

Tri-County OEO To Organize at September 30 Meeting

Coming to this area in the very near future is an opportunity for the needy and underprivileged of Sutton, Schleicher, and Crockett Counties to take advantage of a plan being offered for those persons to better themselves economically through an Office of Economic Opportunity program designed to teach people to help themselves. The establishment of Neighborhood Center in Sonora will provide jobs for five persons who will work in the program.

Such aid as is necessary. Some of the better known programs are Head Start, Neighborhood Youth Corps, Adult Basic Education, and Day Care Centers.

The Office of Economic Opportunity set up four Community Action Agencies in the North and West Texas area. Most of the counties in this section of Texas are rural in character, and the sparsity of population imposes difficulties in establishing localized and individually funded programs of sufficient size and scope to be of maximum benefit. To correct this situation the President recommend-

ed that "regional community action agencies" be established to bring benefits to the poor residents of rural areas.

The first step for establishing a Neighborhood Center in this area was set up June 18 when a description of OEO was given to some of the community leaders. A temporary committee composed of Web Elliott, A. E. Prugel, John T. King, Abelino Sanchez, Sam Perez, Bob Johnson, and Ralph Finklea met September 12 to begin essential spade work and make plans for a community meeting. A general community meeting for

permanent committee to see that the OEO guidelines are followed in the programming. OEO requires that one-third of the total number of 12 be representatives of the poor residing in the area, one-third from the local government agencies, appointed by the Mayor and or the County Judge; and the remaining one-third at large elected by all those in attendance at the general meeting.

Applications are now being accepted for the job of director, secretary, and for three neighborhood aides. Application forms are available at the Devil's River News

Office.

The Director's position will pay \$500 monthly and he will assume full responsibility for the operation of the multi-purpose Neighborhood Center in accordance with the policies established by the CAC's area Board of Directors. He would report directly to the Local Advisory Committee.

The Center Director's experience should include social work, education or a related field, plus experience in community organization and program planning. If a Director is not bi-lingual, his secretary should be.

The clerk-typist will perform the general duties including typing, filing, information service, record keeping, and correspondence. This job would require general typing ability, a working knowledge of filing systems, and responsibility for incoming calls, messages, and giving directions to office visitors. Pay is \$300 a month.

The three Neighborhood Aides will assume the responsibility for encouragement of neighborhood participation in program planning and execution. Neighborhood Aides will be expected to work a minimum of forty hours a week and

maintain a time and activity ledger.

Neighborhood Aides should be able to communicate ideas and explain OEO programs to residents of target areas in a manner easily understood by residents. She must know and accept the principle of confidentiality, and must know about the basic common needs of people. These jobs will pay \$300 per month each.

Judge Elliott expressed hopes that a large representation of interested citizens will be present at the general meeting September 30, 7:30 p.m., at the courthouse.

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THE RAINY WEATHER FRIDAY NIGHT cancelled the band's performance plans during the halftime, but it didn't dampen the spirits of these High School girls who will be showing their twirling and marching abilities when the opportunity per-

mits. Reading left to right, twirlers shown are Kathy Hardegree, Kathy Morgan, Drum Major Shelly Morriss, Lesa Whitehead, and Carol Adamson. Shown in the background is the house of Mrs. Cleve Jones Jr.

Broncos Rip Winters 24-0 In Rainy Season Opener

Rain coats were in style Friday night as the Broncos marched over the Winters Blizzards in the first football game of their ten game schedule. The highly respected Blizzards, rated first in their district and seventh of the class AA schools, were unable to score on the polished Bronco defense. Their deepest penetration came in the

second quarter when they recovered a fumbled punt on about the eleven yard line.

The Broncos line held and let them advance no further than the ten-yard line and regained possession after a missed field goal. The final score was Sonora-24, Winters 0.

The Broncos used field position

with outstanding performances given by halfback Ed Lee Renfro, tackle Monte Dillard, center Bill Green, tackle Barry Black, quarterback Thurston McCutchen, full back Erasmo Lumberas, and a host of other Broncos.

The Bronco offense gained a total of 163 yards in the game. Mike Kozelsky, Blizzards quarterback, and halfback Arlon Eranes led their team in a total of 161 yards, making 144 on the ground.

est penetration in the game. Galen Brian, Winters guard, attempted a 17-yard field goal but the kick was low, short and to the left.

Renfro ran 24 yards late in the third period as he went wide right on one of Sonora's famous power sweeps. The play climaxed a 25-yard drive which took three plays.

Registration Opens For PP&K Contest

Boys 8 through 13 began registering for the eighth annual Punt, Pass and Kick competition September 3. Trophies and trips are awarded football-minded youths for skill in punting, passing, and kicking.

The twelve division winners go, with both parents, to the Orange Bowl in Miami, Florida, for the national finals during the annual NFL play-off game. Then all 12 national finalists and their parents will go on a "tour of champions" to Washington, D.C.

The competition is sponsored nationally by Ford dealers and the National Football League.

Registration will continue here through October 4 at Sonora Motor Company and John Bell will again serve as contest coordinator of the program.

Trophies are awarded locally by Sonora Motor Company. Winners of zone competitions receive trophies and runners-up are awarded certificates. Zone winners move to District competitions where 216 Dis-

trict champions will be awarded trophies and go on to compete for area championships.

The fumble by Winters running back Fred Wilder on the Blizzards 39, Green kicked an 18-yard field goal. The score was 10-0 with 6:30 remaining in the half.

The Broncos stayed on the ground during the 28-yard drive that took 10 plays with the longest gainer in the series being a six-yard inside reverse by wing-back Robert Mata.

On a fumbled punt reception by Renfro on the Sonora fifteen, the Blizzards ran three plays from scrimmage and advanced the ball to the 10. This was Winters deep-

CINDERS

by John T. King

The fire which occurred Monday evening in a house owned by Mrs. Zola Bode was reported to George Barrow, one of our volunteer firemen of many, many years.

In the excitement and rush to telephone the alarm ... George forgot the number. Finally Mary, his wife, looked up the number and George dialed ... but with a 2 instead of a 7 as the first number. (For many years before Sonora's 387 prefix, local telephone numbers had a 2 prefix.)

Finally, on second try, George turned in the alarm.

In case our readers want to make a note of the number, it's 387-2424.

Additional Screwworm Cases Reported By Sutton County Ranchmen

County Agent D. C. Langford advises that two new screwworm cases have been confirmed in this county. One was found on the Wallas Renfro ranch and one on the John E. Morris Enlists In Army

John Eugene Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Morris, has enlisted in the United States Army according to SFC Rodriguez, local Army recruiter. Morris is presently assigned to Ft. Bliss, undergoing basic training.

He will attend a technical course as a Hawk Missile Launcher repairman located at US Army Missile center at Redstone Arsenal, Alabama. The course will last for 32 weeks. Morris is a graduate of Texas A&M University where he received a B.S. degree in May of this year.

Gene Wallace ranch. Langford stresses the importance of prompt reporting of suspected cases by ranchmen in order to reduce the buildup of cases.

Last week the state had recorded 140 cases during the first two days of the week, which was the heaviest case load during any comparable period this year.

"It appears that the fall buildup of cases is getting underway, and is likely to increase rapidly following rain over much of the state during the past few days," warns Dr. S. C. Garman, veterinarian in charge of the screwworm eradication program.

Ranchers are urged to postpone animal surgery until cold weather arrives, if possible; to treat man-made and all other wounds; to spray their herds in order to control the spread of cases.

Jerry Gandar Dies Sept. 14

Graveside services for Jerry M. Gandar, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Aurore Gandar, were held September 15 at 1 p.m. at Sonora Cemetery.

The baby was born July 13, 1968, and died September 14, 1968, on arrival at Hudspeth Hospital. Survivors besides the parents include a brother, Aurore Jr., grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Mata, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gandar. The great-grandparents surviving are Mr. and Mrs. Francisco Morine.

Those who attended the services from out of town included Mr. and Mrs. Jose Rodriguez, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Perez of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Rodriguez of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Flavio Duran of Fort Worth; Mrs. Ramon Bill and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Pruneda of Kerrville.

Dr. C. F. Browne Named Chairman

Paul Eggers, Republican candidate for governor, today announced the appointment of Dr. Charles F. Browne of Sonora as Eggers campaign chairman for Sutton County.

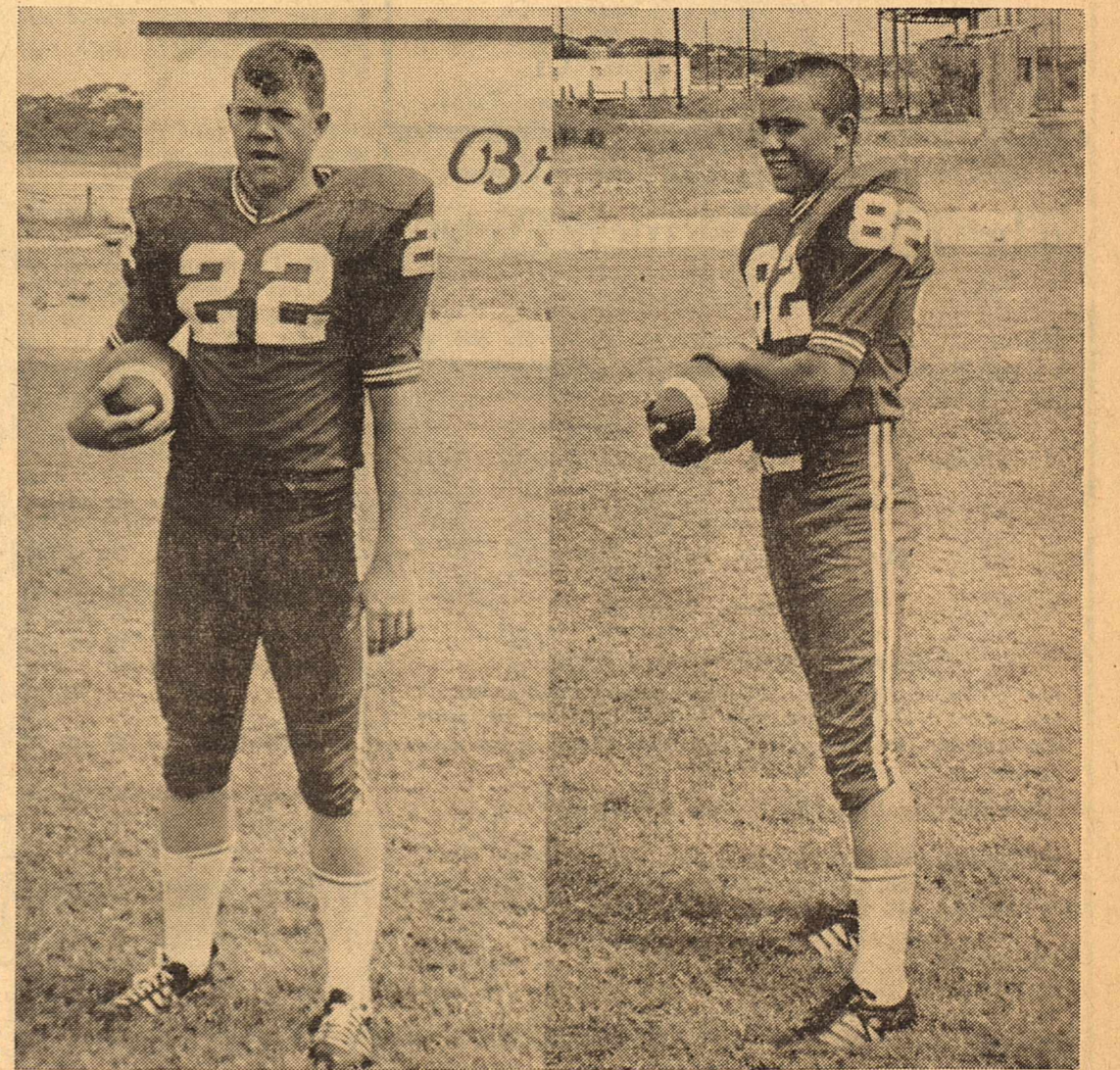
Dr. Browne, a physician, attended Texas Tech and the University of Texas Medical School.

A major in the U. S. Army, Dr. Browne served in India, Burma, China and was commanding officer of a portable surgical hospital in Formosa.

He is past president of the Sonora Chamber of Commerce, member of Lions, and on the state board of the American Cancer Society. He is a member of the American Medical Association and other medical associations, and is district vice president of the Texas Academy of General Practice.

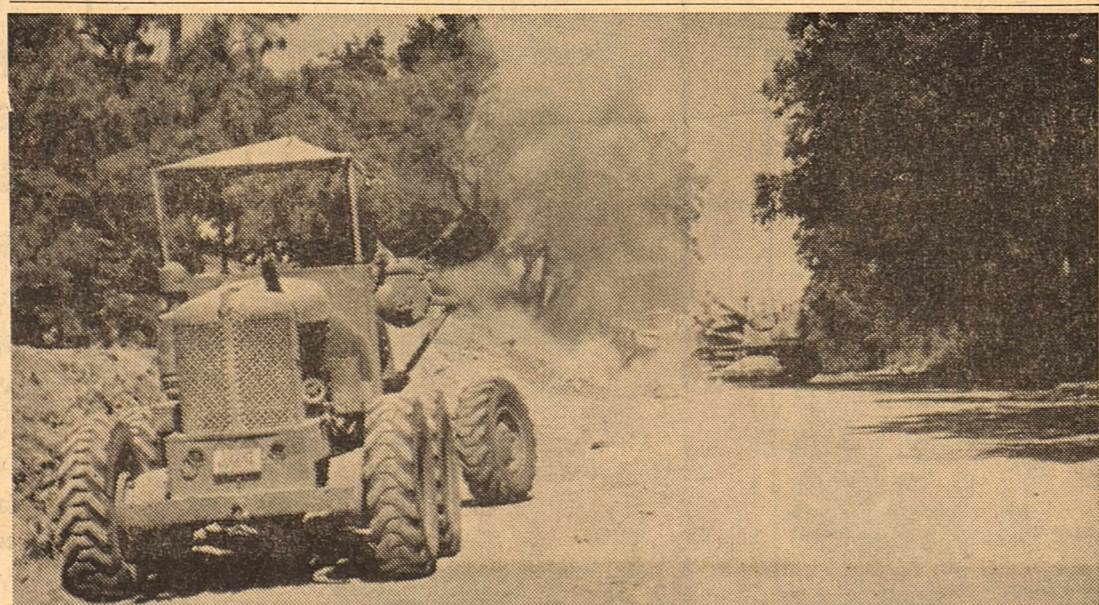
Dr. Browne is also past president and manager and coach of American Little League. He is council member of the Boy Scouts of America and active in St. John's Episcopal Church.

He and his wife, Maxine, have three children—Brenda, 17; Chuck, 13; and Paul, 11.



TURNING IN YEOMAN SERVICES in Friday night's game along with their teammates were these two Broncos - Ed Lee Renfro and Richard Perez. Playing on the slippery, muddy

field did not stop the determined Bronco Eleven from emerging victorious in their season opener with Winters. The Broncos face the Big Lake Owls there Friday.



CITY OF SONORA WORKMEN blast a portion of the hill on Prospect Street in preparation for paving and widening of the street. Work is progressing in accordance with plans and city manager Jimmy H. Harris hopes the city crew will be able to proceed with paving in the near future before cold weather begins.

Sonora's Weather

Compiled by Pat Brown

	Rain	Hi	Lo
Wednesday, Sept. 11	.00	91	59
Thursday, Sept. 12	.00	90	48
Friday, Sept. 13	.16	86	56
Saturday, Sept. 14	1.01	69	61
Sunday, Sept. 15	.00	90	63
Monday, Sept. 16	.00	96	68
Tuesday, Sept. 17	.00	95	62
Rainfall for the month, 1.25;			
Rain for the year, 21.11			

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Amendments Analyzed

Amendment No. 13— Exempting from ad valorem taxation certain property temporarily stored in a public warehouse.

Arguments: For: 1. Over two-thirds of the states, 34 states and the District of Columbia, have some form of free port tax legislation in their statutes. The 16 states (including Texas) without free ports are placed at a disadvantage competitively and are also limited in potential growth as distribution centers for major manufacturers and processors.

2. The practical effect of the present ad valorem tax law, which does not exempt certain property temporarily stored in public warehouses from assessment, is the collection of minimal revenues from this source because: (1) manufacturers and processors, particularly the larger ones and major companies from out of state,



Thursday, September 19
5 p.m., Football, 7th Grade vs. Ozona in Ozona
6:30 p.m., Football, 8th Grade vs. Ozona in Ozona
7 p.m., Football, B-Team vs. Ozona, Bronco Stadium
8 p.m., Dee Ora Lodge meeting at Masonic Hall
Friday, September 20
8 p.m., Sonora vs. Big Lake in Big Lake
Saturday, September 21
2-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open
Sunday, September 22
Services at the church of your choice
Monday, September 23
7:30 p.m., Booster Club meeting in school cafeteria
Tuesday, September 24
12 noon, Downtown Lions Club meeting in fellowship hall of the First Methodist Church
7:30 p.m., Scout meeting, Boy Scout Hall
Wednesday, September 25
3-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open

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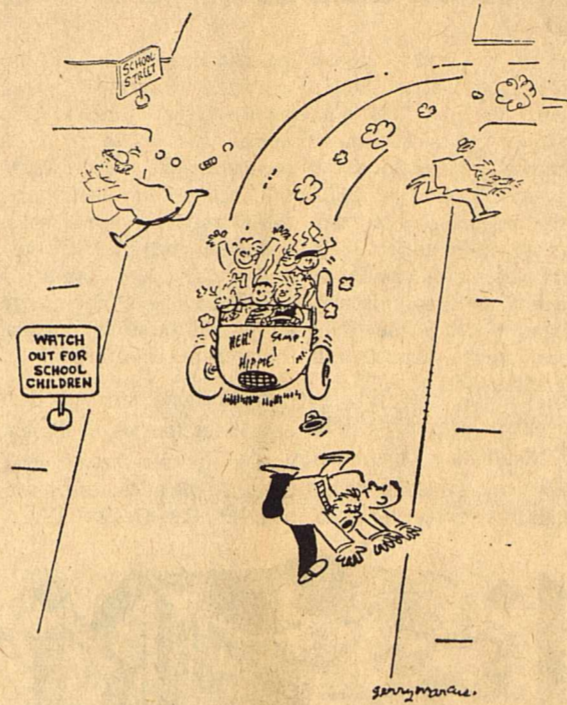
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DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

September 18, 1958
Sonora Broncos racked up their second win of the 1958 season by downing the Eldorado Eagles 8-0.

Pauline Barnes and Viola Adams will attend the General Telephone Company's service emblem awards banquet in San Angelo. Earlier this year Mrs. Barnes received a 20-year pin and Miss Adams a 15-year pin.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mayer and Mrs. C. F. Browne attended the State Republican Convention in Wichita Falls last week.

September 17, 1948
The Sonora Broncos might not win the race in District 8B, but their "Model T" gridiron machine will give some of the district's limousines a run for their money. They posted a 25-0 unexpected win over the heavier Eagle Pass eleven Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Neill and daughters, Jane and Nancy, and Mrs. Frank Bond will spend the weekend in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allen left

Thursday for Austin, where he will enroll in law school at the University of Texas.

Running for student council president are Nina Smith, James Hunt, and J. R. Caldwell.

Septemehr 16, 1938
A landmark in Sonora many years—the building used by Dee Ora Lodge No. 715, will soon give way to progress in the form of stucco-tile lodge building on the site where for so many years the frame building has stood.

Curb to curb paving of Sonora streets was named Tuesday by W. E. Caldwell, businessman, as a community improvement most needed in the county.

Some Sonora students off in college are Louis Davis, John Tarleton, Wesley Sawyer, UofT; Alvis Johnson, Jr., pre med, UT; Joseph Logan, L. E. Johnson, Marvin Smith, Jack Shurley, A&M; and Kenneth Babcock, UT.

Cedar Hill School has twenty pupils this year being taught by Mrs. Earl Adams.

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75 Years Ago
B. F. Bellows is building a 5-room residence for himself on Rio Grande Avenue.

R. W. Thomas bought Frank Large's buggy and team of high stepping horses this week for \$250.

John Stokes is editor of the Rocksprings Rustler. John wields a fluent pen and is getting out a good paper.

Political Announcements

State and Federal Offices...\$25.00
(The above price includes one write-up of not more than 250 words and the publication of candidate's name weekly in this column.) No refund to candidates withdrawing.

The Devil's River News is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the action of the General Election Tuesday, November 5, 1968: FOR STATE SENATE, 25th Senatorial District—
W. E. (Pete) Snelson (Democrat)
Ernest Angelo (Republican)

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Horse Short Course Offered
B. F. Yeates, Extension Animal Husbandman, of Texas A&M University says the 8th annual horse short course will be offered at College Station, with Ramada Inn as headquarters for the course. Registration begins September 27 and the fee is \$5 for the three night course covering lectures and demonstrations in judging, Western Pleasure, reining, and other related subjects. Further information may be obtained from Yeates.

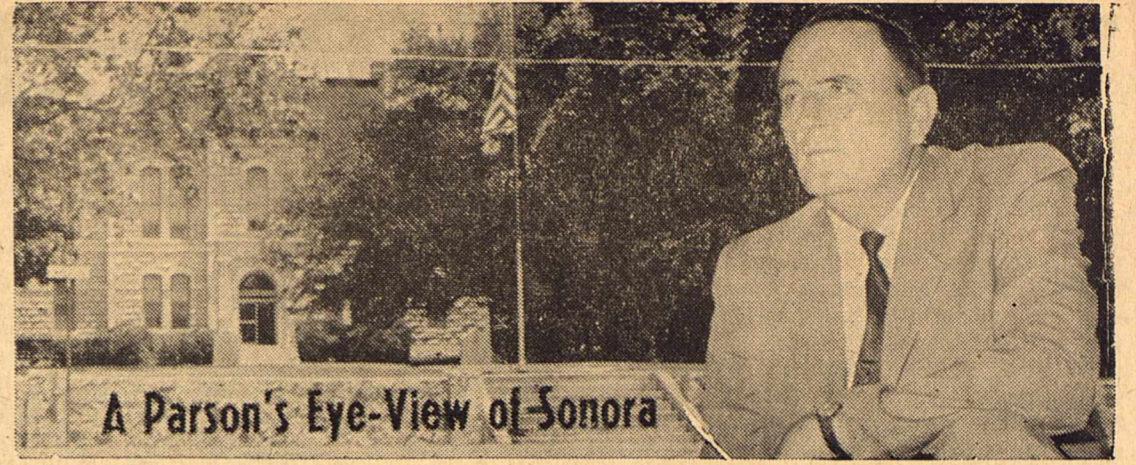
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(Meaning: Wooden peg or block the size of a brick.)

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A Parson's Eye-View of Sonora

BY THE REV. ROSS T. WELCH

A good general rain should make everyone feel better, even though some of it fell while we were watching our Broncos take the wind out of the high-rated Winters Blizzards Friday night.

Most grass-land will go into the fall in good condition. The rains will also relieve the pressure on selling off surplus livestock and—hopefully—improve the markets.

Our football team certainly started the season in impressive style against their AA-opponents last week. The entire team looked good in almost any combination the coaches decided to play them.

We matched some pretty tough pre-season opposition this year, but if we can do it as well against the others as we did against Winters, the district schedule should not prove too difficult.

If our boys escape serious injury and if David Wuest and Mitch Trainer get back into top shape, we could have another very long football season like '66.

We received a letter recently from the Rev. and Mrs. Rodney Dowdy. They seem to be very busy in their new church at Meadow, south of Lubbock.

Among other things in their letter they stated, "Our days and stay in Sonora were pleasant and shall not soon be forgotten."

Guest speaker at the First Baptist Church last Sunday morning was the Rev. Ivey Miller, superintendent of the Mexican Baptist Children's Home in San Antonio.

The Rev. Mr. Miller is father of Mrs. Kenneth Mitchell. Mr. Mitchell is the Bronco Band director.

Not many people complained about the rain at the game, but some were disappointed about the cancellation of the half-time activities. They were eager to see our band perform under new leadership.

Jack Mims, inspector for the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, tried his best to provoke someone to say something

about our home county when we were visiting in the Sheriff's Office the other day, but he could not get a rise out of anyone.

While we waited we got in some good visiting and reminiscing. He said in the performance of his duties he had lived in a great number of places around the state, and he considered the Edwards Plateau about tops as a place to live. He now lives in Brady.

Last week I attempted to substitute in High School for Mrs. Charlotte Wilson. When I taught in high school a good many years ago, I taught both English and Spanish. I found I was not really prepared to teach either subject.

I was impressed with the caliber of the young people in our high school. One of the days I was on duty was the day pictures were made for the annual. The boys and girls all came dressed for the occasion, and I was convinced it would be difficult to find a better looking bunch of teenagers anywhere.

No wonder Sonora produces winners in nearly every area of competition. Don't misunderstand me, I did not notice any haloes, but, what is more important, I saw evidence of intelligence and interest.

I heard Fred Nichols bemoaning the loss of his renter the other day. For more than sixteen years the Herman Moores have rented the Nichols house. Now they have bought a home and are moving to it.

"I sure hate to see them go," Mrs. Nichols remarked. "I have watched those boys grow up since they started to school and they have certainly been fine boys."

Mrs. R. V. Cook, who has grand-mothered two pretty good football players through high school in the persons of Laney, now at Baylor, and J. V., who is enrolling in Angelo State, did not permit a little rain to keep her away from her accustomed place last Friday night.

And she did not permit a cast on her leg to keep her down when

young Jesso caught a pass.

Bob Hardgraves thought he was through with pets until someone offered Orlene a poodle.

It was a tragic accident that happened at HemisFair last Sunday when one of the little elevated trains plowed into the rear of another. A number of cars were derailed, resulting in one death and nearly fifteen injuries.

With attendance falling below expectations and refinancing already being the order of the day, this was just what the Fair did not need.

Jim and Joan Menzies took the boys and his parents and went to the Fair last week. Naturally they were thrilled to find the picture of their Scotland-born ancestor in the Texas exhibit.

James Patrick Cooper was an important person last Sunday when he was baptized in the First Presbyterian Church in San Saba on his first birthday.

In addition to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Cooper, he had about a dozen sponsors including grandparents, great-grandparents, aunts and others. Sonorans who were present included Mrs. Harva Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Jones, Betty Jack Cooper, Mrs. Alice Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sawyer, Mrs. Mickey Powers and Mrs. Ward.

Dr. Browne got a nice write-up in the Standard-Times as Sutton County campaign manager for the Gubernatorial Candidate Eggers.

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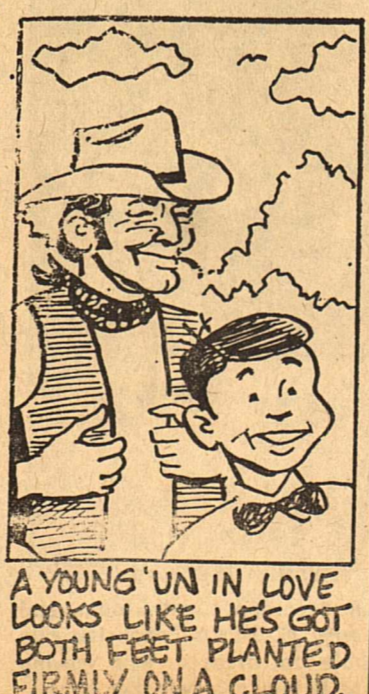
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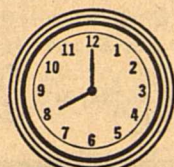
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Teen Scene

by Kay Kerbow



The pep rally held Friday afternoon couldn't help but inspire all the Broncos. Norm Rousselot was the guest speaker and led the student body in an unusual yell. Anyone that wishes to attend the pep rallies is welcome to do so. They are held alternately in the old and new gym at 3:15 on Friday afternoon.

SHS

The band worked hard on their half time show only to be rained out. I know everyone was disappointed—especially the band students (?) Don't worry folks, the band will be back in full swing Friday night. After two weeks of long practice, I know the performance will be well done.

The cleaners will be extremely busy this week with mud drenched uniforms—football and band, not to mention all the spectators grimy clothes. When the Blizzards come to town, they hit with all their fury and spare no one.

SHS

Individual pictures were taken Thursday morning and those of organizations were taken that afternoon. Everyone was requested to look their best. The staunch cowboys even appeared in suits and ties, so you can see why pictures are not looked forward to with much enthusiasm. On the other hand, they bring happiness to students with scheduled tests and are lucky enough to be ex-

cused from class to take a picture.

SHS

Organization pictures are more appreciated because during this time all students meet in the auditorium to await the announcement for pictures of the various clubs. Many unusual antics are executed during this time off. Bill Green was voted unanimously to represent the girl's athletic association, but was turned down by the sponsors who considered him unqualified. I wonder why?

SHS

Ted Turner broke the fifty yard dash record that afternoon when he ran away from the auditorium followed by Doty Cargill and Evelyn Jane Lowe.

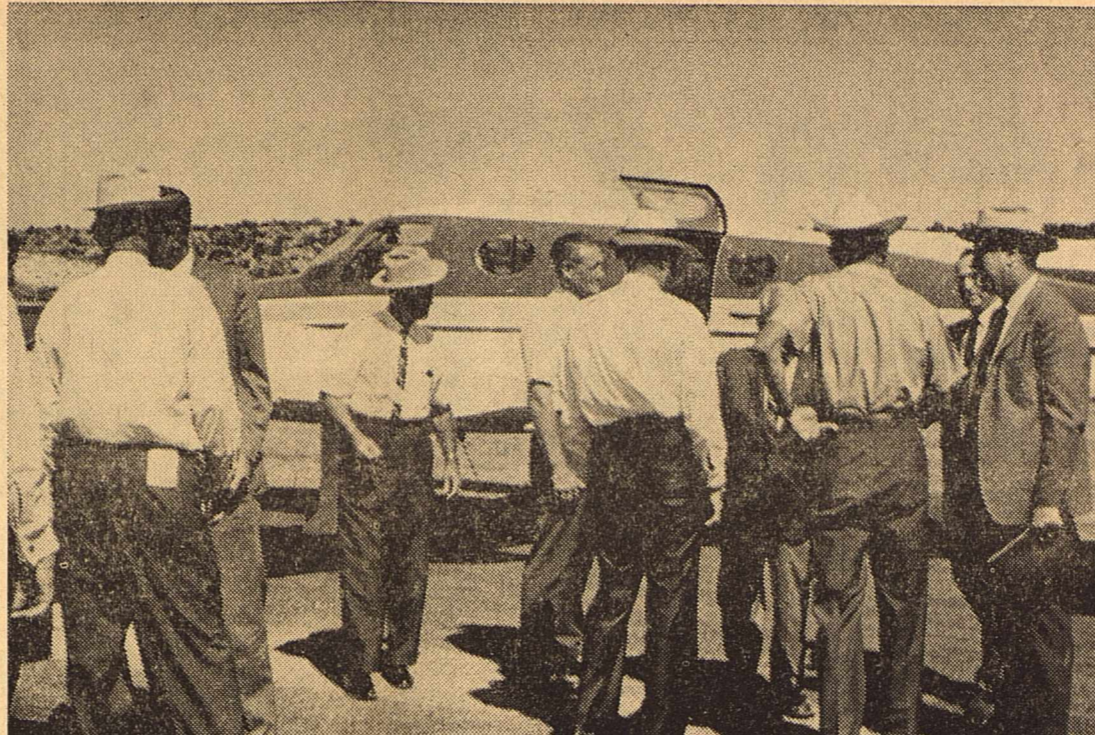
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DR. LEO B. MERRILL, head of Ranch Experiment Station, is shown here with a group of Sutton Countians greeting some of the Board of Directors and Texas A&M University officials at Joe Berger Field. University per-

sonnel arrived here September 13 in two privately owned planes. Several ranchmen and other persons drove with the visitors to the Station for an inspection tour of the Station and barbecue meal hosted by the City of Sonora.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY CALENDAR

- Thursday, September 19
 - Mrs. Lea Allison
 - Jack Baker
 - Edwina Mata
 - Logan Charles Meitzen
- Friday, September 20
 - Joe D. Cook
 - C. T. Jones
 - Clyde Henderson
 - W. A. Cochran
 - Susan Allen
 - Micheal Murray
 - Diana Black
 - Vicki Hardgrave
 - Gregg Tedford
 - Lindsey Paul Hicks
- Saturday, September 21
 - Mrs. Al C. Thompson
- Sunday, September 22
 - Clayton Hamilton
 - Vernon Luckie
 - Jerry Potmesil
- Mrs. Jack Mann
- Alvis Johnson
- Albert Sykes
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Tye Collins, P. E.
Project Engineer
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Alexander Speaks To Farm Bureau

W. J. (Jack) Alexander, Republican for Congress, while addressing the Uvalde County Farm Bureau at Uvalde said that people in the 21st Congressional District are looking for new leadership in the Congress as well as the presidency.

Alexander feels that some of the problems include, decreased income to farmers and ranchers, and inflation—in 1948 it took 2200 bushels of wheat to buy a crawler tractor, in 1968 it takes 23,000 bushels to buy the same tractor.

He catalogued other failures as rising crime rate, rising death and property damage due to civil disorder, rising taxes, and discord and fragmentation of our allies and overseas alliance.

Alexander continued by quoting the current issue of U.S. News and World Report, that our Airforce, Army, and Navy is grossly under equipped over all of the world except Vietnam.

Gamma Phi Chapter Meets In Kerrville

Gamma Phi Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society met with three other chapters at the Golden Spur in Kerrville for a luncheon meeting September 7. The state president gave a talk on "The Reality for Which We Stand". She reported the Society had given 17 long-term scholarships the past year and over 400 for summer terms.

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Article Called "Mr. Mohair Producer" Of Interest To Area Ranchmen

The following article was written by D. L. Cloudt and recently published in the Texas Mohair Weekly in Rocksprings. The story was titled "Mr. Mohair Producer" and is being published here at the request of Mr. Cloudt. It should be of interest to producers in this area.

For the past four years, mohair and its related price downfall on the adult qualities has created more concern with the growing producing phase of the industry than any of our other

products raised in the mohair country of Texas.

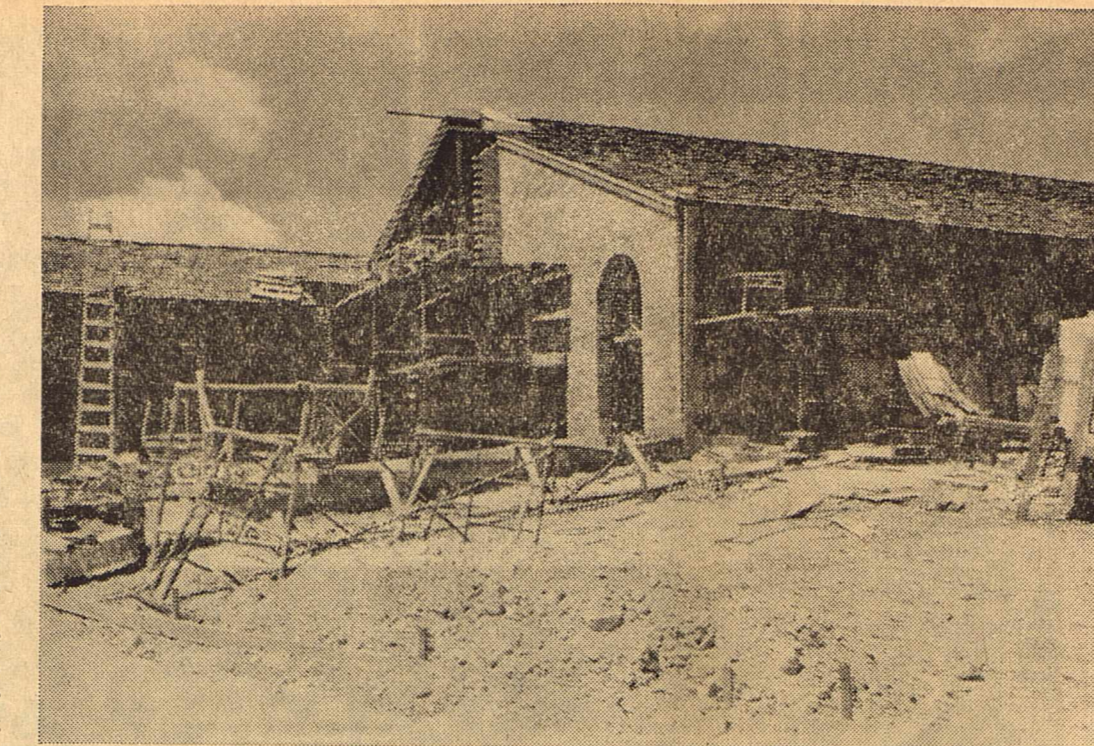
It has within the last year become so acute that goat numbers are being reduced and in many instances, operators, where range forage permits, have removed the goat from the ranch operation; intensifying in some other livestock program that, hopefully will yield a more profitable return. True enough, some of these operators are inners and outers but the stark reality of the future of this business to the man who by circumstances has to keep goats, is yet an uncompromising, unresolved problem in the face of low prices for mohair, built in increased costs, higher taxes, higher prices for each and every product or service he avails himself of in the conduct of his enterprise.

The broad spectrum of the producing industry has not changed materially. We are in effect still producing the same way, still selling the same way and still thinking the same way we did before the price of mohair went down. Currently the prevailing atmosphere among producers of mohair is one of confused despair with basically a hope that somewhere, somehow a price rise will occur that will put us back in the black. Then we say this is just one of the things that happens to mohair and you should not be in the business unless you are prepared for these fluctuations.

The concept of change has forever been the keynote of progress. Presently we observe a change toward a finer haired, more uniform goat but fineness is not the complete answer. It is definitely a progressive change, but is also a part of a compliment of changes that should take place. Yesterday's economy, with its industries and markets sharply defined, is no more. The past is dead and gone. The future is what you make it.

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What do we do? Where do we go? Who do we see? In other words, how do we relate amidst our confusion? Our problems are of such magnitude that it only adds to our frustration and we resolve into further despair and criticize those who are supposed to be doing something for our industry but are not accomplishing any obvious results.

The man of the hour is the producer. He will be the one who will force and initiate any and all improvements in his precarious position. Only through his concentrated, organized and dedicated efforts with those who are willing and able to help him in marketing his mohair, will he realize sufficiency and profitable enterprise with mohair production.

The first step in a marketing program is preparation of the products. To illustrate the profitable aspect of mohair preparation, the following figures from the 1968 spring adult mohair clip are presented as proof that higher prices can be obtained for mohair when a particular class can be presented for sale for a specialized use. The prices quoted are weighted averages but represent differences in value for different classes.

Spring Adult Mohair
Type, Choice Fine, Net Lbs. 203.982; Percent of Sales, 19; Cents per pound, weighted average price, 82.1.
Type, Fine Spring, 461,622 lbs. Percent of sales, 43; Cents per weighted average price, 50.0; Type, Low, Net pounds, 407,945; Percent of sale, 38; Cents per pound weighted average price, 34.5; Net pounds 1,073,549; Average weighted price per pound, 50.34.

Signals have been posted along the way. One step is taken at a time and the steps will come increasingly faster as we move from one phase to another in an applied marketing program that meets the demand of the consumer and satisfies a stable return to the grower of mohair. The system will respond to the demands of producers and will react accordingly.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients receiving treatment at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, September 10, to Monday, September 16 include the following:

- Maria Cardona, Eldorado
- Thomas Love, Roosevelt
- Hetty Love, Roosevelt
- John Leavell, Kerrville
- Elsie Felthouse, San Antonio
- James Caldwell
- John Ballard, Eldorado
- Magdalena Vidal
- Lupe Garza *
- Ora Davis, Eldorado
- Katie Pearl
- Ada Grelle, Eldorado *
- Juanita Noriega
- Houston Powers *
- Jonnie Morman
- Lucille Stinnett *
- Maude Donaldson, Eldorado
- Tomas Lumbreras
- William Jarvis, Junction
- E. T. Davis, Eldorado
- Fred Spinks, Eldorado *
- Harry Joslin, Ozona
- Emelina Fae *
- Jean Bell *
- Fannie Everett, Ozona *
- Lydia Rodriguez, Eldorado *

Rosa Gonzales, Ozona
Mark Parker *
Selma Wyatt *
Belle Thiers, Roosevelt
Beatrice Garcia, Houston *
Gloria Gonzales
Erma Fuller, Eldorado
Betsy Sikes, Ozona

* Patients released during the same period.

Snips, Quips, And Lifts Tommy Thorp Named President Local Golf Club

by Lottie Lee Baker
—Don't think that every sad-eyed woman has loved and lost. She may have got him.
—There are many kinds of pests, but the pessimist is the worst.
—The women today had rather mend your ways than your socks.
—The most effective highway-safety sign is on the side of the police car.
—Small deeds done are better than great deeds planned.

for something they don't need.
—The man that said that every knock is a boost surely never drove an old car.
—Well balanced people never try to throw their weight around.
—We always think a man's ideas are good if they coincide with ours.
—Some people stay longer in an hour than others in a week.
—Two tigers were walking down the street together. One turned to the other and said: Where have you been? You smell like gasoline.

Tommy Thorp was elected president of Sonora Golf Club at a recent meeting held for purpose of electing new officers to head the organization. Clayton Hamilton is immediate past president. John Bell will serve as vice president with Doyle Morgan to be secretary-treasurer for the club.

INSTALLMENT PLAN
"Money isn't everything." I wish I knew who said it. For if he didn't have the cash, He must have had the credit.

A LIFT FOR THE WEEK
Don't resent growing old. A great many are denied the privilege.

—A mistake proves somebody stopped talking long enough to do something.

—Middle age is that time in life when you have met so many people that every new person reminds you of someone else.

—The moon will probably be our next vacation spot. People who go there won't have an earthly thing to do.

—One tree can make a million matches. One match can destroy a million trees.

—Ulcers are what you get from mountain-climbing over molehills.
—Money talks, and it is a pity it keeps telling people to spend it

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At the club membership meeting last week new directors elected were Tommy Thorp, Jo Hardgrave, Jimmy Harris, Cullen Luttrell, and W. B. McMillan. Holdover directors are Dennie Hays, John Bell, Joe Ed Harrell, Francis Archer, Stanley Mayfield, and John McClelland.

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Mark will be fourteen years old this month. He is very thoughtful these days. Many an hour is spent on the back lawn with watercolors and pad, mostly thinking or dreaming.

Boundless curiosity is his, and "why," a certain response to every answer he receives. Besides painting, he likes to hunt, swim, golf, read, and putter in the basement with test tubes. Only recently, girls have been included with rifles and missile shots as a favored topic of conversation.

He talks about God, too. In his pursuit of answers to the universe, he instigates family discussions that range from ethics to eternity, from atoms to apple cores.

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Sunday Psalms 7:3-15	Monday Proverbs 4:10-19	Tuesday Proverbs 4:20-27	Wednesday Isaiah 32:9-20	Thursday Isaiah 5:37-47	Friday Hebrews 6:9-20	Saturday Hebrews 10:19-25
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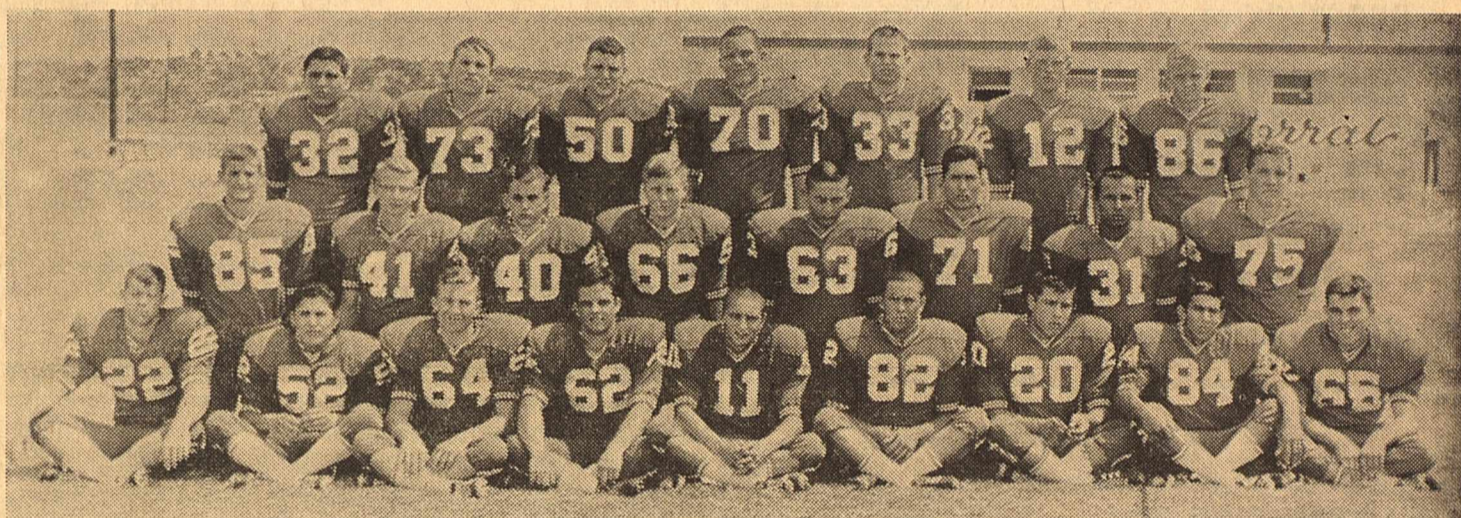
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(Second row,) Jesso Cook, Scott Jacoby, Dick Bundy, Ted Fish, Marty Martinez, Ruben Chavez, Lupe Espinosa, and Jim Elliott. (Third row) Erasmo Lumbreras, Barry Black, Bill Green, Monte Dillard, Kerry Joy, David Wuest, and Larry Everett. Not shown is Mitch Trainer.

1968 Football Schedule

Varsity Football Schedule			8th Grade Football Schedule		
Sept. 13	Sonora	Winters	0	September 19	Ozona
September 20	Big Lake	There		September 26	Big Lake
September 27	Ballinger	Here		October 3	Eldorado
October 4	Ozona	Here		October 10	Ozona
October 11	Rankin	There		October 17	Junction
October 18	Menard	Here		October 24	Mason
October 25	Mason	There		November 7	Eldorado
November 1	Eden	Here		November 14	Junction
November 8	Eldorado	There			
November 15	Junction	There			

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

B-Team Football Schedule			Football Schedule—7th Grade		
September 19	Ozona	Here	September 19	Ozona	There
September 26	Big Lake	There	September 26	Big Lake	Here
October 3	Eldorado	There	October 10	Ozona	Here
September 10	Ozona	There	October 24	Mason	There
October 17	Junction	There			
October 24	Mason	Here			
November 7	Eldorado	Here			
November 14	Junction	Here			

Games scheduled for 5 p.m. except for final game which will begin at 5:30 p.m.

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Texas A&M University Officials Make Visit To Experiment Station

Sonora and the Ranch Experiment Station was honored Wednesday by a visit from Texas A&M University Board of Directors President L. F. (Pete) Peterson, and other high ranking University personnel.

The Board of Directors and key University officials were making a tour of Texas A&M facilities at El Paso, Pecos and Sonora. Accompanying Peterson were Directors Clyde Wells, Granbury ranchman, and Dr. H. V. Beutel, vice president of Dow Chemical Company at Lake Jackson.

University officials included Gen. Earl Rudder, president; Robert G. Cherry, assistant to president; Dr. H. O. Kunkel, Dean of Agriculture; and Dr. L. S. Pope and John Hutchison, associate deans. Field Extension Service personnel from Districts 6 and 7 were also present.

The University group was met at Joe Berger airport by Dr. Leo Merrill, in charge of the Ranch Station, D. C. Langford, County Agent, and E. B. Keng, Soil Conservation Service.

Others at the airport welcoming the group were Gene Whitehead, Menard ranchman and president of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association, and Bill Sims, secretary of the TS&GRA, Mayor A. E. Prugel, city manager Jimmy H. Harris and local ranchmen Fred Earwood, Vestel Askew, Edwin Sawyer, Bryan Hunt, Bill Mor-

ris, James Hunt, and W. R. Cusenbary.

At the Station Dr. Merrill and Jim Menzies briefly outlined experimental projects now in progress. Dr. Joe D. Ross, Sonora veterinarian and ranchman, and Leo Richardson, Iraan ranchman, told of the need for additional research on sheep and goats. Gene Whitehead expressed the interest of the TS&GRA in expanded research at the Station. Fred Earwood discussed Station accomplishments in range work and stressed the need for continued research.

University officials complimented the work of the Station and assured local people that the work would continue. They did not, however, promise that the Station would be designated as a Research Center for the Edwards Plateau—with an expanded research program.

A large number of ranchmen and others met the group at the Experiment Station. Joe York, of Bracketville, and Louis Farr III of Big Lake, vice-presidents of the TS&GRA, were present. Ranchmen from Rocksprings, Del Rio, Menard, Paint Rock and other area were represented.

A barbeque meal was provided by the City of Sonora.

National Highway Week In Texas

Governor John Connally has proclaimed September 22-28 as National Highway Week in Texas.

In his official memorandum, the Governor urged citizens "to devote thoughtful consideration to the contribution of highways to the lives of all Texans, mindful of the continuing need for more and improved highway facilities."

Theme of this year's observance is "Highways Are For People," pointing up to the vital role played by highways in today's society. "Virtually everything Texans buy, sell or consume moves at one time or another over the highway system," the Governor's message noted.

"Highways afford broad avenues by which Texans everywhere may move toward a better, fuller life in the enjoyment of the freedom of mobility that the highway system affords.

"The Texas Highway Department builds, maintains and operates facilities for the benefit of all Texans in every part of the State, fully dedicated to the fact that "Highways Are For People."

The Texas Good Roads Association will undertake general sponsorship of the State-wide Highway Week observance.

The Texas Highway Commission will participate in four major regional gatherings during the Highway Week, sponsored by chambers of Commerce.



CALIFORNIA HERE WE COME! For the Strobachs - it is right back where they started from. Rick, Judy and twin Chad and Jayme didn't have long to wait here before another motorist stopped to render aid and speed them on their way.

Strangers In Our Midst

by Dee Nevill

Can you imagine hitchhiking from Florida to California with a couple of youngsters in tow?

The Strobachs—Rick, Judy and twin sons, Jayme and Chad, went to Florida in June for a "vacation" and were returning to California via Sonora when they were discovered "thumbing it" on a street corner.

Rick said it cost the family about \$225 to travel to Florida via bus in June so they decided to try their luck catching rides for the return trip home. Evidently their luck was holding out very well as Rick said they left Tampa just three days previously and over half the trip was behind them.

Oddly, though one reads of difficulty in catching rides nowadays, the family said they had not encountered any trouble whatsoever. They contributed this to the fact that most people would not be too concerned in picking up strangers who had small children along.

The family had planned to camp out but found heavy infestation of mosquitoes in Florida and around the Houston area, so found it necessary to stay in motels at night. Nevertheless, the trip had cost the family only \$4 of their money, as one motorist gave them twenty dollars to help pay for lodging when Rick told him they were having to stay in motels.

In coming from San Antonio, Rick laughingly added that Dr. Ron Williamson, local dentist, and his wife had passed them twice but each time the Strobachs caught a ride and managed to pass the Williamsons. Finally they were standing outside Junction when the Williamsons passed again. Evidently Dr. Williamson thought the third time was enough, so after going down the road for about 2 miles he turned around and went back to pick them up, giving the Strobachs a ride to Sonora.

Rick is a mechanic and has been working in Florida, but found wages cheaper there than in his native California, so the family was going home for the winter. Many questions were left unasked, such as, "why the long hair, the beard, and why long hair for the two handsome little boys that made them look like pretty little girls?"

Rick also added he had traveled over 10,000 miles this year. When I asked Judy how she could enjoy being left alone and living with such a nomadic husband, Judy re-

plied "oh well, he's a big boy now!" It's doubtful that most women could take such a liberal view, but then few people would dare start cross-country with two small children depending on strangers to get from town to town.

Of course not everyone has two charming youngsters like Jayme and Chad who in this case are definitely assets!

Traveling in quite a different manner were the Curtises from Australia. When they parked their car in front of the News office while Curtis went to mail some letters, the right hand steering wheel was at once noticed.

Mrs. Curtis said she and her husband left Australia several months ago and traveled to Canada by ship, bringing their car with them. From Canada they had toured the United States and were now going to San Francisco where they will depart for their homeland September 26.

Curiously they had encountered no difficulties in traveling either, even though they are accustomed to driving on the other side of the road, and with steering mechanism opposite to United States made autos. Interstate highways were a little harder for them to drive on. However, Mrs. Curtis acted as "navigator" when her husband was driving and he did the same for her when she drove, so between the two they had no trouble.

She said she enjoyed their journey immensely, particularly in this part of Texas as it reminded them very much of their native country, except "for the number of people—Australia is not this densely populated!"

Wood B. Kyles Visit Wilsons

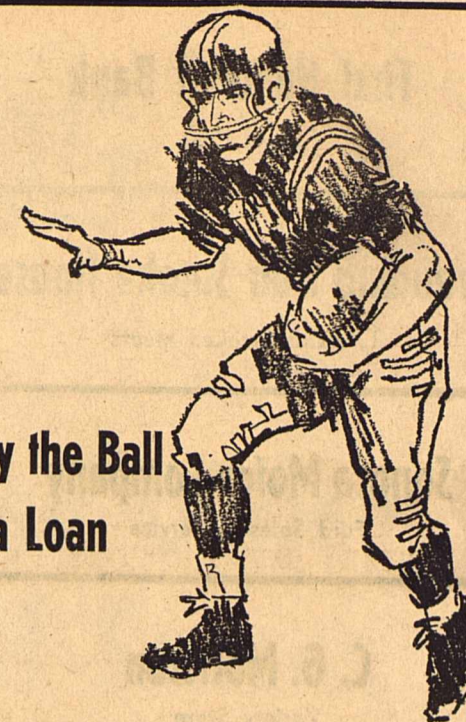
Major General and Mrs. Wood B. Kyles have been the recent house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Duke Wilson. General Kyles is a brother of Mrs. Wilson's Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Kyles were accompanied to Sonora by Mrs. Wilson's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cowan of Hillsboro.

General Kyles has been in command of Camp Pendleton, California, where he had the responsibility of training thousands of Marines for service in Vietnam. Every Marine west of the Mississippi River passes through Camp Pendleton for rifle range and infantry training before being assigned a permanent duty station.

The General, a two-time winner of the Silver Star Medal during World War II and holder of the Distinguished Service Medal, assumed command of the 5th Division following his return from Vietnam where he led the 3rd Division.

In Vietnam, he earned the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm and the 5th National Order of Merit from the Vietnamese government.

A 32-year Marine veteran, Gen. Kyles retired from the Marine Corp September 1. He joined the Marine Corps after graduation from Texas A&M College in 1936. He is a 1956 graduate of the Army War College and has held flag rank since 1961. The Kyles plan to make their home in San Francisco.



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sure everyone is glad to have him return for another year.

Joe Lane, speaking at Lions Club Tuesday, said Interstate 10 was 88 percent complete from the cave turn-off to the Crockett County line. The highway is 35 percent complete from the cave road to the city limits. He estimated that 28 miles between Sonora and Ozona would be open by mid 1969.

Traffic, he said, was already ahead of 1970 forecasts by the highway department. No doubt HemisFair has thrown off the count.

Members of the Texas Air tour will land here October 7 for dinner. Be on hand if you want to see lots of airplanes.

The first of the meetings is scheduled for San Antonio at noon September 25, with a similar meeting planned in Houston that evening. The following day, a regional Highway Week observance will take place in Dallas, followed by an evening gathering in Fort Worth.

Each of the meetings is expected to attract civic leaders from a wide geographic area.

In addition, many Highway Department employees will participate in other special events marking Highway Week in local communities.

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