

Sonora's Speech Meet... Lots of hard work...



Time out for a bit of music,...



A little refreshment...



The establishment...

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Speech Students Receive Awards

meet held here Friday and Saturday.

cipants came from Ozona, Imperial, Alice, Mason, Big Lake, Andrews, Denton, Knippa, Seminole, Eldorado, Rotan and San Angelo.

entered the tournament with other local students assisting with housing, timekeeping, driving, publicity and enter-

Mixers were held in the school cafeteria Friday and Saturday nights in order that students from all schools represented might become acquainted.

During the awards presentations Kathy Layne of San Angelo and David Anderson of Denton were named as outstanding girl and boy speakers of the event.

ed awards in the meet. They were Rick Hill, first in prose; Rick Street, third in boys bible reading and second in poetry interpretation; Jim Pollard, second in junior declamation; David Wallace, third in junior boys declamation; Kelly Sue Sentell, third in dramatic interpretation and Sara Allison, third in girls bible reading.

categories were as follows:

Boys-1, John Gibbons of San Angelo; 2, Randy Rountree of San Angelo and 3, David An- Classified derson of Denton.

San Angelo; 2, Betsy Belcher of Denton and 3, Cindy Clack of Andrews.

DRAMATIC INTERPRETATION: Boys- 1, David Anderson of Denton; 2, Mike Tipton of Big

Lake and Joe Cantu of Alice. Girls- 1, Sara Hurdis of Denton; Lelia Worrall of Den-

DUET ACTING: 1, Anderson and Sale of Denton; 2, Boyd and McCormick of Denton and 3, Elliot and Leal of Alice.

Girls-1, Barbara Perry of Denton; 2, Dixie Mercer of Seminole and 3, Kathy Layne

OUTSTANDING SPEAKERS:

ton.

BIBLE READING:

Boys-1, Randy Rountree of San Angelo; 2, Mark Tansil of San Angelo and 3, Rick Street.

Girls- 1, Margy McGuire of Alice; 2, Stephanie Snelson of Andrews and 3, Anne Strauss of San Angelo.

Alice; 2, Ann Strauss of San Angelo and 3, Sara Allison. POETRY INTERPRETATION:

Boys- 1_Randy Rountree of 3, Bobby Elliott of Alice.

Boys- 1, Danny Niehaus of Alice; 2, David Anderson of Denton and 3, Brent Scott of San Angelo.

Girls- 1, Dixie Mercer of Seminole; 2, Margo Martinez of Alice and 3, Helen Wyess of Denton.

PROSE READING:

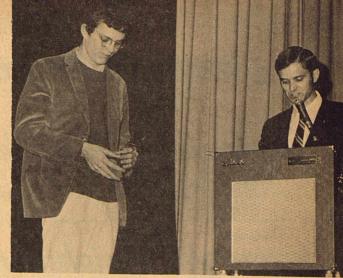
Boys- 1, Rick Hill; 2, Randy Rountree of San Angelo and 3, Mac McCormick of Denton. Girls - 1, Kathy Mullen of Alice; 2, Sue Dolan of Big Lake and 3, Margy McGuire of Alice. EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING: Boys- 1, Rick Sale of Dencontinued on page 6



Seventy-Eighth Year, Twenty-Fifth Week







Awards Presentation...

A barbecue supper and awards presentation held Saturday night in the school auditorium climaxed Sonora's 24th annual speech Two hundred-fifty contestants entered the tournament. Parti-

Twenty-nine Sonora students

Seven local students receiv-

Other winners in the various IMPROMPTU SPEAKING:

Girls- 1, Kathy Layne of

ton and 3, Kelly Sentell.

PERSUASIVE SPEAKING:

Boys- 1, Mark Tansil of San Angelo; 2, Rick Sale of Denton and 3, Crawford Sloan of Den-

of San Angelo.

Girls-Kathy Layne of San

Boys-David Anderson of Den-

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San Angelo; 2, Rick Street and HUMOROUS DECLAMATION:

ment of Agriculture.

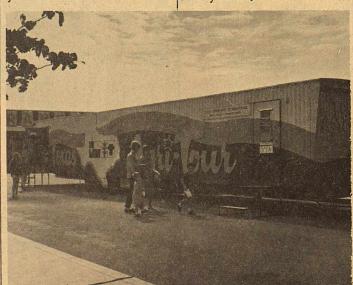
In Big Lake about fifteen and children have lost two dogs

years ago a small child died due to strychnine poisoning Fifty registrants received that was intended for his dog. new classifications when five board members met at Local oard #110. Selective Service Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pope

The fifty registrants in the 5-County area were classified or re-classified as follows: seventeen were classified I-A; four Dies In Arizona I-Y; three, I-C Inducted; two,

of Mrs. Pat Carroll, died in Scottsdale, Arizona, February 12, after a short illness. Services were held in Scottsdale, meet regularly the second Tues-February 17.

Mrs. Barc, 46, was born in March 10. Santos Lopez and Bill San Saba, and attended Sonora schools. Other survivors include board representing Sutton Coun-her husband, and a daughter, Marilyn Avis, of the home.



Agri-Tour Mobile Unit Sets Visit

Agriculture Agri-Tour mobile unit will be in Sonora June 17 during the Miss Wool of America and Mrs. Jess Moreland. The Pageant, announced Monte Sumner, marketing specialist with the Texas Department of Agriculture.

Fifty Registrants

System, February 10.

two, deceased.

I-D; one, II-A; four, III-A;

nine, IV-A; three, V-A and

The draft board members

day in each month, and their

next meeting is scheduled

Stewart are members of the

The Texas Agri-Tour unit's appearance in several West Texas towns during the pageant is made possible through the cooperative efforts of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association, the Mohair Council of America and the Texas Depart-

Sumner said the 56 - foot long traveling slide show will tour. Operators of the colorful which includes a special exhib- through the Agri-Tour.

or slide program that tells the story of Texas fibers, are Mr. two have traveled thousands of miles throughout the state with the unit.

Agriculture Commissioner John C. White said the Texas Agri-Tour unit is expressly designed to promote high quality Texas agricultural products. White explained that the Texas Agri-Tour unit is designed to familiarize Texans with the fibers products that are produced in the state. Texas Agriculture Industry, combined with the Texas Department of Agribe open to the public during the culture, is putting forth a joint effort to bring the story of the presentation of Texas products, state's agriculture to the public

Dog Poisoning Reported

A poisoned candy bar thrown in the yard was eaten by the child. Herrmann, cases brought to the

HITTING A UTILITY POLE Friday night put a new ing at a high rate of speed, Ramiro lost control

shape in this 1964 car. Felix Romiro, 18, is in jail of the car on Chestnut Street and sideswiped a

awaiting revocation of parole after being charged light pole, breaking it in half, before running with stealing a car belonging to Alfred Perez. Go- into a fence belonging to Polo Cervantes.

Sonorans Sister

Mrs. Ed (Jean) Barc, a sister

due to poisoning. A number of other dogs have also been given a lethal dose of the poison.

According to Dr. Wayne Veterinary Clinic have definite indications of strychnine poisoning with the exception of one which Dr. Herrmann said indicated a possible cyanide poison.

He also stated several candy bars were found in yards last summer with traces of poison.

Texas Schools To Celebrate 116th Birthday

(Editor's note: The following is a letter submitted by Bob Mc-Minn, principal of Sonora Junior High School, and chairman for Public Schools Week in Tex-

Dear Parents and Friends,

This is the year that Texas Public Schools celebrate their 116th birthday. In honor of this event, Governor Preston Smith has designated March 2-6 Public Schools Week in Texas.

During this period of time

you are encouraged to visit the Sonora Public Schools. This is an opportunity for you to experience first hand what your school is doing. It is also an opportunity for you to thank yourself for the kind of education you are providing your young people. "We should always remem-

ber that human freedom is not a gift to man; it is an achievement by man, and as it was it which features a narrated col- gained by vigilance and struggle, so it may be lost by indifference and supineness."

You will be glad - and your child will, too - that you visited a public school-his school.

Sonora's Weather Compiled By Pat Brown

Existence in	Rain	Hi Lo
Wed., Feb. 18		84 30
Thurs., Feb 19		83 37
Fri., Feb. 20	.06	45 37
Sat., Feb. 21		52 35
Sun., Feb. 22	. 57	52 41
Mon., Feb. 23		56 43
Tues., Feb. 24	.41	61 50

Rainfall for the month, 1.36 Rain for the year, 2.00.

City Adopts Ordinances And Sets Election Date

ted at the regularly scheduled meeting of the city commission held at the City Hall February 2. for absentee voting. Persons

Ordinance 58 defines nuisance personal property, directing removal and impounding of same when found in public places; providing a lien thereon and sale to satisfy lien and re-

demption. The ordinance states in part that any vehicle or other property or obstruction placed, left standing, parked, erected or left in violation of any ordinance of the City of Sonora, left unattended for more than 48 continuous hours on any pubor other public place be removed pany by city employees and taken to

City pound. The commission feels that left on streets are a hazard to

the ordinance. At the meeting an order was established for procedure for the City election to be held the gross receipts received by en qualified city voters will be called on to elect three city officials. Sonorans will elect a may-

Austin Stockton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stockton, was named to the Dean's Honor list for the fall semester at

Angelo State University.

Mrs. James L. Robbins, City Secretary, will serve as clerk who offer themselves as candidates for the office must file with the City Secretary, thirty days before the said election, and pay a filing fee of \$10.00.

OTHER CITY BUSINESS

At the city council meeting February 2, Glenn Scallorn, Morriss and L. P. Bloodworth representing Community Properare both seeking re-election. ties Inc., Sonora TV Service, met with the council and a rental agreement between the city and TV service was entered into and attached to the franlic street, alley, sidewalk, park chise agreement with the com-

It was agreed that two percent gross revenue tax per year will be charged to every organjunk cars and other obstructions ization, person or association using streets, highways, easelives of people traveling on the ments, alleys, parks or other streets; therefore, existing prob-public places in the City of Solems necessitated the passing of nora as a condition to such further occupancy, and pay to the City annually for such privilege a rental equal to two percent of

> Council members voted to ontinue to furnish electricity and water to the golf course after a review of the club's

financial situation. The discussion of the City's insurance program resulted in

a meeting of the commission

which was held February 20, to

plans and needs.

Some discussion was held on the hiring of a City Marshall, the unexpired term of A. E. but no action was taken at this

Along with the city officials to be elected at the April 4 election, an election of two trus- Nevill, are commissioners tees to the School Board will al- whose terms expire. so be held. Incumbents Bill

No filing announcements

Deadline for filing for a place on the Sonora Independent School Board and the City Coun-

cil is March 4.

have been made to date regard-

Norman Rousselot is filling

ing city posts open this year.

Prugel, who resigned from the

office of Mayor last April. W.

who was appointed to fill the

unexpired term of Mrs. T. K.

3. McMillan and Walter Pope,

Price−10¢

TS&GRA To Hold Spring Meeting

Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association will hold their triannual spring meeting in Bracketville March 6-7. Headquarters for the two-day meeting will be Fort Clark Guest Ranch.

Guest of honor will be Congressman Graham Purcell, chair will head a discussion on goat man of the House Agriculture Committee's Sub-committee on Buchheister, president emeritus of the National Audubon Society; Dr. Elvis Stahr, NAS president; Gene Setzer, chairman of the NAS board; and EdHarte, Corpus Christi publisher and NAS director. "We feel quite honored that this distinguished group of dignitaries can be on our program", stated Joe York,

Directors and members of the Jr. of Brackettville, TS&GRA

president. Of special interest to Angora goat producers will be a goat improvement program scheduled for 10 a.m., Friday, March 6. Dr. Maurice Shelton of Texas A&M's Livestock and Forage Research Center at McGregor

breeding. TS&GRA committee meetlivestock and feed grains. Other ing will start at 1:30 p.m. and pecial guests will be Dr. Carl | continue through 5 p.m. At 5:30 the Association will host a reception honoring Congressman Purcell. This will be followed by a no-host dinner in Piedras Negras, Mexico. This genera! session will begin at 9 a.m. Saturday, highlighted by Congressman Purcell's speech. York also stated that activities had been planned for the ladies.



Though the old MacDonald Hotel building was demolished some time ago, rubble still remains as this unsightly mess indicates. See Editorial page 2.

The Devilse River Achs

Editorials-Features-Columns

The most effective single force in building a good community is a good newspaper.

Hazardous, Unsightly Mess Viewed By Sonorans Daily

During the height of World War II bombings a local man was heard to say that in the event of bombings in United States, he would move to Fort McKavett. His reasoning was that bombardier pilots would assume the place had already been bombed.

A similar situation certainly exists in Sonora at this time. At least Fort McKavett's devastation came about from gradual deterioration of the old buildings from many years of nature's destructive forces.

Here the rubble was man-made and has created a most objectionable eyesore to all who have to view it daily.

With the advent of spring and summer and the hopeful influx of tourists, a spot that could be made attractive remains to be a hazardous,

unsightly mess after the passing of many weeks. Although those in charge of cleaning up the lumber company lot are to be commended for their efforts in trying to remove the rubbish, much work remains to be done on the hotel lot, and a crash approach to clearing the area is vastly needed.

Regardless of the efforts put forth by local businessmen in the downtown area to make their store fronts inviting, this pile of rubbish catches the stranger's eye first and most likely remains as a lasting impression of our city.

Whether we like it or not, we are judged by outward appearances. Is this the picture we want to leave with our visitors? How long must we assume this lackadaisical attitude and continue to tolerate such unpleasantness within our

Simply by existing, man unavoidably contaminates the environment. Each individual in miniature is an energy - producing power plant. He consumes fuel-carbohydrates, fats and oils, protiens and other materials he chooses to regard as foodwhich is turned into the energy required for muscular and mental activities. He radiates waste heat to the environment. He elimi- THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26 nates other wastes that are radioactive. Counting only the effects 1-3 p.m., Department of Pubof his bodily functions, he is a major polluter of ground and surface waters.

In a remarkably clear statement, a West Coast utility official explains the positive environmental advantages of the nuclear power plant. The point he makes is that through developing the technology of the atom, needed energy for the progress of civilization can be produced at a minimum price to the environment. Thermal discharges of a nuclear power plant can be handled in many alternate ways, minimally harmful to the water or air environments. Nuclear plants can be integrated into agricultural and industrial complexes efficiently utilizing the by-product heat that is now wasted. Furthermore, nuclear power plants can almost totally mitigate air pollution now caused by combustion energy, and finally in the official's words, "—radiation from nuclear plants is on the ragged edge of a philosophical zero, if not actually at that point, and can be safely controlled." Those who wish to avoid radiation totally must start by dispensing with food and drink. Even normal drinking water has more radioactivity than a typical nuclear power plant's low-level liquid wastes.

When man - the fuel burner - becomes indignant or fearful of nuclear electric power generation, he places himself in the position of the pot calling the kettle black.

A new and long overdue kind of consumer protector has appeared in Washington, D.C. He is an accountant who is registered as a professional lobbyist for the American public. His goal will be to undertake to protect the public against the inequities and abuses of the power of taxation. As reported in The New York Times, the accountant gave the following among the reasons why he appointed himself as a tax protector of the public. In the last three years, the average American's salary has risen sharply, but his spending power is less. He got tired of hearing government bodies and business firms "trumpet that they must grow or die" while average citizens were not allowed to grow or even maintain their status quo. He became tired of being told the trouble is "a mysterious abstraction called inflation" when it seemed clear to him that the real problem was "undisciplined, uncoordinated and unchecking taxing" at all levels of government.

The kind of tears that consumer protectors, especially the breed that hold public office, shed over the sufferings of consumers at the hands of the nation's producers and distributors of necessities and luxuries could only come from a crocodile. There is little sincerity in their concern as long as they persist in ignoring the far-greater consumer problems of taxation, government spending and inflation.

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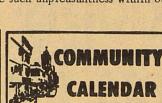
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lic Welfare representative at judge's office in courthouse

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27 End of fourth six weeks of

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28 2-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open

SUNDAY, MARCH 1 Services at the church of your

TUESDAY, MARCH 3 12 noon, Downtown Lions Club luncheon in fellowship hall of First United Methodist

Church :30 p.m., West Side Lions meeting in Lions Cage

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4 3 p.m., WSCS meeting

1970 **Announcements**

Other County Offices \$20.00

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

The Devil's River News is authorized to announce the follow- nesday that he would operate ing candidates for office, sub- the new Gulf Service Station ject to action of the Democratic now under construction at the primary of Saturday, May 2, 1970: intersection of Highways 277 and For County Judge

J. W. Elliott (re-election) For District and County Clerk Erma Lee Turner (re-election)

For County Treasurer Mrs. Lucille Hutcherson For County Commissioner, Precinct 2

Collier Shurley For State Representative, District 65 Hilary B. Doran Jr. For County Commissioner.

Precinct 4 R. L. Hardgrave For Justice of the Peace,

Precinct 1 Mat Adams Buddy Brown Bob Teaff John Eaton L. D. (Big Boy) Martinez

Lima beans are of South American origin.

The Sutton County Chapter of the American Heart Associa-New 1940 refrigerators have tion will conduct an active been received here according fund-raising drive beginning at to W. R. Parson, local mana-1 p.m., Sunday afternoon. ger for the West Texas Utili-Mrs. Arthur Carroll was electies. The 1940 Frigidaire line

tion Company.

DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

ted president of the Sonora Woman's Club at the annual meeting February 18. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sch-

Construction on the Lillian

FEBRUARY 25, 1960

IN A WORD ...

ALPHABET KNOWN
IS THE HAWAIIAN, WITH
ONLY 12 LETTERS!
THE SINGHALESE

LANGUAGE HAS MOST

LETTERS -54

SOME HABITS ...

ARE TIME SAVING. AND THERE ARE OTHER HABITS THAT ARE MONEY SAVING! WE MEAN

THE HABIT OF BUYING
U.S. SAVINGS BONDS!
AND THE WAY TO DEVELOP
THAT HABIT IS TO ENROLL IN THE
PAYROLL SAVINGS PLAN

FEATHERED SUBMARINE

AMERICA HAS THE RAREST BIRD IN THE WORLD-THE OUZEL (OR DIPPER). THESE BIRDS DIVE INTO THE WATER, AND WALK

APOUND LINDER IT

FEBRUARY 23, 1940

is a cashier at the bank here

tion last Saturday of the Sixth

District of the Texas Bankers'

will feature a new low priced

model in the widely popular

6-foot class to retail at \$117

Mrs. Henry Wyatt, Mrs.

Duke Wilson and Mrs. Thomas

Espy were in San Angelo Mon-

Mrs. Iva Dale Street and

Bill Smith were married Tues-

day of last week in San Angelo

The young couple are making

a new Chevrolet coupe, pur-

FEBRUARY 24, 1950

Dr. J. F. Howell will move

to his new office from the sec-

to the old post office space for-

ond floor of the bank building

merly occupied by the Eubank

Six San Angelo youths ad-

mitted to Tom Green County of

the Sonora School and the L. W.

Candace Cauthorn received

Elliott School here last week.

a broken toe Saturday when a

wagon wheel she and her bro-

ther, Dan Carter, were playing

with fell on her foot. Candace

is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

O. L. Richardson said Wed-

Dan Cauthorn.

Radio and Electric Store.

their home in Sonora.

Association.

in Sonora.

was an attendant at the conven-

George H. (Jack) Neill, who

THE SMALLEST

wiening Jr., are parents of a daughter, Susan, born February 3 at Hudspeth Hospital. Tom Glasscock, Sutton Coun-

ty 4-H member, was a top exhibitor at the El Paso Stock One of this area's leading

sportsmen, "Puddin" Allison, joined the ranks of the profes-Lee Patrick, proprietor of the sional last weekend when he Sonora Ice Company, is driving brought in a six-pound bass that was a real beauty. chased from an Eldorado dealer

65 YEARS AGO Mr. and Mrs. Giles Hill Jr., were in from the Stokes Ranch

Monday trading. Tayloe and Cornell, the lawyers, have moved their office from the courthouse to the Jackson building. The following young people

went to August Meckel's ranch last Saturday and had a most enjoyable time. They were Miss-

ficials that they had broken into es Eva Glasscock, Ella and Willie Holland, Ida Henning, Lou Robbins and Myrtle Huffman, also Messrs. Max VanderStucken, Charley Adams, Bert Bellows, Ronald Saunders and Lige Long.

Walter Whitehead and W. H lightfoot were in from the ranch Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Word are in Brownwood this week taking in the carnival and seeing their daughter, Miss Nettie, who is going to school there.

Del Rio Show Sef For May 9

The Del Rio Quarter Horse Show has been scheduled for May 9. Jack Newton of Carrollton has been selected as judge for the event.

Halter classes are scheduled

SOCIAL SECURITY REPRESEN-TATIVE SETS VISIT

Don Minyard, field representative for the San Angelo Social Security office, has scheduled his March visit to Sonora. He will be at the County Courthouse Thursday, March 19 from 9 a. m. to ll a.m. Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the social security administration may contact his at this time.

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to begin at 9 a.m., with performance classes at 1 p.m.

formance classes, the cutting event will be held. This event is approved by the NCHA, the Alamo Quarter Horse Breeders Association and the West Texas Quarter Horse Association. Money will go to the top four horses in this event.

> SUBSCRIBE TO THE DEVIL

USE CLASSIFIED

Immediately after the per-

Which of the Following is Spelled Correctly?

Apparel Aparrel Apparrel (Meaning clothing or dress)

See Classified Page for Correct Answer.

Our Newsletter

Talk about a guaranteed annual income has given rise to an updated version of Aesop's fable about the Little Red Hen:

Once upon time there was a Little Red Hen who scratched about and uncovered some grains of wheat. She called to her neighbors and said to them: If we work together and plant the wheat, we will have some bread to eat. Who will help plant the wheat?"

"Not I," said the Cow. "Not said the Duck. "I demand guaranteed annual bread," put n the Goose.

"Then I will," said the Little Red Hen -- and she did.

The wheat was planted, grew up, but the ground became dry rom lack of rain. "Who will help me water the wheat?" asked the Little Red Hen.

And the Goose, the Duck. the Pig, and the Cow replied, Not me.'

"Then I will," said the Little Red Hen -- and she did.

When it came time to grind the wheat into flour, all said No." "I'd lose my unemployment compensation," said the

Then came the time to bake and again all said "No." "That would be overtime for me," said the Cow. "I'm a dropout M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital and never learned how," said the Duck. "I'd lose my welfare has not started yet pending approval of the Warner Construcbenefits" said the Pig. "If I helped and the others didn't, you'd be discriminating against me," explained the Goose.

> "Then I will," said the Little Red Hen -- and she did.

Five loaves were baked. vant some," said the Cow. "So do I," said the Duck. "And I want some," said the Pig. "I demand my share," said the

"No," said the Little Red Hen. "I'll take my time and eat the five loaves.'

"Excess profits!" cried the Cow. "Capitalistic leach," screamed the Goose. "I demand my equal rights," grunted the

A commotion developed and the Farmer came and ordered the Little Red Hen to keep one loaf and give the other four to the suffering neighbors.

And they lived happily ever after, including the Little Red Hen who smiled and smiled and clucked "I am grateful, I am grateful.

But her neighbors wondered why she never baked any more bread!

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In His Own Very Peculiar Fashion Editor's note: The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitterweed

Philosopher Joins Pollution War

ranch on Dry Devil's River takes a close look in a sidelong fashion at the pollution problem this week.

Generally speaking, I'm in favor of whoever's President of our country or my bank, figuring both do the best they can with what they have to work with, so I sat up and cheered - I figure you can cheer just as well sitting as standing-when President Nixon announced he's declaring war on pollution.

Consequently I wasn't prepared when a neighbor came by and asked me if I'd read everything he'd said about pollution.

"Mostly the headlines," I said. I didn't figure a man had to memorize all the streams and lakes and cities now polluted in order to endorse the idea of cleaning them up. A war on pollution is a war on pollution and you leave the details to the gen-

"You should have read it all," he said, straightening up a fence post he'd been leaning against. "He said pollution is not only a national problem, it's a local problem, and said everybody ought to start with his own premises, make everything tidy and ship-shape. When you gonna re-build this fence? Is that a 1918 or 1920 car chassis grown up in weeds over there? If that barn of yours sags a few more feet to the north without falling over it's gonna become a tourist attraction."

He went on like this for several minutes when I got up and walked off; saying some people read too much.

The trouble is, he has a point, and I got no peace of mind until I ran across an article in a newspaper which I picked up in my driveway as a first step in the anti-pollution war.

According to it, the government is furnishing the money in some cases to plant shrubbery around unsightly junk yards along the main highways. If you can't get rid of the old cars, hide

I have reviewed the situation on this bitterweed ranch from one end to the other and have decided it would be easier and cheaper to comply with the anti-pollution drive by just planting shrubbery around it. This way me and the government could both go about our way in peace. Please advise where you apply for funds for this. We've got to get this country in shape.

Yours faithfully,

Neil Armstrong Named Chairman

Astronaut Neil A. Armstrong has been named chairman of the 1970 Easter Seal campaign in Texas.

P. O. Settle, Jr., of Fort Worth, president of the Texas Easter Seal Society, said that

Armstrong will lead over 20,000 volunteers in the annual appeal for funds.

A spacecraft commander for Appollo IX, July 16-24, 1969, Armstrong, 40, holds the distinction of being the first man to walk on the moon.



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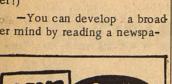
A Bishop Looks at Life **A Practical Lent**

By Everett H. Jones, Retired Bishop of the Episcopal Church

'How can a custom as old as Lent have any practical value or use today? What can I do to make these forty days meaningful in my own life? Both of these questions have been put to me recently; as we approach Ash Wednesday (February 11) I offer these answers:

-You can decide at least one thing you will do, or not do, to make it easier for your wife (your husband) to live with you in this period. (You might do the same for your employ-

er mind by reading a newspa-



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RIDAY, FEBRUARY 27 Lee Lewis Mrs. Santana Noriega Norma Favela

ATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28 Sam Odom Mrs. Louis Davis Arnuldo Gandar FEBRUARY 29 Randy Hill McNeil Allison SUNDAY, MARCH 1 Gene Brodhead Andy Franks Mrs. Reed Jennings

Patrick Street Beatrice Noriega Albert Favela Melinda Sue Pettiet MONDAY, MARCH 2 Gaile Hamilton

Karen Cusenbary Jenny Lucinda Wilson Ronda Hopkins Eddie Sutton TUESDAY, MARCH 3

George Schwiening Mrs. J. W. Elliott Granville Barker Mrs. Jim Clemments Mike Duran Tammy Van Hoozer

VEDNESDAY, MARCH 4 Turney Friess Mrs. Fred Simmons Charles Brent Allen Michael Sloan

Debra Lee Behrens

this week by her mother. The prospective bridegroom is Grady Donald Rains, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Rains of Orange.

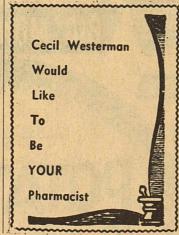
The wedding has been set for June 27 at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Presbyterian

The bride-elect is a graduate of Sonora High School and Texas Christian University where she was a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma Sorority. She also attended graduate school at Florida State University on a scholarship given by her sorority. She served as a graduate counselor also.

Rains is a graduate of Stark High School in Orange and Southwest Texas State University where he was a member of Theta XI Fraternity. He served three years in the U.S. Marine Corps, and is presently employed by Kentucky Central Life Insurance Company in San

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MARCH 22 Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bricker

MARCH 23 Mr. and Mrs. Estes Adams

MARCH 25 Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stanley

MARCH 27 Mr. and Mrs. Julio Samaniego MARCH 31

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Drennan

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HOSPITAL NEWS

February 17 through Monday, February 23 include the follow-

Betty Quinn, Ozona Muriel Brown John Templeton, Rocksprings Jesse Penick

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ednesday Services	7:00 p.m.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jerry D. Jack-

son of Brady, formerly of Sono-

ra, are parents of a daughter,

Julie Elayne, born February 8,

Mrs. Irene Brunson of Mason

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Maternal grandparents are

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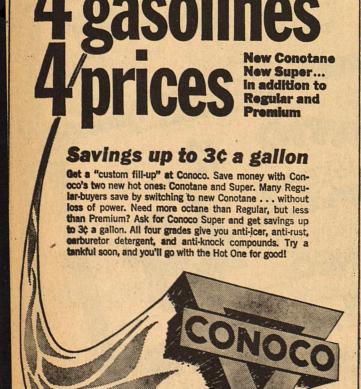
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Easter Seal Appeal Letters Being Delivered This Week

Easter Seal appeal letters are being delivered this week in Sutton County, according to centers. Mrs. Erma Lee Turner, who is County Easter seal representative for Easter Seal Society for crippled children and adults of

As representative, Mrs. Turner serves as local contact for disabled persons needing Easter Seal rehabilitation services and also is treasurer of the Easter seal appeal in Sonora.

The Easter seal society offers physical and occupational therapy, speech and hearing programs, and special equipment loans to enable disabled persons to make the best use of their abilities to overcome handicaps. These services are financed by the annual Easter seal appeal.

The society also provided for and adults. . . . esearch into the causes and cures of crippling conditions, finances public education programs, and provides scholarships of the world.

for training of professional personnel to staff rehabilitation

During 1969, the Texas Easter seal society helped to provide treatment and services to 20,378 children and adults who were in need of rehabilitation services. These services are available to any disabled person who can benefit from help provided by the Easter seal

The 1970 Easter seal campaign will run through Easter Sunday, March 29. She urged increased support for the Easter seal society and its program of services to crippled children

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She pointed out all of these programs are important if Texas is going to continue to provide the best in rehabilitation services for its own disabled citi-

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BOY SCOUT TROOP No. 325 led by Oscar Galindo and Freddie Chavarria plan to go to Mass and Communion in a body once a month. The troop has been active four years.

Saint Ann's Recaps

St. Ann's parish has formed a parish council. Those named to head the council are Polo Cervantes. Thomas Favila. Arnulfo Virgen, Ricardo Perez, and Mrs. Louis Davis. The duties of the council will be to assist Father Micheal Fernandez with the clerical, economic and material affairs of the

A meeting is to be held the third Tuesday of every month, and at that time the immediate problems of the parish will be

discussed. Boy Scout Troop No. 325 received Communion in a body February 15. Freddie Chavarria is troop leader and Oscar

Galindo is assistant.

Johnny Gonzalez is patrol leader while Bobbie Samaniego is the assistant leader. The troop plans to go to Mass and Communion in a body once a month. The troop has been active for about four years.

The holy name society and

Natural Resources Of Texas

MY STAKE IN THE NATURAL RESOURCES OF TEXAS by KAREN HEMPHILL

In the early 1800's the people of Texas did not worry about cants for the position of adminruining the land because there was such an abundance that they never dreamed there would be so many people and so little room as there is today. When living conditions became crowd-10¢ per mile travel. Applicant ed they could move on west must have either a pickup or a and find open range or cheap land. This situation no longer must be a high school graduate. exists.

Applicants will be interviewed Today many people are ruining our natural resources by the Courthouse at Sonora, Tex- throwing waste in rivers and as on March 3rd at 1:00 o'clock streams, polluting the air with mobiles and misusing the land. As President Nixon said in his State of the Union message, people leave an unsightly trail the City of Sonora, Texas. All applications should be returned everywhere they go. Everyone has his own stake or part in taking care of the natural resources which Texas possesses. We must do our part to keep these resources alive because living without fresh water, pure air and productive soil would not only be unpleasant but impos-

> Our water resources are being polluted by water flooding the oil wells with salt water to get the oil out faster. When this salt water is put into the ground it is thought that much of this water seeps into the rivers and lakes near us. A farmer may want to irrigate from this lake or river not knowing it contains salt. He pumps this water onto his land thinking he is going to have better and larger crops but instead completely ruins his land, This is when people should have more consideration for the land and the water resources Farmers and ranchers should not abuse their land by constant planting of one crop or over

grazing their pastures. If people don't take this seriously and take more precaution about how they treat our natural resources we will have a grave problem on our hands sooner than we think. Our stake in the natural resources of Texas is to see that these problems are solved before it is too late.

Land area of Texas is 263, 513 square miles.

The 24th annual speech meet was held this weekend, beginning with the Thursday night mixer. Everyone seemed to enjoy the dance and the participants actually mingled with participants from other schools. There was still the usual

the altar society met on their

Alamo QHBA Races Set In Uvalde

It's racing time in Uvalde or the next two weekends, February 28, March 1 - 7 - 8, Breeders Association's Futurity and Derby will be run at city fairgrounds. Expensive horse flesh aplenty will run for the are 65 two-year olds and 17 three-year olds in the derby. ed continues to improve and are drawing more and more of

Trials for the futurity and derby will be run March 1, and finals, March 8. Alamo QHBA championship race for 3-yearolds and up will be run March 8. The races will start at 1:30 p. m. Saturday and Sunday.

Advance reserved seats can

Woman's Club **Cancels Tea**

Members of the Sonora Woman's Club decided in their February 5 meeting that the tasting teascheduled for March 10 woul not be held. The tea had been planned for the purpose of gatnering recipes for the Woman's Club Cookbook. This cookbook is the club's only money making

regular Sundays for monthly Mass, Communion and meetings. Both organizations have been busy making plans for the upcoming spring festival.

be secured from Bill Taylor at the Town House Restaurant.

According to Mrs. Glen Rich. ed persons who have recipes they would like to submit to is March 5.

when the Alamo Quarter Horse fans and for money, paid up to date and eligible in the futurity The quality of the horses enterthe leading stables of the coun-

Henry IV, Part I.

ardson, the cookbook will still be published this year and she urges all members and interestcontact committee chairman. Mrs. Norman Rousselot. The deadline for submitting recipes

An interesting item appeared in this week's edition of the Rocksprings newspaper, "The Texas Mohair Weekly". The item said, "The printer"s devil had a heyday last week with the editor's copy and left Mrs. Warren Hutt's name off the announcement of the new granddaughter, Julie Beth Hutt.' Wonder if the newspaper's publisher, being Mr. Warren Hutt, had any explaining to do?

Mrs. Walter Chadwell of

Junction was a weekend guest

of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McMil

lan. Mrs. Chadwell is Lucille's

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pope

and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mc-

Millan spent a week in Aspen,

Colorado. They reported the

-SKH-

Visiting Miss Betty Jack

Cooper and attending the Fling

Selma Dickson, the TV

cable serviceman, is out of the

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Ding were Mr. and Mrs. Ervin

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skiiing was great fun.

Rains of San Marcos.

ing rapidly.

Rick Street and Sarah Allison both came in third in Bible -SKH-Mrs. James Alexander, Mrs Reading. Street also placed Corky Schwiening and Mrs. second in Poetry Interpretation. Kelly Sentell also competed Francis Archer, all employees of Dr. Charles F. Browne, atin the finals in the girls' Poetry tended the Blue Cross/Blue Interpretation. Shield Medicare and Medicade meeting in San Antonio last

Sue Pettiet made the final round in Humorous Declama-Thursday and Friday. tion. Rick Hill won Sonora's Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Luttonly first place by winning the Prose Reading event. Sonora rell spent the weekend in Midplaced three in the Junior Decland with their son and his lamation first three places. family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lutt-Jim Pollard and David Wallace rell, Max, 7, and Joe, 3. Joe won first and second respectiveis employed by Globe Univerly while Maggie Galbreath won sal Sciences and is leaving for third in the girls' finals. Algiers in April where he will

by Kay Kerbow

squabbling between "kickers"

and "cats" over the music for

kids-"goat ropers". Who knows

might acquire in future years!!

-KK-

view, Sonora students did well

in the contests also. Kelly Sen-

Interpretation. Missy Brown al-

so made the finals in the event,

but did not place in the first

three places.

tell placed third in Dramatic

While everyone enjoyed the

dancing. We acquired a new

nickname from the Denton

what interesting names we

meet from the fun point of

The one-act plays were won by Denton, as usual, with San Angelo winning second. Denton presented "Exit the King" while San Angelo Central presented

After the one acts, a dance was held in the cafeteria. It proved as much fun as the mix er if not more. Quite a few new dances were invented in the process of attempting to learn dances brought in by others. Isn't that right, Kerry?

-KK-I don't know which was funnier, "kickers" trying to dance 'cat" or "cats" trying to dance 'kicker" style.

A barbecue and awards assembly ended the successful tournament. Plans are already being made for next year's speech meet according to two junior girls....and I don't think it has anything to do with what selections would be most likely to win.

Six weeks tests began yesterday with the 7th period test. 1 - 3 - and 5 will be held Thursday and 2 - 4 - and 6 occur Friday.

The Junior and Senior ban-

April 3. George Chambers band is scheduled to play. April 4 is the Eldorado track neet, so the boys will probably have an earlier curfew, much to the annoyance of the girls.

quet and prom is to be held

Mrs. E. D. Shurley and Mrs. Nolan Johnson planned to return today from a jewelers convention in Puerto Rico and a

visit to market in Dallas. Mrs. Pat (Avis) Carroll, who works in the bank, is home from the hospital in San Angelo where she had surgery. Glad you are home and feeling better, Avis.

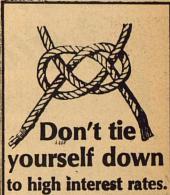
THURSDAY LUNCHEON CLUB Mrs. Harold Schwiening hosted the Thursday Luncheon Club at her home February 19.

Spring flowers were used in table decorations. Mrs. W. B. McMillan held high score; Mrs. C. F. Browne was second high and Miss Annella Stites bingoed. Also attending the party were Mmes. Duke Wilson, Bill Fields, Edwin Sawyer, Frank Bond, John Ward, Bryan Hunt and Vestel Askew. Mrs. Walter Pope was

Last week in writing the results of the mothers' march of dime drive, I credited Mrs. Bill Stewart as a worker in the drive, and it should have read Mrs. Sammy J. Stewart. Now

I do have a good excuse, both

are named Betty.



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ton; 2, John Gibbons of San Angelo and 3, Mark Thompson of Seminole.

Girls- 1, Kathy Layne of San Angelo; 2, Betsy Belcher of Denton and 3, Mickey Williams

JUNIOR DECLAMATION:

Boys- 1, Tony Clemmer of Big Lake; 2, Jim Pollard and 3, David Wallace.

Girls- 1, Debbie Page of Eldorado; 2, Teresa Willis of Andrews and 3, Maggie Gal-

BOYS DEBATE FINALS: Denton GIRLS DEBATE FINALS:

Denton ONE-ACT PLAYS:

Denton won the first place spot in the one-act plays and San Angelo was awarded the second place spot.

Denton also walked away with the best actor and best actress awards with Rick Sale and Bonnie Boyd receiving the

Brent Scott of San Angelo was named best supporting actor while Sara Hurdis of Denton was named best supporting

Named to the all-star cast of Knippa; Margot Martinez of Alice; Randy Rountree of San Angelo; Larry Stevens of San Angelo and,

Jill Patterson of Denton, Mac McCormick of Denton, Don Burleson of San Angelo, Sue Ann Davis of Alice; Larry Dooley of San Angelo and Shannon McWilliams of San Angelo.

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The Bronco basketball team

also participated in the Ozona and Big Lake tournaments.

111.1; Willie Gutierrez, 8.2; In district play, the Broncos Erasmo Lumbreras, 6.9; Mark erage as opposed to 61.7 point Rousselot, 4.0; Ruben Chavez, 2.7; Jimmy Cade, 2.5; Rick Street, 2.5 and Eddie Sutton, 1 with a 17.7 point average. Taylor led in the field goal

ed the free throw statistics. The following are members of the team and their point averages: Mike Taylor, 17.7; David Wuest, 12.2; Kerry Joy,

Eradication Program In 9th Year

Screwworm eradication officials, at the eighth anniversary observance of the program February 14, said they are look- confirmed screwworm case. We ing forward to another successful year, although many livestock owners apparently believe there is little room for improvement. Several factors could change the picture quickly, how in Mexico, and research has

It was on Valentine's Day of 1962 that the first planeload of irradiated flies was dispersed over South-Central Texas, launching the program which has resulted in many millions of dollars of savings to stockmen of the Southwest United States.

Dr. S. C. Gartman, director f the Mission-based program, noted that striking results became apparent almost immedbiological control program. Screwworm infestations were reduced 70 percent the first year; and the following year by 99 percent. California and Arizona joined the battle against screw worms in 1964, and marked improvement was seen immediate.

'As we begin our ninth year of operation, we have just completed eight weeks without a would like to see more of such weeks. However, a number of cases are being reported approximately 180 to 200 miles from the Texas and Arizona borders shown that fertile flies can travel this distance. So, increased vigilance on the part of producers is in order," Dr. Gartman

He reported that a feasibility study to develop plans for aship ico is currently underway and due completion this spring. The Southwest Animal Health Research Foundation authorized the study in its continuing ef iately after the initiation of the fort to move the eradication program southward into Mexico.

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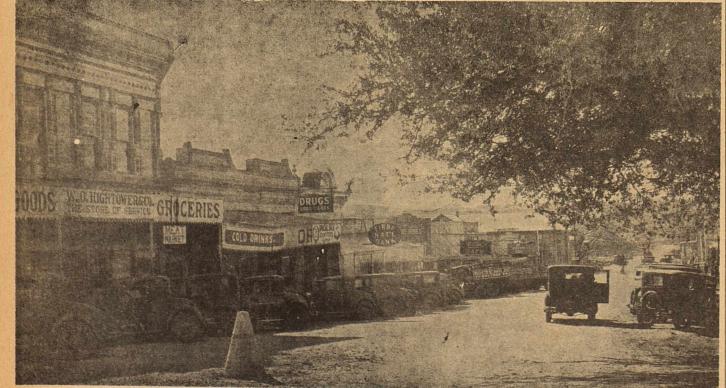
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La Bahia Downs Sets Race Meet

A combination of "county April 4-5, April 11-12. LaBah fair excitement" and the thrill ia Downs is the home of the of horse racing for the biggest Texas Futurity which last year purse in the Southern United had a gross purse of \$113, 975. States lead officials of La Bahia This was the largest quarter-Downs in Goliad to predict that horse purse ever offered in the spring race meet will attract Southern United States history. the largest race crowds in his-

DPS OFFICE TO OBSERVE The spring race meet will be MONDAY HOLIDAY held in Goliad on three consecutive weekends -March 28-29.

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF ELECTION

The annual election of trustees for the Sonora Independent School District will be held on April 4, 1970 at the county courthouse in Sonora, Texas.

ed for three year terms. Any qualified person desiring a place on the ballot for said election may sign an appli-cation available at the office of the superintendent in the junior high building, on or before March 4, 1970, at 4:00 p. m., or by letter to Box 648, Sonora, Texas, postmarked on or before 4:00 p.m. on said

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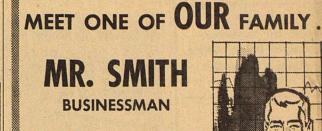
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HISTORICAL SOCIETY SETS MEETING A meeting of members of Two trustees are to be elect-

the Sutton County Historical Society has been scheduled for Sunday, March 1 at 4 p.m. According to Mrs. Ben Cusenbary, the meeting will be held in the Miers Home Museum.

Sonora ISD, Sonora, Texas by Ken McAllister, Superin-



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