

George H. (Jack) Neill Celebrates Fifty Years With First National Bank October 12



GEORGE H. (JACK) NEILL, PRESIDENT of First National Bank will observe his fiftieth year of association with the bank October 12. Members of the Board of Directors will host an anniversary dinner in his honor Saturday. Guests will include the bank employees.

In writing of George H. (Jack) Neill's long association and his account of "Fifty Years with First National Bank" one has to include the story of the bank also since the history of both tie in so closely. Neill has been a part of the bank for many years and will observe his fiftieth anniversary there

October 12. He has seen many changes in the banking institutions and in Sonora, too, during his long tenure.

His career in Sonora began when the late W. L. Aldwell contacted Mr. Alexander in Eldorado and asked him if he knew of someone to help out in the bank here, since

at that time only Mr. Aldwell and Mrs. Fred Simmons (Carra Karne) were working in First National. Shortage of help was partly due to the flu epidemic that was raging in the fall of 1918. Alexander recommended Neill, who had worked for a year in the Eldorado bank.

When Neill came to work, he told Mr. Aldwell that he had received a call from "Uncle Sam" to report to San Antonio November 11 for induction into the Air Force. Mr. Aldwell, who needed help very much, accepted him on those terms; however, Neill said he was advised by the induction

center on November 1 that his order to report had been cancelled. November 11 saw the end of World War I and he was not called for duty and continued with the bank in a career that has continued without interruption.

He was born in San Angelo, and Continued On Page 6)

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Long-Time Sonoran Mrs. O. G. Babcock Dies Oct. 5, 1968

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. October 7, for Mrs. Orville G. (Edith Stella) Babcock, 83, who died in Hudsph Memorial Hospital, at 1:30 p.m. October 5, 1968. Services for Mrs. Babcock were held in First Methodist Church with the Rev. Ross T. Welch, pastor, officiating. Ratliff-Kerbow Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Mrs. Babcock was born April 7, 1885, in Hygiene, Colorado. She and Mr. Babcock were married February 4, 1912, in Baltimore, Maryland. She had lived in Sonora since 1920, and was an active member of the Methodist Church and held membership in the WSCS of the church. Mrs. Babcock was a past matron of the Sonora Chapter Order of Eastern Star. She was also active in P-TA work, the Hospital Auxiliary, and the Music Club.

Mrs. Babcock was a correspondent for the San Angelo Standard-Times for 15 years.

Survivors include her husband; a son Kenneth Babcock of McCamey; two daughters, Mrs. Edward Tipton Jr., and Mrs. R. H. Kokernot, both of Houston; two brothers, Col. Dallas Knoll of Winter Park, Florida, and Sam Knoll of Hemet, California. Also surviving are seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were W. R. Cusenbary, W. T. Hardy, Fred Earwood, S. M. Loeffler, George Wallace, Tom Davis, Collier Shurley, and Edwin Sawyer.

City Mail Delivery Survey To Be Made Next Week

The local Post Office Department will conduct a survey of postal patrons next week to determine the advisability of establishing city mail delivery.

In order to have mail delivery, all streets would have to be clearly marked and houses would have to be numbered, as delivery calls for specific addresses. Most of the streets in the city limits are marked; however those that are not will be if the majority of the people want home mail delivery.

Texas Air Tour Lands Here Monday

Thirty-four airplanes landed here as part of the All-Texas Air Tour. The size of the group was cut because of ground fog in Laredo. While some of the members of the tour headed for Sonora, others made Cotulla, Junction, and Del Rio airports instead.

A majority of those members planning a stop here reached the airport about 2 p.m. and were fed by directors and officers of the Chamber of Commerce at the city park.

The tour began in Temple October 5, and will end Saturday in Galveston. Sonora has been a stopping place for several years.

Also in order to be eligible to receive mail by carrier, each occupant would be responsible for providing a suitable mail receptacle.

Most people seem to feel either strongly for or just as strongly against the idea of home delivery. In interviews with some of the businessmen, the majority of downtown merchants are not in favor of mail delivery.

J. Neville of Neville's Department Store said he feels that people would not come to the downtown area to trade as often if delivery is made available. He added, "we need more businesses in the downtown area to draw more people into the trade district, instead of taking people away by having city mail delivery."

Norman Rousselot, ranchman, said, "I am generally for it. I think it would be a nice arrangement. Besides, as we are all aware, we now pay full postage for intercity delivery which entitles us to home delivery. I personally feel that as long as we are paying for this service, we should receive some of the benefits."

Surprisingly one of the older citizens, Mrs. Frank Turney, was not in favor of delivery. She said she was modern enough to want to see Sonora advance, but she didn't feel that this service was one that we especially needed. Besides, as she laughingly put it, "I like to go to the Post Office—I see more people there to visit with than any place else!"

Mayor A. E. Prugel said, I do not feel that we are especially ready for this service at this time, and I do not feel that the size of Sonora justifies it. It seems to

me that this is an expense we could do without since the postal department has complained of not enough money as it is." He added, "Just think how marvelous to have a postman we would all know and he could perform all those little niceties such as, move the water hose, feed the dog, etc., etc!"

At Westerman Drug, Jimmy Lott, pharmacist, said simply, "I just like to go to the post office." Mrs. Herman Moore and Mrs. J. W. Sutton, employees, said that they also preferred to go to the post office for mail, but Mrs. Lilian Hamby said, "I think it would be a good thing for shut-ins and some people who find it hard to get down town to the post office."

Mrs. Louis Powers said she is "200 percent for it!" She said she had heard that some of the merchants felt that it would keep the people from coming to town, but it is her personal opinion that people don't generally shop when they go after the mail, anyway. "I can't see that it would hinder business in any way, and I feel that the benefits to older people, mothers with small children, and others who find it hard to get to town for various reasons, would outweigh the objections."

One of the main reasons, as

Methodist Youth Plan Workshop

Young people from several area Methodist churches will be in Sonora this weekend to attend a church workshop.

They will begin arriving Saturday at 9 a.m. and the young people of the First Methodist here are urged to be present to act as "greeters", according to Mrs. Bill Whitehead, who will assist. Austin Stockton is president of the organization.

The workshop will be conducted at the Methodist Church, under the supervision of adult leaders. A luncheon will be served at noon and a barbecue is planned for the evening meal in the 4-H building.

Bids Received At City Meeting On Relocation of IH 10 Utility Lines

In a meeting of the city commission Monday, bids were opened for construction and relocation of utility lines and appurtenances in connection with the IH 10 project. Tye Collins, with National Engineering Company of Austin, opened the bids.

Bids for contract B, water and gas lines, were submitted by James Goode of San Angelo, with a bid of \$14,161.14; Carl J. Cahill, Inc., with a bid of \$11,129.00; and Winters Welding Works of Winters with a low bid of \$9,275.70. The contract was tentatively awarded to Winters Welding subject to approval of the Texas Highway Department.

No bids were received on relocation of electrical poles and power lines, consequently advertisement for bids will again be submitted.

Gulf Oil Check Received
A check for the balance due on the \$100,000.00 purchase price of land bought from the city by The Gulf Oil Company, was received. The commission voted to deposit \$90,000.00 of this amount on certification of deposit with First National Bank.

Golf Club Request
Clayton Hamilton and Doyle Morgan, representing the Sonora Golf Club, met with the commission to present a request from the club for financial assistance from the City to help defray a portion of the cost of maintenance upkeep of the grounds. Hamilton said the club would need about \$2600 a year from the City to help on employee expense.

Hamilton added that he feels the golf course is an asset to the city and community as the club sponsors two major tournaments yearly, and the townspeople benefit from the money spent by the contestants, who are usually here from one to two nights during these tournaments.

The commission agreed to study the proposal and see what assistance could be given, if any.

Other City Business
In other city business, monthly accounts were approved for payment. A report was received on

Carroll Talks To Lions Club On Fire Prevention

Darcy Carroll, Sonora fire marshal, presented a fire-prevention program at Lions club Tuesday. He pointed out that Sonora's Volunteer Fire Department had answered 44 alarms in 1968 and that fire loss so far this year was in excess of \$16,000.

The fire department was scheduled to have open house Wednesday in observance of fire prevention week, October 6-12. This is the week in which the Great Chicago Fire of 1871 occurred.

Permit Issuance Planned Oct. 18

Nolan Johnson and Calvin Van Hooser will be in the lobby of the Courthouse Friday and Saturday, October 18 and 19, for the issue of antlerless deer permits and shooting preserve record books.

Broncos Defeat Ozona Lions 21-20 In Hard Fought Defensive Duel

The Broncos squeezed by the unbeaten Ozona Lions, Friday night, 21-20, in a hard fought offensive duel. The Broncos now have two wins against two losses for the year.

The Broncos took a short Ozona punt and turned it into a lead they were never to lose. Half-

back Ed Lee Renfro punched over from five yards out. The score including Renfro's two point conversion was 3-0 with three minutes left in the first period.

Thurston McCutchen fell on an Ozona fumble three plays later to set up another Sonora touchdown march. Quarterback David Wuest

broke through the Ozona line from three yards out for the second and final Bronco score of the first half. The PAT failed.

The Lions came roaring back to cut down the margin when full-back Fleet Coates hauled in a David Huff pass from the five yard line. The conversion failed

and the Broncos went to the field-house with a 14-6 edge.

The third quarter was a defensive battle with neither team able to move the ball successfully.

With ten minutes left in the game, Sonora regained possession of the ball and chalked up their final points of the night. Again Renfro carried the ball over from 14 yards out. Wuest kicked the extra point and stretched their margin to 21-6.

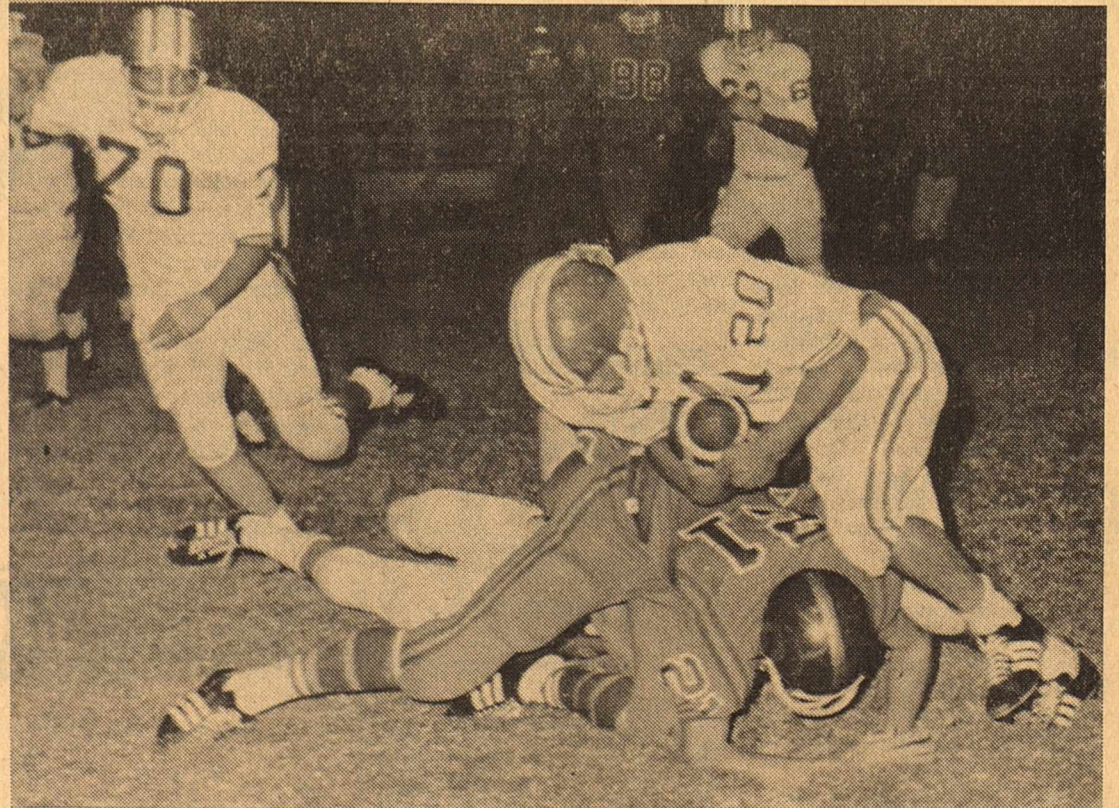
A long kick-off return set the scene for an Ozona touchdown two plays later. Huff passed to Beto Vargas for the six points. The same pass combination gave the Lions two points to make the score 21-14.

The kick-off was fumbled by Renfro to give the Lions possession of the ball on the Sonora eight yard line. On the third play from scrimmage Coates ripped through to make it 21-20 with three minutes left in the game. Thurston McCutchen made the game saving interception as the Lions tried to pass for the needed two point conversion.

Outstanding on the Bronco defense were Jim Elliott, Barry Black, and McCutchen. Mitch Trainer played outstanding defense before he reinjured his knee late in the first quarter.

Kerry Joy and Robert Mata gave valuable assistance in the offensive backfield.

The Broncos travel to Rankin October 11 to play their last non-district game with the Red Devils. The game is scheduled to get under way at 8 p.m.



BRONCO ROBERT MATA, (20) is brought down by the Ozona Lion's quarterback, David Huff, after a gain of about 7 yards in Friday night's game. Mata was a leading ground gainer in the game for Sonora at the halfback position. An unidentified Bronco is at bottom of the pile-up. Sonora went on to win the game by a close 21-20 score.

Sonora's Weather

Compiled by Pat Brown

	Rain	Hi	Lo
Wednesday, Oct. 2	.00	92	59
Thursday, Oct. 3	.00	86	62
Friday, Oct. 4	.00	90	53
Saturday, Oct. 5	.04	85	60
Sunday, Oct. 6	T	86	60
Monday, Oct. 7	.00	84	70
Tuesday, Oct. 8	.00	88	69
Rainfall for the month, 0.4;			
Rain for the year, 21.76.			

Delma F. Smith Dies Oct. 8, 1968

Delma F. Smith, 68, died at his home sometime during the night October 8, 1968, in San Antonio. Mr. Smith had suffered from a heart condition for the past several years.

He was born at Morris Ranch June 7, 1900, near Fredericksburg. Mr. Smith attended school in Sonora, and joined the Navy in 1918. After he was discharged he entered civil service work and was an employee with the Postal Department for several years in San Antonio. During World War II he obtained a leave of absence from the Post Office Department and again served in the Navy. Mr. Smith had the distinction of being one of two men from Sutton County who served in both World Wars.

His survivors include three sisters, Mrs. Jap Hollman, Mrs. H. L. Taylor and Mrs. Ralph Trainer. He is also survived by two brothers, Will G. Smith and George E. Smith.

R. L. Doran, 83, Dies In Menard

Robert Lee Doran, 83, died in Menard, October 1, 1968, in Menard Retirement Home. He had lived in Menard for the past 35 years.

Services were held for Mr. Doran in Mission Funeral Chapel at 3 p.m. October 2, with burial in Hext Cemetery.

He was born April 19, 1885 in Menard County, and was married to the former Mamie Kelly.

Three of his children live in Sonora, and they are Mrs. Earl Smith, Mrs. J. W. Sutton, and Pete Doran. Also surviving him is another daughter, Mrs. Granville Crisp of Menard, and another son, Gratton Doran of Kerrville. He is also survived by 12 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.



Delma Stubblefield and Billie Ann Stewart in observing fire prevention week, illustrate the speedy way to leave the upper story of the Junior High building in case of fire.

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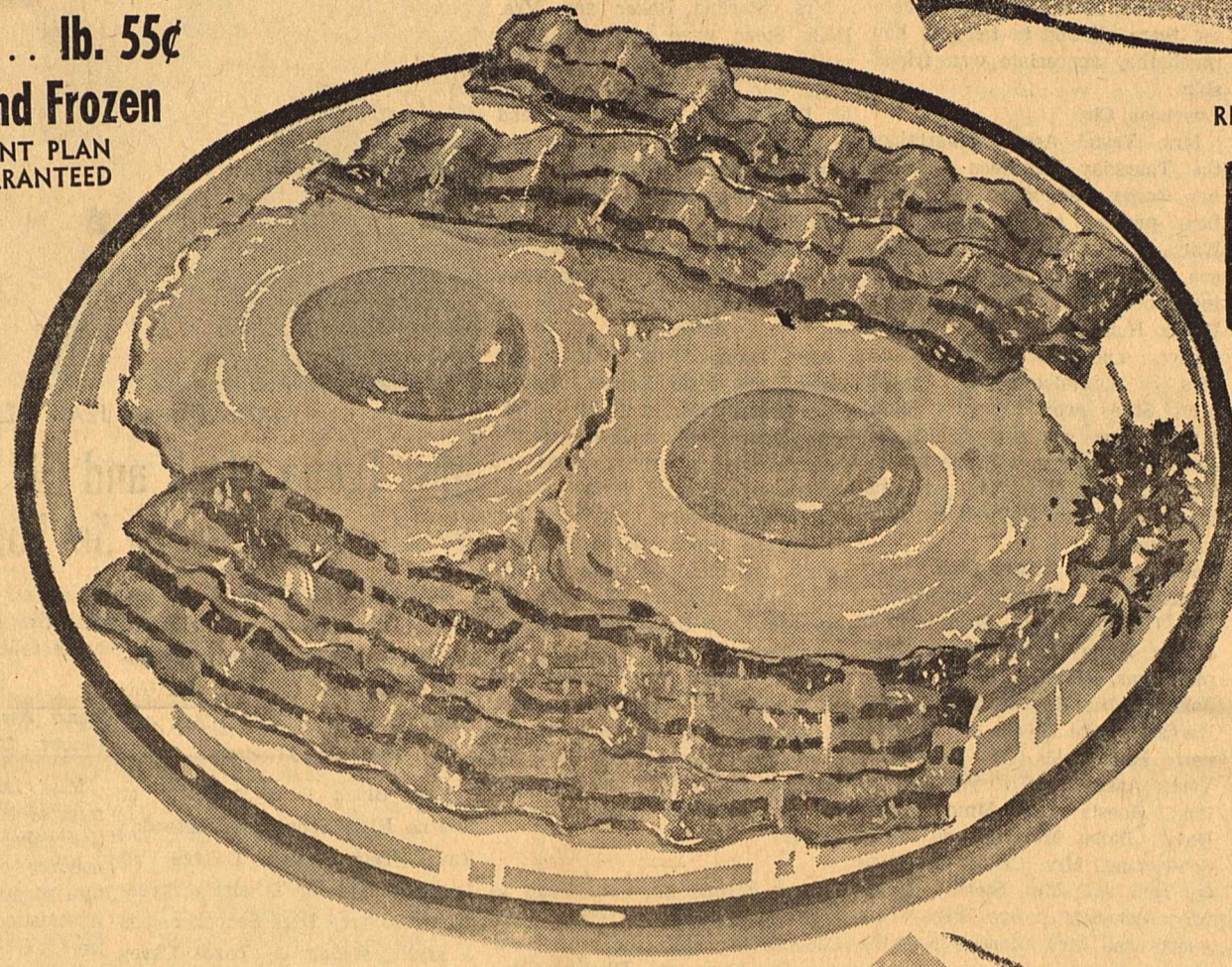
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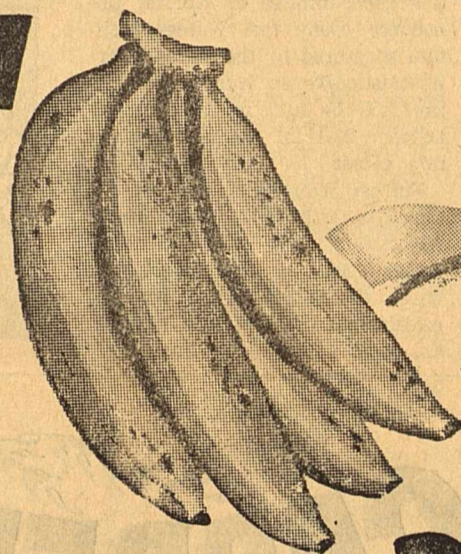
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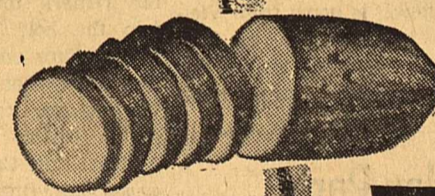
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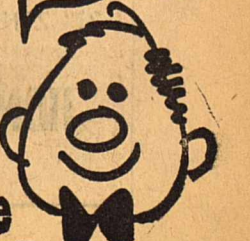
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MRS. ROBERT DAVID JOHNSON JR.

Miss Sharon Ann Eustace Marries Robert D. Johnson Jr., September 28

Miss Sharon Ann Eustace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Calvin Eustace, and Robert David Johnson Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert David Johnson of Eldorado, were married in the Rock Church of Christ in Eldorado, September 28, 1968. Mr. A. C. Knight, minister of the Ozona Church of Christ officiated at the ceremony.

Guests were members of the immediate families and a reception was held in the Robert D. Johnson home following the ceremony.

The bride is a graduate of Rock-springs High School, and attended San Angelo College. She is a graduate of Texas Technological College of Lubbock with a degree in Home Economics. She was secretary of the Tech Rodeo Association.

The bridegroom graduated from Mertzon High School, and attended San Angelo College. He is a graduate of Sul Ross College of Alpine.

The couple will make their home in Eldorado, where the bridegroom is engaged in ranching.

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Phone News to Hazel McClelland, 387-2513

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Awalt want to thank all their friends for the calls, flowers, letters, cards, and prayers while Big A is in Scott and White Hospital in Temple. They want to acknowledge receiving them all and to tell you how much they appreciate your friendship.

Luncheon Club

Mrs. Vestel Askew entertained the Thursday Luncheon Club at her home September 26. Members present were Mmes. John Ward, W. B. McMillan, Duke Wilson, Lea Allison, Harold Schwiening, Jack Neill, Charles Browne, Bryan Hunt, Frank Bond, Edwin Sawyer, and Miss Annella Stites. Mrs. R. A. Halbert was a guest. Miss Stites won high for club, Mrs. Browne won second high for club, Mrs. Allison won the traveling prize and Mrs. Neill won the bingo prize. Mrs. Halbert won high for guests.

Tuesday Night Bridge Club

Mrs. Louie Trainer entertained the Tuesday Night Bridge Club at her home October 1. A salad plate was served to Mmes. L. E. Johnson Jr., Bob Vicars, George Barrow, Belle Steen, R. A. Halbert, Bill Fields, W. O. Crites, Vestel Askew, and Ernest McClelland. Guests were Mmes. Louis Davis, James Morris, and Corky Schwiening. Mrs. Crites won high for club, and Mrs. Steen binged. Mrs. Schwiening won high for guests and Mrs. Morris won the slam prize.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bishop of Carta Valley visited their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Savell, Chip, Cody, and Scott, for several days last week. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vicars, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Prater and Mrs. Ernest McClelland were in Brady Thursday for the funeral of Wilard Awalt. He is a brother of A. W. Awalt.

Jack Baker is home from Germany where he served a year with the Army. We are sure glad you have your discharge Jack.

Mrs. Glen Reeves of Mansfield, Arkansas, has returned home after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Ella Adams on the ranch.

Bud Browning of Portland, Oregon visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Browning last week.

Mrs. Pete Bergstaller of San Antonio visited her mother, Mrs. Ella Adams last week.

Sam Caldwell is home from Vietnam. He has received his discharge, and has been visiting his family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Britton of Fort Worth were here over the weekend and visited her father and family, Mr. and Mrs. Les Malmstrom.

Mrs. Sterling Baker and Mrs. Belle Steen were in San Angelo visiting Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve T. Jones of Ft. Worth were here this weekend visiting his mother and sister and family, Mrs. Cleve Jones Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Powers and children.

Mrs. Ernest McClelland visited her sister, Mrs. T. C. Netherton, in San Angelo Friday.

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Mrs. Dantes Riley, Mrs. John Eaton and Mrs. Ernest McClelland honored Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moore with a house warming Thursday afternoon. About 25 guests were present. Punch, coffee and cookies were served to the courthouse bunch, the drug store bunch, and their old neighbors and their new neighbors. We sure are glad to have the Moores in our neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Vestel Askew and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Halbert were in Lubbock last weekend for the presentation of the Phi Beta Theta. Linda McBride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Askew was a pledge.

Does anyone know anything about the books of the Welfare Council, and who the new president is? If so, call Hazel McClelland, 387-2513.



MISS DIANA JEAN BLACK

Miss Diana Black and Gil Trainer Wedding Ceremony Set For October 19

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Black announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Diana Jean, to Reginald Gilmore Trainer, son of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Trainer.

Heart Association Plans Meet October 22-24 In San Antonio

Miss Black is a graduate of Sonora High School and attended Texas Technological College at Lubbock. Trainer is also a graduate of Sonora High School, and is a senior student at Texas Christian College at Fort Worth. He is a February degree candidate.

Miss Lucie Schultz, R.N., chairman of the Texas Heart Association subcommittee on Nursing announced today that Nurses Institute sponsored by the Texas Heart Association-Texas Nurses Association will be held in San Antonio, October 22-24 at the new convention center.

The couple will be married at the First Methodist Church October 19, at 4 p.m., with the Rev. Ross T. Welch, pastor, officiating. Friends of the couple are invited to attend the wedding ceremony, and the reception at the Black home following the ceremony.

Saint Ann's Recaps

by Monica Davis

The CYO (Catholic Youth Organization) held its first regular meeting on October 2 at 8 p.m. at St. Ann's Parish Hall. Close to eighty teenagers between the ages of fourteen and nineteen were present.

Officers were elected, and then a business meeting followed. Richard Perez was elected president. His vice-president is Leticia Martinez. Mary Gallegos is secretary-reporter, and Leticia Galindo is treasurer. Mrs. John Mittel and Juan Bautista are sponsors for the organization. The purpose of the CYO, is to help the young people of the community gain a better and deeper understanding of their faith and God; and to provide wholesome recreation for the young people of Sonora and St. Ann's.

The organization will meet every other Wednesday. Catechism classes will be conducted first, and then a social time will follow.

The enthusiasm of the youngsters was wonderful to see. They have plans for a Halloween dance, date to be announced later.

After a religious and business meeting was over, punch, cookies, and cake were served to the group.

Card of Thanks

Special thanks to Dr. Browne and the hospital staff, to Rev. Welch and Ruth Shurley who did so much in our time of sorrow. We were indeed comforted by all the friends and neighbors who called in this time of need.

The Family of
Mrs. O. G. Babcock

The plans for the building of the new church are progressing nicely. A meeting was held last Wednesday morning in the rectory with Father Michael, the building committee, the architect, and the construction engineer. Some bids for the material were reviewed and discussed, and more bids are expected soon.

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GREEN NEWS

By Monica Davis

Did you see the write-up Wanda Cahill had in the Standard Times? Wanda said she hit her ball and couldn't see it, and made the remark that maybe it went into the hole, not really believing it. Sure enough it had. Don't you know that was a big thrill! Here is the item as it appeared in the Times.

"Mrs. Carl Cahill of Sonora garnered her first hole-in-one today at the San Angelo Country Club. Mrs. Cahill used a 5 wood on the 146-yard No. 10 to score her ace, according to Elwyn Stobaugh, club professional.

She and her husband were playing the course together."

GN

Don't forget that our first playoffs are to be completed this Sunday, October 13. There are still a number of games to be played. We need to get started on our second rounds.

GN

THIS AND THAT: Mary Lois Brown plays golf barefoot—her shoes hurt her feet. Mary Lois, that's kinda country!!

I understand Martha Black is constantly being chased by wasps. She has that fatal (literally) charm. She appeals to wasps.

Don't forget that October 16 will be our monthly luncheon date.

Birthday Party Honors 9-year-old Robin Snodgrass

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Snodgrass entertained with a birthday party for their son, Robin, on his ninth birthday October 5.

Attending the party were Zack Turney, William Carroll, Tobin Joy, Tim Turner, Steven Nail, Pat Wade, Robert Harris, Keith Byer, Lucy Morris, and Robin's brother, Chase.

Games played were "burst the balloon", "bite the apple", and egg race events. Refreshments of lemon cake, strawberry and vanilla ice cream, and Kool-aid were served.

Guests were given Halloween hats, masks, and horns as favors.

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Pine	\$1.44	Croton	39¢
Red		Plumosus Fern	39¢
Pyracantha	99¢	Sprengeri Fern	39¢
Cape		English Ivy	29¢
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Teen Scene

by Kay Kerbow



Elections were held Friday for the positions of Mr. and Miss S.H.S., All School Favorites, Most Beautiful, and Most Handsome. The freshmen chose Gary Hann and Billie Ann Stewart to represent them as their candidate for Mr. and Miss S.H.S. The sophomores honored Lupe Espinosa and Carol Hardgrave, while the juniors elected Ted Fish and Susan Stewart. The senior candidates for this title were Susan Prugel and Ed Lee Renfro. The new Mr. and Miss S.H.S. are Susan and Ed Lee.

Being elected All School Favorites is one of the highest honors to receive. Austin Stockton, and Yvonne Hodges received this award. They ran against Tim Cole and Jessie McCutchen, freshmen; Kerry Joy and Becky Tittle, sophomores; Larry Everett, junior, and Shelley Morriss, senior.

The most beautiful girl on campus is Jane Sawyer. Jane won this honor in an all school election over junior Carol Adamson, sophomore Lucy Bundy, and freshman Mary Gallegos.

Bill Green was chosen the most handsome boy. Other candidates were Dick Bundy, junior; Tony Renfro, sophomore, and Mikeillard, freshman.

Those running for Halloween Queen are Rita Kniffen, Evelyn Lowe, Dottie Hollmig, and Loida Urias.

The results will be announced by the crowning of the queen at the carnival, Thursday, October 31.

The Halloween Carnival is a means for the classes to make money. Without the student council, who runs this and other such things, there would be numerous complications.

President of this important organization is Monte Dillard with Mark Jacoby as his vice president. Yvonne Hodges fills the role of secretary and Ted Fish acts as treasurer. Each class elects representatives and sends their president to the meeting. With such capable people and the helpful efforts of Coach Snodgrass, no wonder the council functions so well.

The "B" team succeeded in downing the arch-rival Eldorado Eagles as did the junior high Colts at Eldorado last Thursday night. They play Ozona here tonight. In the last meeting of these two teams, Ozona was the victorious team. This time it'll be different.

The Broncos travel to Rankin to meet the Red Devils in their last non-district game of the season. Everyone is requested by the student body to follow the Broncos and support our team!!!

Patients admitted to Hudspeth Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, October 1, to Monday, October 7, include the following:

Thomas Love, Roosevelt
Belle Thiers, Roosevelt
Gloria Torres *
Palmer West, Eldorado *
Jim Caldwell
John Ballard, Eldorado *
Edith Collins, Eldorado *
Arlene Masloff, Eldorado *
Marsha Griffen, Eldorado *
Rachel Fawcett, Eldorado *
Erma Fuller, Eldorado *
Cevero Balansuela *
Fletcher Gardner, Rockspings *
Robert Emerson
Lydia Winans, Eldorado *
Maude Donaldson, Eldorado *
Hattie Epps *
E. T. Davis, Eldorado
G. A. Browne
Wanda Cook *
Mamie Browning *
James Hunt
Bernice Sweatt, Eldorado
Herman Perez
Emma Harris
Elsa Torres

*Patients released during the same period.

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Card of Thanks

Our thanks to each one of the many friends whose loving expressions of sympathy helped us so much during our recent sorrow.

We are especially grateful to the doctors and Hudspeth Hospital staff for their faithful service. Mrs. Dorothy Baker & Family
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I would like to express my sincere thanks to the hospital staff, to the nurses and Dr. Browne for the intensive care, and medication given to me. Thanks to all the people who were so kind to visit me during my stay in the hospital.
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Firemen Sponsor Poster Contest

The State Firemen's and Fire Marshal's Association sponsor a fire prevention poster contest each year. The contest is open to any child from the first grade to the twelfth grade in school.

The posters are judged by local fire department officials. Winners will be taken to the district convention in April, 1969, and winners there will go to the State convention in June for judging of entries.

Individual competition is encouraged and entries placed in proper classification, even if the entire grade does not enter, according to Darcy Carroll, fire marshal.

Students wishing to enter the contest should contact fire chief Cullen Luttrell or Carroll for contest rules.

FIREMEN'S CORNER

Where was the fire? October 3 9 of that year, fire killed 250 per- there was a car on fire in front sons and destroyed 17,430 build- ings in Chicago, at a cost of \$168,- 5 there was a trash fire by John 000,000.

This week is fire prevention week. It runs from October 6-12. Each year a week is set aside to mark the anniversary of one of America's worst fires, the great Chicago fire of 1871. On October

Noe Chavez On NMSU Team
Noe Chavez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Teodoro Chavez, will play on the freshmen team with New Mexico State University when they meet the University of El Paso Frosh crew. Chavez will play the split end position.

Absentee Balloting Begins
Voting by absentee balloting begins October 16 and continues through the fourth day preceding the date of the general election. Further information for voting absentee is obtainable from Mrs. Erma Lee Turner, County Clerk.

Sentell To Speak To Presbyterians

Sears Sentell will conduct the morning services at The Church of the Good Shepherd, Presbyterian, at the 8:30 services Sunday. The Session has called a very important congregational meeting for Sunday, October 20, following the morning services, according to Mrs. Ralph Finklea. This meeting is scheduled to begin at 9:25, and nicknamed "little Willie" after a member's 84 year old grandmother.

In Woodbine, near Gainesville, the fire department is a volunteer one made up entirely of females. They have one fire truck, a 1942 model nicknamed "little Willie" after a member's 84 year old grandmother.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY CALENDAR

Isn't it too bad that success makes failures out of so many men?

—A bathing suit is a costume with no hooks on it, but usually plenty of eyes.

—It takes a mighty conscientious man to tell whether he's tired or just lazy.

—People get into debt to keep up with people who already are.

—Forty is a good age for men —women are still interested in you but the army isn't.

—Perfect poise is not looking self-conscious in the front pew at church.

—A bride becomes a wife when she stops lowering her eyes and starts raising her voice.

—People, like pins, are useless when they lose their heads.

—Sometimes we think we are good when we are only neutral.

—A diplomat is anyone who thinks twice before saying nothing.

—Nowadays you appear conspicuous, Clerks, speechless, think you are brash

If, when you buy a batch of stuff, You pay on the spot with cash.

—Anyone having money to burn doesn't need a match—just take it on a vacation trip.

At last the happy day has come, The gladdest of the year, When Mom greets Junior's teacher with, "Your turn, take him from here."

—If a fellow tries to borrow trouble, he'll find that his credit is good.

—A small town is where folks still have "Thank You" in their vocabulary.

—It's time almost for you to begin putting off doing your Christmas shopping.

Fire Causes First Loss
A loss of approximately \$3,000 was suffered by the bank shortly after it had passed its second anniversary. Sonora's most disastrous fire, which destroyed a large portion of the business district and burned several residences, damaged the building and contents. The records in the vault were not harmed.

The institutions first noticeable growth came on October 4, 1910, when the board voted to double the capital stock to \$100,000 and surplus to \$20,000. The change was made on October 8, and brought a steady flow of criticism from bankers throughout the state. It generally was considered folly for an institution to have less deposits than capital stock. On October 8, the day the change was made, deposits amounted to \$83,347.70. On September 5, 1910, shortly before the capital stock was increased, the financial statement of the bank showed resources to total \$273,754.35.

When Jackson, founder of the bank, died on December 23, 1911, Aldwell was elected president, VanderStucken retained the position of vice-president, and Roy E. Aldwell, son of the president, was elected assistant cashier.

At the end of June, 1968, the bank's financial statement listed total assets of \$7,461,918.46 with \$6,502,795.82 in deposits; \$300,000.00 in surplus; and \$200,000.00 of capital stock.

Other Officers
Other officers now serving in the bank are Clayton Hamilton, vice-president and cashier; Mrs. Nelson Stubblefield, assistant cashier; Warren Hemphill, assistant cashier; and Mrs. John L. Miller, secretary.

Members of the bank's staff include Charles F. West, Mrs. Rex Merriman, Mrs. Milton Cavaness, Mrs. Jimmy H. Harris, Mrs. Dorothy Baker, Mrs. P. M. Carroll, Miss Joyce Hearn, and Santos Hernandez.

Members of the Board of Directors are Lea Roy Aldwell, S. H. Allison, Clayton Hamilton, George H. Neill, Edwin E. Sawyer, Joe M. VanderStucken, and Mrs. Ida A. Williams.

Future Plans
Neill and his wife are members of St. John's Episcopal Church. He says he has no hobbies other than fishing, which he and his wife both enjoy.

His plans for the future are to continue with his work. Neill says his many years in the banking world have been interesting and that he has very much enjoyed his work, and the many friends he has made during that time.

His experience and growth have been synonymous with the growth of Sonora, and he considers it a privilege to have played an active part in the history of Sutton County, particularly the part a bank has in lending financial assistance when need arises—to the rancher, businessman, or individual—the small town bank knows them all!

Thursday, October 10
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Mrs. Clay Puckett
Cathy Jo Hull
Denise Chadwick
Richard Wate
Melva Ray Wharton
Carla Cay Woelfer
Doyle Crawford
Mrs. Charlie Hull
Bobby Humphreys
Sammy Sanchez, Jr.
John Wade
Randy Awalt
Tomas Zapata

Friday, October 11
Mrs. Rex Merriman

Sunday, October 13
Curt Schwieng, Jr.
Melissa Evans
Bobby Smith
Ismael Francisco Avila
Charles F. West

Monday, October 14
Horace B. Rees
Libbye Jo Lowe
Chandler Hardesty
Bonnie Glasscock
Donald Gary Bishop
Mrs. Alice S. Jones
Mrs. Tommy Smith
Jerry Hopkins
Joe Neil Smith
Lesley Laurin Howell
Derrell W. Curtis

Tuesday, October 15
David Gene Franks
Edwina Ray
R. M. McCarver
Melody Diane Barker

Wednesday, October 16
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Sylvia Valliant
Bennie McIntyre
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Nicknamed "Jack"
He was given the nickname of "Jack" by the late Mrs. Mike Murphy. A former employee, Jack Ransome, along with Mrs. Murphy and many others, ate their meals in the McDonald Hotel dining room. Nearly everyone who ate there had certain places to sit at the long table where family style meals were served. Neill said Mrs. Murphy's place at the head of the table was automatically reserved for her and no one dared to sit in her chair. Neill took the only vacant spot at the table which was the one vacated by Jack Ransome. Mrs. Murphy, not one to bother with names too much, just assumed that Neill's name was also "Jack," and she began calling him that. The name stayed with him.

His rise in the banking circles steadily increased. January 16, 1920, he was made assistant cashier, and January 12, 1932, he was named cashier of the bank. On January 10, 1939, he was elected to the board of directors, then on January 13, 1942, he was made active vice president and cashier. January 14, 1947, he was elected executive vice president and cashier, and then February 9, 1954, he became president of the bank, the position which he still holds.

Bank History
The First National Bank was organized in 1900 by E. R. Jackson with the use of capital he had obtained from selling his holdings in the "09" ranch.

He consulted many of the townspeople before undertaking the task of organizing the bank, among whom was E. F. VanderStucken. The citizens were of the opinion that Sutton County offered good opportunities and that the county needed a bank. They felt this in spite of the fact that two previous banking institutions, the Sutton County Bank and the Bank of Sonora, had failed.

Mr. Jackson was undaunted by the previous bank failures, however, and with the help of Mr. Aldwell he had an organizational meeting in Sonora.

Officers of the newly organized bank which was to open in August included Mr. Jackson as president, Mr. Aldwell as cashier, and Mr. VanderStucken as vice president.

Those who were present at the first meeting were VanderStucken, Aldwell, D. A. Cauthorn, J. Lewenthal, S. G. Tayloe, Geo. S. Allison, R. F. Halbert, and Walter Whitehead.

The first directors of the bank were Jackson, Aldwell, VanderStucken, Allison, Halbert, Cauthorn, and Whitehead.

The building committee was to supervise construction of a building to provide office space for the institution. But because of the slight delay in completing the construction of the building the bank opened for business in the office of VanderStucken's general store, staying in there a few days and then going to the Bank of Sonora located in Hagerlund Brother's store. The new bank used these quarters for two or three weeks until the new building was completed. The \$2,500 structure now houses the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

Deposits were light, the bank at first operating on Jackson's capital, as well as with amounts borrowed from correspondent banks. Customers, from the start, became either heavy borrowers or heavy depositors. Though he was consulted on all matters of importance, Jackson spent little time inside the bank, devoting most of his attention to ranching interests. His judgement, however, always was considered in banking problems.

Loan Company
Realizing the need for a loan company in addition to the bank to provide adequate service to the livestock industry served by the bank, the First Loan Company was organized June 1, 1926. The company had a capital stock of \$25,000 and its officers were made up of members of the board of the bank.

Bank Builds New Building
The building of the First National Bank's new home was built in 1928. The new structure was 35 feet wide and 90 feet long, and consisted of a basement, first floor, mezzanine floor, and the top floor, which is devoted to office space. While the building really was a four-story structure, it appeared to be but two stories.

The main banking room was spacious, being 35 feet wide by 50 feet long with a ceiling of 21 feet. On the right side of the entrance was office space for the officials of the bank. The remainder of the right side was occupied by offices for the tellers, while the left side of the banking room was a public foyer.

Remodeled in 1959
In 1959, the bank was remodeled, enlarged, and modernized. The Hamilton Grocery store next door to the bank had been purchased and was used to enlarge the bank's office space. The ceiling was lowered and the mezzanine floor, used for directors and stockholders meetings, was enlarged. A new lighting system was installed as well as carpeting, drapes, and central heating and cooling. The bank's interior was repainted and another teller's cage was added.

New Changes
The bank is again undergoing changes in appearance with the addition of approximately 1200 square feet. Included in the remodeling plans is new equipment inside the tellers' cages, drapes, carpeting, and repainting of the interior.

In comparing the growth of the bank since Neill's association with it, on December 9, 1918, assets were shown with Loans and discounts of \$367,575.00; overdrafts, \$785.00; U. S. Bonds, \$70,000.00; and cash and sight exchange, \$91,390.00. Liabilities included capital and surplus, \$160,000.00; undivided profits, \$28,255.00; National bank notes outstanding, \$70,000.00; deposits, \$260,568.00; and rediscounts with Federal Reserve Bank, \$39,000.00; with total assets and liabilities in the amount of \$56,484.51.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Samuel	1 Chronicles	Luke	Luke	Ephesians	Hebrews	II Peter
12:19-25	22:6-16	10:38-42	14:25-33	2:1-10	10:32-39	2:4-22

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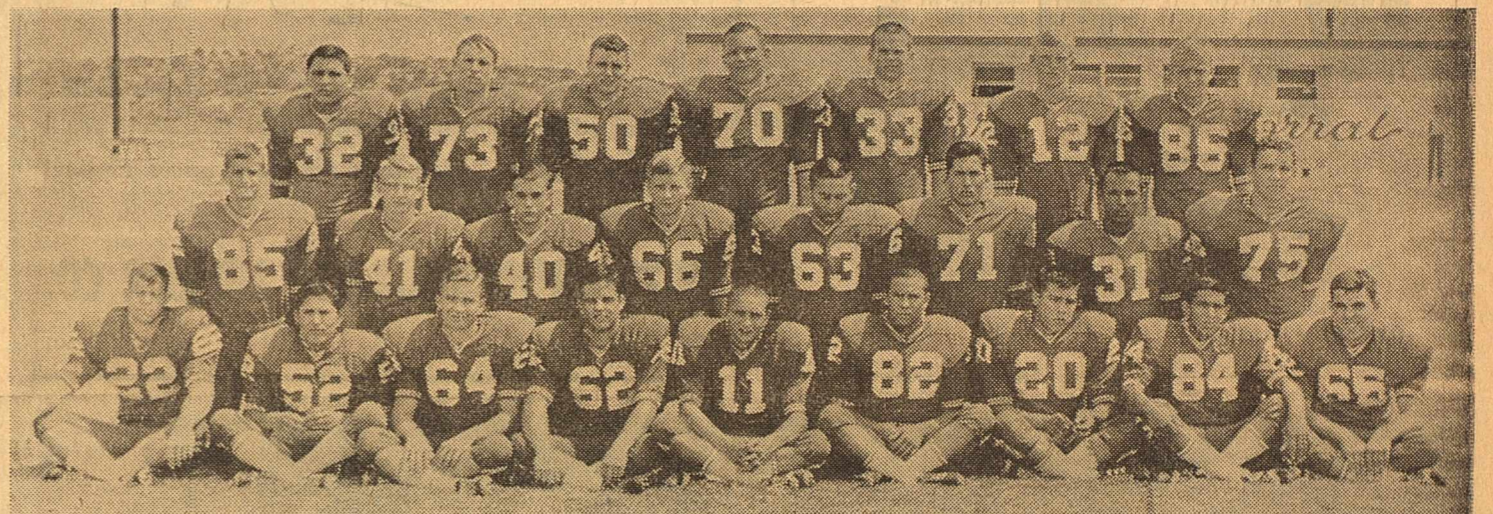
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(Second row,) Jesso Cook, Scott Jacoby, Dick Bundy, Ted Fish, Marty Martinez, Ruben Chavez, Lupe Espinosa, and Jim Elliott. (Third row) Erasmo Lumbreras, Barry Black, Bill Green, Monte Dillard, Kerry Joy, David Wuest, and Larry Everett. Not shown is Mitch Trainer.

1968 Football Schedule

Varsity Football Schedule	8th Grade Football Schedule
Sept. 13, Sonora 24; Winters 0	Sept. 19, Sonora 20, Ozona 42
Sept. 20, Sonora 6, Big Lake 15	Sept. 26, Sonora 8, Big Lake 28
Sept. 27, Sonora 21, Ballinger 23	October 3, Sonora 14, Eldorado 38
October 4, Sonora 21, Ozona 20	October 10, Ozona Here
October 11, Rankin There	October 17, Junction There
October 18, Menard Here	October 24, Mason There
October 25, Mason There	November 7, Eldorado Here
November 1, Eden Here	November 14, Junction Here
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
Sept. 19, Sonora 0, Ozona 26	September 19, Cancelled
Sept. 26, Sonora 26, Big Lake 0	Sept. 26, Sonora 14, Big Lake 8
Sept. 26, Sonora 28, Big Lake 8	October 10, Ozona Here
September 10, Ozona There	October 24, Mason There
October 17, Junction There	Games scheduled for 5 p.m. except for final game which will begin at 5:30 p.m.
October 24, Mason Here	
November 7, Eldorado Here	
November 14, Junction Here	

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Colts Pluck Eaglettes In 14-8 Win

by Bruce Baldwin
The Sonora Colts plucked the Eldorado Eaglettes last Thursday by a score of 14-8. During the first half neither team showed the

ability to score until the final 43 seconds when Mark Rousselot fired to Steve Street for a 45-yard touchdown play. Rousselot went over for the two point conversion.

The third quarter was similar to the first when both teams had determined drives halted. Eldorado finally scored early in the fourth quarter. The Colt offense unwound with a 65-yard touchdown drive topped off with a 35-yard pass from Rousselot to Wesley Richardson. The two point conversion failed.

The Colt defense, lead by Jimmy Galindo, Martin Beckham, and Humberto Villareal, stopped Eldorado twice inside the Colt 35. Wade Richardson and Joe Eustace also helped in stopping the sparked up Eaglettes.

The Colts again lost a starter, only this time in practice, when they lost Henry Perez who is out indefinitely with a broken ankle.

This was the Colts' first victory against two defeats.

Screwworm Cases In County Increase

Texas reported approximately 200 more screwworm cases Monday, after recording its biggest week since late in 1962, when 646

cases were confirmed. The state's case count for 1968 is now approximately 43,000 cases.

Hardest hit area Monday were deep South Texas, and Uvalde, Medina, and Val Verde Counties, and the Big Bend region of the state. Val Verde reported 15 cases; Uvalde, 14 cases; Terrell, 13; Hidalgo, 6; Brooks, 11; and Starr, 10.

All livestock owners are cautioned to be on the alert for heavy outbreaks of cases during the next several weeks. New worm cases are expected to be established between now and mid-November, according to Mission Screwworm Eradication and Program officials.

County Agent D. C. Langford warns Sutton County ranchmen cases are increasing rapidly in the county as several new cases have been reported each week. He urges ranchmen to be constantly alert to help control spread of screwworm cases.

Contract Let For Highway Work

A contract for the highway construction in the San Angelo district has been awarded by the Texas Highway Commission.

The work will be under the supervision of District Engineer J. A. Snell and will be in Schleicher and Sutton counties.

Robert Hall of Valley Mills was awarded a contract for grading, structures, base and surfacing on 11.7 miles of Farm to Market Road 2129. Low bid was \$288,894.44.

The project extends from 13.7 miles southwest of Eldorado, southwesterly to US Highway 290, 15 miles west of Sonora. Robert A. McCulloch of Sonora is the Highway Department engineer in charge of the project which will take an estimated 120 working days.

Woman's Club Has Style Show

Sonora Woman's Club members met October 3, for a luncheon and style show held in the First Methodist Church. Mrs. Louie Trainer, president, presided.

Mrs. W. L. Whitehead commented the style show which followed the luncheon. The program theme was "Time Has Come to Talk of Fashion."

Fashions from Labenske's Style Shop were modeled by Vera Wade, Diana Black, Kay Archer, Debra Wardlaw, Mrs. Clint Langford, and Mrs. Jack Kerbow modeled clothing from Ratliff's, and Mrs. Jimmy Cahill, Mrs. W. F. Berger, Mrs. Jamie Parker, and Mrs. James Hunt modeled fashions from Neville's Department Store.

Clothing featured were peignoir sets, casual, dressy and after-five dresses. Sportswear and coats were also worn by the models.

Hostesses were Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. Edwin Sawyer, Mrs. George Barrow, Mrs. James Menzies, Mrs. Lawrence Finklea, and Mrs. Bill Wade.

Approximately 65 members and guests attended.



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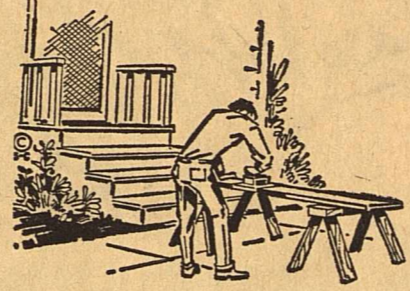
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W. C. Awalt, 61 Dies In Brady

Funeral services were held October 3 at 3 p.m., in Brady for Willard C. Awalt, brother of A.W. Awalt.

Mr. Awalt, 61, was a life-time resident of McCulloch County. He died in the Brady Hospital October 2, 1968, after a long illness. He was born December 5, 1906 in Camp San Saba. He had been physically handicapped with arthritis since 1934.

Mr. Awalt was a 1928 graduate of Brady High School and attended Schriener Institute and Texas Tech. Other survivors include two sisters, Miss Blanche Awalt of Brady and Mrs. John Simpson of Conroe; and a step-brother, Randall Clark of Jacksonville, Florida.

Bronco B-Team Scores 8-0 Win Over Eldorado

by Janice Sutton
After a loss to Ozona, the "B" team bounced back with two straight victories.

They traveled to Eldorado Thursday night defeating the Eagles 8-0 in a hard fought game.

Sonora dominated the entire ball game. Although nearly every drive was stifled by penalties, the fighting "B" team didn't give up. In the last minute of play, Arnold Samaniego went over from the four to score. Milton Noel added the two points, making the final score 8-0.

Methodist Plan November Revival

Some of the members of the Evangelism committee of the First Methodist Church met Sunday at 2:30 p.m. to formulate plans for the preaching mission to be held at the church November 3-10 with Dr. Edmund Robb as the evangelist preacher.

Services will be held each evening at 7 p.m., except Friday, November 8, when the meeting is planned for 5:30 p.m. Early morning services will be held and breakfast served beginning at 6:30 a.m. each morning during the revival.

Mrs. J. F. Howell, chairman of the commission, met with the Rev. Ross T. Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nevill, Mr. and Mrs. Clent Kniffen, Clint Langford, chairman of the official board, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitehead. Whitehead is serving as a four-year director for the Ed Robb Evangelistic Association.

All committees have been appointed and are preceding with plans in connection with the preaching mission, according to the Rev. Mr. Welch.

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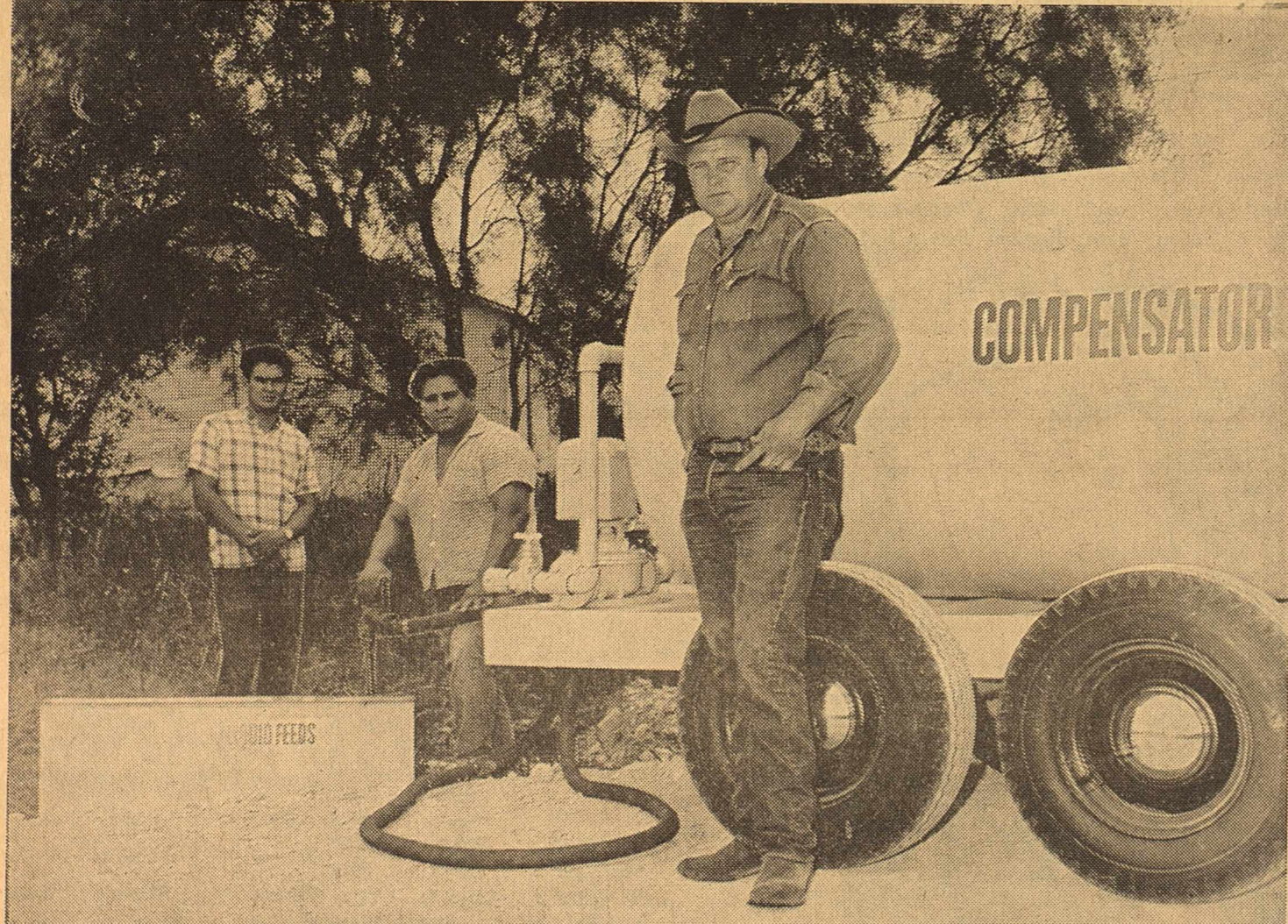
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