz. Jars
APPLE BUTTER 2 For **25c**

BOUNTY BRAND No. 2 Cans
GREEN BEANS 2 Cans **25c**

TRADES DAY JACK_POT \$40.00 SAT.
4:00 P.M. COURTHOUSE LAWN

COFFEE

Boysenberry

CHASE & SANBORN
Regular or Drip
Pound **73¢**

HUNT'S
In Extra Heavy Syrup
No. 2 Can . . . **29¢**

Mountain Pass—No. 2 Can
BUTTER BEANS . . **15c**

Hunt's Whole Kernel Sweet No. 2
CORN **19c**

Westgate Water, salt added.
MACKEREL Can **19c**

LIL' REBEL—Packed in Water
VIENNA SAUSAGE Can **10c**

SIOUX BEE—Pure Honey
HONEY CREME 1 Lb. **29c**

WELCH'S—Naturally Sweet 24 Oz.
GRAPE JUICE Bottle **43c**

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BAKE - RITE
3 Lbs. . . **79¢**

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Morton Nearer Amarillo Now

A 12-mile gap in the Muleshoe to Friona road has been paved affording a direct route from this area to Amarillo.

The new road, partly in Bailey and Parmar Counties, is designated as a farm-to-market road, but is a continuation of State Highway 214, which runs south from Muleshoe through Morton. It is believed that the road soon will be designated a state highway.

Hundreds Sample Free Coffee and Doughnuts At Steak House Friday

Several hundred persons were on hand throughout the day Friday to take advantage of the official opening of the Steak House under the proprietorship of new owner, J. T. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter estimated that 10 urns of coffee were dispensed during the day. Doughnuts and cinnamon rolls given with the coffee to those desirous amounted to 12 dozen.

PUBLIC INVITED

The general public is invited to attend a singing Sunday afternoon at the Assembly of God Church. Charles Pace, son of the minister, will direct the singing.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Fryers, 1/2 mile north Airport. Mrs. Holmes. 20p

FOR SALE—Lots in Patton addition. One block South of High School. Terms at your convenience. See Fred Brock, Standard Abstract Co. 20p

I have a few bushels of Northern Star Cotton Seed, registered last year. Only \$1.50 per bushel, while they last. Edwin Neutzler, Maple, Texas. rtnc

SEE BEFORE YOU BUY. The new Flexible Irrigation Tube; the answer to your siphon tube problems. Greene Supply Co. rtnc

FOR SALE—Two 2-row wooden knife sleds with knives and tail plows, good condition. Built new last year. Elmer E. Wood, first house west of Oasis Store. 19p

ROY WEEKES
INSURANCE AGENCY
FIRE—AUTOMOBILE
HOSPITALIZATION—POLIO
CITY and FARM LOANS

FOR SALE

Get Your Field and Garden Seed and Merit Feed at Morton Feed and Seed. rtnc

USED A. C. 2-Bottom Mold board plow. Loran & Sons Farm Supply. rtnc

FOR SALE — Commercial Coca Cola Cooler and 1 Corona Smith Cash Register. J. J. Burns, Morton. 18p

USED PULL TYPE GO DEVIL. Loran & Sons Farm Supply. rtnc

IF YOU Want to Buy, Sell or Trade—Try Lloyd Evans. Office 1st door East of Piggly-Wiggly. rtnc

NEW GO DEVIL KNIVES. Loran & Sons Farm Supply. rtnc

Get Your Field and Garden Seed and Merit Feed at Morton Feed and Seed. rtnc

FOR SALE—New A. B. and G. John Deere Tractors and equipment. Available for cash or financed terms—McALISTER-HUGGINS, Morton. 41 rtnc

FOR SALE—Floor Sweep for asphalt tile, wood and all type floors—Rays' Hardware. rtnc

Fresh Shipment of B. F. Goodrich Tractor tires and tubes. Batteries. Loran & Sons Farm Supply. rtnc

Get Your Field and Garden Seed and Merit Feed at Morton Feed and Seed. rtnc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—3 room unfurnished apartment. Vacant July 15. Albert Morrow. Phone 4646. rtnc

FOR RENT—Six room unfurnished house. Albert Morrow. Phone 4646. rtnc

FOR RENT—See Mrs. A. Baker at Baker Courts for nice clean apartments with Electric Refrigerators. rtnc

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To do ironing. Mrs. F. E. Baldrige. 4 block west 2 1/2 north of stop light. 21p

UNDERCOAT SPECIAL—Tighten body bolts, under coat car with Genuine F. M. Co. underseal material. Wash and Grease Car. Any make new car — \$25.00. (\$5.00 extra charge for cleaning old cars underneath.) Willard Cox. 20c

ARCHITECTURE — The housing and other building shortages have called for a mammoth building program. Skilled workers are in great demand! Get into this essential work through study of an I.C.S. building course. Don't put it off another minute. Call or write: Glen Blake Chanslor, Representative. INTERNATIONAL CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOLS, 1606 Avenue "R", Lubbock, Texas. 19p

The New Dearborn Combines are here. Come in and see them. See something that you haven't seen in other combines. They have the new tractor motor on them. McMaster-Lackey. rtnc

HAWKINS OLDSMOBILE WILL take Cows and Hogs in trade on Cars—Hawkins Oldsmobile. tnc

WANTED
COTTON EQUITIES
See Bill Weatherly
at Weatherly & Son
Grocery

We are in a position to make loans and give you a fair appraisal on your lands — S. L. Pierce. 38/rtn

WANTED—A chance to buy those Fat Calves—Truett's Grocery and Market. 41/rtn

WANTED—Fat Calves—See Elma Seaney at H. and S. Grocery and Market. 20/rtn

Adding machine paper at the Tribune Office.

SEWING MACHINE REPAIRS—electrical conversions of all types; complete rebuilding service; all work unconditionally guaranteed—J. D. OWENS, Rays' Hardware, Morton. 52/rtn

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14 Oz. Bottle

17¢

GREEN ONIONS Bunch . . . 5¢

CANTALOUPES Lb. . . 9¢

RADISHES Bunch . . . 5¢

CABBAGE Pound . . . 4¢

OLEO

ADMIRAL

Colored
Quarters
1 Pound

25¢

SWIFTNING SWIFT'S Shortening **3 Lb. Can 69¢**

HOSTESS VIENNA

SAUSAGE

Can

10¢

BEEF RIBS Pound . . 39¢

WICKLOW BACON 1 Lb. Pkg. . 45¢

AMERICAN—Sliced CHEESE Pound . . . 43¢

PREM LUNCHEON

MEAT

Can

39¢

ORANGEADE HI-C **46 Oz. Can 29¢**

ROYAL GELATIN DESSERT Pkg. . . . 5¢

Syrup Chocolate HERSHEY'S **Can . . . 15¢**

WOLCO—No. 2 Can BLACKBERRIES . . . 15¢

No. 2 Can TOMATOES Can . . 10¢

Tea BRIGHT & EARLY With Glass 1/4 Pound Pkg. **29¢**

HUNT'S In Heavy Syrup 2 1/2 Can APRICOTS Can . . 24¢

Tide Large Box . . . **25¢**

BRIGHT & EARLY Coffee

1 Lb. Pkg. . . 49¢

SHURFINE MILK

Tall Can . . 10¢

SHURFINE HOMINY

No. 2 Can . . . 10¢

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WED.—THUR.
July 5—6

JAMES CAGNEY



RED HOT IN HIS NEW WARNER HIT
WHITE HEAT
CO-STARRING VIRGINIA MAYO

EDMOND O'BRIEN
FRED CLARK

FRI.—SAT.
July 7—8



Also Chapter 3 of
"Code of Pony Express"
Cartoon, "Boil The Fox"

SAT. PREVUE
July 8



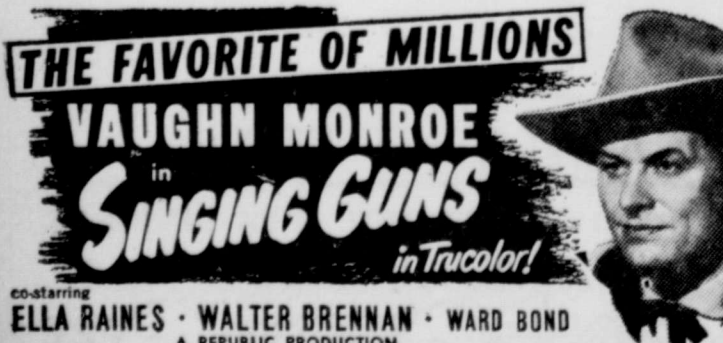
Comedy, "Put Some Money in the Pot."

TUES. ONLY
July 11



Also 20 Min. Short
"SEAL ISLAND"

SUN.—MON. July 9—10.



Introducing A Great New Western Star
VAUGHN MONROE—With a Price on His Head,
A Girl in His Arms, and a Fortune in Stolen Gold
at His Command.

Morton Drug to Hold Open House Saturday

Charles Taylors Unveil New Building To Customers; Mortonites Applaud Twenty-One Years of Service

Plans were being made this week, finishing touches were added, decorations were readied, and employees awaited the official opening, Saturday, of the new Morton Drug Store in its spanking new building.

A product of 21 years of achievement by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor who entered the Drug business in Morton in 1929, the building is a credit to the community.

It represents almost a one third addition in size to the building formerly occupied by the Morton Drug. The brick and tile structure is the same width, 24 feet, but in depth it measures 120 as compared to 80 feet in the old building.

All Items Will Be Reduced 10% for Opening Day

Normal opening day at the new Morton Drug Store, Saturday, July 6, will feature a 10% reduction sale on all items except medicines and tobaccos.

The sale will continue throughout the day with special tables and displays set up to exhibit the new merchandise. Eight employees will be on hand to wait on customers and the Taylors invite each and every one to stop in an at least for a moment.

AGENT ATTENDING SCHOOL

Mr. E. Thompson, Cochran County Agent, is attending a week's school at Texas Tech. classes on pastures are conducted by Texas A. and M. extension service.

ES. HOMER E. THOMPSON, county agent, spent the week in Lubbock with her mother, Mrs. G. T. Morris.

Located next to the nearly completed Rose Theatre on the North side of the square, it uses a common wall of separation and both store fronts are combined to give an ultra modern look to that entire business corner.

According to Mrs. Taylor, the Morton Drug in its new building will present a familiar touch in that the location, the stock, and the employees remain the same. "Our main effort in this new building," said Mrs. Taylor, "was to reduce the darkness and dinginess of the store."

Almost the entire front of the store is glass including the doors and neon lighting inside, light green walls, and white and cream trimmings give a fresh look to the entire building. As yet no additional booths have been installed but the roominess of the new structure will permit the installation of new booths as soon as they are needed Mrs. Taylor said.

She added that they weren't planning anything too fancy. Items will be displayed on small stands and tables to give Saturday's customers a good view of what is in stock. A sale is planned in conjunction with the opening.

In October of 1929 the Taylors went into the Drug business here. Last year they celebrated their 20th anniversary in the Drug business with almost no fanfare at all. As Mrs. Taylor says, "We have been here more than 20 years. Maybe that's too long. Maybe they should have run us off a long time ago." But Morton residents seem to dissent with that opinion.

The first building occupied by the Morton Drug Store was a 14 by 28 foot building on the West Side of the square. The present location is the fourth for the Drug Store although both of the last two buildings occupied the same lot.

The Taylors own eight business locations in Morton including the five room section located diagonally Southeast of the square. These locations are now occupied by the Flowers-Rushing service station, the domino parlor, the temporary Morton Drug store room, and the two-room Steak House recently taken over by Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Porter. Others include the rooms now occupied by Smith Furniture company and the John Deere Implement company.

A former resident of Southland, Texas, Charlie Taylor married Sadie Horn of Abilene in 1919. At that time he was studying pharmacy at Texas Christian University. They have one child, a daughter, Marion.

Prior to going into the Drug business, Taylor was a plumber. Last year he told Tribune reporters that he believed he might be holding the oldest union membership card in the county, a 1907 certificate of membership in the plumber and steamfitters union. Although he has not committed himself, it is more than likely that this plumbing training has come in mighty handy in the construction and completion of fixtures in his brand new building.

Recognition Continues for 4-H Club Work

Miss Mary Helen Keith, recently named the outstanding 4-H Club girl in Texas for 1950, continued last week to gain state recognition for her club work.

She is featured in the June issue of West Texas Today, official publication of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

The article points out that she was named to the position because of her outstanding work in athletic activities, scholastic standing, leadership in 4-H work and character development.

Miss Keith, a 1950 graduate of Whiteface High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Keith of Cochran County.

COLLINS RETURN FROM OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Collins and two sons, John Ed and Terry Don, returned several days ago from Sulphur, Oklahoma, where they visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Noble and Mr. Collins' brother, N. V. Collins.

They were gone about two weeks.

MRS. ELSIE GATES ON MONTH HOLIDAY

Mrs. Elsie Gates, clerk at Minnie's Shop, is enjoying a month holiday visiting her children.

Before returning to duties here Mrs. Gates will visit in Kansas City, Missouri; Magnolia, Arkansas and Fort Worth, Texas.

C. L. HARRIS, candidate for District Attorney, visited in Morton and Cochran county last week.

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Taylors Somehow Find Time For Social Activities

The Charles Taylors have been active in Morton affairs despite the fact that their various building and real estate plans occupied a great deal of time.

Charlie Taylor was elected one of Morton's two City Commissioners in the elections held last May and will serve a two year term in that capacity. He is also a member of the Chamber of Commerce, and Masonic Lodge.

Sadie has been a member of the Morton chapter of the Eastern Star for many years and her daughter is immediate Past Worthy Matron of the lodge.

HAWTHORNES ATTEND LYNN COUNTY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hawthorne and children, Sharon, Max and Jan and Mrs. S. W. Hawthorne attended the Lynn County reunion in Tahoka, Saturday, June 24. That night they attended the ABC Rodeo in Lubbock.

GIPSONS ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gipson and daughter, Yvonne, are spending this week in Dallas, Fort Worth, Paris, Sherman and Gunter, Texas. At Gunter they will be guests of Mrs. Gipson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Block.

TRAVIS SHELTON of Lubbock visited in Morton last Friday. He was accompanied on a campaign tour by Joe Bill Gipson, Mr. Shelton is a candidate for District Attorney.

Neon Lighting Covers Ceiling Of New Building

One of the main features of the new Morton Drug building located on the North side of the square next to the Rose theatre, is the lighting system.

A complete glass frontage nearly 30 feet long and 15 feet high admits plenty of daylight. Mrs. Taylor is especially proud of the elimination of the dinginess that always retards the looks of a low, long building without enough window space.

To augment this lighting, more than 240 foot of neon lighting cover the ceiling of the building. Forty tubes each six foot in length run from the front to the rear of the store. Three are located in the front and back.

Light pastel green decorating on the walls also helps to reflect the daylight and gives a cheerful appearance to the entire building.

REYNOLDS FAMILY VISIT IN COLORADO

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, their daughter, Pam, his mother, Mrs. C. C. Reynolds; Jug Hill, brother of Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, visited from Saturday through Tuesday in Calhan, Colorado with the Jake Johnson family.

The two Johnson boys who have been visiting here returned to their Colorado home with the Reynolds family.

The Johnson family lived in Cochran County until a few months ago.

Former Employees Return For Sale At Morton Drug

Two of the faithful employees of the Morton Drug company in years gone by will return Saturday to help sell items during the sale.

Junior Cooper and his wife will once again be looking at the customers over the counter "for old times sake." Mr. Cooper was employed by the Morton Drug for nearly 12 years.

Other employees who will be there to assist in the formal opening of the new building will be Vera Tisdale who has been employed by the Taylors since before the war; Virginia Tanner, Bunky Hargrove, and Marion Porter their daughter.

Continue To Feature Complete Stock of Items

Items in stock by the Morton Drug company will remain the same according to Mrs. Charles Taylor. Additions will be made to stock only as sales dictate.

The Morton Drug carries a complete line of stationary and school supplies, drug supplies, medicines, and toilet articles. In addition some of the other goods on hand includes cameras and film, baby toys and toilet articles, glassware and some pottery, silverware and magazines.

The fountain will be equipped to serve malts, sodas, sundaes, soft drinks and other refreshments.

Congratulations

to Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Taylor
of Morton Drug

On completion of a beautiful new building.

Reynolds Tire Co.

Congratulations...

We extend our best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Charley Taylor as you celebrate your 21st successful year in business and upon completion of a new home for—

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We are proud, too, of the fact that we were chosen to do the electrical work.

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OF OUR NEW BUILDING AND
CELEBRATION OF 21 YEARS CONTINUOUS BUSINESS IN MORTON

Saturday, July 8th

FREE Ice Cream Served Courtesy BELL Ice Cream Co. of Lubbock.

This is more than just an "event." It's an occasion we've been planning for a long long time. Now that it's here, we want the whole town to celebrate with us! Plan now to attend, and bring the whole family.

With Exception of Candy and Cigarettes, We are Offering a

10 per cent REDUCTION

On Merchandise During Our Formal Opening.

MORTON DRUG



May We Offer Our Best Wishes
For Continued Success
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Orchids for

Sadie and Charles Taylor...



AND WELL EARNED CONGRATULATIONS FOR 21 YEARS OF CONTINUOUS SERVICE TO MORTON-COCHRAN COUNTY AND SURROUNDING AREA.

A WARM AND HEARTY HANDSHAKE FROM ALL OF US TO YOU FOR THE UNSELFISH SERVICE YOU'VE GIVEN THE COMMUNITY THROUGHOUT THE YEARS — MAY YOUR FUTURE BE EQUALLY SUCCESSFUL AND PROSPEROUS.

Jeter Hardware
Worley - McCulloch
Friendly Service Station
Ramsey Shoe Shop
Weatherly and Son Grocers
Western Abstract
Cobb's Department Store
Burger Bar
Dunham Jewelry
Tilger & Barnard Piggly-Wiggly
Todd Furniture
D. C. Bowman Cleaners
L. A. Cochran - Texaco
City Cafe
Ramby Pharmacy
Smith Furniture and Appliance

St. Clair's Department Store and
Ben Franklin Variety Stores
Childs Store for Men and Boys
Truett's Grocery
Ray's Hardware
Minnie's Shop
Willard Cox
Lindsey Feed and Seed
Doss Food Store
Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co.
Modern Beauty Shop
Joe's Grocery
McAlister-Huggins
E. L. Banks Co.
Morton Auto Parts
Morton Motor

Miller Motor Co.
Lloyd Evans Abstracts & Insurance
Western Auto Associate Store
Steak House
Morton Feed and Seed
Byron's Auto Supply
Allsup Chevrolet
Loran and Sons
Willis Food Store
Dorthea Weekes Beauty Salon
Roy Weekes Insurance
Sanders Implement Co.
J. W. McDermott Liquified Gas
Bedwell Implement Co.
R. J. Merritt - Magnolia Consignee
McMaster-Lackey

Cancer Society Allots Funds For Texas Projects

Houston—Twenty cancer con- projects in Texas—tumor es, information centers, and sional service groups—have received appropriations to- \$118,123.73, from funds d in the Texas Cancer Cru-

udgets for the 20 projects e been approved by the Com- ee on Projects and Alloca- s of Funds of the American er Society, Texas Division, eipients of the funds are g notified this week by state quarters of the Society in ston.

The Society's biggest test has to figure out how to make \$390,000 raised so far in the Texas Cancer Crusade line with budget needs amounting \$400,000," Dr. William F. Men-

gert of Dallas, Committee Chair- man said. "One-fourth of all Cancer Society funds goes into research into causes and all possible cures of the disease. Money is constantly needed, too, for various services to cancer patients. Since early diagnosis is imperative for recovery from cancer, cancer education for the public and for doctors takes an increasing amount each year. All in all, our budget committees are hard pressed to make the necessary cuts.

"Members of this committee view it as a healthy sign of progress and future planning that requests outstrip available funds, but they're quick to admit that it's not easy to apply the pruning knife to so many projects vitally needed to effectively control cancer in our state," Dr. Mengert concluded.

The Committee approved the following budgets for projects requested by local units, including in the 1950-51 appropriations the unexpended balances of the current year: Tarrant County Information Center, Fort Worth, \$12,340; El Paso County Medical Society Tumor Clinic, El Paso, \$6,000; Harris County Information Center, Houston, \$14,520.53; Nueces County Medical Society Tumor Clinic, Corpus Christi, \$3,520; Bowie-Miller Counties Medical Society Tumor Clinic, Texas, \$3,571; Tumor Clinic, Jefferson Davis Hospital, Houston, \$3,600; Professional education work by the San Antonio Society of Pathologists, San Antonio, \$500; State-wide tumor registry and survey by M. D. Anderson Hospital for Cancer Research, Houston, \$12,000; Nix Diagnostic Clinic, San Antonio, \$7,268; El Paso County Information Center, El Paso, \$6,365; Tumor Clinic at Parkland Hospital, Dallas, \$4,860; Dept. of Biophysics, Southwestern Medical School of the University of Texas, Dallas, \$9,000; Tom Green County Information Center, San Angelo, \$4,165; Galveston County Information Center and Galveston Tumor Clinic, John Sealy Hospital, \$5,862.50; Dallas County Information Center, Dallas, \$9,780; Bexar County Information Center, San Antonio, \$5,700; and the Travis County Medical Society Tumor Clinic and Information Center, Austin, \$4,100.

Army Furnishes Many Various Films For Public

Austin, Texas—Most civilians don't realize how easy it is to borrow motion pictures from the Army. Colonel H. McE. Pendleton, Acting Chief of the Texas Military District, announced today.

"They take the roundabout way. Some first write to Washington. Others request the film from another Army headquarters," Colonel Pendleton said. Actually, it is as simple as this: All any church, school or civic organization in the state of Texas, excepting El Paso, need do is address a request for films to the Signal Officer, Fourth Army, Fort Sam Houston, Texas. The El Paso groups are served by the Signal Officer, Fort Bliss, Texas.

Subjects ranging from horsemanship to precision bombing are available. Civics and history instructors may find useful films on Japanese government and on the forces behind World War II. For the engineering student are movies on bridge construction, road building and telephone circuits.

Home demonstration clubs will find some films especially valuable. These are on control of household insects and on food preparation.

A complete list of the 16 millimeter sound motion picture films and the 35 millimeter silent and sound film strips may be obtained from the Chief Signal Officer of the Fourth Army.

Main requirement for a public showing is that no admission charge be made. Only expense to the borrower is the cost of expressing the film from and to the Army film library. Borrowers must provide projection equipment.

Texas 4-H's Win Camp Award



Mary Helen Keith

Two Texas 4-H members have won scholarships to the American Foundation Camp at Camp Miniwanka, Mich., this summer. They are the outstanding Four-Square 4-H members in Texas for 1950, reports Texas State 4-H Club leader Floyd Lynch.

Because of notable work in seven years of 4-H, Mary Helen Keith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Keith, Cochran county, will attend the camp July 31 through August 13.

A Gold Star girl, record contest winner, state fair winner, officer in local county and district 4-H Clubs, school and church leader, Mary Helen has carried successful 4-H projects in nearly a dozen fields.

Carl is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alec Menzies of Menard county. He has completed nine years of 4-H work, specializing in sheep and goats. He has helped win several team judging contests and takes part in many local youth activities.

Campers will be given training in Christian ideals, personal foundation and enrichment, leadership principles and leadership practice.—June, Farmer-Stockman.

VAN GREENE TO DEALERS MEET

Van Greene attended a Massey-Harris Dealers meeting in Sweetwater last Friday. He spent Friday night in Lamesa with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Greene. Mr. Greene made the trip in his two place Cessna airplane.

Supports 15 Million — "About 15,000,000 persons in the United States depend upon cotton growing, manufacturing and distribution for their livelihood"—U. S. Department of Commerce.

With the aid of amateur radio operators throughout the country, the Red Cross can establish communications with any area in the United States isolated by disaster.

Survey Reveals Business Taxes Fall on Public

The influence of taxes on the American family will be uppermost in the minds of members of Congress for the next few weeks. They are seeking the answer to this \$64-question.

How can they satisfy increasing public demands for tax reduction and at the same time find other taxes to offset such a reduction? Their problem is made doubly hard by the fact that Uncle Sam wants to spend \$5½ billion above his income next year.

The Council of State Chambers of Commerce today pointed up the problem in a special study by its Washington research staff. It found that the \$40½ billion in all taxes collected by the Federal Government last year came from these sources: 44½ per cent from personal income taxes, 28½ per cent from corporation income taxes, 6 per cent from social security taxes and the balance of 21 per cent from a great variety of excise and miscellaneous taxes.

A tax study issued this month by the Brookings Institution, an impartial research organization, revealed that three fifths of all manufacturing corporations take the corporate income tax into account in determining the prices of their products. This means that the consumer pays a large part of corporation taxes too.

Ernest Breech, executive vice-president of the Ford Motor Co., in reply to a question whether the price of cars would go down if his company's taxes were cut, said:

"Certainly it would cut prices. In the long run, every corporation must price its products so as to make a reasonable return after taxes in order to survive and grow. In the final analysis, income taxes are just as much a cost of doing business as payroll."

A group of Congressmen, doing some rough figuring on their own recently, concluded that a family of three persons with an income of \$3,000 pays \$201.60 of that income in corporation income taxes which are included in the prices of the things they buy. A family of four with an income of \$5,000 pays \$316.80, and the same sized family with an income of \$7,500 pays \$414.

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PROGRESSIVE SPIRIT

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GREENE SUPPLY COMPANY

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Morton Drug
Morton, Texas
July 6, 1950

Dear Customers:

We would indeed be ungrateful to our many customers and friends if we did not express our thanks and appreciation for your loyalty to us as customers in making and keeping our store a good store these 21 years and enabling us to construct a bigger and more modern building for your convenience and in order that we may serve you more efficiently.

We realize that without you, we could not have celebrated this anniversary and formal opening of our new building. We hope to continue to merit your good will. Thanks for your patronage and friendship the past years, we wish for you the best of everything and invite you to come in and visit us, especially on Saturday, July 8, at which time we will serve Bell ice cream to all visitors, and an opportunity to show you around in our new building.

Sincerely,
Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Taylor

Anderson Hospital Could Serve As Model for Others

In an article "A State Cancer Clinic Could Save Your Life," appearing in the June Woman's Home Companion, Clive Howard says Houston's M. D. Anderson Cancer and Research Hospital could serve as a model for other state cancer clinics.

Today there are 229,765 men, women and children still living who had cancer five or more years ago. But in the next twenty years five million of us—probably more—will get cancer, the author predicts. To save as many of these millions as possible, he recommends that every state have a cancer center similar to the Anderson Hospital.

The Companion article cites several of the outstanding services this hospital renders. Among them is the recent two-day conference for dentists who examined various kinds of facial cancer. Such a nationwide practice, the author points out, could result in the earlier discovery of ninety thousand cancer victims a year.

Research is of prime importance at the Texas center, the author emphasizes. Eight major research projects are under way and its twenty research scientists work directly with the cancer patients in trying to make cancer give up its secrets.

In discussing the cost of establishing such a cancer clinic, the article points out that only a little more than half a million dollars was needed to get the Anderson Hospital under way with a staff of less than a dozen in a borrowed fourteen-room mansion. Today, only four years later, its staff has grown to two hundred and thirty-two people and ground has been broken for a modern three hundred-bed hospital containing all the latest equipment.

To establish a state cancer clinic similar to the Anderson Hospital, you need some things money can't buy, the author says. You need fighting spirit, a staff of dedicated men and women who are willing to make great sacrifices, and the vital force of public opinion to get it under way—a combination which has made the Anderson Hospital one of the outstanding cancer and research centers in the country.

The world's largest walled, outdoor swimming pool is in Balmorea State Park near Balmorea, Texas.

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SOME OF THE BETTER CLASS BOARDING SCHOOLS OF ENGLAND, IN THE PERIOD OF QUEEN ANNE, OFFERED INSTRUCTIONS TO THEIR YOUNG LADY PUPILS IN THE ART OF TAKING SNUFF, WHICH WAS A PERFECTLY ACCEPTABLE PRACTICE OF THE PERIOD.



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YOU'RE MUCH OLDER THAN I

THE OLDEST LIVING THINGS ON EARTH ARE THE CALIFORNIA SEQUOIA TREES, REPUTED TO BE OVER 4,000 YEARS OLD.

FISH ME A LIGHTER

HENRY RAILSBACK INADVERTENTLY DROPPED HIS RONSON LIGHTER INTO TAMPA BAY WHILE FISHING. HE TRIED UNSUCCESSFULLY TO RETRIEVE IT FROM THE FIVE FEET OF WATER WHICH COVERED IT. SOME MONTHS LATER, WHILE FISHING IN THE SAME LOCATION WHERE HE HAD LOST HIS LIGHTER, HE MADE ANOTHER ATTEMPT TO RECOVER IT... AND DID SO. HE DROPPED IT IN THE SUN, AND THE RONSON WORKED PERFECTLY AT THE FIRST TRY!



Give to the CEREBRAL PALSY Association

DON'T STRING ME A-LONG

JOHNNY LONG, FAMED ORCHESTRA LEADER, IS THE ONLY LEFT-HAND VIOLINIST ON RECORD. BECAUSE OF A CHILDHOOD INJURY TO HIS LEFT HAND, HIS VIOLIN TEACHER RESTRUNG HIS INSTRUMENT TO ALLOW HIM TO BOW WITH HIS LEFT HAND AND FINGER WITH HIS RIGHT. THIS IS THE REVERSE OF WHAT EVERY OTHER VIOLINIST IN THE WORLD DOES.

IT'S A GIRL FOR THE ESSAYS

Word was received here last Friday of the birth of an infant daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Essay of Lamesa.

The baby was born Friday morning at Price Hospital, Lamesa. The Essay family formerly lived in Morton. Mr. Essay was a teacher in the local high school. They have one other child, a son, Gary, 7.

Health Council Conducts Survey of State Medical Service and Needs

Acting at a time when the state of health of all Texans will be most important, in the face of possible impending crisis, the Texas Health Council today announced that it is geared now to launch a statewide survey of medical needs and facilities. This organization, the first to announce plans for such a survey, has as its purpose to coordinate already existing efforts, and assist in case of national emergency or any eventuality.

Mr. Jerome K. Crossman, Dallas businessman and President of the Council, today said that no time will be lost in conducting the statewide survey at local levels to accumulate pertinent statistics and information which may or may not be needed in the near future. Plans for this survey have already been under consideration for some time, Mr. Crossman pointed out.

Regardless of the world situation, the results of the survey will be most beneficial in carrying on the program of the Texas Health Council, which is an independent, non-political, non-profit educational corporation made up of legal, medical, dental, and medical service, united to improve and extend health facilities throughout the state.

The survey will cover the following points:

1. What is needed to furnish proper medical care. a. Doctors, b. Nurses, c. Hospitals, d. Clinics.
2. What facilities are not available. a. Doctors, b. Nurses, c. Hospitals, d. Clinics.
3. What organizations are now providing any assistance. a. Commissioners' courts, b. County judges, c. County welfare groups, d. City councils, e. City welfare groups, f. Community Chest, g. Other charities.
4. What groups could be counted on for cooperation.
5. Whether individuals could be counted on to help.

Governor Allan Shivers has been invited to head the State Advisory Board of the Texas Health Council, as Honorary Chairman. This board will serve as specialists in drafting and directing policies and over-all program of the organization. Membership of the State Advisory Board of the Texas Health Council will include representatives from such groups as the State Medical Association of Texas, the Texas State Dental Society, State Hospital Association, Texas Graduate Nurses Association, State Department of Public Health, Texas Education Agency, Texas Pharmaceutical Association, Medical Service Society of Texas, Medical Technologists, Texas Public Health Association, Woman's Auxiliary to the Texas State Dental Society, Texas Hospital Auxiliaries, diabetes, heart, cancer, tuberculosis and rheumatism societies, Texas Federation of Parents and Teachers, Texas Press Association, and Women's Auxiliary of the State Medical Association of Texas.



BROTHERHOOD LEADER—T. E. Braniff of Dallas, president of Braniff International Airways, has been named to the steering committee of the World Organization for Brotherhood, a group recently formed in Paris, France, to fight intolerance on an international scale. The world organization will be patterned along the lines of the 22-year-old National Conference of Christians and Jews in the United States, of which Braniff is a national co-chairman.

Adding Machine Paper at the Tribune Office.

Swisher County Farmers Ask For Water District

Swisher county farmers will petition the Board of Water Engineers to designate a reservoir underlying a proposed groundwater conservation district, the High Plains Conservation and Users Association reports.

Lubbock county farmers will meet this week to discuss a similar action; and Hale farmers may take the first step towards forming a district at a meeting, July 10.

Action of the Swisher county group followed a meeting of about 200 farmers in the courthouse at Tulia, June 29, under auspices of the Swisher County Water Users Association.

W. O. Fortenberry of Monroe, president of the High Plains Water Conservation and Users Association, of which the Swisher, Hale and Lubbock county groups are associate members, addressed the Tulia meeting. He explained legislation enabling formation of the proposed district.

Led by Nolan Williamson, agent for Lubbock county, 26 county extension agents attending an irrigation school at Texas Tech College went to Tulia by bus to hear the discussion.

Lubbock county farmers are scheduled to meet at 8 p.m. Thursday, July 6, in the Lubbock courthouse. Two lawyers, L. A. Howard of Lubbock and Arthur P. Duggan Jr. of Littlefield, will be the main speakers.

The Hale county meeting is set for 8 p.m., Monday, July 10, in the courthouse at Plainview.

GUESTS IN THE HAWTHORNE HOME

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Alexander and family of Lovington, New Mexico, were guests here Friday night and Saturday in the home of his sister, Mrs. J. D. Hawthorne and family.

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