

by John T. King

Sutton County's historical society started to roll Friday when Joe B. Ross, Mrs. Norman Rousselot and Mrs. Ben Cusenbary came in to see about the printing of certificates of original membership. (Mrs. Bob Vicars is also a committee member.)

The plan they discussed was centered around the selling of these certificates to Sutton County folks to finance operations. First goal of the group is to get on file histories of all the original Sutton County families and purchase a file cabinet for storage.

This information would eventually be placed in a county museum, when and if the museum is established.

Mrs. Cusenbary (Dorothy) said, "Why at present we don't have enough money to frame our charter—and our charter isn't paid for yet! But this is a beginning. The goal we'll work for is the establishment of a museum."

Interest in the establishment of a permanent display of Sutton County relics reached a peak during Sonora's Diamond Jubilee in 1965. Mrs. Collier Shurley began a collection and eventually filled the Bud Smith building with early-day relics—most of which had their background centered in Sutton County.

Museum attendants were surprised at how quickly items of significant historical nature turned up for display—and how quickly they disappeared after the Jubilee closed. One possible exception might be the heavy iron stove John Eaton positioned in the Favorite Saloon. Because of its weight and size it still stays in the back of the Morgan and Hunt building.

While efforts in Junction and Ozona have ended in the establishment of museums in both towns, Sonora's dream of a permanent display of early-day relics is still to be fulfilled.

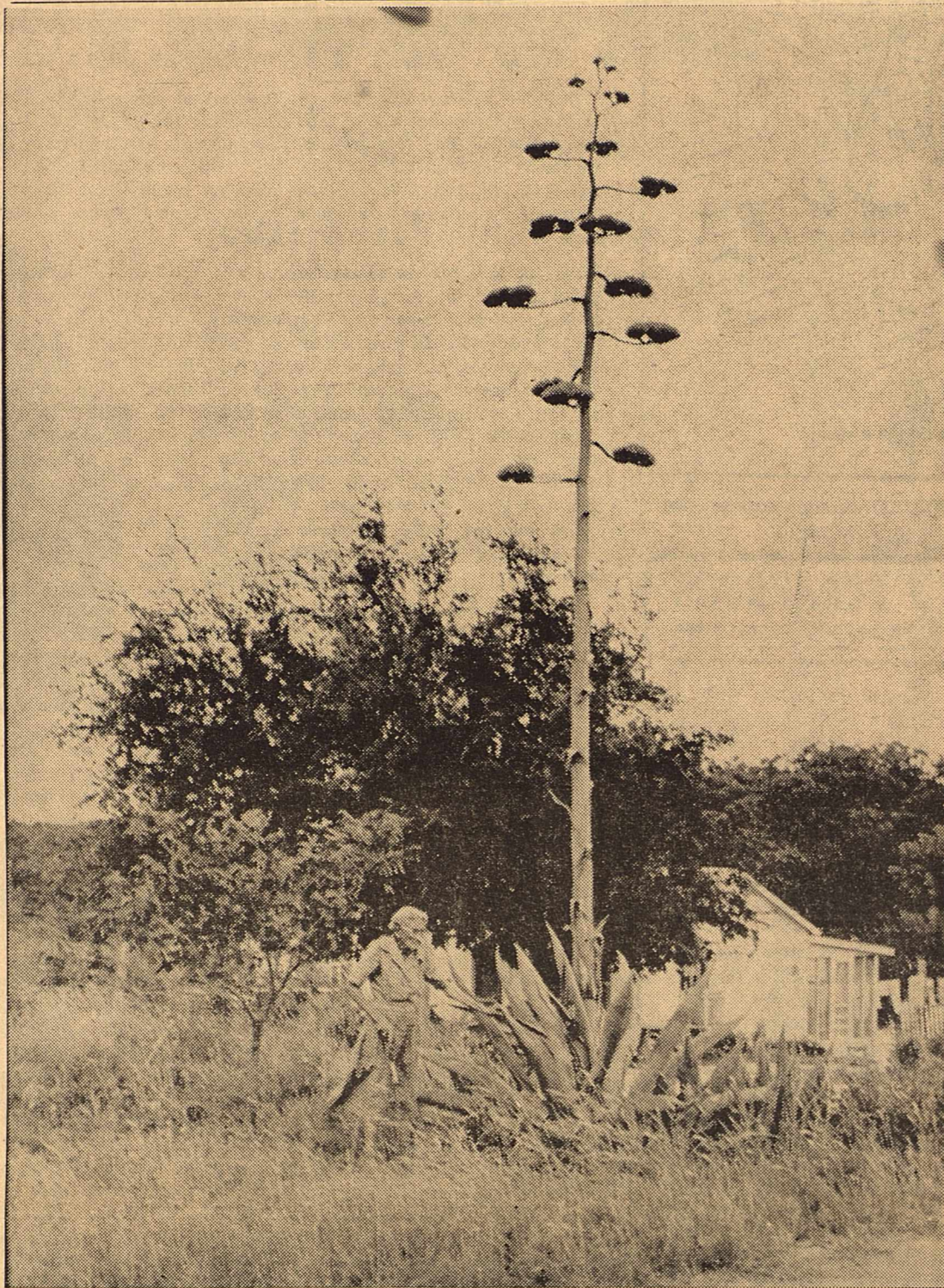
Let's hope this committee is successful in making Sonora's dream of a museum come true. It can materialize if Sutton County people are generous in their support of this project.

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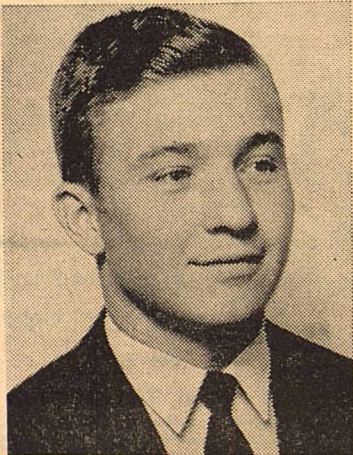
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"GRANDMA" (MRS. O. E.) MERRIMAN is dwarfed beneath this century plant or agave, as it blooms for the first time in many years. The blossoming spike resembles a huge candlestick and bears clusters of small flowers. The name of the century plant comes from the

mistaken idea that the plant blooms only once in every hundred years. Botanists say this is not at all true; however, "Grandma" says it has been about forty years since this particular plant has bloomed—and she ought to know—she's been around close to a century too!



## 4-Her, Mark Jacoby Affends Council

Mark Jacoby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Jacoby and outstanding 4-H club member, has recently returned from a five-day Texas 4-H council workshop at Houston.

Jacoby was one of the 29 officers and delegates from throughout the state who attended the event. The workshop, held annually on the campus of the University of Houston, is part of a broad 4-H junior leadership program sponsored by Pennzoil United, Inc. in cooperation with the Texas Cooperative Extension Service.

## California Services Held For Father Of Mrs. C. Nance

David L. Zimmerman, 59, father of Mrs. Cleveland Nance, died June 17, 1968, in Cottonwood, California. Services were held June 21, by Odd Fellows in the Cottonwood Odd Fellows Lodge.

Survivors besides his daughter, include his wife, a son, David Zimmerman, of Menard, and four grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Nance and their children went to California for the funeral services.

## Ninth Annual Junior Rodeo Set For July 14

Sutton County will host its ninth annual junior rodeo July 18, 19, 20 with the Sonora Park Association sponsoring the event.

Boys 16-19 can enter bull riding, tie down calf roping and bareback riding. Entry fee is \$10. Boys 13-15 can enter bull riding, tie down calf roping and ribbon roping with an entry fee of \$10. 12-year old boys and under are eligible to enter the steer riding, break-away roping and pole bending with an entry fee of \$5. According to Mrs. Louis Powers, secretary, a \$3 office charge must accompany entry fee.

Events open for girls in the 16-19 age bracket include barrel racing, pole bending and break-away roping. Entry fee is \$10. Girls 13-15 can enter barrel racing, pole bending and break-away roping and the fee is \$10. Girls 12 and under are eligible for the same events with an entry fee of \$5.

Mrs. Powers, whose address is Box 194, Sonora, says that entry fee and office charges must accompany entry blanks and advises that entries close Monday, July 15, at 8 p.m. Entrants may call Wednesday, July 17, between 7-9 p.m. to find out when up.

Louis Powers will serve as rodeo chairman and stock is to be furnished by C. B. Black of Marfa. The association plans to have an office at the Western Motel during the rodeo event.

Belt buckles for each event are to be given as trophies and a trophy buckle will be presented to the all around boy and one to the all around girl.

Western dances are planned for Friday and Saturday nights beginning at 9 p.m. at the 4H center with Johnny Rich and the Continental cowboys providing the music.

The rodeo will open with a parade at 4 p.m. Thursday.

## 13 Sutton Registrants Classified In Draft Board Meeting July 9

At a meeting July 9, of Local Board Number 110 the following Sutton County registrants were classified as follows:

Louis Perez Jr., II-A  
Denzel L. Fisher, I-C, Enlisted  
Lloyd P. Bloodworth, III, III-A  
Samuel J. Stewart, IV-A  
Tom E. Glasscock, I-A

## Two Area Churches Have New Ministers

Two of Sonora's churches have been without pastors for sometime, but the pulpits were filled last Sunday when the Rev. Mr. Stuart Firmhaber and the Rev. Mr. Norman Griffith arrived to assume duties as pastor of Hope Lutheran Church and St. John's Episcopal Church, respectively.

The Rev. and Mrs. Firmhaber and their children, Paul 15, Jean, 14, Jim, 12, and John, 9, arrived from Springfield, Illinois. The Rev. Mr. Firmhaber besides pastoring the Lutheran Church here, will also serve the Lutheran church in Ozona.

The Rev. and Mrs. Griffith and sons, Robert and David, came here from Alexandria, Virginia, where the Rev. Mr. Griffith has just completed seminary.

## Ray V. Sanchez In Vietnam Action

Marine Private Ray V. Sanchez, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sanchez, is serving with the third force reconnaissance battalion, the Third Marine Division in Vietnam. As a member of the reconnaissance Marines he infiltrates deep into enemy lines and gathers intelligence by means of pathfinding underwater breathing equipment and parachute jump.

## Erma Lee Turner Attends Clerks Meet In Lubbock

Mrs. Erma Lee Turner, County and District Clerk, attended the 73rd annual conference of the county and district clerk's association of Texas in Lubbock during the last week in June.

About 450 county and district clerks were there for the four-day convention at the KoKo Palace. The clerks elected Fred G. Hill of Beaumont president and selected Fort Worth as their 1969 conference site.

## C. M. Martinez Cited By GI Forum

C. M. Martinez was among those who were awarded merit certificates for their work during 1968, as the certificates were passed out to the various forum, auxiliary and junior forum members at a meeting held in Del Rio recently.

San Angelo was selected as the 1969 site of the American GI Forum of Texas state convention. Jose Quintanilla, a pharmacist, of Corpus Christi was elected state chairman at the meeting.

## Basket Supper, Singing, Preaching

# Fourth Annual Homecoming Services Set For July 14

Sonora ministers will host the fourth annual homecoming community worship service Sunday, July 14 on the courthouse lawn.

The Sonora ministerial alliance began sponsoring the worship service after the 1965 diamond jubilee celebration and have made it an annual affair for the home town people and former residents.

Beginning at 7 p.m., those who wish to participate can bring a basket supper and share in the fellowship of dining with family and friends on the lawn. At 8:30 p.m. singing begins with Joe Lane as song leader.

The Rev. Ross Welch, Methodist

minister, is in charge of the services this year. Speaker for the occasion is Dr. Gordon Clinard,



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Clerks passed a resolution to the governor of Texas and the Texas legislature urging "clarification of voting privileges for returning servicemen and clarification of the procedure for obtaining ballots for them within their home counties."

Mrs. Turner said the meetings were well attended and entertainment included a western dance and banquet the final night of the conference.

## Sonora Youth Cited For Bravery In Vietnam Action

Sp-4 Billy Scott Harris, son of Mrs. Mae Harris and Pete Harris of Big Lake, was presented the Bronze Star for bravery in action in Vietnam.

Harris, a medic, was cited for bravery for his action in entering a cave to treat what he thought was a wounded Viet Cong, but the enemy was not wounded and opened fire on Harris. He retreated but again went into the cave with a grenade running the enemy soldier out and as the soldier fired at American servicemen, Harris managed to hit him.

The Harrises have another son, Mickey, who is a lance corporal in the Marines. He returned from his second tour of duty in Vietnam, and is presently stationed at McAllister, Oklahoma.

pastor of the First Baptist Church of San Angelo.

Dr. Clinard is president of Baptist General Convention of Texas. He was born in Springfield, Tennessee, April, 1922, and married

## Little Leaguers Begin Practice For District Play

Managers began preparation for the Little League district tournament game with Ozona to be played there July 18 at 8 p.m.

Practice sessions started Monday for all members of the All-Star team who were selected by the team managers. They include Henry Mata, Bruce Kerbow, Alan Harris, David Wallace, Gabriel Espinosa, Larry Cade, and David Conger.

Also Wayne Greenhaw, Teddy Coker, Paul Browne, Jerry Johns, Albert DeHoyas, Elias Gomez and Randy Hill.

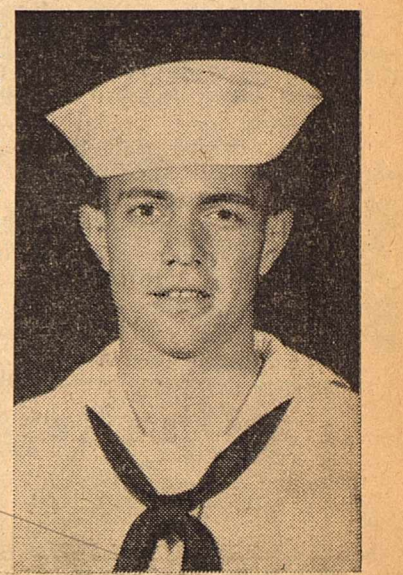
In team standings for the second half of Little League play the Indians were first place with 8 wins; Colts were second place winners with 4 wins and 4 losses. The Dodgers won 3 and lost 5, while the Cardinals had no wins and 8 losses.

Team managers were Bill Savell and Dr. C. F. Browne for the Indians; Dickie Street and Lin Hicks for the Colts; Jimmy and Julio Samaniego for the Dodgers, and Cardinal managers were Jimmy Hugh Harris and Clay Cade. Oliver Wuest has served as director for the Little League program. T. R. Coker is president; George Wallace, vice president, and Lin Hicks is secretary-treasurer.

Dr. Browne will serve as manager of the All-Star team with Savell and other managers assisting him as coaches.

Christine Browder in 1941. They have three children, Patricia, Truitt, and Tracey. Dr. Clinard received his education at Union University and Southern Seminary. He is credited with several writings and has been a contributor to various books of sermons and denominational and theological journals.

The Rev. Mr. Welch and other ministers who are members of the alliance, urge everyone to come and join in this community worship service.



## Lloyd Hopf Joins Seabee Battalion

Lloyd C. Hopf, EOCN, has completed a four month course of instruction in Class "A" equipment operators school at United States Naval Schools construction at Davisville, Rhode Island.

Hopf has spent two weeks leave here visiting with his family and friends. He reported to Gulfport, Mississippi, where he joined the 12th Seabee Battalion for advance training before leaving for Vietnam in August.



These four girls are spending the first five-week term of the summer at Camp Arrowhead near Hunt. Around the campfire, left to right, are Suzanne Alley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Derrel Alley of Gainesville, Florida and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Alley; Lorie Michelle Olson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Olson; Karen Hemphill, daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. Warren C. Hemphill; and Catherine Ward, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ward. They are all first-year campers except Karen, who is spending her second summer at Camp Arrowhead. Karen is a member of the Kickapoo tribe while the other girls are members of the Pawnee tribe. First-term campers will return home on July 14.

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**-Editorials-Features-Columns-**

**"Grassroots Opinions"**

—Grandfield Okla., News: "If of faith in himself that he can really do something he feels is worthwhile—in this day and time in what you are presently doing—you better change jobs or careers and get into something else. The guy who has little enthusiasm for his work and passes it over with comments like 'it's something to do' or 'it makes me a living' somehow leaves us cold. We figure he'd just as soon be digging ditches. It is a reflection on himself, his lack of ambition and lack

month were being spent in this country, the economy might be more stable."

—Rockland, Me., Courier-Gazette: "The people of the country are pretty much fed up with the flouting of the laws, and the condoning of that flouting by enforcement officers whose hands are tied by court decisions of recent years. A thief is a thief, an arsonist is an arsonist, a troublemaker is a troublemaker. May the day come soon in which they will be once again recognized for what they are: enemies of society."

—Toppensh, Wash., Review: "Seen at a grocery store, a woman checking out with frozen pizzas, frozen poor boy sandwiches, steaks, a variety of pastries and two cartons of colas. Then paying for it all with food stamps."

—John Day, Ore., Eagle: "Five per cent of the people in the United States will provide the leadership for the coming generation. If university students are reluctant to pick up the cudgel, there will be no well-informed voice to preserve the necessary segments of democracy, get a haircut, shine your shoes and reenter the segment of America which so badly needs you."

—Craig, Colo., Press: "To enjoy freedom and the opportunity for peacemakers to work we have to have a secure society. This can only be achieved by orderly civilized means and adherence to the law."

—Barnesboro, Pa., Star: "Whether it is in civil rights, college, unions, community or civil affairs, violence must be brought to an abrupt halt if the American way of life is to continue—Violence breeds violence, contempt breeds contempt and justice breeds justice."

—Taylorsville, N.C., Times: "It is only a fraction of the dollar drain, but upward of \$13 million a month is mailed to Social Security beneficiaries living in foreign countries. There are 180,000 of them, with Italy recording the highest number, 36,000. The pensioners find that the dollar buys more abroad than it does in the U. S. Still, if that \$13,000,000 a

as he boards a plane for another part of the country, but invariably he's standing on concrete and is in the air before the plane reaches the end of the paved runway, where the grass begins.

It is just as well. You might say I live pretty close to the grassroots, in fact so close I could reach them with a hoe if I was a mind to, but any candidate who is planning on coming out here to get my opinion might as well stay at home.

I can list the problems all right: Viet Nam. Crime. Riots. College students. Gun laws. Taxes and debt. Inflation. Traffic. Pollution.

But when it comes to supplying the answers, I can tell the candidates they could as well stay at home and beat their head against concrete as coming out here and beating it against the ground.

While it's preposterous for a politician to try to keep his ear to the ground when he's living in a high-rise apartment building—no body can lean out of a window that far—still, even if he could, or if he couldn't and toppled, he wouldn't hear much.

Out here, we've got far more problems than answers. I had always thought it was Washington's role to have far more answers than problems. Times are mixed up.

Yours faithfully,  
 J. A.

Chicken cut up in pieces, cooked outdoors, should be placed 4 to 6 inches from the fire and cooked 25 to 30 minutes. Cook the inside first, skin side last.

**Attitudes & Platitudes** Jerry Marcus



52,200 were killed and 4,200,000 were injured in motor vehicle accidents in 1967.

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

July 10, 1958  
 Light to moderate showers covered most of the area Sunday. It varied from a trace to 1.60 at the Paul Turney ranch.

Miss Tris Scott was a recent visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Elliott.

Miss Jan Keng has been chosen by the Sonora Lions Club to be their candidate in the 24th annual "Miss Southwest" contest at Ft. Stockton.

Only two requests for absentee ballots have been received in the office of county clerk F. L. McKinney two days after absentee voting began for the July 26 democratic primary.

July 9, 1948  
 This week's rains ran the 1948 total to well over 12 inches.

Deposits in the First National Bank here climbed by \$1,196,929.35 since April 19, date of the last call. Deposits are up to \$3,699,828.33.

Some 25 couples organized a square dance club, The Rancheros, and will meet on Friday nights. Mrs. Tom Darrow helped organize the club.

Hottest bowling game since the league opened was Friday night's contest between the Fire Department and the Corner Drug Team.

George Edward Allison was in Sonora Tuesday.

July 8, 1938  
 Expenses of the July primary election in Sutton County have been estimated at \$136 and candidates have been assessed that amount, proportionately, for the holding of the election that will climax their campaign for office.

R. A. Halbert, Sutton County ranchman, was elected president of the National Farm Loan Association, to replace Joe N. Ross, who died last month.

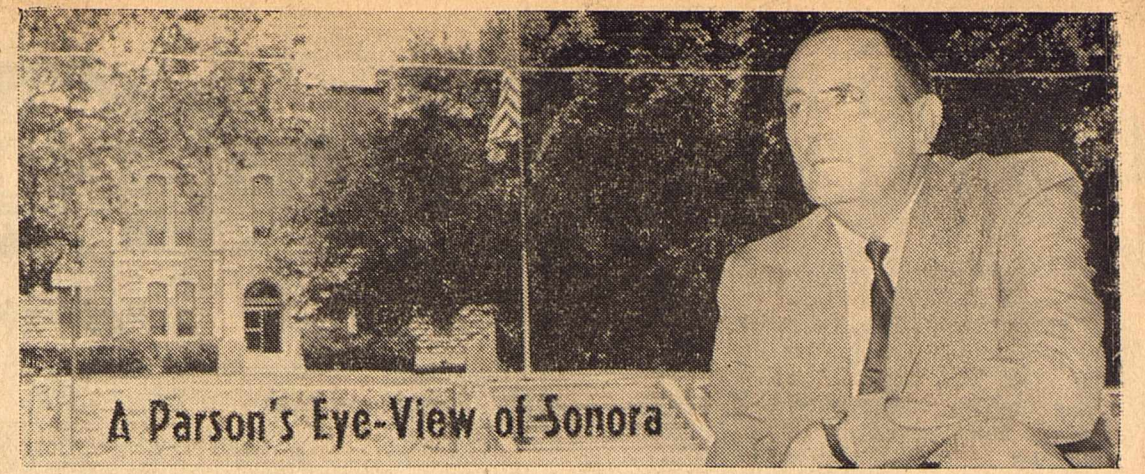
Not long ago Miss Nan Karnes stopped at the Preston C. Lightfoot car to chat a moment with Marjorie Ann, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lightfoot. "Where did you get those eyelashes, Marjorie Ann? From your mother or your daddy?" Miss Karnes asked. Quick as a flash came the reply—"I got them at VanderStucken's." She knew the Sonora store well and figured they might as well have eyelashes and eyes for sale as well as everything else.

65 Years Ago  
 After a delightful visit to her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sim White, Miss Eva Glasscock has returned to her home 8 miles east of Sonora Saturday.

Do you want a new school house in keeping with the growth of this district? A meeting for this purpose will be held at the courthouse on Saturday at 3 o'clock for this purpose.

Mrs. Dave Adams is in Sonora attending her daughter, Mrs. Pettigrew, who is seriously ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Trainer.

R. L. Caruthers of the Eldorado paper was in Sonora Thursday for the roping and dancing and had a very pleasant time. Mrs. Caruthers accompanied him to see that he behaved himself.



A Parson's Eye-View of Sonora

BY THE REV. ROSS T. WELCH

When the Welch family goes on vacation, everyone has a good time except Siambur. My regular readers know that Siambur, our only pet, is a cat—half Siamese, half Burmese, hence the compound name.

Our cat is afraid of noises, so he is allergic to car travel. He dislikes trips from the word, "Go". He is also easily affected by the heat; when the car gets a little warm he starts heaving and panting like a spavined horse. Siambur roams the car from one end to the other, but if he settles down, it will usually be right between my feet so that I can neither use the clutch nor the brake effectively. He seems to think it is cooler there.

Finally we reached the Sterling County ranch on the Glorious Fourth and there were quite a few of us. My niece was there with her three small children. They liked to play with the cat, but when they discovered his normally blue-green eyes turn a fiery red when he is angry and his tail beats a steady tattoo from side to side, they found him irresistible.

Mike is six. He said to his grandmother, "Murrh, do you know the difference between a dog and a cat?"

When she confessed her ignorance, he told her, "A puppy wags his tail when he's happy, a cat wags his tail when he's mad." Siambur spent most of the first day under the bed, frightened out of his wits. But at night, when all was quiet and there being no mice to chase, he would start exploring. He had no sense of shame, he walks right across one's bed when one is sound asleep, and the way he tramps—one would swear he weighs forty pounds.

The crowd thinned out at the end of the first day; of the children only Michael remained, and he was almost as scared of the cat as Siambur was of him. Our cat began to venture out a bit during the day time.

The noises kept him out of the room where we were nailing up laths while we were at work, but one time we forgot and left the door open while we were taking a coffee break and Siambur made a break for freedom. My sister-in-law had adopted a stray kitten which she fed but kept strictly outside the house. He had every right to be jealous of his visiting cousin with his pedigreed ancestry.

We called for Siambur and begged him to return to our empty arms, but he did not answer.

Frances had visions of him, bravely making the return trek to Sonora through catclaw and prickly pear. She was sure he would be bitten by a rattlesnake or attacked by a rabid skunk or die of thirst.

About dark I stepped outside and, as my neighbors in Sonora can testify I frequently do here, I called into the lonesome darkness—one last time for our missing pet. We were sitting on the back porch with the yard light on. In a few minutes the country cousin appeared and shortly thereafter, the lost Siambur came into view.

Sunday noon when I returned from church, I was greeted by the tearful news, "Siambur is gone again. We have looked everywhere and he can't be found." I walked to the closet which had become his hiding place since he had started exploring the house and called his name. He answered me from somewhere in the closet. I began to move everything in there. Finally I looked over head and there he was peering down at me from a man-hole in the closet ceiling. Someone had stored a ladder in the closet.

Naturally we made our boasts about what a beautifully behaved cat he is, and how he utilizes the commode if he is not let out of doors in cases of emergency. So far as we know he kept his reputation unscathed in this respect, but we almost neglected him too long. One time he was yowling with that insistent note in his voice. Frances turned him into my brother's shop room, which had a dirt floor. With unbecoming haste he made his toilet there.

But the worst part of the story concerns the return home when I was stuck in San Angelo in the middle of the day with an angry cat while my wife was doing the After-the-Fourth sales. It was too hot to sit in the car in that July sun; so, cat in hand and fighting all the way, I started to the so called dime store to buy a leash and collar.

I had on navy blue trousers and Siambur is moulting—losing his hair. One of the first persons I ran into was Ruby Stephens, who professed to be admiring my bravery, but in the back of her mind I suspect she had another name for it as she watched me carrying a cat into Woolworth's.

As soon as I had a leash on him—he still had to be carried bodily—preferring to lie down and be dragged rather than follow

on a leash—I headed for the court house lawn and the shade of the large trees.

Every minute I expected someone to show up and tell me to "Keep off the grass!" But I had my defense all planned. I was going to say, "If the residents of Resurrection City can camp for two weeks on the public grounds of our National Capitol, then why can't my light footed kitten spend ninety minutes on your court house lawn, while my wife spends her hard-earned money in your city?"

It is unexplainable how common interests make total strangers seem friendlier. I was sitting there minding my own business, trying to pick a few of the cat hairs off my navy blue pants when a very nice appearing gentleman approached and said, "I have a full-blood Burmese cat that travels everywhere we go and is a perfect gentleman. He leads on a leash just like a dog. He has a beautiful disposition." What could I answer?

There I was with a cat with divided ancestry, who hated traveling and refused to follow on a leash. I almost wished he would demonstrate to the proud stranger that he was not above lying on his back and kicking strange people who invaded his domain.

If I had not had a leash on him, I should have lost Siambur for sure on the way back to the car. I made the tragic mistake of walking in front of a large laundry. You know all the labor-saving machinery they use in one of these modern laundries and what strange sounds emanate therefrom. To add to the confusion a fire truck went by about that time and my poor country-oriented cat went berserk. I think the claw prints are still in my shoulders.

But the crowning insult of all was when a total stranger came up to me on the corner across from Hemphill-Wells and propositioned my Siambur right there in the public with people standing all around. What did I pay Veterinarians Ross and Herrmann my good money for??

I hope Peggy Trainer is going to be in town for the remainder of the week, and has boarding room for a cat.

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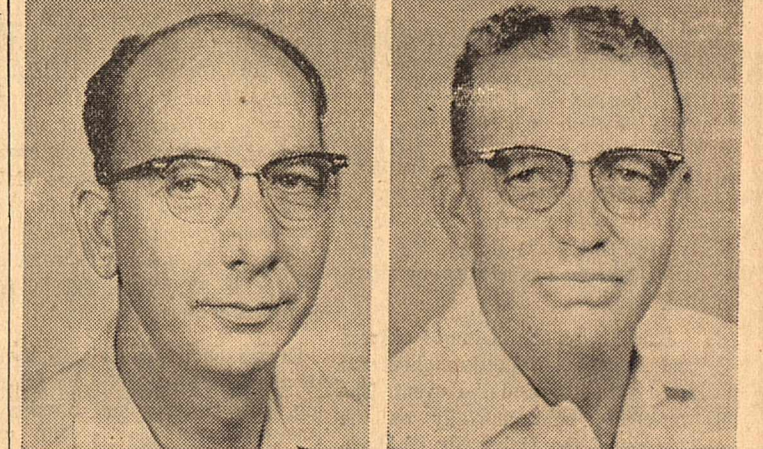
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**Sunday, July 14**  
 Services at the church of your choice  
 7 p.m. Community worship service and basket supper, Courthouse lawn.

**Monday, July 15**  
 8 p.m., Elks lodge meeting

**Tuesday, July 16**  
 12 noon, Downtown Lion Club meeting in Fellowship Hall First Methodist Church

**Wednesday, July 17**  
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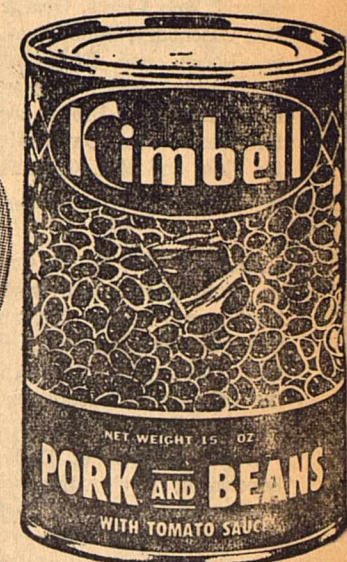
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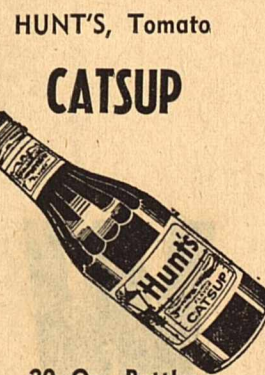
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### Firemen's Corner

According to an article appearing in the July issue of "Fire Chief", injuries from smoke inhalation still run high. According to the latest survey of the International Association of Fire Chiefs smoke inhalation caused 623 of the 711 injuries to firemen recorded during the first quarter of 1968.

Although only 250 more fires were reported during the 1968 first quarter than the 1967 quarter, smoke inhalation injuries to firemen more than doubled. Of the seven firemen deaths listed in the survey, three were due to smoke inhalation.

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Mrs. Buddy Brown hosted the auxiliary meeting July 8 at the fire hall.

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The men held their regular meeting July 9 at the fire hall.

Mrs. Paul Turney entertained with bridge at her home July 1. A dessert plate was served. Present were; Mmes. G. H. Davis, Herbert Fields, R. A. Halbert, Ed Mayfield, Sim Glasscock, Eulah Newell, Bob Vicars, George Wynn, Ben Cusenbary, Belle Steen, Frankie Gibson, and Elsie Brown of Rocksprings. Mrs. Wynn won high for club; Mrs. Brown won high for guests; Mrs. Davis won bingo for club, and Mrs. Cusenbary won bingo for guests.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Crites had as their guests last week, her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Carnes and children of Houston. They spent the week with the Crites after vacationing in the Western States.

Wesley Sawyer of Dallas is in Sonora for a visit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Archer and Dave of Carizzo Springs have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Archer.

Mrs. Bill Fields had as her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Fields and girls of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. James Bunyard of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Savell, Chip, Cody and Scott, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bishop of Carta Valley are vacationing in New Mexico and Colorado.

Mrs. Tom Brown is visiting her sister and brother in law, Mr. and Mrs. Collier Shurley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Street and boys have returned from a vacation in California, where they visited with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shelton and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracey Crites and Casey have moved to Auburn, Washington, where he will work with an oil company.

**Tuesday Night Bridge Club**  
Mrs. R. A. Halbert entertained a bridge club at her home July 2. Cake and ice cream were served to Mmes. Belle Steen, George Barrow, Bob Vicars, Louie Trainer, W. O. Crites, Cleve Jones Jr., L. E.

Johnson Jr., Vestel Askew, Ernest McClelland, George Wynn, Howard Kirby, and Frankie Gibson. Mrs. Askew won high for club; Mrs. Kirby won high for guests; Mrs. Crites won second high, and Mrs. Wynn bingoed.

Miss Johnny Allison of Columbia, Missouri, visited with Mrs. Belle Steen and Mrs. E. D. Shurley last week. Miss Allison was a teacher of Spanish in the Sonora Schools for several years. I know all her friends were glad to see Johnny.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Crites visited in Bryan this weekend. They visited his brothers and sisters.

Miss Diana Black was home from Houston over the long weekend visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Black, Barry and Jimmy.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jackson, Joey, and Elizabeth of Irving were here for several days visiting with Mrs. Jackson's family, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph VanderStucken and Jan.

Mrs. Sam Crites and Mrs. Pearl Crites are in Cotulla visiting with Sam Crites.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Neill were fishing on Devil's River several days last week.

Mrs. Willie Miers is home from the Shannon Hospital. We're sure glad you are doing good, Martha.

Mrs. Harold Garrett and Mrs. Sim Glasscock were in San Angelo Saturday to attend the meeting of the San Angelo Art Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Oliver of Toyahvale have returned home after visiting with her mother, Mrs. Sim Glasscock.

Rev. and Mrs. Ross Welch were in Sterling City last week.

If you did not go to the Methodist Church Sunday and hear Pat Reardon talk, you sure did miss a fine talk. Thank You, Pat, and thanks to you too, Warren, for taking over for the Rev. Welch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Duck-

worth, Terry and Lynn have returned from their vacation. They visited with their relatives in Eden while they were gone.

Mrs. Cleve Jones Jr., left Tuesday for Maine where she will spend about three weeks at their summer home.

Deirdre Henry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Henry of Dallas, has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Locklin. She will return home this week and her brother, Lance, will come to visit for a month.



NEAR NUMBER SEVEN GREEN—New family of scissor tails.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Halbert celebrated their 56th wedding anniversary July 5. Many happy returns, Battie and Robert.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vicars visited with friends in San Angelo, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Halbert and Mr. and Mrs. Vestel Askew are spending a week in Nebraska attending a Herford clinic.

**Mrs. George Boucher Visits**  
Mrs. George Boucher of Elko, Nevada, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sykes. She will be here through the month of July.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hardesty and children of New Jersey are visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Barrow. The Hardestys are moving back to Texas. They will be living in Houston.

Brenda Browne is in Gallup, New Mexico, where she will be a bridesmaid at her roommate's wedding.

Plump raises a few minutes before adding them to cakes and other recipes.

Lea Roy Aldwell had as guests Sunday afternoon the Rev. Norman Griffith, the new Episcopal minister, and his two sons, David and Robert.



by Monica Davis

The annual Fourth of July tournament took place as usual, only this time we played what was called an alternating Scotch Partnership. Six balls were given to first place winners, and four balls to second place.

In the first flight, Oliver Wuest and Roy Gilmore won first place, and Wallas Renfro and Tommy Thorp won second. Bobbie Faw-

cett and Francis Archer won first place in the second flight, while Wilma and Batts Friend won second place. The third flight winners were Milton Cavaness and James Alexander, with Mary Lois and Buddy Brown coming in second. Fifty two people took part in the tournament, and all had a good time.

GN

Golf balls weren't the only awards made—no sir! Marilyn Bloodworth presented Ann Hill with a little purse (about the size of a wool sack) for her very few belongings, and for having to play with "Whiskey", her ever lovin'.

GN

I imagine about one hundred persons were served fried chicken. L. P. Bloodworth did a magnificent job at frying the chicken and potatoes.

GN

Have you all seen our new family of scissor tails in that big oak tree on number seven? Be careful around our new babies. Incidentally, how about throwing your bottles, cans, and papers into the many barrels we have placed on the course instead of on the fairways and roughs. Mrs. Kyle Donaldson took the pictures.

GN

Oh yes! On the subject of courtesy and good manners—on Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays, it would help so much if all would follow club rules of just foursomes. A larger group makes it so much harder on the players behind.

GN

Have you noticed the beauty of the live oaks surrounding number nine green? They are beautiful, thanks to Cullen Luttrell and his eye for beauty. The grass from the patio down to number nine is coming up. In three weeks time, that is going to be the prettiest, most peaceful spot in Sonora.

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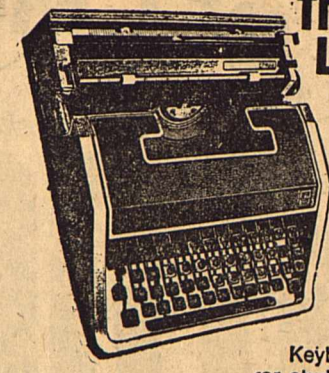
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### Just Arrived



Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wetzel of Whitewright, are the parents of a daughter, Seletia Janette, born July 7 at 11:30 a.m. in Sherman. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schwiening, Jr. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wetzel of Whitewright. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schwiening, Sr., Mrs. Irene Arterberry and Mrs. Smith both of Whitewright.

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### Engagement Announced

The engagement of Miss Carla Whitworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Whitworth, to Linwood Hooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hooper of Greenville, South Carolina, has been announced by her parents. Miss Whitworth is vice president of Zeta Tau Alpha and a member of Mortar Board Honor Society and Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges. Hooper is a member of Theta Chi fraternity. Both are senior students at North Texas State University of Denton. The wedding date has been set for August 31.

### THE FAMILY LAWYER

**Speech: How Free?**  
"I believe in free speech," said a recent letter-to-the-editor. "And anyone against it should be silenced."

There is a nutshell in one of the great delimitations of our day. We are pulled both ways. We want speech to be free, yet we want to silence speech that we don't like. Where shall we draw the line?

Some call for total freedom, with no limits at all. At the first sign of any restraint, they argue:

"The Constitution guarantees us freedom of speech, with no ifs, ands, or buts. Freedom means freedom, nothing less."

But our courts don't go that far. They hold that, even though the Constitution doesn't say so, certain implied exceptions cannot be avoided.

Thus, freedom of speech may be limited as to time and place. For example, you have no right to holler through a megaphone at midnight, outside a hospital.

Furthermore, besides limits as to time and place, the law puts limits on the contents of speech.

One such limit is on speech that is defamatory. Without this limit your neighbor could spread vile rumors about you—with no basis at all except malice.

Another limit is on speech that is obscene. Without this limit, a kindergarten teacher, if so inclined, could read hardcore pornography to her pupils.

Another limit is on speech that is seditious. Without this limit, a speaker could incite a mob to open and violent revolution.

Yet, even in these special areas, the limits of freedom of speech are flexible. Thus:

Defamatory statements may be held lawful if honestly made, on a matter of legitimate concern to the speaker.

Gross vulgarity may be held lawful if it has "redeeming social importance."

And wrathful political dissent may be held lawful if it poses no "clear and present danger" of serious evil consequences.

In short, the law says we must have limits on freedom of speech

### Freeze Prepared Foods For Easy Meals

During the hot summer months, it is easier to open the freezer for baked goodies or casseroles than to spend hours in the kitchen. Freezing is the only method to preserve many of these baked or cooked goods.

Miss Frances Reasonover, Extension foods and nutrition specialist, says to cook most breads, cakes and pies before freezing. Cool and wrap them in moisture-vapor-proof material.

Use standard recipes for bread and cakes. For quick breads use double-action baking powder. Muffins and biscuits are better frozen uncooked. Bran muffins, fruit and nut breads are better if baked before freezing.

You may freeze bread and rolls baked or unbaked. Use a recipe with a fairly large amount of fat and sugar. Baked products may be stored as long as 9-12 months.

If you want to freeze dough, allow it to rise until double in bulk. Doughs shaped before freezing may be inferior, even when stored only two weeks.

Prepared cakes containing fat may dry out slightly after two months, and after four months, flavor changes may be expected, says the specialist.

Use pure extracts as imitations may produce off-flavors. Angel food, yellow sponge, chiffon and fruit cakes baked before freezing will keep up to a year.

Uncooked confectioner's sugar frostings freeze best. Boiled and other soft frostings containing egg whites and cream fillings are not suitable for freezing.

Fruit, vegetable and chiffon pies freeze successfully. Fruit pies may be frozen either before or after baking. Crust is more tender and flaky and flavor fresher when the pies are frozen before baking.

Don't cut steam vents in top crusts of frozen unbaked pies until they have been removed from the freezer.

In using your freezer, Miss Reasonover gives these pointers about making combination dishes better. Do not overcook foods that are to be frozen. Foods that are to be heated before serving are best if only partially cooked; meat should be tender but still firm, vegetables slightly underdone.

Use as little fat as possible in gravies and sauces. Fats have a tendency to separate, but if used in smaller proportions, they will combine when heated.

Fried foods are apt to become rancid after one to two months of storage. Use seasonings sparingly as some of them change during storage. Pepper gets stronger. Cloves may become stronger and discolor in frozen fillings.

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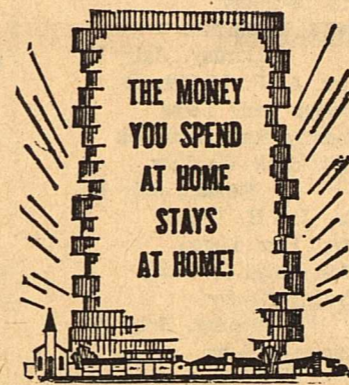
by O. C. Fisher

A busy three days in the House Since 1938 all gun dealers have preceded the long July 4 holiday weekend. The School Lunch program was continued and expanded; the Federal-Aid Highway program was extended; a Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act was approved; and two major appropriation measures were cleared—making adjournment in early August more likely.

Right now it appears unlikely that gun registration will get anywhere in the Congress this year. Congressional authorities, including Carl Albert, Democratic leader of the House, are now saying that to require registration and licensing "would put a burden on the law-abiding citizen and would have no way of reaching the criminal who intends to use his gun for illegal purposes."

Many experts agree with me that mandatory registration would not make a dent in the crime rate. There are more than 100 million guns privately owned. The criminal element would not voluntarily register their guns. That's been the experience in States which require registration. Besides, police records reveal that most guns used in crimes are stolen.

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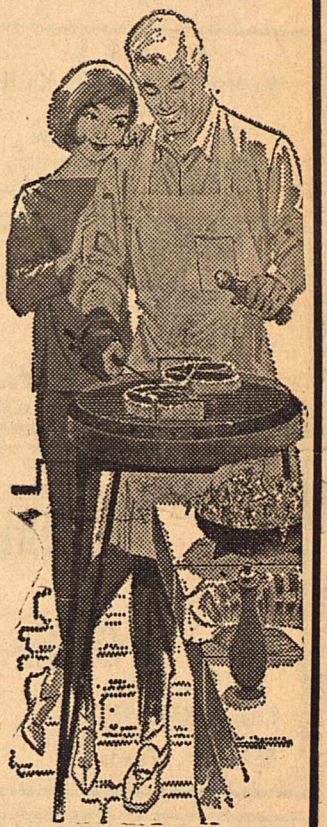
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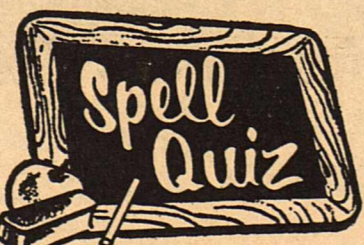
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By Lottie Lee Baker

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—Prosperity is when you are in debt from preference instead of necessity.

—Man is the only living creature that can be skinned more than once.

—A smile always adds something when a stranger takes you at face value.

—The person who throws mud is losing ground.

—The world has been at the crossroads so long that it's high time to modernize the place by constructing a clover-leaf intersection.

—No one but the government can afford to pay people more than they are worth.

—A good leader is one who is

willing to take more of the blame and less of the credit.

—The condition of a man can best be judged from what he takes two at a time—stairs or pills.

—Any man who has lived through spring cleaning knows why hurricanes are given feminine names.

—Every time history repeats itself the price goes up.

He who indulges  
Is sure to have bulges.

—The most inflammable kind of wood is the chip on the shoulder.

—Of course a tree is a she. Gets a new outfit every spring and lives off the sap all winter.

—Ever notice how much longer a car lasts after the children are all married?

—Everything in the modern home is operated by switches, except children, who often need it most.

—A friend is one who sees your point of view and laughs at your jokes.

### Women Win Traffic Safety Award

The Texas Federation of Women's Clubs has received national recognition for its outstanding contributions to traffic safety, Mrs. B. F. Seay, Andrews, Immediate Past President, has announced.

The Texas federation has been named winner of the Automotive Safety Foundation's Judges Special Citation for its "great contributions to the traffic safety field for 1966-67."

The coveted Judges citation was presented to Mrs. Seay at the annual convention of the National Federation of Women's Clubs held recently in Boston, Massachusetts.

During the past two years, the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs has been exceptionally active in the promotion of traffic safety legislation and was among leaders in the promotion of the Governor's traffic safety program which was passed by the 60th Texas Legislature. Since that time, the women's organization has been promoting the implementation of the state's new traffic safety laws.

Recognition has also been given to Miss Eudora Hawkins, Abilene

State Safety Chairman, TFWC, who has been named Who's Who's in Traffic Safety by the Automotive Safety Foundation.

Mrs. Seay, who also heads the statewide safety programs for women as vice president for women's activities for the Texas safety association, is director of region VI for the national association women highway safety leaders. She coordinates the national association activities in the states of Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Mississippi and Louisiana.

### HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients receiving treatment at Hudspheth Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, July 2, to Monday, July 8, include the following:

Fletcher Gardner, Rocksprings  
Lee Hyde, Rocksprings  
Lillie Simmons \*  
Mamie Browning \*  
Artie Quaschick  
Roy Andrews, Eldorado  
Bessie Andrews, Eldorado  
Robert L. Emerson  
Jean Wall \*  
Carrie Alexander, Eldorado \*

Essa Hoover, Eldorado  
John Alexander, Eldorado  
Erlinda Jimenez  
Blanche Regeon  
Lillian Archer \*  
Katie Stewart  
Elizabeth Alexander, Eldorado  
Linda Lou Thorp \*  
Ruby Dameron  
Nellie Wall  
Elida Martinez  
Mary Lou Galindo  
Agnes D. Jaslin, Ozona

\*Patients released during the same period.

### Just Arrived

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. (Buck) Bloodworth III are parents of a son, Brandon Park, who was born in a Fort Worth hospital, June 27. The baby weighed eight pounds.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Park of Dallas, and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Bloodworth, II. The baby has several great-grandparents and a great-great grandmother, Mrs. Stella Pugh of Eureka, Kansas.

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### A LIFT FOR THE WEEK

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\$7,733 May Savings Bond Sales

George H. Neill, chairman of the Sutton County savings bonds committee, reports that sales of United States savings bonds during the first five months of 1968 totaled \$7,733. May sales for the county were \$1,924 and 26 per cent of the goal has been achieved.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- Thursday, July 11
- Sarah Lu Harby  
Mrs. Wanda Turner  
Linda Logan  
Lucy Morriss
- Friday, July 12
- Dock Simmons  
Charlie Smith  
Harold Garrett  
Ted Letsinger  
Betty Dominguez
- Saturday, July 13
- Mrs. A. F. Moffitt, Jr.  
Evelyn Jane Lowe  
Tommy Ray Glasscock  
Mrs. Jack Wardlaw
- Sunday, July 14
- Dr. Joe B. Logan  
Mrs. Sam Logan  
Mrs. David L. Smith  
Freddy Gandar
- Monday, July 15
- Nancy Anthony
- Tuesday, July 16
- Mrs. Newt Poteet  
Felipe Virgen  
Joe Espinosa  
Lisa Letsinger
- Wednesday, July 17
- Jimmy Cook  
Hector Avila  
Mrs. Vance Everett  
Drew Scherz

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Rev. Rodney Dowdy, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.  
Training Union 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Services 7:00 p.m.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Ross T. Welch, Pastor

Church School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 10:50 a.m.

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Youth Fellowship 5:30 p.m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST (South Side)**  
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Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.

"He that hath an ear to hear let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the Churches." (Rev.)

**ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

Holy Communion and Sermon 9:00 a.m.  
Church School 9:00 a.m.

**FIRST LATIN AMERICAN BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Porfirio Perez, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Services 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union 6:30 p.m.  
Worship Services 7:30 p.m.  
WMU, Monday 7:30 p.m.

**HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH**

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Sunday on KCKG. See THIS IS THE LIFE 8:00 a.m. Sunday on KCTV.

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Sunday Masses 7:00 a.m.  
11:00 a.m.  
Holy Day Masses 6:30 a.m.  
7:00 p.m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Ralph Weinholt, Minister

Sunday Bible Classes 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.  
Youth Training 4:30 p.m.  
Sunday evening 7:30 p.m.  
Youth program 6:30 p.m.  
Wednesday evening 7:30 p.m.  
Herald of Truth 4:05 p.m.  
Sundays on KCKG; 1240.



Answer to crisis: Run away from home!

Run away from love to a world where hate often prevails. Run away from understanding to a city that seldom understands. Run from tomorrow's hopes into a desolate and hopeless today.

Sure, Son, there's something wrong at home—something more spiritual than physical would be our guess!

To live as a family we need foundation—something firm and sure—to be confident of when nothing is going our way. To live as a family we need meaning in our relationships; meaning that cannot be eclipsed by the emotions of the moment.

When church bells ring on Sunday morning, they are calling families to worship! Faith is the foundation of love, and understanding and hope. The teachings of Christ give deeper meaning to all relationships.

Can't guarantee you won't get a lickin' for running away. Can't guarantee you won't feel like running away again sometime.

But can guarantee this: When there's the religious foundation and meaning we're talking about, any crisis can be seen in clearer perspective... and solved more sensibly.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
I Samuel 28:3-25	Psalms 25:1-10	Psalms 25:11-22	Galatians 6:1-10	Ephesians 2:11-22	Titus 2:7-14	Philomoe 8-20

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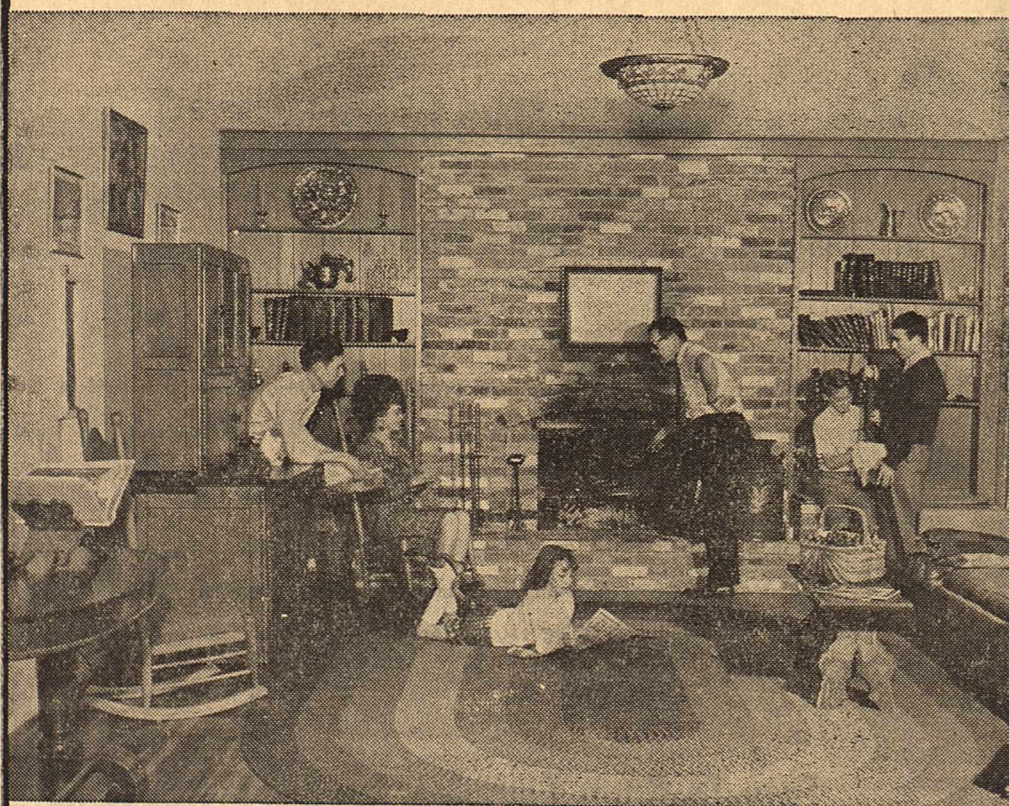
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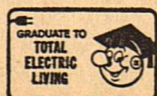
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### IRS Offers Special Enrollment Exam

Those who wish to take the enrollment examination to qualify to practice before the Internal Revenue Service may obtain application forms and other informational materials from Richard R. Bishop, Examination Coordinator, P. O. Box 594, Dallas, Texas 75221. Mr. Bishop may be reached by telephone at area code 214, RI 9-2795, or in room 1132 at 1600 Patterson Street, Dallas.

District Director Ellis Campbell, Jr., emphasizes that the right to represent clients in tax and other matters before IRS is limited to those who meet the highest standards of technical proficiency and ethical conduct.

The examination will be held in the Dallas District Office on September 26 and September 27, 1968, for those tax practitioners who are not attorneys or certified public accountants.

Applications, accompanied by a fee of \$25 payable to the Internal Revenue Service, should be sent to Director, Audit Division, Internal Revenue Service, Washington, D. C., 20224, by August 31, 1968.

In 1967, twenty-three persons in the Dallas District (covering the northern half of Texas) took the exam, Mr. Campbell said.

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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.

ONE OF THE HARDEST SUMMER JOBS is trying to keep cool. Billy Fay and two companions, however, seem to have the problem licked at Sonora's swimming pool. With a mighty splash he and two friends kick off from the pool's edge for a spine-tingling swim.

Your ad in THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS will produce results

### Merrills Attend New Mexico Meet

Dr. and Mrs. Leo B. Merrill and daughter, Patti, were in Tucumcari, New Mexico, June 27-29, where Dr. Merrill, who is in charge of the Ranch Experiment Station, spoke at a meeting of the Rio Grande Chapter of the Soil Conservation Society of America.

Dr. Merrill spoke to the group on "Deferred vs Continuous Grazing."

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There was one bill that did pass that, in my opinion, is a good bill and one that I supported. This was House Bill 16 which makes the carrying of guns, knives,

### AUSTIN REPORT

by Hilary Doran Jr.

The first called session of the 60th Legislature adjourned sine die at 12:45 p.m. on Wednesday, July 3.

The mini-bottle bill advocated by the Governor went down in defeat in the Senate and the general feeling among members of the Legislature was one of relief since this bill had been amended so many times and in such a manner that it was probably the sorriest piece of legislation that could have been foisted on the people of Texas.

A tax bill was passed which will increase the State sales tax by one cent effective October 1, 1968. This bill carries out my predictions of last week that instead of affecting a savings of \$50 million, it will increase the tax burden on the people of this State by approximately \$50 million. In other words, it missed the predicted mark by a total of \$100 million.

The appropriations bill was an example of no economy in government and I felt it should be reduced by many millions of dollars.

This special session should point out to the people of Texas that annual sessions are not desirable and one-year appropriations are doubly costly to the taxpayers of this state.

I am looking forward to returning to my district and plan to travel throughout every county between now and this coming January. During this time I will be seeking your opinions and advice on what you think the next regular session of the Legislature should consider.

This letter marks my last Austin report to you until January of 1969 when I shall again attempt to keep you informed of the activities of the Texas Legislature.

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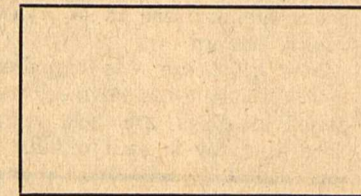
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### Dee Ora Lodge To Be Headed By Jerry Hopkins

New officers of Dee Ora Lodge Number 715 of Accepted and Free Masons will be installed at the regular meeting, July 18. Officers to be intalled include Jerry Hopkins, Worshipful Master; Turney Friess, Senior Warden; L. P. Bloodworth, Jr., Junior Warden; A. E. Prugel, treasurer and E. B. Keng, secretary.

Other officers who will be installed are Smith Neal, chaplain; Jimmy Hugh Harris, Senior Deacon; Jim Menzies, Junior Deacon; Dick Morrison, Tiler; Clay Cade, Senior Steward, and D. M. Tyler, Junior Steward.

Dee Ora Lodge was organized in 1891 and now has 152 members. Stated meetings are held the third Thursday in each month.

### Devil's River News

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### Looking Back . . . by Sonora Motor Co.



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### Using That Safety Gear On Your Car!

If you are among the millions a new car, or one of the more numerous millions who was planning to take the family car along on a summer vacation, you will want to be sure beforehand that it's in tip-top condition—tires, brakes, headlamps, stop lights, turn signals, steering, wheel alignment, etc.

You're sure to check carefully on routings and reservations. You have probably already learned a lot about the place you're going. Do you know as much about your car and how to take advantage of its built-in safety features? Remember, the longest detour is the one taken by those who never finish the trip.

The automobile industry has spent millions of man hours and billions of dollars over the years to incorporate safety features into today's cars so that you may feel safer behind the wheel.

Examine the record if you will. Although not always fully appreciated for their contributions to greater safety, such vehicle design features as adjustable seats, increased glass areas, conveniently grouped controls, lower centers of gravity, improved heating and ventilation units are all important vehicle improvements that help the driver avoid involvement in accidents.

Seat belts, crash padding, energy-absorbing steering columns and other safety features all were added to automobiles in the interests of the man behind the wheel.

Most people think of seat belts first when they think of safety gear. Do you know how to wear one? The most common mistake is wearing the belt too loose, and the most common reason is that people forget to take up all the slack from the automatic retractor. Having done that, wear your belt low—right at the bend of the hips. This will reduce the chance of getting hurt from the belt itself in event of a crash. The first rule, though, we've saved for last: if you don't wear it, it can't help you.

Now, turn signals. Are you sure yours are working? All of them? And canceling every time you straighten out after a turn? Do you know how to tell while sitting in the car? All American turn signals will tell you when they're not working. Most systems blink faster when a light burns out or loosens in its socket, but some come on and stay on. Check yours to find out which one you have.

If you've been driving for several miles without a blinking left turn signal, don't be surprised that the fellow behind you didn't know that now (crunch) you mean it. When, by the way, do you first show your signal? Are you one of those who sits at a red light while the lane behind you fills solid with cars, then flips on a left turn indicator after the light turns? If so, those dirty 'looks probably don't bother you because all those other folks have some place to go too. A driver who is trying to be mistaken for a professional turns on his signal just as soon as he can without causing confusion, so the drivers behind can adjust their actions to suit.

If you're one of the millions with a new car, or one of the more numerous millions who was planning to take the family car along on a summer vacation, you will want to be sure beforehand that it's in tip-top condition—tires, brakes, headlamps, stop lights, turn signals, steering, wheel alignment, etc.

Julie Carroll to Twirling School is the work being done by the Texas Parks & Wildlife Department in stocking the new lake with walleyes. Just a year ago some 2,000,000 fry were released in the lake. The baby walleyes were brought down from Iowa, in an exchange agreement between the two states.

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### OUTDOORS IN TEXAS BY VERN SANFORD

Fishermen in the Texas Panhandle long have boasted that they are right in the middle of the best fishing in the world—namely half-way between the Atlantic and the Pacific.

Now, however, fishing is a little closer to home. Today, one of the newest and most interesting lakes in Texas is in the process of filling. Lake Meredith is created by the Sanford (no kin) Dam across the Canadian River, only a few miles out of Borger.

It is a new glory for this city, which first became famous something like 40 years ago with the discovery of oil.

At that time and during the intervening years the Canadian River, which cuts across the Panhandle north of Amarillo, was mostly a dusty stream that went wild with torrential rains and flooded its valley. Then came the wind and sun—and the river dried up again in spots.

Now that has been changed! After years of talk and planning and the expenditure of almost a hundred million dollars, Lake Meredith has been completed and the stored water will be carried by a 35 mile aqueduct to serve the nearby cities of Borger and Pampa.

Another aqueduct carries the water to Amarillo and a half-dozen other high plains cities, which for years have depended entirely upon underground water for domestic purposes and agriculture.

Located in Hutchinson County, Lake Meredith will cover slightly under 44,000 surface acres. It will be 20 miles long when filled.

Sanford Dam was constructed by the Bureau of Reclamation, after years of research and survey, both by the government and by private agencies.

This lake presented some major problems because much of the reservoir site was in the heart of a major natural gas field. It was necessary to execute contracts with the owners of 19 pipelines and 44 producing wells for relocation of the lines and capping of the wells, or retapping them by slant drilling.

This all has to do with the building of the lake to impound the water. But to the Texas Panhandle, it means so much more in a new recreational area. Floating docks, boat moorings, fueling facilities, trailer parking areas and other recreational facilities are being provided.

This year will see the greatest utilization of the facilities now available.

### Varsity, B-Team, 7th and 8th Grades Schedule Football Games for Season

The football schedule for the 1968 season has been announced by superintendent of schools, Ralph Finklea.

Varsity Football Schedule	8th Grade Football Schedule	7th Grade Football Schedule
September 13 Winters Here	September 19 Ozona There	September 19 Ozona There
September 20 Big Lake Here	September 26 Big Lake Here	September 26 Big Lake Here
September 27 Ballinger Here	October 3 Eldorado There	October 3 Eldorado There
October 4 Ozona Here	October 10 Ozona Here	October 10 Ozona Here
October 11 Rankin There	October 17 Junction There	October 17 Junction There
October 18 Menard Here	October 24 Mason There	October 24 Mason There
October 25 Mason There	November 7 Eldorado Here	November 7 Eldorado Here
November 1 Eden Here	November 14 Junction Here	November 14 Junction Here
November 8 Eldorado There	November 14 Junction Here	November 14 Junction Here
November 15 Junction There	November 14 Junction Here	November 14 Junction Here

All games will start at 8 p.m. except for the last three games which will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Information about Lake Meredith can be obtained from the Chambers of Commerce in Borger, Pampa or any of the nearby towns all of which are extremely interested in this newest development in the Panhandle area.

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		NO 303 VEG - ALL	23¢
JACK SPRAT	No. 300 10¢	DEL MONTE NEW POTATOES	No. 303 19¢
DEL MONTE FRUIT COCKTAIL	No. 303 29¢	WHITE HOUSE PIE APPLES	No. 2 35¢
PINT PINE OIL	39¢	DEL MONTE, Yellow Cream CORN	No. 303 25¢

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