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Evidence Of Growth

City of Sonora officials and local businessmen believe that Sonora's population has almost doubled in the last two years and indications are that more persons are expected as the gas fields grow in the county. A number of building projects are springing up with the school, overrun with new students, being no exception. Plans are underway and have been for some time to erect new classrooms on the school owned property across from the school cafeteria. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cusenbary are in the process of having a new home erected in the Castle Hill Addition on Edgemont Road.

James T. Hunt has had land cleared and made ready for construction of an apartment complex. Pictured are the new all-steel building recently completed to house employees of the Dresser-Atlas crew; the new ready-built home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hard, located on Water Street, and the new residence of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kordzik. This new home is also a ready-built home and is located on the corner of Second and Prospect Streets. Meanwhile, mobile homes are arriving each day to house the many persons that are unable to find proper housing.

National Library Week Proclaimed

April 21-27 has been set aside as National Library Week, according to the Texas Library Association. The national themes this year are "Grow With Books" and "Get It All Together At Your Library."

Mrs. Dolph Briscoe has accepted the position of National Library Week chairman for Texas, 1974.

Sonora's local library is sponsored and supported by the Sonora Woman's Club. Members of the club, along with Mrs. Laura Odum, serve as librarians. The library is open on Wednesdays and Saturdays from 3-5 p.m. and everyone is invited to use the services offered.

According to a fact sheet regarding Texas Public Libraries, a total of twenty-one counties, with a population of

97,959, have no public library service of any kind. Sonorans are urged to visit your library during this week set aside for recognizing the advantages of having books available for the asking.

Used Eyeglasses Needed By Lions

Downtown Lions Club members are asking for donations of old eyeglasses. These will be taken to the district meeting to be held in Big Spring May 17. They will be re-worked for underprivileged persons overseas.

According to Lion Hershel Davenport, a box will be placed at the Foodway Store so that anyone having the no longer used eyewear may turn them in before the May meeting.

Houston Man Dies From Accidental Gunshot Wound

John Perrira, 42 of Houston, was dead on arrival at Lillian M. Hudspheth Memorial Hospital Saturday afternoon at 6:30 p.m.

Mr. Perrira died of accidental gunshot wound sustained at his ranch near Sonora. (formerly the Nettie Word Ranch) The Perrira family had arrived earlier from Houston to spend the Easter holidays on the ranch when the accident occurred. According to reports, Perrira and unidentified persons were saddling horses, preparing to round up a goat, when he began twirling a 22 calibre pistol which discharged and struck the victim in the neck.

Attending physician was Dr. J. B. Brame of Eldorado. Funeral services were held in Houston, where the deceased was a resident and a plumbing contractor.

Absentee Voting Underway Monday

Absentee voting began Monday for the first Democratic Primary election, to be held May 4, 1974. Those registered voters who will be unable to go to the polls on that day may vote by the absentee method at the office of the County and District Clerk located in the Courthouse. Absentee voting will continue until four days prior to the election, which will be April 30.

Parents of college students are reminded that those students desiring to vote should pick up an application at the County Clerk's office where he or she is attending college; complete it and mail it to Erma Lee Turner, County and District Clerk, in order to save time.

The offices of State and many County offices will be voted on at that time.

County offices are those of county judge, county attorney, treasurer, county and district clerk, justice of the peace, commissioner of precinct 2 and commissioner of precinct four; along with precinct chairmen for all four precincts.

The state offices of governor, lieutenant governor, attorney general, senator, state representative and a number of others will be listed on the ballot.

Also subject to voting interest again this year is the referendum for or against pari-mutuel wagering on horse races.

Band Plans Spring Concert

Mr. John Butterfield will present his High School and Junior High School bands in concert at the High School gymnasium Thursday, April 25.

This spring concert will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Students Vying For Regional

A number of Sonora High School students are travelling to regional competition this week after placing in district competition.

Sonora's one-act play cast and crew, who placed first in district with their presentation of "Blithe Spirit", is among those students vying for regional honors.

The play cast consisting of Curtis Mooney, David Wallace, Carol Weston, Cathy Ward, Jimmy Weston, Mark Milliken, Renee Rousselot, Karen Hemp-hill, Molly Sawyer, Claire Langford are in Stephenville today (Thursday). Accompanying the students is director, John Tedford.

Other members of the speech department qualifying for regional competition in different events and also in Stephenville are Claire Langford, Blaine Crawford, Mark Milliken, Jimmy Weston and Curtis Mooney.

Carol McAllister and Cora Pope competed in regional tennis matches Tuesday, and Wednesday. Results of these matches were not known at news time. Coach Bob Snodgrass and his golf team are to compete in Proctor today and Friday. Members of that team are John David Cook, John W. Elliott, Paul Browne, Mark Milliken and Larry Finklea.

The regional qualifying track team members and their coach, Bill Harle, will leave Friday for Stephenville to prepare for Saturday competition. Team members qualifying are David Wallace and Dennis Nance, pole vault; Ladd Turner, shot put; John Brown, 88-yard run; Hector Perez, 440 yard dash; Randy Hill, 120

high hurdles and 330 intermediate hurdles; and the mile relay team consisting of Wallace, Brown, Hill and Bruce Kerbow.

Members of the Sonora Bronco Band, under the direction of John Butterfield, will travel to Llano Saturday, where they will compete in the district band meet.

4-H'ers To Hold Meeting April 22

The Sutton County 4-H and 4-H Parents Clubs will meet at the 4-H Center Monday, April 22, 1974 at 7:30 p.m.

Senior 4-H officers and 4-H parents club officers for the 1974-75 year will be elected.

Other business to be discussed at the meeting will include judging contests, the Sonora Junior Horse Show, the District 7 4-H Camp, the Sonora Wool and Mohair Show, the State 4-H Round-Up, the State 4-H Congress, 4-H Clothing projects and other summer 4-H activities.

All boys and girls interested in participating in 4-H work during the coming year are urged to be present. Parents and adult leaders are also encouraged to attend the meeting to elect officers and assist in planning 4-H activities.

Scouts To Hold Sale

Members of the local girl scout troop will hold a bake sale in the downtown area Thursday, April 25.

Proceeds from the sale will go towards payment of the termite extermination at the girl scout hall.

Bill Smith Sells After 24 Years

After twenty-four years of filling 'em up, checking the oil and washing windshields, Bill Smith has sold his mobile products service station, located on the corner of Crockett and Main Streets.

Smith started in the service station business in 1936, when he worked for the late Bob Hallum, at a station located where the Sonora Lounge now stands.

He later purchased his present station, only to sell out to Mont Merriman in 1945. After serving a term in the United States Navy, Smith moved back to Sonora and purchased the same station back from the late Mr. Merriman, in 1950.

With the exception of Sonora Motor Company, Bill Smith's Mobile Station, is the longest running business in Sonora.

He stated that an old friend and customer of his told him the day of the sale that with he and the McDonald Hotel both gone, Sonora just would not be the same.

Smith says he wishes to extend his thanks to all his Sonora friends and patrons and that he and Mrs. Smith will move to San Angelo as soon as the sale of his home is finalized. John Turman, who has for

some time been operating the self service station located next door to Smith, is the purchaser.

Bob Teaff Attends Convention

R. S. (Bob) Teaff of the Teaff Oil Company has returned home after attending the 25th anniversary convention of the Texas Oil Marketers' Association in San Antonio April 7 - 9.

Teaff reported that the energy crisis and the resulting problems to gasoline and fuel distributors attracted a record-breaking attendance of nearly 1,500 wholesalers of petroleum products.

Sonorans Cited At ASU Program

Marsha Kay Patton and Lewis Austin Stockton, Jr., were two of several hundred students at Angelo State University who were honored during the University's seventh annual Academic Excellence and Honors Program held recently in the Houston Harte University Center.

Mrs. Patton, a junior health and physical education major, received recognition for academic excellence. A 1969 graduate of Rocksprings High School, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Nunley.

Stockton, a senior biology major, received recognition for scholarship. A 1969 graduate of Sonora High School, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stockton of Eldorado.

Recognition for academic excellence is awarded to junior and senior students who have maintained a 3.75 or better grade point average. Recognition for scholarship is given to juniors and seniors who have maintained at least a 3.25 grade point average.



JOHN MARTIN BECKHAM AND TIM COLE caught this 38 pound catfish last week while on a fishing trip at the W.J. Thompson Ranch on the Devil's River. The mammoth fish was caught on a trot line.

Sonora Sprouting New Businesses

With the ever-growing population in Sutton County, a number of new businesses are opening up in the area. Sonora Repair Service, owned

and operated by Gene Queen, features air conditioning of mobile homes in the area. This business, located at 105 West Chestnut, will sell as well as service air conditioners to our mobile home dwellers.

Also in the air conditioning business, as well as heating, are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Probst. The Probsts, formerly of San Angelo, will service persons in the sales and service of air conditioning and heating. Their business is located at 415 S. E. Concho and the family resides at the Sentell Ranch.

Miss Enedina Mata, formerly of Tan De Beauty Shop, has recently opened up a beauty shop in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Mata, Jr., at 330 S.W. Gonzales.

Fred Adkins, owner of two laundry mats in Sonora, has announced that he will, in the near future, open up another coin-up laundry mat. The new laundry, according to Adkins, will be totally self-operating and will not interfere with the others now in operation.

The Weather

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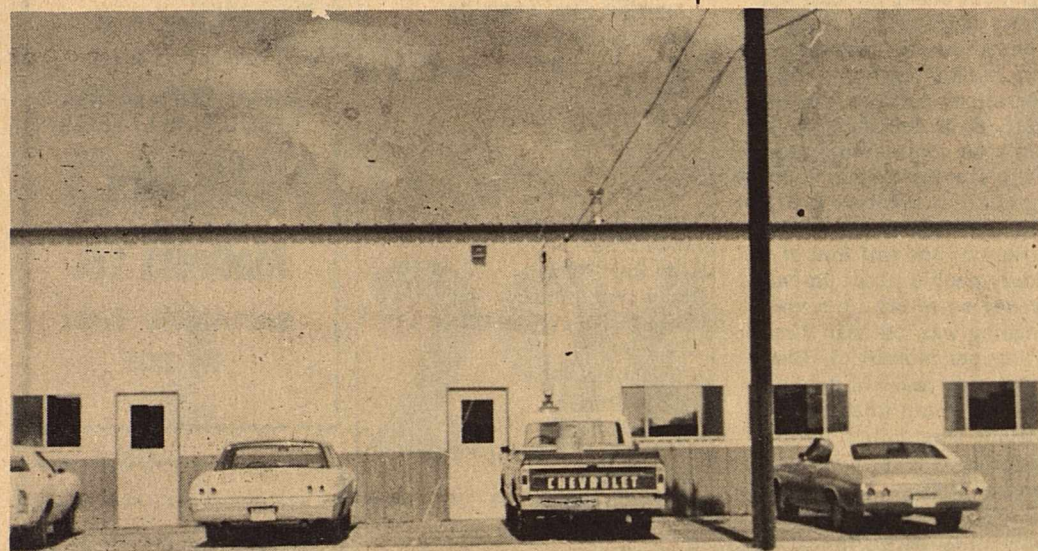
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Tues, Apr 9	79	43
Wed, Apr 10	83	58
Thurs, Apr 11	32	81
Fri, Apr 12	86	40
Sat, Apr 13	92	44
Sun, Apr 14	82	45
Mon, Apr 15	77	47
Rainfall for the month, .32;		
Rainfall for the year, 1.47.		

Our Little Miss Pageant Saturday

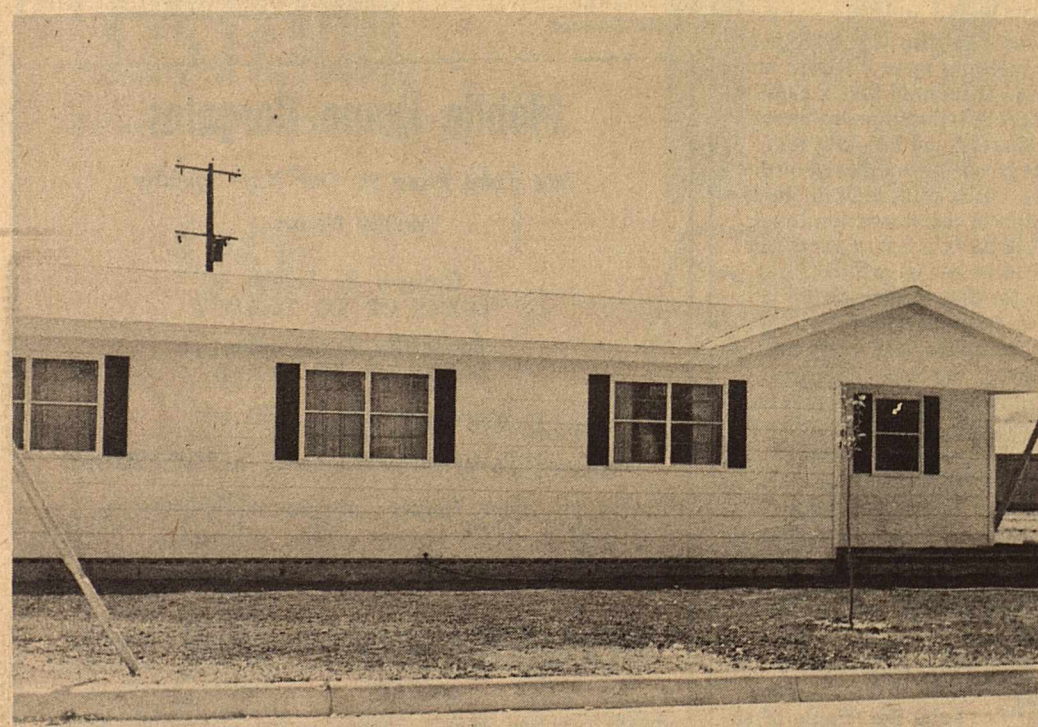
The Rocksprings Our Little Miss Pageant will be staged in the Rocksprings High School Auditorium Saturday, April 20 at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend the pageant, sponsored by the Rocksprings Woman's Club.

La Petite and Our Little Miss contestants participating are from Junction, Uvalde, Leakey, Sonora, Camp Wood, Barksdale and Rocksprings.

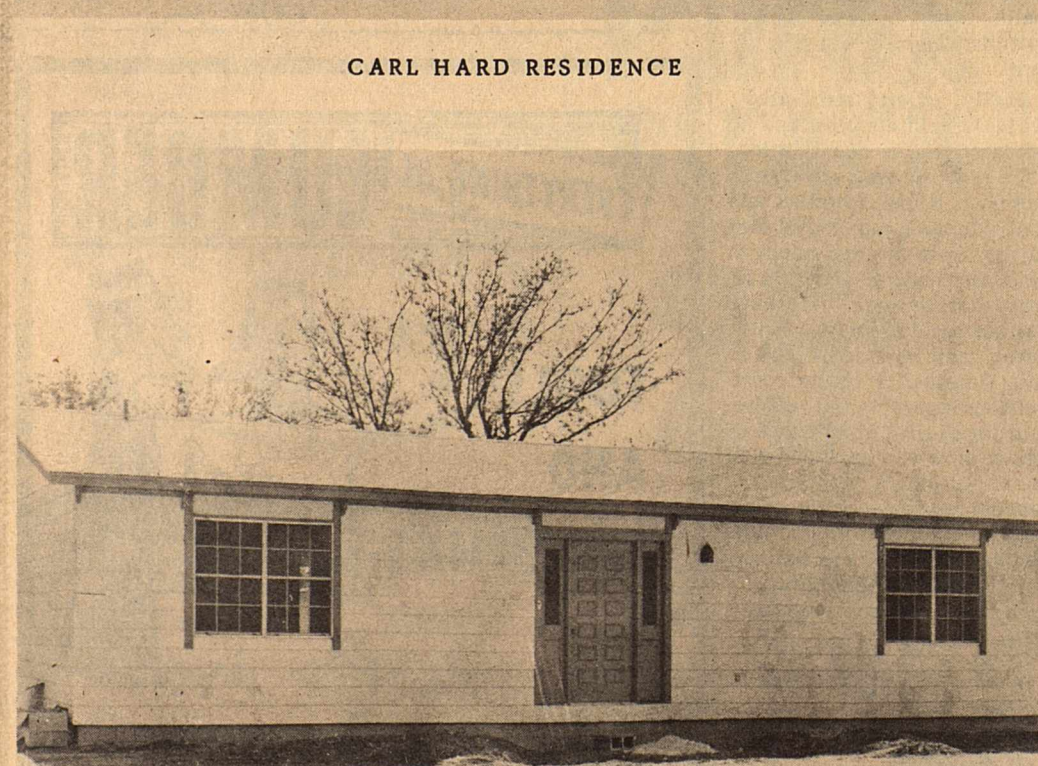
Winners of both contests will be eligible to participate in the state Our Little Miss Pageant to be held in Waco in June.



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Editorials-Features-Columns

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Big Spenders At Work

Another record will soon be broken by our federal government. It is estimated that by June 30 the national debt will reach \$480 billion. . . up 34 percent since January, 1969. Incidentally, this amounts to \$2,262 for every person in the country, and it now costs about \$29 billion every year to carry the debt. That is twice as much as just six years ago.

The point in mentioning this is merely to emphasize that when some member of Congress shouts to the high heavens that penny pinchers among his

colleagues or in the present Administration should be tarred and feathered for crippling needed federal programs--don't you believe it. The federal government is spending more money than ever before, and the dollars in our pockets are depreciating in value at a faster pace than in almost anytime in our previous history. If we have problems, most of them can be traced to too much government spending and too many dollars--rather than too little of either one.

Wouldn't it be wonderful if our Senators and Representatives took a two or three year vacation from their congressional duties and let everything get back to normal? Wishful thinking only--they'll stay on the job. The pay and power are too good to miss.

Game Wardens Cracking Down On Litterers

Before you toss that beer can overboard, or roll down the window to get rid of a candy wrapper, consider that there will be a lot of people around this springtime who wouldn't want you to do it.

You might be your youngsters, or neighbors, or any of your companions on an outing--all Texans who are proud of our clean lands and waters.

Or, it could be a game warden.

And, if so, you face a fine of from \$15 to \$200.

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission during its March meeting instructed that all game wardens and park officials will rigidly enforce the state's litter law during their regular duties relating to water safety, game and fish and park regulations.

What and where is litter?

The Penal Code of Texas defines it. "Any person who shall dump or otherwise dispose of trash, junk, garbage, refuse, unsightly matter, or other solid waste on public highways, right-of-ways, or other public or private property, or into any inland or coastal waters of Texas without written consent of the owner, his agent, or the public official in charge thereof shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined not less than \$15 nor more than \$200. Every law enforcement officer of this State and its subdivisions shall have the authority to enforce the provisions of this Act."

Profits Or Compulsion

Vice President Gerald Ford made a most timely observation when he spoke critically of the "dangerous" notion that profits are inherently evil--that all who abhor profits are good guys and those who defend them are bad guys. His remarks are especially significant in light of the nearly hysterical outcry against the supposed excessive profits of the oil industry. These profits, of themselves, tell less than half the story about oil company earnings, and the whole story must be heard and understood of petroleum products are to again flow to consumers in a reasonably sufficient supply.

The public has been missing an essential part of the story in the ill-conceived uproar over profits. For example, the ability of an oil company to move ahead in a search for new domestic petroleum resources depends on profits. The ability to finance the development of those resources so that they will amount to more than mere statistics buried deep in the earth depends upon a satisfactory rate of return on the money--the capital--that is tied up in the business. It has been pointed out that despite 1973 increases in oil profits, the industry's rate of return on investment is lower than the comparable rate for all manufacturing.

This means that the oil industry, in spite of its supposedly high profits, could well have tough sledding in attractive investors to put up the billions upon billions of dollars that will be needed to increase the petroleum output of the U.S. oil industry. Investors must see a chance of a return on savings just as good as they can get anywhere else if they are to put at the disposal of the oil industry the new capital that will be required.

It is little wonder that vice president Ford spoke a word of warning with respect to irresponsible attacks on profits. There will be adequate profits to encourage private investment, or there will be federal-run industry with compulsory taxpayer investment, as in the Postal Service.

Political Announcements

Listing Fees: Federal Offices \$40.00, State Offices \$30.00, Commissioners \$15.00, County Officers \$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 until election. No refund to candidates withdrawing.

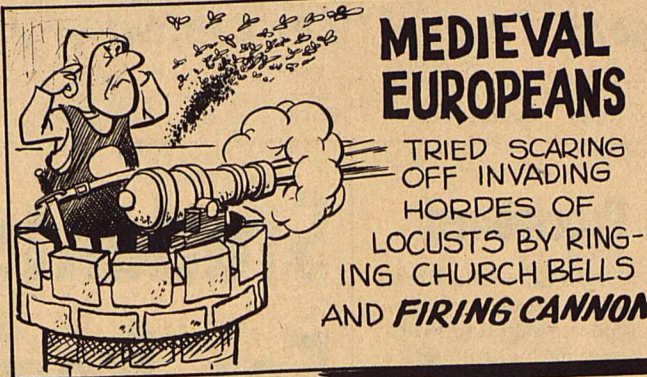
The Devil's River News is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to action of the Democratic May Primary.

- State Representative, Dis. 70 Susan Gurley McBee, E. L. Davenport, Bill T. Williams, Stanley C. Hausman, Dick Ratliff; District and County Clerk Erma Lee Turner (re-election); County Commissioner, Precinct 4 Philip Jacoby; Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1 Mat Adams (re-election); County Judge J.W. (Web) Elliott (re-election); County Treasurer Metha Trainer; County Commissioner, Pre. 2 Bill Wade

To store chicken properly, refrigerate it in a loose wrapper and use within 24 to 48 hours. Remove giblets from original wrapper, rewrap and refrigerate. Use them within a day or so, advises Mrs. Gwendolyn Clatt, consumer marketing information specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University.

GARDEN TIPS from Jerry Baker

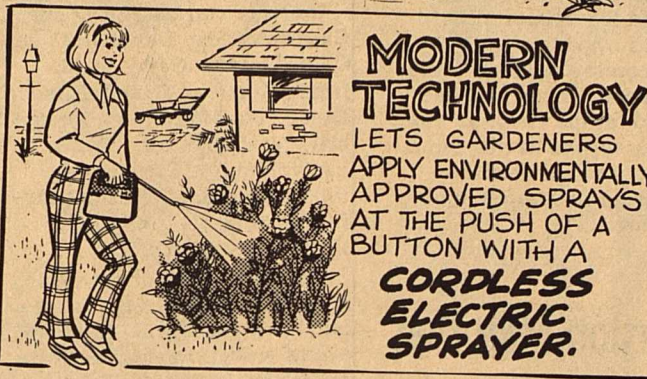
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from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

APRIL 16, 1964 Johnny Glascock of the U. S. Marines is graduated from basic training with the Marines and is now stationed in California.

W. B. Dillard completed fifteen years with General Telephone Company. Johnny McClelland is now stationed in Aberdeen, Maryland. He is a member of the U.S. Army.

Mrs. J. F. Howell was elected president of the Hudspeth Memorial Hospital Auxiliary. Wanda Cahill, Sammie Espy, Bobbie Fawcett, Betty Stewart, Lunetta Morgan and Monica Davis were in Del Rio for a ladies invitational golf tournament.

Harvest Brand, Inc., of Pittsburg, Kansas announced the appointment of Bobby Joe Granger as sales representative for this area.

APRIL 16, 1954 Betsy Ross, star tennis player for Sonora, won the district 23-B singles championship.

The senior class of Sonora High school left for a trip to the Big Ben Park.

The trial of Leonard Bingham had by last Thursday, heard eleven witnesses in regard to the charge of murder against the defendant.

Leo Bishop, a former Texas Ranger has been temporarily hired by the city and county to act as deputy sheriff here. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hull were honored on their 25th wedding anniversary at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hillman Brown.

Miss Nancy Hunt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt, has been named duchess to the Cotton Ball at A&M College. She will be escorted by Tyree Hardy.

APRIL 28, 1944 Mrs. Susie Blanton left last week for a visit with her daughter, Miss Mary Sue Blanton, who is a technician at Scott and White Clinic at Temple.

"Texas Under Six Flags", an historical pageant, was presented by the high school and elementary students. Special numbers presented were as follows: a French dance by Gilbert Teagarten, Jan Sanders, John A. Ward, III, Alice deBerry, Billy Cartwright and Gene

Wallace. A vocal solo, "The Bells of St. Mary's", was sung by James Theodore Hunt. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Patrick are parents of a daughter born in a San Angelo Hospital and named Betty Ann.

Announcement was made this week by the manager of O.S.T. Stages, Del Rio, that a new bus schedule would be added, which would give better service to Sonora, Eldorado and Christoval.

65 YEARS AGO Mrs. Harry Sharp of Sanderson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stokes. John S. Allison and C. B. Wardlaw have bought out the mail contract and express business on the San Angelo line. They will continue the auto car service.

Married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. M. L. Reed in Sonora on Monday, April 5, 1909 were Miss Mollie Reed to Shelby Singleton.

Dan Cauthom of Porter, Oklahoma arrived in Sonora Friday for a visit with his brother, A. R. Cauthom and family. Uncle Dan is one of the oldtimers and his old friends are always glad to see him.

T. D. Newell, proprietor of the Sonora water works and ice factory has had the road up the hill graded.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

- THURSDAY, APRIL 18 2:30-4:30 p.m. - Miers Home Museum Open; 7:30 p.m. - Dee Ora Lodge meeting at Masonic Hall; SATURDAY, APRIL 20 2-5 p.m. - Sonora Woman's Club Library open; SUNDAY, APRIL 21 Services at the church of your choice; MONDAY, APRIL 22 3-5 p.m. - Sonora Woman's Club Library open; TUESDAY, APRIL 23 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, APRIL 24 3-5 p.m. - Sonora Woman's Club Library open

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Viewpoint

BY T. DRISKELL One must look, in the wake of recent events, at the virtues of man paramount of which are faith, hope and charity. Hope is an essential because it is a continual motivation valve for man. Teamed with the power to visualize, it may well be the major lever he has used in his upward struggle from a probable carnage eater to the greatest of all predators.

Faith, the most personal of man's traits is hardly an area for a discussion of any vigor whatsoever. It can only be pointed out that man's faith shows a great similarity to his shirt--the shirt which fits and satisfies one individual perfectly, hardly, if ever fits and fills the tastes of another.

Charity, without becoming ensnared in a little understood and much maligned virtue. Webster defines it as kindness or help for the suffering, needy or poor and secondarily as an agency or institution for the help of the needy or poor.

This leaves us with a wondering about what "help" really is, so we turn to the basic philosophy and there we find the alms givers before the mosque and the temple, and the temporary satiation of a real or imagined need.

Among our current events, we find the Hearst kidnapping, and without entering on the argument about whether the Hearst daughter was involved, is dead, or was brainwashed, from the Something-or-other Liberation? Armys? standpoint, their demands, could hardly be considered other than the absolute pinnacle of all stupidity. It involved millions of dollars (a personal fortune depletion) and millions of hungry people (most probably already on relief). It's real meaning was less than three dollars per individual. Charity? A two year old toddler shows no strain whatsoever in carrying five dollars worth of groceries at today's prices. Instead of charity, it was and is a stupid cruel joke which accomplished little other than publicity. The per capita income derived would require an equal potential kidnapping on a daily basis to have a lasting and real effect. Would it have been more realistic to have required the Hearst millions to have been poured into something which would have created jobs? In this way the poor could have helped themselves on a permanent basis.

The perspective on charity is heightened when one looks at OXFAM and other similar European charities who have poured millions upon millions into Asia. It seemed that a cause-effect relationship was never evaluated and the only real effect was an increased birth rate which returned the population to the starvation level. CARE had the same overtones initially but it, and OXFAM too for that matter, seem to have improved recently.

The deeper one looks at charity, the more question marks which arise in regards to its being classified as a virtue. True charity, it would seem occurs only in social leniency, and those cases of assistance when the provided help is confined to the area of helping an individual to helping himself on a continuing basis.

Within this definition, a large number of the American charities have the stigma of an escape mechanism. The escape is from the guilt of having wealth, a real "widerly" in a capitalistic society but it is there.

Really, charity motivated by highly paid directors and dedicated to the perpetuation of the requirement for charity, whether it is for capitalists and labor who have out-priced their market, or to the real needy is not in any sense a virtue. It is feared that charity or help which does not build the desire to help oneself must be classified as a vice. Considering recent court decisions regarding the requirement for charity recipients to work it must be concluded that we are building a population percentage which will be selectively bred for non-productivity. Against this vice the concern over prostitution, gambling, and other vices seems a temp-est in a teapot.

The Devil's River Philosopher Sez.....

Usage Found For \$12 Million Dollar Gas Rationing Coupon Books

Editor's note: The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitter-weed ranch on the Dry Devil's River may be a little rough on politicians this week but that's his outlook, not ours.

Dear editor:

Since nobody else is giving any thought to it I figured I might as well. According to a news item a while back the government in a moment of panic ran out and had 12 million dollars worth of gas rationing coupons printed up, just in case rationing became necessary. You're not going to catch Washington napping once it wakes up after sleeping through the arrival of the energy shortage.

Well, as you know, when the Arabs realized our money stopped flowing in when their oil stopped flowing out and a sheik can't buy a new tent with unsold oil, they lifted the embargo and all those rationing coupons are now stacked up in a warehouse in Washington gathering dust.

And some people are saying, well, that's 12 million down the drain, but it doesn't have to be so. I have given the matter some thought, and there is a

use for those coupons. Look, every time you pick up a newspaper these days you read that somebody else high or low in government has been indicted for perjury. Generally this ruins their career, since it is one thing to lie in private practice but another to lie to a grand jury.

Now lying to a grand jury, while it may have had its moral leadership planted in Washington, is not limited to the capital and officials all around the country are being indicted by grand juries who don't seem to realize the jails are overcrowded as it is.

So the idea hit me, why not utilize those gas rationing coupons? Why not issue one book a month to every office holder in the nation, with each coupon good for one lie? Tell a lie, get caught, tear out a coupon, hand it to the grand jurors, and their hands are tied. Use up your quota before the month is out and face the consequences.

You reckon those 12 million dollars worth of coupons are enough to go around? Yours faithfully, J. A.

Happy Birthday

THURSDAY, APRIL 18

Mrs. Claude Prater, Mrs. J. A. Harris, Tonia Mittel, Lucinda Lynn Favila, Calvin Johnson, Kellie Jean Cooper

FRIDAY, APRIL 19

Sandra A. Johnson, Linda Jones, Alan Ray Harris, Ricky Dominguez

SATURDAY, APRIL 20

Alvin Beyer, Joe R. Lancaster, Kathy Sharp, Mrs. Pat Brown

SUNDAY, APRIL 21

Jack Johnson, Martin Beckham, Mrs. Doyle Morgan, Bo Trainer, Jack Johnson

MONDAY, APRIL 22

Lin Turney, Mrs. James Stewart, Jennifer Spencer

TUESDAY, APRIL 23

Mrs. Abelino Sanchez, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24

Carlos Loeffler, Mrs. George Phillips, Lee Patrick, Charlotte Redman Castro, Bill Baldwin, Estella Gandar

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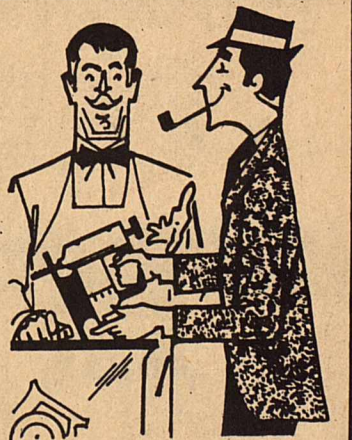
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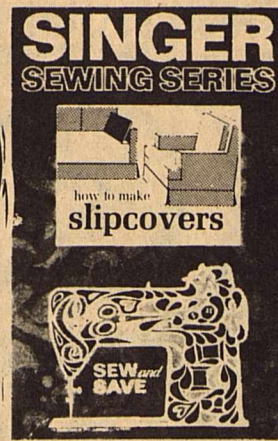
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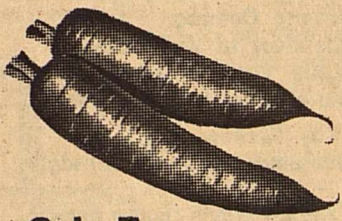
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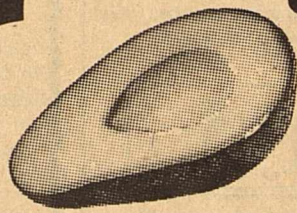
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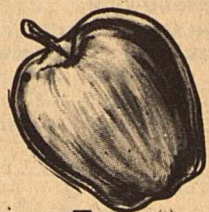
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12 oz. PKG.

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SAUSAGE
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SAUSAGE
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12 oz. PKG.

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4 lb. Box

Hot Links

99¢ LB.

DANKWORTH SUMMER
SAUSAGE

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Lipton
INSTANT TEA

99¢
3 oz. Jar

Shasta
Drinks
12 oz. CAN

10¢



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Cream Style or Whole Kernel

Corn
5 303 Cans **\$1**



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Kountry Fresh
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8-oz. PKG. **59¢**

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Shortening
3-lb. Can **\$1.09**



Gandy's Half Gal.
Mellorine **39¢**

SAVE
Kimbell
Tomatoes
4 303 Cans **\$1**



Purex BLEACH
Qt. Bottle
25¢

TOMATO

PUREE
Buffalo Brand

4 3/4 oz. Can

7¢

Kim
DOG FOOD
15 oz. Can

10¢

Sea Mist
Reg. or Pink
Lemonade
6-oz. Can **11¢**

SAVE
Kimbell
Charcoal
Briquets
10-lb. Bag **69¢**

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FAMILY NEEDS

Rise
Shave Cream
11-oz. Can
Reg. \$1.05 **79¢**

Adorn
Hair Spray
13-oz. Can
Reg. \$2.35 **\$1.69**

SAVE
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Sugar
5-lb. Bag **99¢**

SPECIAL

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SAVE
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8 Pak Bottles **79¢**

SPECIALS

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Coffee Break

BY SHIRLEY K. HILL

Setting out to make a week-end of fishing, son Randy and a few other high school boys, took off early Saturday morning for the Devil's River. Upon arrival, Curtis Mooney was one of the elected two to set up camp. Afraid the others might catch all the fish before they got there, Randy and Curt decided to race to the river via a bluff. A slip of the foot found Curt at the bottom of

the bluff, bleeding from almost every inch of his body. After much deliberation and some doctoring with horse iodine from his buddies, Gene Wallace was summoned from a nearby fishing cabin and brought Curt to town for the proper medical attention.

Upon arriving in town Sunday night, the other boys went by to check on Curt's condition and found that word had gotten around concerning the accident. According to reports, a number of things had transpired leading up to the accident but the story liked most by the young fishermen was the startling report that Curt was pushed by the others from the back of a moving pickup, where upon he rolled down a hill.

Curt is a little sore, but his mother reports that he'll be able to appear in the speech department's regional competition play in Stephenville Friday. He is cast in the play with his right arm in a sling, so things worked out pretty well, since the right arm and shoulder is where most his

damage lies.

—SH—
With intentions of seeing our track team compete in the Mason Meet Friday, we left early in the afternoon, only to arrive as the mile relay team was running. As you track fans well know, we missed the meet. We did have a hamburger, which was the highlight of our trip. Have you ever eaten french fries at a restaurant that specializes in fish?

Meachums Host Easter Fete

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Meachum of Junction hosted members of their family to an Easter day dinner and celebration at their home.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bill LaForge of Junction; Miss Bennye Gilbert, Miss Jayme Rymer and Mrs. Ollie Rymer of Kerrville; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wes Hill and Rena and Mr. and Mrs. Wes Hill of Valley Mills; Mr. and Mrs. George Ed Hill and Amy of San Antonio; and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hill and Mrs. Harry Kiser of Sonora.

OLD-FASHIONED FRUIT DESSERT FOR MODERNS

Cobblers are a traditional American dessert similar to a deep-dish fruit pie. Instead of the pastry crust, however, cobblers are usually topped by a rich biscuit dough.

The origin of the word cobbler is unknown, but it may have come from the expression to "cobble up," that is, to put together quickly, since these desserts are easy to make. Cobblers can be made with any number of fruits, but Cherry Cobbler is a particular favorite.

This easy modern-day version of Cherry Cobbler starts with canned red sour pitted cherries, the syrup from which is thickened and flavored with almond. Topped with drop biscuits made with skim milk and Fleischmann's Corn Oil Margarine, this recipe is suitable for low-saturated fat menus. Although most vegetable oils are beneficial in a low-saturated fat diet, scientific studies over a ten year period show that none is more effective than corn oil in lowering blood cholesterol.

Enjoy the old-fashioned goodness of this delicious Cherry Cobbler made with modern ingredients geared to good health.

CHERRY COBBLER
2 cans (1 pound 14-ounce each) red sour pitted cherries
1 cup firmly packed brown sugar
1 tsp. cornstarch
1/4 tsp. almond extract
1 cup unsifted flour



Designed for low-saturated-fat diets is this Cherry Cobbler. Drop biscuits on top are made with skim milk and corn oil margarine.

1 tbsp. sugar
2 tsp. baking powder
1/4 tsp. salt
3 tbsp. Fleischmann's Margarine
1/2 cup skim milk
Drain fruit, reserving 1/2 cup syrup. Combine brown sugar, cornstarch and reserved syrup; add fruit. Cook, stirring, until mixture starts to boil; add almond extract. Keep warm.
Sift together flour, sugar, baking powder and salt. Cut in margarine. Add skim milk, stirring to moisten. Pour fruit mixture into 2-quart casserole. Drop topping by spoonfuls onto mixture. Bake at 475°F. for 20 minutes, or until done. Makes 6 servings.

Snips, Quips & Lifts

BY LOTTIE LEE BAKER

—The reason that a dog has so many friends is that he wags his tail instead of his tongue.

—Thank goodness for inflation! Without it who could afford these high prices?

—Billy Rose said, "Never trust your money in anything that eats or needs repainting."
—We didn't all come over on the same ship but we are all in the same boat.

—Business is like a wheelbarrow—it won't go if you don't push it.

—The trouble with most of us is that we had rather be ruined with praise than saved by criticism.

—It's a confusing world. We are running out of electricity already—and no one even knows what it is.

—Killing time isn't murder; it's suicide.

—It is difficult to look spic if you have too much span.

WIGS... WIGS

With wigs so widely worn today, A man could be upset... The gal that seems a cute dumb blond Could be a smart brunette.

—Anger is the wind that blows out the lamp of intelligence.

—It's a great life if you don't weaken. It's a great life if you do weaken. It all depends on what you got weak from.

A LIFT FOR THE WEEK
He who takes but never gives, may last for years but never lives.

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Barnow Jewelry

The following brides and brides-to-be have made their selections with us...

Miss Kay Kerbow
bride-elect of Don Holdridge
Pottery: Sculptured Daisy, Glassware: Rustican -- Yellow, Stainless: Norse -- International

Miss Sandra Trevino
bride-elect of Tony Guerra
Pottery: Floral -- Franciscan, Glassware: Madera -- Plum, Stainless: Norse -- International

Miss Kaye Lynn Bright
bride-elect of Roger Langford
Pottery: Floral -- Franciscan, Glassware: Sorrento -- Green, Stainless: Michelango -- Oneida

Miss Norma Jean Gonzales
bride-elect of Richard Ortiz
Pottery: Desert Rose -- Franciscan, Glassware: Jamestown -- Fostoria, Stainless: Venetia -- Oneida

Miss Ella Hollmig
bride-elect of Ollie Joy
Pottery: Vintage Pink -- Poppytrail, Glassware: Sorrento Green -- Fostoria, Stainless: Venetia -- Oneida

Mrs. Bill McClelland
Stainless: American Colonial -- Oneida

Miss Viola Virgen
bride-elect of Freddy Gonzales
Pottery: Troubadour -- Denby, Stainless: Tanglewood -- Gorham, Glassware: Argus -- Green

Miss Roylea Cooper
bride-elect of David Butts
Glassware: Jamestown -- Fostoria

TO THE VOTERS OF SUTTON COUNTY:

I Will Appreciate Your Vote In The Democratic Primary
May 4, 1974

FOR ALMOST 100 YEARS, MY FAMILY HAS LIVED, RANCHED, AND BEEN IN PUBLIC SERVICE IN VAL VERDE COUNTY. MY TIES TO THIS AREA'S PAST ARE STRONG, BUT MY TIES TO ITS FUTURE ARE EVEN STRONGER. I LOOK FORWARD TO OUR CHILDREN GROWING UP AND LIVING IN THE REGION.

MY SINCERE INTEREST IN THE NEEDS AND CONCERNS OF THE 70TH DISTRICT, COUPLED WITH MY LIFE-LONG EXPOSURE TO THEM, HELP QUALIFY ME TO SERVE AS YOUR NEXT STATE REPRESENTATIVE.

SUSAN GURLEY McBEE

(Pol Adv. Paid by Susan Gurley McBee, Box 954, Del Rio, Texas 78840)

Mrs. Jolly Hosts Fire Auxiliary

Ms. Ruby Lee Jolly hosted members of the Sonora Firemen's Auxiliary at the fire hall April 9. 42 was played by those present.

Attending were Ms. Mollie Hite, Shari Riners, Melissa Teaff, Elaine Donaldson, Jean Humphreys, Helen Tuggle, Frances West, Jeanette Sipes, Nova Olenick, Jennie Willman, Rhonda Blackman and Joe Renfroe.

Winning high was Ms. Humphreys; 84, Ms. Donaldson; low, Ms. Tuggle, and Ms. Renfroe won the door prize.

Hospital Notes

Patients receiving treatment at Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, April 9 through Monday, April 15 include the following:
Lottie Baker, Ozona *
Vernie Braden
Doris Cox *
Ruth Richardson *
Ray Garza
Victor Kent, Eldorado *
Juanita Duran *
Gertrude Hernandez
Ann W. Moss
Manuel Baltazar
Beatrice Gandar *
Metha Trainer *
Nancy Danneheim
*Patients dismissed during same period.

A bride-to-be's First Stop . . .

The Ruth Shurley Jewelry

The following brides and brides-to-be have made their selections with us . . .

Miss Kaye Lynn Bright
bride-elect of Roger Langford
Mrs. Bill McClelland
nee Carol Van Struve
Miss Roylea Cooper
bride-elect of David Butts
Miss Denise Dearing
bride-elect of Rick Street
Miss Lelia Van Norden
bride-elect of Bobby Kelley
Miss Kay Kerbow
bride-elect of Don Holdridge

Select a gift the bride has chosen herself!

STORE HOURS:
Monday - Friday 10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Saturday 1 - 5 p.m.

Indian folklore has it that childhood diseases are brought about by the shadow of the ghost of a little girl.

First Baptist Church 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.	ST. John's Episcopal Church Rev. Ray Nations, Rector Service Schedule: Holy Communion 9 & 11 a.m. each Sunday. Church School 10:00 a.m.	First Latin American Baptist Church Ray Garnett, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship Services 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Worship Service 7:00 p.m. WMU, Monday 7:00 p.m.	First United Methodist Church 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 happy to have you worship with us.
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Church of Christ
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:30 p.m.

St. Ann's Catholic Church
Rev. Michael Fernandez
Weekday Mass:
Tues., Thurs., Fri. 8:00 a.m.
Evening Mass
Mon., Wed., Sat. 7:00 p.m.
Sunday Masses 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.
Holy Day Masses 7:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.

Hope Lutheran Church
A. B. Wagner, Pastor
Sunday School 10:20 a.m.
Worship Services 11:00 a.m.

"The Lutheran Hour" 6:30 p.m.
Sunday on radio KGKL, 950
"This Is The Life" 7:30 a.m.
Sundays on KCTV, Channel 8

The Church of the Good Shepherd
Presbyterian U. S.
Rev. Homer Akers
SUNDAY
Study Class 10:00 a.m.
Coffee Fellowship 10:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
WEDNESDAY
Bible Classes 3 and 4 p.m.

Problems... Problems

People chuckle when they see a baby who seems to have the weight of the world on his shoulders. What can he possibly be thinking about that makes him seem so pensive?

His thoughts probably aren't very serious, for babies often strike delightful and comical poses that enliven the family photo album.

But babies grow up and become adults, with real problems and difficult decisions to make.

Don't forget, as your baby matures, to emphasize those things that will enable him to cope with his future. Don't forget love, discipline, understanding—and especially, don't forget the Church!

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PACKAGE DEAL- 1971 Chevrolet Suburban. Power, air, hitch, anti-sway bar. 1972 24 foot travel trailer, self contained, twin beds, refrigerator, air, central heat, complete bath, big refrigerator, sleeps six. All for \$8,000.00. See at W.S. Anderson and Son Construction yard, old school house on Del Rio Highway. 1p33

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DIRT HAULING--Good, rich dirt. Call 387-3432. tf30

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Roofing

ALL TYPES ROOF REPAIR and quality roofs. Kent Elliot Roofing, 655-2800, San Angelo, Texas. tf47

Livestock For Sale

ANGUS BULLS for sale. Coming 2-year-old, JUNO RANCH COMPANY, Frank Fish, YJ4-6804. tf40

Help Wanted

NEED ROUTE MAN. Apply in person at Thorp's Laundry. tf26

COOK AND DISHWASHER for nights. Top salary. Apply in person. French's Big Tree Restaurant. 1c33

MAID WANTED. Apply in person, Zola's Courts. tf31

Major wire line company seeks service man in Sonora area. Good salary and fringe benefits. 24 hour call, apply at Dresser Atlas office, or call 387-3391. Equal opportunity employer. tf31

Real Estate

FOR SALE OR LEASE... nice, clean, large building. Good location. Call 387-3026. 2c32

FOR LEASE - Segovia Store, Station and Trailer Park. At Segovia exit on IH10 8 miles SE of Junction, Texas. Business good. Contact Frank L. Hatch, 2150 N. Main, Junction, Texas. Phone (915) 446-2036 or (915) 446-3218. tf33

Wanted

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Notice

TRADE DAYS: ANTIQUES AND Collectible's on the banks of the Concho, San Angelo's Hide-A-Way. Teen Haven, \$3 per day, 12' space, dealers must furnish own tables. Saturday, Sunday, April 27, 28, 1974. beautiful Christoval Park, Christoval, Texas. 1c33

Appliance Service

WILLIAM ROACH, service technician for Quality Appliance Service, will be in Sonora every Thursday to service all brands of major appliances--- washers, dryers, refrigerators, etc. There will be no mileage charge from San Angelo. Local service number is 387-2222.



PUBLIC NOTICES

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: RICHARD PEREZ, defendant, greeting: YOU (AND EACH OF YOU) ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable Court 112th District of Sutton County at the Courthouse thereof, in Sonora, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 20th day of May A. D. 1974, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 29th day of March A. D. 1974, in this cause numbered 1793 on the docket of said court and styled IN THE MATTER OF THE MARRIAGE OF ELENA PEREZ, Plaintiff, vs. RICHARD PEREZ, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

Petition For Divorce If this citation is not served within ninety days after the issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Witness, Erma Lee Turner, Clerk of the 112th District Court of Sutton County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Sonora, Texas, this 8th day of April A. D. 1974.

Erma Lee Turner, Clerk, 112th District Court, Sutton County, Texas. By Vivian Crites, Deputy. 4c32-



If you have your eye on getting a window seat, you'll be off to a flying start from that point of view if you arrive at the airport counter 30 minutes or so before you're asked to!

It may seem a mere bagatelle, but it's best if your bags are distinctive. They're harder to lose if they're harder to confuse. Bag and baggage that can suit this case frequently come from Leeds. Some are trimmed with tapestry, others striped in suede, while Leeds' tweeds are brilliant in blue or brown, and all are distinctively attractive!

If you're up in the air about where to sit on a plane, here's an answer: it's forward-thinking to sit toward the front, where there's a little less noise!



The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill Attorney General

Consumers shopping for furniture may have encountered some confusion in the past few years, what with plastics that seem to be wood, vinyl that appears to be leather, and marble dust that looks like slate.

In addition, there's pressure sensitive paper that simulates just about anything. All of these have given consumers a wide range of choices between natural and synthetic furniture materials, but sometimes it has been difficult to tell at a glance exactly what you're getting for your money.

Some unscrupulous dealers have taken advantage of the proliferation of terms for furniture materials to deliberately mislead the public.

For example, attorneys in our consumer protection division recently settled a complaint from a woman who purchased a bedroom suite advertised as "all wood" only to find out when it was delivered that just the visible parts were constructed of wood. The rest were of glazed fiberboard.

But furniture-buying consumers should find it less confusing to shop for what they want since new federal trade commission guidelines for the furniture industry went into effect in March.

Advances in technology have greatly changed the types of materials used by furniture manufacturers since the previous FTC guidelines were set out in 1963. This, plus what the FTC terms "misleading advertising and other deceptive practices" among a few members of the furniture industry, were the reasons for the revision of the guidelines.

One major change is that "affirmative disclosure" is required. My assistants say this means when any material is used to simulate a more expensive one it now must be identified on furniture tags and in catalogs, brochures and advertising.

And if the furniture has a veneer, the term used when a more expensive wood is glued to another type of wood, this fact must also be disclosed. So now if you buy a maple captain's chair, you can be sure

it's maple through and through, not maple veneer on oak or some other wood.

Terms such as "French or Italian Provential" or "Mediterranean" can still be used, since most people realize that such phrases describe the style of the furniture, rather than its origin. But terms such as "Danish" or "Spanish" cannot be used to indicate style. Instead, "Spanish style" or "Danish style" or some other phrase must be used if the item doesn't actually come from that particular country.

The new guidelines tend to discourage the widespread practice many retail furniture stores followed of removing the manufacturer's tags and substituting their own. Now, if the manufacturer's tag is removed, it must be replaced with one that provides the same information about materials and construction.

FTC guidelines also state that results of tests made on upholstery fabrics must be clearly disclosed in language the lay person can understand.

Our consumer protection attorneys say that while these guidelines will not prevent every misleading or deceptive trade practice encountered in shopping for furniture, they will be of great assistance not only to consumers but to the large majority of reputable furniture manufacturers and retailers.

They remind mobile home purchasers that furniture sold with mobile homes should also

carry labels that give information about its construction and composition.

And they suggest that consumers always ask to see product labels, that they check carefully on warranties, and that they inquire about how to care for the fabric on any upholstered furniture they purchase. In this way, they may avoid consumer problems later.

For assistance with consumer complaints call our Consumer Protection Division, your

county or district attorney, or your local Better Business Bureau.

To create cushion furniture, stuff partly inflated inner tubes into covers for cushions. Or, crumple lots of plastic bags and use them as pillow filling, suggests Anna Marie Gottschalk, housing and home furnishings specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Thank You

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PETE GOMEZ

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FUND	BEGINNING BALANCE	RECEIPTS	TRANSFER IN	DISBURSEMENTS	TRANSFERRED OUT	COMMISSION ON RECEIPTS	COMMISSION ON DISBURSEMENTS	BALANCE
Jury	5,883.43	899.20		1,284.91				5,497.72
Road & Bridge	34,524.56	43,899.17		32,904.45				45,519.28
General	151,823.18	36,331.12	555.89	34,031.66				154,678.53
Permanent Improvement	26,961.75			900.00				27,173.22
Park	3,647.07			2,362.62				2,395.92
F. M. & L. Road	87,983.46			5,013.08				89,639.28
Road & Bridge Machinery								
Road & Bridge Special	5,597.30			5,511.99				85.31
Salary								
Officers Salary	390.43	5,422.50		4,616.96				415.11
Flood Control	13,509.89							13,509.89
Law Library	183.00	46.00						229.00
COMM. DIST.	90.31	465.58			555.89			3,229.52
Interest & Sinking, 19 52	3,229.52							
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REV. SHARING 1ST + 2ND	15,716.95			15,716.95				
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Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared METHA V. TRAINER County Treasurer of Sutton County,

who by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.

METHA V. TRAINER County Treasurer. Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 8th day of April, 1974
ERMA LEE TURNER Clerk, County Court, Sutton County, Texas

TIPS FOR OUTDOORSMEN

by Vern Sanford

SPORTSMAN'S WEATHER GUIDE

When readying for an outing, whether a hunting, fishing or boating expedition, sportsmen become concerned about the weather.

After all, weather has much to do with the success of every outing, as well as the comfort of the sportsman.

Weather predictions aren't always correct, even by the weatherman, for conditions do suddenly change. That's why outdoorsmen often check aged-weather signs before submitting themselves to the elements.

Rain Indicators

These rain indicators are easy to recognize and usually are reliable:

1. A halo around the sun or moon means that rain is approaching.
2. So does smoke when it curls downward.
3. When clouds are low and accumulate in a web-like formation, rain is near.
4. When cumulus clouds acquire tufts, giving them the appearance of shell bursts, rain is indicated.
5. Beware if lightning is to the West or Northwest. A storm is probably coming your way.

Fair Weather Signs

1. When smoke curls upward and vanishes, fair weather is ahead.
2. When clouds are high and the air is dry, chances of rain are slim.
3. If it's storming to the East or South, and you can see lightning, the storm will probably pass you by.

SHARPENING THE KNIFE

Ever discover your knife was dull when you needed it most? Be it a pocket knife or a hunting knife, there is one quick way to sharpen the blade. Simply remove your leather belt and use it as a strop.

If you have nothing to attach the buckle to, so you can use it like the barber does his strop, then stand on the buckle and pull up on the strop with one hand while you strop away with the other hand.

HANDY WORKSHOP STROP

A handy strop for your work shop, to sharpen steel knives, can be made by gluing an unfinished piece of leather to a piece of wood.

Length of the wood would be determined by the length of the leather. If a foot or more is available, glue the leather down tight, then bore a hole in the wood, about an inch from one end and hang the "sharpener" in a convenient spot by the work bench.

Guess Who?



SPEND A NIGHT OR stay as long as you like with this lady and her hubby. They have been around Sonora for a mighty long while and are in the hospitality business. Last week's guess who was Dr. Wayne Herrmann.

WASHINGTON AND SMALL BUSINESS

AS HEARD BY HEARD



Time For Coolness

There seems but little doubt that the energy crisis, whether it is real or contrived, hit the American people with an impact almost equaling that of Pearl Harbor. As a result, there are all kinds of solutions, nostrums and panaceas being bruted about.

But it is time for a little coolness to develop so that the country does not get into the situation of burning down the barn to get rid of the mice.

There are strong advocates for nationalization of the entire energy industry, and there are also advocates for setting the industry up as a regulated public utility.

And while the entire energy industry, and especially petroleum, is so complex, that few, if any layman can understand the intricacies of it, the major oil firms do appear less than lily-white in this situation.

However, decisions made in heat of public anger are usually not good decisions, as many lynching parties of the Old West eventually discovered.

Government ownership, or control of the energy industry, could well be a classic example of jumping from the frying pan into the fire. The postal service, © National Federation of Independent Business

Amtrack, and other government activities have not furnished a track record that should inspire any hope.

In addition, the information so far developed tends to show that there has been for some time a little too cozy arrangement between government and big oil.

Actually, instead of coziness, relations between government and big oil should have been on an adversary basis, because the government with the antitrust laws has the perfect instrument for keeping the production and marketing of petroleum on a free market pattern.

Independent business people, voting through the National Federation of Independent Business, have long sought better enforcement of the antitrust laws, with particular attention to the oil industry.

Instead of considering nationalization, or some other device with its anti-free market concept, it might be much better to consider taking the matter of antitrust enforcement, out of the Justice Department, which is a branch of the administrative arm, and set it up as an independent entity, responsible to the Congress.

THE FAMILY LAWYER

Dissenting Opinion

News stories about split decisions by the United States Supreme Court must surely bewilder many a reader. What the majority confidently asserts in Paragraph One, dissenters just as confidently deny in Paragraph Two.

What shall the ordinary citizen make of all this? If even the experts cannot agree on what the law is, how can plain folk be expected to know?

Of course, the law is what the majority opinion says it is. A dissenting opinion has no legal force.



In fact, in many countries, dissenting opinions are simply not allowed. Once a majority decision is reached, dissenters are expected to keep their views to themselves.

But on our Supreme Court, public dissent has a long and respectable history. It has been a regular feature of the Court ever since 1806, when a holdout justice voiced his disagreement with Chief Justice John Marshall.

One great virtue of this right of dissent ("the only thing that makes life tolerable," said Justice William O. Douglas) is that it may help shape the law of the future. Major changes in the law, including even amendments to the Constitution, have had roots in earlier dissenting opinions from the Court.

Still, dissenters, if overdone, can needlessly weaken both public understanding and public acceptance of a Court ruling. At least, say critics, a judge should not dissent merely because of minor disagreement or personal pride.

Statistics do show that relatively few of the dissenting opinions — even those of Oliver Wendell Holmes, the "Great Dis-

sender" — have ever become the law of the land.

Is it surprising that dissent occurs so often? Not when one considers the kind of questions the Court must answer. Almost always, they are questions on which even the wisest and fairest of men may differ. The easy ones just never reach the Court at all.

A public service feature of the American Bar Association and the Texas State Bar Association. Written by Will Bernard.

Don't Fall For These Common Cold Superstitions

"Catch" the latest superstition on the common cold? Chances are good that you subscribe to one or more cold remedies that are being passed around by family and friends.

While there is little truth to these remedies, there is a way to deal with the miseries of colds and flu—through information provided by such medical experts as Dr. Morris Fishbein. Here are just a few "cold remedies" toward which you should build up a strong resistance.

Fallacy. You should feed a cold and starve a fever, or starve a cold and feed a fever.

Fallacy. Soak your feet in hot water or a mustard bath.

Fallacy. Take hot showers or cold showers, or take hot tub baths—or avoid baths.

Fallacy. Slap a mustard plaster on your chest.

Fallacy. Rub yourself with salves and ointments, either vile-smelling or perfumed.

Fallacy. You should perspire to get rid of various accumulations that either are responsible for or developed by colds.

Fallacy. Whiskey is the ultimate remedy.

Many individuals "swallow" the foregoing without consulting their doctors. Having little or no effect on colds or influenza, such "treatments" might even be harmful.

The above information appears in a new booklet, *Gesundheit!*, produced by Scott Paper Company, maker of sanitary, convenient, disposable Scotties Tissues.

Horse Vaccination Time Here Again

Warmer weather means the appearance of the mosquito and its threat as a disease carrier,

especially as far as horse sleeping sickness is concerned. So, all horse owners should take steps now to protect their animals, urges D. C. Langford, County Agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

All horses, mules, asses and ponies should be vaccinated for the three types of equine encephalomyelitis (horse sleeping sickness) Easter, Western and Venezuelan. The Venezuelan strain (VEE) caused the deaths of thousands of horses in Texas and Mexico when it first appeared in 1971.

A combined vaccine is available for the Eastern and Western strains of the disease and annual booster shots should be given after the initial vaccination. A separate vaccine must be administered to protect animals from VEE. The vaccine provides protection for about 18 months. Colts vaccinated last year while under six months of age should be revaccinated, points out Langford.

Vaccines are available through veterinarians and should be administered only by them, notes the county agent.

The Texas Animal Health Commission requires that all horses moving to shows or out-of-state be vaccinated for VEE. Symptoms of the three diseases include depression, lack of appetite and drowsiness. Animals may frequently grind their teeth and stagger when moving. They may also lunge uncontrollably and assume a "sawhorse" stance.

Although there have been no horses deaths from VEE in the past two years in the U.S., a number of animals were lost last year to the Eastern and Western strains of the disease in some 25 states.

So, plan to vaccinate your horses as soon as possible to give the protection they need, advises Langford.

A Bishop Looks at Life

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

EASTER CHRISTIANS

Are you an "Easter Christian?" In one sense, I hope you are not—not the kind that once a year gets dressed in new spring finery and honors the Church with his or her presence.

But in another sense, I hope you are! I hope you not only believe in Easter and observe it but live it all year long.

No one has described the latter kind of Easter Christian better than the famous English Clergyman, F. W. Robertson. In a sermon on Easter Day a century ago, he said: "There are some men whom the resurrection begun makes the resurrection credible. In them the Spirit of the Risen Saviour works already; they have mounted with him from the grave. They have risen out of the darkness of doubt, and are expatiating in the brightness and the sunshine of a Day in which God is ever Light."

Their step is as free as if the clay of the sepulchre had been shaken off; their hearts are lighter than those of other men; there is in them an unearthly triumph which they are unable to express.

"They have risen above the narrowness of life, and all that is petty, and ungenerous and mean. They have risen above fear—they have risen above self. In the New Testament this is called 'the spiritual resurrection,' a being 'risen in Christ.'"

"The man in whom Easter is working has got something more blessed than external evidence to rest upon. He has the witness in himself; he has not seen, and yet he has believed; he believes in a Resurrection because he has the resurrection in himself."

"The resurrection in all its heavenliness and unearthly evaluation has begun within his soul, and he knows clearly that it must be developed in an eternal life."

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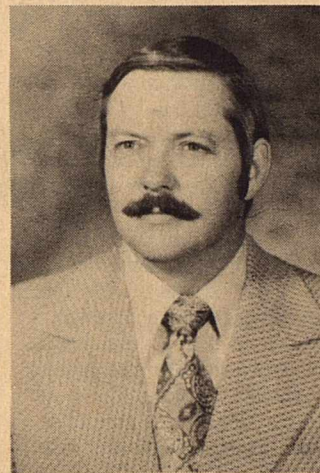
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For State Representative District 70



WHO IS STANLEY C. HAUSMAN?

Stanley Hausman is 36 years old and attended all but the first two years of public school in Eagle Pass, graduating from High School in 1955. He graduated from Texas A&M in 1959, with a degree in engineering and served his tour of duty with the U.S. Army as an Armor officer.

His wife's name is Edna and they have two children, Carla 9, and Stanley Jr. 12. They live in Eagle Pass.

WHAT DOES HE DO?

He worked as an oil and gas production engineer with Kerr-McGee Oil Industries, Inc., before going into private business.

Stanley is the owner of the Sanborn's Insurance Agencies in Laredo, Eagle Pass and Del Rio, specializing in travel to Mexico, and owner of Carla Realty with properties in Del Rio.

HOW HAS HE SERVED HIS COMMUNITY?

Stanley has been active in the Eagle Pass Chamber of Commerce, serving as President for 1973-74.

He is a member and President-Elect of the Eagle Pass Rotary Club.

He is a member of the Citizens Advisory Committee on the revision of the Texas Constitution.

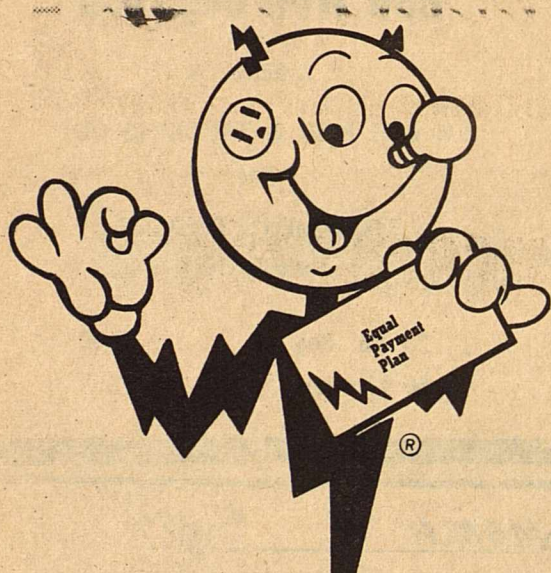
In April, 1972, Stanley was elected to the Eagle Pass Independent School District, Board of Trustees and is now serving as President and Budget Officer of that Board.

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Teen Score

BY CAROL WESTON

The Broncos competed in the Mason regional qualifiers track meet last Friday and placed fifth in a field of class B, A, and AA qualifiers.

In the 330 intermediate hurdles, Randy Hill took second place with a time of 42.2 seconds; and David Wallace tied for third place in the pole vault competition with his vault of 12 feet. The mile relay team composed of Randy Hill, Juan Perez, John Brown and Bruce Kerbow, placed fifth with a time of 3:30.6. Ladd Turner pushed the shot 53 feet 7/8 inches Friday for first place in the meet, breaking his own school record of 51 feet 5/8 inches set at the district meet the week

before. Also competing in the meet will be Dennis Nance in the pole vault, John Brown in the 880 yard dash, Randy Hill in the 120 high hurdles, and Juan Perez in the 440 yard dash. The team, coached by Bill Harle, will participate in the regional meet in Stephenville this Saturday.

—SHS—
Carol McAllister and Cora Pope were playing in the girls division of the regional tennis matches in Stephenville this Tuesday and Wednesday. The girls are coached by Mr. Travis Harkins.

—SHS—
The varsity golf team, coached by Mr. Bob Snodgrass, will be competing in the regional golf tournament in Proctor on Wednesday and Thursday of this week. The team consists of two juniors, Paul Browne and Mark Milliken, a sophomore, Larry Finklea, and two freshmen, John Elliott and John David Cook.

—SHS—
Sonora's entry of Noel Coward's "Blithe Spirit", directed by John Tedford, will be presented in Stephenville this Thursday afternoon at 8:15. Students making up the one act play cast are Karen Hemphill, Curtis Mooney, Carol Weston, David Wallace, Molly Sawyer, Claire Langford and Cathy Ward. Alternates and crew members are Mark Milliken, Renee Russelot and Jimmy

Weston.

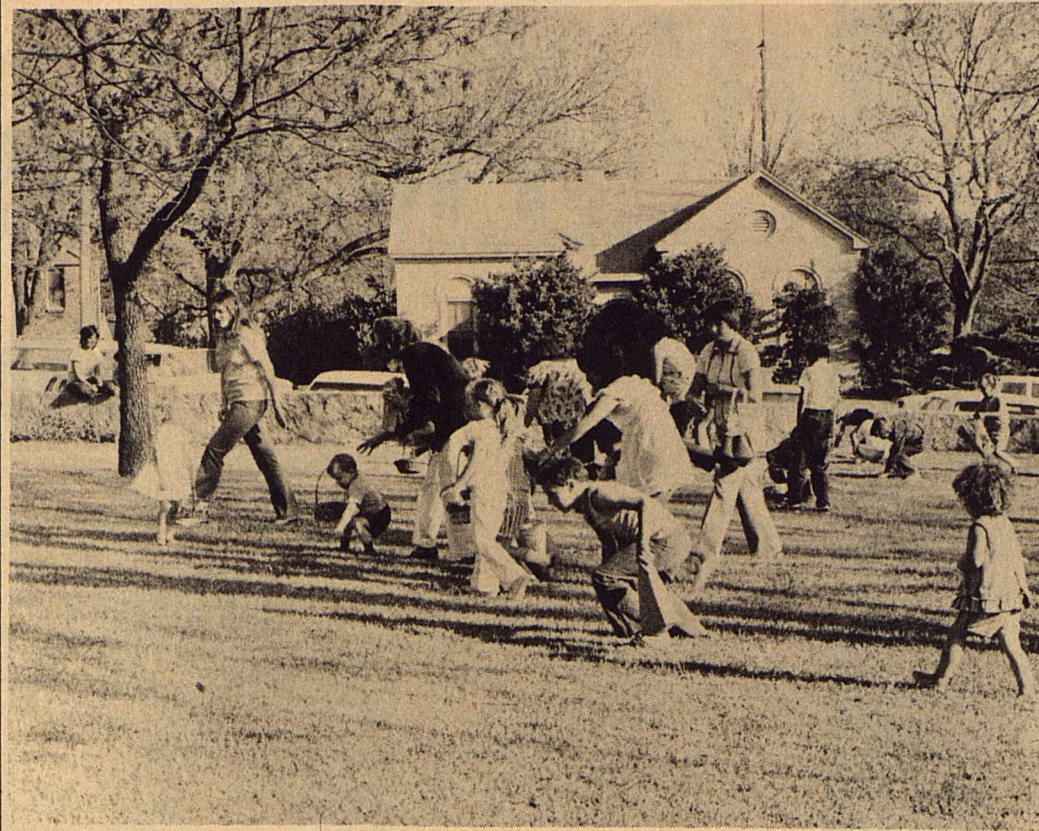
—SHS—
A number of Sonora High School students will also be participating in the regional literary meet this Friday and Saturday. Those who will be competing are Mark Milliken, in boys informative speaking; Jimmy Weston, boys persuasive speaking; Claire Langford, girls poetry; Curtis Mooney, boys prose interpretation; and Blaine Crawford in both science and number sense.

—SHS—
Next Thursday evening the High School, Junior High (6, 7, grades) and fifth grade bands will present their annual spring concert. The concert, directed by Mr. John Butterfield, will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

February Bond Sales Released

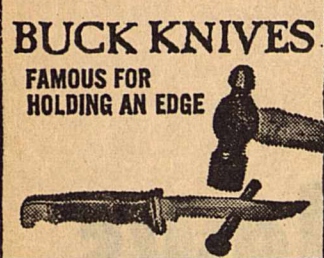
In releasing treasury figures, County Savings Bond Chairman, George H. Neill, announced that sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds in Sutton County during February totaled \$1,475. Sales for the first two months of 1974 were \$3,247 for 16% of the 1974 sales total of \$20,000.

Texans purchased \$20,490, -454 in Savings Bonds during the month. Year-to-date sales totaled \$41,680, 165 for 18% of the yearly sales goal of \$236.8 million.



STOCKMEN'S FEED COMPANY was responsible for the large Easter Egg Hunt held last Friday on the Courthouse lawn. Baskets of the brightly colored eggs were prepared and

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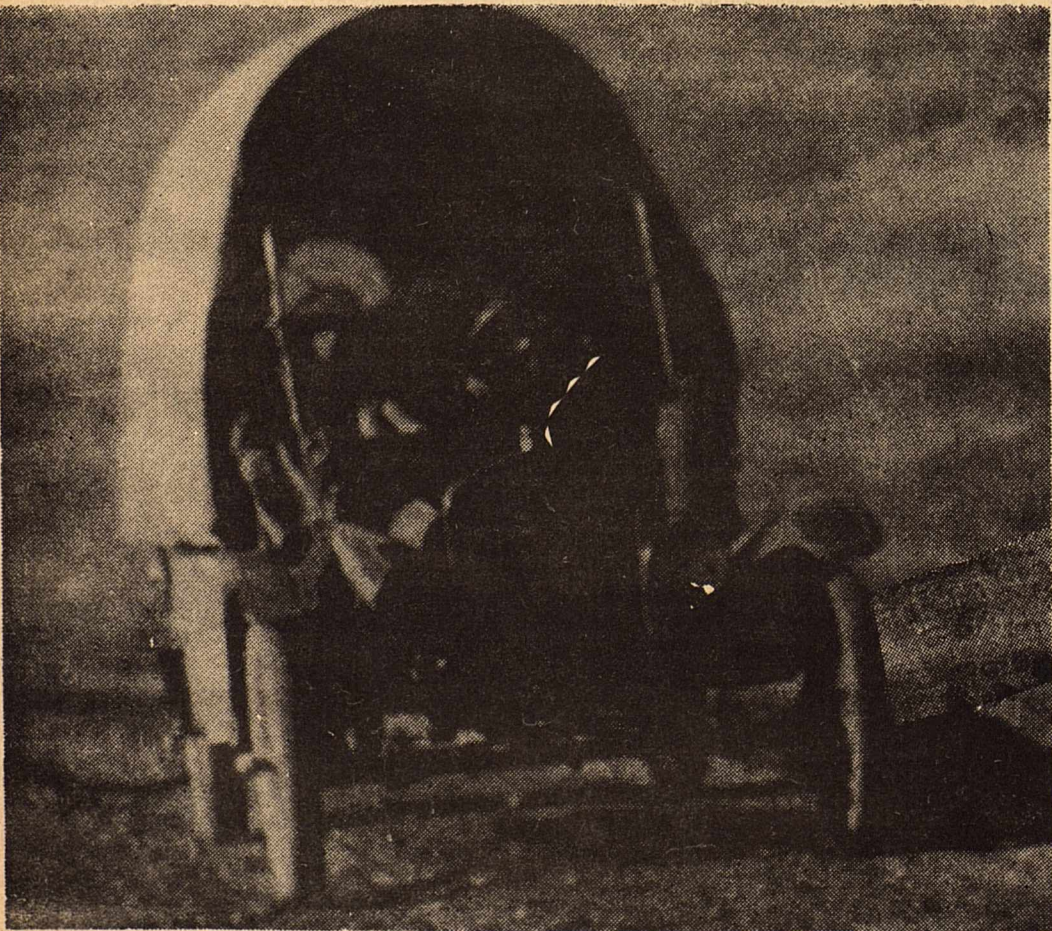
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News Letter

BY O. C. FISHER

A new Federal Bureau, supposed to represent consumers, was approved in the House last week. Given rigid enforcement powers, the new agency is to safeguard consumer interests, such as "price, quality, purity, safety, dependability, performance, effectiveness," etc. It will involve the new bureau in a vast array of future court actions.

This will be but one addition to a series of agencies created in recent years, many spawned by the influence of high powered and well paid lobbyists, such as Ralph Nader and John Gardner.

A good example of this rash of new agencies is the Occupational Health and Safety Act (OSHA), enacted 3 years ago, which has put thousands of small operators and individuals into virtual straight jackets.

A good many have been forced out of business. Another is the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), supposed to stop air and water pollution. Manned by empire builders, it has imposed extreme and costly controls on business enterprises, individuals and on entire communities--far more in many instances than common sense and necessity requires.

Only a few days ago the House expended minimum wage coverage and upped the minimum to \$2.30 per hour. Probably the hardest hit will be domestic servants, covered if they work more than 8 hours per week. The best estimate now is that as much as 50% of this type of work will cease, with landladies doing more of it.

The fact is that people are getting more government than they need and more government than they want. People are over regulated and over-controlled. Personal freedom is being diluted. This trend, which has gained more momentum, calls for more Big Government in Washington, with the Great White Father keeping watch upon his own!

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Livestock Owners Warned About Screwworm Prevention In Livestock

Livestock owners of the southwestern United States should double their efforts this spring to find, treat and prevent screwworm cases, since the livestock parasite is expected to reach record numbers due to the unusually mild winter just ended.

This warning comes from Dr. M. E. "Cotton" Meadows, Jr., director of the Mission-based screwworm eradication program of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Meadows also cautioned producers to refrain from livestock surgery or other manmade wounds to prevent screwworm infestations.

"Thirty percent of all labora-

tory confirmed cases so far in 1974 have been collected from manmade wounds (dehorning, branding, docking and the like) and every effort should be made to prevent wounding animals during the screwworm season," Meadows said.

The USDA veterinarian emphasized that the Texas and Southwest Cattle Raisers Association also solicits the cooperation of all livestock owners in an all-out effort to eliminate the screwworm fly. In a special resolution approved by the industry organization at its recent annual meeting in Dallas, all livestock owners of the southwest were urged to support the eradication effort by: inspecting their animals frequently, treating all wounds with an approved product, and collecting and submitting worm specimens to the Screwworm Laboratory at Mission, Texas for identification. Positive cases then can be given sterile fly treatment, officials reminded.

Screwworm cases are off to a fast start this spring, with 23 new Texas cases confirmed last week from counties as far north as Brown and Haskell. Others reporting first '74 cases last week were Atascosa, Brooks, Frio, Jim Hogg, Willacy and Zavala.

Total cases for Texas thus far in 1974 is 78, while only 59 were recorded through the end of March a year ago. The U.S. total for 1974 now stands at 90, with California reporting 8 and Arizona, 4.

Red Cross Report Made

March being traditionally Red Cross month, Pete and Irene Gomez, local Red Cross representatives for Sutton County, want to report their activities during the past year which includes several servicemen and their families here in the county.

Their services to these families have included requests for emergency leaves; need for immediate contact with a serviceman due to urgent family problem; counseling and referral services.

In addition to the Services to Military family program, several nurses at the hospital have been trained and received their first aid certification. More of these classes can be arranged upon request for the general public.

Plans are being made for a Red Cross fund drive as Sutton County has not held a drive in the past few years. Voluntary contributions are used to carry out the various programs and services of the Red Cross and help during time of disaster.

When tropical storm Agnes left disaster behind, American Red Cross had to house 150,000 people, feed half a million, provide medical care, clothing and other day to day necessities. The bill for this was \$23,000,000.

TSTA Offers Teacher Assistance

A new source of assistance to teachers in Sutton County on school-related problems is now available from the newly established Region 3 office of the Texas State Teachers Association.

Nine such regional offices have been established by TSTA to extend services of the Association's state headquarters in Austin.

Sutton County will be served by the regional office at Abilene, with Mrs. Jewell Harris as regional consultant to teachers in the area.

In the past, TSTA field service personnel have operated solely out of the Austin headquarters office. This office will continue to serve members on a statewide basis.

Functions of the local office

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at Abilene, which will serve a 46-county area, will be to coordinate programs, supply information, help TSTA local associations with members services and benefits and assist in workshops.

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\$50 UNDER THE MATTRESS EACH MONTH WOULD TOTAL \$12,000 IN 20 YEARS. IN THE BANK, AT 5% COMPOUND INTEREST, IT EARNED AN EXTRA \$8,661. IT PAYS TO SAVE REGULARLY AT FIRST NATIONAL BANK.



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