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## Rainfall Report

by E. B. KENG, SCS Technician

A rainy weekend was indeed welcome to Sutton County residents, even though it was generally far below drought-breaking proportions. Thunderstorms rumbled around Sonora on both Friday and Saturday nights.

Heavy, runoff producing rains fell on a rather narrow strip along the south and west lines of the Edwards Plateau soil conservation district. Dan Cauthorn measured 5.00 inches, Mrs. John Cauthorn 4.20 and the Hospital ranch received 3 to 3.5 inches for the two day total. The Juno road was closed at several low water crossings.

Most of the heavy precipitation occurred in Val Verde and Edwards counties. Heavy downpours were reported on the Whitehead and Altizer ranches. Armer Earwood received 2.5 inches, and 4.0 inches fell on the Albert Ward (Cauthorn) ranch.

Rainfall was generally much lighter across the northern two thirds of Sutton county. Most gauges showed slightly over one inch for the two day period. Sonora received about 1.5 inches.

The rain was critically needed to keep the grass green and freshen the vegetation, but good followup rains are necessary to produce any substantial growth.

Other representative rainfall reports collected by SCS, included: L. P. Bloodworth, 2.45; Experiment Station 2.00; W. L. Miers 1.04; Vestel Askew 1.35; John Mittel 1.10; Harold Friess 2.10; Leonard Gibbs 1.00;

Bill Tittle 1.20; Thomas Morris 2.60; Mack Cauthorn 3.40; Gene Wallace 1.90; George Brockman 1.34; Bill Morris (Nicks) 2.30 and Dick Street 1.60.

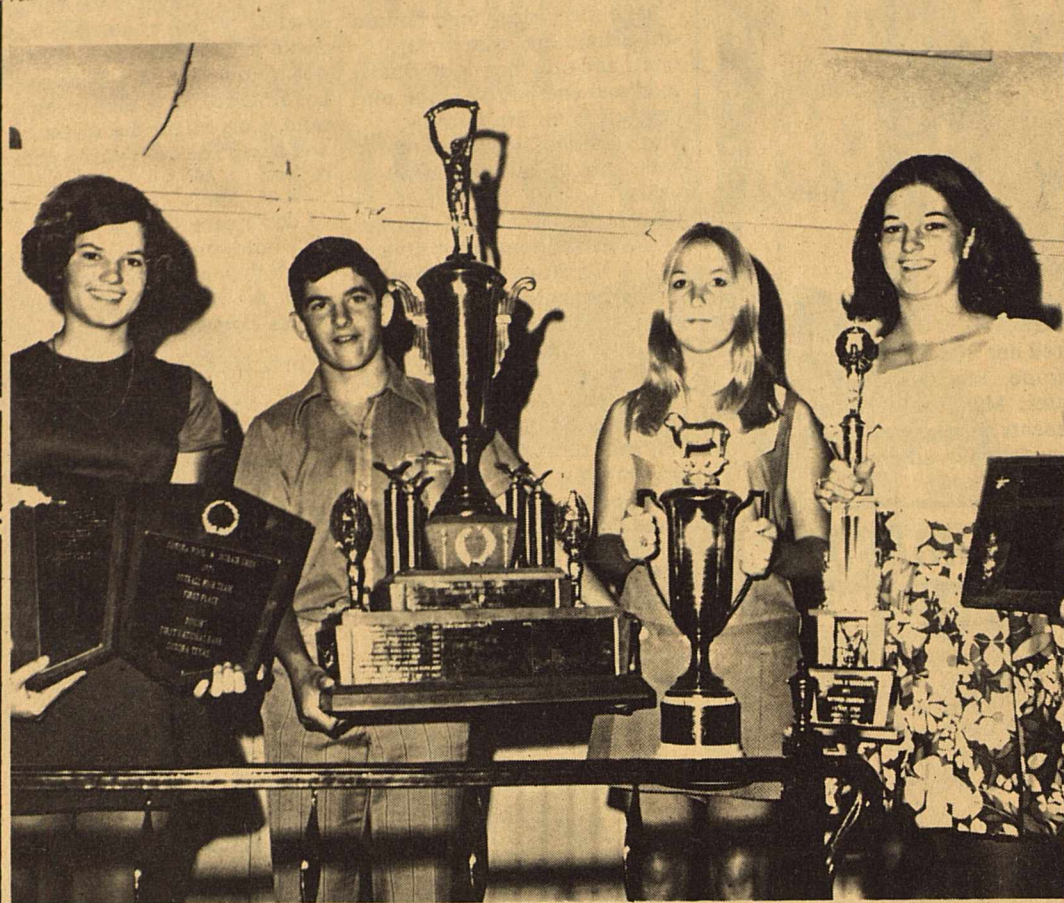
## Edgar Custer Gunshot Victim

Mr. Edgar M. Custer, 55, died June 12, 1971, of gunshot wound. Justice of Peace Mat Adams ruled the death as suicide.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Monday at E. A. Hoffmann Funeral Home in Mason with burial in Bethel Cemetery.

He was born July 10, 1915 in Katecmy. He was a veteran of World War II and a member of the Church of Christ. He had lived here for the past 15 years and was a mechanic.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Lee Williams of Corpus Christi; two brothers, James Custer of Sabin and Felix Custer of Austin; a sister, Mrs. August Lange of Katecmy, and two grandchildren.



THESE FOUR SUTTON COUNTY 4-H members have won so many outstanding awards recently they are becoming loaded with trophies and plaques. Cora Pope, Bill Finklea, Sarah Allison and Janet Pope have won the local, state and national honors in wool judging as well as the state range judging contest. Sutton County has produced many outstanding teams in 4-H judging in the past, but this team has piled up the most impressive record of any group in this area in sometime.

## HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

... TO THESE FATHERS AND ALL OTHERS...

Father's Day was started by Mrs. John B. Dodd, a Spokane, Washington native who, with her brothers and sisters, was raised by her father after her mother's death. She started a campaign back in 1909 to establish a Sunday in June to honor all fathers. The idea was a popular one and it caught on quickly. In June of 1910 the first Father's Day was celebrated.

In the 61 years since Mrs. Dodd's efforts were rewarded with the first Father's Day, she has seen it become a national tradition.

Father's Day will be observed June 20 this year when the nation will pay tribute to the heads of nearly 50-million households with gifts. As fathers are being honored everywhere, here several young people are surprising their fathers with one of the best possible gifts of all -- these compositions that follow...

Happy Father's Day to Daddy... from Lesa

(Lesa Whitehead is attending college at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos. She will be a sophomore student there this fall. She is the

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitehead, and her composition is about a truly remarkable man—her father.)

I wonder if many kids ever stop and thank God for their fathers—even on father's day? I doubt it. Fathers are supposed to be around so usually they are taken for granted—like so many things are today.

Well, I've thanked God for my father, because if it wasn't for God Daddy wouldn't be here. Dad had bulbar and spinal polio 22 years ago and was at death's door for nearly a month. That is one reason I'm thankful he's alive and in perfect health—and another important reason I'm grateful is that he's my daddy. I may be a little prejudiced, but to me he's the greatest one alive!

Dad was born in San Angelo October 3, 1927. He was reared here on the ranch where we now live and attended the country school here until third grade. He attended Texas Military Institute in San Antonio from fourth grade until he graduated from high school.

He then attended Texas University in Austin for one year until he married mother June 14, 1947. They then moved to

the ranch to live.

Dad got ill and in April of 1950 it was discovered he had polio. He spent three months in San Angelo at Shannon Hospital and six months in Gonzales, where he learned to talk again and strength returned to his left arm and hand. His legs and the whole left side of his body was paralyzed, including his face and left eye.

Before returning home the doctors told mother to let daddy do things on his own, such as putting on his braces and dressing himself which was painful and time consuming. This was important though, in order for him to learn independence.

It is hard to believe now when you look at daddy that when he left the hospital he weighed only 130 pounds. The doctors doubted he would ever be out of bed. He was told to take two, 2-hour naps daily (which he is supposed to do even now), but can you see us trying to slow him down enough to rest! He is a tall man, 6 feet, 2 in. and weighed over 200 pounds when he got sick.

God gifted daddy with the ability to have patience and with this family one certainly (Cont'd. on page 5...)

NEW TEACHERS HIRED

Contract for two new teachers was approved. Jerry Mack Horn was approved as math teacher in high school. He will assist in B-team football coaching and in basketball coaching. Wayne Shaw, who was born in Blanket, was also approved to teach in high school. Shaw, married and father of twin daughters 2-years-old, is coming here from Corpus Christi.

## WEATHER REPORT

Compiled by Pat Brown

	Rain	H i	Lo
Tues., June 8		98	68
Wednes., June 9		95	69
Thurs., June 10		90	70
Fri., June 11		92	72
Sat., June 12	.90	89	63
Sun., June 13	.18	88	65
Mon., June 14		90	63
Rainfall for the month,	1.18;		
rain for the year,	5.15.		

## CONTRACT SIGNED FOR BAPTIST CHURCH

Climaxing twenty-seven months of intensive study and work by the membership and its building committee, the First Baptist Church voted Sunday to sign a contract with the Hubert L. Hays, Inc. construction company of Fort Worth, to construct a new worship center to be located between the present church building and the parsonage, announced the Rev. Clifton Hancock, pastor of the church.

The contract of \$70,000 is for construction and furnishings of a more than two-hundred seat sanctuary, six classrooms

## SUTTON COUNTY 4-H'ers SWEEP WINNINGS AT WOOL SHOW

Sutton County 4-H'ers excelled in most of the events at the thirty-fourth annual wool show held last week at Sonora Wool & Mohair Company warehouse.

In team competition, the group placed first in the 11th Annual National 4-H Wool judging contest, by piling up 1,802 points. Janet Pope, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pope, took national individual honors by scoring 610

points in the wool judging contest.

The four-member team of Janet and Cora Pope, Sarah Allison and Bill Finklea, out-pointed teams from Colorado, New Mexico, Wyoming and Texas, in winning the national title. Corky Schwiening coached the outstanding team.

A 4-H team from San Luis Valley, Colorado, placed second with 1,751 points. Team members were Debra Davis, Tamara Benson, Randy McMullan and Robby Jones.

Second place honors in the individual competition of the national meet, were shared by Bill Finklea, Sutton 4-H'er and Charlen Boner, an entrant from Niobrara County, Wyo-

oming. Both young people scored 599 points in the wool competition.

Visitors to the wool show were treated by an unexpected visit from Hugh Pierson, General Manager of the New Zealand and Wool Commission. Pierson and others with him were en route to a wool sale in Del Rio. From Del Rio they went to San Antonio and finally, Mexico City. Al Dishman, manager of Producers Wool and Mohair in Uvalde was traveling with the group.

An awards luncheon was held at noon Thursday at the 4-H Center to complete the show.

Sutton County 4-H'ers also took top honors in the State FFA and 4-H judging contest in the senior division with a total of 4,075 points. Complete results of the show follow:

JUNIOR DIVISION 1971  
WOOL SINGLE FLEECES  
Twelve Months—Range: Fine Wool—Class 1, Yearling Ewe: 1 Stanley Dunbar; 2 Andy Dunbar; 3 A. Dunbar; 4 Mike Street; 5 Cora Pope; 6 Steve Street; 7 Rick Street; 8 Laurie Bushong; 9 M. Street and 10, S. Dunbar (Edwards County).

(Cont'd. on page 6...)

## Local Students Named To Honor Society Group

Five graduating seniors and one junior were honored in national competition as announced by James Pollard, principal of Sonora High School.

The students were chosen as members of the Society of Outstanding American High School students, the country's leading high school honorary. The students are Carol Gay Hardgrave, Kay L. Kerbow, Sandra Mounce, Scott Jacoby, Ben Snodgrass and Rick Street.

The Society accepts for membership only young men and women who have distinguished themselves as their school's highest achievers.

Society members are recognized annually in a published volume entitled "Outstanding American High School Students" which is distributed nationally to colleges, universities, corporations and libraries. Because of their accomplishments, these students are most deserving of recognition by the school, the community, and the nation. As leaders of American youth, they represent one of the most important segments of our Society.



BILL RATLIFF

## Ex-Sonoran Named To Honor Post

William ("Bill") R. Ratliff has been chosen president-elect of the consulting engineers council of Texas for the year 1971-72. He is a partner in the firm of Knowlton-Ratliff-English-Collins, consulting engineers with offices in Arlington and Austin.

The youngest man ever to be chosen for the office, he was named president-elect at the organization's annual meeting in Austin June 3-4. Ratliff is a resident of Hurst. He is a graduate of the University of Texas at Austin in Civil Engineering, is a registered professional engineer and registered public surveyor.

He grew up here and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ratliff of Eldorado. He and his wife, Sally, have three children.

The consulting engineers council is an organization of engineers engaged in the private practice of engineering in Texas, and represents almost 100 of the leading consulting engineering firms in the state. The council's stated purpose is to consider and act in management and professional matters pertaining to consulting engineering practice with the goal of assisting its members in achieving higher professional and economic standards.

The Primera Baptist Church located at the corner of Chestnut and Santa Clara streets has scheduled a revival June 21 through June 27. Services are planned nightly at 7 during the week with Sunday morning services to be held at 11. Evangelist for the meeting will be the Rev. Leonard Galagos of Snyder and Dan Street of Crane will lead the song services.

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OCTETS DELIVERED AT LOCAL HOSPITAL! With all the news about multiple births in the newspapers recently, a mongrel was not to be outdone and sought help at the local hospital where she gave birth to a litter of eight puppies at the hospital steps entrance. Mrs. Ben Gilly and Ramiro Perez retrieved one of the puppies for Mrs. Lillian Allison, resident of the nursing home, to fonde. The pups provided much entertainment for the patients. Mrs. Doris Hull, one of the vocational nursing students, is providing temporary shelter for the mother and puppies, but will be glad to give one to anyone who is interested.



much at home in church as he is in the pens at his ranch. Bill, who has served in various capacities at the First Methodist Church where he is a member, arrives with his son, Bob, at the church Sunday, where he served as one of the ushers. The 5-inch rain he had last week had something to do with the big smile.



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## Editorials-Features-Columns

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

### Summer Is Near

Holidays have been shifted around to make more three-day weekends. Daylight saving time is decreed to create the illusion of more hours of daylight. Restless mankind seems never to tire of throwing out the old for the new.

But there are a few areas of our worldwide establishment that man is going to have a tough time changing. One of them is the arrival of summer and the longest day of the year.

The movement of celestial bodies is ordained by a power higher than man. According to the calendar, the sun will reach the high point over the northern hemisphere on June 21. Its passage is as immutable as life and death. If it were otherwise, someone would, no doubt, suggest moving the arrival of summer to another date.

As it is, this is one point on

which there is no controversy. There are other natural laws that are just as immutable as the movement of the sun that man foolishly thinks he can alter. Until he learns differently, he will continue to be in deep trouble.

Meanwhile, summer is near, and all of us, to the best of our ability, should make the most of the warm and pleasant days ahead.

### Happy Birthday

THURSDAY, JUNE 17  
Mrs. Robert Wilson  
Jim Martin  
Mrs. Harry Harper  
Suzanne Shurley  
Karen D. Isaacs  
Jon Pollard

FRIDAY, JUNE 18  
Billie Wright Taylor  
O. C. Ogden  
Mrs. Glen Chadwick  
Jack Hite  
Freddie Virgen

SATURDAY, JUNE 19  
Roy Valliant  
Zack Turney  
Mrs. Sears Sentell  
Pat McBride  
Maria M. Guerno

SUNDAY, JUNE 20  
Mrs. B. B. Ingham III  
Mrs. L. C. Newell  
Michelle Rousselot  
Mrs. Lin Turney  
Tony Renfro  
MONDAY, JUNE 21  
Bennie Davis

Sandra Kay Glasscock  
Judy Louise Smith  
Mickey Harris  
Kathy McGee

TUESDAY, JUNE 22  
Mrs. Earl Smith  
Dick McMillan  
A. W. Awalt

Mario Sanchez  
Brenda Perez  
Mrs. W. H. Dameron  
Mrs. Scott McGregor

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23  
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Lucia V. Powell  
Mrs. George Thompson  
David Griffith  
Kevin Taylor  
Manuel Patton  
Lowell Kirk Joy

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### Snips, Quips, And Lifts

by LOTTIE LEE BAKER

—Obstacles are those frightful things you see when you take your eyes off the goal.

—COURTSHIP: Period during which a girl decides whether or not she can do better.

—There's the woman driver who always drives with her emergency brake on. "When

there's an emergency, I'm always ready".

—Paymaster: "Listen, I wouldn't cash a check for my own brother".

—Sergeant 2/c: "Well, you of course know your own family better than I do".

We had a little nest egg, It was our pride and stay; And no one knows exactly when It hatched and went away.

—Success is getting what you want; happiness is wanting what you get.

—It's strange that a person has twice as many ears as tongues, but it tires him more to listen than to talk.

—The trouble with champagne at a party is that it makes a married man see double but feel single.

—If it makes it any cheerier for the backseat driver class,

—In one way they're superior—they never run out of gas.

—One gardener to another: "With the shape the world is in, I'm thinking about skipping perennials and planting annuals".

—I didn't want to marry him for his money. It's just that there was no other way to get it.

—Road maps tell a motorist everything he wants to know, except how to fold them up again.  
HAY: Grass a la mode.

A LIFT FOR THE WEEK  
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### from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK

DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

JUNE 15, 1961  
Prissy Linthicum, daughter of Mrs. Katherine Linthicum, has been doing quite well in barrel-racing competition. She entered the San Saba Rodeo last weekend, and the Eldorado Rodeo this week. Prissy will compete in Comanche barrel racing Saturday.

Sutton County's 4-H range judging team took no back seat to their fellow members on the state winning grass team. They also went home with the state championship. The team included Tom Glasscock, high individual in contest, Diana Cahill, third ranking individual and Jessie Lem Johnson and their coach D. C. Langford, county agent.

E. B. Keng will leave Friday for a trip which will take him through New Orleans and Washington D. C., where he will spend about two days. From Washington, Keng will go to Atlantic City, New Jersey, to attend the Lions International convention.

JUNE 15, 1951  
Rains which covered most of the county fell Saturday and Wednesday night here, giving ranchmen hopes for green summer with lessened feed bills and pasturage costs.

Just got word from the army that the railroad crossing on U. S. 290 is tearing up too many of the heavy tanks and so they will have to stop using it as a testing ground.

Tom Ed Glasscock, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Glasscock, is recovering from the effects of a rattlesnake bite received Wednesday evening.

A summer program for boys and girls, to be headed by the new Sonora High School football coach, Joe H. Turner, will begin Monday morning.

Harold Garrett has a new gadget designed to save wear and tear on the feet. It's a bicycle seat attached to the barber chair.

Miss Ethel Alley, who is working in El Campo this summer was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Alley.

Joe Richard Lancaster is spending a week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Callan at Station B.

JUNE 20, 1941  
With flags and bunting hanging from every business house, and across the streets which are along the route of the parade, Sonora entered the holiday spirit in welcoming approximately 3,000 people to the Lions Club's Annual Wool and Mohair Show and Auction Sale and Pioneer Jubilee today.

G. W. Wynn, Alvis Johnson, and John D. Lowrey, were picked to judge the beard, family group, and rig contests which will be held immediately after the parade.

Some of the booths set up for the jubilee had these signs posted:  
Help "Penny Pinching" Brown with all odd cents.

### COMMUNITY CALENDAR

THURSDAY, JUNE 17  
8 p. m., Dee Ora Lodge meeting at Masonic Hall

SATURDAY, JUNE 19  
2-5 p. m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open

SUNDAY, JUNE 20  
Father's Day  
Services at the church of your choice

MONDAY, JUNE 21  
7:30 p. m., Sonora Duplicate Bridge Tournament, golf clubhouse

TUESDAY, JUNE 22  
12 noon, Downtown Lions Club luncheon in fellowship hall of First Methodist Church

7:30 p. m., West Side Lions Club meeting at Lions Cage

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23  
2:30-5:30 p. m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open

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### The Devil's River Philosopher Sez... He Is Badly Wrought Up Over Prospect Of Cities Going Down The Drain

Editor's note: The Devil's Philosopher on his bitterweed ranch on Dry Devil's River comes to the defense of the big cities this week, more or less.

Dear editor:  
As I understand it, the country's biggest cities, biggest railroad, biggest plane manufacturer and smallest farmers are all in the same boat—they're busted.

Take the cities, for example, since there are so many of them and only one busted railroad and one busted plane maker and as for the farmers, that's nothing new, they've been hard up for the last 50 years.

But cities, why three-fourths of the entire population live in the big cities and if they're facing financial disaster you can push them under the rug as though they were marginal farmers or unemployed Ph. D's.

As a result there is a drive on, according to the newspapers that turn up out here, to help the big cities with what is called revenue-sharing. The Federal government would distribute 5 or 6 billion dollars to the cities to use as they please, patching up their streets, un-clogging their sewers, replacing the broken window panes in their school buildings, re-arranging their slums, paying off the second lien on their transportation system, fighting crime, etc.; then when that played out, well, no use getting too far ahead, they'd cross that bridge when they came to it, provided Congress furnished the money to make the bridge crossable.

The problem is far too big for me to handle. In fact I'm no better able to handle it than the average big city mayor.

But I do agree with one Congressman who was wrestling hard with the problem. He said he didn't know what the

answer was either but, and I quote, "we can't let the cities go down the drain."

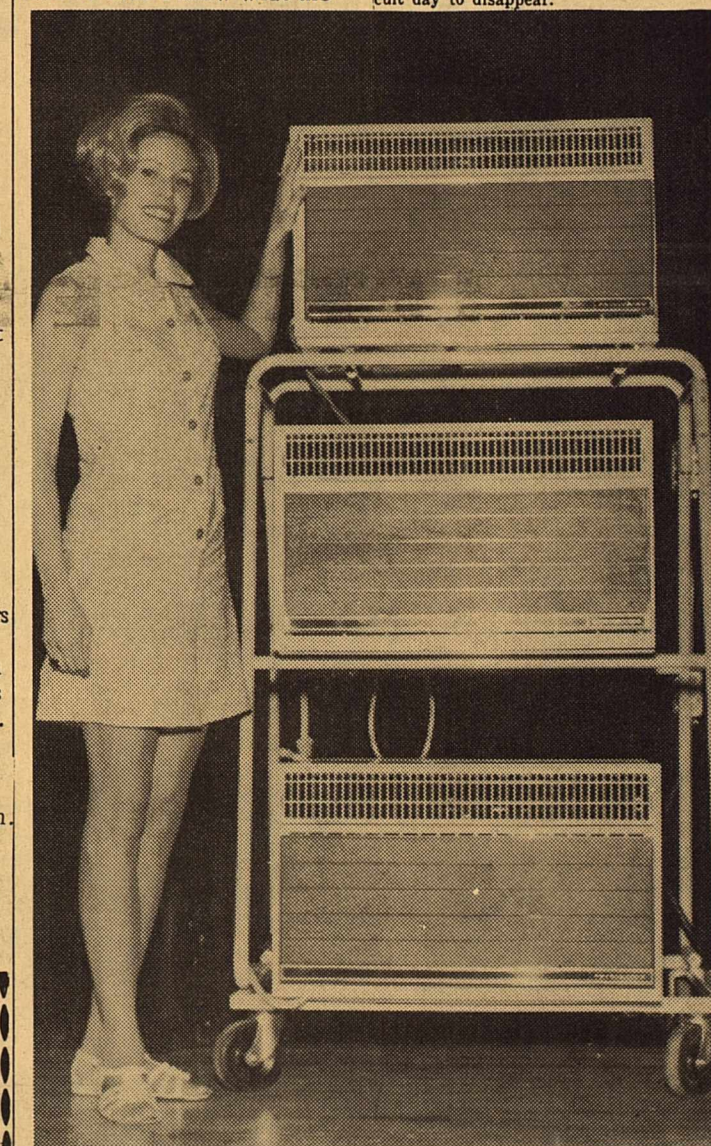
He's absolutely right about that. The lakes and streams of this country are already in such bad shape and the cities' sewer systems are already so overburdened that if you let the cities wash down into them the pollution problem would be so big it staggers the imagination. Where's the river that could handle even San Angelo not to mention New York or Los Angeles? It'd take a thousand years to get the rivers and lakes back in fishing condition.

I don't care what it costs, let's hold the cities together where they are. We can worry about the railroad and the airplanes later.

Yours faithfully,  
J. A.

According to the latest national food consumption survey, only 12 cents of every food dollar goes for flour, cereals and bakery products. These foods supply 40 percent of the iron, 20 percent of the protein and riboflavin, and more than 15 percent of the calcium in diets, says the USDA.

*Door knocked at the door. Faith answered. No one was there.*  
—AUTHOR UNKNOWN



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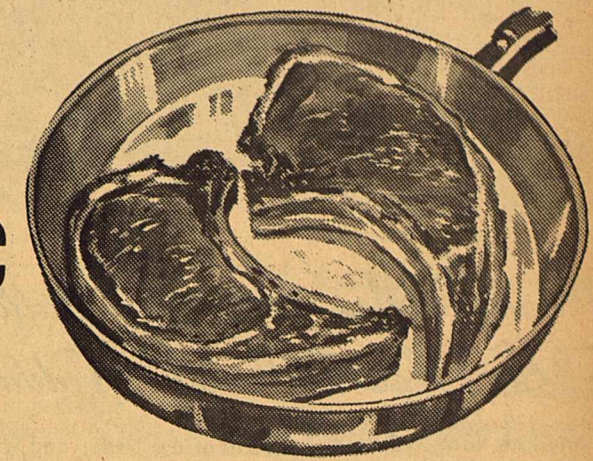
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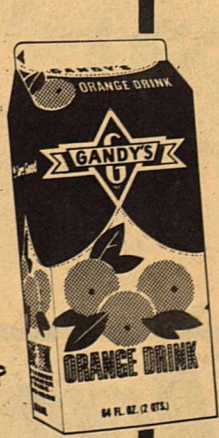
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### Mr. and Mrs. Libb M. Wallace To Live Here Following Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Libb Mills Wallace will make their home here after an extended trip through Wyoming. The couple exchanged wedding vows Saturday afternoon in a ceremony at the United Methodist Church in Rankin. The Rev. Gordon Miller officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Edith James and the late J. T. James of Rankin. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wallace are parents of the bridegroom.

Stanley James, brother of the bride, gave here in marriage. She chose a floor length gown of candlelight satin trimmed with antique lace. The dress was accented with a string of cultured pearls, a gift of the bridegroom. Her veil was shoulder length.

Serving her sister as matron of honor was Mrs. Jerry Jones of Cuba, New Mexico. Miss Patsy Kirk of Crystal City was bridesmaid.

Bill Glasscock served as best man and Jim Pettit of Rankin was groomsmen. Jimmie James,

brother of the bride, and Will Wallace, brother of the bridegroom, were ushers. Mrs. Eddie Autery of Rankin was organist. Mrs. Wallace, a graduate of Sul Ross State University, taught in the McCamey Independent school system the past year. Wallace attended Sul Ross University in Alpine and West Texas State University in Canyon.

Serving in the houseparty were Mrs. Max Tankersley of Merton, Mrs. Dunn Lowery, Mrs. Bert Browning and Mrs. O. R. Adams, all of Rankin.

**REHEARSAL DINNER**  
Aunts and uncle of the bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wallace and Mrs. Libbye Lowe, hosted the rehearsal dinner Friday night at Roy's Restaurant in Rankin.

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Let not thy will roar when thy power can but whisper.  
-Thomas Fuller.



### Coffee Break by Shirley Hill

Happiness is a lot of things, but here is the latest list I've come across:

Happiness is losing an argument to your husband only to find out later that he was really wrong after all.

Happiness is finding out that your high school beau looks twenty years older too.

Happiness is getting a nasty letter about an unpaid bill when you have just got back your cancelled check.

Happiness is getting the kids so mad at you they won't speak for at least two hours.

Happiness is rolling out of bed groggily, only to discover that it's Sunday.

### Green News

While "Brenda Starr" Fawcett is in Wichita Falls with Sammie and Mary for the West Texas Women's Open, she has turned her press pen over to a "junior" auxiliary member. We wish the girls luck in the five-day play.

A week ago last Sunday, we had another exciting rattlesnake story. As Michelle and Renee Rousset, Suzanne and Tony Renfro were teeing off on #8, Michelle, very professionally, hit two balls into the weeds and sent her "caddy" Renee to fetch the balls. Upon finding one ball right in the middle of a coiled rattlesnake, Renee screamed and ran and Tony came running with a club. He threw a rock at the snake, then killed it with a club and left it in the fairway—leaving it to scare a few Sunday golfers.

Paul Page of Eldorado, made a hole-in-one on #2. He wasn't in the "Hole-in-One-Club", but good going, Paul.

The Ladies Round Robin tournament has begun and all you girls should check your flights and get your games scheduled.

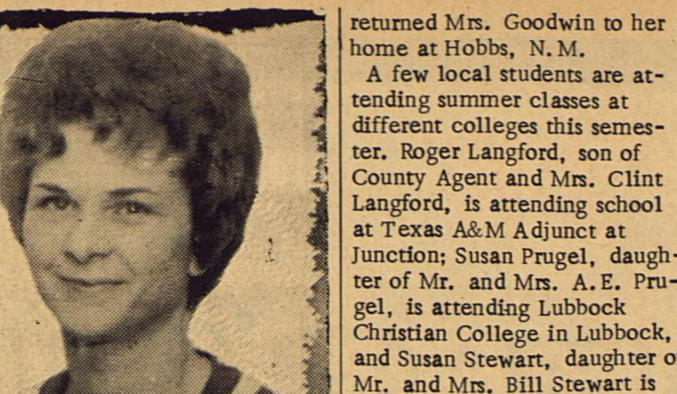
We are very sorry to announce that Lester will no longer be in the Pro Shop due to his health. We'll sure miss him. Lonnie and Muriel Taylor will take over the shop and we're so glad to have them both. Welcome!

A few golfers played in out-of-town tournaments, but weren't real anxious to report how they played to this reporter.

Cullen Luttrell and Norm Rousset went to Robert Lee and qualified in the rain with a 76 to put them in the First Flight. It rained the next day and they didn't place. They had fun but guess the rain and mud didn't help their game.

Alan and Jimmy Harris went to the father-son tournament in Big Lake and shot better than they ever had together, placing fifth, and had such a good time.

Tommy Thorp and his cousin went to Del Rio—they didn't win anything, but had fun. Tommy says they really do it up big at the Del Rio Tournament.



Happiness is inviting all your relatives down for Sunday and they can't come.

Sometimes, happiness is nothing at all—so long as it turns up the corners of your mouth and makes you grin.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Cashes Taylor Thursday evening after attending the State Firemen's and Fire Marshal's Convention in Dallas were Mr. and Mrs. Deward Richardson of Kountz.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bailey of Harlingen visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Giles Hill in San Angelo and also Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hill over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wright were agreeably surprised Thursday evening when their son, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wright and family arrived unexpectedly from Quito, Ecuador. Wright will be in Odessa for a period of six weeks to assemble an oil rig for delivery to South America, before they return to South America.

Mr. Elizabeth Goodwin spent the month of May visiting with her daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Cashes Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Palmer West of Eldorado. The two daughters

returned Mrs. Goodwin to her home at Hobbs, N. M.

A few local students are attending summer classes at different colleges this semester. Roger Langford, son of County Agent and Mrs. Clint Langford, is attending school at Texas A&M Adjunct at Junction; Susan Prugel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Prugel, is attending Lubbock Christian College in Lubbock, and Susan Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart is attending the first summer session at Angelo State University.

**MELISSA NANCE INSTALLED**  
Miss Melissa Nance was installed as Worthy Advisor of Assembly #150, Order of the Rainbow Girls Saturday, May 29 at the Masonic Hall in Uvalde. Miss Nance is the daughter of former Sonorans, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nance.

Janice Nance and Sally Moss of McCamey, Melissa's cousins, served punch and cake to guests which included grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Nance of San Angelo.

Jack Trainer is in St. Luke's Hospital in Houston recovering from surgery Monday morning. Get well soon messages from all to Jack!

**42 FUN CLUB**  
The 42 Fun Club met Thursday night at the W. O. Crites home where refreshments of cake and homemade ice cream were served. Prizes were won by Mrs. A. W. Awalt, who won ladies bingo; Si Loeffler, men's bingo; Mrs. Freeman Mears, high and Mrs. George Hester, high guest. Playing 42 were Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Nevill, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Mears, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Loeffler, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Awalt, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Willman. Mr.

and Mrs. Crites and Mr. and Mrs. George Hester of Ozona.

Everyone in the downtown area and customers of the Ratliff Store have missed Sadie Archer, who has been out of the store for a number of weeks since an illness. Reports are that she has entered St. John's Hospital to undergo surgery. Our thoughts and prayers are with her and her family.

Mrs. Roy Fannin of Madisonville has been visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Morgan. She plans to visit here about a week.

The Rev. and Mrs. John Weston and family visited this week in Mexia, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Smith.

**SONORA DUPLICATE BRIDGE**  
Four-table Howell was played when bridge players met Monday night at the golf clubhouse.

Tieing for first, second were Jan Mobley of Eldorado and Ethel Olson and B. L. and Helen Blakeway of Eldorado.

A tie also resulted in third, fourth with Dr. and Mrs. Wayne Herrmann being Leota Cox and Helen Wilkins of Ozona. Fifth place was held by Fred Adkins and Vivian Mears.

The Sonora Duplicate Bridge Club will sponsor a tournament Monday night, June 21, with play beginning at 7:30. Bridge players are invited to participate.

Ethel Olson, Vivian Mears and Fred Adkins attended the bridge tournament in Midland last weekend. Vivian and Ethel placed well in all the events they entered. Congratulations!

Friends of Jerry Baldwin will be interested to know that he married Carmon Adela Gonzalez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Armando Gonzales, in Houston, March 6. Jerry has been at-

tending a vocational college in Houston, and is now employed by an insurance firm in that city. His wife is a laboratory technician at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

Three Sonorans are leaving Sunday for College Station, where they will attend special courses at Texas A&M University for three weeks. County Agent D. C. Langford, SCS Technician E. B. Keng and Albert Ward will leave for Bryan this weekend.

Mrs. Belle Steen spent the weekend in Fort Worth, where she visited with three former teachers in the local schools. She visited Miss Johnny Allison, who taught high school Spanish here, and now teaches two days weekly at TCU. She also visited with Dr. Florence Langford, Home Economics teacher here several years ago and Maureen Phillips, elementary teacher. While Mrs. Steen was in Fort Worth, she attended the stage production of "Hello, Dolly!" at the Casa Manana. She reported she had a great weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Richardson attended the graduation of their granddaughter, Pattie, at Angleton, May 28. Pattie and Michael left May 29 for Texas A&M University where Mike is a senior student. Pattie is entering as a freshmen student in the summer session, beginning work for a degree in veterinary science.

### CARD OF THANKS

We are deeply appreciative of the many kind and thoughtful acts shown to us by our many friends during our recent sorrow at the loss of our son, Danny Wall.  
Dub, Jean, and family. 1p

<b>First Baptist Church</b> Rev. Clifton Hancock, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:50 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Services 7:00 p.m.	<b>St. John's Episcopal Church</b> Rev. Raymond Nations, Pastor Service Schedule: Holy Communion 8 a.m. each Sunday. Holy Communion 10:30 a.m., First and third Sunday. Morning Prayer 10:30 a.m., Second and fourth Sunday.	<b>First Latin American Baptist Church</b> Ray Garnett, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship Services 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:30 p.m. Worship Service 7:30 p.m. WMU, Monday 7:30 p.m.	<b>First United Methodist Church</b> Rev. John M. Weston, Pastor Church School 9:45 a.m. Worship Service 10:50 a.m. If you do not worship at some other church we will be very glad to have you worship with us.
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### A BOY THAT MISUNDERSTOOD

As a boy, I was always disturbed by this Biblical passage in Matthew: "For I have come to set a man against his father and a daughter against her mother . . . He who loves father and mother more than me is not worthy of me."

In those days of innocence, it seemed that my greatest love should go to Mother and Father. They gave me life, love and visible physical needs that seemed all-important.

But what I did not understand was that this life of mine came directly from God through my parents. I had tried to separate God's love from the love of Mother and Father. It was through Him that they received the great gift of human love. And because a mother has God's love implanted in her heart, she will instinctively love me. Matthew was emphasizing the fact that God's love must come first and that human love will then follow in its proper perspective.

Take your child with you to church and church school so that both may gain a better understanding of God's will. One who really loves God supremely will invariably develop a deeper love for family, friends and neighbors.

Scriptures selected by the American Bible Society

- Sunday  
Isaiah 61:4-11
- Monday  
Luke 10:1-20
- Tuesday  
John 15:7-11
- Wednesday  
Philippians 3:1-10
- Thursday  
John 16:19-24
- Friday  
Luke 15:7-10
- Saturday  
Psalms 16:1-11

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needs it. Daddy also is remarkable in studying people. He can almost tell exactly what the person really is within minutes after meeting them. Unless you really know my dad, he seems to be quiet, seldom speaking, but then that's when he's studying a person. He's really quite talkative and very humorous.

Dad has taught Bob and me so many, many things. I remember when he taught me how to stand on my head with his ability to explain with words. He's taught Bob how to rope and both of us all about ranching. I'd like to see some men do the things our dad does.

He ropes out of a jeep or from his little John Deere tractor, which he uses for a horse in the pens. He rounds up in the jeep and believe me he makes it go were a horse wouldn't dare!

He does all types of ranch work such as branding, marking, shoeing a horse, or shearing a goat. He handles a welding torch and has built pipe pens, etc., including loading chutes and a terrific squeeze chute. He travels alone a lot, getting his own chair when he needs it. He has a construction crew working at Amistad Lake now, so he goes down there real often. There is very little he can't do—even ushers at his church!

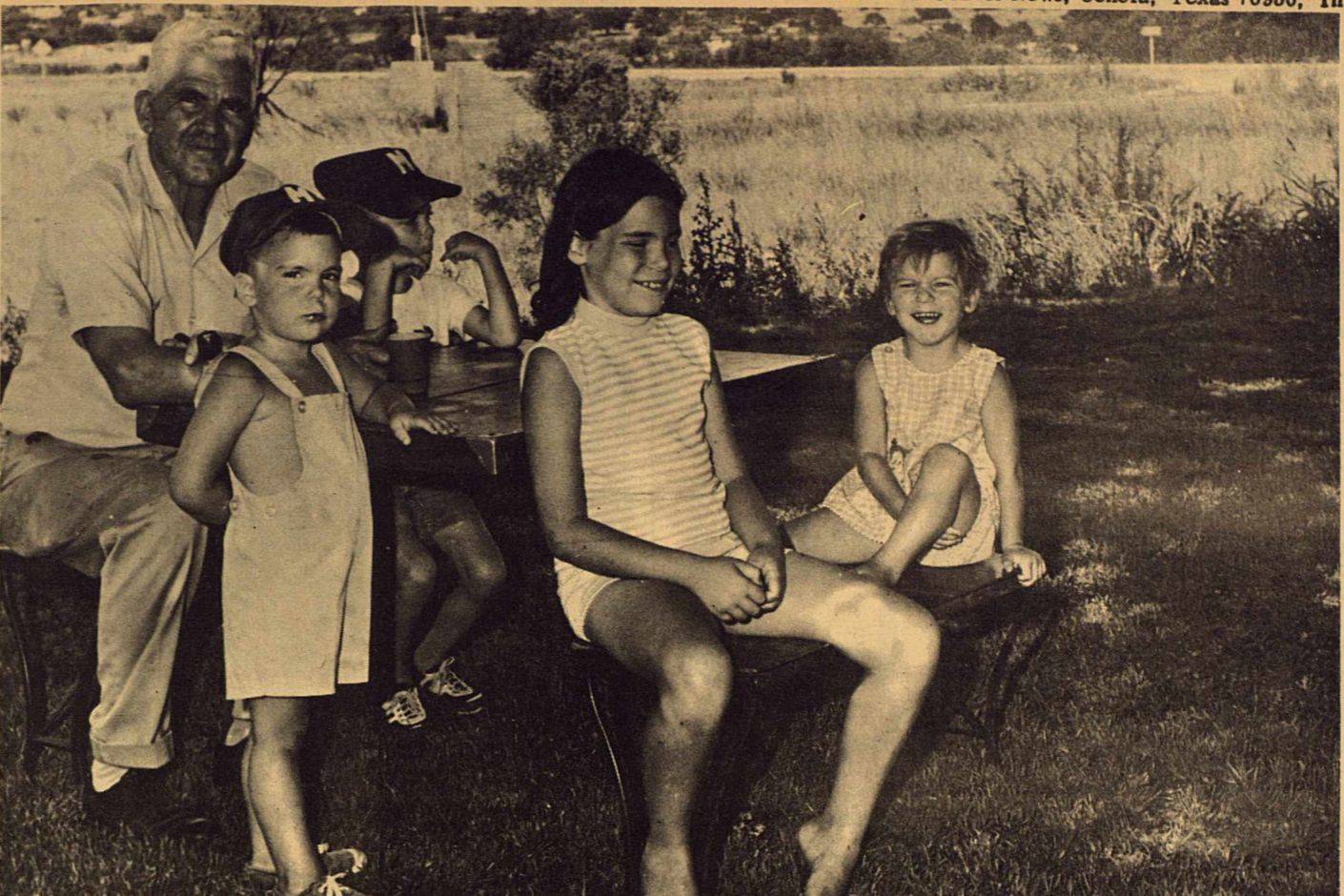
The only thing he admits he misses more than anything is dancing. He says he'd rather be able to dance and rope than walk.

So many people feel sorry for dad cause he does ride on wheels rather than walk, but then those are only the people who don't know him. Every person that does know him is thankful he's just the way he is, because he's a miracle of God's work.

There are so many things I have enjoyed doing with my dad, but one of the most unusual things he has always done for me is helping me select my clothes. We have shopped together frequently and I'm always pleased with the dresses he chooses for me.

I've often thought when I was younger what it would be like if dad could walk. But then if he could what kind of life would we be living? And the one we are living now I would trade with no one on earth, because no one else has a greater family than I have—my miracle daddy—my wonderful mother and a swell big little brother. See how lucky I am. I thank God for them and for my father, even when it isn't father's day.

**Happy Father's Day to our POP... from Bob and John Ed**  
 Twenty-six-year-old Bob, father of a daughter, Heather, and 31-year-old John Ed, father of three—April, Kellar and Glenn, were asked by me to write their feelings about their father, my husband (one father I knew the best). Working in the news office, of course I'm taking unfair advantage, but this is going to be a great surprise to—Tom K. Nevill.



**TOM K. NEVILL, a carpenter by trade, indulges here in his favorite pastimes... his pipe, a cup of coffee and entertaining his grandchildren, April, Glenn and Kellar, children of Mr. and Mrs. John Ed Nevill of Eastland, and Heather, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob E. Nevill of Arlington.**

From Bob...  
 Writing a paper stating what my father means to me is not nearly as easy now as it might have been ten years ago. In fact then I could have done it in 25 words or less. Now it is exceedingly more difficult.

My appreciation of my father as a man and as a teacher, increases considerably as my age increases mathematically. Somehow it seems inadequate to simply state that the old man is, and was, proponent of that old school which thought that the best teacher is one of example. Never once did he have to say to either my brother or myself, "Do as I say, not as I do". Having a father like this made it very difficult to justify rebellion; not that my brother and myself weren't able to overcome such a handicap off and on. Even now we are probably more so than off.

Try as I may to identify with my generation and their attitudes toward their parents and their generation I cannot. Air pollution? Hard to say. Other than a cloud of smoke from a chewed up pipe, and a cloud of blue words on those occasions immediately after massaging his thumb with a sixteen-ounce hammer, I can't really fault him for smog. It is hard to say something as mild as "Ah, shucks", just after splitting one's thumbnail with a hammer. Hence for auditory pollution I not only forgive him, I sympathize. As for smoking, I have personally collected more warnings from the Surgeon General than the tobacco companies. So the comparison goes on and on.

For every ill my generation tries to burden him with, I find myself doubly guilty. If there has been any injustice, it is the injustice I have meted my pop. Twenty-six Father's Days have slipped by and I have never once told him that the devotion and time he has

given me was noted and appreciated; even though his sacrifices are a debt which I cannot repay.

Thank goodness our parents don't enter their time, love and disappointments in some sort of an Accounts Receivable ledger. As my grandmother said, "When a child is very young he steps on your toes, and when he gets older he steps on your heart." Unfortunately, she was absolutely correct.

To my father, who to the best of my knowledge, is one living example of the Boy Scout Code, I can only say that I owe you more than I can ever hope to repay, but if it is any consolation to you, I hope to raise my children exactly as you have done. I only hope to be half as good a parent.

Dear Dad,  
 This letter is an effort of mine to put on paper what I feel in my heart for you. I understand that it is to appear in the newspaper and that makes me a little gun-shy, but nevertheless, here goes.

I suppose I always knew that I had a good daddy, but like most boys I never thought much

about what my dad meant to me except on those occasions when it was necessary for me to bend over and grab my ankles in preparation for a lesson in obedience. On those occasions I knew that you were the meanest man alive. Later I would go off by myself and wish something bad would happen to me so you would be sorry you were so cruel to me. I now realize that you not only were teaching me to respect authority, but also I was learning to distinguish right from wrong, and I think this is one of the most critical aspects of life in this country today.

Well, as I grew to manhood I began to realize that I had a very unusual childhood. Where others remembered fights, perhaps divorces, cold and impersonal homes, I remembered laughter and love and family ties that could not be broken no matter what the circumstances.

Furthermore, though I hated to admit it, many of the things that you had spent a lifetime trying to drill into my head, slowly began to make sense. Time and time again I was forced to recall bits and pieces of advice that

you had given me and many of my decisions were based upon a simple faith in the strength of what you said, and more importantly, in what I had observed in your day to day living.

Undoubtedly this is getting to be a little over-dramatic, so I had better hush. But before I do I would like to tell you what two thoughts are uppermost in my mind right now.

Number one — the Bible says that if a child is raised up in the way he should go, that when he is old he will not depart therefrom.

Number two — you once told me that if your two boys grew up to be God-fearing, good and honest citizens, that you would consider yourself a success.

I cannot think about you without these two thoughts coming to mind; neither can I look at my own children now and not reflect on these two things.

May God bless and keep you forever.  
 All my love, J.E.

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# HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients receiving treatment at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, June 8, through Monday, June 14, include the following:

- Brenda McCollum Ozona\*
- M. L. Bounds\*
- Beulah Cook\*
- Louise Lozano\*
- Carroll Fogle, Junction\*
- Candelario Paredes\*
- Dolores Rubio\*
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- Juanita Sanchez\*
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- J. Wray Campbell\*
- Kathleen Connell, Rocksprings\*
- Maria Flores\*
- Benito Gonzales\*
- Maria Ortiz, Ft. Worth\*
- Manuel Castillo, Ft. Worth\*
- James Hawkins, Cleburne\*
- Francisco Martinez\*
- Marguerite Turney\*
- Elizabeth Tisdale, San Angelo\*
- Gloria Avendano\*

\*Patients released during the same period.

## Mrs. G. L. Ballew Dies Here June 9

Mrs. G. L. Ballew, 76, died June 9, 1971, in Hudspeth Memorial Hospital after a brief illness. One of her daughters, Mrs. Harry Templeton of Allen, formerly lived here for several years.

Services were held at 2 p.m. June 11 in the Rock Church of Christ in Eldorado with burial in Eldorado Cemetery. Ratliff-Kerbow Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Mrs. Ballew was born July 5, 1894 in San Saba, and she married G. L. Ballew in 1914. The couple lived on a ranch in Schleicher County. Other survivors include her husband; two other daughters; two sons; three sisters; two brothers; 14 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

Chocolate milk is a glamorous refresher when served in frosted glasses with a whipped cream gamish. To frost glasses, dip rims of chilled glasses into unbeaten egg whites, then into confectioner's sugar.

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JACK KERBOW isn't always this serious, although "bills", perhaps he was celebrating the usual picture of him was taken close to the first of "first-of-the-month father's day" of the month, and as indicated by the stack of



BOB SNODGRASS, high school teacher and coach, naturally teaches his sons, Chase and Robin, football techniques even if it is in the middle of

**Happy Father's Day to Daddy... from Kay**

Jack Kerbow, local businessman and mortician, receives his first letter from his daughter, Kay, who graduated this year from high school, after she "arrives" at college this fall...

September 30, 1971

Dear Daddy,  
I've only been here at college for one month but I think I've learned something already, not only from school work but also something I think I knew already, but just didn't realize I knew it.

I'm talking about gratefulness and thankfulness. If you could meet or see some of the students here, you would know what I mean. Some have no set values and have had a little responsibility while at home; consequently, they're lost. Others are rebellious toward society perhaps because their parents preached one thing and did another and now they believe our society to be a hypocritical one.

Well, I guess the purpose of this letter is to say "thanks, Dad". Thanks for what, you ask?

Thanks for caring enough to teach me right from wrong, giving me responsibility and for seeing that I always did the right thing, whether I wanted to or not.

Before I went to college, I thought that raising a kid was an easy job, but now after living here for a month and seeing some of the students, I see that it's not as easy as I

thought. I guess I always took you for granted, but now I understand you better and realize how necessary everything you did was. I don't know how I could have made it without you!

You know, after sitting here thinking about it, I bet it was easy for you to raise me and at the same time, teach me right from wrong, responsibility and make sure I always did what was expected of me.

How, you ask? You did it without realizing it! You set me an example by living your life just as you wanted me to live mine. You nearly always do what's right, no matter how hard it is and I have never, ever seen you shirk your responsibility to yourself or your fellowman. No wonder I couldn't see why some of those kids at college had such a hard time doing what they were supposed to do. They probably didn't have a wonderful father like you to follow for an example.

I realize now how lucky I am to have a father who cares and one who cares enough to see that I do what's right and not do what's wrong. I only hope that when I'm grown and have my children, I can teach them as much as you've taught me!

I'll try my best to follow in your footsteps, but those steps are large and strong. Mine may not quite make it at first, but I'll keep trying until mine fit yours, and that's a promise.

Well, it's almost time for class, so I guess I'd better go. Before I close, I want to say, "Thanks, Dad, for caring and

I appreciate all you've done for me both by actions and words".

Love, Kay  
P.S. I sure could use some things, and I sure would appreciate it if you should send it pretty soon!

**WOOL RESULTS... cont'd from page 1...**

Class 2 - Age Ewe:  
1 M. Street; 2 Debbie Howard; 3 Du Ray Smith; 4 D. Howard; 5 D. Smith; 6 Jane Bushong; 7 Cora Pope; 8 Laurie Bushong; 9 J. Bushong and 10, Mike Street.

Class 3 - Yearling Ram:  
1 Du Ray Smith; 2 Debbie Howard; 3 D. Howard; 4 Hayden Haby Jr.; 5 Mike Street; 6, M. Street; 7 Cora Pope; 8 Steve Street; 9 H. Haby and 10 Pam Keese.

Class 4 - Aged Ram:  
1 Du Ray Smith; 2 Cora Pope; 3 D. Smith; 4 Mike Street; 5 Janet Pope; 6 M. Street; 7 C. Pope; 8 Phil Kindia; 9 Kim Keese and 10, K. Keese.

CHAMPION RANGE WOOL FLEECE: Du Ray Smith - Sutton. Award: Rosette

**REGISTERED: RAMBOUILLET**

Class 5 - Yearling Ewe:  
1 Hayden Haby Jr.; 2 Charles Hemphill; 3 Debbie Howard; 4 D. Howard; 5 Dennette Haby; 6 Susan Schwiening; 7 S. Schwiening; 8 Cody Dutton; 9 Du Ray Smith and 10 C. Hemphill.

Class 6 - Aged Ewe:  
1 Cora Pope; 2 Debbie Howard; 3 C. Pope; 4 D. Howard; 5 Dennette Haby

Class 7 - Yearling Ram:  
1 Debbie Howard; 2 D. Howard; 3 Susan Schwiening; 4 S. Schwiening and 5 Cora Pope.

Class 8 - Aged Ram:  
1 and 2 Cora Pope  
REGISTERED: DELAINE  
Class 9 - Yearling Ewe:  
1 Randy Herring; 2 Daird Caldwell and 3 R. Herring.

Class 10 - Aged Ewe: No Entries.

Class 11 - Yearling Ram:  
1 David Caldwell; 2 Randy Herring; 3-4, Pam Keese.

Class 12 - Aged Ram:  
1-2, Mike Street; 3 John Bruce.

CHAMPION REGISTERED WOOL FLEECE: Hayden Haby Jr., Edwards County; Award: Rosette and Trophy Cup  
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Class 26 - County Groups - Single Fleeces - Wool:  
1 Sutton County; 2 Edwards County; 3 Bandera County  
Class 27 - County Groups - Single Fleeces - Mohair:  
1 Bandera County

**MOHAIR SINGLE FLEECES - Range:**

Class 13 - Aged Doe:  
1 Willis Pember; 2 Kim Keese; 3 Minneana James; 4 Kay Pember; 5 Bonnie Pember and 6, M. James.

(TO BE CONT'D. NEXT WEEK)

**Happy Father's Day to our Daddy... from Robin and Chase.**

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Snodgrass and sons, Robin and Chase, moved here ten years ago. Bob is the high school chemistry and physics teacher and has taught other math and sciences in the local high school.

He was born in Comanche and attended schools in Brownwood, and attended Howard Payne College. He had many opportunities to attend a number of colleges and universities, but of course he chose Brownwood, because (his wife-to-be) Barbara was there! According to Barbara, Bob has brown eyes, red hair, and some temper.

Bob has coached football for all the years he has been here and one outstanding feat he has accomplished that is not too well-known is that for the past nine years his seventh graders have not lost a ball game. He has had some ties, but no losses--this is truly an outstanding record.

Chase is a fifth grader and is ten years old. His letter follows:

I think my daddy is a very great and kind man. He takes me fishing, hunting, golfing and lots of other things. But

**VFW Post Organized Here**

At the organizational meeting of a VFW Post here, Alan W. Saunders was named post commander; Ralph Gonzales, senior vice commander; Jack Sharp, junior vice commander and Salome Perez, quartermaster.

Mac McLucas, post commander from San Angelo, and other VFW dignitaries, conducted the installation of the new officers and swearing in of members. The local Post has been designated VFW Post 4395.

The group plan to meet the first Tuesday of each month at 8 p. m. at the courthouse. Saunders said that all qualified veterans in Sonora or Eldorado are encouraged to attend the July meeting or contact one of the above officers in regards to membership.

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when I do something wrong I get busted, bad!  
He teaches me so many things you wouldn't believe it. Since he is a chemistry teacher, I can get all the science stuff I need. Then I have more fun. I love my daddy very, very, very, very much.  
Chase Snodgrass  
Robin is a sixth grader and is

11-years-old.  
My father is a kind man, who does his best at everything he does. I like to watch him in his sleep, snoring, and moving like a hippo.  
I love him, he's all mine, and everybody else's too. I don't care what anybody says, I love him.  
Robin Snodgrass

**Miss Wool Pageant Set Next Week In San Angelo**

Wagon loads of Western hospitality, a week of action-packed activities and the wearable woolen fashions for fall await 20 college and university coeds who will compete June 20-25 for the coveted 1971 Miss Wool of America title.

This nationally recognized pageant, slated for June 25 in the city coliseum in San Angelo, will feature singer-actor John Davidson. A "veteran" of every entertainment medium, Davidson will be joined by daytime television personality Art James who will serve as master of ceremonies.

The contestants will arrive in Dallas, Sunday and will be met by a group of wool pageant officials as well as Hollywood's Jim Nabors, who is appearing in Dallas. After a brief flight to San Angelo, the wool representatives will begin a week of hectic pageant competition. Included on the agenda is a formal Miss Wool Ball, an authentic Mexican luncheon, an outdoor breakfast, a parade where the contestants will ride floats on the Concho River, interviews, visits to ranches, wardrobe sessions and rehearsals.

The panel of judges include Miss Eleanor Mansfield, the national director of training for Faberge Inc., Peter Diamandis, publisher of "Madem-

oiselle" magazine and Miss Eleanor McMillan, executive director of The Fashion Group, Inc.

Contestants for the show represent 20 wool councils across the United States.

**Firemen's Corner**

Attending the State Firemen's and Fire Marshal's convention in Dallas last week were Mr. and Mrs. Darcy Carroll and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene West and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Byer and family. Five hundred thirteen fire departments were represented at the convention.

The next state convention will be held in June, 1972, in Galveston. The 1973 convention will be held in Brownsville. Chief Otis Chappell of the Deer Park Volunteer Fire Department was elected to the 4th vice presidency.

387-2424  
The regular fire meeting was held June 9. Hollis Rogers was in charge of the drill. The red pumper was hooked up and tested.

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Remember the Firemen's dance, Saturday, June 19, at the 4-H Center (adults only). If you haven't bought a ticket, they are being sold by all firemen.

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