

by John T. King

Vacationettes seem to be the coming thing, as is evidenced by the recent congressional legislation designed to assure workers of five 3-day vacationettes a year by making four more holidays fall on Monday every year. Labor Day is the only holiday that presently falls on Monday.

Congress, perhaps the group best acquainted with long weekends, has finally decided to share the benefits of these vacationettes and has designated Monday observance of Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Veteran's Day and has added a new holiday, Columbus Day.

The idea of Monday holidays has been kicking around for some time, and has finally passed, but will not go into effect until January 1, 1971. This delay is to give calendar makers and state governmental bodies time to align with the new observances.

Still to be observed at the customary times are Christmas, New Year's Day, Independence Day and Thanksgiving.

Perhaps the two Sonorans most anxious for this change would be the J. L. Robbins. James works for Carl J. Cahill, Inc., and Pat is City Secretary. Their favorite vacationette is a red snapper fishing trip in the waters of the Gulf of Mexico.

At least once a year, with luck twice, the couple goes to Port Aransas or Port Isabel. At Port Aransas they board a bunk-equipped boat about midnight with about 15 or 20 other avid anglers. By 6 a.m. the group has arrived at the fishing grounds and the sport begins. When luck runs out in one spot the sonar-equipped boat heads for another location—and on until time to start back. The boat arrives at Port Aransas about 5 p.m.

If luck is good, the two will have up to a tub full of fish to take home. But do they eat them? "No, we like to catch them. We give them away," said Pat. "However, you can sell your catch or have them dressed any way you like and packed in ice for the trip home."

Chances are the Robbins and other Sonorans will find the 1971 vacationettes welcome breaks in a busy year.

Perhaps Congress, in its wisdom, long ago found a remedy better than any medicine for a hectic schedule — vacationettes: getting away from it all during a long weekend and pursuing some special interest or pastime that for a time takes one far away from everyday cares and worries.

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All-Star Team Sets District Play In Little League

Representing Sonora at the Little League meeting in Big Lake June 29 were T. R. Coker, Oliver Wuest and Dr. Charles Browne. District tournament dates and play-off sites were designated as follows:

In area I play Ozona hosts Sonora at 8 p.m. July 18, while Midkiff hosts Big Lake on the same date. The two winners of these games meet July 23.

In area III Rankin meets Pecos at Crane July 18, and Crane represents Area IV play. The winner of the Area III game meets Crane July 23.

The Area I or II winner will meet the Area III or IV winner July 26—time and site to be selected at a later date.

Sonora's Little League All-Star team, selected by the managers of the teams include Gabriel Mata Jr., Bruce Kerbow, Alan Harris, David Wallace, Juan Espinosa, Larry Cade and David Conger. Also Wayne Greenhaw, Teddy Coker, Paul Browne, Jerry Johns, Albert DeHoyas, Elias Gomez and Randy Hill.

Sponsors for the league games have been Neville's Department Store, Western Drug, Sam Allison, Willie Miers, First National Bank, and Foodway Stores.

Warren Hemphill Plans To Attend Banking School

Warren C. Hemphill, assistant cashier of First National Bank, will attend the Southwestern graduate school of banking at the S-MU campus in Dallas. Registration begins July 14 for a two-week session.

More than 510 bankers are enrolled for the session. Dean for Bankers is B. Finley Vinson, president of the First National Bank of Little Rock, Arkansas. The faculty is composed of more than 125 nationally-known bankers, lawyers, economists, and educators. Hemphill is a member of the Freshman class and a credit major.



MR. AND MRS. ESTES ADAMS ARE SHOWN here at one of the flowing wells located in "Bell Hollow" on the land belonging to Adams and his brother, P. E. Adams. This is one of the sev-

en producing wells located on the land. Three storage tanks are located nearby, and they hold approximately 1,050 gallons of oil where the oil is stored then presently trucked out.

Uncle Lum's Oil Advice Correct after 30 Years

By Dee Nevill
Nearly a quarter century ago C. W. (Columbus) Adams said to one of his children, "Son, I hope some of you will keep this land—or at least, the mineral rights. Someday there will be oil discovered here."
It was not long before he made

this statement that a "dry hole" had been drilled not far from where the home place still stands, but "Uncle Lum," with farsightedness typical of some of the pioneers of his day, never gave up hope. He felt that oil lay deep in the land just waiting for the right person to discover it.

That person, some twenty years or more later, turned out to be a young senior geologist with Lone Star Producing Company. Barth Bracken, an Oklahoma native, graduated from University of Oklahoma in 1954. He received his masters degree in geology there in 1958 and joined Lone Star Producing Co., a Lone Star Gas Company subsidiary at Abilene, in the same year.

Bracken said the unusual aspect of the Fort Terrett Ranch oil field in extreme eastern Sutton County is that it is an oil field. The name of the field was set up several years ago although it has no direct connection with Fort Terrett ranch as it is known in this area.

Prior to the discovery of the field by Lone Star, there had been no significant oil production in this county, although there are several large gas fields in Sutton County. The field, Bracken said, was located by careful study of oil producing formations of the same age in Runnels, Concho, Tom Green and Schleicher counties.

Careful detective work on wells already drilled in the eastern portion of Sutton County and neighboring Kimble County enabled Bracken and his fellow geologists at Lone Star to determine that conditions similar to those in other counties existed in eastern Sutton. The study by the geologists revealed a blanket of Lower Canyon Limestone about 70 miles in the north-south direction and 20 miles wide in extreme southern Tom Green, eastern Schleicher and Sutton counties with a zone of porosity 16 miles by four miles in eastern Sutton. This zone was de-

veloped by Bracken as good well control, that is, information from previously drilled wells. The approximate density of the wells was one or two per section.

Bracken admitted they found something somebody missed, but he added, "I hate to say anything about it, because we are all going to miss something at sometime."

Depth of the pay zone is 2,800 feet with the porous zone lying about 15 feet from the top of the Lower Canyon limestone. The porosity zone which yields the oil averages about 17 feet thick. The geologist pointed out that there are no structures of any kind in the field. The entrapment of the oil and gas is strictly as a result of the porosity pinchout on the north, east and south.

The field has been developed on 80-acre spacing. Bracken called the development on wider spacing with the new allowable yardsticks "beneficial."

Lone Star has 22 wells in the field and Casex has 4. On the P. E. Adams and J. E. Adams ranch there are seven producing wells. These seven wells alone bring in around \$30,000 per month to the holders of the mineral rights.

For some time the oil has been trucked out by a trucking concern to a pipeline in the Huldale field in Schleicher county.

Cardinal Petroleum Corporation of San Antonio is presently trucking the oil but will begin a pipe-

Sonora's Weather

Compiled by Pat Brown

	Rain	Hi	Lo
Wednesday, June 26	.00	98	67
Thursday, June 27	.00	94	61
Friday, June 28	.00	96	72
Saturday, June 29	.00	96	74
Sunday, June 30	.00	93	75
Monday, July 1	.00	94	72
Tuesday, July 2	T	93	68

Rainfall for the month of June, 4.3; Rain for the year, 15.27.

\$100,000 Tract Sold To Gulf

Gulf Oil Corporation notified the City of Sonora Monday that it is exercising an option executed with the city on April 10 to buy the tract of land near the present entrance of the airport. Expiration date of the option would have been July 30. Purchase price is \$100,000. The land is located at the southwest corner of the intersection of proposed IH-10 and existing US Hwy. 277, "fronting 200 feet of useable frontage providing ingress and egress from US Hwy. 277 and fronting 250 feet on the South property line." The tract of land contains approximately 50,000 square feet.

Commissioners Meeting
Mayor A. E. Prugel and city commissioners W. B. McMillan and Mrs. T. K. Nevill, in a meeting July 1, made disposition of the

\$130,000 paid to the City by Texaco. The City will pay off general warrants outstanding in the amount of \$21,000 due First National Bank. The warrants were issued in payment of swimming pool building cost, slaughter house building and a pumper fire truck purchased previously.

The City Council also approved the depositing of \$50,000 in the First National Bank on certificate of deposit and an additional \$25,000 in a savings account. All indebtedness incurred in moving and relocating Sonora Golf Club will be paid out of the balance of the amount received from Texaco for the purchase of 1.09 acres of land on IH 10.

Telephone Rate Hearing Set

In other city business the council plans to meet with General Telephone Company representatives July 16 at 9 a.m. for discussion of the proposed rate increase asked by the company in Sonora.

County Shares Fence Expense
Sutton County Commissioners court agreed to pay one-half of the expense of erecting the fence around the swimming pool area and share with the city in the total cost. The city and county each paid \$1,001.50 to fence the area.

Budget and Tax Meeting
City council set August 19 at 9 a.m. as a special called meeting for the purpose of discussion of the budget and tax increase or decrease, as the case may be.

Primo Gonzalez Jr. Completes Training At Fort Polk

Army Private Primitivo Gonzalez Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Primitivo Gonzalez Sr., completed nine weeks of advanced infantry training June 8 at Fort Polk, La. His last week of training was spent in guerrilla warfare exercises.

Pvt. Gonzalez' wife, Enequina, lives in Knickerbocker, Texas.

Scattered Rainfall Hits Area Ranches

by E. B. Keng, SCS Technician

After a June dry "spell" for most Sonora areas, scattered rains drenched northeast Sutton county Tuesday morning. W. B. McMillan's Mann ranch received 1.60 to 3.00 inches; Frank Bond reported 2.00 inches; and rains were general from the Joe Logan ranch eastward. Scattered showers formed in the area Tuesday afternoon.

Most of the Edwards Plateau soil and water conservation districts remained very dry, however, particularly the western one half. Rainfall is badly needed to produce grass growth. The very heavy spring growth of annual weeds suppressed most grass growth through May.

Mesquite spraying has been in full swing when the wind permitted, but is about over. The total acreage is not yet known, but more mesquite has been sprayed this spring than in any previous year.

A partial list of ranchmen who have sprayed mesquite include W. R. and Ben Cusenbary, Thomas Morris, Mack Cauthorn, Mrs. Ed Mayfield, Alice Jones, Edwin Sawyer, Rip Ward, Lea Roy Aldwell, W. B. McMillan, Sam and Lea Allison, Albert Schultz, Bill Tittle, Robert Halbert, Joe Logan and Vestel Askew.

From a plant that was formerly limited to scattered large trees only in deep soil areas, mesquite since the 1951-57 drought has become our most important brush problem. Shallow soil areas on hills where mesquite has never grown before are becoming rapidly infested.

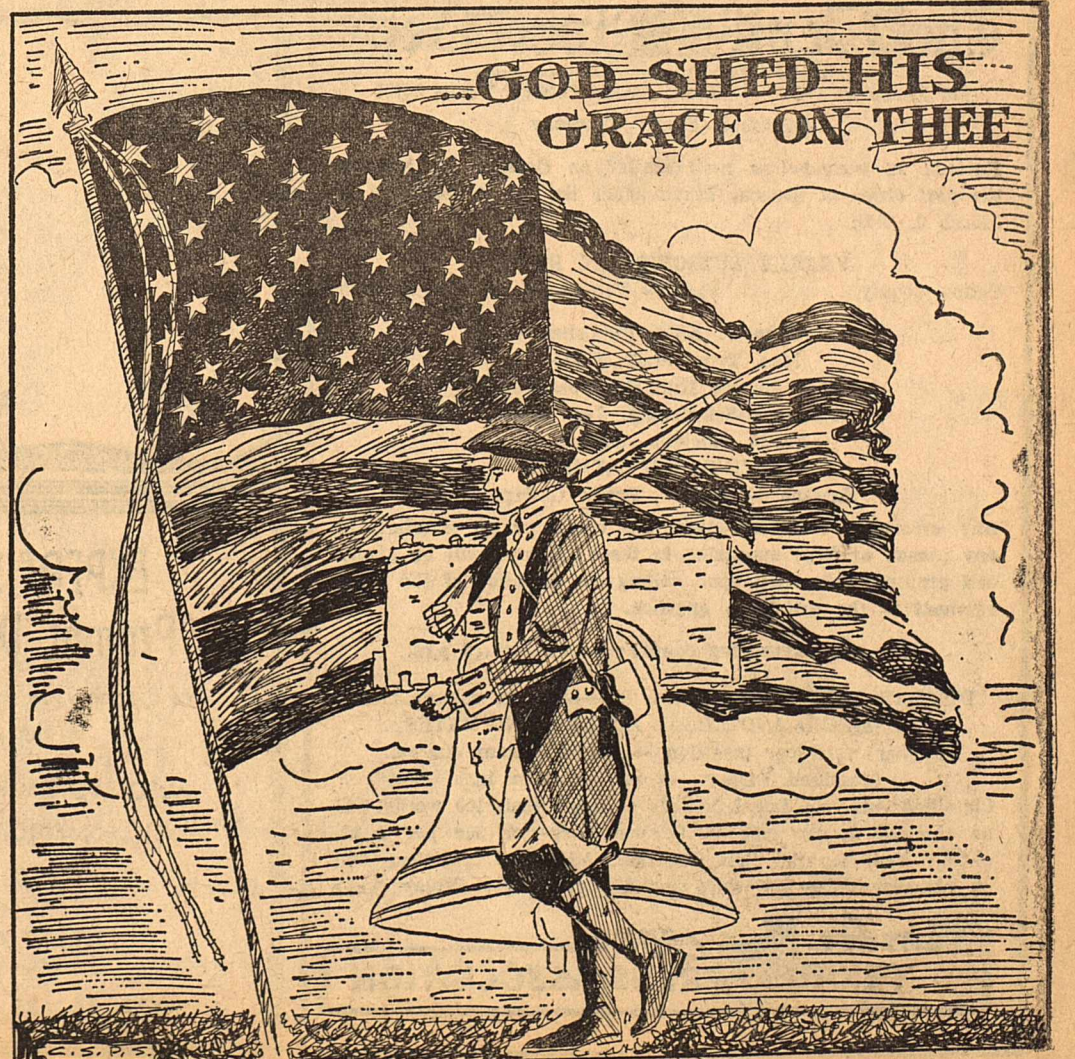
Ranchmen are urged to give pastures a three month rest following brush control. This rest is particularly important in order that moisture previously used by brush can be used by good grasses—rather than by invading, unpalatable weeds.



E. L. HARRELL, SUTTON COUNTY ROAD maintenance foreman, pauses for a few minutes at the Sonora Golf Club grounds where he and his crew were busy last week paving and relocating roads to the grounds. Thanks to the

efficiency and hard work of Harrell and his crew of men all paving is now completed at the golf course. Roads had to be extended when the club house was moved to its present location.

INDEPENDENCE DAY



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THE OPEN DOOR

I have been asked a number of times during the past ten years how The Open Door came about and how many issues have been published.

It was 1916 and the writer was a young salesman. It was getting dark one cold winter day when my car became stuck on the road between Lometa and San Saba in central Texas.

Some two hundred yards off the

road shone a single light in a small farmhouse. The writer knocked on the door—the almost exact replica is on the front cover—and a man, his wife and their three-year old girl invited me to come inside.

My hosts were simple but charming, and insisted that I spend the night. The room I occupied was one of three and was spotlessly clean—the floor looked as if it had been scrubbed every day with lye.

The next morning we had to chop the frozen mud from the wheels of my car before a mule could pull it from the mudhole and I could be on my way.

Every thirty days or so I would travel between Lometa and San Saba and would stop for a few minutes to visit with this kind family.

Then one day I found the house empty. They had moved away overnight without leaving a new address, and I never saw them again.

This man and his family will always be etched in my memory and were the inspiration for the name and cover of The Open Door. And there have been over 300 issues published.

And now back to thoughts we had had for some time about "open doors."

Life is a corridor, stretching far and wide, and all you can see are doors—lots of doors—and there is no end and no beginning.

And to these doors one must find a key to enter. There are keys of heredity and environment, and then there are keys which must be forged again and again before they fit.

There are many names on these doors—happiness, courage, faith, work, love.

There is a door marked happy-

ness. One person's happiness isn't like another's. We all have different standards and demands so we may fashion a hundred keys during our lifetime while walking down that long corridor before the right one is miraculously in our hand.

The door called courage doesn't open to just any old key. It takes a long time to make the right key, forged with trust and with faith.

Then there is the door called faith. Everyone should enter this door and as soon as they can, for we all must believe. You may forge any number of keys before one slips in easily and you can gain an inner peace and calmness.

There is a door called work. You may make a dozen keys and still cannot open this door, but sooner or later with perseverance, guidance and honest effort you'll find just the right combination.

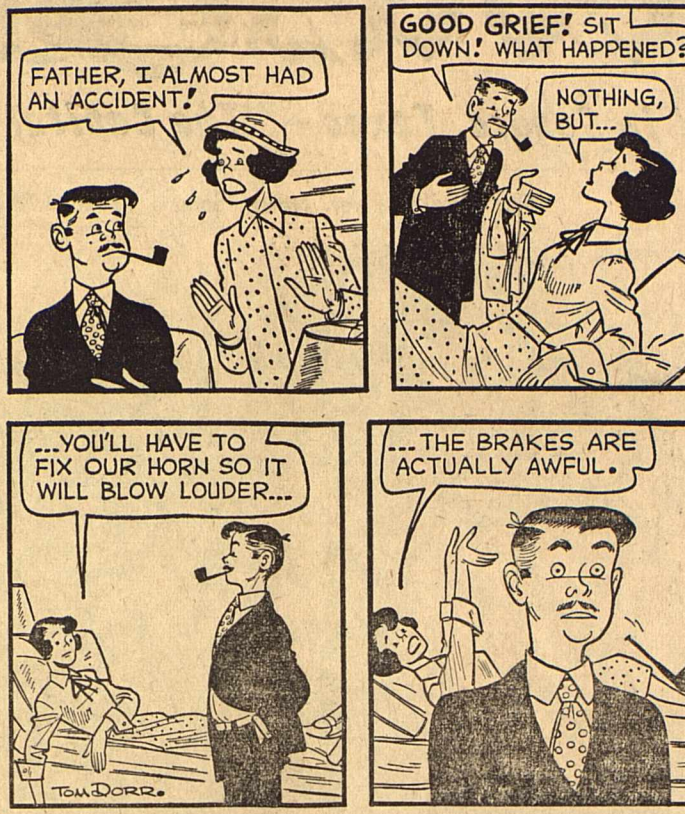
And the door called love. It is the only one which is not a one-key door. You need two keys to open it and they must be inserted in the lock simultaneously by two people. They must be forged with tender care and loving attention to just the right temper and detail.

There are other doors—many, many more, in fact. Each is different and requires a different key. But each is an "open door" and each is important, and the more doors we enter the fuller our life will be and the richer our heritage.

M. M. Moody

CANDY

BY TOM DORR



from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK

DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

July 3, 1958
 Lea Roy Aldwell and Clay T. Puckett will be ordained to the Sacred Order of Deacons of the Episcopal Church by the Rev. Richard Earl Discus, D. D. at St. John's Church July 10. ...

July 3, 1948
 Effective today, "trouble shooters" of the West Texas Utilities San Angelo district, will get their orders by radio.

July 1, 1938
 Tomorrow Sam Hull, Sonora business man, will have the formal opening of his new Mobilgas Service Station. In charge for Mr. Hull at the station are R. H. Calk, formerly of Del Rio, and Bailey Renfro, who has lived in Sonora a number of years.

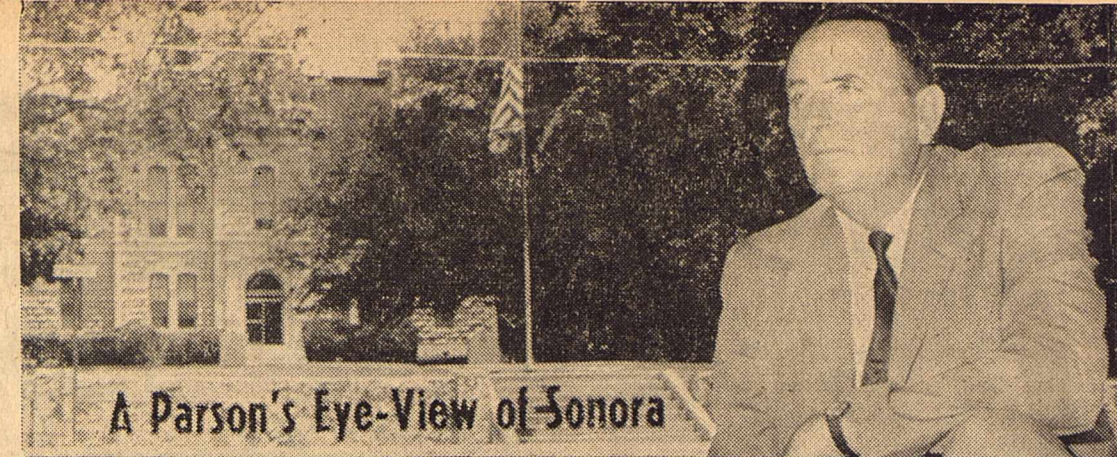
July 1, 1938
 Sale of a 30,000 pound lot of 12-month wool at 22 cents a pound brought the total wool and mohair sales by the Sutton county warehouse firm in June to 313,693 pounds.

July 1, 1938
 From ad City Variety Store: "Friday and Saturday only, 72c-90c bleached white sheets, 39 cents." From Piggly Wiggly: "Baby Beef Roast, 18 cents pound—Leg O' Lamb, 20 cents pound."

65 Years Ago
 Prof. Jas. Cusenbary, who is teaching school in Juno was in Sonora this week visiting his family. The professor says there are 40 pupils and that the trustees have ordered a new set of school furniture.

Mort Tankersly sold his 985 sheep to the Armstrong Packing Co. of Dallas. They averaged 8 1/2 pounds and sold for \$3.75 per hundred. The freight charges from Angelo to Dallas average 22 cents a head.

Robert Drennan, the artistic painter from San Angelo, will arrive in Sonora Monday and will remain for a week or two.



BY THE REV. ROSS T. WELCH

July 7 will be "New Parson Sunday" in Sonora with two new pastors filling the pulpits for the first time in the Hope Lutheran Church and St. John's Episcopal Church.

We met the Rev. Stuart Firmhaber, his wife, daughter and three sons while they were sitting around in the yard, waiting for a key to get into their new home. I believe this is their first experience in Texas; but as the little boy in the big cap who advertises Phillips gasoline on television says, "They'll get used to it."

As for the Rev. Norman Griffith, he had no refrigerator in the rectory when we first ran into him, and we helped him ice up a small chest to keep the milk cold until morning. We appreciated Mable VanderStucken's invitation to have lunch with the Episcopal congregation Sunday, but regret that we shall be out of town

There is a good possibility that the Presbyterians may fill their vacant pulpit in the near future—and that should put us back to full clerical strength.

While we are on the subject, let me remind the local ministers of a Ministerial Alliance meeting at the Bank, Friday, July 12, at 10:30 a.m. We will check on final plans for our Sutton County Homecoming Service July 14 on the Court House Lawn.

This is the fourth annual observance of a custom that originated with the 75th Anniversary Jubilee, celebrating the founding of Sonora. As usual, we meet at 7 p.m. Sunday evening for a basket supper. This will be followed by some spirited singing led by Joe Lane.

Preacher for the occasion will be Dr. Gordon Clinard, pastor of the First Baptist Church in San Angelo. We have every confidence that he will bring a challenging sermon, on a par with those given by his predecessors in this annual meeting, making it a very fine experience.

One of my most interested readers, Mrs. Jewel Alexander Brown of Brawley, California, wrote expressing her appreciation for the picture now being used to head this column. She had this to say about Sutton County Court House: "As a child I lived across the way from the court house. It was the first building I saw after arising in the morning and the last one I saw before going to bed in the evening. In all kinds of weather, summer and winter, it stood strong and silent. It seemed to give a little child inner strength."

Congratulations to Frank French, on being elected head restauran-

ter in this area.

Cee Wee and Cindy Johnson and two friends from the state of Washington were enjoying big breakfasts at the Big Tree the other morning. No wonder they were hungry, they had already been for a swim in one of Grandpa Alvis' water tanks.

Yesterday was the last day of summer school for some forty or more students who have been studying math this summer.

Pat Reardon, graduate of Texas A&M University, now stationed at the Experiment Station and working on his Ph. D., will be the preacher at the Methodist Church Sunday morning. Miss Peggy Grobe will serve as pianist until she leaves for the second term of summer school. Doyle Morgan will be in charge of the service.

Last Sunday was Anniversary Sunday. The O. L. Richardsons were celebrating their 48th and the Joe Logans, their tenth.

Having a cookout? Try roasted corn—Indian style. Pull back shucks and remove silks. Replace husks and tie ends with string. Soak in cold water to prevent excessive browning. Place ears on grill; roast 15 to 20 minutes, turning frequently until husks are dry and browned.

My wife does not often breathe a sigh of relief when the bill is presented, but that was exactly what she did when John David presented his bill for the wedding pictures he made at our son's wedding.

I believe the telephone company recommends that anyone placing a call permit the receiving telephone to ring six times before hanging up the receiver. When people call my office, they expect instantaneous response because they know the telephone is right by my elbow.

This morning, however, the unit in my office is dead, making it necessary to run down the stairs after I hear the downstairs phone ringing. Usually the final ring will sound as I am on the bottom step and all I hear on taking down the receiver is a dial tone.

The moral of this story is: Don't hang up the receiver too quickly.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

- Thursday, July 4
Independence Day
- Saturday, July 6
2:30-5:30 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open
- Sunday, July 7
Services at the church of your choice
- Monday, July 8
8:30 a.m., City Commissioners meeting at City Hall
- Tuesday, July 9
12 noon, Downtown Lions Club meeting in Fellowship Hall of First Methodist Church
- 2:45 p.m., Sonora P-TA meeting
- 7 p.m., L. W. Elliott P-TA meeting at L.W. Elliott school
- Wednesday, July 10
2:30-5:30 p.m. Sonora Woman's Club Library open

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THE DEVIL'S RIVER PHILOSOPHER SEZ Such Few Things Are Unimportant These Days, But Here's One That Is

Editor's note: The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitterweed ranch on Dry Devil's River takes a minor look at the tax situation this week, more or less.

Dear editor:

I don't know that this is very important, but there are so many starkly important things staring us in the face from one side of the world to the other these days that when a man runs across an unimportant one he ought to grab hold of it. There aren't too many of them left.

At any rate, I read an article on an inside page of a newspaper last night about a motorist in England who refused to pay a 12-cent toll to cross a bridge because, he said, the tax was imposed 900 years ago by King Canute and couldn't possibly apply to a modern automobile. Despite the fact that since the year 1023 people have continued to pay the tax, he said, 900 years is long enough and he refused to pay. Of course they

took him to court and made him pay anyway.

Clearly that man doesn't know the first thing about taxation.

He should have been grateful that King Canute thought up the idea of charging him only for crossing the bridge. Had Canute been on the ball he would have taxed a man to come onto the bridge, then taxed him an equal amount to get off the other end. Have you got time to figure up how much tax money England would have brought in during the past 900 years if that bridge tax had been 24 cents instead of 12? Probably could have made enough to have left the tax off of tea and saved us the trouble of holding Presidential elections.

Another thing that man doesn't know about taxation is that a tax's age has nothing to do with it. The longer ago a tax was thought up, the more used to it people become and the easier it is to collect. The easiest tax to collect is one that was thought up and put into effect before you were born. If we're smart we'll be figuring out some taxes now to go into effect just before the next generation arrives.

The fact that King Canute may have told his people that bridge tax was just a temporary measure till England got on its feet, has nothing to do with it.

Any man who has studied the matter knows that there's nothing more temporary than a permanent wave or more permanent than a temporary tax.

Yours faithfully,
 J. A.

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1 1/2 Ton (18,000 BTU)	54.00 to 90.00 for 6 month operation	Cost per month 9.00 - 15.00 average

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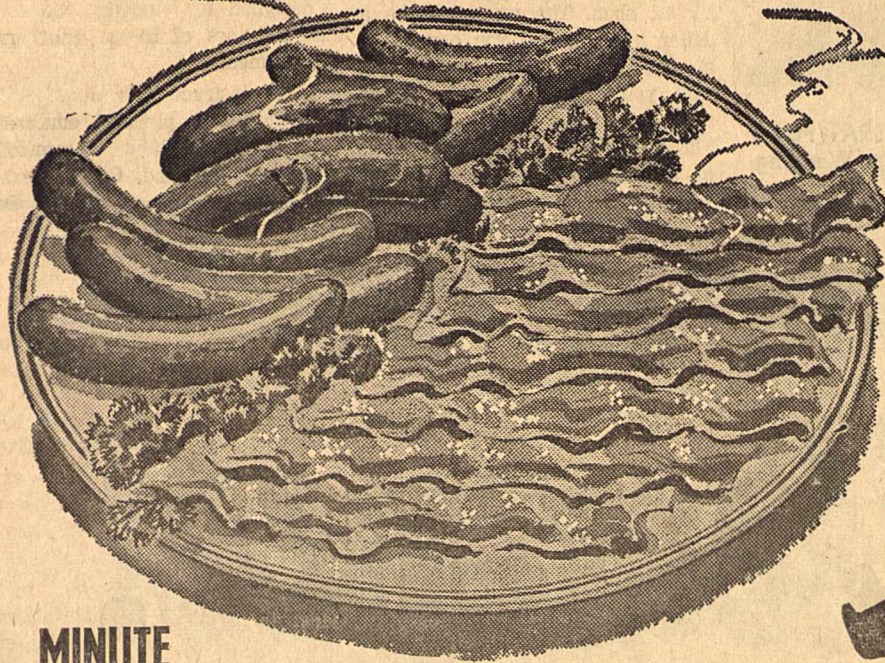
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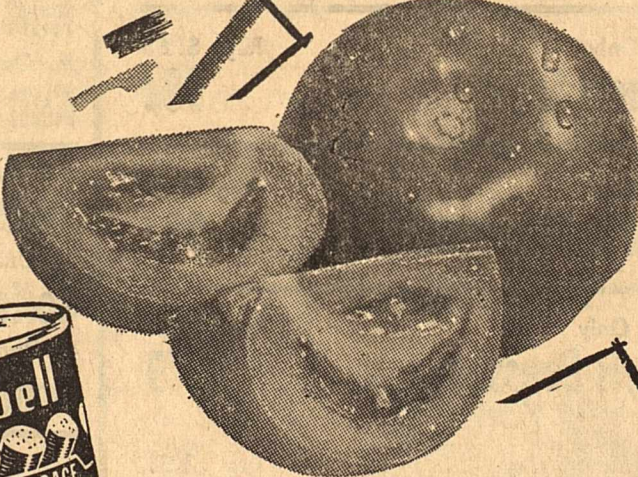
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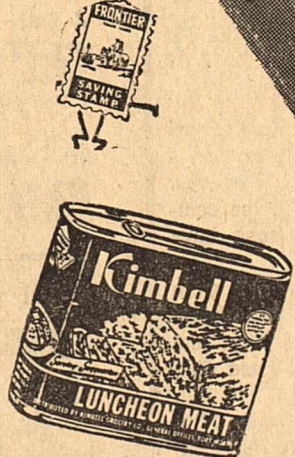
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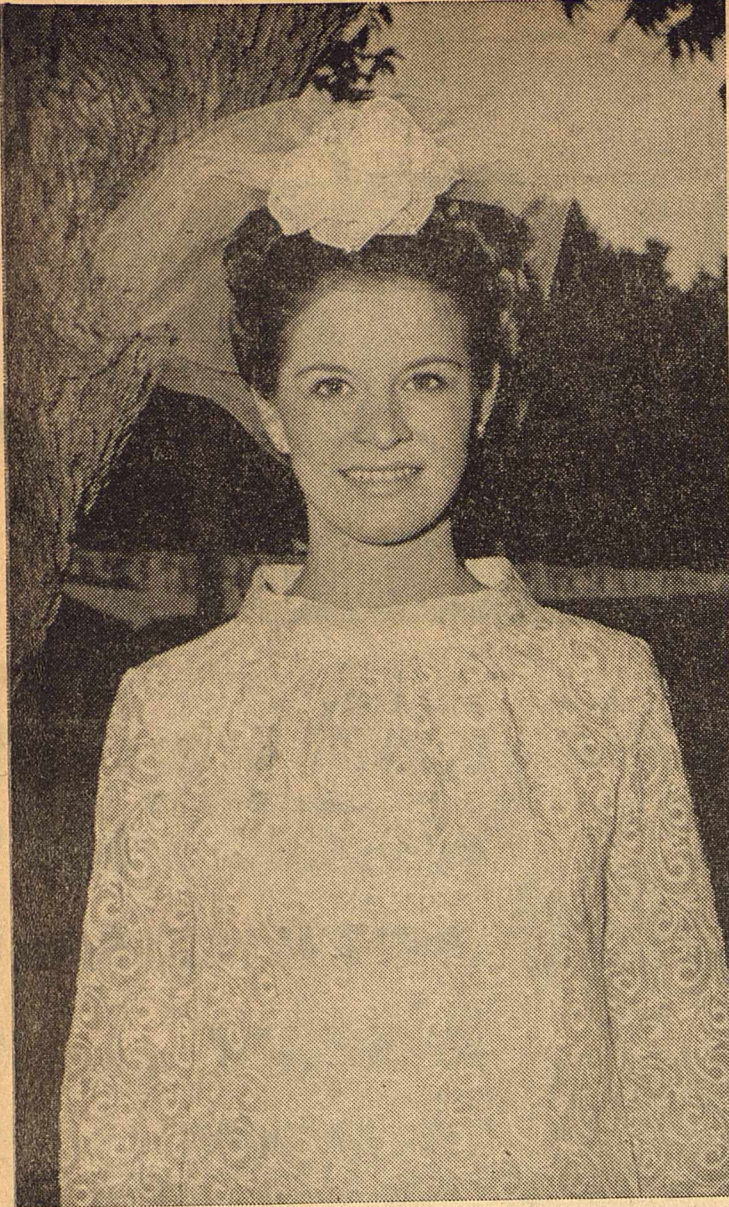
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Phone News to Hazel McClelland, 387-2513

Mrs. G. E. McNeely and Emily Lu of Oklahoma City have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Jones Sr. and Mrs. Pat Cooper. While they were here, Mrs. Cooper and Mrs. McNeely went to San Saba to visit Mr. and Mrs. Don Cooper and Patric.

Idle Hour Club

Mrs. Belle Steen entertained the Idle Hour Bridge Club members and guests with a bridge party at the Commercial Cafe June 25. A dessert plate was served to Mmes. Sterling Baker, Ben Cusenbary, Rex Cusenbary, Frankie Gibson, R. A. Halbert, J. F. Howell, Edwin Mayer of San Angelo, Joe Brown Ross, Thomas Morriss, Bob Vickers, George Wynn, Sim Glasscock, Lottie Kelley, Robert Kelley, Arthur Carroll, Eulah Newell, W. T. Hardy, Paul Turney, Ed Mayfield and Collier Shurley.

Mrs. Morriss won high for club; Mrs. Wynn won second high for club; Mrs. Ross won the slam prize, and Mrs. Robert Mayer binged for club. Mrs. Newell won high for guests, and Mrs. Turney binged.

Tuesday Night Bridge Club Mrs. W. O. Crites entertained with bridge June 25 at her home. A dessert plate was served. Present were Mmes. Bob Vickers, Louie Trainer, R. A. Halbert, L. E. Johnson Jr., E. D. Shurley, Thomas Morriss, Nolan Johnson, Leon Neely, Pete Thompson, Rip Ward and George Wynn. Mrs. Vickers won high for club; Mrs. Trainer won the slam prize, and Mrs. Shurley binged for club. Mrs. Morriss won high for guests, and Mrs. Nolan Johnson won the bingo prize.

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Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Prugel have returned from the Lions International Convention at Dallas. They report they had a wonderful time.

Mrs. Mack Cauthorn has returned from a fishing trip to Falcon, and says she had real good luck. Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Van Hoozer, Mark, Tammy, and Marla this past few days were Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Van Hoozer, Johnny and David and Linda Basse all from Kerrville; Mr. and Mrs. John W. Henning Jr., and Lisa of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sherwood and family of Sapulpa, Oklahoma, and Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Burditt and Cindy of Del Rio. Mrs. Burditt and Mrs. Henning are Calvin's sisters, and David and Johnny Van Hoozer are his brothers. They all left for a family reunion and camping trip to the south Llano.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Schwiening of Junction were visiting here this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Oliver of Toyahvale were here this week visiting her mother, Mrs. Sim Glasscock, and her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Glasscock.

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Mrs. Sam Crites and Mrs. Pearl Crites have returned from Bryan where they visited with relatives. Mrs. Pearl Crites visited the cemetery where her two sons have been buried.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Awalt were in San Angelo last weekend visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Awalt, Randy and Shell.

Mrs. Frank Turney and Mrs. Jake Merck were in Coleman, Sat.

Angora Goat Field Day The Ranch Experiment Station's annual Angora goat field day has been scheduled for July 10 at station headquarters south of Sonora. The program begins at 9 a.m. and will end at 3:30 p.m.

Dr. Leo B. Merrill, head of the Station, and James W. Menzies, research associate, are in charge of the program. 4-H club members will serve a barbeque dinner at noon.

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Sondra Crawford Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Crawford announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sondra Lou, to Alan Strickland of Ozona.

Miss Crawford is a 1968 honor graduate of Sonora High School and her fiancé is a 1965 graduate of Ozona High School. He is employed by Winters Construction Company.

The wedding has been set for August 16.

The average use of electric power in the American home rose to an estimated record high of 5,565 kilowatt-hours during 1967, an increase of some 300 kilowatt-hours over the preceding year.



SONDRA LOU CRAWFORD Plans August Wedding

Saint Ann's Recaps

by Monica Davis

Saint Ann's is having devotions from Saint Ann's went to Del Rio to our Lady of Perpetual Help. Sunday to a meeting being held there. Jesus Velardes, Polo Garza, will be held every Wednesday at and Gilo Favila made a three day the seven o'clock Masses. It is retreat while there.

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June 30 was Communion Sunday for the members of the Altar Society. Our monthly meeting was held immediately after 7 a.m. Mass. It was decided at the meeting, that a Chick-a-mole dinner will be served Sunday, July 7. The ladies will start serving dinner at noon. The price will be a dollar a plate, and you can eat it at the Parish Hall, or take it with you. The Society is having the dinner for their candidate, Mary Cook. The proceeds will go to the building fund.

Mary Gonzales to TWU Workshop Mrs. Mary Gonzales, who teaches physical education at Harlandale Junior High in San Antonio, is attending a special class at Texas Women's University in Denton in the college of health and physical education. The workshop is designed for students, teachers and directors of fitness programs for laymen.

Guest instructor is Joan Sullivan who is a physical education teacher at Portland Community College in Portland, Oregon.

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MRS. ROSS T. WELCH II, formerly Sheryl Rosfeld, and her husband will make their home in San Antonio, where both are employed. Mrs. Welch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Monty Rosfeld of Seguin, and her husband, Ross, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Ross T. Welch, were united in marriage at the First Methodist Church June 8.



by Monica Davis

We are really 'up town' now. We are paved all around, and our patio front is cleared off down to

number nine green with plans for grass to be planted down and around the green. It is truly going to be a lovely, cool, and relaxing place to be.

Firemen's Corner

Where was the fire? Friday, June 28, around 9 a.m. there was a trash fire next to Rip Ward's pasture on the Del Rio Highway. Saturday, June 29, a car belonging to Wynn Saunders of Ozona caught fire about 14 miles out of Sonora on the Ozona road. Sunday, June 30, there was a grass fire in back of the hospital. Monday, July 1, there was a grass fire on a vacant lot next to A. C. Hudson's.

The firemen met June 26 for their regular meeting. They discussed the problems of the district and had a report on the State Convention.

Remember there are three things to make a fire. They are fuel, air and heat. Remove any one or more of these elements and there can be no fire.

Our picture window, facing the green, is just before being put in, and the big beautiful window that J. W. Neville gave us is already in and over the kitchen sink. For years, and years, and years, we've been wanting this and now we have it. Thank you J.

Two of our younger set have the most gorgeous tan you have ever seen. Peggy Lynn Grobe and Jan McClelland are playing quite a bit of golf these days, and doing quite well with the game besides getting the enviable tan.

Cube that leftover baked ham, alternate with pineapple chunks on a skewer, drizzle with barbecue sauce, then broil.

To stop fruit pie spillover, thicken the juice with quick-cooking tapioca.

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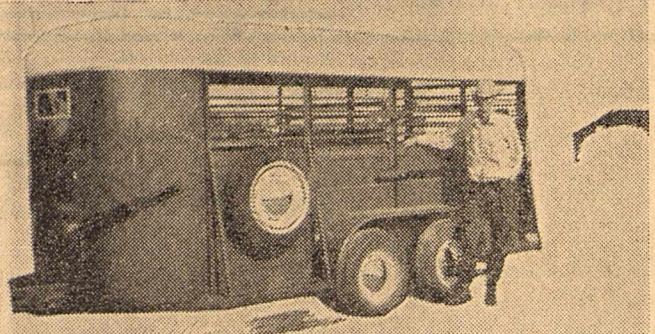
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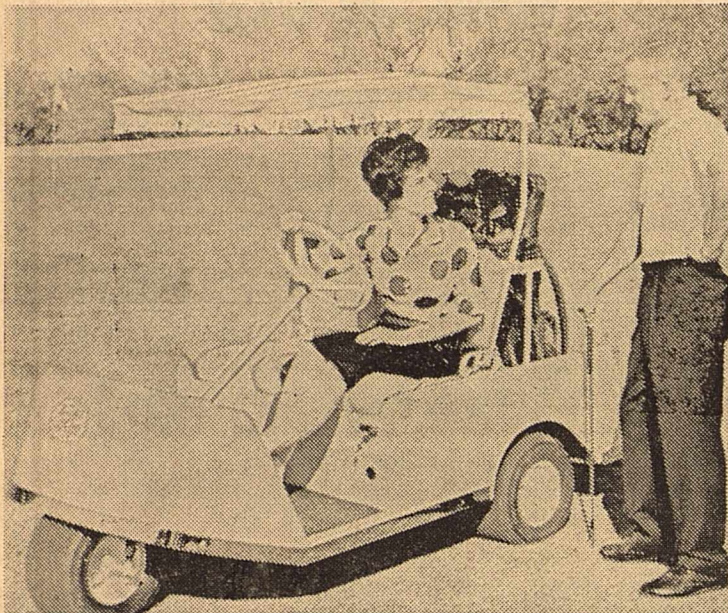
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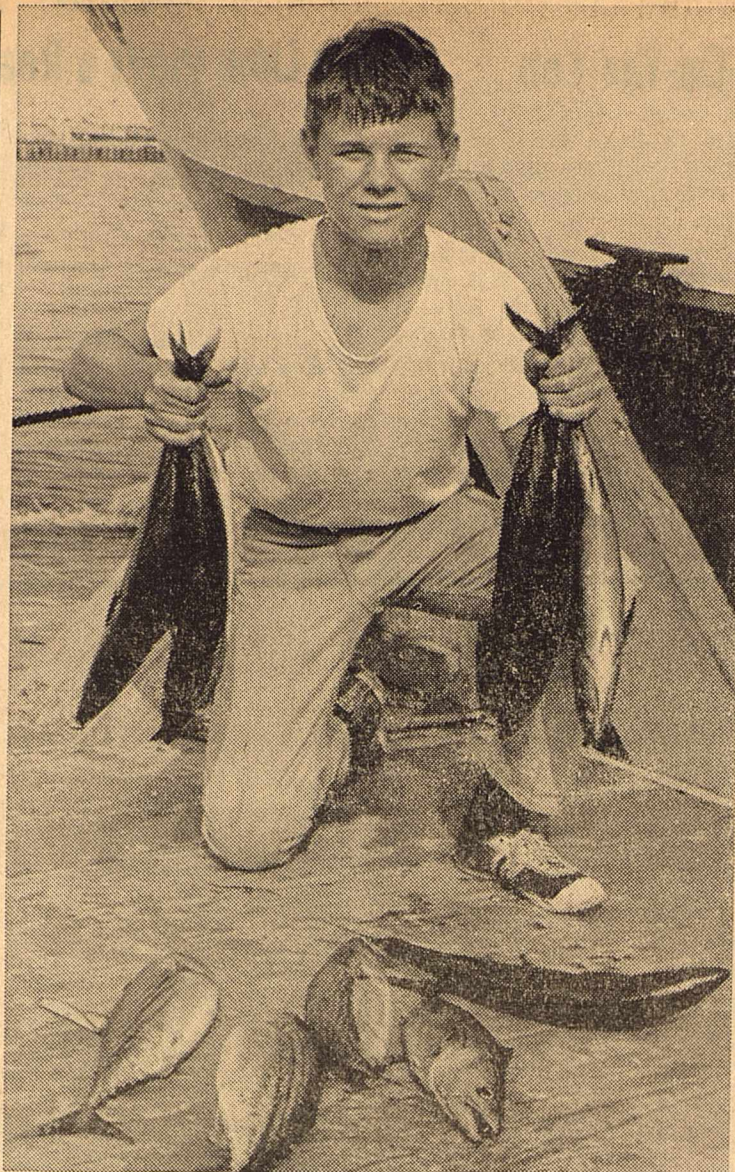
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RICK STREET DISPLAYS THIS GROUP OF BONITO in a one-day fishing catch while he and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Street and their sons, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shelton and family in Los Angeles. The Streets recently spent a week visiting the Sheltons in California. After this exciting catch the fishing bug has caught up with Rick



JIMMY H. HARRIS AND CLAY CADE (not shown) were team managers for the Little League Cardinals. Team members, first row, reading from left to right are Alan Harris, John

Elliott, Larry Finklea, and Dennis Thorn. Shown on the second row are Bill Finklea, Larry Cade, David Wallace, Rafael Valencia, Oscar Galindo, Keith Kniffen, Allen Thorn, and Juan Perez.

Snips, Quips, And Lifts

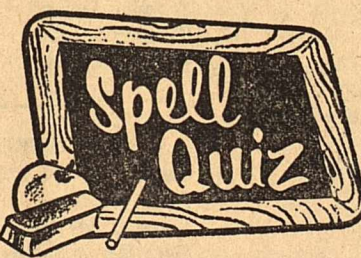
By Lottie Lee Baker
—Ten years ago the moon was an inspiration to poets and an opportunity for lovers. Ten years from now it will just be another airport.
—The name of the Ku Klux Klan originated from the Greek word "kuklos" meaning ring.
—The world would be a lot better off if people would do nothing when they have nothing to do.
—To avoid trouble and insure

safety, breathe through your nose. It keeps the mouth shut.
—When the alarm rings the best part of the day is over.
—He who keepeth his shoulder to the wheel is not likely to get it pinned to the mat.
The reason for the mini-skirt isn't hard to find: The fashion was invented To match the mini-mind

—Neither race nor color nor frustration is an excuse for lawless ness or anarchy.
—Those ready-to-serve foods are certainly a boon to a ready-to-eat family.
—One thing this country needs is a shopping cart with four wheels that go in the same direction.
—Blaming your faults on your nature doesn't change the nature of your faults.
—Opportunity isn't likely to knock at a fellows door if bill collectors are standing there.
—Rumors are a lot like rabbits. It doesn't take much to get them started. They multiply quickly. And if they spread unchecked, they can cause people much grief.

A LIFT FOR THE WEEK
Blessed is the man who is too busy to worry in the daytime and too tired to lie awake at night.

Insisting on the right-of-way without regard for safety is a good way to end up "dead right." The Portland, Oregon, Traffic Safety Commission advises drivers to give a little. It's one of the first principles of defensive driving.



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HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients receiving treatment at Hudspheth Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, June 26, to Monday, July 1, include the following:
Paula Gonzales *
Margaret Nixon, Eldorado *
Lillie Simmons
Mamie Browning
Orlean Ramsay, Eldorado *
Maude Baker, Junction
Jesse H. Ford
Carrie Alexander, Eldorado
Herlinda Jimenez
Blanche Regeon

Howells Have Guests
Dr. and Mrs. Frank Howell of Amarillo visited with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Howell on their way to Kerrville to see their sons at Camp Stewart. Over the weekend they also visited in San Antonio attending HemisFair. The Howell's grandchildren, Lesley and Henry Smith, stayed here for a visit.

Dr. and Mrs. Howell will have their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allen and children, Kay, Nancy, Suzanne, and Brent as holiday visitors. The Allens who are from Perryton, will visit several points of interest in the area before returning home next week.

SS Representative Sets July Visit

Jules Gipson, claims representative for the San Angelo social security office will be at the County courthouse from 8:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. on Friday, July 12. Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the social security administration may contact him at this time.

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Turkeys Top July Plentiful List

The turkey industry is having its July "Summer Turkey Cook-out" program, says the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

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Eggs, summer vegetables, peaches, plums, watermelons and vegetable fats and oils are the other foods reported plentiful.

July egg production is expected to be only slightly below last year's output. You might want to try fixing an egg and turkey salad for a tasty combination.

Such vegetables as celery, lettuce, green beans, green peppers, summer squash, tomatoes and cabbage are available in plentiful volume.

Peaches, plums and watermelons will be above average in supply. Summer is the ideal time to eat cold, cold slices of peaches and watermelons.

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On the bulletin board in the office of a large Texas firm is a huge chart. It shows the vacation schedule of each employee. Also the route each will follow on his or her vacation trip.

In nearly every instance each employee had specified where he would be spending the night. In addition, each gave a description of his or her automobile, its color, make, model, year and license number.

"So far it has never been necessary to make an emergency contact with any of our vacationing employees," said the office manager. "However, if an emergency ever arises, we can easily get in touch with any person."

Isn't this a good practice for anyone to follow who travels? This, whether he be a salesman, hunter, a fisherman or just vacationing?

Much contacting trouble can be eliminated by the simple process of keeping your automobile description and license number on file in your office or with someone who may need to contact you. A friend of mine who travels a great deal, files what he calls his "flight plan". He makes three copies of his itinerary. One he leaves with his secretary, the other

with his wife and the third with the girl at the office switchboard. Thus he has a three-way assurance of being reached in case of an emergency.

There are all kinds of safety precautions which may prevent a serious accident, either in your car or on the water. Remember—this is vacation time. Usually it is one of the most disastrous periods of the year. People hurry to the summer vacation spot. Then dash home hurriedly to get the kiddies back in school.

As a result of all this hurry, each year several hundred motorists fail to make it home in one piece. Tragedy is even greater, when we start out for pleasure and end up with a serious accident. It mars forever the joy we might have had. All the precautions we may take may never be enough. But if one life is saved—some misery is prevented—it's well worth the effort to exercise care.

These same practices should be employed by the boater.

Every person who goes out in a boat should have an efficient life preserver. It shouldn't be just a makeshift, something merely to comply with the law. It should be a life preserver that will work under the most difficult conditions.

Just a seat cushion is all right for the person who is a good swimmer—if he can take it with him when he goes overboard (which is seldom possible)—or there is someone to toss it to him when he hits the water. But a cushion is inadequate for most women and children and quite a few men. Few know how to use them.

Even a skibelt would be better. The standard, round-like-a-doughnut, life preserver, with rope attached, is much better.

A body fitting life preserver is much, much safer, especially when going out over open waters. In fact, such a preserver just could be the most important item a-board the boat.

Outdoors people also should have along a first-aid kit. There are times when a small amount of antiseptic, a simple bandaid or a piece of gauze comes in mighty handy.

One of my friends always carries with him a pair of tweezers. In hunting and fishing he soon learned that it is easy to get into cacti and get a seat full of thorns. His tweezers have paid off more than once, especially for some of his guests.

All of these things are important safety factors when going outdoors. It might be well for you to do a little checking and make some provisions for your own safety and convenience.

If this column upset you, it was entirely intentional. Just hope it makes you a bit more careful whether motoring on the highway or boating on the water.

Just Arrived 

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie McIntyre are the parents of a son born June 14, 1968, in Hudspeth Memorial Hospital.

He weighed 8 pounds, 15 oz. and was named Stacy Lee. The McIntyres have two other sons, David, 7, and Dean, 5.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy McIntyre and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Moore Jr. of Eden.

A Summer Treat Corn-On-The-Cob

In selecting corn, one of summer's most delightful treats, examine both the husks and the kernels of the ear.

The husks should be green and fresh looking, says Gwendolyn Clyatt, Extension Consumer marketing specialist. Kernels should be well filled, bright, plump, milky and firm enough to give slight resistance to pressure. They should be free from worm or insect damage.

Small, soft undeveloped kernels indicates immaturity and immature kernels lack flavor when they

are cooked. Overmaturity is indicated by large, excessively firm kernels which are usually deeper in color than when at normal maturity.

Fresh corn should be properly handled from the time it is picked until it is put into the kettle to cook to maintain high quality.

Buy today only enough corn that can be used by tomorrow, advises the specialist. At ordinary summer temperatures, about half the sugar content of mature corn is lost within 24 hours. Cooling slows the loss of sugar and helps to maintain quality.

Key Lime Pie Is a Real Summer Sweet

Line a nine-inch pie plate with your favorite pastry. Bake and cool. For filling, combine 1/4 cups sugar, one third cup cornstarch, 1/2 teaspoon salt, and 1/4 cup cold water in saucepan.

Mix well, add 1 1/2 cups hot water, and cook over low heat stirring until very thick. Stir in six tablespoons fresh lime juice, return to heat, and cook until thick again.

Lightly beat three egg yolks and add slowly to hot mixture, add three tablespoons butter and one tablespoon grated lime rind. Cool that it is turning with the rod.

and pour into prepared pastry shell.

Beat three egg whites until stiff but not dry. Add six tablespoons sugar and 1/2 teaspoon salt, beating until blended. Spread over top of pie. Bake 20 minutes at 300 degrees. Serve cold, decorated with fresh slices of lime.

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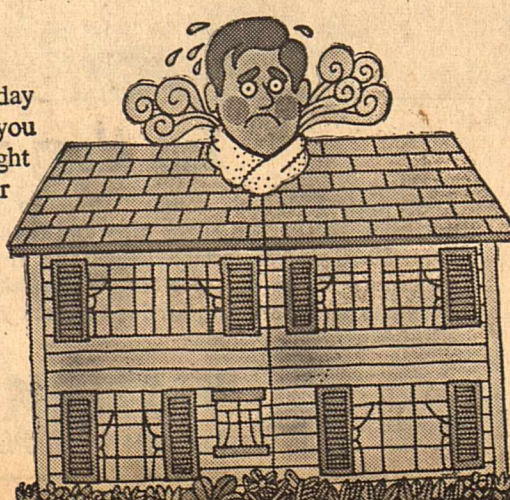
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And I wonder, in these troubled days of dissension and White House pickets, what does it mean? Does it mean free speech without responsibility? Does it mean moral freedom that lacks integrity?

To be sure, an American today is a citizen in a changing world; but the things that count have not changed. Inalienable rights still require us to account for our deeds.

As our ancestors migrated across this vast continent, the Church moved with them. It taught integrity, responsibility, and a calm strength in the face of danger.

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I Chronicles	Isaiah	Hosea	Romans	I Corinthians	Galatians	I Peter
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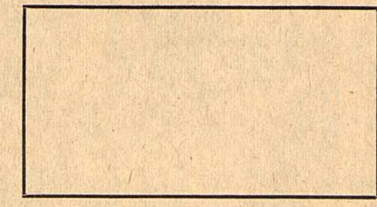
Summer Recreation

Keeping busy and having fun is one of the major pastimes for Sonora students in the summertime. This series of photos seeks to show some usual (and unusual) summer pastimes, as photographed by Austin Stockton.



HARD-WORKING SUMMER EMPLOYEES down at Earl's Pool Parlor are Monty Dillard and Mike Gilly. Louis Davis doesn't join in with the hard work but lends moral support while he tears himself away from the backroom domino game, where more tedious summer jobs were in evidence.

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Austin Report

by Hilary Doran Jr.

As the Legislature enters into the final week of the first called session, there is a general feeling of uncertainty, anxiety and consternation of just what type of tax bill, if any, will be passed.

It is always easy to adopt a position of "I told you so", but I do feel compelled to point out the position I took during the regular session of the 60th Legislature when I voted against the one-year appropriation as being without historical, constitutional or legislative precedent.

It looks as if there will be no possibility to affect a savings of \$50 million as Governor Connally had optimistically stated there would be in April of 1967. In fact, there exists a distinct possibility of the danger of winding up closer to an extra cost of approximately \$50 million than a savings of \$50 million.

Trying to look on the bright side of things, I feel that this special session has served one purpose if no other and that is to discourage or do away entirely with the idea of having annual sessions. This special session has seen legislative action taken on bills without allowing the member of the Legislature sufficient or adequate time to intelligently consider the provisions or effect the legislation will have upon people of Texas. As this report goes to press, there is serious doubt that we will be able to wind up the affairs of state within the allotted 30-day period, but this statement has been made before and somehow the Legislature has managed to come to an agreement and iron differences out in the final days and hours of their allotted time. In any event, I will either be sending you my final report this coming week if we adjourn or I will be continuing my practice of trying to keep you, the concerned citizens of District 65, informed of what is happening in Austin if we go into a second called special session.



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Acosta, Randall Hodges, Damon Hodges, and Keith Gillespie. Second row, Elias Gomez, Sam Hernandez, Wayne Greenhaw, Romero Chaves, Jerry Johns, and Mike Greenhaw.

Horse Races Set July 4 at Fredericksburg

Fredericksburg is observing a four day festival beginning July 4 through 7. Horse racing will be the feature attraction with over 120 horses entered for the daily racing cards, to include sprints beginning at 220-yards to races of a mile and 70-yards in length.

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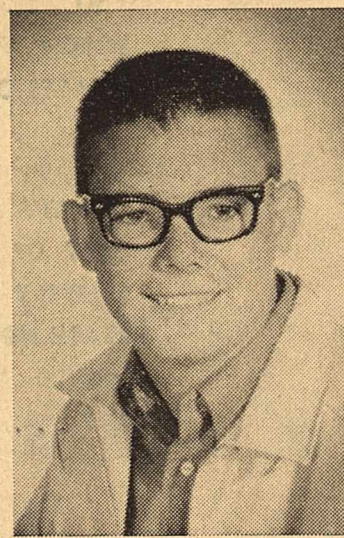
Births
Maxine Hoeye, May 27, 1968
Robert Ray Glasscock and Anita Louise Bassham, June 1, 1968
Bobby Leroy Montgomery and Helen Peles, June 3, 1968
John F. Murrell and Billie L. Galbreath, June 8, 1968
Salvador Castilleja and Luciana Munoz, June 8, 1968
William Lewis Phinizy and Mary John Espy, June 22, 1968
New Cars
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John I. Bell, 1968 Ford Ranchero

Deaths
Serena Adams Trainer, Hudspeth Memorial Hospital, June 5, 1968

Marriages
Loyace B. Hazelwood and Lily

Sonora Teenagers Bomb San Angelo
by Norman Rousselet
Looking like refugees from the Olympic sprint relay team, the two Sonora teen age baseball teams trounced the North Concho Lions Club teenagers by scores of 23 to 2 and 14 to 1. Everything seemed to work perfectly for the Sonora ball clubs as they collected 18 hits in the junior game and 15 hits in the senior game.

Leading hitters in the junior game were F. Virgin, H. Perez, T. Fields, R. Samaniego with 10 hits among them, while leading hitters in the second game were A. Samaniego, M. Taylor, and S. Perez.
All of the boys played excellent defensive baseball for the Sonora teams and we want to thank all of you for your continuing support of this very worthwhile summer activity.



HOWARD MINYARD, member of Explorer Scouts of Reno, Nevada, and son of Melva Potmesil was a recent delegate to Nevada Boys State, sponsored by the American Legion. Minyard was drill instructor. Until August he will be at Camp Fleischmann, Lassen National Park, California, where he is on the staff as a lifeguard instructor for the Boy Scouts.

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James Leo Greer is in charge of the parade which will begin about 9:30 a.m. July 4. The first performance is scheduled for 2

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Federal Funds Sold	100,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures	1,000.00
Cash on Hand & in Banks	1,036,130.92
Total	\$7,461,918.46
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$200,000.00
Surplus	300,000.00
Undivided Profits	247,154.05
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