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## CINDERS

By John T. King

Bill Cartright, one of our local truckers, was in the other day buying truck books and he commented on the way prices had risen on printing and everything else over the past few years. Bill and other truckers have bigger problems than lots of other folks... their charges are set by the Railroad Commission.

While the printer, the grocer and the dry goods man find it easy to adjust prices to reflect the cost of doing business, Bill and other men in his trade have to ask a commission in Austin to okay a rate hike. Bill says it's been far too long since this okay was given.

This is the situation where inflation always does its damage. Inflation hits the people who are on rather fixed income... people who have a hard time hitching a ride on the spiral of ever-rising prices.

The Texas Department of Public Safety has supplied the following information to demonstrate the cost of traffic accidents in Texas:

The playing area of a football field measures 300 feet by 160 feet.

United States currency measures about 2 1/2 inches by 6 1/2 inches.

If a football field was completely covered with one dollar bills, then a layer of two dollar bills, then a layer of five dollar bills then a layer of ten dollar bills, then a layer of twenty dollar bills, then a layer of fifty dollar bills, then a layer of hundred dollar bills, then a layer of five hundred dollar bills —now on top of these eight layers of paper money, dump 5,945 tons of silver dollars and the money on that football field would represent the economic loss we suffered in Texas for the year 1965.

The \$498,087,000 estimated loss for this one year would buy: 10,000 homes at \$20,000 each, 10,000 refrigerators at \$400 each, 10,000 electric ranges at \$350 each, 10,000 TV sets at \$350 each, 10,000 dishwashers at \$300 each, 10,000 automobiles at \$3,000 each, 1,000 central air conditioning at \$1,400 each, and furnish the head of each of the 10,000 households with a bank account of \$24,009.

**Oldsters Given More Time To Sign For Medicare**

Older persons in the Sonora area who did not sign up for the voluntary doctor bill insurance under medicare before the close of the first enrollment period on March 31 have been given a little more time, Floyd B. Ellington, social security district manager in San Angelo, announced this week.

**Eagle Problem To Be Discussed At Stockton Tues.**

In legislation signed by President Lyndon Johnson last week, Congress has extended until May 31 the deadline for enrollment by persons 65 or over.

Nearly 90 percent of the Nation's elderly were enrolled for the doctor bill insurance when social security offices closed at midnight on March 31, Ellington said. Only 5 percent had turned down the protection which supplements the basic hospital insurance provided persons 65 and over.

Another 5 percent had not made up their minds either way, or else were not aware of the deadline and the need to sign up for the supplementary protection.

Older persons who have not yet applied for their medicare benefits should get in touch with the nearest social security office now, Ellington said. Residents of the Sonora area can contact Frank Upp, field representative from the San Angelo district office, on April 15, May 13, and June 10 at the county judge's office in the Courthouse here.

**Women Set Links Meet**

Ten teams—20 golfers—from Sonora will vie with teams from Ozona, Del Rio, Kerrville, Brady, San Angelo, Llano, Winters, Big Lake, McCamey, and Ballinger at the Women's Partnership Golf Tournament to be held here Saturday.

Tea-off time is 9 a.m. Eighteen holes are to be played in four



**HONORED FOR 20 YEARS' SERVICE**—Rex Lowe, superintendent of schools, was recognized for his years of service in Sonora public schools at the meeting of the Sonora P-TA last week, and a desk set was presented to him. Miss Lois Dolan and Smith Neal, high school teachers, told of Lowe's experiences and accomplishments. Pictured are (left to right) Miss Dolan, Lowe, Mrs. Rex Lowe, Neal and Mrs. Bill Morris, P-TA president.

## Rex Lowe Honored at PTA Meeting

Rex Lowe was honored at the Sonora Parent-Teacher Association meeting here Tuesday, April 5, for his 20 years' service to Sonora schools.

Reviewing his accomplishments, Miss Lois Dolan and Smith Neal, high school teachers, told that Lowe came to Sonora as elementary principal in 1946, after teaching one year in his hometown of Cameron and serving one year as a state

welfare worker there. When E. A. Brodhead, then Sonora school superintendent, died in 1958, the school board asked Lowe to fill the vacancy.

As superintendent, Lowe has assisted in selecting many members of the present faculty and personnel at Sonora schools. A native of Sutton County recently said, "Lowe knows what it takes to make a good teacher and he will not settle for anyone who is not qualified for the job." The up-keep of school buildings and grounds is also left in Lowe's hands. He and the school board are presently in the midst of proposals for plant improvements.

Lowe is active in civic groups as well as school programs. He is a member and former president of

the Downtown Lions Club. He is a member of the First Baptist Church and has taught a men's Bible Class for several years. At one time he led the congregational singing. He is a member of the Masonic Lodge and now holds the office of Senior Warden.

The gesture of appreciation was shown Lowe at the regular meeting of P-TA, where the 1966-67 theme, "Increasing Educational Opportunities," was stressed.

Lowe reviewed the school bond issue, and new officers were installed. Mrs. Tim McCoy of Dallas, former Sonora P-TA president, conferred the office of president on her sister, Mrs. Tommy Smith. Mrs. Bill Morris is outgoing president.

## Livestock Exchange Reports 2nd Sale; Third Set April 21

Heifer calves went through the ring at \$18.60 to \$23.50 per cwt when the Sonora Livestock Exchange had its second sale of the season April 7. Steer calves went for \$26.10 to \$29.50 per cwt, and cows brought \$14.60 per cwt. Ewes sold for \$8.50 to \$9 per cwt, and bucks went at \$8.50 per cwt. Nannie goats brought \$4 to \$5.50 per cwt, and four and five-year-old goats got a price of \$4.80 to \$8.60 per cwt.

Yearling mutton went for \$5.90 to \$6.50 a head, and Spanish nannie goats got \$8.50 per cwt. The Exchange's next sale is scheduled April 21.

## Ranchers Receive \$318,000 USDA Incentive Payment

Total payments of \$518,629.92 under the U.S. Department of Agriculture incentive program for wool, unshorn lambs, and mohair have been computed for Sutton County producers.

An incentive payment level of 31.6 percent on wool and 9.9 percent on mohair for the 1965 clip has been announced by the USDA.

"This means that for every dollar the wool grower received for

wool in 1965, the USDA will pay him an extra 31.6 cents," explains Mrs. Lea Roy Aldwell, manager of the local office of Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service. "For each dollar a producer received for mohair last year, he will receive an extra 9.9 cents.

"For wool this rate is nearly double the 1964 rate of 16.5 percent. For mohair it is the first incentive payment since 1962," Mrs. Aldwell says.

USDA also announced an incentive payment rate of 60 cents cwt on all unshorn lambs sold or slaughtered during the 1965 marketing years. "This is up sharply from the 1964 level of 35 cents," says Mrs. Aldwell.

Promotion deductions from the 1965 clip are one cent per pound on wool and five cents on lambs. No provision has been made for a promotion deduction on the mohair incentive.

Sutton County producers paid a total of \$13,766.98 in shorn wool promotion deductions based on 1,382,712 pounds of wool sold. Promotion deduction for unshorn lambs was \$2,547.89, based on 5,095,961 pounds liveweight.

USDA computed the 1965 na-

tional average wool price at 47.1 cents per pound, down from the 1964 average of 53.2. Mohair national average was tallied at 65.5 cents, down from the previous year's 94.3.

The incentive payments are designed to bring prices—on the average—to the incentive level of 60 cents per pound for the 1965 wool clip and 72 cents per pound for mohair.

## 56 Horses Eligible For Futurity

With nine days left before the trials of the West Texas Quarter Horse Futurity, some 56 horses remained eligible for the race which annually tempts horsemen with a rich purse.

"We expect the purse to be close to \$20,000," says Lin Hicks, president of the Sonora Park and Horse Show Association, sponsor of the annual spring race meet in Sonora.

The two weekends of racing will begin April 23 with trials to select horses for the ten berths in the 330-yard futurity.

Eight to ten races are scheduled at Sonora Park each of the four days of the meet, April 23-24 and April 30 and May 1. This number of contests marks an increase, as six to eight races have been planned daily in recent years.

A new piece of equipment, a special camera, was installed this week in preparation for the races. Hicks explains that the camera will photograph all of each race, and the film will be available immediately for viewing by judges. The film can be projected again and again so that judges can study it to make decisions about fouls.

## Housing Project Gets No Action From City Dads

The low-rent public housing project was discussed when representatives from the Chamber of Commerce met with City Commissioners April 8. No conclusion concerning the project was reached by the city body.

City election votes were canvassed and oaths of office were taken by A. E. Prugel, mayor, and W. B. McMillan and Fred Earwood, commissioners. All three were re-elected in the April 5 election.

No changes were made in appointments for the next two years. Bids on the building of a slaughterhouse were opened but rejected as too high. The enlarging of water street improvement, fence row beautification, welcome signs, and better recreational facilities.

## C. Luttrell To Head Hill Country Firemen

Cullen Luttrell was elected president, and Darcy Carroll was elected second vice-president of the Hill Country Firemen's Association at the organization's annual spring convention in Brady April 9.

More than 300 firemen, 23 from Sonora, attended the convention.

In addition to being secretary of

the local firemen's unit, Luttrell is a director in the Downtown Lions Club and is Worshipful Master in the Masonic Lodge.

Sonora rated third in both the men's pumper race and three-man pumper race in the afternoon contests.

Sonora was selected as the site for the firemen's October meeting.

## WEATHER

Compiled by J. E. Eldridge

	Rain	Hi	Lo
Wednesday, April 6	.00	71	37
Thursday, April 7	.00	82	51
Friday, April 8	.00	83	57
Saturday, April 9	.00	83	47
Sunday, April 10	.00	85	57
Monday, April 11	.00	91	61
Tuesday, April 12	.00	91	52
No rain for the month; for the year, 6.72.			

## Sonora Joins Project To Make Area Sparkle

Sonora is one of 57 West Texas cities registered to participate in Operation Sparkle and its allied All-West Texas Cities Contest, a West Texas Chamber of Commerce two-year program of community improvement.

Operation Sparkle is aimed at attracting visitors and influencing

them to stop and visit in local communities and stay longer while they are there. It is designed to make the communities "Sparkle" by 1968 when Texas is expecting its greatest inflow of visitors in history. During that year the HemisFair is to be held in San Antonio, the Olympics are slated in Mexico City, and a number of national and international conventions and meetings are planned in Texas.

The project officially began Jan. 1 and will end Dec. 31, 1967. Communities entering will plan and participate in local programs to make their towns more attractive.

Operation Sparkle is being sponsored by the WTCC's Tourist and Development Committee, headed by Hugh White of Alpine.

"This program is making quite an impression in West Texas," says White. "The cities have received it with enthusiasm and see in it an incentive to do something about beautifying and improving their cities."

"You know, every city that enters the All-West Texas Cities Contest will be a winner because the improvement programs will have a direct effect on industrial development, tourist development, on the pride of citizens in the community and in many other ways," he continues.

Among suggested improvement projects are downtown malls, paint-up and fix-up campaigns, park improvement, residential upgrading, street improvement, fence row beautification, welcome signs, and better recreational facilities.



**NEW OFFICERS** of the P-TA were installed at the organization's meeting last week. Pictured are (left to right) Mrs. W. A. McCoy, installing officer; Mrs. Bill Morris, 1965-1966 president; Mrs. Tommy Smith, president; Mrs. W. T. Hardy, representing

Mrs. Lester Byer, treasurer; Mrs. Wallas Renfro, first vice-president; Mrs. Autry Bridges, second vice-president; Mrs. Glen Richardson, historian; Mrs. George Stewart, secretary; and Mrs. J. W. Elliott, publicity chairman.

## 3 Auto Accidents Listed for County In March Summary

Sutton County has three accidents listed during March on the accident summary released by the Department of Public Safety. Two persons were injured, and property damage was listed at \$1,625.

The summary for the first quarter of 1966 listed one fatality for Sutton County, and one fatality for the same period in 1965.

## Junior Show To Draw Horses From Wide Area

The Sonora Junior Quarter Horse Show will be held at the Sonora race track Saturday, April 16. Trophies, trophy buckles, and ribbons will be awarded to winners.

"Participants from a wide area are expected," says D. C. Langford, Sutton County agricultural agent. "Towns that have never had en-

tries before have requested entry blanks."

Participants must be regularly enrolled 4-H Club boys and girls or F.F.A. members and must be certified by their agriculture teachers or the agricultural agents of their counties.

A contestant and his horse may

enter all classes in the halter and performance divisions for which either is eligible, but no contestant may enter or ride more than one horse in each performance class.

An entry fee of \$5 will be charged, and entry blanks are obtainable from Langford.

## Hicks, Galbraith Win Del Rio Championships

Sutton County horses took two first place titles from the sixth annual Del Rio Quarter Horse Show last Saturday.

Little Dandy Bee, owned by Debbie Galbreath, was champion mare in halter judging, and Double Ex-

posure, owned by Lin Hicks, was champion stallion.

Double Exposure captured first place among 1964 stallions, while Little Dandy Bee took first among 1962 and before mares.

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Saturday, April 16  
 Women's Golf Tourney, Sonora Golf Course  
 Junior Quarter Horse Show, Sonora Park Race Track  
 2-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open  
 Sunday, April 17  
 Services at the church of your choice  
 Monday, April 18  
 8 p.m., Elks Lodge meeting  
 Tuesday, April 19  
 12 noon, Downtown Lions Club  
 7 p.m., Chamber of Commerce meeting  
 Wednesday, April 20  
 3-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open  
 Thursday, April 21  
 8 p.m., Dee Ora Lodge meeting at Masonic Hall

## Happy Birthday

FRIDAY, APRIL 15  
 Carol Adamson  
 David Jennings  
 SATURDAY, APRIL 16  
 The Rev. Clay T. Puckett  
 Jimmy Hill  
 Mrs. Gene Schwieng  
 Mrs. Andrew Moore  
 T. G. Roberson  
 SUNDAY, APRIL 17  
 Mrs. Gene Henderson  
 Peter C. Polk  
 Bonnie Lou Mayer  
 Jim Menzies  
 MONDAY, APRIL 18  
 Mrs. Claude Prater  
 George Allen Barrow  
 Mrs. J. A. Harris  
 Tonia Mittle  
 Lucinda Lynn Favila  
 Calvin Johnson  
 TUESDAY, APRIL 19  
 Sandra Adamson  
 Linda Jones  
 Mrs. Gay Copeland  
 Allen Ray Harris  
 Ricky Dominguez  
 WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20  
 J. T. Penick  
 Mrs. Francis Archer  
 Alvin Beyer  
 Joe R. Lancaster  
 Kathy Sharp  
 Terry Lowe  
 Mrs. Pat Brown  
 THURSDAY, APRIL 21  
 Jack Johnson  
 Martin Beckham

ALLISON BUYS ANGUS BULLS  
 Lea Allison recently purchased six Aberdeen-Angus bulls from J. W. Gorman of Poteet, according to the American Angus Association.

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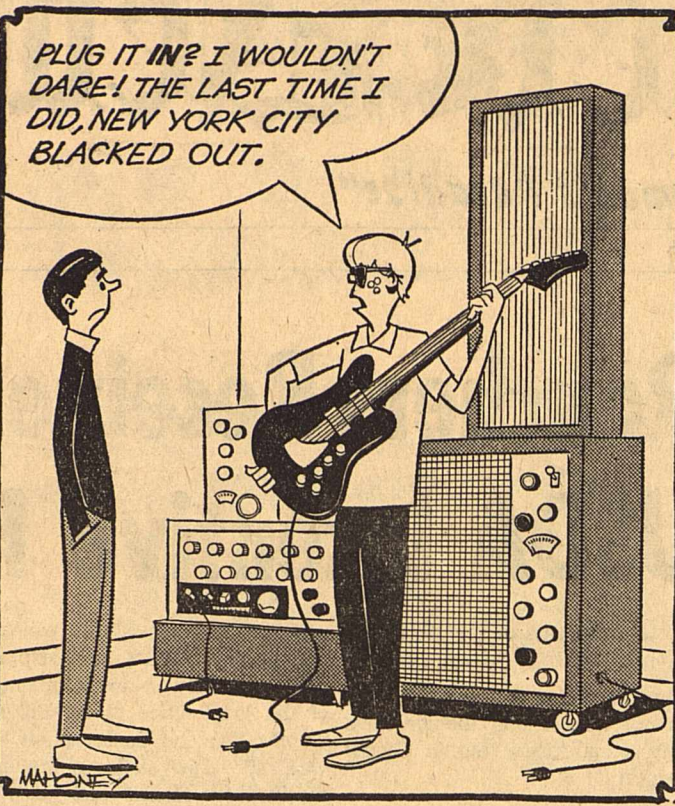
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## HALF-PAST TEEN



### Snips, Quips, And Lifts

by Mrs. Lottie Lee Baker

Talent is wanting something had enough to work for it.

Homes are like banks—they go broke if you take out more than you put in.

The way to break a habit is to drop it.

Money is something that things run into and people run out of.

Even if you're on the right track, you'll get run over if you just sit there.

Seeing ourselves as others see us wouldn't do any good. We wouldn't believe it.

We all have days when we look real busy but are merely confused.

Boredom is a symptom of hardening of the mind.

Fortune came and loudly knocked at my door with a cheery hail. But, alas, for Fortune's labors, I was over at my neighbor's pouring out a hard-luck tale.

THREE KINDS OF GOSSIP

1. Vest-button type: Always popping off.
2. Vacuum Cleaner Type: Always picking up the dirt.
3. The Liniment Type: Rub it in.

It is better to be great in your littleness, than to be little in your greatness.

A LIFT FOR THE WEEK  
 If we are careful where we step, those who follow us will not stumble so often.

### Title Appointed To Draft Board

Bill Tittle has been informed that he has been appointed a member of local draft board No. 110 to represent Sutton county.

Tittle was appointed by President Lyndon Johnson and was advised of his appointment by Col. Morris S. Schwartz, state director of Selective Service.

"I am sure your membership on this board will reflect great credit to yourself and the Selective Service System of Texas," Col. Schwartz wrote Tittle.

Local board No. 110 has jurisdiction over Crockett, Edwards, Kimble, Schleicher, and Sutton counties.

Doyle Morgan also has been appointed as draft board registrar, and will register high school boys during school hours.

### FAMILY POT LUCK

BY HELEN HALE

**Salads for Spring**  
 Green beans combined with kidney beans (both can come from a can; simply drain them) make an interesting color and flavor combo especially with sliced water chestnuts, green pepper circles and a light French dressing.

Melon balls combine with all kinds of berries. How about a big bowl for them with straw-berries and pineapple slices (fresh). Pass a whipped cream dressing garnished with mint. Pretty!

Have you thought of spiced fruits for salad? Spiced peaches with banana are excellent. Or what about cinnamon pears with cream cheese and nut balls?

Tomato slices, onion rings and artichoke hearts are delightful with Italian-style dressing. Use a different green this time, like tender spinach leaves.

Small pickled beets with pearl onions and cooked carrot slices make into a colorful salad. It's excellent with fish dinners.

Helen's Favorite:  
**Tuna Cutlets, Creole**  
 (6 servings)  
 3 tablespoons butter  
 1/4 cup flour  
 1 cup top milk  
 1 1/2 cups flaked tuna  
 1/2 cup soft bread crumbs  
 1/2 teaspoon onion juice  
 1/2 teaspoon salt  
 1/4 teaspoon paprika  
 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce

Make a sauce of butter, flour and milk. Add remaining ingredients. Cook 5 minutes. Cool and shape in cutlets. Roll in fine cracker crumbs then slightly beaten egg, then again in crumbs. Brown in hot fat on both sides. Serve with canned tomato-green pepper sauce, seasoned with sugar, salt and pepper.

## Editorials... Features... Columns...

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A library exists to provide knowledge and understanding. And it offers the reader amusement and relaxation. It provides from its many voices comfort or challenge, the stirrings of ambition or relief from care.

Governor John Connally, in proclaiming April 17-23 as Library Week in Texas, states that libraries provide "cultural and economic growth for the community and intellectual and spiritual growth for the individual."

We are fortunate to have a library in Sonora. And there is a possibility that it will be improved. The women of the Sonora Woman's Club are currently considering the feasibility of combining the library with the suggested museum, a proposal that would benefit the readers of the community.

### from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

Abraham Lincoln died, April 15, 1865. The S.S. Titanic struck an iceberg and sank, April 15, 1912.

Born on April 16 were Wilbur Wright (1867); Amos Alonzo Stagg (1862); and Charley Chaplin (1889).

The San Francisco earthquake took place, April 17, 1906. An earthquake occurred on the island of Formosa on the same day.

Pierre Laval formed a new cabinet in Vichy, France, assuming title of Chief of Government, April 18, 1942. President Roosevelt created a War Manpower Commission, April 18, 1942.

Cessation of hostilities marked the end of the Revolutionary War, April 19, 1783.

War was declared with Spain, April 20, 1898. Adolph Hitler was born, April 20, 1889.

Maryland's Toleration Act guaranteed religious freedom to all, April 21, 1649.

APRIL 13, 1956  
 Thirty-four Sonora Scouts made a trip to Camp Fawcett last weekend to help in repairing the extensive damage to the camp by high water last year.

Accompanying the scouts were Ervin Willman, Earl Smith and Herbert Fields.

APRIL 12, 1946  
 Howard Espy was in Dallas the first part of the week attending spring markets.

APRIL 10, 1936  
 A vocal duet was sung Sunday morning at the Presbyterian Church in Eldorado by Emma Sessions and Joyce McGilvray, Sonora girls. Piano accompaniment for them was played by Mrs. Preston C. Lightfoot.

Twenty Sonora citizens expressed themselves by ballot Tuesday at the courthouse and when the polls were closed that evening the administration of the city's affairs was still destined to be in the hands of the three men who have been "at the helm".

Officials re-elected were: W. C. Gilmore, major; Alfred Schwieng, commissioner; V. F. Hamilton, commissioner.

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## Holy Inflation Fighting! J. A. Joins Braking Battle

Editor's note: The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitterweed ranch on Devil's River seems to be trying to defend himself, his letter this week indicates. It's a job we'd never undertake.

Dear editor:  
 From time to time some people around Sonora have implied, implied thunder, have come right out and said that I'm lazy.

"Ole J. A. whoever he is, must be the laziest man in this part of Texas," I heard one man tell another in town one day while he was looking over a copy of The Devil's River News. "You ever heard of anybody as far behind in his work as he seems to be?"

I now wish to state that some people just don't know the difference between an economist and a bum.

According to a front-page article I read in a copy of a newspaper last night, the leading economists of this country have advised President Johnson to ask big business to slow down and even postpone some plant expansion, in order to head off inflation. They have studied the economic index and the cost of living and spiraling prices and decided that too fast expansion at this time would be inflationary, and many industrialists have agreed.

I am pleased to announce that

I was years ahead of the economists.

Some people thought the reason I didn't build a new fence around this bitterweed ranch was that I was too lazy, whereas actually all time I was fighting inflation.

I didn't have to wait for the economists to tell me that plunging into the job of putting a new roof on my house would be inflationary. In this modern, complex world, a man has got to know when to put the brakes on. You'd think the big industrialists would know this without having to be told.

You're not going to catch me sending the inflationary spiral off the top of the chart and bringing economic collapse to the entire nation.

The next time you hear somebody say I'm lazy, ask him to get in touch with President Johnson.

Yours faithfully,  
 J. A.

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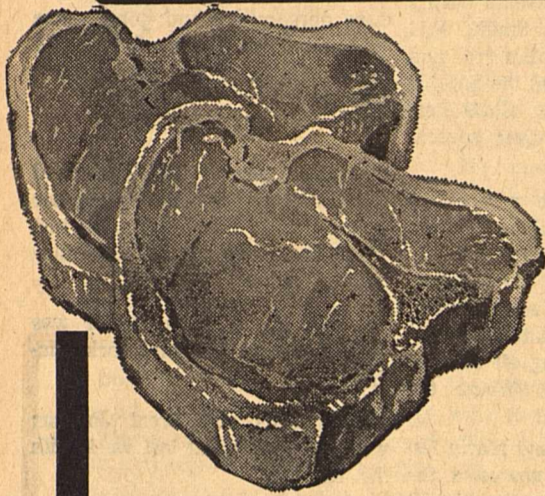
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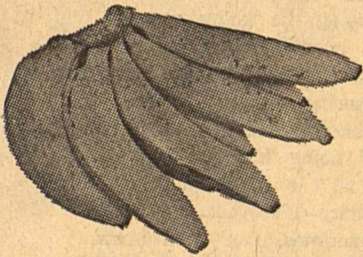
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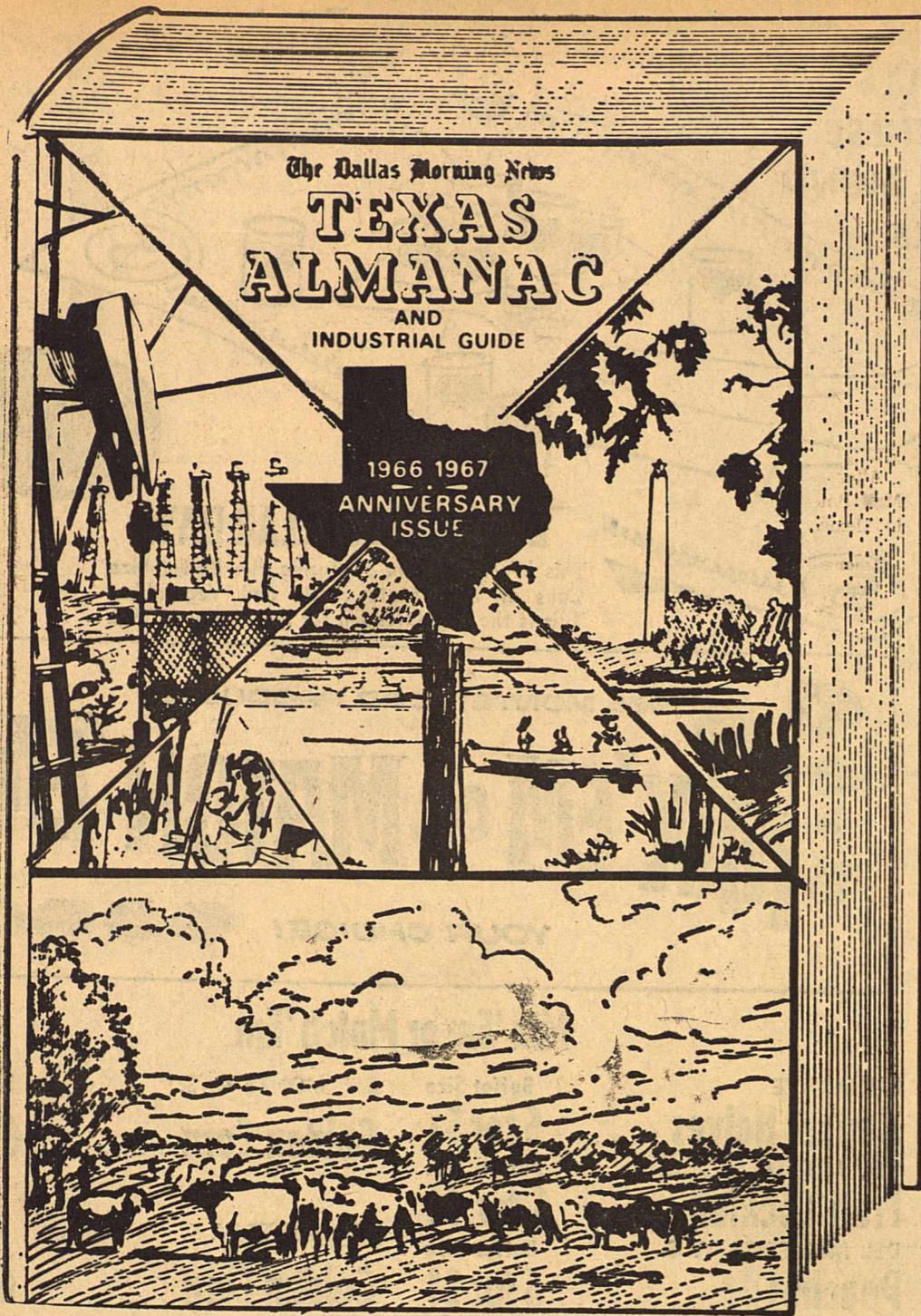
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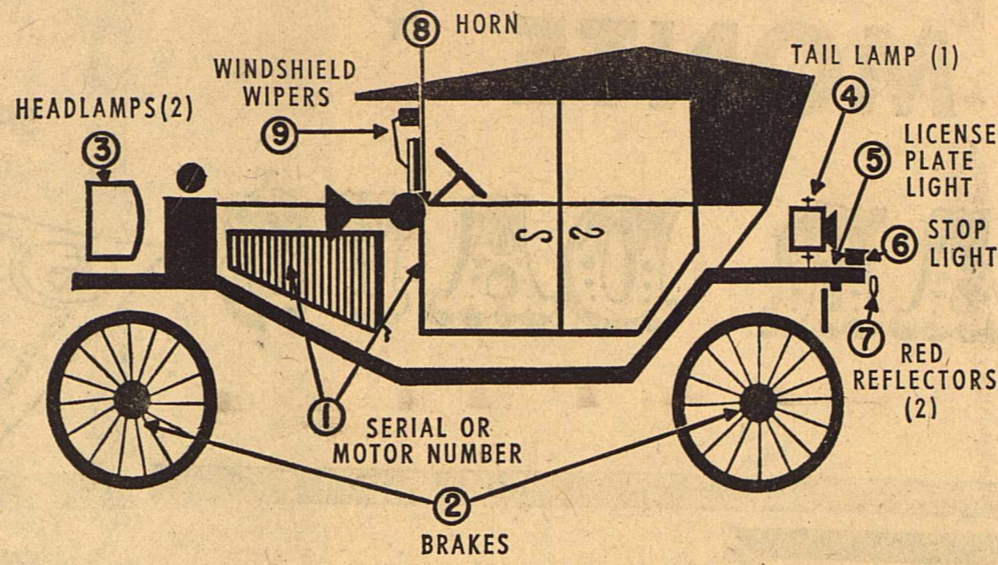
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Outlook Good for Beef Cattle Producers During 1966, Extension Economist Says

All signs point to a favorable outlook for beef producers during the same or slightly higher than in April, May and June of 1965, and remain strong for the entire first half of the year. Strength in the fed cattle market will be reflected in the feeder market, he said. Too, producers are likely to save additional heifers for their breeding herds and thus keep them out of feedlots, adding further strength to the feeder market.

will continue to rise in 1966. Grazing conditions in the nation are generally good. Cow-calf operators will likely begin to build up their herds and the smaller supply of red meats, especially pork in 1965, is likely to continue through the first half of 1966.

S.S. Office To Be Open Saturdays

The San Angelo District Social Security office will be open to the public from 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon on Saturdays beginning Saturday, April 16, according to Floyd B. Ellington, district manager.

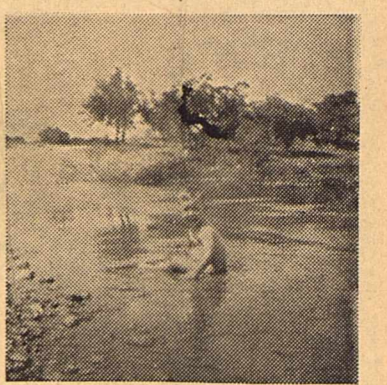
Teen Scene

By Margaret Bundy



The Easter holidays brought a welcome break in the monotony that settles over Sonora this time of year.

It seemed like a big family reunion with all the college kids home. Some of these were Diana Cahill, Diana Black, Carol Hopf, Jimmy Wilson, Corky Fields, Jack Hearn, Carla Whitworth, Jan McClelland, Tommy Doc Raye, Betty Jack Cooper, Gil Allison, Gil Trainer, Sarah Sawyer, Dick Hardgrave, Preston Neely, Barbara Trees, Larry Bob Moore, Karen Davis, and Judy Lancaster.



NOW A GOLFER, this week's Mr. X is a junior boy who is known around Sonora for his cute personality and good sense of humor. He stands 5 feet, 11 inches tall and has brown eyes and hair.

Several kids went fishing during the holidays. Tomye Smith, Bud Smith, Charlie Joe Taliaferro, and Jimmy Trainer were at the Smith's lease on Devil's River. Chris Berger was fishing up river several miles from them.

Several other people were out of town during the holidays. Tom Trainer was visiting friends and relatives in La Porte. Jackie Cargill was in Kerrville and Schulenburg. Grady Roe went to Albuquerque. Grady was telling all sorts of stories about seeing "Where the Action Is" in person!

Mickey Hardegree and Maria Espinosa are going to represent the Sonora Lions Clubs in the district competition this year. Good luck to both of ya!

Rocksprings was honored Saturday night by the presence of several people from Sonora. Some of these were Cee Wee Johnson, Carl Teaff, Stan Bundy, David Whitworth, Prissy Howell, Diana Cahill, Gil Trainer, Louis Wardlaw, Deborah Wardlaw, Robert Brown, Guy Askew, Libb Wallace, Jerry Shurley, Nedra Raye, Linda McCutchen, Brenda McCutchen, and Dick Hearn.

over the weekend. Gail Espy and Bill Glasscock were in Sweetwater at the rodeo. Carol Adamson and Wade Stoke were in Midland during the holidays.

Diltzie Bland from Ozona was in Sonora with Bill Glasscock Sunday.

Kaye Ellis and Brent Johnson were in the hospital last week with the flu.

Last week's "Who's Who" was Louis Wardlaw.

The track team went to Coahoma Friday. Laney Cook placed third in the 120-yard high hurdles and second in the 180-yard low hurdles. Eddie Howell placed sixth in the 100-yard dash, Ed Lee Renfro placed third in the broad jump, and Noe Chavez placed first in the pole vault. Sonora's mile relay team placed fifth.

The district track meet will be in Ozona this Saturday. GOOD LUCK, BOYS.

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If you want to have the kind of a community Like the kind of a community you like, You needn't slip your clothes in a grip And start on a long, long hike. You'll only find what you left behind, For there's nothing really new. It's a knock at yourself when you knock your community It isn't the community—it's you. When everything seems to be going wrong, And trouble seems everywhere brewing; When community meeting, Young People's meeting, And all, seem simmering slowly—stewing, Just take a look at yourself and say, "What's the use of being blue?" Are you doing your "bit" to make things "hit"? It isn't the community—it's you. It's really strange sometimes, don't you know, That things go as well as they do, When we think of the little—the very small mite— We add to the work of the few. We sit, and stand round, and complain of what's done And do very little but fuss. Are we bearing our share of the burdens to bear? It isn't the community—it's us. So, if you want to have the kind of a community Like the kind of a community you like, Put off your guile, and put on your best smile, And hike, my brother, just hike, To the work in hand that has to be done— The work of saving a few. It isn't the community that is wrong, my boy; It isn't the community—it's you.

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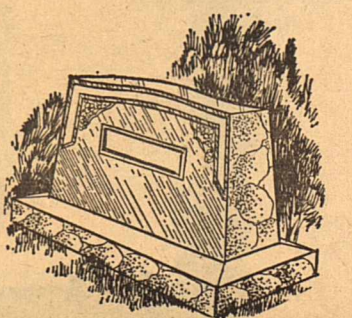
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## Plans for Summer Weddings Announced At Tea Feting Misses Sawyer and Johnson

Mrs. L. E. Johnson Jr. and Mrs. Edwin Sawyer honored their daughters, Jo Addah Johnson and Sarah Sawyer, with an engagement tea at the Johnson home April 9.

Miss Johnson and Jack Graves Jr. of Palestine are planning to be married June 3, and Miss Sawyer and Preston Neely are to be married July 9.

The daughter of Mrs. L. E. Johnson Jr. and the late Mr. Johnson and the granddaughter of Mrs. L. E. Johnson Sr., Miss Johnson is a graduate of Sonora High School and an honor graduate of Sullins Junior College in Bristol, Va. She graduated with distinction from Colorado State University in Fort Collins, Colo. She is a member of Phi Theta Kappa and Pi Omega Pi honorary sororities and Pi Beta

Phi social sorority. She is currently employed at the regional office of the Internal Revenue Service in Austin.

Mr. Graves is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Graves of Palestine. He attended Texas A&M University and is a senior architecture student at the University of Texas.

Miss Sawyer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sawyer and the granddaughter of Mrs. Evelyn Ward of Oakwood. A graduate of Sonora High School, she attended Sullins Junior College and plans to graduate in May from Southern Methodist University, where she has been an honor student. She is a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Neely, Mr. Neely is a graduate of Sonora High School and is now a senior student at Texas A&M University studying engineering.

Greeting guests at the tea were the honorees and their mothers, Mrs. Leon Neely, Mrs. Jack Graves Sr., and her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Howell of Beaumont.

A cutwork linen cloth covered the serving table, which was centered with an epergne of spring flowers. Flanking the centerpiece were doves holding ribbons printed with the engaged couples' names and wedding dates.

Serving guests were Meses. Cleve Jones Jr., J. F. Howell, Bryan Hunt, Stella Keene, Cleve Jones Sr., and R. A. Halbert.

Members of the houseparty included Meses. L. E. Johnson Sr., Mack Cauthorn, Miers Savell, Belle Steen, Lee Labenske, Ed C. Mayfield, B. W. Hutcherson, Ernest McClelland, Penn Baggett, Pascal Allison of Rowena, James Hunt, D. M. Tyler of Ozona, Louie Trainor, Mickey Powers, Birl V. Davis of Canyon, James Powell of Fort McKavett, and Mason Altman and Miss Kay Altman, both of Abilene.

Also assisting in the houseparty were Meses Ann McKinney of Kerrville, Francine Fields, Cissy Young, Diana Cahill, Betty Jack Cooper, Jane and Molly Sawyer, Jessie Lem and Janet Johnson, Kay Shurley, Mary John Espy, Sarah Lu Hardy, and Elaine Mears.



JUNE WEDDING PLANNED—Miss Jo Addah Johnson will be wed June 3 to Jack Graves Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Graves Sr. of Palestine. Miss Johnson is the daughter of Mrs. L. E. Johnson Jr. and the late Mr. Johnson.

## Miss Mary Adele Wilson Becomes Bride Of Jerry Don Balch in Ceremony Sunday

Miss Mary Adele Wilson and Jerry Don Balch were wed Sunday evening in a candlelight ceremony in St. John's Episcopal Church. The Rev. Rollin Polk, rector, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Duke Wilson, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Balch of Lubbock. Nuptial music was provided by Richard Campbell of Matador, soloist, and Mrs. Jerry Don Smith of San Angelo, organist.

For her wedding the bride chose a gown of imported white Chantilly lace. The high-rise Empire bodice was fashioned with a wide oval neckline and featured elbow-length bell-shaped sleeves. Complementing the slim skirt was a Watteau train, which fell gently into a coat effect.

Mrs. Richard W. Davis of San Angelo, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Mickey Powers were matrons of honor, and Miss Betty Jack Cooper was maid of honor.

Bridesmaids included the bride's cousin, Miss Ann Kyle of Mesquite, and Mrs. Birl Davis of Canyon, and Mrs. Richard Snyder and Mrs. Lance McDonald, both of Lubbock. Miss Mary Gayle Glimp of Dallas was junior bridesmaid.

Serving his brother as best man was Lawrence Balch of Lubbock. Groomsman were Dennis Grimes of Seagraves, C. C. Willis of Bay City, and Douglas Hollar, C. E. Thompson, Max Gatlin, and Richard Willis, all of Lubbock.

Ushers included Jerry Don Smith and Johnny Ohlenburg, both of San Angelo, and Bill Malone and Tommy Doyle, both of Lubbock.

Cindy Balch and Kim Lindsey, both of Lubbock, were flower girls, and Robert Balch and Scott Lindsey, also of Lubbock, were ring bearers. Candlelighter was Guy Wyatt Askew.

A graduate of Sonora High School, Mrs. Balch attended Southern Methodist University and was graduated from Texas Technological College. A member of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority, she has been sorority pledge trainer and Texas Tech Rodeo Queen. She served in several offices for the Rodeo Club. She is employed by the Lubbock Public School system.

Mr. Balch is a graduate of Lubbock High School. A senior in Texas Tech, he is a member of the Double "T" Association. He has lettered for four years on the football team and was recipient of the Pete Cawthorn Memorial Award for best all-round football player in 1964, when he was also named to the all Southwest Conference football team. He is serving as student on the Texas Tech coaching staff.

A reception was held at the Wilson home after the ceremony.

The bride's table was adorned with spring bouquets arranged in an epergne, draped from the epergne was smilax leading to the bride's traditional tiered cake, which was topped with a spring bouquet.

A double-wedding ring chocolate cake was served from the bridegroom's table, which was centered with an arrangement of yellow iris. Punch was served from a fountain on the patio.

Some 350 guests called at the Wilson home, which was decorated throughout with spring flowers. Serving punch and cake from the bride's table were Meses. John Ward, Mary G. Wilson, W. B. Kyle, Fred Earwood, Henry Wyatt, A. B. Kyle, Pat Cooper, and W. J. Fields Jr.

At the bridegroom's table were Meses. J. L. Fomby, Joe Sandlin, Pat Balch, Stella Lindsey, Lois Simmons.

Young, Cleve Jones Jr., and Penny Baggett, and Miss Mary John Espy.

Miss Sarah Lu Hardy, Mrs. Jerry Don Smith, and Miss Kelly Jo Myers registered guests.

Other members of the houseparty included Mrs. George Barrow, Miss Diana Cahill, Mrs. B. B. Ingham, Miss Judy Payne, and Miss Francine Fields.

After the reception, Mr. and Mrs. Balch left for a wedding trip to Mexico.

Among out-of-town guests attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kyle, Al and Ann of Mesquite, Mrs. W. B. Kyle of Arlington, Va., Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Fomby and Mr. and Mrs. Penn Baggett, all of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sandlin of Blackwell, and Mrs. John D. Phillips of Junction.

Guests from Lubbock included Mr. and Mrs. Nubbin Hollar, Miss Judy Payne, Miss Kay Odom, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Max Gatlin, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Malone, Johnny Ohlenburg, Dale Wiseman, Victor Schoenwall, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Malone, Tommy Doyle, Clay Allen, Miss Connie Lindsey, Pam Eubanks, Mr. and Mrs. Lance McDonald, Miss Kelly Jo Myers, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Lindsey, Kim, Scott, and Gary, Mrs. Connie Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Balch, and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Balch.

Attending from Rocksprings were Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Speck, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moody, Mrs. Lloyd Mitchell, and Sherrie Mitchell Gabriel.

San Angelo guests included Duke G. Wilson, Word Wilson, Mrs. John William Wilson, Mrs. Mary G. Wilson, James Bunyard, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Don Smith, Mrs. Victoria Ohlenburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Davis.

Others attending included Mr. and Mrs. John Balch of Big Spring, Miss Mary Gayle Glimp of Dallas, Dink Wilson of Sterling City, Mrs. Birl Davis of Canyon, and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Key, Mrs. Lorena Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Aiken, all of Eldorado.

Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Grimes of Seagraves, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Willis Jr. of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Barkley of Brownwood, Crates C. Douthit and Bob Zachry, both of Henrietta, and Mr. and Mrs. Woody Balch of Mineral Wells.

## Sixth Birthday Celebrated April 6 By Robert Harris

A party with an Easter theme honored Robert Harris on his sixth birthday April 6. Robert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy H. Harris.

Some 40 guests played Easter egg games at the party at the Harris home, and cake, punch, and ice cream were served. Pinwheels were given as favors.

Out-of-town guests were Robert's cousins, Byron and Blinda Sawyer of San Angelo.

## C. R. SANDERS STATIONED AT SAN DIEGO NAVAL BASE

Calvin Ray Sanders, who has enlisted in the U.S. Navy, is now stationed in San Diego for six to eight weeks of basic training. Sanders is the son of Mrs. Mandy Simmons.



MRS. JERRY DON BALCH

## Art Displayed, Museum-Library Discussed At Sonora Woman's Club Meeting April 7

The proposal to combine a museum with the Sonora Woman's Club Library was discussed, and the Annual Art Show was held when the Woman's Club met Thursday, April 7, in the club building.

Artwork submitted by Sonora school students and pre-school children was displayed, and Franklyn E. Walker, San Angelo artist and critic, judged the exhibits.

Art winners were as follows:

Pre-school, kindergarten, and first grade—Abby Sanchez, kindergarten, 1st; Kim Steed, first grade, 2nd; Edward Earwood, pre-school, 3rd; Lucy Morriss, honorable mention.

Second through fifth grades—Juan Perez, third grade, 1st; Melinda Earwood, third grade, 2nd; Jesus Oviedo, fifth grade, 3rd; Melinda Earwood, third grade, and Marvin Shurley, fourth grade, honorable mentions.

Sixth through eighth grades—Patti Richardson, seventh grade, 1st; Enequina Mata, 2nd; Gregory

Schmidt, sixth grade, 3rd; Sue Pettiet, sixth grade, and Edward Gonzales, sixth grade, honorable mentions.

High school—Stan Bundy, 1st. Crafts—Sandra Noriega, third grade, 1st; Beatrice Gandar, third grade, 2nd; Ernestina Vasquez, third grade, 3rd; Wade Richardson, honorable mention.

After reviewing the proposal to combine a museum with the community library, club members decided to investigate further the feasibility of the project.

Hostesses for the luncheon were Mrs. Carl Cahill, chairman, and Meses. Lawrence Finklea, Robert Kelley Jr., Arno Melz, and Bob Johnson.

## Australia Bound

G. T. Rode left Sunday for Broome, Australia, where he will help develop a ranch of 2 million acres for Talgarno Pastoral Co. He expects to be there 3 years. Mrs. Rode will join him in June.

## WSCS Members Participate Tues. In District Meet

Mrs. Allen Roe presented a memorial meditation, "Moments of Memory," and Mrs. Ben Cusenbary led a pledge service at the 25th annual meeting of the San Angelo district of the Woman's Society of Christian Service at Day Memorial Methodist Church in San Angelo Tuesday. Mrs. Cusenbary is district treasurer.

Also attending the meeting from Sonora were Mrs. Cleve Jones Jr. and Mrs. Alvis Johnson.

The Sonora WSCS presented a memorial contribution to the district in memory of Mrs. E. E. Sawyer.

Next year's annual meeting will be held in Sonora.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy H. Harris, Alan, Robert, and Jana were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Everett at the Rocker B ranch near Barnhart.

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SUMMER WEDDING DATE ANNOUNCED—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sawyer have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sarah to Preston Neely, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Neely. The ceremony is to be held July 9.



## In and Around Sonora

by Hazel McClelland

Miss Alice Lee Duncan visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Duncan, over the Easter holidays. Alice Lee is a student at the University of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Duckworth and children visited in Eden over the Easter holidays. They visited her mother, Mrs. Atwood, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Duckworth.

Freddie Chaney visited Jessie Lem Johnson over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bishop visited in Alpine last weekend.

Mrs. A. W. Awalt is in Huds-peth Memorial Hospital. Miss Tracey Thompson of Sweetwater is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McClelland.

Ralph Finklea attended the Texas Elementary Principal's Association in San Antonio last week. Mrs. Finklea, Peter and April visited her sister and brother-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Tom Mabry, and their daughter, Michele, in Austin. Over the Easter holidays the Finklea family visited Ralph's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Finklea Sr., in Raymondville. They fished off

Padre Island. Monday Night Bridge Mrs. Collier Shurley entertained the Monday Night Bridge Club in her home.

Mrs. Frankie Gibson won high score, and Mrs. Pauline Thompson won second high. Mrs. L. E. Johnson Jr. took slam, and Mrs. Howard Kirby took bingo.

Other members present were Meses. R. B. Kelley Sr., Robert Kelley Jr., Duard Archer, Bill Fields, Ted Letsinger, and Miers Savell. Guests were Mrs. Louie Trainer and Mrs. George Wynn. A salad plate was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ward, Cathy, Kelley, and Gus spent the weekend in San Antonio.

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MISS KATHRYN LEE CAMPBELL

### Miss Campbell, Mr. Everett To Be Married

The engagement of Miss Kathryn Lee Campbell to Vance Wayne Everett has been announced.

Miss Campbell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wray Campbell, and Everett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Everett Jr. Everett is in the U.S. Navy, presently stationed in Corpus Christi, and Miss Campbell plans to graduate in May from an Austin business college.

The couple plans to be married June 25 in the First Methodist Church here.

### Exchange Student Visits in Sonora

Miss Margaret Sanchez and her guest, Miss Xuan Huong Hang of Nhatrang, Viet Nam, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jose Sanchez during the Easter holidays.

Both girls are students at Texas Woman's University in Denton. Miss Hang, who is called Susie by her American friends, has attended the university for four years and will graduate in May with a bachelor of science degree.

The Vietnamese exchange student was taken to visit the Sonora Caverns, and she said she thought they were beautiful. She was also taken to see the Easter Pageant in Junction. A Buddhist, she has never known anything about Christ. She says she likes the United States, and she speaks English fluently.

### DPS Announces 100 Job Openings For Patrolmen

"Career employment with the Texas Department of Public Safety is currently being offered young men between the ages of 21 and 35 years in the uniformed services as patrolmen," announced Major Leo E. Gossett, commander of the 49-county west Texas region this week.

"More than 100 of these positions of trust and public service will soon be open to qualified men," Gossett said. "They include opportunities for advanced education, excellent physical conditioning and a permanent career of serving mankind."

On graduation from the 16-week training program at the DPS Law Enforcement Academy in Austin, the trainee will be commissioned a patrolman in the uniform services.

At the academy he will receive a salary while in training. He will be taught Texas highway and criminal law, accident investigation, first aid, professional driving, care and use of firearms, and other courses.

Job benefits afforded patrolmen include two weeks annual vacation, 12 or more holidays per year, 12 days of sick leave per year, liberal retirement benefits based on age and years of service, and travel expense.

DPS Patrolmen are furnished all uniforms and equipment necessary for performance of their duties.

Interested men are urged to get their applications in early. June 6 is the application deadline for the examination to be administered on June 11 for a recruit school beginning August 9.

Applications and additional information can be obtained by contacting any DPS patrolman or office or by writing to Personnel and Training, Texas Department of Public Safety, Box 4087, NAS, Austin, Texas 78751.

### Miss Mears Feted At Luncheon Friday At Prugel Home

Miss Elaine Mears, bride-elect of Perry Don Free, was complimented by Mrs. A. E. Prugel with a luncheon Friday at the Prugel home. Mrs. Prugel was assisted by her daughter, Susan.

Decorations on the serving table followed the honoree's chosen color with an arrangement of yellow and white spring flowers on a white cutwork cloth over yellow. Arrangements of yellow roses centered quartet tables.

The honoree was presented a gift of silver.

Those attending the party included Misses Vivian Mears, Sarah Sawyer, Kay Shurley, Alice Lee Duncan, Jessie Lem Johnson, Betty Jack Cooper, Mary Davis, Rita Rosean of Eldorado, and Sharon Nyquist of Buchanan Dam.

### 2,113 Vehicle Tags Sold by April 11

A total of 2,113 motor vehicle license plates have been issued by the Sutton County tax assessor-collector's office.

License plate sales to April 11 are as follows: passenger cars, 1,191; commercial vehicles, 455; farm vehicles, 271; truck-tractor, 27; farm tractor, 2; trailers, 130; house trailers, 4; motorcycles, 4; and machinery, 29.

Total Sutton County license plate sales for 1965 were 2,389.

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### For Sale

FOR SALE OR RENT—3 bedroom home, 470 Poplar. Inquire at Foodway, 2-5541 tf30

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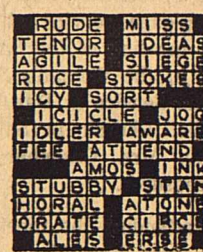
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Answer Crossword Puzzle

### CROSSWORD PUZZLE

1. Impolite	4. Before	21. Cannon or	ANSWER IN CLASSIFIED SECTION
5. Fall to hit	5. Abuses	22. Earth: comb. form	
9. Trend	6. Simpleton	23. Whether	
10. Notions	7. Search	25. Editorial	
12. Nimble	8. Aromatic spice	28. Play-thing	
13. Sleazebag	9. Khonds' earth goddess	29. Subside	
14. "Dream Girl" playwright	11. His: Fr.	31. Low joint	
15. Tends, as a furnace	15. Peruvian coin	32. Japanese measure	
16. Gelid	17. Mixes, as eggs	33. Law of Moses	
17. Classify	19. Diminutive	34. Russian river	
18. Frozen pendant	20. Caretakers of buildings	35. Excitement	
20. Trot		37. Hole-in-one	
23. One who doesn't work			
24. Conscious			
26. Payment			
27. Wait upon			
29. Shepherd prophet			
30. Writing fluid			
32. Thickset			
35. Man's nickname			
36. Hourly			
37. Expiate			
38. Declaim			
39. Enchantress			
40. Beverages			
41. Gaelic			

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2. Vehicle with one wheel  
3. Alms

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### Hospital News

Patients receiving treatment at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, April 5, through Monday, April 11, included the following:

Bob Vicars\*  
Rose Thorp  
Irma Favila\*  
Librada Guerra\*  
Brent Johnson\*  
Ernest Hill, Eldorado  
Ila Cartwright\*  
Mary Moore, Ozona\*  
Candelario Flores  
Kaye Ellis\*  
Jack Mackey\*

Martha McCutchen\*  
Dilla Rode\*  
Ronnie Chavez\*  
Alfred Virgen Jr.\*  
Randall Booth, Graham\*  
Charles Jennings, Graham\*  
Donald Brumley, Graham\*  
Cecilia Esquivel\*  
Reginald Thomas, Ozona\*  
Martha Elliott\*  
Lupe H. Silvas\*  
Rayford M. Dixon, San Antonio\*  
Katherine Lee Sharp\*  
Sue Mackey  
Ed Forabu, Wichita Falls  
Mary Maya, Eldorado  
Jerry Shurley Jr.  
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### In and Around Sonora

by Hazel McClelland

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Miers and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mayfield went fishing on Devil's River.

#### Tuesday Night Bridge Club

Mrs. Bob Vicars entertained the Tuesday Night Bridge Club at her home last week.

Mrs. Earl Duncan won high score for club, and Mrs. P. J. Taylor won slam. Mrs. Ted Letsinger won high score for guest. Mrs. Belle Steen bingooed for club, and Mrs. R. A. Halbert bingooed for guest. Other members present were Mmes. Louie Trainer, Cleve Jones Jr., L. E. Johnson Jr., W. O. Crites, Ernest McClelland, Arthur Carroll, and Mrs. Robert Kelley, a guest.

Easter decorations were used, and a salad plate, iced tea and coffee were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Van Hoozer, Mack, Tammy, and Marla visited in Kerrville and Galveston this past week.

Mrs. Mack Cauthorn, Mrs. L. E. Johnson Jr. and Mrs. L. E. Johnson Sr. were in San Angelo Wednesday.

Mrs. Robert Kelley and son Bobby are visiting Mrs. Kelley's mother, Mrs. Harry Pierson, in Beaumont over the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Sim Glasscock and Mrs. V. J. Glasscock visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Savage, in San Antonio for several days last week.

Bill McClelland visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McClelland, during the Easter holidays. Bill is a junior at North Texas State U. in Denton.

Dick Karnes visited his family during the holidays. He is a student at North Texas State.

Mrs. Eulah Newell and Mrs. Grant Newell were in San Angelo Tuesday.

Mike Ellis and Miss Jacque Neubauer visited Mike's mother, Mrs. Lea Roy Aldwell, and Mr. Aldwell during the holidays. Miss Neubauer's parents of Austin were also visitors in the Aldwell home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hunt were in Goliad last Sunday for the races.

Mr. and Mrs. Wess Hill, former Sonorans, now of Hamilton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hill over the holidays.

Miss Carla Whitworth, a student at North Texas State University, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Whitworth, during the Easter holidays.

Bob Nevill came home from North Texas State to see his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nevill, during the holidays.

Jimmy Frank Richardson came home from college at Uvalde to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Richardson, over the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bryan Savell, Chip, Cody, and Scott were in Alpine when Lady Bird was there. Barbara and Bill had taken Chip and Cody down to see her. They were standing on the front row when Mrs. Johnson passed. She saw the little boys dressed up in their western clothes and waved and spoke to them. When Chip came home, he was telling his grandmother, Mrs. Miers Savell, about the incident, and he said, "Granny, I'm sure going to vote for Johnson and Lincoln."

Karen Davis, Kay Campbell, and

Judy Lancaaster were home from Austin over the holidays.

Jan McClelland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McClelland during Easter. Jan is a student at San Marcos. Johnny McClelland was home also. He is working in Houston.

Hank Hull visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hull, during Easter. Hank is a senior at Sul Ross.

Miss Sarah Sawyer visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sawyer, during the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Penn Baggett visited Dan Cauthorn during the holidays. Mrs. Baggett is the former Candace Cauthorn.

David Wardlaw, Rande Fawcett, and Jessie Lem Johnson were all home from A.S.C. during the holidays. They visited their parents, Mrs. Jack Wardlaw, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fawcett and Mrs. L. E. Johnson Jr.

Miss Jo Addah Johnson and Jack Graves, students at Texas University, visited her mother, Mrs. L. E. Johnson Jr.

Johnny Morris was home over the weekend visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Morris. Johnny is going to A&M.

Mr. and Mrs. David Archer and David are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Archer, and Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Johnson.

Bill Karnes spent several days in Lubbock last week.

Grady Roe will be a counselor at the Lions Club crippled children's camp in Kerrville this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cusenbary, Susan, and Kelley visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cusenbary over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Epps, who are attending North Texas State University in Denton, were Easter guests of Mrs. C. M. Epps.

Mrs. Rena Trainer had as her guests during the holidays Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Trainer, Keith, and Johnny of La Porte; Mary Ann Odell, fiancée of Keith Trainer, and Kay McHousewright of Marlin.

Miss Cissy Young, student at T.C.U., visited her parents, Mrs. Lois Young and Wesley Young, over the Easter holidays.

Miss Betty Jack Cooper, who is attending T.C.U., visited her mother, Mrs. Pat Cooper, over the holidays.

Miss Francine Fields, student at Texas Tech, visited her mother, Mrs. Bill Fields, over the weekend.

Miss Diana Cahill was home from Tech over the Easter holidays visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cahill.

Jerry Graves visited the L. E. Johnson Jr. family over the holidays.

Willie Miers is in Shamon Hospital in San Angelo.

Tom Glasscock and his fiancée, Miss Bert Grover, returned to Sul Ross Monday after spending the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Glasscock, and Tom's grandmother, Mrs. Sim Glasscock.

Mrs. Birl Vern Davis and daughter of Canyon visited her parents, Mrs. Lois Young and Wesley Young, during the Easter holidays.

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### PUBLIC RECORDS

**Sutton County Births**  
William Carrol Oliver, born February 28. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Simon Oliver.

Bernadette Gonzales born March 2. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernesto Reyes Gonzales.

Juan Gerardo Jiminez, born March 18. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Juan Lional Jiminiz.

Christine Maya, born March 21. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moises Maya Jr.

George Guardiola, born March 23. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benito Guardiola.

Jamie Lynn Franks, born March 28. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Shaw Franks.

**Marriage Licenses Issued**  
Daniel Carranza Jr. and Ruby Benevides, March 7.

Francisco Gandar Jr. and Lydia Romero, March 9.

**New Vehicles Registered**  
W. B. McMillan, GMC pick-up

Ralph P. Mayer, Plymouth station wagon

Jamie Parker, Chrysler town and country wagon

Lillian Hamby, Chevrolet two door

Jerry N. Shurley, Oldsmobile town sedan

J. P. Reiley, Chevrolet four door

Dock Simmons, Ford four door

James R. Griffin, Rambler four door

Delman West, Ford pick-up

Harold Schwiening, Chevrolet pick-up

James D. Cook New Moon house trailer

Calvin L. Cole, Ford pick-up

Edgar Custer, Chevrolet four door

E. C. Hopf, Buick sport coupe

### TOPS Members

#### Tell Secret Pals

Secret pals were revealed when the Sonora Tops Weight Lifters met in the home of Mrs. Tom Nevill on March 29, and new names were drawn.

Mrs. Herbert Fields was queen for the month of March, and queen for the week was Mrs. John McClelland.

Coffee and tea were served.

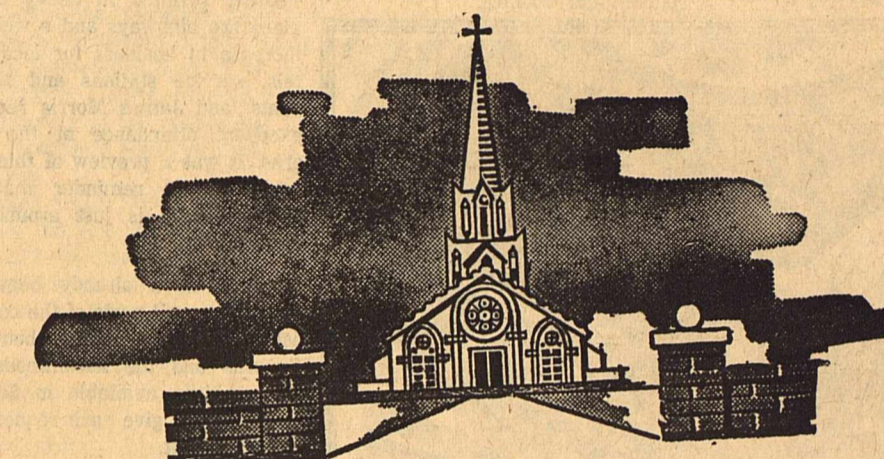
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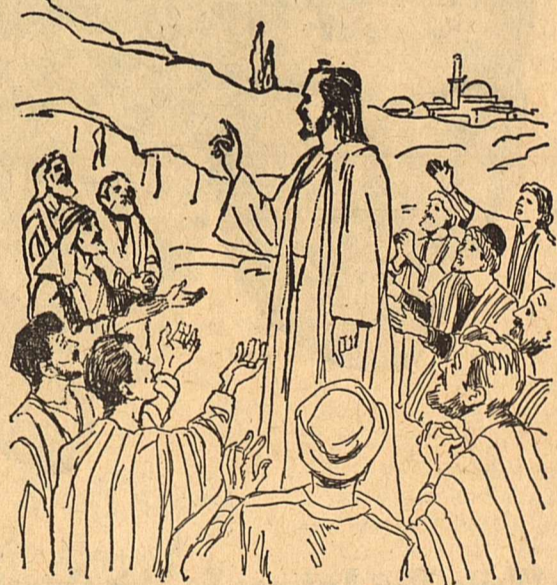


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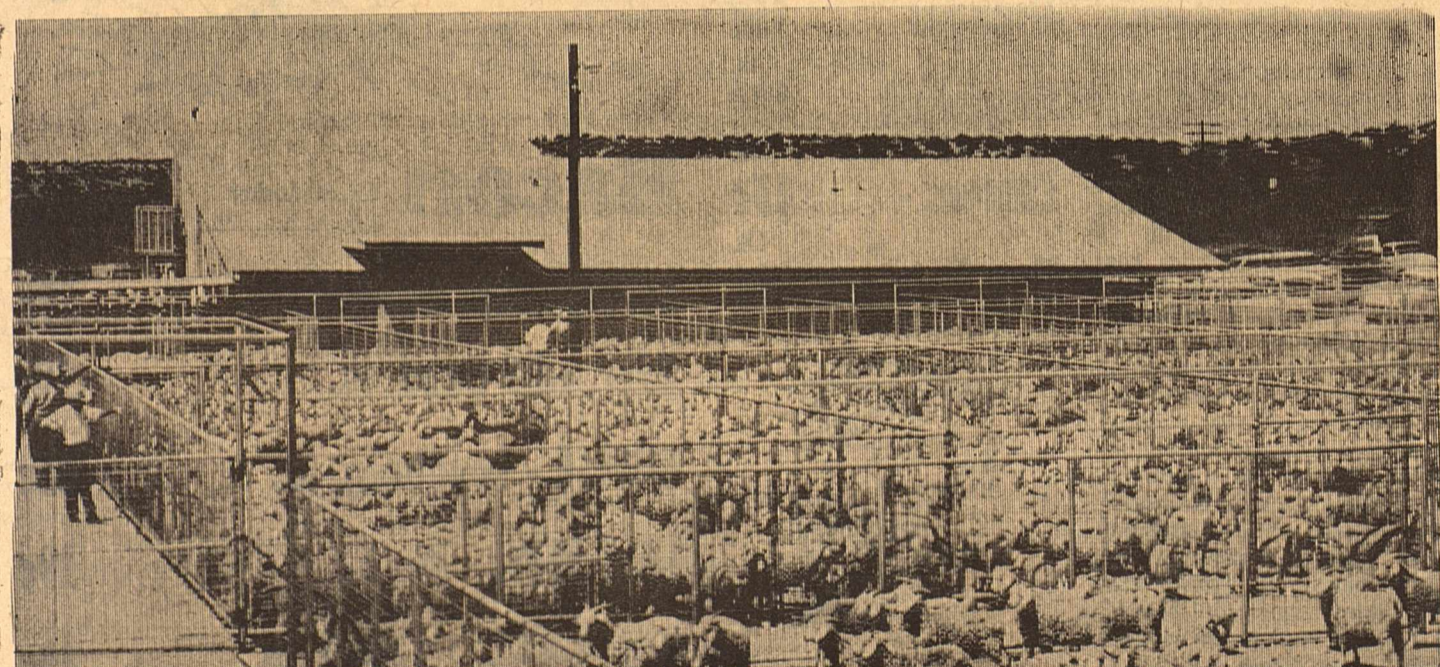
The quality of mercy is shown clearly through the life of Christ upon earth.

And yet some of us do not clearly understand the meaning of the word. We think of mercy, perhaps, as something to be received from the hands of a master, a king, or a victor in battle. We do not realize that we, too, can evidence the quality of mercy in our daily lives.

Look to your dictionary. Rate yourself on such things as forbearance; compassion; willingness to forgive and be kind; leniency.

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### Mrs. Dowdy Chosen Auxiliary President

Mrs. Rodney Dowdy was elected president of the Hospital Auxiliary at the unit's meeting Monday afternoon in the fellowship hall of First Methodist Church. Mrs. Vernon Cook was selected vice-president. Other officers chosen were Mrs. C. M. Epps, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Frank Potmesil, treasurer; Mrs. Joe Lane, recording secretary.

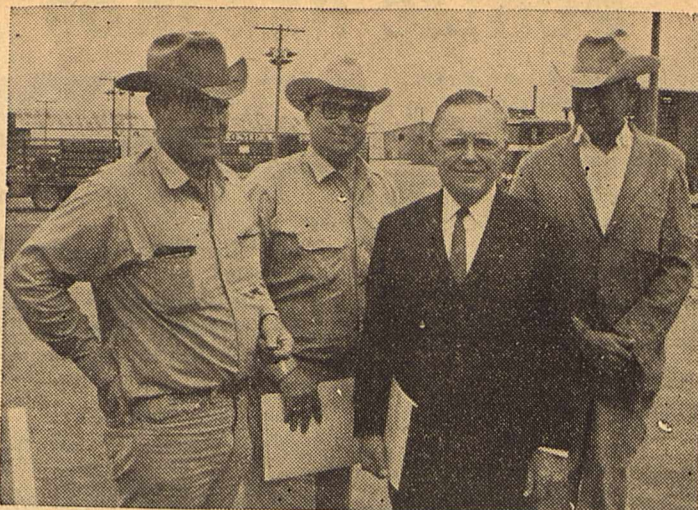
Mrs. J. F. Howell, parliamentarian; Mrs. O. G. Babcock, publicity chairman; Mrs. J. E. Elbridge, historian; and Mrs. A. W. Awalt, auditor. The meeting was opened with the hymn, "The Great Physician," and the Rev. Rodney Dowdy led the opening prayer.

The program featured a movie, "The One Who Heals," shown by Albert Everett. Mrs. J. F. Howell, auxiliary president, says the film will remain in Sonora until April 25 available to any groups wishing to view it.

During the business session conducted by Mrs. Howell, Mrs. Dowdy was elected delegate to the state hospital auxiliary convention to be held in Dallas May 15.

Visitors attending the meeting included Mmes. Joe Hull, Bill Williams, and Bob Painter. Also attending as a guest was Mrs. Lane's mother-in-law of Knoxville, Tenn.

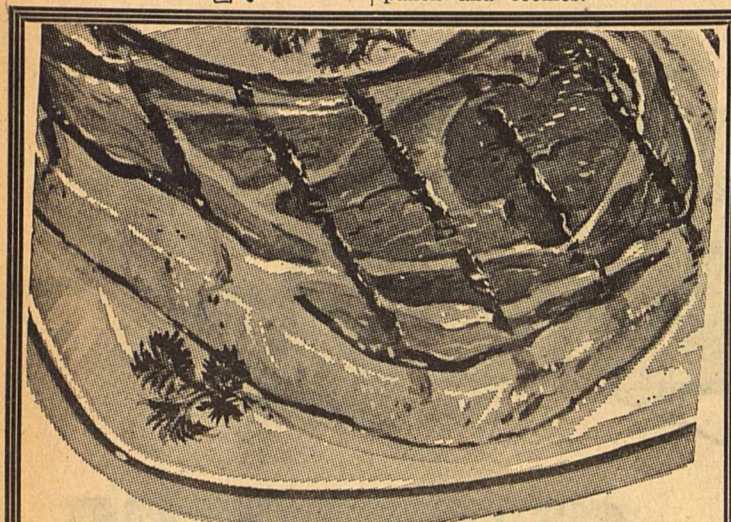
Mrs. Dowdy and Mrs. Allen Roe, hostesses for the meeting, served punch and cookies.



**NEW OFFICERS INSPECT IMPROVEMENTS**—Shown above are the new Officers of the San Antonio Livestock Market Institute. (L to R) John H. Kothmann, Vice President; Carl B. Dunagan, Secretary; W. W. Traylor, President; and Stewart Statler, new Director. The new Officers are inspecting a newly asphalted parking lot just completed at Union Stock Yards San Antonio.

### Colts Meet Today

Members of the Colt 45's baseball team will hold a meeting at Allison Field located behind the football field Thursday at 5:30 p.m. Bill Semmler and Nelson Guajardo, managers, said that those interested in playing baseball this season were urged to attend.



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### Your Chamber of Commerce

by Bob Johnson, manager  
The Easter weekend and good weather resulted in heavy traffic along the highways and a welcome increase in business for local motels, service stations and restaurants, and James Morris reported excellent attendance at the Caverns. It was a preview of things to come and a reminder that the tourist season is just around the corner.

Letters have already begun to arrive from all parts of the country asking for information about the Caverns and the accommodations and services available in Sonora. Naturally we give each request the full treatment.

And, to make sure that we get our share of the tourist trade in Sonora, the Tourist Committee is hard at work developing plans for promotional activities and other schemes to attract tourists to our area. Stanton Bundy is chairman of this committee which includes Warren Hemphill, Jeff Lambert, Joe Lane, Doyle Morgan and James Morris.

The Civic Affairs Committee, chaired by the Rev. Rollin Polk, will have the responsibility to develop plans and projects to improve the appearance of the city and its surroundings. We want these im-

provements for our own sake because we live here, but they are absolutely necessary if we are to attract and hold tourists here long enough for them to spend a few dollars. More about this committee after additional members have been assigned and work gets underway.

It is becoming more and more difficult for newcomers to find suitable unfurnished rent houses in the two and three-bedroom category. If you have a vacant house for rent, please call the Chamber and make sure we have it listed. Most prospective tenants usually wind up in the Chamber office seeking assistance. There is no charge for this service.

We welcome two new members to the Chamber of Commerce this week: Billy Green, owner of the Billy Green Water Service, and P. V. McCutchen, owner of the Holiday Host Motel. We appreciate their confidence and enthusiasm in the work the chamber is doing.

Several new committees will be appointed within the next few weeks. Don't be surprised when you are called upon to serve on one of them. We need all the help we can get if we are to make Sonora the progressive and prosperous city it should be.

### THE FAMILY LAWYER

#### TARDY TAX RETURNS

Early one April, leaving home on an extended business trip, a man handed his wife their income tax returns.

"Remember to mail these before the 15th," he said.

She did remember—two months later. When the government added a penalty for tardiness, the man protested that it had been "just an innocent mistake." But in a court test, the penalty was upheld. The court said tax returns are too important a duty to be so lightly overlooked.

There is good reason for the annual scramble by taxpayers to get their returns in before the deadline. The penalty can be stiff—5 percent per month, up to 25 percent of the total tax.

To be sure, some excuses are good enough to ward off a penalty. You will be forgiven if your tardiness was due to what the law calls "reasonable cause."

In one case, the tax collector had no record of having received a man's return at all. Yet, evidence proved that it had been deposited in the post office on time, in a properly stamped, properly addressed envelope. A court held that no penalty for tardiness could be imposed.

"This would not be the first time," observed the judge, "that a collector had lost a return."

In another case, both the taxpayer and his attorney—the only other party familiar with the situation—were totally incapacitated by illness at tax time. Again: no penalty.

But lesser excuses won't do. For example, prior illness, not incapacitating as of tax time, does not justify a late return.

Nor does the mere fact that you don't happen to like the way the government is spending your money. Thus, penalties for tardiness were imposed on a businessman who resented Uncle Sam's "wasteful" habits, and on a minister who didn't want his money spent for war.

Why is the government so strict? That question was raised by a man who blamed his tardiness on the fact that other expenses had left him this reply:

"True, such situations may require sacrifice, but the government exists only by the sacrifice of its citizens. Taxes may seem oppressive, but taxes must be paid if governments are to endure."

A public service feature of the American Bar Association and the State of Texas. Written by Will Bernard.

### State Commission Delays Decision On Area Road

A letter from D. C. Greer, state highway engineer, saying that a decision concerning a requested area development road could not be reached immediately was read at the meeting of the County Commission Monday.

"Careful consideration has been given by the Highway Commission to the presentation of your delegation on April 1st, requesting the development of certain area roads in Edwards, Kimble, and Sutton counties," Greer's letter said.

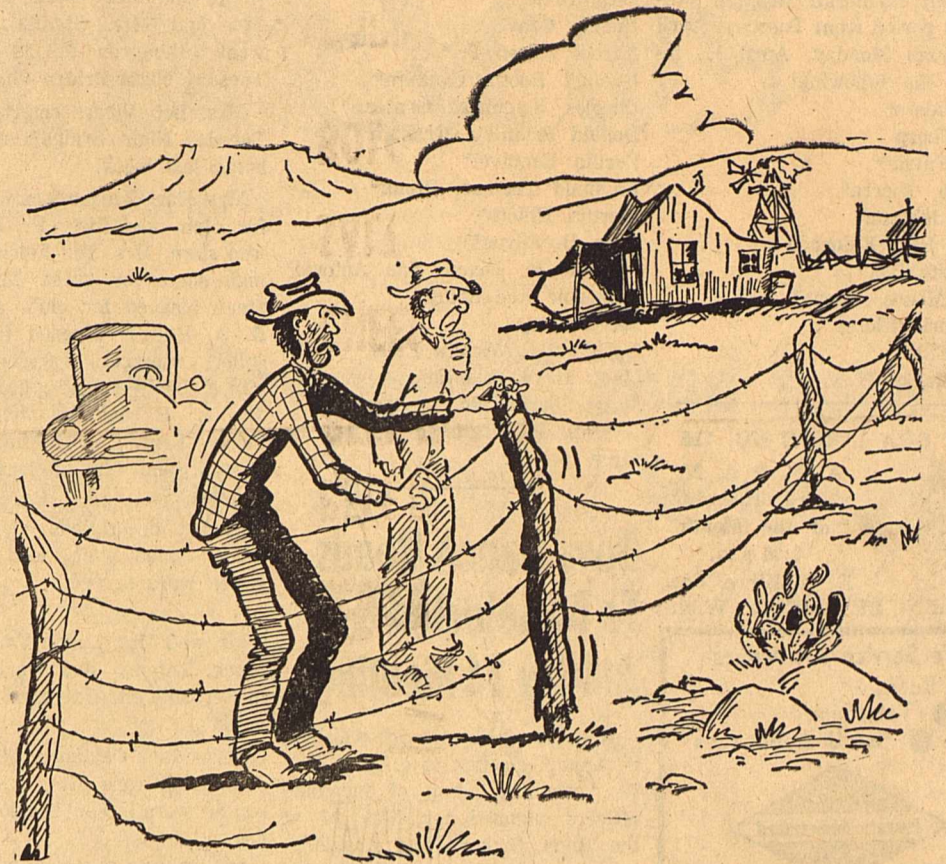
"The Highway Commission has directed that you be advised that additional information is necessary before a decision is made regarding your request. It is anticipated that 30 to 60 days will be required for the development of this information, after which a decision will be reached. You will be advised of such decision," the letter continued.

The proposed road, as outlined in the February meeting of the County Commission, would come from Rocksprings north through the Station B road to the present US 290. It would turn at the Roy Baker ranch to come northwest to join the Bond road coming to Sonora. The proposed road would also branch off about one mile north of the Sutton County line to go east along the "Cardwell" road to Telegraph.

Representatives of Kimble, Edwards, and Sutton counties requested that the State Highway Commission build the road.

### COW POKES

By Ace Reid



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- Margarine <sup>DIAMOND</sup> Lb. 19c
- Franco American SPAGHETTI - No. 300 15c
- VEG-ALL - No. 303 19c
- ELBERTA PEACHES - No. 2 1/2 29c
- JACK SPRAT Green Beans & NEW POTATOES - No. 303 19c
- FRANCO AMERICAN Spaghetti and MEAT BALLS - No. 300 29c
- MISSION PEAS - No. 303 19c



- CELLO BAG Carrots 10c lb.
- SUNKIST Oranges 15c lb.
- Red Grapefruit 12c lb.
- SUNKIST Lemons 15c lb.
- New Potatoes 10c lb.

### WIDE CHOICE OF MEATS PRICED LOW!

- Bacon <sup>Sweet Rasher</sup> lb. 65c
- BEEF ROAST - Good lb. 59c
- BEEF RIBS Good, lb. 39c
- CHEESE - Longhorn, lb. 65c
- SALT JOWL - lb. 39c
- BOLOGNA - All Meat, lb. 49c



Specials for Friday and Saturday, April 15 and 16

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After Graduation Where ??? Will our young people find their best career opportunities?



### You Can Help Write The Answer To This Question!

You have a definite stake in the future of the fine young people who are graduating from our high school this spring. Your Tax dollars helped to pay for their education. Many of them are your relatives, friends, or neighbors.

It would be to your advantage, as well as theirs, if they could build their careers where they got their education...right here at home! Only as we can keep MORE of our home-grown home educated talent at home, can our community grow and prosper as it should.

What can each of us do to help bring this about? Look at it this way: If most of the money we spend out of town every year were spent here at home, our local business activity would be stepped up substantially. More firms could expand...hire more people. Many new enterprises could be launched, create still more job opportunities.

You help strengthen the whole course of our economic life when you SHOP AT HOME.

