

DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

Published in Sonora, Texas, Capital of Stockmen's Paradise



SIXTY-EIGHTH YEAR

The Devil's River News-Sonora, Texas, Thursday, May 8, 1958

THIRTY-FIRST WEEK

Easements Promised On Lowrey Draw; Progress On Flood Protection Continues

Flood prevention work above Sonora on Dry Devil's River and Lowrey Draw moved closer to reality this week. All easements on Lowrey Draw have been obtained or promised, assuring flood protection if Congressional approval is obtained.

Letters from Congressman O. C. Fisher and Senators Johnson and Yarborough promised full cooperation in pushing the plan through the necessary steps in Washington. The plan is expected to clear the various review agencies by May 28, leaving plenty of time for action by the House and Senate Public Works Committees.

El Paso Natural Gas Company has sent the necessary documents assuring local sponsor that the company will without charge to the local sponsors protect its gas well near the sediment pool of a proposed lake on the E. M. deBerry ranch. Word has not been received from the Texas-New Mexico Pipeline Company in regard to a pipeline crossing the Davis-deBerry site but it is anticipated that Texas New Mexico will follow the same cooperative pattern set by Humble, Lone Star and El Paso.

Explorer Post To Reorganize Monday Night

The Church of the Good Shepherd plans to reorganize and sponsor Boy Scout Explorer Post 19. The exploring program is for boys who are fourteen years of age and over.

The Church plans to emphasize outdoor hikes, trips, and exploring adventures. One outstanding trip a year is planned. Hobby groups will be formed, if there is a demand, to study and explore any area of interest the boys wish.

An open house will be held at the church on Monday night at 8:00 to organize the Post. Boys who are interested in Exploring are urged to attend. Parents of the boys are also invited.

Weldon Nusbaum is Post Advisor, Stanton Bundy, Institutional Representative, and Glen Hay, chairman of the Post Committee.

Sutton 4-H Judging Team Cops National Championship

Glasscock Shows Top Fleece At Brownwood Show

Anna Rose Glasscock and Tom Glasscock showed top fleeces at the first annual wool show of the Texas Purebred Sheep Breeders Association held last week in Brownwood.

Anna Rose exhibited the grand champion fleece of the show and the reserve grand champion fleece. The two fleeces also were judged champion finewool fleece, and champion commercial fleece. Both fleeces were from Delaines of Anna Rose's own breeding.

Tom's reserve finewool fleece was from a Rambouillet.

Awards were presented at a banquet Thursday night.

NOLAN JOHNSON ATTENDS GAME WARDEN SCHOOL

Game Warden Nolan W. Johnson was one of 200 Texas Game Wardens who attended a refresher course the week of April 21 to 26.

Half the group met April 21 at Bastrop State Park for panel discussions covering law enforcement, civil defense and fiscal matters. They received instructions necessary not only in law enforcement but in game management and conservation.

On the program were fish and wildlife technicians who discussed work of their divisions and the coordination of department efforts.

Lions Club Hears Safety Talk By San Angeloans

Allen Boedeker, chairman of the San Angelo Safety Council, and Patrolman Billy McElroy, district safety officer with the Department of Public Safety, were speakers at the Lions Club Tuesday.

Boedeker spoke on the purpose and organization of local safety councils. The purpose of the local councils, he said, is to make the county a safer place in which to live. Anyone and everyone is urged to participate in council meetings. The individual council should contain on service club representative, on representative of a woman's club the Parent-Teachers Association representative and a representative of the businessmen.

The council sponsors all safety campaigns in an effort to make the community safer in all ways including fire safety, home safety, traffic safety, water safety, etc.

Education in safety is one of the principal goals. Some measures include Green Flag safety programs in the schools in an effort to make students safety conscious.

Patrolman McElroy stressed the Department of Public Safety's goal of voluntary compliance with the law on the part of Texans rather than stricter enforcement of the law.

Mrs. A. H. Willman Buried In Mason Friday, May 2

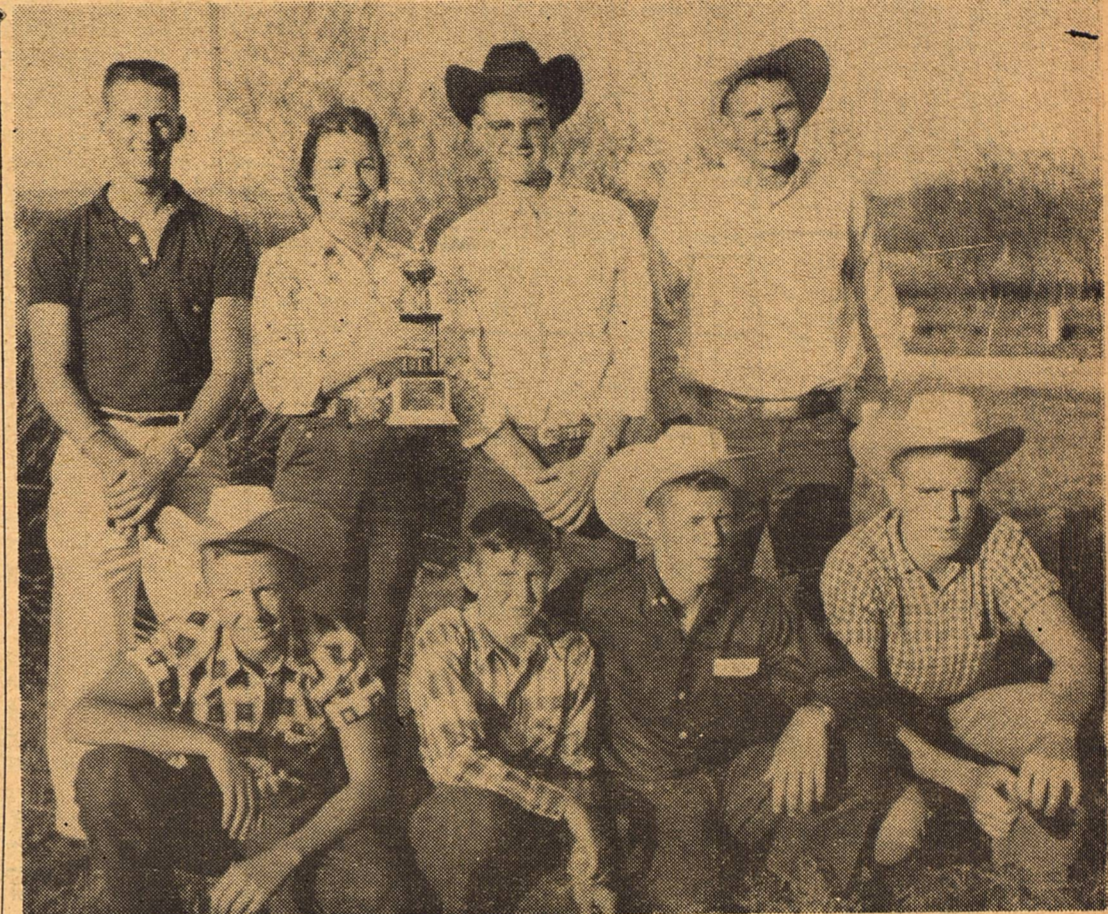
Mrs. A. H. Willman, 81, died in Mason Thursday, May 1, after a long illness. Services were held Friday in the Mason Methodist Church, of which she was a member of long standing. Burial was in the Mason Cemetery.

Born in Fredericksburg August 11, 1877, Mrs. Willman had lived there and in Mason all her life.

She is survived by 8 sons, including Ervin Willman of Sonora; 1 daughter; 24 grand children and 17 great-grand children.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nance left Sunday for Villa Camille Gues Ranch at Hunt where he will attend the Butane Management School of Butane Dealers Association, Management Institute.

Mrs. Floyd Meacham of Junction was in Sonora this week visiting friends and relatives.



Lea Roy Aldwell, Clay T. Puckett To Be Ordained

Two Sonora students at Episcopal seminaries have received their post-ordination assignments as deacons-in-charge of Texas parishes.

Lea Roy Aldwell will serve as deacon-in-charge of St. Mary's Church, Eldorado, while Clay T. Puckett has been assigned a deacon-in-charge of St. Thomas's Church, Corpus Christi.

The two will be ordained in special ceremonies to be held at St. John's Church here in early July.

Sonoran's Sister Buried In El Paso

Funeral services for Mrs. San Green, 73, were held in Reno Nevada, Tuesday, May 6 and burial will be in El Paso Friday. Born in San Angelo June 4, 1885, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bridge, Mrs. Green and the late Mr. Greer were long time residents of Sonora. She died in Sparks, Nevada Sunday, May 4, after an illness of several years.

She is survived by three sons one daughter and several grand children, and one sister, Mrs. Theresa Friend of Sonora.

School Census Show Student Count Slightly Below '57

The 1958 school census for the Sonora Public Schools show about the same number of school-age children as for 1957. According to Mrs. O. L. Carpenter who compiled the figures from the census blanks, some 849 children of school age are registered in Sutton County. Of these, 827 will attend Sonora High School Central Elementary School or L. W. Elliott School and 22 are registered for the colored school.

In 1957, 852 white students were registered and 25 colored. This was a slight increase over 1956 when 835 white students were registered and 18 colored.

Among the six-year-olds who will start school in 1958 are 34 boys and 33 girls, a total of 67 first-graders, an increase of three over last year.

The annual school census which is taken early in the year includes all children between the ages of six and 18 residing in the county at the time of the census.

Sutton County 4-H's National Championship senior range judging team and their junior understudies are shown here while on their Oklahoma City trip. The Championship team is standing left to right, Freddy Fields, Claire Jones, Joe Friess and Tommy Love. The junior team, foreground, is Jack Baker, Cleve T. Jones III, Preston Neeley and Gene Brodhead. Accompanying the group were County Agent D. C. Langford, SCS Conservationist E. B. Keng, Mrs. Cleve Jones, Jr., Mrs. Mae B. Sawyer, and Garlyn Hoffman.

By D. C. Langford

Two Sutton County 4-H judging teams participated in the national land, range and pasture judging contest and school a Oklahoma City May 1 and 2 sponsored by WKY Radio Station and WKY TV.

A team composed of Claire Jones, Freddy Fields, Tommy Love and Joe Friess placed first in the national range and pasture contest to give the Sutton County 4-H Club its first national championship in a judging contest. Gene Brodhead, Cleve T. Jones III, Jack Baker and Preston Neely, judging as a separate team, placed ninth in the contest which was also an excellent placing in a contest of this size.

Team scores were as follows: 1st, Sutton County 4-H 686; 2nd, Pawnee, Oklahoma 656; 3rd, Caddo, Oklahoma 652; 4th, Baker, Kansas, 631; 5th, Garfield, Oklahoma, 630; 6th, Childress, Texas, 628; 7th, Okmulgee, Oklahoma, 610; Claire Jones was second high individual with a score of 238 and Freddy Fields placed sixth with a score of 231. Tommy Love and Gene Brodhead were the next highest scorers from Sutton County with 217 points each. Top possible individual score was 260 points and top possible team score was 780 points.

Mrs. Alice Jones participated in the ladies and girls division of the contest and placed third. The Sutton County 4-H teams also took part in the land judging contest and failed to place on a national basis but the team

were registered and 25 colored. This was a slight increase over 1956 when 835 white students were registered and 18 colored.

Among the six-year-olds who will start school in 1958 are 34 boys and 33 girls, a total of 67 first-graders, an increase of three over last year.

The annual school census which is taken early in the year includes all children between the ages of six and 18 residing in the county at the time of the census.

In 1957, 852 white students were registered and 25 colored. This was a slight increase over 1956 when 835 white students were registered and 18 colored.

Among the six-year-olds who will start school in 1958 are 34 boys and 33 girls, a total of 67 first-graders, an increase of three over last year.

The annual school census which is taken early in the year includes all children between the ages of six and 18 residing in the county at the time of the census.

composed of Claire Jones, Freddy Fields, Tommy Love and Joe Friess was the second highest placed land judging team from Texas.

The contests had participants representing 28 states and 13 foreign countries and was said to be the largest in the history of the event.

Twenty-six committees including about 200 people made it possible for officials to run the contest in very efficient and orderly fashion for the 1,000 participants.

The 4-H judging teams accompanied by Mrs. Alice Jones, Mrs. Mae B. Sawyer, E. B. Keng and Clint Langford left Sonora Tuesday, April 29, and spent Tuesday night in Wichita Falls. Garlyn Hoffman, extension range specialist, joined the group there with the Childress County 4-H team. Wednesday was spent studying plants and soils in Wichita Wildlife Refuge in an effort to give the Texas 4-H members some training under Oklahoma conditions.

Thursday the 4-H team enrolled in the land, range and pasture schools and studied soils, plants and range condition all day. SCS Extension Service and Indian Service personnel were in charge of the schools.

Each night was spent receiving the material collected and studied during the day. E. B. Keng, our local work unit conservationist, and Garlyn Hoffman are to be congratulated for the wonderful job that they did in coaching and preparing our local 4-H members for the contests on the trip, during the school and each night. Without their expert coaching our chances would have been very slim.

The land judging contest was held at 8:00 a.m. Friday and the range and pasture contest was held at 1:00 p.m. Friday. This was possibly the most interesting and educational trip ever taken by a 4-H group from Sutton County.

Sponsors of the judging team were the Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District and Sutton County 4-H Parents Club.

Jerry Shurley Announces Candidacy For Representative Of 78th District

Jerry Shurley, attorney and ranchman of Sonora, this week announced that he is a candidate for Representative of District 73 of the Texas Legislature. This post is now held by Joe Burkett Jr. who is seeking re-election.

Shurley is the son of Mrs. Velma L. Shurley of San Angelo and the late J. T. Shurley. He and his wife, the former Jackie

Lou Friend of Ozona, reside on the ranch near Sonora with their two sons, Jerry and Mark.

He attended the Sonora schools and graduated from San Angelo High School. Upon completing his high school education, Shurley attended the University of Texas and Texas A. & M. He received his B. A. in Government at the University of Texas in 1955 and his Bachelor of Laws

from the University of Texas School of Law in 1958.

In announcing his candidacy Shurley said: "I do not intend to make promises that I cannot fulfill, but I do promise the people of this district that, if elected, I will give you my very best effort and will always do what I believe to be right—for all the counties and people of this district."

Race Meet To Open May 15 With Six Races Daily

Sonora's annual race meet will open here at two o'clock May 15 with six races scheduled daily and one feature race to be run each afternoon.

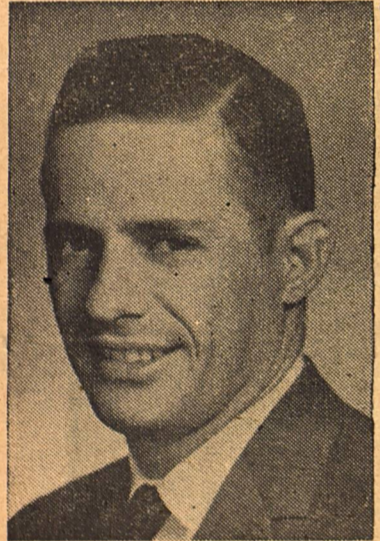
The race meet is held each year under the regulations of the Texas Racing Circuit of which the Sonora Park and Horse Show Association, sponsoring organization, is a member. Other member towns include Brady, Junction

Fredericksburg, Boerne and New Braunfels.

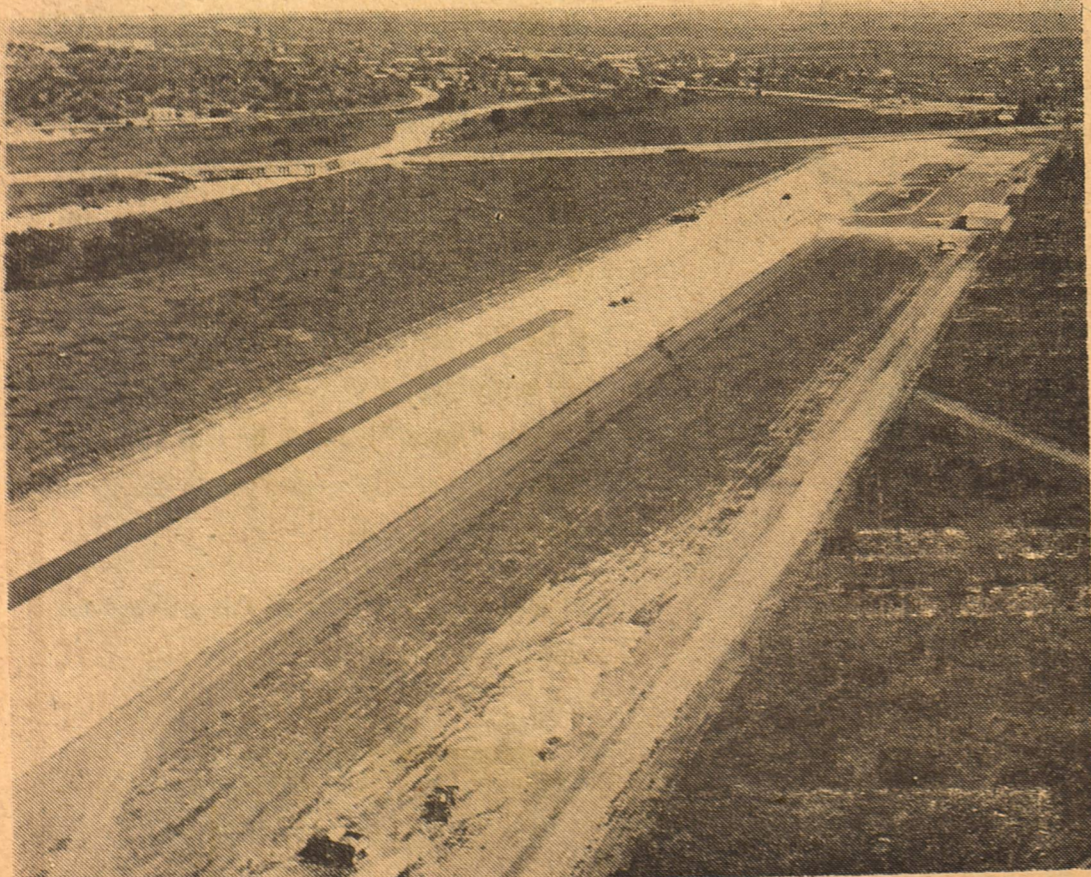
Proceeds from this year's meet will be used to finance building of an office and rest rooms. Blankets will be awarded for the first time this year to winners of the feature races. Blankets have been donated by Stockmen's Feed Co. Western Motel, and A. B. High tower.

The first day's feature race will be the quarter-mile with a purse of \$150.00 and a blanket. Second day feature will be the half-mile and 70 yards for \$150.00 and a blanket. The third day's feature will be the Sonora Derby for a distance of one mile and 70 yards with a \$250.00 purse and the Derby Blanket.

Last year's meet brought entries from San Antonio, Brady, Austin, Wichita Falls, Poteet Junction and Sonora.



Paving is now complete on the Sonora-Sutton County Airport. The 3,000 foot runway has been in use by locally based and transient planes since Carl J. Cahill made the initial take-off April 25. Paving other than runways includes warm-up area and aprons, taxi ways and hangar access strips.



Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District News

By E. B. Keng
Soil Conservation Service



The week of May 11 - 18, 1958, has been designated as national soil stewardship week, when emphasis will be placed on man's stewardship of the earth. Pastors of most local churches will ob-

serve the week by delivering a sermon on the relationship of soil stewardship to Christianity. Examination of the recorded history of the world from Biblical times to the present accepts the

fact that each generation controls the land for only a few years, before passing control to their children. Since soil is the basis of most food, clothing and shelter, it becomes immediately apparent that people on the land have a great moral and spiritual responsibility for its care.

Farmland or rangeland can be destroyed during the life of one man, or it can be wisely used and passed to the next generation in a more fertile and productive state. Economic conditions will certainly influence land care and treatment. Generally, however, practices that will protect and improve the soil will also result in a greater net return over a period of years to the operator.

Nature - or the great scheme of soil, water, plants and animals - will rebel against continuous abuse. The rebellion usually takes the form of brush and poisonous plants invasion, insects, dust storms, gullies and increasing deserts. Many of the fertile fields, forest and ranges of Biblical times are now barren deserts. Ancient cities are now being excavated from under many feet of silt and debris washed from eroding hills. When the food producing land was destroyed the people fled, starved or were easily subdued by their enemies.

A decline in land productivity is accompanied by a decline in the standard of living. People lack the means to buy food, clothing and luxury items. They lose the ability to support good schools, churches and other elements of a progressive, happy community. A thriving civilization depends upon productive land, because most of the raw materials for manufacture originate from the soil.

On man's stewardship of the land depends the future of our nation and of the world. Each acre is important, because it must be kept productive to furnish food for our own and new generations yet unborn.

Dr. W. C. Lowdermilk, early soil conservationist, was prompted to suggest an eleventh commandment after spending several months in the Holy Land:

"Thou shalt inherit the holy earth as a faithful steward; concerning its resources and productivity from generation to generation. Thou shalt safeguard thy fields from soil erosion, thy living waters from drying up, the forests from desolation, and protect thy hills from overgrazing by thy herds, so that thy descendants may have abundance forever. If any shall fail in this stewardship of the land, the fruitful fields shall become sterile, stony ground and wasteland, and thy descendants shall decrease or be destroyed from the face of the earth."

Polio Protection One Of Today's Biggest Bargains

Five years ago this spring the thought uppermost in people's minds was, "If only there was a vaccine for polio. . ."

Today we have that vaccine one of the most effective ever produced against a major communicable disease. Yet thousands of people - forgetting their anxiety of five years ago - have failed to take advantage of it for themselves or their pre-school children.

In ages between five and 20 response to the vaccine has been good, showing the influence of school - sponsored vaccinations. Among children under five, the response has been fairly good. It has been less than fair among persons between 20 and 40.

Does the vaccine really prevent paralysis in cases of polio? Here is last year's record: There were 734 cases reported - both paralytic and non-paralytic. Of that number, paralysis developed in 62 percent of those with no vaccination; in 47 percent of those with only one shot; in 37 percent of those with two shots; and in only 22 percent of those who had had all three shots.

In other words, in all cases of polio reported last year, paralysis developed in three out of five cases without any shots, but in only one out of five cases in persons with all three shots.

Despite a continuing barrage of publicity concerning adult vulnerability to polio, many adults apparently must still be convinced. The truth is that about 10 of every 100 cases of polio in Texas bite at people 15 and over. And when it does hit it hits with

Devil's River Philosopher Finds Third-Stage Trouble With Rocket Like Third-Stage With Pickup

Editor's Note: The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitter-weed ranch on Devil's Rive claims he's found a scientific truth about living, his letter this week reveals.

Dear editor:
I was out here the other afternoon working with my pickup, that is, I was sitting down look-

ing at it wondering if I would put some gas in it would it start, when I got to thinking about one phase of the satellite program that a lot of people seem to have overlooked.

That is, every once in a while when the scientists set out to launch one, everything works satisfactorily in the first two stages, the thing takes off straight up with a roar, the second stage rocket kicks it higher but for some reason the third stage rocket fails, the one that's supposed to send it into orbit, and the satellite nose-dives into the ocean.

This has the scientists puzzled but that's because they're not familiar with the rule of life I've discovered that says the third stage is always the hardest.

For example, take spraying. I can handle the first two stages I can hitch the sprayer on the pickup and I can start it, but it's that third stage, handling that nozzle, putting it into orbit so to speak, that I have trouble with.

With other people, it's other things. Take borrowing money. Some people can handle the first two stages, getting up the nerve to go into the bank, and actually getting the loan, but it's at the third stage, paying it back that all the earlier scientific calculations seem to explode.

Or take getting married. A man can find a woman that'll marry him, and he can get married, but it's that third stage, keeping her in orbit, that brings on the headaches. A scientist occasionally may be able to figure out exactly how much it takes to get a satellite into orbit, but the mind of man has never mastered the job of figuring out ahead of time what it costs to keep a family's needs satisfied. The mysteries of outer space may be baffling, but they'll never equal the number of unknowns involved in keeping a growing family in orbit, especially when you no sooner get them going in one orbit than they break out in other orbits going in all directions.

Scientists with their nose-diving satellites really have it easy.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Fisher Reports On Unemployment Bill,

By Congressman O. C. Fisher
By a margin of 223 to 165 the House last week sidetracked a proposal to a direct Federal dole to all the unemployed people in the country, for a period of four months. This election-year bonanza, costing around \$2 billion, would have applied to all-pauper and millionaire alike - who are out of work. I voted with the majority on this issue.

A substitute bill was approved. It simply makes loans available to the states which have depleted unemployment insurance funds. The money would have to be repaid.

Patterned after the British dole system of the early '20s, the defeated bill would, according to observers, have launched this country on a state welfare binge that could easily have virtually destroyed the States' unemployment insurance systems that have been built up through the years, by gradually replacing them with direct federal grants payable regardless of need or actuarial rights of recipients. At least that is the history of what happened in Britain when the direct dole was substituted for what had been a sound unemployment insurance system.

The bill now goes to the Senate where another battle is expected.

Legislation to extend for two years the law under which special livestock loans were made during the drouth, has been unanimously approved by the House Agriculture Committee. This bill, which I introduced, will allow additional time for extension and collection of old loans, but will not authorize the making of new ones under that old emergency law.

Prospects for enactment of a stronger law for use in prosecuting persons who send obscene materials through the mails were improved last week when the House Judiciary Committee approved a bill on that subject. The bill would permit prosecution of such persons in any jurisdiction through which such mail passed, and it increases the penalty to a maximum fine of \$10,000 or 10 years or both. This bill should be promptly enacted.

greater impact. The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis reports that three out of four respirator patients today are 20 or older.

Another misconception is that a child can be too young to be vaccinated. This is a judgement for the individual physician to make. Before the vaccine, children age five to nine years were polio's principal targets. But last year it struck hardest at children age one year.

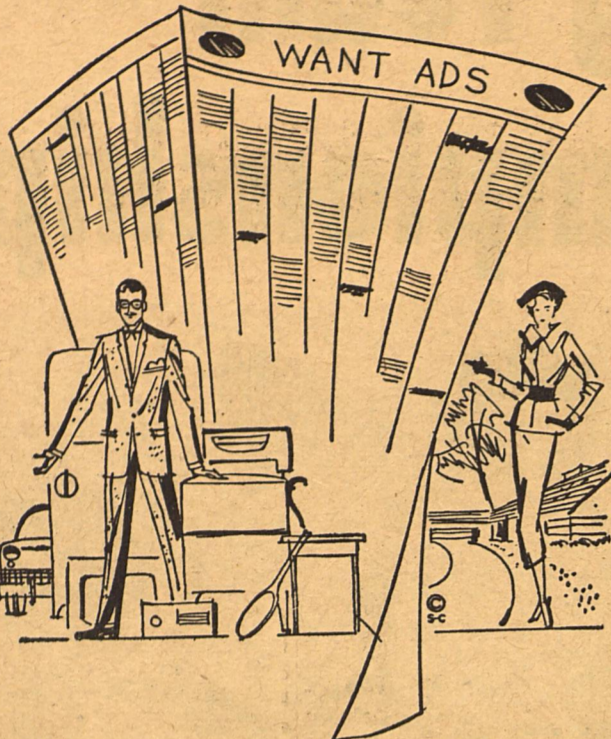
As far as the picture in Texas is concerned, we need a higher level of protection among persons 20 to 40 years old, and among children under five.

Texas has an estimated population of 6,230,000 persons between six months and 40 years of age - the age recommended for polio vaccinations. It would require more than 18 million doses of vaccine to fully protect that number of people. But as of April this year, total vaccine shipments into Texas totalled 10.5 million.

Protection against polio is one of the biggest bargains you can buy today. If you haven't had your shots yet, it's time you started them.

J. P. Bloodworth of Jal. New Mexico, was a recent guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Alley of Guthrie were in Sonora last weekend the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Alley.



Need A BUYER?

USE THE MIGHTY MIDGET
THE CLASSIFIED SECTION
TO BUY! - SELL - SWAP!

Want money? Sell that old car, piano, ukulele, or what-have-you, at a big profit, through the Classified Ads! Want to buy a home or a baby buggy? There are a thousand and one items offered for sale at great savings! This is why we call the Classified Section the "Mighty Midget"! It is offered to you at such a low cost, and the results are powerful! Amazing! Try it!

The Devil's River News



See your nearest Santa Fe agent



and THE WEST TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY

Entered as second-class mail matter on October 18, 1890 at the post office at Sonora, Texas under the Act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

Sutton County \$3.00
Elsewhere \$3.50

Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Bundy, owners

Stanton Bundy, Editor and Publisher

Roy Cooper, Associate Editor

Mrs. H. V. Morris, Woman's Editor

Any erroneous reflection upon the character or standing of any person or firm appearing in these columns will be gladly and promptly corrected upon calling the attention of the management to the article in question.

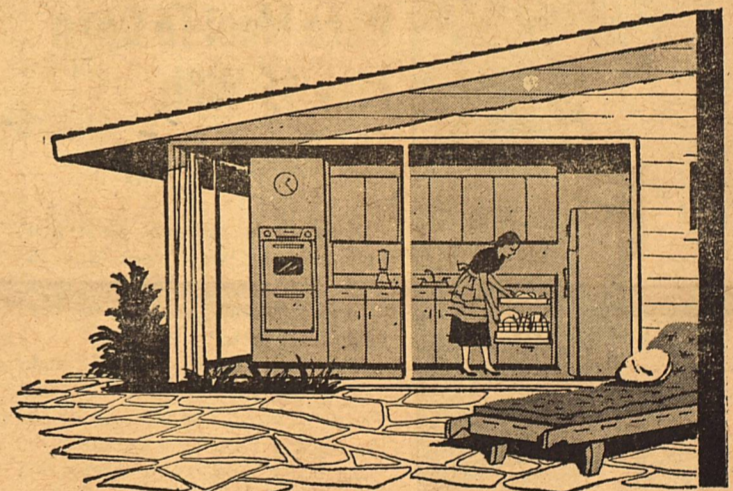
CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES

4 cents per word per insertion - 60 cent minimum charge.
If a classified ad or legal notice is more than 100 words, the rate will be 4 cents per word first insertion and 3 cents per word each time thereafter.



EXPERT WORKMANSHIP - MINIMUM COST

Frank's Auto Body and Paint Shop



DO YOU LIVE AS WELL AS THE "JONES"?

One way to find out is to add up the ways you put electricity to work in your home. The more jobs you do electrically, the more likely you are to live comfortably and conveniently.

Just for fun, why not add up all the ways electricity is working for you and compare the total with your "Jones"? You'll be amazed - for electricity is probably serving you in dozens of ways you often forget

And just think how little all this convenience costs!

West Texas Utilities
Company

Electricity costs so little - you can afford to use lots of it!

B. H. (Smitty) Smithson

ANNOUNCES THE OPENING OF

SONORA EXTERMINATORS

AREA'S ONLY COMPLETE PEST CONTROL FIRM

ODORLESS — FIREPROOF

TERMITE CONTROL

5 YEAR WARRANTY — FREE INSPECTION IN 100 MILES

Chemical Control Of All Insects, Including
ROACHES, ANTS, MOTHS, SILVERFISH

LICENSED — BONDED — INSURED

Phone 21941 Custom Spraying Sonora, Texas

Hospital Notes

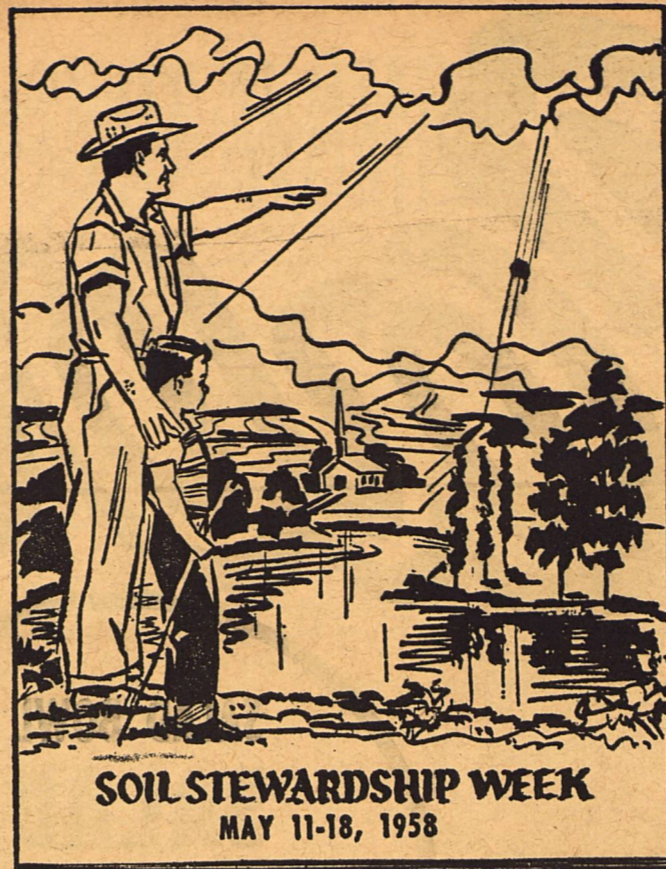
ADMISSIONS

Nick Esquivel
Maxino Osada
C. G. Nunn, Jal, N.M.
Howard Lee
Birl Vern Davis
Boyd Lovelace
Ronnie Ruth Pedigo, Ozona
Duben Reynolds, Christoval
Juanita Arispe, Eldorado
Mrs. Evelyn Paschall, Abilene
Minnie Sanchez, Ozona
Adela Ramirez

DISMISSALS

Boyd Lovelace
Bonnie Ruth Pedigo
Howard Lee
Nick Esquivel
Chris Henderson
Allie McBride
Birl Davis
Maria Gutierrez
C. G. Nunn
Lionel Samaniego
Maxino Osada

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shannon and son, Matt, of San Angelo were in Sonora during the week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miers Savell.



SOIL STEWARDSHIP WEEK
MAY 11-18, 1958



YOUR MINISTER SAYS

By Rev. Luther Roehrs

MOTHERHOOD: What a glorious institution. Next Sunday is the day set aside for the people of America to pause and salute all mothers. We salute you—MOTHERS.

But let us pause just a moment on the eve of this annual Mother's Day to examine just what a mother is and see if we Americans still understand the term. And if we want to find out about mothers and motherhood, we turn to Him who created the institution—God—when He created Adam and Eve in the Garden and latter as a "help meet for" Adam. And turning to Him we hear what a glorious privilege it is to be MOTHER for in His Holy Word, in Psalm 127:3, God says: "Children are an heritage of the Lord and the fruit of the womb is His reward." What a privilege. Children, a necessary item to be a mother, are a direct gift from the God of heaven, the Supreme Ruler of the Universe. Have you and I, fathers and MOTHERS, thought of that lately that our children were direct gifts from God? It almost staggers the imagination to note that God, the Creator, gives to us, the creature, special gifts from Him, and this causes us to wonder, "Am I treating God's gift as He would want me to?" You, MOTHER, can only as-

wer that question for yourself and you WILL answer that question some day as you stand before the judgement seat of God. It is not necessary that you give your offspring wealth (good looking clothes, a car), honor, or even a college education, but God does require that you bring up the children "in the nurture and admonition of the Lord." This is God's charge to you, Mothers. There is no circumventing this command, and blessed is the mother who fulfills her responsibility toward her children who are gifts of God. Can you imagine the holy joy that Hannah of old, who dedicated her son Samuel to God, felt as she saw her son rise to such prominence in the land that even the kind of the country hardly took a step without consulting Samuel—and all of this because the MOTHER had taught her child God's Word?

In St. Paul's letter to Timothy he praises Timothy's mother and grandmother for having tended to this very important item and is therefore able to say of Timothy, "and that from a child thou know the holy Scriptures which are able to make the wine until salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus." Could St. Paul speak that to you, MOTHER. If he could then you will experience a truly blessed MOTHER'S DAY. MAY GOD BLESS ALL truly God-fearing, Christian Mothers!

After The Races DANCE TO THE MUSIC OF Johnny Dutton

TWO BIG DANCES 8 TILL 1 MAY 16 & 17 Hangar Building SONORA AIRPORT \$1.50 PER PERSON Public Invited

Bighorn Ram Is Released On Black Gap Area

Another bighorn sheep ram has been moved onto the Game and Fish Commission Black Gap Wildlife Management area, according to the Director of Wildlife Restoration.

Two ewes are already on the range. A buck trapped in Arizona last summer died on the area sometime during the winter.

Tom D. Moore, Project Leader on the Management Area, reported the newest addition to the sheep pasture was caught in Arizona by the Arizona Commission and flown to Brewster County. The ram was taken near Prescott where it was said to have been feeding with some domestic livestock.

The big animal, weighing 175 pounds, withstood its trip by plane from Arizona to Texas in excellent condition, according to Moore.

When it was released on the area it immediately began feeding on grass that is in excellent condition now on the range.

Restoration of the desert bighorn sheep now is being attempted in an especially fenced section of the Black Gap area in the Big Bend. These sheep formerly were native to this country. They were decimated, however, by hunters and railroad crews many years ago.

Efforts will be made this summer to trap additional bighorns in the Kofa Game Range in Arizona in an attempt to reproduce enough of this fine game specie to restore it to the hunter list of game animals.

Sales Tax A Threat To Texas Farmers

By John C. White,
Commissioner of Agriculture

Much in the air these days is a word that turns stale the sweet Texas spring breeze—taxes.

Consensus of opinion among many is that Texas governmental costs are rising above state revenues to such a degree that some new form of taxation will inevitably be the top order business for the next legislature. And, sadly for the Texas farmer the fashionable turn of tax talk lately has been for a type of general sales tax.

Any type of sales tax would impose on Texas farmers and ranchers a greater hardship than on almost any other occupational class. And they are the very people who can least afford it.

Farmers and ranchers must invest more money to produce their narrow profit margin than practically any other business, and most of their purchases are at the retail level where sales taxes normally occur. Regular purchases of every farmer and rancher on such essential items as feed and seed, farm implements, machinery and building materials could run up a staggering tax bill—staggering enough in fact, to deal the final blow to already-squeezed farm profits.

In addition to the burden of taxes paid on everything they have to buy to produce a crop and make a living, our farm people would also suffer along with everyone else on taxes paid out for normal living expenses.

Taxation which discriminates against a working class of people is unfair taxation.

Times are trying enough for rural people as evidenced by con-

tinued migration away from the farms. With mounting federal taxation besetting farmers on one hand and rising production costs cramping them on the other, surely they must be spared an additional and unnecessary blow at the state level.

Sutton County Traffic Safety Council Has Initial Meeting Thursday, April 23

In compliance with a request from Texas Governor Price Daniel, local law enforcement officials and other interested persons met at the Sutton County courthouse Thursday morning April 23, to join in the campaign to reduce traffic accidents and fatalities in Texas. Slogan of the campaign is "Slow Down and Live". Its goal is to reduce by 10 percent the number of traffic fatalities in the state for 1958. This number, 254 fatalities, can easily be reached by preventing one fatal accident in each of the state's 254 counties.

Governor Daniel urged a four point program to be adopted: One, to get the cooperations of all law enforcement officers and state officials. Two, to organize a county Traffic Safety Committee for each county. Three, to conduct an education campaign for public schools and colleges. Four, to clamp down on speeding and driving while intoxicated.

In the absence of County Judge George A. Wynn, County Attorney J. W. (Web) Elliott presided over the meeting which followed

Governor Daniel's radio address. Highway Patrolman Herman E. Moore, in answer to questions, said that the prime cause of traffic fatalities in his district is a combination of speeding and DWI.

The group present agreed that more patrolmen are badly needed in the area which is now covered by Moore, who is responsible for 300 miles of highway in a three county area. He covers far more than the average territory for the highway patrol. The group recommended that two additional patrolmen and one additional patrol car be assigned to the Sutton - Schleicher - Val Verde area, and that more frequent use of radar be arranged.

Officers for the council as named at the meeting are Stanton Bundy, chairman; Clayton Hamilton, vice-chairman; and Mrs. Duke Wilson, secretary-treasurer.

Those attending were J. W. Elliott, Alfred Cooper, Wess Hill, Dean Arthur, E. A. Brodhead, R. A. McCulloch, Cullen Luttrell, E. B. Keng, F. L. McKinney and Stanton Bundy.

Among those who attended the services for Mrs. A. H. Willman in Mason Friday were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Willman, Mrs. Dick Morrison, Cullen Luttrell and Lee Patrick. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alason Behrens while in Mason.

Lt. Bill Savell will leave Friday for a year's stay in Iceland. Mrs. Savell plans to live in Sonora during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Smithson of San Angelo are moving to Sonora this week. Smithson, Sonora's exterminator, is authorized to handle work done for Excel Exterminators of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Christie of Eunice, New Mexico, were recent guests in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Berger.

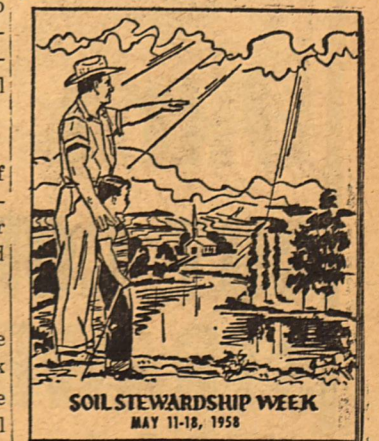
Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Mayer are in New York City this week where Mayer is attending the meeting of the National Wool Bureau.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Estes of Kingsville were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Steven and Ernest Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Alley returned recently from a visit to their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Alley in Guthrie.

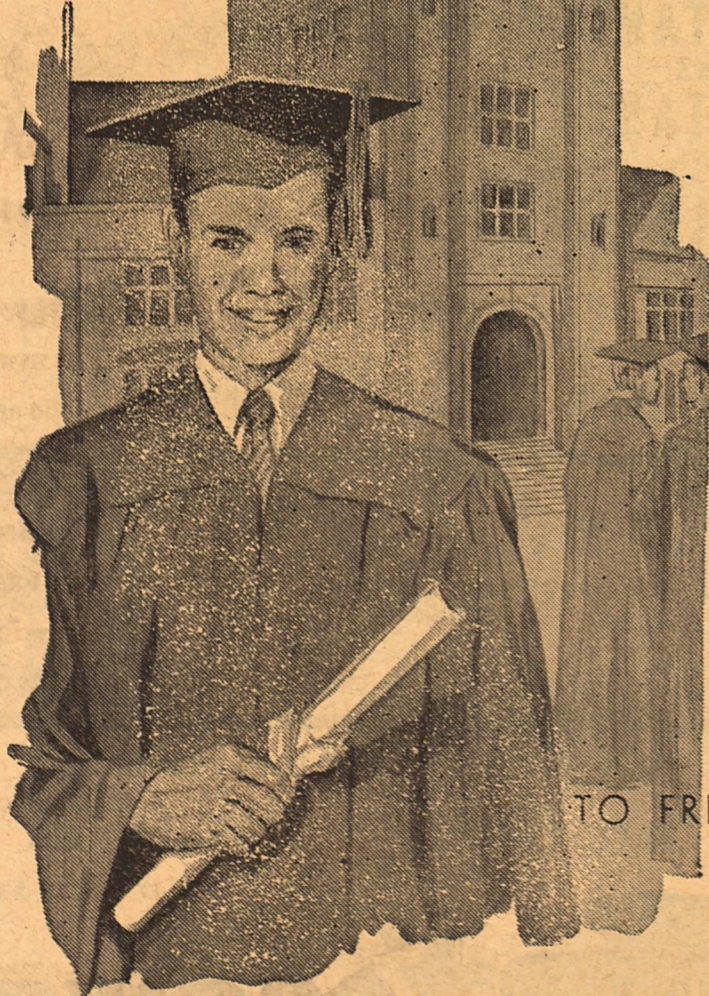
Mrs. Ellen Ray spent the past week in Van Horn visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ray and Kim.

Lee Hart of Laredo arrived Monday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Mandy Hart.



SOIL STEWARDSHIP WEEK
MAY 11-18, 1958

To Those Away . .



YOUR HOMETOWN NEWSPAPER IS A STRONG LINK WITH HOME

From the day your children leave home for the first time—throughout their stay away from home—the local newspaper you send them regularly can be one of their strongest ties with home. An important addition to your letters, it helps them keep astride of changes that occur in their home town; events that happen to people they know. It can be a source of comfort to them and to parents at home, because by informing them, you interest them and keep them closer to home.

SEND YOUR HOMETOWN NEWSPAPER TO FRIENDS AND RELATIVES AWAY FROM HOME!

TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

1716 SAN ANTONIO STREET AUSTIN, TEXAS



Savings

**SALAD BOWL
SALAD
DRESSING**
quart jar
39c

SPRING FRESH PRODUCE

Blackeyes	FRESH CRISP LB.	19c
K.Y. Beans	FRESH SNAPPY LB.	19c
CUKES	LONG GREEN LB.	10c
ORANGES	SUNKIST VALENCIA LB.	12 1/2c
ONIONS	WHITE LB.	5c
POTATOES	IDAHO RUSSET 10 LB. BAG	49c

SUNSHINE CRACKERS - 1 lb. box	27c
SUPREME PECAN SANDIES - 1 lb. pkg.	45c
KRAFT'S MINIATURE MARSHMALLOWS - 10 oz. pkg.	29c
SWANSDOWN CAKE MIX - Lemon Flake	4 for \$1

FLOUR **GLADIOLA** 25 lb. pillowcase bag **\$1.95**

KIMBELL'S OLEO - 1 lb. pkg.	19c
SWIFT'S PREM - 12 oz. can	2 for 89c
LIPTON'S TEA - 1/4 lb. pkg.	39c
DEL MONTE CATSUP - 14 oz. btl.	19c
DIAMOND CATSUP - 12 oz. btl.	2 for 29c



King SIZE VALUES in MEATS

Hams	OLD FASHIONED HALF OR WHOLE LB.	59c
Hens	FIELD'S SMALL LB.	35c
FRANKS	3 LB. BAG	\$1
BACON	PACE RANCH STYLE 2 LB. PKG	\$1.29
STEAK	CHOICE CHUCK LB.	65c
STEAK	CHOICE LOIN LB.	85c

MILK **KIMBELL'S** tall cans 2 FOR **25c**

KIMBELL'S PRESERVES - 20 oz. jar	3 for 99c
KRAFT ORANGE DRINK - 46 oz. can	29c
DIAMOND SOUR PICKLES - quart jar	29c
DIAMOND DILL PICKLES - quart jar	29c
FOLGER'S INSTANT COFFEE - 2 oz. jar	39c
FOLGER'S INSTANT COFFEE - 6 oz. jar	98c
ALL FLAVORS JELLO - your choice	3 for 25c
HEINZ SOUPS - 8 1/4 oz. cans	2 for 19c
JIFF PEANUT BUTTER - 12 oz. jar	43c

SAVE FROZEN FOODS ...on

Shrimp	GULF PRINCESS BREADED 10 OZ. PKG.	59c
Pot Pies	MORTON'S Chicken, Turkey, Beef EACH	25c
Okra	SNOWCROP WHOLE 10 OZ. PKG	25c
CUT CORN	SNOWCROP 10 OZ. PKG	19c
STRAWBERRIES	WESTERN WONDER 10 OZ.	19c
ROLLS	FROZEN RITE PKG. OF 24	29c

COFFEE

MARYLAND CLUB 1 lb. can **79c**


CRISCO 3 lb. can **79c**


Double Stamps Every Wed. With \$2.50 Purchase Or More



WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES. Prices Effective: **Thurs., Fri., Sat. Mon.** MAY 8, 9, 10 & 12



Prescription  Pharmacists



**YOUR BABY HAS A
Special Department Here**

Your baby requires more items from the pharmacy than do adults. They must be of best quality—really special things—for your baby is certainly most special. We have a special section in our store devoted to your baby's needs—all the toilet articles, soaps, oils, and talcs a baby could require. Vitamins and medicines for baby come in for careful attention, too. Full stocks of the products of Parke, Davis & Company, and other reliable manufacturers, are always present. Yes, your baby and his needs are the object of special attention at our Pharmacy.

Cecil Westerman Would Like To Be Your Pharmacist
WESTERMAN DRUG
Day Phone 22701 Night Phone 22711

now do it yourself!
**clean your own
rugs**

only \$6.00 rental charge *"Silver King"*
Plus cost of liquid shampoo

AMAZING NEW RUG CLEANER CLEANS RUGS AND CARPETS SO FAST AND EASY IT TAKES ONLY 1 HOUR TO CLEAN AVERAGE 9X12 RUGS

EVEN **MOTHPROOFS** AT THE SAME TIME

Makes rugs and carpets as fresh and clean as the day you got them

SO EASY

Thorough scrubbing action removes all dirt and grime

Easy to Operate

JUST POUR SHAMPOO SOLUTION INTO TANK

Just pour in 1 bottle shampoo and 6 quarts water; NO MIXING!

1 mixture enough for average 9x12 rug

SONORA LAUNDRY DRY CLEANERS
PHONE 24321

Mrs. Chenoweth Gives Book Review At Woman's Club

Mrs. Dean Chenoweth of San Angelo reviewed "Song of America" by George Mardikian at the Sonora Woman's Club luncheon held at the club house Saturday, May 3. The story of an Armenian immigrant, the book tells of his success as a restaurateur and of his chain of Omar Khayam restaurants on the west coast.

Mrs. L. E. Johnson, Sr., installed the following officers for the coming club year: President Mrs. Charles F. Browne; Vice-President, Mrs. Gay Copeland; Secretary, Mrs. Louie Trainer; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. W. R. Cusenbary; Treasurer, Mrs. Arthur Carroll; Auditor, Mrs. Allie H. McBride; Parliamentarian, Mrs. Cliff E. P. Norman; Norman Roussetot is federation councilor.

Hostesses for the luncheon were Mmes. W. F. Berger, Stanton Bundy, Marion Elliott, Clayton Hamilton, Norman Roussetot and Gene Shurley.

G. A.'S MEET

The Intermediate Girl's Auxiliary met at the Baptist Church Tuesday with Nancy Anthony presiding. Mrs. H. K. Lee opened the meeting with a prayer and new officers were elected. Roxie Glascock was elected president, Dorothy Harris, vice-president, Janie Pay Hill, secretary, Lue Smith, treasurer, Gay Potmesil, program chairman, Gloria Bolt, reporter and Earline Smith, Social chairman. Summer camp was discussed and the meeting was dismissed by Gloria Bolt.

A social hour followed and a picnic lunch was enjoyed.

FREE TRAVEL GUIDE



**THE BEST
Western
TRAVEL GUIDE**

Covers 25,000 miles of principally traveled highways in the 26 Western States, and points in Canada.

- Shows miles between towns and total mileage between larger cities.
- Covers highways to all principal points of interest, including National Parks.
- Explains how certain members of Best Western will honor Credit Cards in payment of room.
- Contains list of first class Motor Hotels, Lodges, Inns, and Motels. Explains how to make Guaranteed Reservations for your next night's stop.

Stop by for your Free Copy of this valuable Guide and let us show you our facilities.

Western Motel

BOX 5185 — PHONE 26241
SONORA, TEXAS

If you prefer, write Western Motels, Inc., 4217 E. Ocean Blvd., Long Beach, Calif. for Free Copy.

FLOWERS
SAY SO MUCH SO WELL

- RED CARNATIONS for the LIVING and WHITE for remembrance
- FLOWER SELECTIONS
- CORSAGES
CUT FLOWERS
POTTED PLANTS

See our complete selection of ALL types of flowers!
FREE DELIVERY... JUST CALL!



Saunders Flowers

THE WOMEN'S PAGE

The Devil's River News-Sonora, Texas, Thursday, April 24, 1958

Engagement Of Nancy Neill, Paul Law Announced At Dinner Party Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Neill of Sonora announced the engagement of their daughter, Nancy, to Paul Foster Law, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Law of Georgetown, at a dinner party Saturday night including relatives and a few family friends.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Hockaday School in Dallas and the University of Texas, where she was a member of Delta Gamma Sorority and Cantor Club.

The groom is a graduate of Texas A. & M. College and the University of Texas and holds a Master of Science degree from Southern Methodist University. He is currently on the staff of the University of Texas where he is also completing work on his doctoral degree in electrical engineering.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Assisting with the announcement party were Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt, Miss Jayne Kiser was a member of the house party.

The announcement was made as the guests entered when Jane Neill and James T. Hunt served glasses of pink champagne tied with ribbons and cards reading "Nancy and Paul". A bride and groom doll centered the dinner table which was covered with an Italian linen cloth which the bride-elect brought from Rome.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Bond, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Gay Copeland, Rev. and Mrs. Alan



Miss Nancy Neill

son Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Finklea, Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Ross, Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Moore, Mrs. Barbara Beckham, Mrs. W. H. Dameron, and Bud Halbert.

Mrs. Albert Benson, Miss Bertha Harris, and Mr. and Mrs. Fielden Breeden of Cuero; Mrs. Alice Dawson and Richard Coope of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Neill of Eldorado.

Congratulations To These New Parents

Mr. and Mrs. Chester A. Green of Lubbock are the parents of a daughter, Lora Ann, who was born May 4, and weighed 8 pounds.

Lora Ann has a sister, Melinda, who is two years old. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John A. Martin, Jr., of Sonora and Leonard Green of Littlefield. Mrs. Willie Martin of San Angelo is her great-grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Dee Drennan of Jacksonville have announced the arrival of a son, John David, who was born May 3, and weighed 6 pounds and 3 ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Drennon of Sonora and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ivey of Palestine. Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Merriam are his great-grandparents.

CO-HOSTESSES TO TEA FOR AUSTIN BRIDE-ELECT

Miss Sharon Prentice, bride-elect of Vernon Ellege of Houston, was honored at a "pink champagne" tea Saturday afternoon by Miss Virginia Wiley and Mrs. T. E. Wiley in the Wiley home in Austin. Co-hostesses were Miss Nancy Hunt and Mrs. Bryan Hunt.

The table was centered with an arrangement of pink and white flowers and a large champagne glass on which were perched two white doves sipping pink champagne. Each guest received a favor from a silver tray—miniature champagne glass filled with champagne to which a toast to the bride and groom was tied with a white ribbon.

MRS. TAYLOR ENTERTAINS TUESDAY NIGHT CLUB

Mrs. P. J. Taylor entertained the Tuesday Night Bridge Club in her home last week. The party rooms were decorated with arrangements of roses and a salad and dessert plate was served.

Mrs. Arthur Carroll and Mrs. R. A. Halbert won the high score prize. Mrs. John Bell won the slam prize and Mrs. Ernest McClelland won at bingo. Out prizes went to Mrs. R. A. Halbert, Mrs. Henry Decker and Mrs. Belle Steen.

Others who attended were Mmes. Collier Shurley, Earl Duncan, L. E. Johnson, Sr., R. G. Nance, Louie Trainer and R. C. Vicars.

"George Washington Slept Here" To Be Presented Thursday By Senior Class

The senior class of Sonora High School will present "George Washington Slept Here" at the high school auditorium Thursday night, May 15. The curtain will rise at eight o'clock on the Moss Hart and George S. Kaufman comedy which opened its Broadway run in October of 1940. It was later produced as a movie starring Jack Benny and Percy Kilbride who originated the role of Mr. Kimber in the Broadway version.

The cast as selected by director R. W. Whitfield is as follows: Mr. Kimber, Butch Baker; Newton Fuller, Frank Joe Potmesil; Annabelle Fuller, Jan

Keng; Madge Fuller, June Rose Lyles; Steve Eldridge, Rodney Davis; Katie, Yvonne Davis; Mrs. Douglas, Nancy Wilson; Clayton Evans, Freddy Fields; Rena Leslie, Tommy Espy; Hester, Ann Morris; Raymond, Johnny Fields; Uncle Stanley, Jon Dungan; Leggett Frazer, Mickey Powers; Tommy Hughes, Joe Friess; Sue Barrington, Roy Jean Pope; Miss Wilcox, Jennelle Mayhew; Mr. Prescott, John Ed Neville.

Admission will be one dollar for adults and fifty cents for students. Tickets may be obtained at the door or from a member of the senior class.

PTA OFFICERS INSTALLED AT TUESDAY MEETING

Sonora PTA met in regular session Tuesday with Mrs. Duke Wilson presiding. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Doyle Morton.

A program of band music, directed by A. C. Hart included Belmonte March, Col Bogey March, Sugar Time and La Donna E Mobile.

After a short business session Mrs. James Baggett of Ozona, installed the new officers, as follows: president, Mrs. Edgar Shurley; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Allie McBride; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. A. E. Lowe; recording secretary, Mrs. W. A. McCoy; treasurer, Mrs. Tommy Smith; parliamentarian, Mrs. Duke Wilson; publicity, Mrs. Ernest McClelland; historian, Mrs. J. F. Howell.

Miss Emma Hamilton was honored with a tea sponsored by the School Board and PTA. She

MRS. REES ENTERTAINS THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

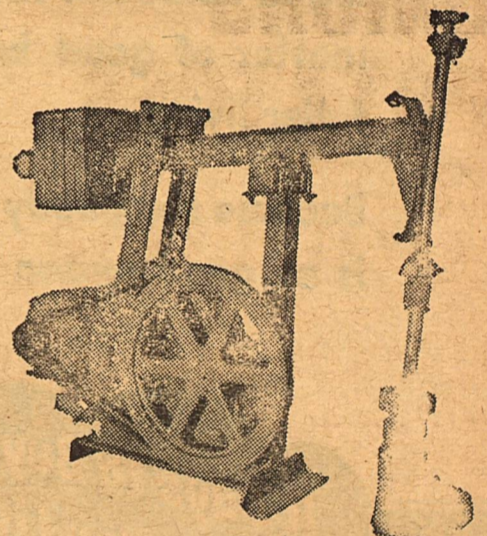
Arrangements of mixed spring garden flowers decorated the party rooms when Mrs. Robert Rees entertained the Thursday Bridge Club in her home last week. She served a sandwich and dessert plate with coffee.

Mrs. R. B. Kelley won the high score prize, Mrs. Auther Simmons won the bingo prize and Mrs. Rose Thorp won the consolation prize.

Also attending were Mmes. Lee Labenske, R. V. Cook, Joe Berger, C. E. Stites, Karen Peterson, Tom Sandherr, J. W. Trainer, O. G. Babcock and Maysie Brown.

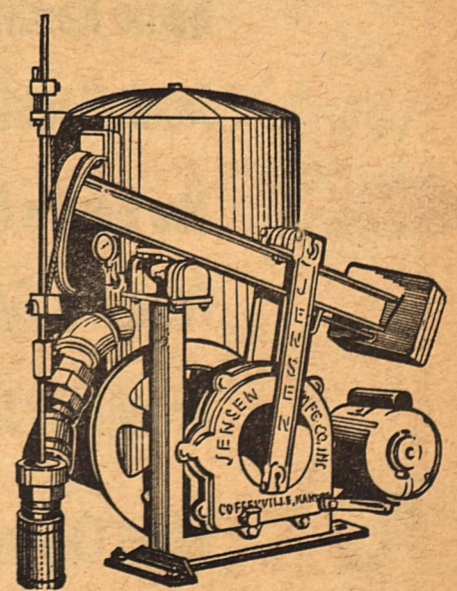
was presented with a Certificate of Merit by E. A. Brodhead and a number of gifts including a watch.

**To Serve You Better
We Have Assumed The Dealership For
Jensen Jacks**



The Model 50 DC Jensen will pump from four hundred feet through a two and three-fourths inch cylinder with a one-third h.p. electric motor or a one-half h.p. gasoline engine. Perfect balance allows this economical water pumping.

**And
Jensen
Automatic Water Systems**

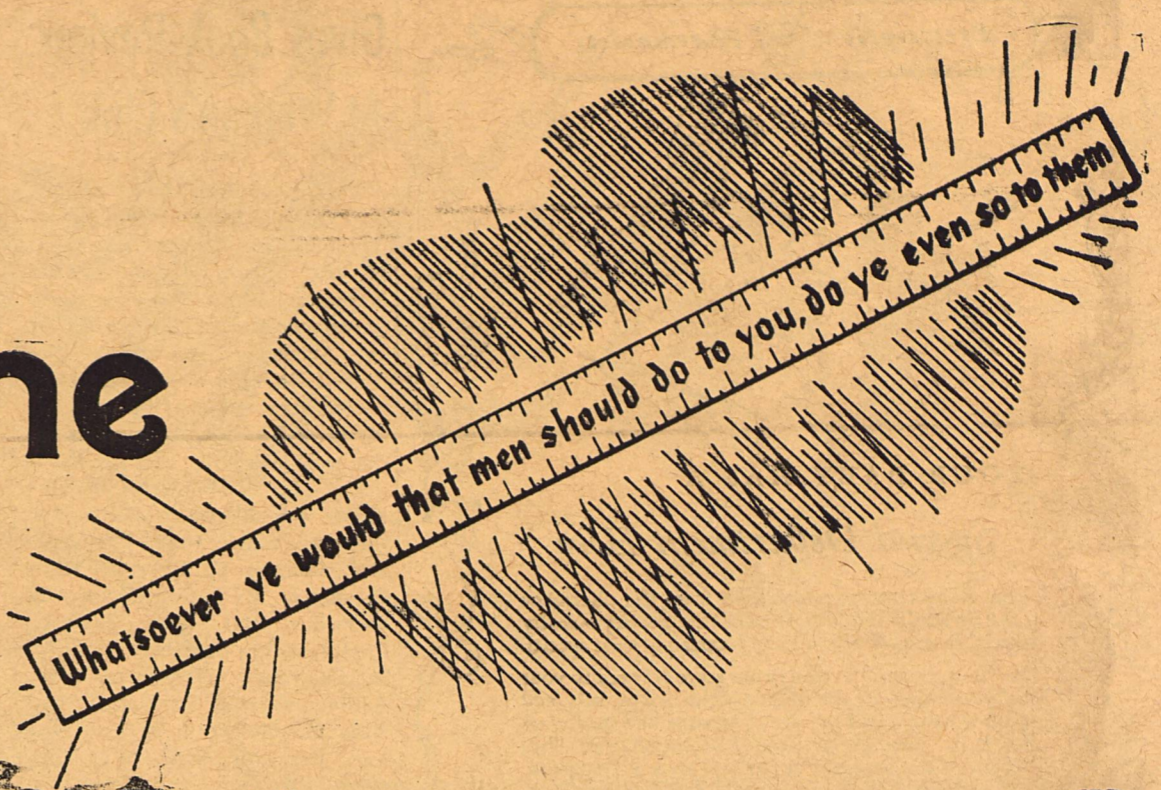


A one-third h. p. electric motor will furnish power for a complete Jensen water system. This system maintains water pressure from 20 to 40 pounds and will pump from 215 feet through a two-inch cylinder.

STOCKED BY YOUR LOCAL JENSEN DEALER
Investigate Jensen jacks and Jensen automatic water systems.
SONORA WOOL AND MOHAIR COMPANY
SERVING THE CAPITAL OF THE STOCKMEN'S PARADISE

Buying at Home

is much like *The Golden Rule*



Everybody Recommends It for Everybody Else

But... the sad fact that some folks who preach buying at home don't practice it much, doesn't keep it from being a wise habit. There always will be people who regularly stand in their own light, even when they know better.

Unlike *The Golden Rule*, the principle of buying at home has few moral aspects. It's just a matter of good hard dollars and cents, and fuller living.

Because somebody else does... or doesn't... is no good reason to give away what is ours.

Yet that is just what we're doing when we spend our money off somewhere else, with the excuse that our neighbors are doing it.

Let's quit watching them, and examine our own habits, reminding ourselves selfishly that of each dollar we spend, nearly one-third goes to pay for community progress and upkeep.

But it's no soup in our pot, no schools for our kids, no churches for our souls, nor increment for our property, if it is some other community.

*It Pays to Buy
where You Live*

These Sonora Business Establishments Are Genuinely Interested In The Future Of This Community
And In Your Welfare -- TRADE AT HOME WHERE YOUR MONEY BENEFITS YOU!

Home Hardware & Furniture

Smith Electric

The Devil's River News

Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Co.

Granger & Johnson Motor Co.

Elliott Chevrolet Co.

Wm. Cameron & Co.

Ratliff Store

Bell's Cashway

Sonora Drug Co.

Sonora TV Service Co. Inc.

Joseph's Department Store

Hardegree Gulf Station

First National Bank - Member F.D.I.C.

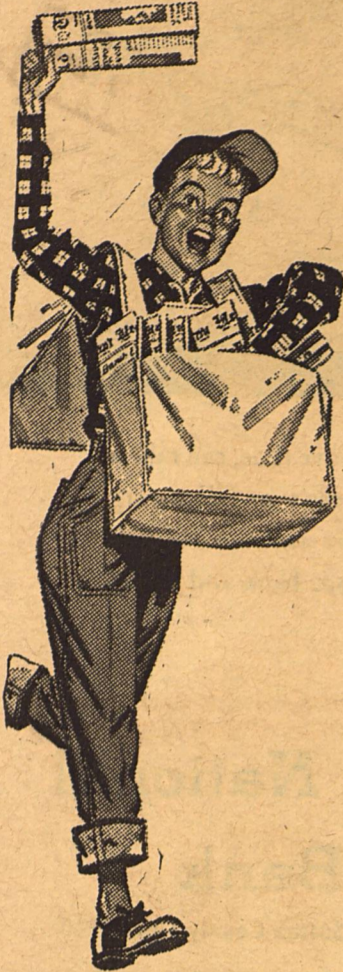
Evan's Foodway

Westerman Drug

Credit Bureau Of Sonora

Sonora Motor Co.

WANT ADS



LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING SONORA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the City of Sonora, Sutton County, Texas, at 9 o'clock A.M., beginning on Friday the 23rd day of May, 1958, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in the said Sonora Independent School District, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1959, and any and all persons interested, or having business with said Board, are hereby notified to be present.

DONE BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION OF Sonora Independent School District, Sutton County, Texas, at Sonora, Texas, this 2nd day of May, A.D., 1958.
Lea Allison, secretary.
Sonora Independent School District. 1 to 31.

SPECIAL NOTICES

MY MOTHER
I have lost my dear mother She no more on earth shall roam And there'll never be another Who can take her place at home.
Oh! You made our home so happy While here on earth you stayed But God needed another smiling face
So He called my mother away.

Mother, your presence meant so much to me
And, dear, I loved you so.
'Twas so hard to give you up Although God said you must go
The sorrow I now must bear You may never know
But as I journey on through life I will think of you each day I go
Mother, you shall never be forgotten
No, never from my memory fade Yes, my heart will always linger Around the grave where you were laid.

I often think of you, Mother dear, When I am all alone—
For memory is the only one That grief can call its own.

But God in all His mercy Always knows what is best I am left here without you But I am sure you are at rest.
Oh, how lonely here without you Since you left me all alone.
But some sweet day I trust to meet you
In that bright eternal home.

Some day I shall go to meet her Where there'll be no more goodbyes.
I can think of nothing sweeter Than our meeting in the skies.

In memory of my mother, Mrs. G. P. Hill, Sent in by Lucile H. Meacham. 1 to 31.

Notice- Will the person with car license number JH 9727 please call at the Tax Collector's Office so that your vehicle may be properly registered. 1 to 31.

Miscellaneous Wanted

MAN OR WOMAN—to take over route of established customers in Sonora. Weekly profits of \$50.00 or more at start possible. No car or other investment necessary. Will help you get started. Write C. R. Ruble, Dept 5-1, The J. R. Watkins Company Memphis 2, Tenn. 1 to 31

MRS. AVON CUSTOMER
You know the quality of Avon Cosmetics—You have used them Advertising is creating an ever increasing demand for Avon. So easy to sell! We train you to succeed. Write Box 1629, San Angelo, Texas. 1 to 31

OPPORTUNITY MAN OR WOMAN
Responsible person from this area, to service and collect from automatic dispensers. No selling. Age not essential. Car, references, and \$400.00 to \$700.00 investment necessary. 7 to 12 hours weekly nets up to \$200.00 monthly. Possibility fulltime work. For local interview give phone and full particulars. Write P. O. Box 146, Minneapolis, 40, Minn. 1 to 31.

Happy Birthday

Friday, May 9,
Mrs. C. W. Blalock
Mrs. Rex Lowe
John Mittel
Mrs. Sam Adams
Lora Ellen Nusbaum
Saturday, May 10,
Cecil Allen
Roy B. Glascock
Sunday, May 11,
Robert Eldon Moss
Mrs. W. T. Magee
Monday, May 12,
Mrs. Ralph Trainer
Norbert McIntyre
Tuesday, May 13,
Mrs. Mary Dan Earwood
Mrs. W. R. Barnes
Mrs. H. B. Smith
Katherine Adams
Wednesday, May 14,
J. A. Trainer
E. E. Sawyer, Jr.
Pink Glascock
Thursday, May 15,
Mrs. Sam Allison
Jim Pharis
Steven Max Street

KCTV

Friday, May 9, 1958
7:45 Test Pattern
7:55 Sign On and Previews
8:00 Captain Kangaroo
8:45 CBS Morning News
8:55 Texas News
9:00 Garry Moore Show
10:00 Romper Room
11:00 Love Of Life
11:30 Film
11:45 Film
12:15 Noon News
12:30 As The World Turns
1:00 Beat The Clock
1:30 Houseparty
2:00 The Big Payoff
2:30 The Verdict Is Yours
3:00 Film
3:15 The Secret Storm
3:30 Movie Matinee
5:00 Film
5:30 Liberace
6:00 The World At Large
6:10 Weathercast
6:15 Doug Edwards
6:30 Jungle
6:45 Sports Hi Lites
6:55 Musicale
7:00 Trackdown
7:30 Rin Tin Tin
8:00 Phil Silvers
8:30 Wuthering Heights
10:00 Newscast
10:10 Weathercast
10:15 Four Sons
Saturday, May 10, 1958
8:15 Test Pattern
8:25 Sign On and Previews
8:30 Captain Kangaroo
9:30 Mighty Mouse Playhouse
10:00 Jimmy Dean Show
11:00 Sheena
11:30 Cartoon Theater
11:45 Baseball Previews
11:55 Game of the Week
3:00 Film
3:30 Adventure Theater
4:10 Little Rascals
4:30 Wild Bill Hickock
5:00 Western Theater
6:00 Fury
6:30 Perry Mason
7:30 Doug Fairbanks
8:00 Capt. David Grief
8:30 Red Skelton
9:00 Gunsmoke
9:30 People Are Funny
10:00 Lawrence Welk
11:00 Lost Moment

STOCKMEN'S FEED CO.

PROTEINS
CUSTOM MIXING

We'll Mix Your Formula.

MAKE STOCKMEN'S FEED COMPANY YOUR HEADQUARTERS IN SONORA

Bryan Hunt Jack Neill
Andy Moore, Mgr.

EXPERT Stock Drenching Prompt, Dependable Service

We drench your stock and get it back on the range in the shortest time possible.
ALSO WE CARRY A FULL LINE OF STOCK MEDICINES AND VACCINES
Dial 23431 or 21581 Sonora, Texas

TAYLOR & MOORE STOCK MEDICINE CO.

SONORA ABSTRACT CO.

J. D. LOWREY, Mgr.

Efficient Land Title Service On Sutton County Land

WE REPRESENT SEVERAL OF THE OLD LINE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANIES.

REAL ESTATE INSURANCE

Every kind of protection known to Standard Insurance Companies

RANCH LOANS

THE BIGGER THE BETTER

TAX CONSULTANTS ELLIOTT BROTHERS CO



STOP

for Quality Cosden Products

GASOLINE

HIGHER OCTANE REGULAR PREMIUM ETHYL

MOTOR OIL

HEAVY DUTY 10-w-30 MULTIVISCOSITY

DIESEL

WHOLESALE — RETAIL

R. S. TEAFF
COSDEN SERVICE
Sonora, Texas



FOR RENT

FOR RENT two bedrooms. Call Mrs. Jim Luckie, 27591. 1 to 31.

Announcements

BUY HORSES- Any kind and number. See Ottist Pridemore, Box 836, Ozona, Texas. Phone 28J.

Mattresses made to order or re-conditioned. Leave order at News Office. Western Mattress Co. tfn 3.

MARTIN'S PLUMBER



Martin Plumbing
PLUMBING-HEATING FIXTURES APPLIANCES
Phone 2-5281 SONORA, TEX.

Understanding Service
RATLIFF - KERBOW
FUNERAL HOME
Ambulance Service
Dial 3501 - 21871 - 21801



217 S. Chadborne
Phone 5384
SAN ANGELO, TEXAS

EXPERT
Mattress Repair
RENOVATING
Western Mattress
Leave Call At News Office

PERSONALS

WANTED- custom farming with good equipment. Call 4221, Melvin Shroyer. 8 to 15.

LANDING MATS AT AUCTION on sale at Goldthwaite, Texas on April 19—Saturday—2:00 p.m. We have more than 2,000 of these 3' by 12' Steel Panels in excellent shape. Must reduce the number. Mills County Commission Co., Goldthwaite, Texas. 1 to 31.

ANNOUNCING- Dr. L. C. Harrell, Chiropractor, Room 4 McDonald Hotel, 9:00 to 5:00 Tuesdays and Fridays. tfn 16.
FOR SALE- three 1,000 gallon steel tanks in excellent condition. Call 22351 or 23531. 4 to 29.

MISC. FOR SALE

FOR SALE- My five-room home on East Poplar. Mrs. A. E. Newton, Phone 26012. 2 to 31.

FOR SALE- Two good saddle horses. Call or see Robert Duran Phone 22K12. 4 to 27

FOR SALE- Two bedroom home, 2 1/2 lots. Last house in City Limits on Bond Road. Contact: Mrs. L. W. McDonald, Box 1013, Pearsall, Texas. tfn 25

air conditioning NOW

SALES AND SERVICE

See Shelley for repadding and installing new pumps and floats in your old air conditioner.
Also check prices before you buy your new air conditioner.

COMPLETE, PROMPT ELECTRICAL SERVICE

LOWE ELECTRIC

Phone 22321 Sonora, Texas

"The Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association will pay a reward of \$500.00 for information leading to the arrest and final conviction of anyone for stealing sheep or goats from a member or members of the Association. Law enforcement officers are excluded from this offer. The information must be furnished to any law enforcement officer or to the Secretary of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association at its office, Cactus Hotel Annex, San Angelo, Texas. Telephone 6242 or 25612, San Angelo. tfn 25.
TEXAS SHEEP & GOAT RAISERS ASSOCIATION



**SERVING YOUR
Prescription
NEEDS**

Confidence in the training, ethics and know-how of your pharmacist, and the prescriptions he prepares, is vitally important. We feel we can merit yours.

**24 Hours
Service**

PHARMACY

Sonora Drug Co.

**Political
Announcements**

County Offices \$20.00
Commissioners \$15.00
Federal Offices \$25.00
State and Congressional \$25.00
Note: The above price include one writup of not exceeding 250 words. No refund to candidates withdrawing.

The Devil's River News is authorized to announce the following names of candidates for office, subject to action of the Democratic Primary July 26, 1958:

- For County and District Clerk: **F. L. McKINNEY** (Re-election)
- For County Judge: **J. W. (WBB) ELLIOTT**
- For County Treasurer: **MRS. THELMA BRISCOE** (Re-election)
- For County Surveyor: **T. E. (TRAV) GLASSCOCK**
- For Commissioner Precinct 1: **COLLIER SHURLEY**
- Precinct 2: **COLLIER SHURLEY**
- For County Commissioner, Precinct 4: **ROBERT L. HARDGRAVE**
- For Justice of the Peace: **ALFRED COOPER** (Re-election)
- For State Representative 78th Representative District: **JOB BURKETT, JR.** (Re-election)
- JERRY SHURLEY**

**Cancer Drive Is
Successful In
Meeting Quota**

Mrs. Alvis Johnson, Sutton County Cancer Crusade chairman, announced this week that the Crusade's 1958 goal of \$800 had been met as the fund drive closed Saturday night, May 3.

Mrs. Johnson expressed thanks to all those who contributed to the fund and to the following workers: Harold Scherz, Charles L. Haines, Mrs. M. C. Scott, Mrs. R. V. Cook, Mrs. Billy Green, Mrs. John Sellman, Mrs. Bill Wade, Mrs. Jack Kerbow, Mrs. Clayton Hamilton, Mrs. Raymond Morgan, Mrs. A. C. Hudson, Mrs. A. E. Lowe, Mrs. B. H. Cusenbary, Mrs. Bailey Renfro, Mrs. Fanny Mae Barnes, Trinidad Ramirez, Israel Perez, Pedro Virgen, Mrs. Pedro Virgen and Mrs. Nick Esquivel.

**MARTHA VALLIANT WINS
UT FUSSBUDGET CONTEST**

Martha Jean Valliant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Valliant of Sonora, was judged first place winner in the Stereophonic Fussbudgeting Contest at the University of Texas recently.

Sneaking on "The Ticklish Question—Men With Beards", Martha was named best fussbudget in the intramural speech contest. Martha was second place winner in speech intramurals in 1957 and this year is a member of the varsity debate team.

Airport News

The paving of the airport has been completed. The honor of being the first to land on it was Carl Cahill. Incidentally Carl is the proud holder of a new Private Pilot's license. Jan Vander Stucken has been busy with her flying lately and is presently on solo flying status.

The latest word from the Champion is that it may be ready next week. The Gooney Bird is developing post surgery complications and presently awaiting. The Flying Club members are doing the same.

Well your reporter had a birthday last Sunday. Just turned 29 (for the eighth time). Went fishing, did quite a lot of fishing small amount of catching. A neighbor hauled in an 18-pounder I hauled in a small section of fence wire.

Stanton Bundy has recently been out shooting some aerial views of the airport and items of interest around Sutton County.

The last Friday session of ground school met in the back booth of Park Inn cafe. The members present (A. L. Markham and myself) mixed coffee with Civil Air Regulations. Made a good combination, too.

Buddy Mayer demonstrated his interest in the airport by donating a year's subscription to "Airman's Guide" and "Flight Information Manual". These editions are available to anyone planning a cross country flight. L. E. Johnson, Jr. recently pioneered a new use of the airplane by checking the spread of bitterweed on his ranch from the air. Works real good, too.

Did you ever stop to think just why you should first check the mag and battery switches off when you do a preflight inspection? You should never get close to a prop until you personally do so. In our experience any member of the human race who has ever had a bout with a spinning prop has always come out second best.

Ye Olde Instructor leaves you with these words of admonition: "A propeller can be your best friend or your worst enemy. Treat it with respect."

Starting Friday evening at 8 p.m. at the Parish House we will have a special session at Ground School covering Civil Air Regulations. Be in the know by attending.

The airplane in its present form has been adapted to a great many uses. It is visioned that the farmer of the future will direct his machines by remote control from a control point hovering in the air above them. Presently the Air Forces are using great numbers of airplanes as flying weapon platforms. The greatest single use of the airplane however is for fast transportation. Experts estimate that ultimately the railroads will get out of the passenger carrying business. The buses will haul only for comparatively short trips and the airlines will haul the rest. However the airlines do not serve but 576 airports out of a total of over 7,000. This leaves a big gap that is being filled by the light, individually owned airplane. Just as the private automobile has greatly increased in usage so the light airplane will offer the same values. Pride of ownership, increased mobility for the family, a saving of hours of precious time, not to fatiguing as driving, it is safer than driving, and the cost of a good four place airplane is not excessive. Your cost of operation is comparable to that of an automobile sometimes getting more than 18 miles to the gallon of gas.

Two Sutton County 4-H Wool and Mohair judging teams participated in the Purebred Sheep Breeders Association wool and mohair judging contest at Brownwood on Saturday, May 3.

**4-H Teams Compete
In Brownwood
Wool Judging**

A team composed of John Paul Friess, Herbert Fields, Jr. Johnny Merck and Dick McMillan placed second in the junior division. John Paul Friess was seventh high individual. Another team composed of Joe Wess Hill, George Robinson, Rodney Davis and Jimmy F. Richardson judged in the senior division. Edgar Glasscock, Mrs. W. B. McMillan, Mrs. Harold Friess and Jack David Wardlaw also attended the contest.

**Chavira Trial Set
For June
In Eldorado**

Ernesto Chavira, Sonora man charged with the February 11 pistol slaying of Louis Martinez of Eldorado, will face trial in Eldorado June 2. Date for the trial was set by Judge Joe L. Mays in 51st District Court. Chavira was indicted for the crime April 11.

Gilberto Gander, also of Sonora, is under indictment on a charge of being an accessory to murder in that he is accused of assisting Chavira to escape.

Chavira is being held in custody in lieu of \$10,000 bond. Martinez, the father of four children, was killed in what officials believe to be a case of mistaken identity.

**March Sales Of
Savings Bonds
Total \$8,497**

During the month of March \$8,497 in savings bonds were sold in Sutton County, according to a report by George H. Neill, county chairman.

This brought the year's total sales to date to \$20,323, which is 35 percent of the county's goal of \$58,000.

Savings bond sales in Texas for March were \$14,831,097 which is 11.7 percent above sales for March 1957.

**Girl Scouts Have
Annual Banquet
Tuesday Night**

Sonora Girl Scouts were hostesses to their parents and Scout workers at a banquet at the school cafeteria Tuesday night, May 6. Mrs. Armer Earwood, head of the local organization,

LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Davis accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Martin of Fallbrook, California to San Antonio for a visit with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Martin were enroute to Houston where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Newby of Del Rio and Dr. Hi Eastland Newby of San Antonio were in Sonora last week to visit Mrs. Hi Eastland who was a patient in Hudspeth Memorial Hospital.

**Bronco Band Holds
Annual Banquet
Friday Night**

Nancy Hart was crowned Band Sweetheart at the Sonora Bronco Band's annual banquet held at the school cafeteria Friday night May 2. Nancy was escorted by Jerry Potmesil. A. C. Hart, band director, crowned the sweetheart. Yvonne Davis and Tom Elaine Espy were duchesses and were attended by George Archer.

Nancy received a bouquet of roses. The duchesses carried bouquets of carnations.

Frank Joe Potmesil, pianist, presented a program of dinner music during the meal. Dancing followed to the music of Oscar Galindo's band.

acted as mistress of ceremonies, introducing special guests who included Mr. and Mrs. Hillman D. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Brodhead, Mr. and Mrs. Rex W. Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Vander Stucken, Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken, Jo Bess Vander Stucken, Jan Vander Stucken, Mrs. Edwin Sawyer and Mrs. Dorothy Baker.

First year Brownies, led by Mrs. Billy Galbreath and Mrs. Max Morris, gave a short skit on international Brownies. Mrs. Tommy Smith's second year Brownies sang "He's Got the Whole World in His Hand", accompanied by Mrs. Rex Lowe.

Mrs. A. E. Lowe's year Girl Scouts gave a resume of work done by their group during the year and exhibited examples of their work in arts and crafts. Mrs. J. P. Drake's second year Scouts sang, "Catch a Falling Star", accompanied by Barbara Wilson.

Third year Girl Scouts under



PEOPLE, who have to save time, can take a direct route when there's a bill-paying course to be run: They can mail checks. Open a checking account at our bank and try it!



**First National
Bank**

Serving Sutton County Since 1900

the leadership of Mrs. A. E. Prugel and Mrs. Earl Duncan completed the program with Melva Ray Shroyer, troop president, in charge. Nancy Prugel presented a statuette to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Vander Stucken in appreciation for their gift of Camp Jo Jan Van to the Girl Scout Council. Alice Lee Duncan expressed the troop's thanks to workers and

sponsors. Kay Shurley told of plans for camps and play days at Camp Jo Jan Van.

Presentation of colors, and the Brownie pledge, Girl Scout promise, pledge of allegiance to the flag, and singing of "America" concluded the program.

Assistant Scoutmaster Earl Smith and the Boy Scouts served the meal.

MAY DAYS are Big Value Days

PIGGLY WIGGLY

Friday, May 9 Saturday, May 10

SUGAR	IMPERIAL	39¢
KOUNTY KIST YELLOW CREAM	5 lbs. (limited)	
CORN - 303 can 15c	DEL MONTE	
GOLD COAST SPICED	PEAS - 303 can 19c	
PEACHES - no. 2 1/2 can 33c	VAN CAMP'S	
R. S. P. PIE	TUNA - flat can 23c	
CHERRIES - 303 can 23c	KUNER'S	
Milk	CATSUP - bottle 20c	
GANDY'S		45¢
1/2 GAL.		
TIDE or CHEER - giant box ... 69c	FLEECY WHITE	
CHARMIN	BLEACH - quart 15c	
TISSUE - 4 rolls 39c	CUT RITE	
HAMS	WAX PAPER - roll 29c	
Produce	CURED	59¢
SQUASH - yellow - fresh lb. ... 10c	1/2 or whole lb.	
ONIONS - yellow - lb. 7c	Meats	
ONIONS - fresh bunch 5c	ROAST - choice chuck - lb. ... 53c	
CARROTS - cello bag 10c	WEINERS - all meat - lb. 48c	
CABBAGE - fresh - lb. 4c	BACON SQUARES - S.C. - lb. 45c	
Garden Fresh Vegetables	BEEF RIBS - choice - lb. 35c	
	SEVEN STEAK - choice - lb. ... 59c	
	Top Quality Meats	