

# 4-H Judging Team Wins State Contest

Sutton County 4-H judging teams won three of the four state 4-H contests conducted at Angelo State University Saturday, May 17.

Marsha Finklea, Larry Finklea, Susan Schwiening and Mark Van Hoozer won the state senior 4-H wool and mohair judging championship with a record 2081 points which was a new state record high score for the contest. The previous record score was 2080 points set by a San Saba team in 1967. Marsha Finklea also set a new state record high individual record with a score of 716 points. The former record holder was Tom McDowell of San Saba County who scored 714 points in 1967. Larry Finklea placed 4th with a score of 691 points, Susan Schwiening placed 9th with a score of 674 points, and Mark Van Hoozer scored 643 points.

The junior wool and mohair judging team composed of Paula Friess, Trina Powers, Rex Surber and Preston Love, placed third in the junior contest with a score of 1852 points. Paula Friess was the second place high individual with a score of 655 points. The senior range judging team composed of Paula Friess, Rick Powers, Mark Van Hoozer and Julie Stewart, placed first with a score of 1269 points. Paula was the

high individual with a score of 442 points. Rick placed 2nd with 432 points and Mark placed 5th with 395 points.

In junior range judging, Brad Johnson was the high individual with 439 points; Sabrina Allison placed 2nd with 431 points; Tammy Van Hoozer placed 3rd with 430 points, and alternate Lee Burch scored 337 points. The first place team score of 1300 points scored by the three high junior team members was 31 points higher than the winning senior team score.

Other Sutton County 4-H members who participated in the contests were Espy Whitehead, Lance Love, Brett Johnson and Clay Friess.

Adult leaders who helped supervise the 4-H members at the contests included Mrs. Mickey Powers, coach of the

range teams, Cleve T. Jones, coach of the junior wool and mohair teams, Mrs. Corky Schwiening, Mrs. Lawrence Finklea and County Agent Clint Langford. Corky Schwiening was the coach of the senior wool and mohair team.

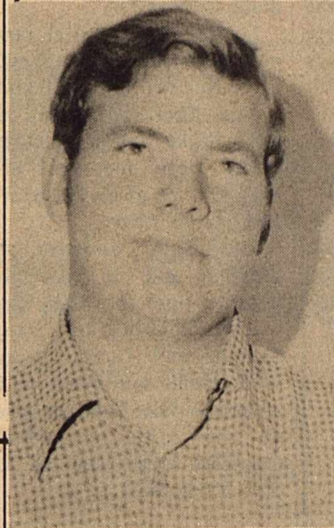
The Sutton County senior 4-H team will be one of the teams representing Texas in the national 4-H wool judging contest held June 12th in conjunction with the Sonora Wool and Mohair Show.

## SCDC Graduation Held Wednesday

Approximately seventy, three, four and five year olds graduated in ceremonies held Wednesday night at the elementary school auditorium. These children have successfully completed the Sonora Childhood Development Center's curriculum.

Five of these graduates will be attending first grade in the fall, 13 graduated to the four year old program at the center, and the remaining number will have the option of attending the Kindergarten program at the public school or at the Development Center.

Sonora Childhood Development Center (La escuela) celebraron la graduacion de los niños el miércoles, 21 de Mayo a las 8 de la noche en el auditorio de la escuela elemental de Sonora. Los graduantes son 70 niños de tres, cuatro, y cinco años de edad.



AUTHER DEARING will be in Sonora during the summer months serving his internship under the direction of City Chief of Police Bill Webster. He is a student at Sul Ross State University and is majoring in police administration. Dearing will attend Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos in the fall where he will be a senior student.

## Girls Softball League Formed

Four teams of the Girl's Softball League have been formed in Sonora and parents and all other interested citizens are being urged to join an auxiliary formed for the purpose of aiding the league to operate successfully. The softball teams are comprised of girls nine through twelve years of age.

The four teams are the Squaws, coached by Carolyn Sorenson; Rangerettes, coached by Vanetta Smith; Cowgirls, coached by Wanda Halford; and Fillies, coached by Cathy Preston.

The tentative schedule for June games will be Monday nights at the Little League Park. A field made available by Dr. Joe David Ross will be used as soon as backstop and bases may be acquired.

Approximately 15 mothers met Monday evening to elect officers and committees to serve until September. Glenda Short was elected as president; Betty Stewart, vice president; Patsy Schwiening, secretary and treasurer; and Carol Parker, league coordinator.

Various equipment has been purchased due to donations by several businessmen and individuals in town. Anyone who has not made a donation and would like to help in this worthwhile project are asked to contact one of the officers of the auxiliary or Cathy Preston at the First National Bank.

## The Weather

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May 13	92	61
May 14	87	53
May 15	85	51
May 16	87	50
May 17	86	56
May 18	87	63
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Rainfall for the month, 1.92; rainfall for the year, 5.89.

## Claire Langford, Award Winner

High school senior Claire Langford was among the twenty outstanding high school students who received West Texas Scholar Awards at the Houston Harte University Center Saturday in San Angelo.

The awards are presented annually under the joint sponsorship of the San Angelo Chamber of Commerce and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Recipients are selected by their school officials for academic achievement, scholarship and leadership in school activities.

## Screwworms Reported

Sutton County's first recorded screwworm case of the year was found on the G. P. Nelson Estate Ranch (old Bundy Ranch), located 35 miles east of Sonora. The worms were found by Ralph King in the navel of a calf.

Clint Langford, county

agent, stated that the Mission Screwworm Eradication Center would release a load of sterile screwworm flies over the county area on Tuesday.

Langford warns that ranchers should check all their livestock closely and report all cases of the worms promptly.



Sonora High School's largest graduating class will receive diplomas in commencement exercises scheduled for Friday at 8 p.m. on the campus lawn.

The class will see 54 senior students graduate. Sonora High School's first graduating class was in 1902 and consisted of four students.

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# Fifty - Four Students To Receive Diplomas Friday

Sonora High School's largest graduating class ever will receive their diplomas in commencement exercises Friday night on the campus lawn. The program will begin at 8 p.m. with the processional by the Sonora High School Band under the direction of John Butterfield. The band will also present special music and the recessional at the closing of ceremonies.

Robbie Hard, president of the Junior Class will give the invocation.

Addresses will be given by Claire Langford, salutatorian of the graduating class, and by Blaine Crawford, class valedictorian. High School Principal Bill Mayfield will present awards to honor graduates Miss Langford, Crawford,

Margarita San Miguel, Beverly McDonald, Maggie Galbreath, Laura Gibbs, Cathy Ward and Roy Allen Adkins.

Mayfield will also make the presentation of the class, followed by the presentation of diplomas by School Board President Lin Hicks. Larry Finklea, junior class president, will give the invocation and the recessional will conclude the night's ceremonies.

Those fifty-four students receiving diplomas are Preston Elba Adams, Roy Allen Adkins, Sheila Sue Alexander, Carlos Arredondo, Bobby Bartz, Linda Ray Behrens, Charlotte Lynn Berkley, Darrel Wayne Berry, Zaragosa Virgen Beserra, Jr., Shirley Ann Bolt, Paul Douglas Browne, Ramiro

Samaniego Chavez, and Gregory Cook, Doyle Blaine Crawford, Sharon Kay Culver, Louis Cumpian, Rosa Cumpian, Richard E. Dunnam, Melinda Eileen Earwood, Rosemary Perez Espinosa, Edward Jimenez Flores, Maggie Galbreath, Mary M. Gamez, Beatrice Morin Gandar, and

Laura Gwen Gibbs, Mark Alan Gilly, Laura Ann Hanus, Rosemary B. Hernandez, Lavina Hernandez, Samuel David Hernandez, Lindsey Paul Hicks, Deborah Lynn Howard, Claire Langford, John O. Lopez, Jr., Beverly Jean McDonald, Josie Mata, and Mark Thomas Milliken, Curtis Mooney, Mark Lind Parker, Juan C. Perez, Margarita San Miguel, Johnny Cortez Solis, William Michael Stewart, Ronnie D. Surber,

Donald James Thompson, Dale Upton, Ernestine Vasquez, and Ann Marie Villarreal, Norma Alicia Virgen, Gregory Eugene Wadley, Deborah Elaine Wall, Catherine Mae Ward, Rebecca Dale Welch, and Kye Robert Whitehead.

## Swimming Pool Open For Summer

The public swimming pool opened Tuesday and will be open the remainder of the week from 3:30-6 p.m. Starting next week the pool will be open Mondays through Sundays from 2-6 p.m., and those who enjoy evening swimming may do so from 7-9 p.m., on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays. On Saturday mornings the pool will be open from 10-11:30 a.m.

Swimmers 12 years of age and under will be charged 35c and those over 12 will be charged 75c for entrance to the pool.

Pool supervisors stated that swimming lessons will be offered sometime in June and that anyone wishing to rent the pool for parties should contact any member of the Wuest family during opening hours.

## Hope Lutheran To Host Firnhaber Family Tonight

Members of the congregation at Hope Lutheran Church have planned a covered dish supper tonight (Thursday) honoring the Rev. Stuart Firnhaber and his family. The Rev. Mr. Firnhaber, now of Omaha, Nebraska, is a former minister of both the Sonora and Ozona Lutheran Churches.

The gathering will begin at 6:30 p.m., and all friends of the Firnhaber family are invited to attend.

## Graveside Rites Held For Roy Valliant

Mr. L. R. (Roy) Valliant, longtime Sutton County rancher, died May 14 in the local hospital. Graveside services were held May 16 at the local cemetery under the direction of Ratliff Kerbow Funeral Home. The Rev. Clifton Hancock, pastor of First

Baptist Church, officiated.

Mr. Valliant was born June 19, 1893 in Streeter and moved to Sutton County in 1907. He married Lotia Cozby July 9, 1932. She preceded him in death. He was a member of the Fort McKavett Masonic Lodge for over fifty years.

Among his survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Martha McLain of Perryton; one son, Lee Roy Valliant, Jr., one sister, Mrs. Lossie Mae Kelley; one brother, Clarence Valliant, and two grandchildren.

Serving as pallbearers were Harold Schwiening, Jr., John Mittel, Bill Savell, Frank Adkins, Buster Jennings, James Morris, Mat Adams, John Wesley Joy and Nolan Gibbs.

## Businesses Set Holiday Closing

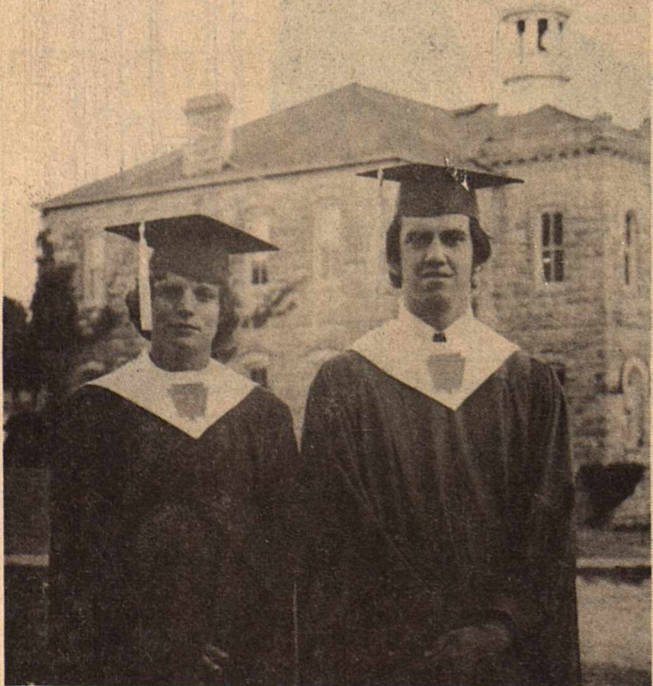
Most downtown merchants will be closed Monday, May 26 in observance of the Memorial Day holiday.

Included in the closing will be the Devil's Rivers News, Sonora Electric, White's Store, Post Office, City and County Offices and the Foodway Store.

## Outstanding Senior Citizen To Be Named Monday

The county's outstanding senior citizen will be named in ceremonies May 26 at the Miers Home Museum. The Sutton Countian named to this honor will be chosen by a panel of judges from entries mailed to the local Committee on Aging. The program will begin at 4 p.m., with the Rev. Paul Terry serving as master of ceremonies. John Eaton, local historian, will be the guest speaker.

Other persons to be honored at the ceremony will be all persons who are 90 years old or older and residents of the county. Anyone knowing of a person who has reached this age should contact Mrs. Hershel Davenport so that no one will be omitted.



HONOR GRADUATES  
Blaine Crawford - Valedictorian  
Claire Langford - Salutatorian

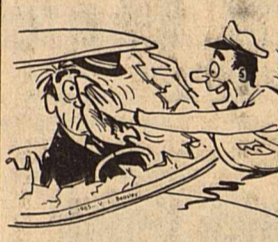
COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Friday, May 23 8 p.m., Graduation exercises on high school campus Saturday, May 24 2:5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open Sunday, May 25 Services at the church of your choice Monday, May 26 MEMORIAL DAY Tuesday, May 27 12 noon, Downtown Lions Club luncheon in fellowship hall of First Methodist Church 3:5 p.m., Miers Home Museum open 7:30 p.m., West Side Lions Club meeting at Commercial Cafe Wednesday, May 28 3:5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open

GOLDTHWAITE TO HOLD FIDDLERS CONTEST

The pre-bicentennial Fiddler's Contest and Festival will be held May 31 in Goldthwaite at the Mills County Park. The affair is approved by the Texas Old Time Fiddlers Association and is being sponsored by the Goldthwaite Lions Club. There will be prizes in four divisions and spaces are available for arts and crafts, and flea markets. There will be concession stands, a barbecue luncheon and a fish fry. Everyone is invited to attend.

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from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

May 27, 1965 A public hearing for discussion of the proposed route of Interstate Highway 10 from the Crockett County line to 5.1 miles west of Sonora, was set. John David Fields, Jr., the highest ranked boy scholastically in the 1965 graduating class, was named recipient of the Lambert Award. Funeral services were held for W. A. (Bill) Miers. The engagement of Miss Wanda Gail Cole was announced. Private First Class James R. Baker, Jr., was chosen Soldier of the Month on the basis of popular vote of his fellow enlisted men and officers.

May 27, 1955 Twenty-nine seniors graduated with Sonora High School with ceremonies held on the Elementary School lawn. Jodie Minnick was elected Spiritual Life Chairman of the Wesley Foundation at Tarleton State College. Stanton Bundy, local ranchman, purchased the Devil's River News from Clay Puckett. Mrs. Charles Howard, Mrs. Cash Taylor and Mrs. George Smith were hostesses at a baby shower given in honor of Mrs. Jackie Sharp. The Cubs defeated the Yankees 8-5 in the Little League opener. The Cubs, coached by Leon Neely, Reggie Trainer and Duane Prater, used Badillo and West on the mound. Primo Gonzales pitched the route for Melvin Glasscock's and Shannon Ratliff's Yankees.

June 1, 1945 First Lt. Alan Saunders was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and a second Oak Leaf Cluster for his services with the India-China Wing of the Air Transport Command. Five Sutton County men left this week to report for induction at Fort Sam Houston. They are George S. Schwiening, Willie Fred Rankin, A. B. Crosby, Jack Schultz and Curnel W. Matheny. The Corner Drug Store, after being closed the first part of the week, opened up sporting a new fountain and stools. Edward E. Kring arrived home on a 30 day leave which he will spend visiting his mother, Mrs. Bob Turner and other relatives.

63 Years Ago Mr. and Mrs. John Robbins and son Ed, were in from the ranch shopping and visiting. Miss Estelle McDonald is in Austin to attend the commencement exercises of the St. Edwards College of which institution her brother Arther is one of the graduates. Miss Marjory Aldwell has returned from a very enjoyable visit to Mineral Wells. Miss Ida is visiting in Bartlett. Bart DeWitt returned last week from a very interesting trip to Washington, New York, New Orleans and other cities. Rankin Rudicoff of San Angelo is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. M. A. Traweck, this week.

THE DEVIL'S RIVER PHILOSOPHER SEZ..... He Knows Why The Domino Theory Didn't Apply To South Viet Nam

Editor's note; The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitterweed ranch on the Dry Devil's River takes a last look at the Viet Nam war this week. Dear editor: I know President Ford has said we ought to forget about the Viet Nam war and turn our thoughts to other things here at home, and I intend to, but there's one last thing I'd like to say. As I understand it, one of the stated reasons for our being over there was the domino theory, that if South Viet Nam fell to the Communists then another country would, then another and another, like dominoes do when you stand them on end in a row and push the first one over. I have thought this over and while I haven't figured out who stood those countries on end in the first place and who set them up in rows, I followed the war in the newspapers and on television, noticing that the more we bombed the less we won, that the Generals who kept saying they could see the light at the end of the tunnel didn't seem to know the war wasn't in a tunnel, it was out in the jungles. In fact, we went through countless tunnels, only to find they led to nowhere. Therefore I've come to the conclusion that the game over there wasn't dominoes, it was checkers. But it wasn't played by the rules of checkers used here in Sonora. The Viet Cong played like all its checkers were kings from the start of the game and you could move them forward or backward any time you pleased and jump in any direction you wanted and over as many spaces as you liked. If it looked like they were losing they'd grab their checkers and move to another board in another part of the jungle. I don't know why it never occurred to our leaders that you can't play dominoes on a checker board. And the thing I guess we'd better be thinking about is that the Generals who kept saying we've got the Viet Cong and the North Vietnamese mortally weakened and on the run, all we need is a few hundred thousand more men and a few more billion dollars and we'll have victory by Christmas, are the same Generals who will be in charge if the U.S. ever gets into a really genuine war of survival. President Ford is right, we ought to turn our thoughts to something else, and that may be one of them. Yours faithfully, J.A.

Seen Scene

By Linda Behrens The Spring Concert was held Monday. The different groups that performed were the beginner band, the choir, the junior high band, and the high school band. The band was under the direction of John Butterfield. There were several awards given at that time. But at the time of this writing the results were not known.

-SHS- Last Sunday night was the setting of baccalaureate services. That gathering was the last time that the graduating class of 1975 will be together as a class except for graduation which is at 8 o'clock tomorrow (Friday) night.

-SHS- The seniors returned from the senior trip with a little less sleep than usual, but with a few minor casualties. But everyone had a good time. (anything was better than going to classes)

-SHS- The exam schedule Wednesday, Thursday and Friday for those that will be taking tests are: Wednesday, seventh period, from 1:40 until 3:40; Thursday, tests two, four and six, classes three, one, and five being held on Friday. That sums up the school year of '74-'75.

-SHS- At this time I would like to say that this is the last teen scene to be written by Linda Behrens. Thanks to everyone for giving "hints" and other "goodies" to help this column along.

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Our News Letter

By Bob Krueger

Sometimes with the many large questions that a congressman has to address, there might be a temptation to overlook the seemingly small questions. But sometimes these small questions can have a large impact for a particular region. I encountered one example of this last week. The energy committee on which I serve is preparing a major comprehensive energy bill. One part of the bill would establish average fuel efficiency for car manufacturers by 1980. The total production of a manufacturer in that year would have to average 20.5 mpg or else the manufacturer would have to pay a penalty. Thus, for example, if one car averaging 17.5 mpg is produced, another car averaging


23.5 mpg would have to be made. Under the original proposal, trucks under 5 tons would have to meet the same standards as cars. This seemed to me grossly unfair and unwise. Trucks are intended to haul heavy loads, to cover rough terrain, and to be service vehicles that primarily move goods rather than people. Therefore, the engines and axle ratios of trucks are geared for power rather than simply for fuel economy. Trucks might have to have engines too small to move the loads for which they are required if they had to meet the same fuel economy standards as cars. Therefore, I offered an amendment exempting all trucks from the specified standards for cars. The amendment passed unanimously in committee and I am confident that pick-up trucks can now be designed and manufactured to carry loads rather than just transport people. Since there are 227,564 pick-ups driven by rural Texans compared with only 162,343 cars, this amendment, minor as it might seem in the national scheme of things, could have a major impact for our district. I believe that with this amendment, Americans can expect both more economical cars and trucks that fit their needs.

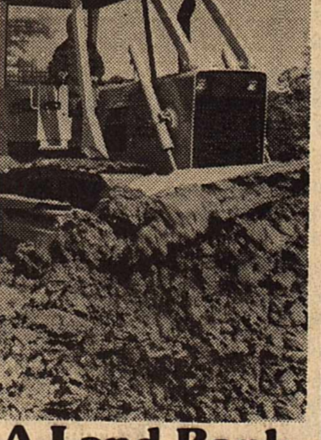
Another sad article came to our attention Monday....that of Mrs. Barbara Washburn's poodle that was poisoned in her fenced-in front yard. Being a family pet...a family which included a child...made the dog very special to the Washburn family, but Mrs. Washburn's main concern was for the safety of several small children who live in her neighborhood on Poplar Street. She stated that the dog would eat only cooked meats and was especially fond of sweets. This is one of many dog poisonings that have been reported and confirmed in our city. Some time ago City Police Department officials contacted the news office in regard to these poisonings and told us at the time that the poison known as strychnine which is normally used in dog poisonings, is deadly to humans as well as animals. In fact they were told by a local veterinarian that a dose no larger than a match head could kill a 60-pound dog or a 40-pound child. Possession of the poison is a federal offense. How sad it would be for a small child to get what was intended for someone's dog. This has happened before...not in Sonora, but in other unfortunate communities. Anyone having an animal poisoned, whether it dies or not, should contact Bill Webster or one of his deputies, as all information they can gather will help them track down this possible killer.

Local Scout Districts Merge

Two local Boy Scout Districts have merged into one large district. These two districts, previously known as Tri-Rivers and Twin Mountains, will now be named Amangi Trail District. Amangi, an Indian word meaning "Large One", is indeed a fitting name for the new district which covers twelve counties. Communities in the Amangi Trail District include: Bronte, Robert Lee, Ballinger, Miles, Big Lake, Brady, Rochelle, Eden, Menard, Junction, Eldorado, Sonora, Ozona and San Angelo. John Smith, Concho Valley Council President, explained that the merger of the two districts will result in improved efficiency and effectiveness in program operation and growth potential and in achievement of projected goals.

-SKH- I would like to share my mail with you this week as I have done many times before. This week it is a letter from Jerry Lackey, who received my wrath in last week's column. Dear Miss Hill, I read your column in the NEWS as I do most every week. Perhaps I deserved

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Coffee Break

By Shirley K. Hill

While it is not the purpose of this column to define the fine line between sick people and just plain bad people, it is the purpose of this newspaper to advise the public of this type of person or persons in our community....a community in which we are proud to be a part. We have this week, while visiting with our dear friend Mr. A. W. Awalt, discovered that we must have some real "sickies". In observance of Mother's Day, Mr. Awalt had an arrangement of flowers placed on Mrs. Awalt's gravesite. This was placed there in respect and with much loving care, only to be stolen. Don't know if this was someone's idea of a joke but if not I sincerely hope their need for it was a great one.

That! May I state to you and the people of Sonora that my column concerning coffee prices, etc. was written in "satire" form and was not to be read in the vein of a chamber of commerce item. That is what is wrong with this country these days, we don't laugh anymore. It is no disgrace to receive 40c for a cup of coffee especially if it is good coffee which Sonora coffee is. I paid 75 cents for a cup of coffee in Dallas not long ago and it was bad coffee...didn't taste much better than that you get in Louis.

As I explained in a column this week, that early column was written not to shed bad light on the Stockman's Paradise. I would have never printed it if I knew some people would have taken it the way they have. I have written a dozen or more good things about Sutton Co. Even made a picture of a 4-Her during the stockshow there last winter which I ran on the front page of our Sunday paper. No one ever bothered to say thank you and I really didn't expect it but write something that is read in the wrong frame of mind and see what happens!

I had many friends in Sonora and enjoy visiting there and if they do not want to claim me as a friend now, they are pretty small. Sonora is a good town in my thinking and should be proud that it has a population boom and can have the mobile homes (beautiful ones) in its city and hill sides. I am told that Eldorado is enjoying some of this growth too.

The point I am trying to make is that few small towns anymore can enjoy this kind of luxury as a result of agriculture and energy obtained from our lands. I personally wish that some of the politicians who are trying to get LAND USE PLANNING legislation through our Congress could come to Sutton County and tour. For in

this one area they could see that ranchmen have for generations been better managers and caretakers of the land than any government agency could ever hope to be. Here around Sonora, energy is obtained from a rich soil that helps run their big cars and comes from a people that are proud to still be called Americans and say the pledge at Lions Club, etc. Well, I didn't mean to preach a sermon, but I think you know what I am talking about. Again, you and the people of Sonora can rest assured that this writer is proud of your city and the service you render. If this were not the case, I wouldn't bother to write about it. I might also add if you will check my second book (Unto Our Times), you will find that a number of the pictures therein are from Sutton County. And when I was editor of the SHEEP AND GOAT RAISER, more than once I featured pictures on the cover from Sonora. This writer has many fond memories of people like Fred Earwood, Bryan Hunt and a host of others there and I hope to write more stories in the future about others there. And above all, be proud of your oil and gas...it is gold and if someone compares your town with the gold rush era, be glad. It means there is life in your town which is a hell of a lot better than a bunch of West Texas towns that we could both name. Where there is life, there is happiness and there are people who care. As for the Fields....I was thinking of Herbert and called him John. I have eaten many a meal through the years when he had a cafe and I also remember a many good pieces of homemade pie through the years at French's Big Tree. No, I don't want a refund. I would be glad to pay 50¢ for Sonora coffee...it's that good. Sincerely, Jerry Lackey

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**FEATURED SPECIAL!** Hefty 30 Gal. Trash Bags  
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Divie "Big Ones" 16-oz. Cups	18-Ct. Pkg. <b>65¢</b>	Mission Ice	10-Lb. Bag <b>65¢</b>
Kimbell Jolo-Beno Bean Dip	10 1/2-oz. Can <b>37¢</b>	Kimbell Stuffed Olives	7-oz. Jar <b>\$1.05</b>
Wall Brand Plain Chili	10-oz. Can <b>49¢</b>	Kountry Fresh Whole or Hamb. Sliced Dill Pickles	22-oz. Jar <b>62¢</b>
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All Purpose Wesson Oil	24-oz. Btl. <b>\$1.11</b>	Kimbell Heavy Duty Alum. Foil	18" x 25" Roll <b>67¢</b>
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Purina 'N' Boats Cat Food	15 1/2-oz. Can <b>23¢</b>	Kimbell French Style Green Beans	15 1/2-oz. Can <b>33¢</b>
Bowl Cleaner Liquid Sani-Flush	16-oz. Btl. <b>53¢</b>	Fantastik Refill Spray Cleaner	32-oz. Btl. <b>87¢</b>
Kimbell Cut Green Beans	15 1/2-oz. Can <b>31¢</b>	Texaco K2R Spot Lifter	7-oz. Aero Can <b>\$1.79</b>
Appian Way Regular Pizza Mix	12 1/2-oz. Pkg. <b>63¢</b>	Vita Pep Burgers or Chopped Burgers Dog Food	30-oz. Pkg. <b>\$1.08</b>
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### Lilia Castro, Lionel Cervantez To Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Luis Castro announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lilia, to Mr. Lionel Cervantez. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Catarino Cervantez.

The bride-elect is a 1974

### Happy Birthday

Thursday, May 22

Ray Tolliver  
Mrs. Max Hardegrege  
Mrs. Oliver Wuest  
Adina Angeles  
Mrs. Jerry Henderson  
Friday, May 23

Hector Noriega  
Elsie Martinez  
Ezekiel Duran  
Augustin Chavez  
Jesse Paredes  
Gene Trainer  
Saturday, May 24

A. W. Saunders, Jr.  
James Barton  
Mike Dillard  
Marilyn Morgan Whitten  
Chevo Garza  
Sunday, May 25

Mrs. Robert Kelley, Sr.  
Buddy Brown  
Tobin Joy  
Mrs. Jack Kerbow  
Joe C. Trainer  
Vicki Turner Duhan  
Monday, May 26

Mrs. W. A. Carroll  
Missy Brown Hann  
Edward Earwood  
Retha English  
Tuesday, May 27

Shirley Hill  
Linda Rogers  
Sam David Hernandez  
Wednesday, May 28

### Couches Host OFT 42 Club

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Couch were hostesses Saturday night to the OFT 42 Club at their home.

Attending were members Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Minitree, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Thompson, and Mr. and Mrs. David Swindell. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adkins were guests.

Mrs. Swindell won ladies high; Mr. Minitree won high for men, and Mr. Couch won the boobie prize.

### Party Honors Jeffery Barton

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barton honored their son Jeffery, on his tenth birthday May 17 at their home. A hot dog supper, cake and homemade ice cream was served to guests. The baseball-shaped cake was made and decorated by Mrs. Cheryl Faircloth.

Attending were Mrs. Bob Faircloth and Dana, Bo and Mike Faircloth, Mrs. Eugene Jackson and Lesa, Rodney and Wayne Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scott and Haley, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Castro and Lance, and Wesley Barton.

### Mrs. Crawford Hosts Bunko Club

Mrs. Ronnie Crawford was hostess Monday night to members and guests of the Chaos Bunko Club at her home. She served cake, chips and dips.

Members attending were Mmes. Curtis Weant, Scooter McMinn, Glen Berry, John K. Wilson, E. J. Wipff, Jack Hite, Bill Jolly, Archie Crenwelge and Rodney Knight. Mrs. Louis Olenick and Mrs. Jack Hearn were guests.

Winning bunko was Mrs. Olenick; high, Mrs. Hearn; second high, Mrs. McMinn, and Mrs. Crenwelge won low.

### Hospital News

Patients receiving treatment at Lillian M. Hudspeth Hospital during the period from Tuesday, May 13 thru Monday, May 19 include the following:

Pauline Salinas  
Mattie Thorton\*  
Anita Gonzales\*  
Pryce Taylor\*  
Maria Gutierrez\*  
Baby Girl Gutierrez\*  
John August  
Margaurite Holland  
Ethel Young, Ozona  
Della Kisselburg  
Lea Allison\*  
Iva Hale\*  
Jerry Kemp\*  
Myrl Alley  
\*Patients dismissed during same period.

### Charlotte Berkley, Party Honoree

A bridal shower honoring Miss Charlotte Berkley was held May 5 at the home of Mrs. Douglas Wilhoit. Miss LaFawn Berkley and Mrs. Wilhoit were hostesses.

The table was covered with a white lace cloth and an arrangement of daisies was used as a centerpiece.

Those attending were Mrs. Travis Gordon, Mrs. Wendell Dietz, Mrs. Albert Dietz, Miss Shirley Bolt, Miss Rena Harris, Mrs. Debbie Chadwick and Mrs. Charles Berkley.

A bride-to-be's  
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### The Ruth Shurley Jewelry

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

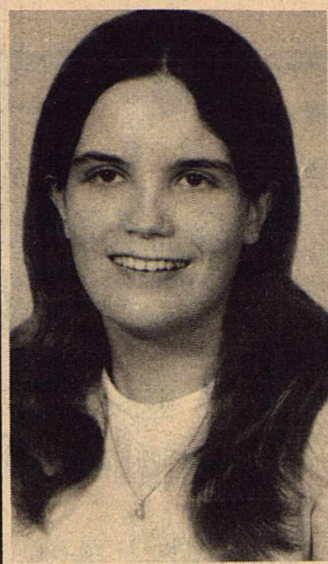
Beverly McDonald, bride-elect of William Thompson  
Jane Sawyer, bride-elect of Carlos Wade Davis, Jr.  
Maggie Galbreath, bride-elect of David Walsh  
Darlette Ramsey, bride-elect of Lee Bloodworth  
Jeanette Daniel, bride of Randy Garner  
Sarah Allison, bride-elect of Robert Post  
Linda Smith, bride-elect of Glenn Franklin  
Janice Nance, bride-elect of Samuel Woods  
Lilia Castro, bride-elect of Lionel Cervantez

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### Regina Trainer, Kenneth Sledge Wed May 13

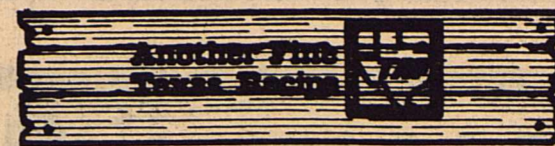
Miss Regina Ann Trainer and Mr. Kenneth Lee Sledge were married May 13 in ceremonies held in Alpine. Mrs. Sledge is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allison and is a graduate of Sonora High School and of Sul Ross State University in Alpine.

The bridegroom attended Alpine Schools and is presently employed by an oil company there.

Following a short wedding trip the couple will be at home in Alpine.

### VISITING

Mrs. George Boucher and children, Mark, La Rae and Jess, of Elko, Nevada are spending the month of May here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sykes.



### WHOLE WHEAT BREAD

1 package active dry yeast 3 Tbsp. brown sugar  
1 1/2 cups lukewarm water 3 Tbsp. shortening  
1 1/2 cups milk 6-7 cups unsifted whole wheat flour  
1 1/2 tsp. salt

Dissolve yeast in lukewarm water. Scald milk and pour in large bowl. Add salt, brown sugar and shortening to scalded milk. Stir until sugar dissolves. When milk mixture has cooled to lukewarm, add yeast mixture. Gradually add whole wheat flour. Stir well after each addition as whole wheat flour absorbs water slowly. When dough is stiff enough to handle, turn it onto a floured board and knead thoroughly, gradually adding as much of remainder of flour as necessary. Try to keep dough soft by kneading in only enough flour to keep it from sticking. All-purpose flour can be used when kneading. Place dough in well-greased bowl and let rise 2-3 hours or until doubled in warm place. Punch down and shape into 2 loaves. Place in greased 9 x 5-inch loaf pans and allow to rise until almost doubled, about 2 hours, still keeping dough warm. Bake at 325 degrees for 1 1/2 hours, or until loaves sound hollow when tapped with fingers. Remove from pans and cool on wire rack.



The Huchnom Indians of California believed that the world would float away if it wasn't anchored by a coyote, an elk and a deer!



### Barrow Jewelry

These brides-to-be have made particular selections with us . . . .

Lilia Castro, bride-elect of Lionel Cervantez  
Maggie Galbreath, bride-elect of David Walsh  
Beverly McDonald, bride-elect of William Thompson  
Darlette Ramsey, bride-elect of Lee Bloodworth  
Jane Sawyer, bride-elect of Carlos Wade Davis, Jr.  
Charlotte Berkley, bride-elect of Brian McKee  
Odilia Baltazar, bride-elect of Bo Trainer  
Janice Nance, bride-elect of Samuel Woods  
Linda Smith, bride-elect of Glenn Franklin  
Sarah Allison, bride-elect of Robert Post

### New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Talamantes are parents of a daughter, Virginia Andrea, born May 12 in the San Angelo Clinic Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Talamantes, Sr., of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Orasio Sanchez.

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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  
each Sunday 8 & 11 a.m.  
Church School 10:00 a.m.

**First Latin American  
Baptist Church**

Rev. Pablo Gomez  
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.

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Weekday Mass:  
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10:00 a.m.  
Holy Day Masses 7:00 a.m.  
7:00 p.m.

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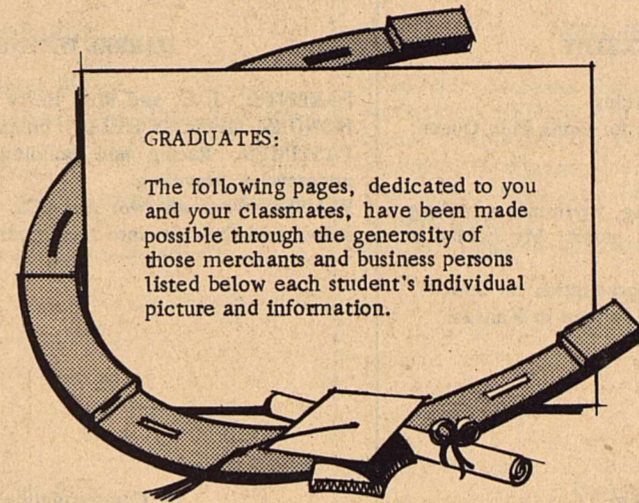
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PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Adams  
HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Speech Club, III, IV; Industrial Arts Club, I, II; choir, IV; FCA, II, III  
SPORTS: Football, I, II, III, IV  
PASTIMES: Hunting and fishing, playing guitar  
PLANS: I plan to go to Uvalde Junior College (SWJJC) and take a two year course in range management. Will probably run my father's ranch after I graduate.

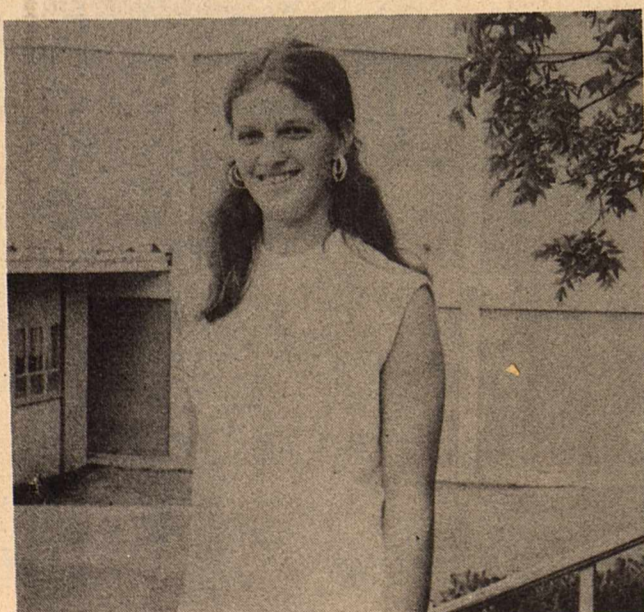
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**ROY ALLEN ADKINS**

PARENTS: Frank and Marilyn Adkins  
HONORS, OFFICES HELD: No. 8 in class, American History award, I; Speech Club, I, II, III, IV; National Honor Society, III, IV; president, IV; Fellowship of Christian Athletes; treasurer, IV; Student Council  
SPORTS: Manager, football and basketball, I, II, III, IV; Manager, track, I, II  
PASTIMES: Eating, reading, swimming, playing bridge  
PLANS: I plan on attending the University of Texas at Austin, starting in June. I plan on majoring in pharmacy.

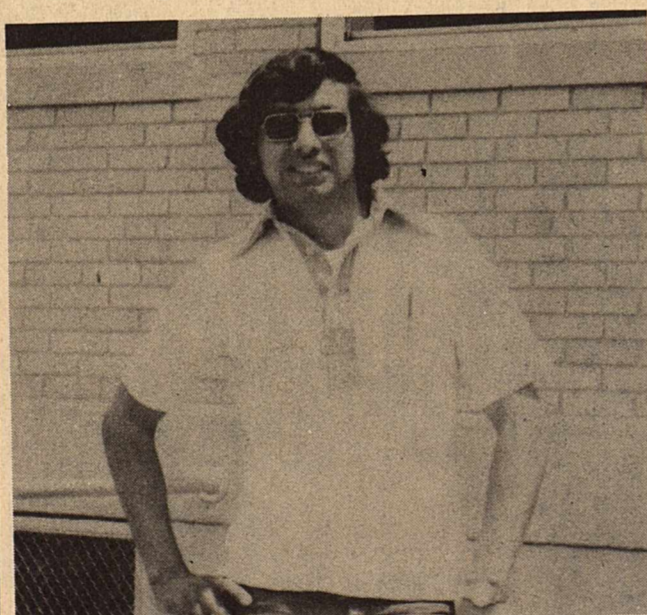
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**SHEILA ALEXANDER**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander  
HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Football Sweetheart, IV; Miss SHS, IV; DAR, IV; Lions Club Queen, IV; Who's Who Among American High School Students, III; GAA, I, II, III, IV; president, IV; National Honor Society, II, III, IV; secretary, IV; Student Council, IV  
SPORTS: Basketball, I, II, III, IV; captain, IV; all-district honorable mention III; all-district 2nd team IV; lettered, II, III, IV; tennis, I, II, III, IV; track, I  
PASTIMES: All kinds of sports, skiing, camping, dancing  
PLANS: Attend Angelo State University, teaching

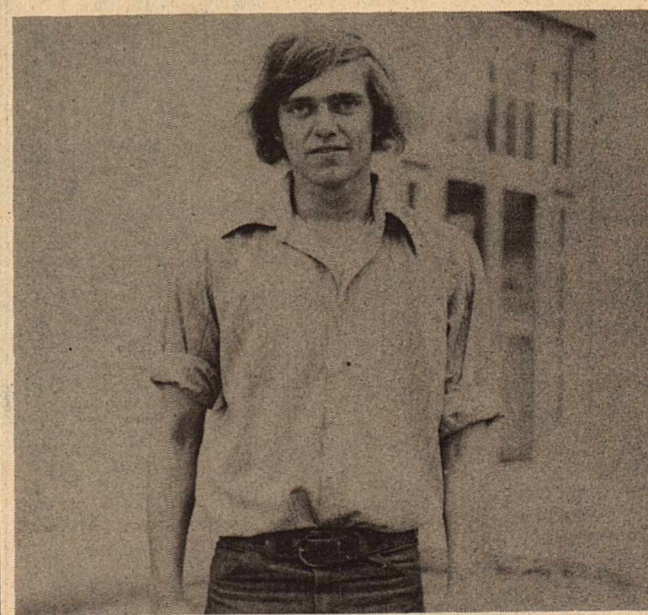
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PARENTS: Onesimo and Maria Arredondo  
HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Industrial Arts Club, I, II, III  
SPORTS: Football, I; track, I  
PASTIMES: Work with wood. Build things with wood  
PLANS: Work at a feed lot in Amarillo, Texas

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PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Hull  
HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Industrial Arts, III, IV  
SPORTS: Football; track, II  
PASTIMES: Swimming, reading, bowling  
PLANS: Work for an oil company, go to a trade school or join the armed forces

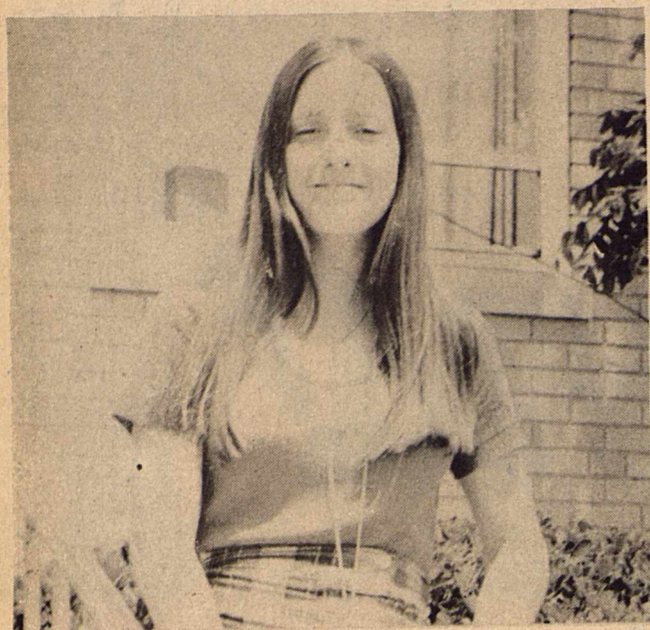
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PARENTS: Lois Behrens and Donald Behrens of El Paso  
HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Home Ec. I award, III; GAA, I, II, III, IV; GAA artist III, IV; Speech Club, I, II; yearbook staff, I, II, III, IV; yearbook photographer, IV; choir, I, II, IV; school reporter, IV  
SPORTS: Basketball, I, II; tennis, I, II; track, I  
PASTIMES: Photography, drawing, reading, fishing, being outdoors  
PLANS: Work for the year following graduation and then go to college (ASU) and major in journalism

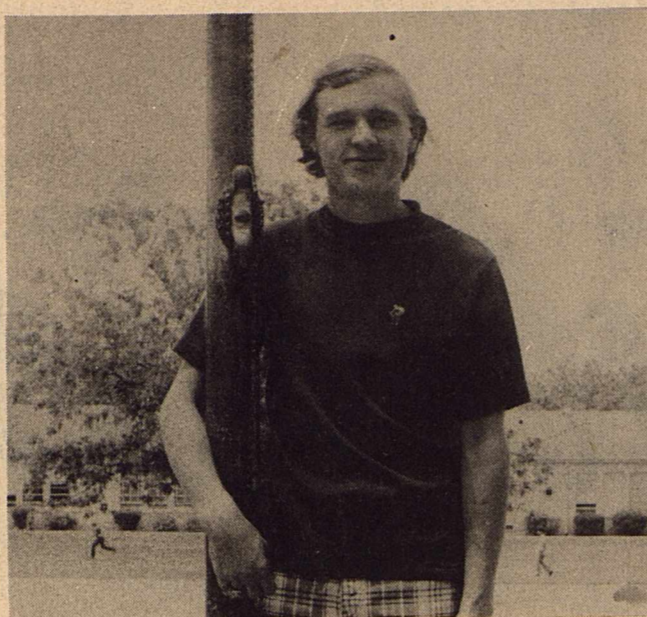
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**CHARLOTTE LYNN BERKLEY**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berkley  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Candidate for Lions Club Queen; Speech Club, I  
 SPORTS: Track, III  
 PASTIMES: I like horseback riding, swimming, riding around with friends and listening to music. My hobby is drawing.  
 PLANS: I plan to get married after graduation on June 7, and then later I may go to a business college in Kansas.

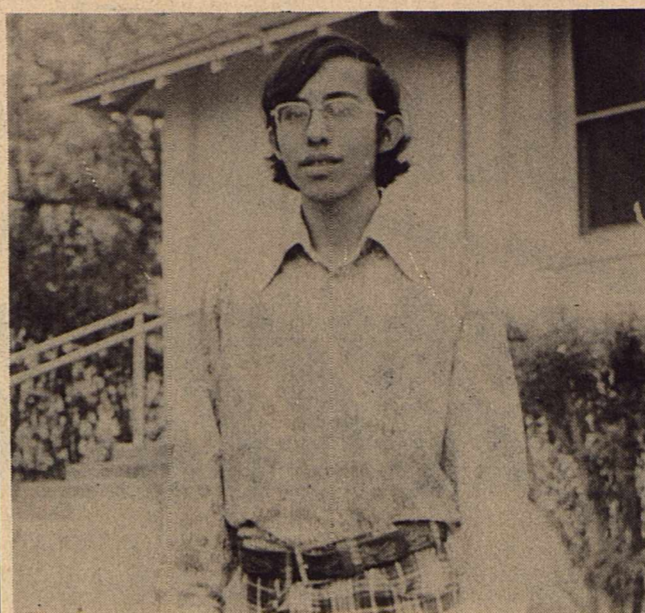
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**DARREL WAYNE BERRY**

PARENTS: J. C. and Rose Berry  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Industrial Arts, III  
 PASTIMES: Racing and building cars, swimming, riding motorcycles, traveling  
 PLANS: Work all over the U.S. After awhile go to trade school and then get into racing cars

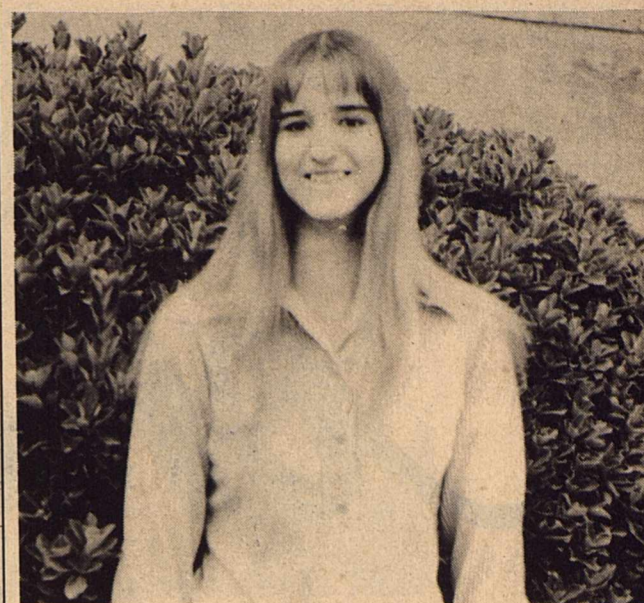
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**ZARAGOSA BESERRA, JR.**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Zaragosa Beserra  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Industrial Arts Club  
 PASTIMES: Shop, leathercrafts, P.E.  
 PLANS: I plan to enroll in Texas State Tech. Inst. I plan to major in mechanics. (auto)

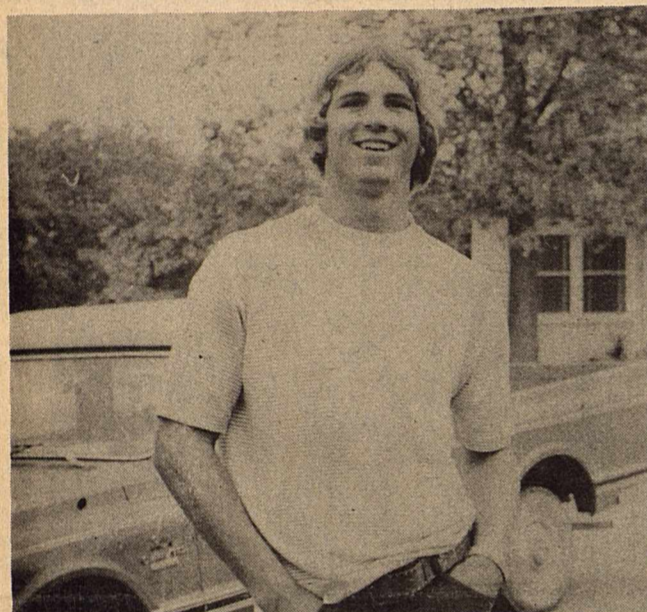
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**SHIRLEY ANN BOLT**

PARENTS: Mary O. Bolt  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: GAA, IV  
 SPORTS: Track, I, II  
 PASTIMES: Horseback riding, swimming, western dancing, riding around with my friends and listening to all kinds of music  
 PLANS: I plan to work for awhile and then maybe later I will attend a police school. The school is undecided.

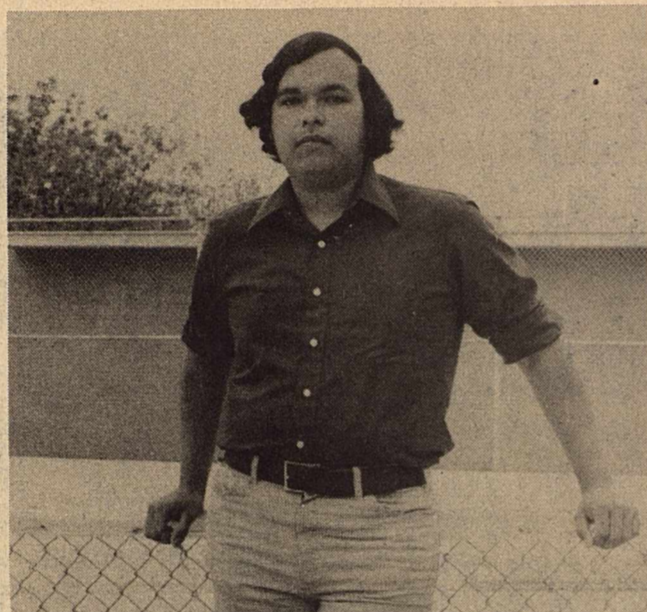
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**PAUL BROWNE**

PARENTS: Dr. and Mrs. Charles F. Browne  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Class vice president, I, II; Fellowship of Christian Athletes, II, III, IV  
 SPORTS: Lettered in football, II, III, IV; basketball, I, II, III, IV; golf, I, II, III, IV; participated in state golf competition 3 times; all-district in football, II, III, IV  
 PASTIMES: I enjoy all athletics. I try to relax in free time by going water skiing.  
 PLANS: I plan to work in Sonora this summer for Billy Green and then go to school next fall. I'm not sure of where I'm going yet, but I've decided to take pre-med and be a medical doctor.

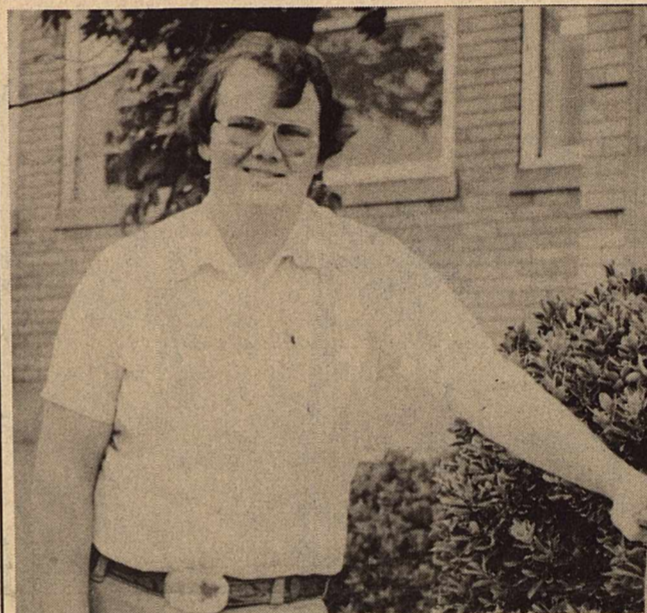
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**RAMIRO S. CHAVEZ**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Pedro G. Chavez  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Industrial Arts Club, I; leathercrafts, III; band, I, II, III, IV  
 PASTIMES: Riding around, fishing, hunting, playing the drums and helping with church activities, listening to rock music  
 PLANS: I plan to work for Foodway for awhile and then attend a trade school.

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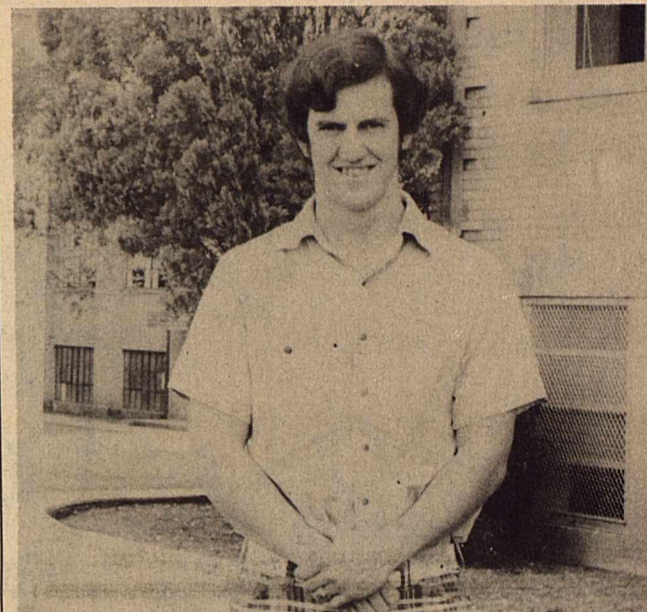


**GREGORY LOTT COOK**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cook  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: National Honor Society, IV  
 SPORTS: Managed football, basketball, track, III  
 PASTIMES: Fishing, reading books, doing nothing, riding and talking with friends  
 PLANS: Angelo State University, math major to become a teacher

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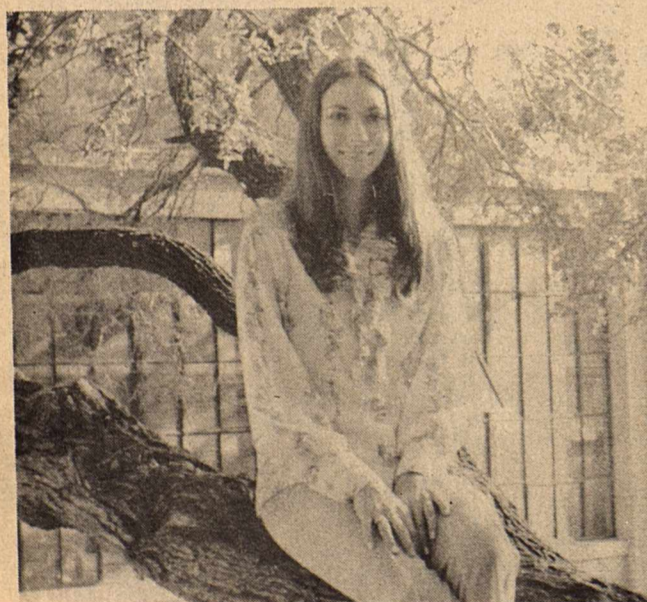
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**DOYLE BLAINE CRAWFORD**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Doyle R. Crawford  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Algebra I, II awards; Geometry award; District 9A 2nd place in Number Sense, I, II; District 9A Number Sense 1st place, III; District 9A Science 1st place, III; 7AA Science 1st place, IV; Regional Science 1st place, IV; state finalist in Science, IV; Valedictorian 1975 graduating class; National Honor Society, II, III, IV; Future Teachers of America, IV; Band II, III, IV; Choir, I, IV  
 SPORTS: Football, I, II, III  
 PASTIMES: Camping, playing guitar, making the drag, singing, eating at fancy restaurants, chasing girls, listening to music, especially hard rock, and playing cards  
 PLANS: After graduation I plan to go to college. I have not chosen a college yet, but I plan to major in math and minor in either chemistry or physics. I hope to attain a Ph.D. in mathematics.

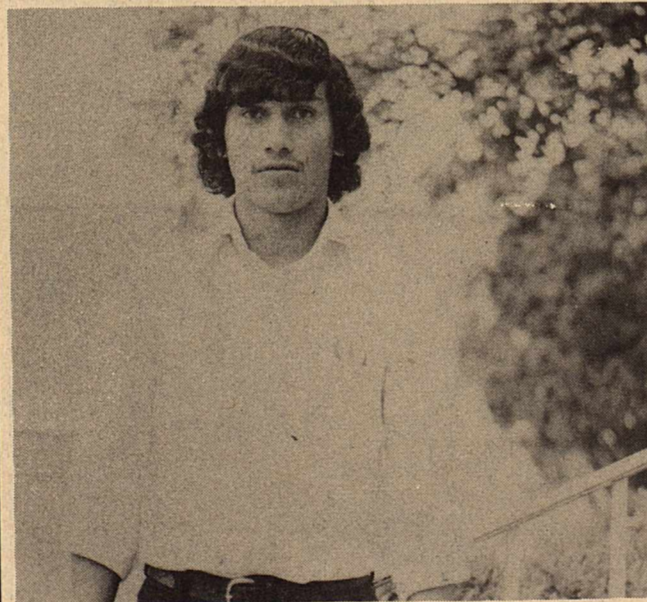
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**SHARON KAY CULVER**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Culver  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: National Honor Society, III, IV; GAA, II, III, IV; FHA, I; FTA, IV; Band, I, II, III, IV; yearbook staff, III, IV  
 SPORTS: Basketball, I, II, III; track, III  
 PASTIMES: Reading, sewing, riding around, dancing and being with friends  
 PLANS: I plan to marry and reside in Sonora. I also plan to continue working.

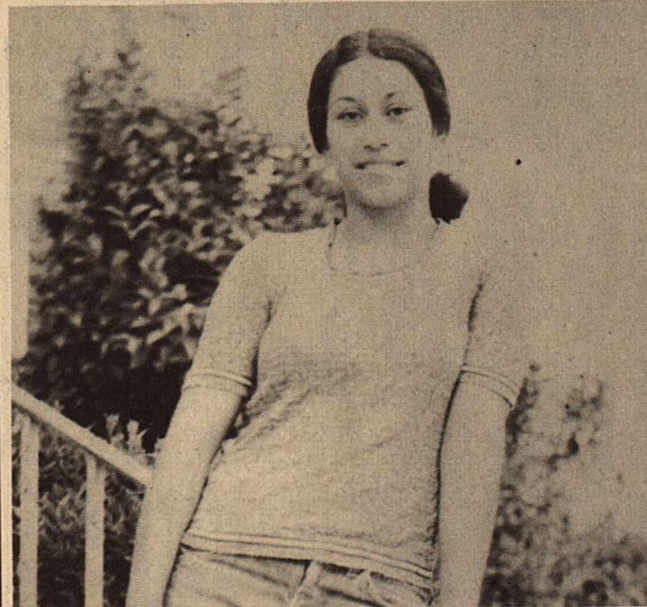
Congratulations From  
**Dresser Atlas**



**LOUIS CUMPIAN**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Cumpian  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Industrial Arts Club, I, II, III, IV  
 SPORTS: Baseball, IV  
 PASTIMES: Baseball, playing pool, listening to music  
 PLANS: I'm planning on working for about a year and then I will decide if I am going to college or not.

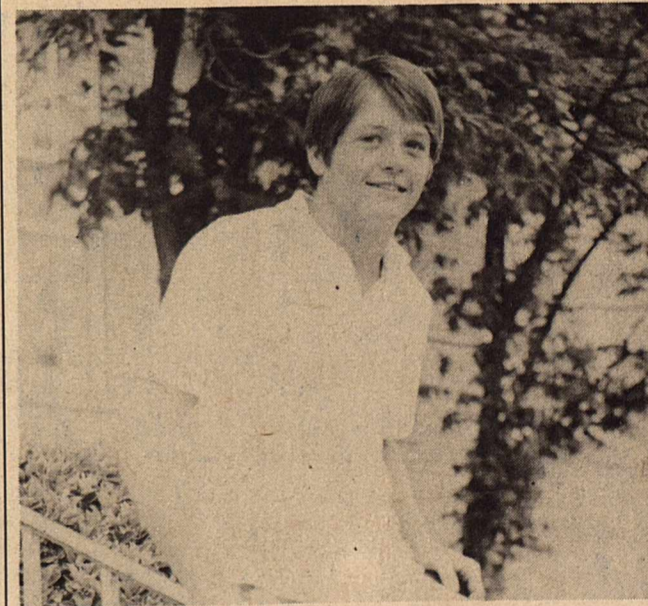
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**ROSA HERRERA CUMPIAN**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Cumpian  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: FHA; GAA, III  
 SPORTS: Track  
 PASTIMES: Reading, riding, fishing, jogging, hiking, dancing  
 PLANS: I plan to leave Sonora and go live somewhere else and find a job. I might end up going to college in Lubbock.

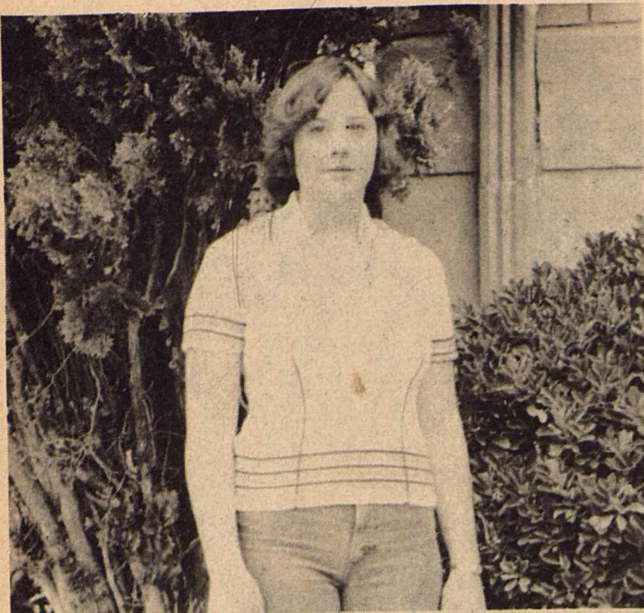
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**Caverns of Sonora**



**RICHARD DUNNAM**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Ray Dunnam  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Best Groomed, IV; Speech Club, IV; Fellowship of Christian Athletes, II, III, IV; choir, IV; National Honor Society, III, IV  
 SPORTS: Football, II, III, IV  
 PASTIMES: Hunting, fishing, riding motorcycles  
 PLANS: Attend Angelo State, major undecided

Congratulations From  
**Federal Land Bank**



**MELINDA EILEEN EARWOOD**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Armer F. Earwood  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: President of FTA (Future Teachers of America), IV; yearbook staff member, II, III; yearbook staff editor, III, IV; GAA, I, II, III, IV; Student Council secretary, III, IV; Speech Club, II, III, IV; class treasurer, I, II; National Honor Society, III, IV; Halloween Queen, III  
 SPORTS: Basketball, I, II; tennis, II  
 PASTIMES: Swimming, western dancing, sewing, playing tennis, riding horses  
 PLANS: Attend the University of Texas at Austin this summer and next fall, special education major. Would like to go camping in Utah or Wyoming

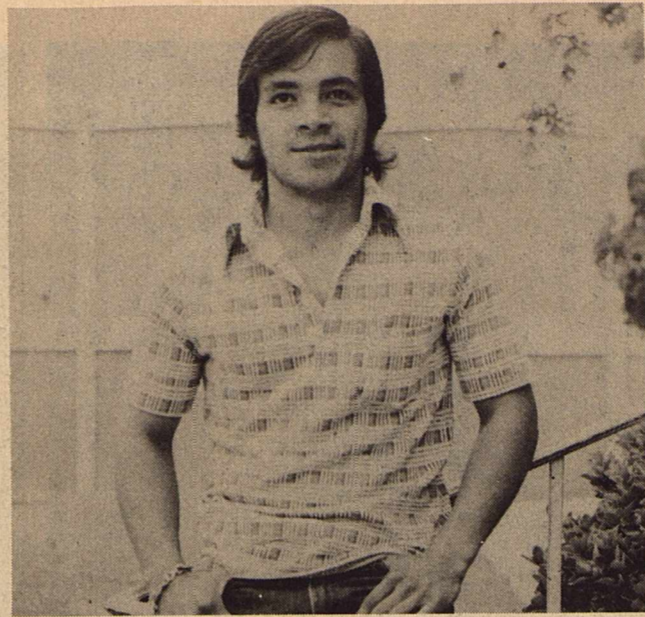
Congratulations From  
**Westerman Drug**



**ROSEMARY PEREZ ESPINOSA**

PARENTS: Mrs. Tomasa Perez  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Speech Club, IV; FHA, one year; GAA, three years; FTA, one year; office assistant, two years  
 PASTIMES: Dancing, Swimming, biking and running after my three year old Michael  
 SPORTS: Basketball, I; track, I  
 PLANS: Have not made any definite plans yet. Hopefully will go to college in fall at Angelo State

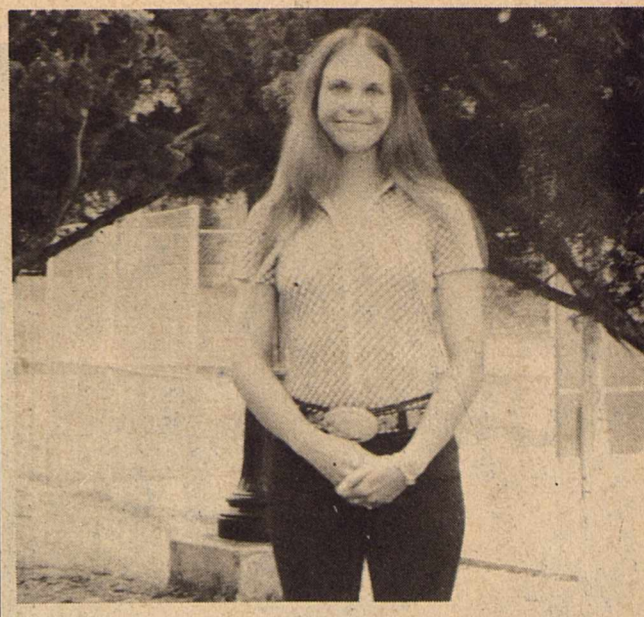
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**Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Co.**



**EDWARD FLORES**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Claudio Flores  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Industrial Arts Club, I, II, III; leathercrafts  
 SPORTS: Football, I, II, III; track, II  
 PASTIMES: Football, baseball, hunting, swimming, listening to good music and drawing  
 PLANS: Work for awhile, then go to a trade school

Congratulations From  
**Whitworth's Drive In Grocery**



**MAGGIE GALBREATH**

PARENTS: Margaret Galbreath and Billy Galbreath  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: English award, II; National Honor Society, II, III, IV; class secretary, III; 4-H Club president, IV; Student Council, I  
 PASTIMES: Horseback riding, swimming, working with all sorts of animals  
 PLANS: I plan to be married. I don't plan to attend college.

Congratulations From  
**Labenske Style Shop**



**MARY GAMEZ**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Max Gamez  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: National Honor Society, II, III, IV; Miss SHS nominee, IV; basic math II award, II; FHA parliamentarian, III; FHA president, IV; Student Council, IV; advisory committee, IV  
 SPORTS: Basketball, I, II, III, IV  
 PASTIMES: Bike riding, playing basketball and tennis  
 PLANS: Attend West Texas State University. Major, elementary education

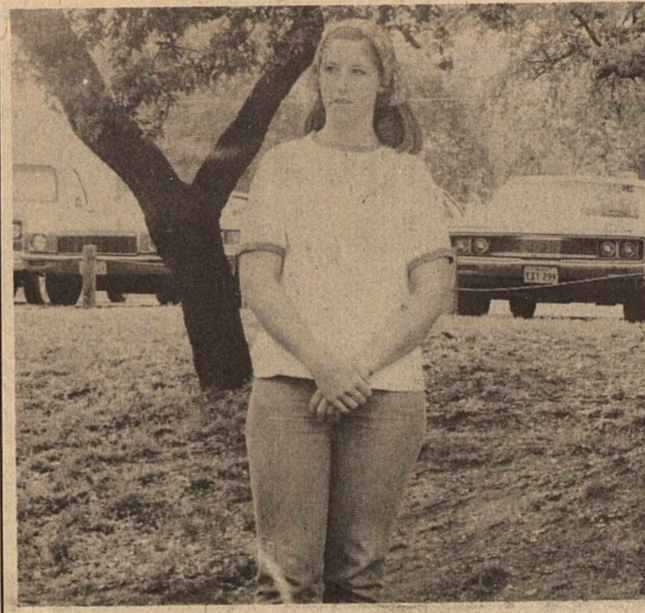
Congratulations From  
**First National Bank**



**BEATRICE GANDAR**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gandar  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: FHA, II, III, IV; choir, II, IV  
 PASTIMES: Football, dancing, and riding  
 PLANS: I plan to work.

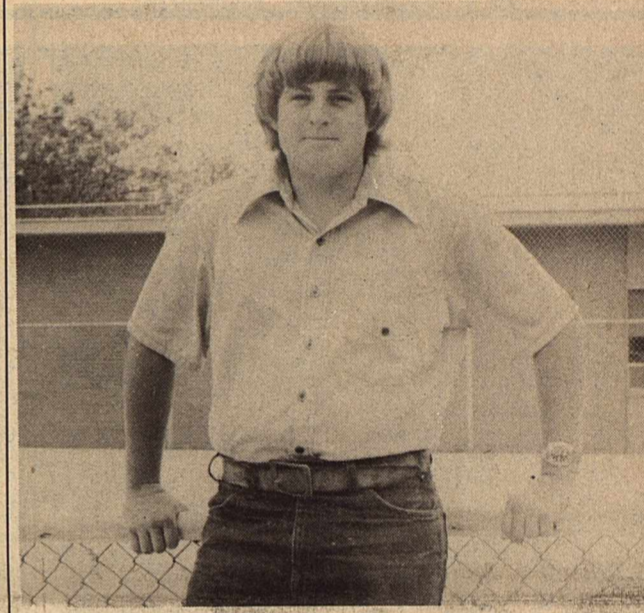
Congratulations From  
**Morgan & Hunt Insurance**



**LAURA GWEN GIBBS**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Nolen Gibbs  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Class favorite, III; no. 6 in the class; band, I, II, III, IV; twirler, III; drum major, IV; band sweetheart nominee, IV; National Honor Society, II, III, IV; treasurer, IV; GAA, I, II, III, IV; vice president, IV; 4-H Club, I, II, III, IV; secretary, IV; Speech Club, I, II, III, IV  
 SPORTS: Basketball, I, II, III, IV; lettered, II, III, IV; all-district, IV; captain, IV; Basketball Queen, IV; tennis, I, II, III, IV; lettered, I, II, III, IV; district and regional champ, IV; state semi-finalist, IV; track, I, II  
 PASTIMES: Dancing, playing tennis, water skiing, riding horses, and being outdoors  
 PLANS: I plan to attend Texas A&M in the fall and major in pharmacy.

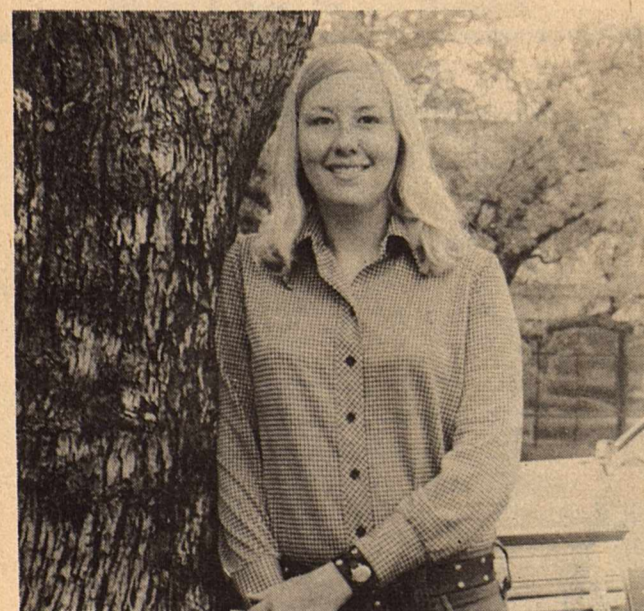
Congratulations From  
**H & H Feed & Trucking Co.**



**MARK GILLY**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Ben D. Gilly  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Band president, IV; Speech Club, II, III, IV; yearbook staff photographer, III; band, I, II, III, IV; Industrial Arts Club, I; newspaper staff, III  
 PASTIMES: Riding around town, motorcycles, photography, parties, listening to music, pool, foosball  
 PLANS: After graduation I plan to work for a year. I'm undecided where I plan to work. After a year I plan to go to college, probably Angelo State University.

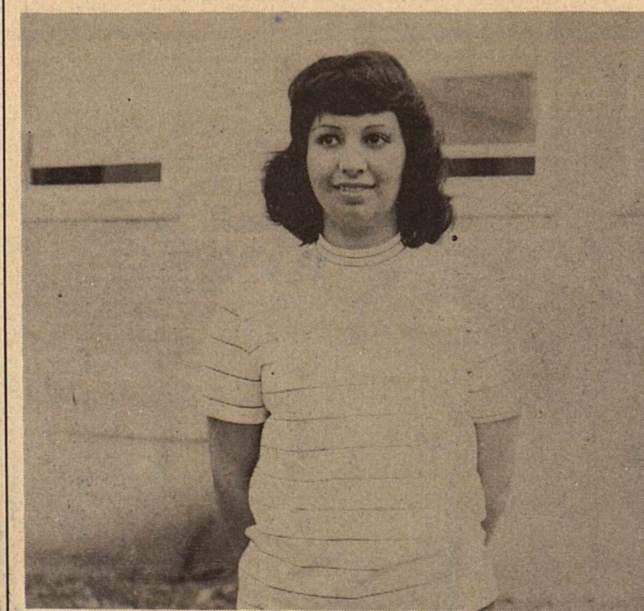
Congratulations From  
**Ken Braden Motor Co.**



**LAURA ANN HANUS**

PARENTS: Beverly and Bob Probst  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Art Club, Lake View High School, San Angelo, I, II, III  
 PASTIMES: I like nature and especially animals. Hunting and fishing. Painting with oil and acrylics, pencil drawing and sculpture  
 PLANS: I plan to major in art at ASU next year.

Congratulations From  
**French's Big Tree Restaurant**



**ROSEMARY HERNANDEZ**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Mario Hernandez  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: FHA, I, II, III, IV; GAA, 2 years; Speech Club, 2 years; annual staff, 1 year; FTA, 1 year  
 PASTIMES: Swimming, bicycling, horseback riding, tennis  
 PLANS: Attend West Texas State University, major undecided

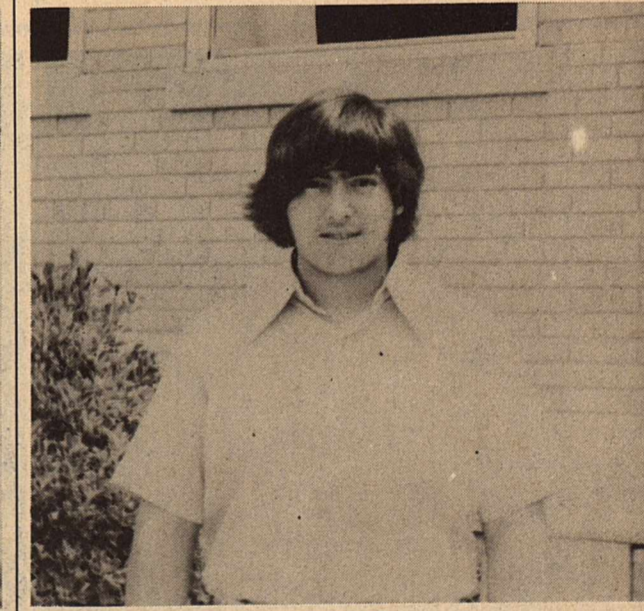
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**Glasscock Shell Station**



**LAVINA HERNANDEZ**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hernandez  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: FHA, IV; Speech Club, I; GAA, IV  
 SPORTS: Track, basketball  
 PASTIMES: Swimming, riding around, baking, listening to good music, bike riding  
 PLANS: I plan to work all summer then go to a business school in Lubbock in the fall.

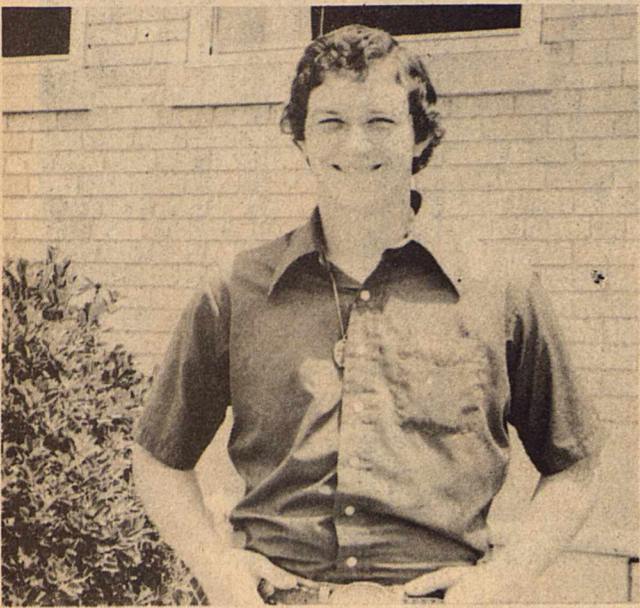
Congratulations From  
**White's Auto Store**



**SAMUEL DAVID HERNANDEZ**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Marciano Hernandez, Jr.  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: National Honor Society, IV; Student Council, I  
 SPORTS: Football, I, II, III  
 PASTIMES: Riding around and listening to music  
 PLANS: I plan to attend Angelo State University next fall and major in accounting.

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**Sonora Youth Center**

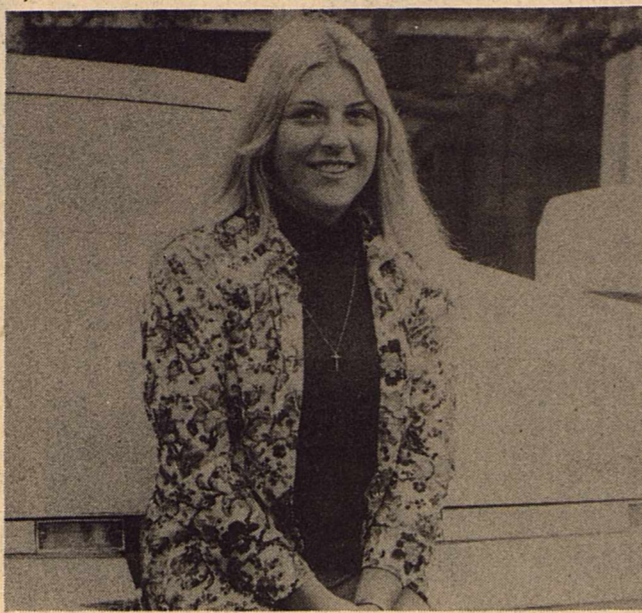


**LINDSEY PAUL HICKS**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Lin W. Hicks  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: National Honor Society, II, III, IV; president, III; Speech Club, I, II; Industrial Arts Club, II, III, IV; president, III; Fellowship of Christian Athletes, II, IV; secretary, IV; Student Council, I, II, III, IV; class representative, I, II, III; president, IV; class president, III; citizenship award, II  
 SPORTS: Football, I, II, III, IV; all-district defensive end and all-district offensive guard, IV; lettered, II, III, IV; basketball, I, II, III, IV; best shooting from the field award, IV; lettered, III, IV  
 PASTIMES: Rodeoing, water skiing, watching t.v.  
 PLANS: This summer I plan to work and rodeo. Next fall I plan to attend SMU at Dallas and major in Pre-Dentistry.

Congratulations From

**Carl J. Cahill, Inc.**



**DEBORAH LYNN HOWARD**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: National Honor Society, IV; cheerleader, IV; Lion's Club queen nominee, III, IV; Miss SHS nominee, IV; GAA, II, III, IV; FCA, IV; Speech Club, I, II  
 SPORTS: Basketball, I, II, III, IV; lettered, III, IV; tennis, I, II, III, IV; lettered, III, IV; basketball district honorable mention  
 PASTIMES: Horseback riding, sewing, swimming  
 PLANS: San Angelo Business College

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**Twin Oaks Motel**

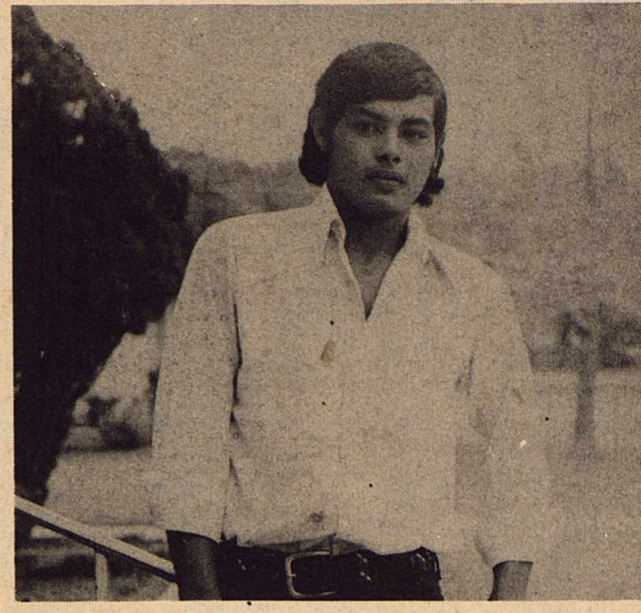


**CLAIRE LANGFORD**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Langford  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Government award, III; National Honor Society, III, IV; Who's Who Among High School Students; one act play, I, II, III; state girl's poetry, 1st, III; district all star cast, III; 2nd at state in poetry interpretation, IV; state winning play, II; state runner-up one act play I; Salutatorian, IV; GAA I, II, IV; Speech Club, I, II, III, IV; FTA, IV; Speech Club secretary, IV  
 SPORTS: Basketball, I, II; tennis I, II, III  
 PASTIMES: Speech activities, singing, reading, writing poetry  
 PLANS: I plan to attend Texas University after graduation. I intend to major in some speech related field.

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**Branding Iron Smokehouse**

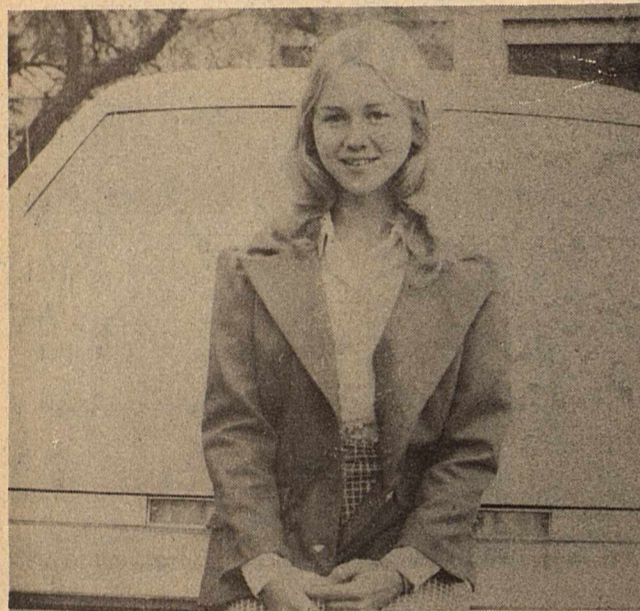


**JOHN O. LOPEZ, JR.**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. John Lopez  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Industrial Arts, I, II, III, IV  
 SPORTS: Baseball, IV  
 PASTIMES: Shooting pool, baseball, hunting, listening to music, riding around and having fun  
 PLANS: Plan to work for awhile, then attend Cisco College to study for motor mechanic (2 years)

Congratulations From

**Commercial Restaurant**



**BEVERLY JEAN McDONALD**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Mayhew (grandparents)  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Typing I award, II; biology award, II; chemistry award, III; cheerleader IV; National Honor Society, III, IV; Most Beautiful, IV; Best Groomed, IV; Lion's Club queen nominee, III, IV; Miss SHS nominee, IV; class secretary, IV; Student Council, III, IV; secretary, III; Future Teachers of America, IV; vice president, IV; GAA, I, II, III, IV; Fellowship of Christian Athletes, IV; Speech Club, I, II  
 SPORTS: Basketball, I, II, III, IV; varsity, III, IV; tennis, I, II, III; varsity, II, III  
 PASTIMES: Sewing, swimming, water skiing, travel  
 PLANS: I plan to get married and then attend Angelo State University in the fall and major in math.

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**C. G. Morrison Co.**

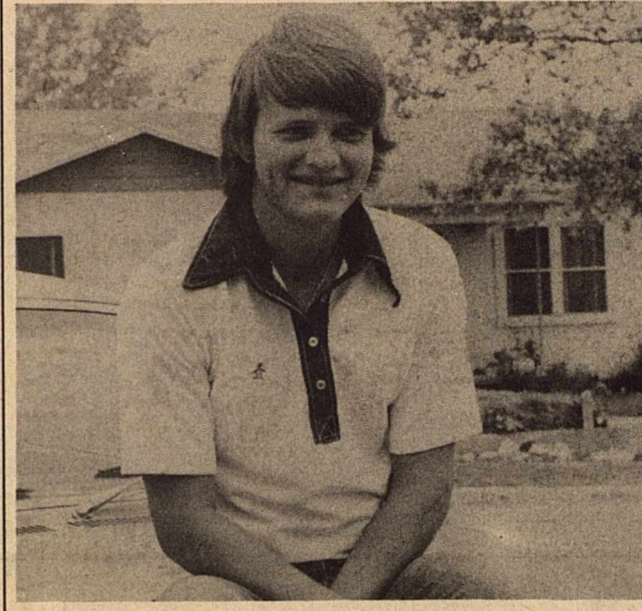


**JOSIE MATA**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Mata  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: FHA, II, III, IV; GAA, III; Choir, II  
 PASTIMES: Reading  
 PLANS: I plan to attend a beauty school in San Angelo.

Congratulations From

**Field's Caged Hen Ranch**

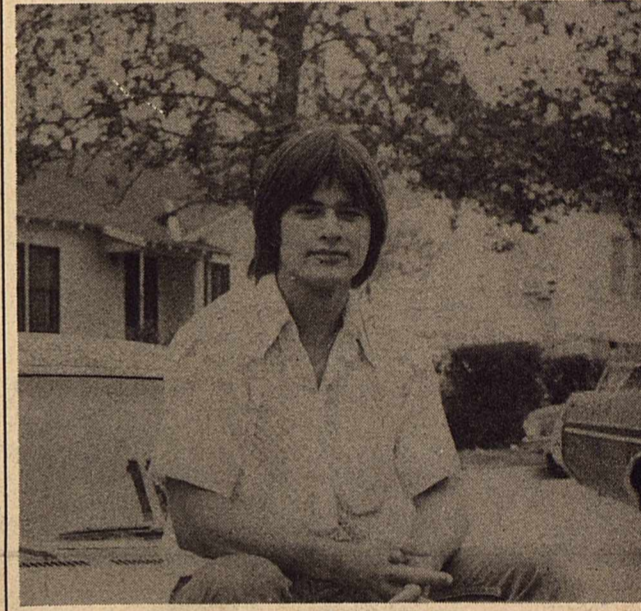


**MARK MILLIKEN**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy R. Harris  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Informative Speaking, III; district, 1st, regional, 3rd, Informative Speaking, IV; district, 1st; one act play, III; Speech Club, I, II, III; vice president, IV; FCA, III; Choir, II; Industrial Arts, I  
 SPORTS: Football, I, II; Basketball, I; Golf, I, II, III, IV  
 PASTIMES: Playing golf and baseball, water skiing, riding motorcycles, goofing around, playing foosball  
 PLANS: Attend college, Angelo State University. Major in psychology or government

Congratulations From

**Divide Cable Corp.**

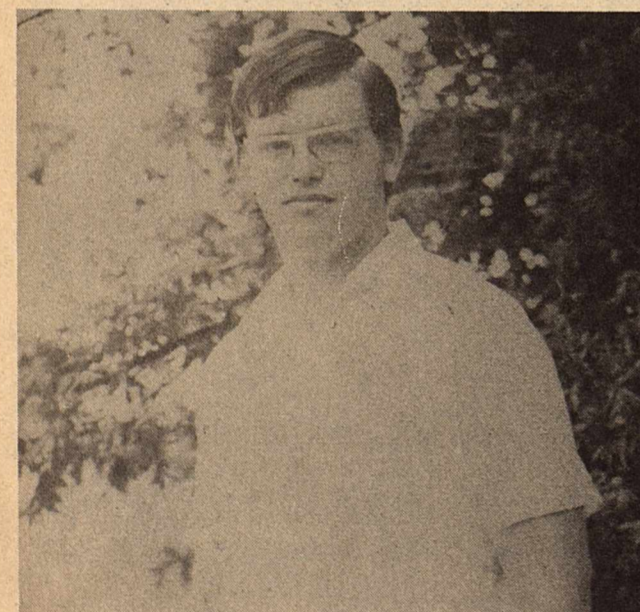


**CURT MOONEY**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Mooney  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Most Handsome, IV; Speech Club, I, II, III, IV; treasurer, III; president, IV; Industrial Arts Club, I; Fellowship of Christian Athletes, III, IV; Student Council, IV; speech and drama, one act play, district, regional, state, III; one act play, district, 3rd regional, III; prose reading, III, district; alternate at regional  
 SPORTS: Football, III, IV; basketball, I, II, III; tennis, I  
 PASTIMES: Play all kinds of sports, be with friends and have fun. Water skiing, hunting, fishing, motorcycling, and different kinds of work  
 PLANS: I plan to attend the University of Texas at Austin and either major in petroleum engineering or law. I plan to work here this summer either as a roughneck or roustabout.

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**Sonora Floral & Gifts**

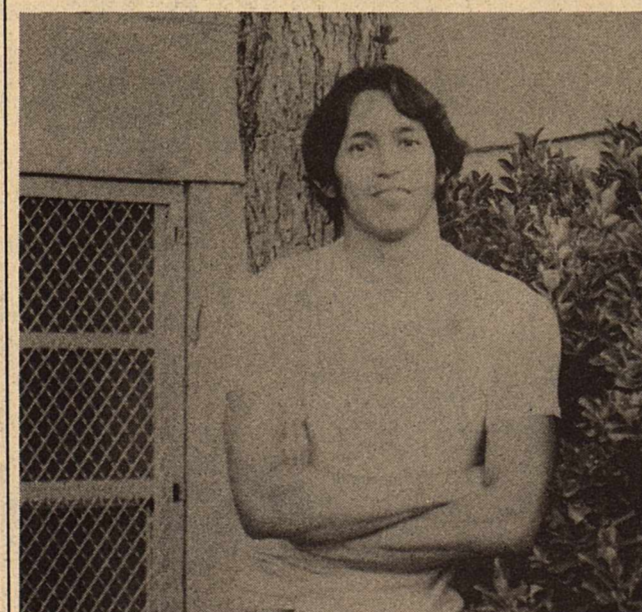


**MARK PARKER**

PARENTS: Jamie and Carol Parker  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Citizenship award, II; Industrial Arts Club, IV; Speech Club, I, II, III, IV; Fellowship of Christian Athletes; National Honor Society  
 SPORTS: Golf, I, II, III, IV; football, I, II, III, IV  
 PASTIMES: Watching t.v., driving around, playing softball, riding horses  
 PLANS: I plan to attend Baylor University next fall. I am thinking about majoring in accounting.

Congratulations From

**Neville's Department Store**

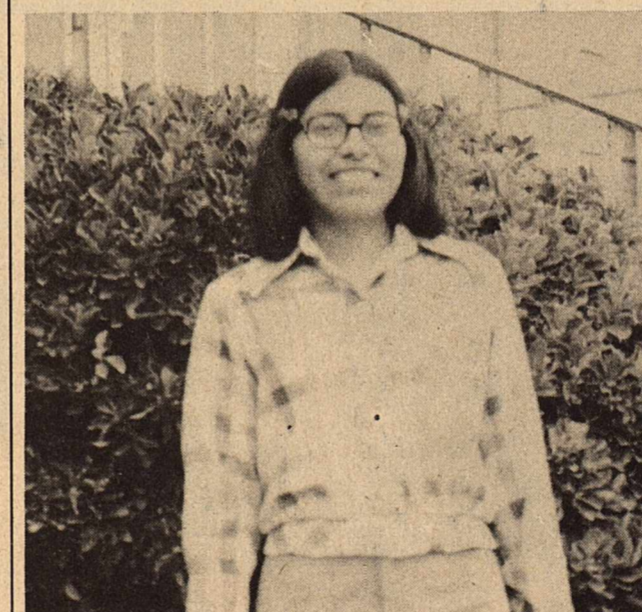


**JUAN C. PEREZ**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Francisco J. Perez  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Most Handsome, I; class favorite, III; shop I award; Industrial Arts Club; vice president, I, II, IV; Student Council, II, IV; class vice president, I, III, IV; FCA, II, IV; National Honor Society, IV  
 SPORTS: Football, I, II, III, IV; team captain, IV; all-district bothways; second team All West Texas on defense, IV; honorable mention defense, III; track, I, II, III; regional quarter qualifier and alternate on state qualifying mile relay, III; basketball, I; semi-pro baseball, IV  
 PASTIMES: Listening to music, traveling, messing around  
 PLANS: Southwest Texas State University at San Marcos. Major in some sort of health field and work to be a doctor

Congratulations From

**Thorp's Laun-Dry**



**MARGARITA SAN MIGUEL**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Victor San Miguel  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Class favorite, I; Spanish I award; English III award; Who's Who Among American High School Students, III; GAA, secretary-treasurer, IV; FHA, secretary, IV; National Honor Society, II, III, IV; choir, I  
 SPORTS: Basketball, I, II  
 PASTIMES: Reading, playing tennis  
 PLANS: Attend West Texas State University, major undecided. Work at DairyMart during summer

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**Dairy Mart**



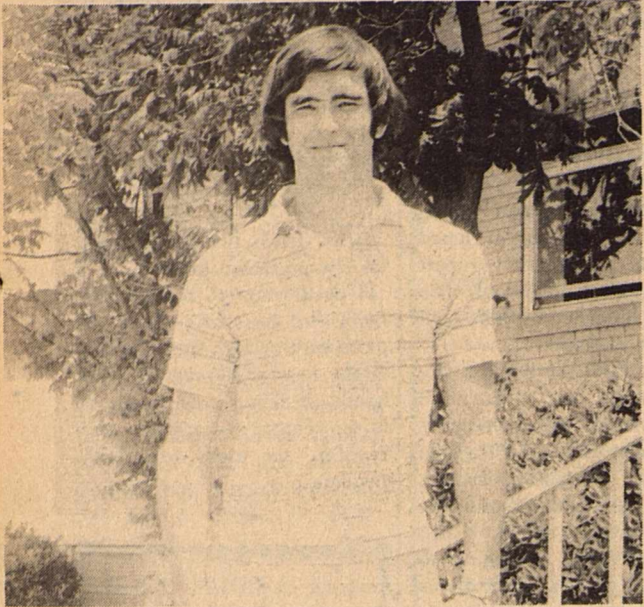
**JOHNNY SOLIS**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Mike Solis  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: FHA Beau, IV; Industrial Arts Club, I, II; leathercrafts, III; choir, II; FCA, II  
 SPORTS: Football, II, III, IV; track, II, III, IV; track captain; baseball, IV  
 PASTIMES: Football, weightlifting, fishing, hunting, listening to music, girls  
 PLANS: Plan to work for awhile and then attend Arizona Automotive Institute and major in motor mechanics

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**Brown Electrical Construction**



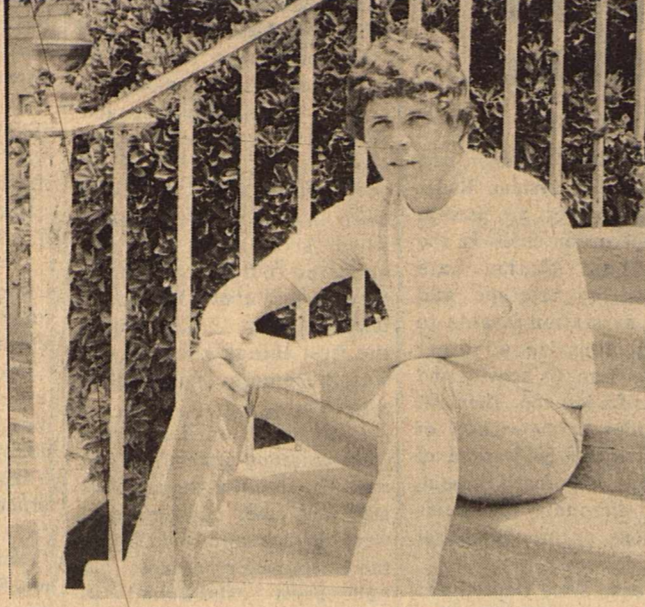


**WILLIAM MICHEAL STEWART**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stewart  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Most handsome nominee, II; 4-H, I, II, III, IV; FCA, II, IV; vice president, IV; Speech Club, IV; Industrial Arts Club, I, II, III  
 SPORTS: Football, I, II, III, IV; all-district and honorable mention, IV; track, III, IV; captain, IV; football captain, IV  
 PASTIMES: Fishing, hunting, skiing, and playing pool  
 PLANS: Go to college at Angelo State, major undecided

Congratulations From

**Thompson Texaco**

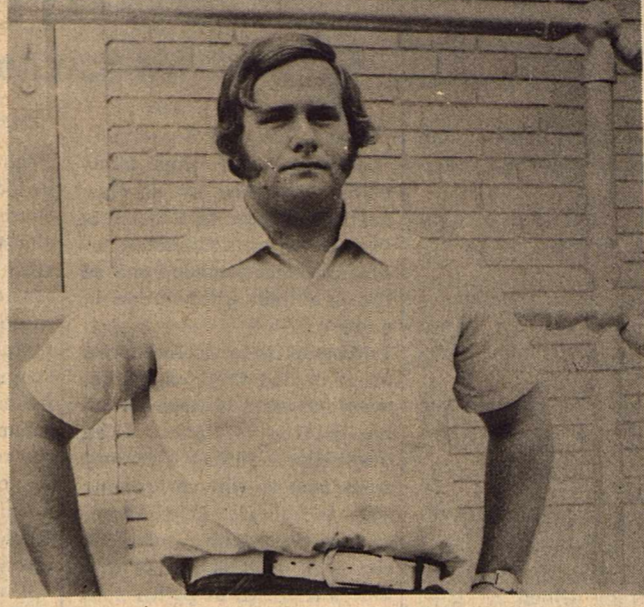


**RONNIE [SCOOTER] SURBER**

PARENTS: J. C. and Loma Surber  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Most Popular, III, IV; Mr. SHS, IV; Student Council representative, II (Rankin); class president, I (Rankin); Speech Club, III; class president, IV; vice president, Student Council, IV; Fellowship of Christian Athletes, I, II, III, IV; president, IV  
 SPORTS: Football, I, II, III, IV; 2nd team all-district defensive, IV; basketball, I, II, III, IV; track, I, II, III, IV  
 PASTIMES: Water skiing, baseball, dancing, riding around and girls  
 PLANS: Work this summer; attend Angelo State University for one year. Transfer to Texas Tech, major in Physical Education

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**Modern Way Grocery & Market**

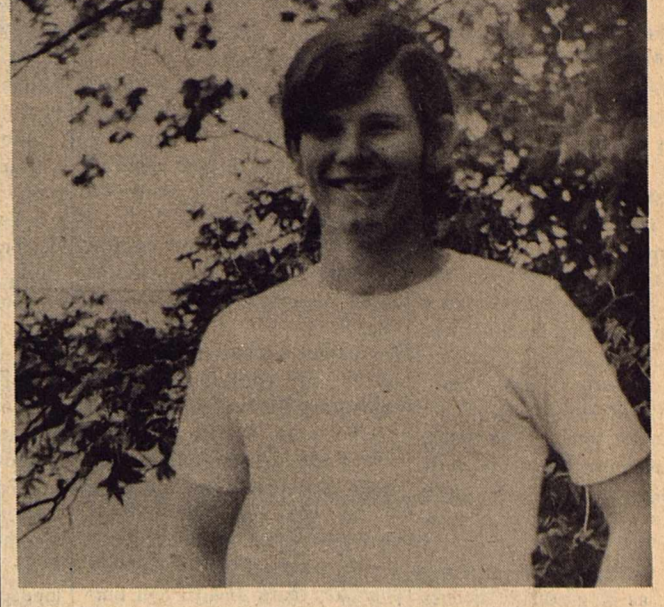


**DONALD THOMPSON**

PARENTS: W. J. and Jean Thompson  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: All-district football; all West Texas football; Industrial Arts Club, I, II, III  
 SPORTS: Football, I, II, III, IV  
 PASTIMES: Hunting, ranch work  
 PLANS: Go to college, Angelo State University. I plan to make a future out of law enforcement. Major, accounting

Congratulations From

**Sonora Electric**

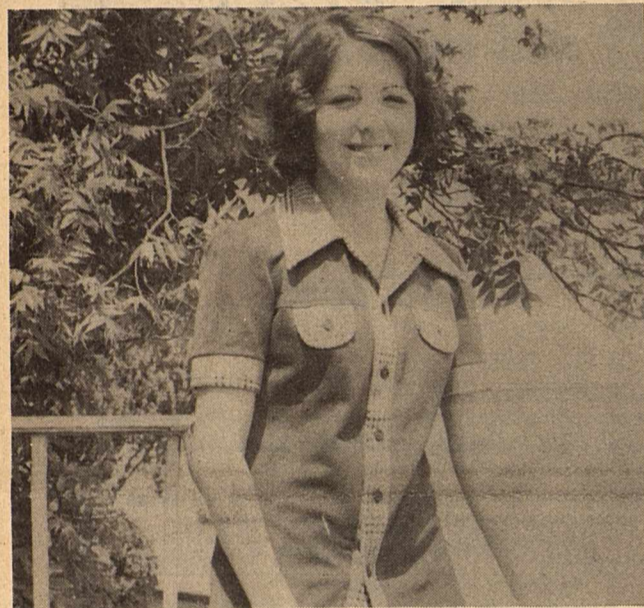


**DALE UPTON**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Upton  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Industrial Arts Club, III, IV  
 SPORTS: Junior varsity football, II; varsity football, III  
 PLANS: College - ASU

Congratulations From

**Sonora Abstract Co.**



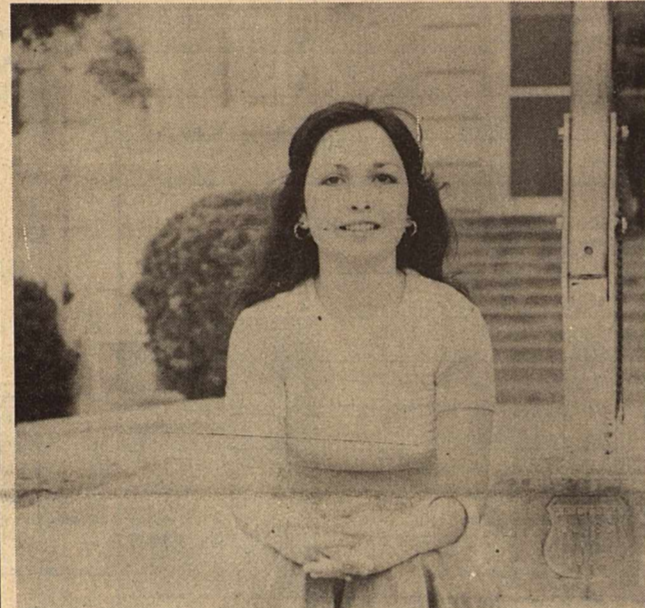
**ERNESTINE VAZQUEZ**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Raul Vazquez  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Most beautiful candidate and FHA Sweetheart; GAA; FHA, II, III; FHA treasurer; FHA vice president, III, IV  
 PASTIMES: Sewing, cooking, horseback riding, playing baseball, motorcycle riding, and listening to music  
 PLANS: I plan to go to Bauder Fashion College in Arlington, Texas. I want to go into the field of fashion designing, photography and modeling. I plan to work in the high school office for Mr. Mayfield and Mrs. Cook during the summer.

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**G T Trucking**

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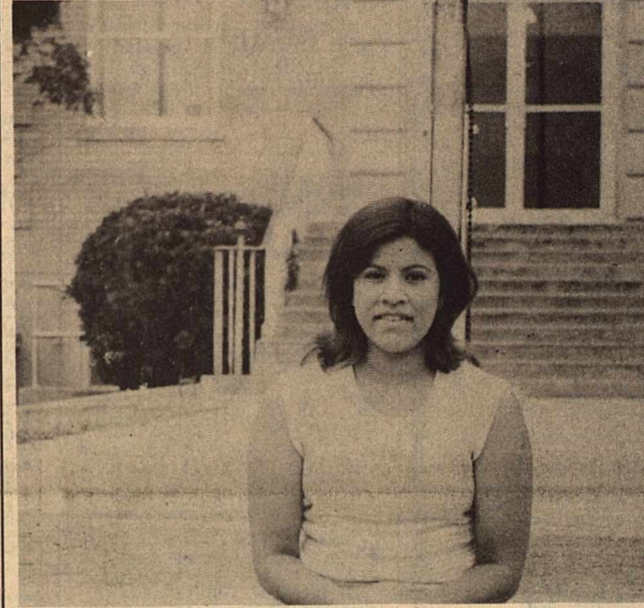


**ANN MARIE VILLARREAL**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Villarreal  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: National Honor Society, II, III, IV; twirler, III, IV; class favorite, IV; best groomed, III; band sweetheart runner-up, III; Band Sweetheart, IV; FHA, IV; Miss Winter, IV; Lion's Club queen candidate, III, IV; UIL flute ensemble, 1st division, IV; band, I, II, III, IV; choir, I, IV; FHA, III, IV  
 SPORTS: Track, I; basketball, I, II  
 PASTIMES: reading and sewing  
 PLANS: I plan to attend Texas Woman's University in Denton and major in fashion merchandizing.

Congratulations From

**Blackman's Texaco**



**NORMA ALICIA VIRGEN**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Virgen  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Band, I, II, III, IV; Speech Club, II, III, IV; GAA, II, III, IV; choir, II, IV; FHA, II, III, IV; yearbook staff, III, IV  
 PASTIMES: Bicycle and horseback riding and playing tennis  
 PLANS: Attend a nursing school in San Angelo

Congratulations From

**Sonora Wool & Mohair Co.**



**GREG WADLEY**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wadley  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Basic math I award; two class I solo medals; one class one ensemble medal; two class two ensemble medals; one class three solo medal; one regional band patch; band vice president, III, IV; Speech Club, IV; newspaper staff, III  
 SPORTS: Football, I  
 PASTIMES: Music, foosball, motorcycle riding, ping pong, traveling  
 PLANS: After graduation I plan to attend West Texas State University and major in music.

Congratulations From

**Gosney's**



**DEBORAH ELAINE WALL**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wall  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Choir, I, III  
 PASTIMES: Reading, horseback riding, listening to music, running around  
 PLANS: I plan to travel for awhile, but after that I haven't decided.

Congratulations From

**The Hurry-Up**

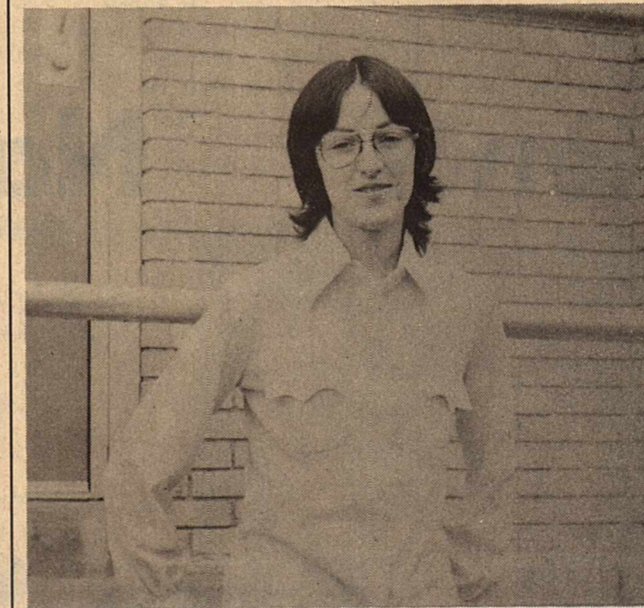


**CATHERINE MAE WARD**

PARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ward  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: No. 7 in class; National Honor Society, III, IV; Speech Club, I, II, III, IV; 4-H Club, I, II, III, IV; Future Teachers of America, IV; one act play, III  
 SPORTS: Tennis, I  
 PASTIMES: Riding and showing horses, drawing, working with animals  
 PLANS: Go to Texas A&M University and major in Animal Science

Congratulations From

**Ruth Shurley Jewelry**



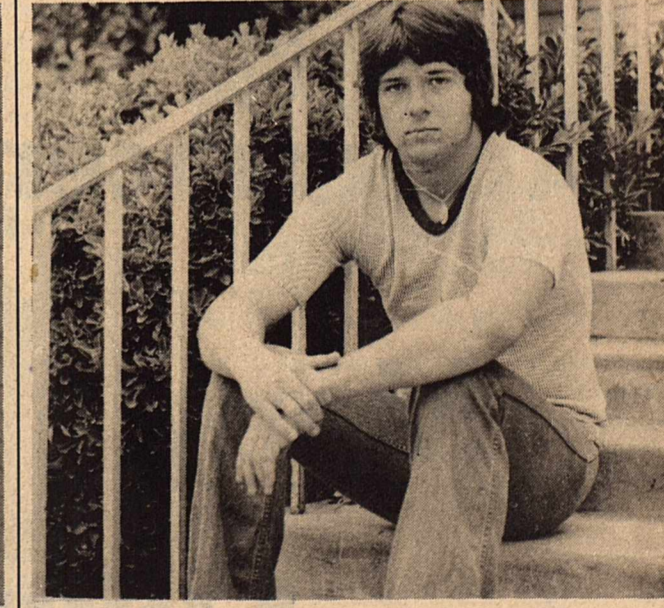
**BECKY WELCH**

PARENTS: Carlos and Shirley Welch  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Band, I; yearbook staff, III; GAA, III; FHA, I, II  
 PASTIMES: I like to ride horses and go to the ranch. I like working with old people.  
 PLANS: I plan to go to college at Angelo State University's nursing program and become a registered nurse.

Congratulations From

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Sonora Branch



**KYE R. WHITEHEAD**

PARENTS: Bill and Tina Whitehead  
 HONORS, OFFICES HELD: Class favorite, IV; Fellowship of Christian Athletes; Speech Club, I, II, III, IV  
 SPORTS: Football, I, II, III, IV; lettered, II, III, IV; basketball, III; track, III  
 PASTIMES: Swimming, roping, playing pool, trucking around, playing any sport  
 PLANS: I plan to work during the summer and then attend ASU in the fall as a sociology major.

Congratulations From

**G T Trucking**

Don Gridler

## A Bishop Looks at Life

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

"These Are Things That Make Me Happy"  
A few weeks ago The National Observer asked its readers to send in a list of the things that made them happiest. The response was so large and impressive that the editors chose a sampling to cover the whole front page and also a page inside. The heading was "Joy's Many Faces."  
This is such a good idea I hope it will spread. So, I am about to list some of the things that make me happy. (I hope you will do the same, and please send me a copy of your list!)  
--To watch a tree, in early spring, as it gradually breaks out in fresh green foliage.  
--To be laid hold upon, in a new way, by some deep truth or insight.

--To have honey for breakfast every morning.  
--To be surrounded by what has been called "maintenance love."  
--To be able to give some of this kind of love to someone who needs it.  
--To see an older couple holding hands, or a middle-aged couple, or a young couple.  
--To get a totally unexpected letter of appreciation for something I have said or done.  
--To read a column in a newspaper or magazine that really illuminates some aspect of the world today--or to hear such a program on television.  
--To meet a friend I haven't seen for years and to feel our closeness all over again.  
--To hear a really funny story that makes me laugh whenever I think about it--and that I can

tell to others.  
--To have a chance to smell gardenias, or honeysuckle, or petunias.  
--To see some hard-working person receive deserved recognition.  
--To find a truly dedicated doctor, or minister, or grocery clerk.  
--To feel, after something I have done or written, "That may not be good, but it's my very best."  
--To watch the morning sun stream thru a stained glass window.  
--To see someone do something supremely well, whether it's a tennis game, a work of art, or a bit of landscape gardening.  
--To discover a new eating place where everything is just right.  
--To find that I have my door key when I thought I had forgotten it.

## Health Tips

Texas Medical Association

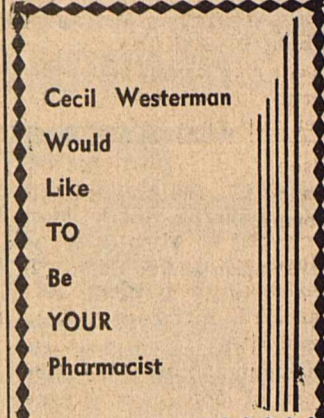
Mother nature has many faces. In spite of all her gentleness there is a destructive side as well. Consider, for example, the tornado, one of the deadliest phenomena in nature.  
Many of these violent storms occur during the springtime, when the earth is waking from its winter slumber. The destructive, whirling wind may strike almost without warning and seemingly at random, sweeping everything out of its way with a whiplash tail that moves in a narrow path across the land.  
At one time, about all that people could do to guard against being killed or injured by a tornado was to be on the alert for tornado weather and to move underground--into a storm cellar--when conditions warranted.  
While oldtimers had to rely on experience to assess the possibility of a tornado,

electronics plays a major part in today's alert system. Radar storm warning sets are used in almost all major cities in the state. These stations are connected by teletype and radio. Any station is able to instantly appraise all other stations of tornado activity and the path of a tornado. Then, all communities in the vicinity of the twister can be warned of the tornado's approach through normal channels of communications, or through special warning devices.  
The Texas State Department of Health has joined with other state and federal agencies and medical association in efforts aimed at disaster preparedness. It is ready to go into action in any emergency.  
If worse comes to worst, and a tornado does strike a community, the State Health Department can provide vaccine, public health engineering, medical emergency nursing know-how, and other

vital services, to stem the threat of disease or further complications while disaster relief is underway.  
One of the best examples of public health action following a highly destructive tornado occurred in Lubbock, five years ago.  
Although storm warnings were in effect, the tornado which actually hit the city appeared out of nowhere--forming just above the downtown section at 10 p.m. One of the first things knocked out was the emergency warning system.  
With much of Lubbock's communication system knocked out, the health department staff and other city personnel were on their own in following the emergency procedures that had been established in advance. Vaccines and other medical supplies were dug out of the demolished health department building for transfer to an emergency clinic.  
State Health Department engineers and other personnel arrived on the scene early the next morning. Food and drug investigators were assigned to Lubbock immediately and within a week had disposed of all spoiled foods and drugs. A

large supply of tetanus vaccine was sent by the Health Department laboratories. Rapid insect control activities were vital because of the large amounts of rain.  
As in all similar disasters, the one great lesson learned was the value of being prepared.  
Over the years, the National Weather Service has developed a system to accurately report severe weather conditions. The public is informed by radio and television advisories.  
For tornado activities, the terms used are "Tornado Watch", indicating the possibility of a tornado; "Tornado Warning", meaning that a tornado has been reported in the general area; and "Tornado Alert", meaning to act fast, that a tornado is known to be in the area.  
What can you do in the face of a tornado alert?  
If it's daylight, or if you can see the funnel advancing toward you, you may have time to move out of its path. If you have a storm cellar, you should move into it.  
If you can't get out of the way and you don't have a storm cellar, you can still protect yourself.  
In homes, open some

windows and then keep away from them. Get to the center of the house, or to a basement if there is one.  
In schools, move to pre-arranged shelter areas. Post a lookout if it can be done safely.  
In shopping areas, go to designated shelter areas.  
In mobile homes, evacuate the area. If no shelter is nearby, leave the trailer park for low protected ground.  
In open country, move away from the twister's path. If there isn't enough time, lie flat in the nearest depression with hands shielding your head. If heavy rains accompany the twister, be alert for flash flooding.



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**West Side Lions Elect Officers**  
Members of the West Side Lions Club met May 13 and elected Willie Gutierrez as president of the club for the coming year. Elected to serve as secretary was Abelino Sanchez, Jr., and Sam Perez was elected treasurer.  
The West Side Lions meet every second and fourth Tuesday at the Commercial Cafe and are open for membership.

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5 RECREATION	\$	\$
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(D) Submit proposals for funding consideration by May 5, 1975  
to Patricia D. Robbins. A copy of this report, and supporting documents, are open for public scrutiny at City Hall, Sonora, Texas 76950  
(E) ASSURANCES (Refer to instruction E) I assure the Secretary of the Treasury that the non-discrimination and other statutory requirements listed in Part E of the instructions accompanying this report will be complied with by this recipient government with respect to the entitlement funds reported hereon.

Norman W. Rousselot  
Signature of Chief Executive Officer  
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**Public Notice**  
NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING  
In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Courthouse in the town of Sonora, Texas, Sutton County, Texas, at 9:00 a.m., beginning on Tuesday, the 3rd day of June, 1975, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in Sutton County, Texas, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1975, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

Erma Lee Turner  
County Clerk

Sutton County, Sonora, Texas  
This 12th day of May, 1975  
1c38

**Card of Thanks**  
For those whose comfort meant so much to us in our time of grief, we offer heartfelt thanks. A special thanks to Dr. Charles Browne and to the staff at Hudspeth Hospital and Nursing Home for their kindness and aid. We were truly helped by the thoughtfulness shown to us at the loss of our father.

Beverly, Tommy and Lee Roy Valliant  
Martha, Melinda and Dean McLain 1c38

**Lost**  
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## PUBLIC NOTICES

BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST KNOW

**Notice of Highway Improvement or Construction**  
The Texas Highway Department offered an opportunity for public hearing to be requested by publication on February 20 and February 27, 1975 of a notice reporting the proposed improvement of R.M. Highway 1691 from 13.0 miles South of US 290 in Sonora, Southeast 5.3 miles. No requests for a public hearing were received; therefore, the Resident Engineer's Office at Sonora, Texas, has submitted all of the engineering data and information received in connection with the development of this project for approval of the proposed route and design to the District Office of the Texas Highway Department at San Angelo, Texas.

Construction will consist of grading, structures, base and surfacing. The location follows the general alignment of the existing road except for short sections of new alignment at either end of the project. The new roadway will consist of two lane, 20 ft. paved surface conforming to current secondary highway design standards. A minimum right-of-way width of 100 ft. will be required. There will be no relocation of dwellings or business establishments.

Maps and drawings showing the route and geometric design, environmental studies, and all other available data concerning the development of this project may be inspected and copied at the Resident Engineer's Office located at Sonora, Texas. 1c38

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS**

TO: WAYNE McKAY, Respondent, Greeting:  
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the District Court 112 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 9th day of June A.D. 1975, to Petitioner's Petition filed in said court, on the 26th day of March A.D. 1975, in this cause, numbered 1881 on the docket of said court and styled in the matter of the marriage of VICKI McKAY, Petitioner, AND WAYNE McKAY, Respondent. A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Suit for Divorce.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its 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 District Court[s] of Sutton County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Sonora, Texas, this 25th day of April A.D. 1975.

Erma Lee Turner Clerk,  
District Court 112  
Sutton County, Texas. 4c35

**NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING SONORA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

In obedience of an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the City of Sonora, Sutton County, Texas, at 9 o'clock a.m., beginning on Tuesday, June 3, 1975, and from day to day thereafter for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in the said Sonora Independent School District, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1975, and any and all persons interested, or having business with said Board, are here notified to be present.

DONE BY THE ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION of Sonora Independent School District, Sutton County Texas, at Sonora, Texas, the 15th day of May, A.D. 1975.

Mrs. Mary Adele Balch,  
Secretary Sonora Independent School District. 2c38

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

A Public Hearing will be held by the City of Sonora beginning at 2:30 local time on June 23, 1975, at the City Hall Sonora, Texas. The subject of the Public Hearing is the Proposed Construction of ADDITIONS TO THE CITY OF SONORA SEWER SYSTEM AND SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT.

In general, the Proposed Additions consist of the possible addition of the Sinaloa subdivision to the sewer system plus modifications to the sewage treatment plant to provide for City growth and improvement of sewage treatment to comply with State and Federal Regulations for discharge to the environment.

One of the purposes of this Hearing [meeting] is to discuss the potential Environmental Impacts of the project and alternatives to it.

Information about the Proposed Project including cost and financing, alternatives to the project, and environmental effects of all alternatives including a detailed description of the effects of the project on land use may be obtained from the office of the City Manager at the City Hall, Sonora, Texas.

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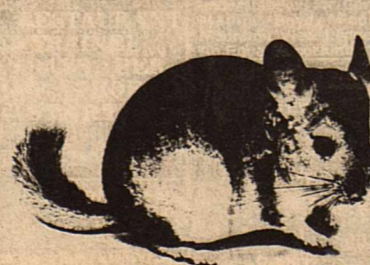
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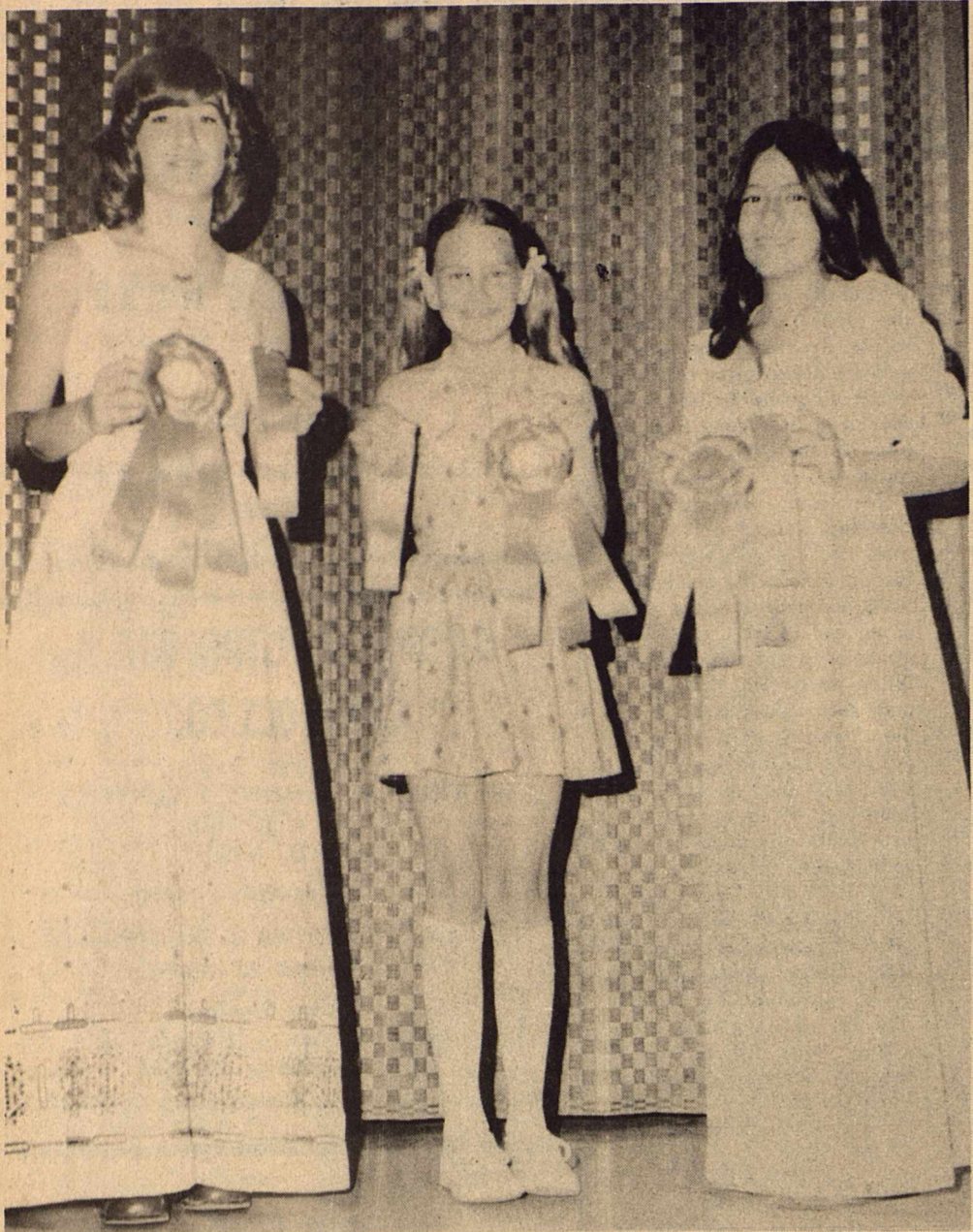
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Nancy Mooney, Karen Thompson and Celia Hernandez were rosette winners in Saturday's 4-H Dress Revue held at the 4-H Club. Miss Thompson won in the beginner division, Miss Hernandez, junior division, and Miss Mooney in the senior division.

### Sutton County's Oil Production For 1974 Totals 3,213,292 Barrels

Another 12 months of crude oil production at 100-percent of the maximum effective recovery rate in nearly all Texas fields has resulted in the second consecutive yearly dropoff in crude oil production in the nation's No. 1 energy state.

An output of less than 1.3 billion barrels of crude in 1974 was almost 32.5 million barrels below the 1973 figure and over 38.7 million barrels short of Texas' all-time record production year of 1972.

Texas' production last year continued to set the pace among this nation's oil producing states, representing approximately 39.4 percent of total U.S. production, according to statistics compiled by Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association.

In 85 years, Texas' oil fields have produced over 39.1 billion barrels of crude oil, approximately 36.2 percent of total recorded U.S. production.

"The continuing and accelerating decline in production from Texas fields again points up a national crisis -- an almost inevitable increase in U.S. dependence on insecure, higher-priced foreign crude oil for this country's basic energy needs," said the Association's president, Sherman Hunt, an independent Dallas oilman.

"With about 63 percent of U.S. production under strict federal price control, producers are caught in the squeeze between an arbitrary price ceiling far below the price of foreign oil and the skyrocketing cost of finding and developing domestic reserves. It remains the Congress' responsibility to adopt economic policies which will encourage rather than hinder the search for new supplies of energy. Only in this way can this downward trend in domestic crude oil production in Texas and elsewhere be reversed," Hunt said.

Sutton County, which has had recorded production since 1948, last year produced 232,610 barrels of oil at the rate of 637 barrels per day.

Production in 1974 boosted Sutton County's production total through the end of the year to 3,213,293 barrels.

In 1974, some 31 counties produced more than 10 million barrels of crude oil, with Anderson and Kleberg counties dropping below that mark and off the list compiled last year. The top seven, all with production in excess of 51 million barrels, retain generally the same order as in 1973 with one notable exception: Yoakum County has moved into the No. 2 spot ahead of Ector County.

Gregg County, the only Texas county to produce more than two billion barrels of oil in the history of recorded production, remains the all-time leader with a cumulative production total through 1974 of almost 2.5 billion barrels.

### Two Sonorans Awarded Degree From SWTSU

Samuel R. Perez and David Lee Wuest were among the near 1,000 degree candidates who received diplomas from Southwest Texas State University in spring commencement ceremonies held May 17.

The commencement address was delivered by Congressman Bob Krueger.

Perez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Salome Perez, Jr., received a bachelor of science degree in elementary education. Wuest, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wuest, was awarded a bachelor of science in education degree with a physical education major.

### Archie Ory Rites Held May 15

Services for Archie Ory, 71, longtime resident of Eldorado, were held May 15 at the First Baptist Church in Eldorado. Burial was in Sonora Cemetery. The Rev. Kenneth Vaughn of Comanche officiated.

Mr. Ory died May 14 in a San Angelo hospital.

He was born October 31, 1903 in Sonora and married Edna Ensley July 18, 1936 in Eldorado. He had been an employee of the Derrick Ranch in Eldorado the past 22 years.

Surviving him are his wife, one brother, Perry Ory of Monahan; and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Rucker Clark, Howard Derrick, Gary Derrick, Horace Linticum and Sam Henderson, Sr., of Eldorado and Bob Skurlock of Comanche.

### Hooper Team Takes 2 Wins

The softball team from Hooper Trucking Company took two wins last week, defeating the team from Tom Brown Drilling 12-2 and defeating City employees 20-4.

On May 12 the City lost to Dowell 24-4 and Amaco lost to Brittain 17-7. In May 13 games Brown Electric defeated Dresser Atlas 16-9 and Tom Brown edged by Dresser 19-18 on May 15. Brown Electric lost to HNG 21-14. On May 16 McCullough Services defeated the Brittain team 7-10.

These scores are all compiled by Bud Lee Whiddon.

Tonight (Thursday) Brown Electric will meet Intratex and Amaco will play the City of Sonora. On Friday HNG will be pitted against Brittain and Dresser against McCullough Services. No games will be played Monday due to the Memorial Day holiday. On Tuesday Amaco and McCullough and Dowell and Intratex will meet.

The Wednesday, May 28 games will see Tom Brown play against the City and Hooper against Dresser Atlas.

### Dress Revue Winners Named

Rosette winners in Saturday's Sutton County 4-H Dress Revue were Karen Thompson in the beginner division, Celia Hernandez in the junior division and Nancy Mooney in the senior division.

The revue was held at the 4-H Center and was followed by a reception. Judges were Ms. Mary Robertson of Mertzton, Ms. June Martin of Mertzton, and Ms. Karen Homer and Ms. Gloria Swift of Eldorado.

Other winners in the beginner division were Lora Lee Kordzik, Jennifer Spencer and Lisa Webster, blue ribbons, and Laura Preston and Natalie Holquin, red ribbons.

In the junior division blue ribbon recipients were Marla Van Hoozer, Annabelle Gonzales, Valerie Tedford, Mickey Mooney, Leticia Chavez, Nora Galindo and Marina Hernandez. Red ribbon winners were Norma Jacobo and Donna Mooney. Stacy Chandler, Anita Duran, Darla Mobley, Cissy Gallegos, Mercy Stratis, Brenda Bowen, Betty Moore and Patricia Perez received white ribbons.

Margie Gutierrez and Mary Sue Galindo won blue ribbons in the senior division.

Project leaders for the classes were Meses. Barbara Savell, Agnes Mooney, Wanda Van Hoozer, Ralph Arnett, Santos Hernandez, Linda Smith, Gloria Lopez, Pedro Galindo, Jr., Valentina Gallegos, Wanda Mobley, Bill Webster and Andy Holquin.

### The Following 1975 Graduates Have Selected American Tourister Luggage

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| Mark Parker        | Josie Mata          |
| Mike Stewart       | Sam David Hernandez |
| Beverly McDonald   | Richard Dunnam      |
| Edward Flores      | Elba Adams          |
| Rosemary Hernandez | Cathy Ward          |
| Melinda Earwood    | Norma Virgin        |
| Claire Langford    | Paul Browne         |
| Ann Villarreal     | Sharon Culver       |
| Rosemary Espinosa  | Laura Gibbs         |

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### Heart Memorials

Recent memorial made to the American Heart Association include the following:

**In memory of:**

**Mr. Arch Ory** by Mr. and Mrs. Cashes Taylor

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**Mr. L. R. Valliant** by Mr. and Mrs. Cashes Taylor

**Mrs. Ida Williams** by Mrs. Ed Mayfield

**Mrs. Tib Tibbets** by Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Cain and Scott

**Mrs. Prudie Ridley** by Mrs. Libb Wallace

**Mrs. W. R. Nix** by Mrs. Suelama Byrd

**Mr. A. B. Whitehead** by Mrs. Stella Keene, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Cauthorn

**Mrs. Clyde Gardner** by Mrs. Libb Wallace

**Mrs. Stella Altizer** by the Rev. and Mrs. Lea Roy Aldwell

**Mrs. Joe Beth Blake** by Mr. and Mrs. Mack Cauthorn, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Queen

**Mr. Tom Drennan** by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Neill, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Carroll

**Mrs. Myrtle Curry** by Mrs. Alice Jones

**Mr. J. Wray Campbell** by Mrs. Charlotte Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fields, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Carroll, Mrs. Alvis Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Black, Mr. and Mrs. Gil Trainer, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Cahill

**Mr. Andrew Moore** by Mrs. Charlotte Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Carroll, Mrs. Ed Mayfield, Mrs. Ruby Dameron

**Mrs. Dorothy Taylor** by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fields, Wesley Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Queen, Mrs. Hattie Epps, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Black, Mr. and Mrs. Gil Trainer, Mrs. W. W. McCutchen, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Davenport

**Mrs. Edna Malstrom** by Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Carroll

**Mr. Jack McDermott** by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Queen

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**Mr. Harold Schwienging, Sr.**, by Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Carroll, Mrs. J. W. Alley, Mr. and

Mrs. Cashes Taylor

**Alvis Johnson** by Mrs. Alvis Johnson

**Elmo Johnson** by Mrs. Alvis Johnson

**Mrs. John Petty** by Mrs. J. W. Alley

**Mrs. Moody Bennett** by Mrs. J. W. Alley

**Dr. Garland Holstead** by Mr. and Mrs. Cashes Taylor

**Mr. John T. Hardin** by Mr. and Mrs. Cashes Taylor

**Dr. J. F. Howell** by Mr. and Mrs. Cashes Taylor

**Mr. Howard Westfall** by Mr. and Mrs. Cashes Taylor

**Mrs. W. A. Smith** by Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vicars

**Mrs. C. B. Bethel** by Mr. and Mrs. Vyron Freeman

**Heart memorials may be sent to Mrs. Lea Roy Aldwell, Box 437, Sonora, Texas.**

### Police Reports

An accident at Menard and Oak Streets May 14 sent Roy Luna to the hospital with minor injuries. The accident occurred at 10 p.m., and involved vehicles driven by Debra Wall and Rafael Arredondo. Luna was an occupant in the Arredondo vehicle.

Officer Jerry Kemp investigated a report of a prowler at the Dorothy Taylor residence May 15 at 12:15 a.m. No suspect was apprehended.

On May 18 at 106 Poplar Street Isabel Gomez Guerra was involved in a traffic accident that resulted in the damage of three automobiles in addition to her own. Her vehicle struck a vehicle belonging to Mike Dillard doing extensive damage. The accident also resulted in minor damage to a car and a pickup belonging to Byerl Dillard. She was charged with failure to control speed to avoid an accident.

Only three traffic citations were issued during the week.

No place affords a more striking conviction of the vanity of human hopes than a public library.

### Sorority Seeking New Applicants

Members of the XIXI Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority in Eldorado are seeking applicants to the community minded organization. There are 21 members of the chapter and anyone desiring to join the Eldorado chapter may call Mrs. Becky Isenberg (387-2097) or Mrs. Rose Berry (387-2270).

The sorority is an international organization with 10,000 chapters and 250,000 members. Local chapters meet twice a month for business meetings and once per month for socials, which includes parties and the annual Queen of Heart's Ball in San Angelo.

The Eldorado chapter is responsible for many projects including the furnishing of the Schleicher County Medical Building, providing clothing for the medical center and sponsoring a girl at the Concho Valley Home for Girls in San Angelo.

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