Recap Of 1975 Happenings

JANUARY

Sonorans awakened Christmas morning to an almost white Christmas. Ice covered Sutton County and surrounding areas, blacking out power throughout the city and inrural areas.

Funeral services were held December 26 for Elmo Johnson.

James McLaughlin was named fireman of the year at the Sonora Fire Department's annual Christmas party.

Mrs. Edna Malstrom died in a Kimble County Hospital following a long illness.

Funeral services were held in the First Methodist Church with burial in Sonora Ceme-

Dr. Charles F. Browne was awarded a memorial plaque hospital and his patients. Th plaque was given to th doctor by hospital administ tor, Gene Martin, in behalf the Board of Trustee of Hudspeth Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Criles Draper became paren of a son, Edward Raymon

An epidemic of f swept over Sutton Count appar-

4-H Livestock Show

54 4-H rembers will 45 lambs or lamb carcasses | mohair judging, range &

tioneer. A barbeque luncheon

will be served at 11:30 a.m.

Buyers may bid as much as

they like in the auction sale,

sale lambs and \$125.00 per

head for the champion lambs.

amounts goes into the 4-H

fund to support other 4-H

One lamb will be sold in a

Chinese Auction to raise

money for other 4-H activi-

ties and to help finance the

4-H Center. The 4-H Center

has been painted inside and

out this fall, a new door has

been installed at the front of

the building, the roof has

been repaired and other

improvements are planned

when funds become available.

Other 4-H activities sup-

ported by funds raised at the

sale include the 4-H Horse

Show, the 4-H Ball, 4-H

Camp, a 4-H Achievement

prior to the sale.

exhibit 188 nimals during will be sold in the auction

the 1976 4-HLivestock Show sale with Mr. L. P.

scheduled Jauary 5, 9 and Bloodworth serving as auc-

be provided by Nathan's but the 4-H member will

Jewelers of San Angelo, receive a ceiling price of

Sonora Food Center, First \$100.00 per head for regular

Lumbe Company, White's All that is bid above these

events will be at 12 noon party, Livestock judging,

Saturday, January 10 when Horse judging, wool &

activities.

10. These vestock exhibits

will include 60 crossbred

lambs, 98 fnewool lambs, 17

Angora gots and 13 rabbits.

Nationa Bank, Foodway

Stores, Foxworth-Galbraith

Auto Store, Federal Land

Bank, Twin Oaks Motel, Ruth

Shurley Jewelry and the

Judges will include Werner

Lindig of Bandera, who will

judge market lambs and

angora goats; James A. Grav

of San Angelo, Dr. Frank

Orts of College Station, and

Dr. George Ahlschwede of

San Angelo, who will serve

on the lamb carcass judging

committee; Gary Coates of

Christoval, who will judge

market rabbits; Hoot Nix.

Butch Taylor, Robert Lang-

ford and Max Tomlin of

Sonora, who will judge

Highlights of the scheduled

showmanship.

Sonora Lion's Club.

Trophie for the show will

grass judging, 4-H Dress

Revue, 4-H Food Show and

other special 4-H activities.

Services Held

Mrs. Kisselburg

Funeral services were held

December 20 at the First

Baptist Church for Mrs. Della

Kisselburg. Burial was in

Mrs. Kisselburg died Dec-

Born December 4, 1895 in

Wilbarger County, she mar-

ried George Kisselburg Jan-

uary 10, 1915 in Fargo. They

had lived in Sonora since

Among her survivors are

her husband; a son, Harvey

Kisselburg of Eldorado; four

daughters, Mrs. Mary Delrie,

Mrs. Georgia Middleton.

Mrs. Pinky Roming and Mrs.

Nettie Shaffer, all of Sonora;

two sisters, Mrs. Lizzie Wiley

of Shreveport, La., and Mrs.

Lee Kisselburg of Bakersville,

California; 17 grandchildren

and 21 great-grandchildren.

ember 18 at her home after a

Dec. 20 For

Sonora Cemetery.

long illness.

ent the West Coast Variety. | Scol attendance was down strely and the local pital was full to overwing.

At a meeting of the in appreciation of 24 years of Aldermen of the City of loyal service to the local Sonora, approval was given for the drilling of another water well to supply Sonorans the water needed for spring and summer months.

Epsy Whitehead and David Love were first place winners in the 28th annual Livestock Show and Sale Carcass Lamb Show. Love won for his entry in the finewool division and Whitehead's lamb was entered in the crossbred

Debbie Ann Zapata and Clay Friess were blue ribbon winners in the Sutton County 4-H Club's Annual Show and Sale.

Mrs. Mamie Awalt died after an extended illness. Burial was held in Sonora Cemetery following funeral services at First Methodist Church.

Blaine Crawford, Beverly McDonald and Laura Gibbs were senior high school students named to the third six-week's honor roll.

Susan Gurley McBee was sworn in as member of the Texas House of Representatives.

Final rites were held at St. John's Episcopal Church for Harold Schwiening, Sr., who died at his home January 19.

Ten ex-Sonora students, Cathy Boyd, Tryon Fields, Jimmy Galindo, Jose Lopez, Audrey McFadden, Sue Ann Dillard, Cynthia Ann Feagin, Jessie McCutchen, Marsha Patton and Letticia Reyes, all made the Dean's Honor List at Angelo State University.

Timothy Wade Allison was killed in an automobile accident five miles east of Barnhart.

Mrs. Winnie W. McPherson was elected a director of First National Bank.

Funeral services were held in the Ozona Methodist Church for Howard Lee Westfall. He died in the San Angelo Shannon Hospital.

Mike Sipes was elected president of the newly organized Jaycee program.

Miss Sherri McKee and Rex Taliaferro were wed in Baptist ceremonies held in Coleman.

School enrollment, according to Supt. Joe Andrews, was still rising and was listed at 1,025 pupils.

Andrew Moore, Jr., was seriously injured when the pickup truck he was driving overturned ten miles east of Eldorado.

Funeral services were held in Rotan for W. A. Hancock, father of the Rev. J. C. Hancock.

Sheila Alexander and Laura Gibbs combined their efforts

points when the Sonora girl's basketball team hosted the Ozona Lions.

The team of Batts Friend, Tony Renfro, Jerry Hamilton, Mary Barrow and Elaine Donaldson took first place in the Scotch Foursome Tournament at Sonora Golf Course.

FEBRUARY

Claude Flores, employee of Hudspeth Hospital, completed the Food Service Supervisors School in San Angelo.

James Centilli took over managership of the C. G. Morrison Variety Store, fol- Buried Monday lowing the retirement of Tracey Metcalfe.

City Police were searching for an unidentified vehicle that was engaged in a car pedestrian incident that struck John Digby, causing him serious injury.

James Hunt was reelected president of the Mohair Council of America.

An explosion at the Frontier Lounge ripped out large portions of the floor, sending tables and chairs flying to the ceiling. The explosion was blamed on an accumulation of gas. No injuries were reported.

Mr. John Dillard, father of Byerl Dillard, was buried in Sonora Cemetery following funeral services at First Baptist Church. Following a long bout with

cancer, Mrs. Lillian Archer died in the Menard Nursing Home. Graveside services were held at Sonora Ceme-

Visiting in Sonora was Congressman Bob Krueger, who held an informal talk session at the Commercial

Local coaches attended the Region 8 Texas High School Coaches Clinic held in Del Rio. Bill Bundy and five other high school coaches attended. A number of dogs in the

area have been poisoned by person or persons unknown. Type of poison being used in the animal deaths, was the illegal poison, strychnine.

Six Sonora youths were named to represent Sonora in and scored a total of 66 the District Food Show. They

Charles West Jr. Promoted

District Engineer D. R. Watson, State Department of Highways and Public Transportation (DHT), of San Angelo, has announced that Charles W. West, Jr. is now Assistant Maintenance Foreman to Maintenance Construction Supervisor William B. Fletcher of San Angelo.

West, a graduate of Sonora City of Sonora Aldermen High School, went to work would not accept General there for former Resident Telephones rate increase Engineer R. A. McCulloch in 1959. From 1960 to 1963, he Graveside services were served a three year enlistheld for Mrs. Prudie Ridley ment in the U.S. Army and returned to work for the A routine drivers license Department after his dis-

> charge. West has worked in both the engineering offices and maintenance sections during his past years with the DHT. He was promoted to Engi-

BLAINE CRAWFORD, A.S.U. HONOR STUDENT

Blaine Crawford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Crawford, has been named to the dean's list at Angelo State University. He has a 3.76 grade average.

Jack Kerbow, Mr. Mayhew died Decem-Sole Owner Of ber 27 in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo.

were Mary Sue Galindo.

Margie Gutierrez, Tammy

Van Hoozer, Rae Ann

Draper, Marla Van Hoozer

and Jennifer Spencer.

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Frank Mayhew

Funeral services were held

at the First Baptist Church

December 29 for Frank M.

Mayhew. Burial was in

Sonora Cemetery under the

direction of Ratliff-Kerbow

Funeral Home. The Rev. J.

C. Hancock officiated at the

proposal.

February 18.

Funeral Home He was born March 21, 905 in Nolan County and Effective January 1, Ratliff had been a resident of Sonora the past thirty years. He Kerbow Funeral Home, serving both Eldorado and married Ruby Burnes in Sonora, will be under the sole Coleman May 17, 1937. Surviving him are his wife; ownership of Jack Kerbow,

ive daughters, Mrs. Francis who has purchased the Jones of Eldorado, Mrs. interest of his partner, Mr. J. Betty Graves of San Angelo, T. (Tom) Ratliff of Eldorado. Mrs. Barbara Urbanski of Becoming associated with Christoval, Mrs. Lennie Marthe funeral home in 1951, in of Humble and Mrs. Kerbow purchased Mr. J. C. Henell Russell of Grapevine; Ratliff's interest in 1957. one son, Mack Mayhew of Mrs. Ida Mae Kerbow, Houston; his mother, Mrs. A. receptionist of the local . Smith of Levelland; four uneral home since 1960 is

retiring and will make her

home in Austin with a grandchildren, and 12 greatgrandchildren. daughter. Following the completion of Pallbearers were Dennis Dunnam, Joe Neil Smith, Bill morturary school, Bruce Kerbow will be associated with Webster, Don Wright, Frank

neering Technician in June of 1970, and applied for and received recognition as a Certified Engineering Technician in April, 1973 from the National Institute for the Certification of Engineering Technicians.

West, his wife Shirley (a math teacher at San Angelo Central High School and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Crawford), and their two children reside at 119 Belaire in San Angelo.

Firemen Elect New Officers

Officers of the Sonora Volunteer Fire Department were named when firemen held their annual Christmas party. Tim Thorp was named president; Vernon Humphreys, vice president; Louis Olenick, fire chief; James McLaughlin, first assistant chief; Carl Teaff, second assistant; James Blackman, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Ervin Willman, mother of the

Elected as trustees were Tim Thorp, Carl Teaff and Jim Mathews. Frank Guerra and Ronnie Crawford were named directors.

Sonora firemen answered sixty calls during 1975 for an officially recorded 1,021 man hours. Twenty-one of these calls were grass fires, 14 structure fires, 14 vehicle fires, two fuel spills, one molasses spill, three false alarms and five fires at the dump grounds.

Sam Odom, Jr., and R. D. Crawford attended 24 meetings during the year for the most meetings attended. James Blackman was named fireman attending most fires, a total of 47. Following a close second was Tim Thorp

Alice Karnes Buried Dec. 27

Alice Karnes, member of a pioneer Sutton County ranch family, died December 26 at San Angelo's St. John's Hospital. She was 75.

Funeral services were held December 27 at St. John's Episcopal Church with burial in Sonora Cemetery.

She was born July 26, 1900 in Sonora and had lived here all her life.

Survivors include three sisters, Mrs. Carra Simmons, Mrs. Sal K. Marion and Nan Karnes, all of Sonora, and

several nieces and nephews. Pallbearers were Luther Chalk, Jack David Wardlaw, Hank Hull, and Bill Savell, all of Sonora, and Johnny John Ward and Reyes Hunnicutt and Buddy Phillips of Ozona.

Sonora Ranchman, Duke Wilson Dies Suddenly At His Home

the business.

Prominent Sutton County Jerry Don (Mary Adele) ranchman, Duke Wilson, 67, died December 28 in his Sonora home after a sudden

brothers; seven sisters; 15

Adkins and Fred Adkins.

Services were held at St. John's Episcopal Church December 29. Burial was in Sonora Cemetery, directed by Ratliff-Kerbow Funeral Home. The Rev. Ray Nations of Sonora and the Rev. Norm Griffith of San Angelo officiated.

Mr. Wilson was a member of one of Sutton County's early pioneer families. He was born September 22, 1908 to John William and Nancy B. Wilson and was the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Word, among Sonora's first settlers.

He attended Sonora Schools and graduated from Schriener Institute in Kerrville and the University of Texas. He married Adele Kyle June 15, 1929 in Hillsboro.

Mr. Wilson was a Sutton County rancher and had extensive land and mineral holdings in Sutton, Brewster, Nolan and Frio counties of Texas and in Wyoming and New Mexico.

He was a life member of St. John's Episcopal Church in Sonora. He was a member of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association, National Wool Grower's Association and the Thoroughbred and Quarter Horse Associations. Survivors include his wife,

Adele; two daughters, Mrs.

Louise and Frank Davis. Serving as pallbearers were Ray Moody of Rocksprings, Judge John C. Patterson of Marlin, Rex Lowe of San Angelo, Cecil Rindale of San Antonio, Edward Jarrett of Del Rio and Dan Cauthorn,

Trevino, all of Sonora.

Balch of Sonora and Mrs.

Richard W. (Nancy) Davis of

San Angelo; a brother,

William B. Wilson of Mid-

land; and four grandchildren;

Anita and Anna Balch and

Lamb Carcass Show January 5

National Bank of Sonora.

to assist in training 4-H

finewool lambs were ear tagged, sheared, vaccinated, drenched, weighed and placed on feed by 4-H members, in preparation for the carcass show, on October 18, 1975. The lambs will be weighed again at the 4-H Center on January 5, 1976 between 8 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. prior to the live judging

San Angelo will select the top ten finewool lambs and the top ten crossbred lambs. The lambs will be taken to San Angelo to the Handy Packing Company where they will be slaughtered and their carmembers and ranchers to casses will be evaluated produce a more acceptable according to the leg-loin

> The First National Bank is providing \$300.00 in prize Champion finewool lamb Champion Crossbred lamb carcass to encourage Sutton County youth to participate in the carcass lamb show.

carcasses will be displayed at the 4-H Center January 10 at 10:30 a.m. when 4-H members will receive their prize money and ribbons. A carcasses.

winning lamb carcasses during the auction sale of lambs of San Angelo, Dr. Frank | which will be held at 12 noon Orts of College Station, and at the 4-H Center.

45 Sutton County 4-H boys | Dr. George Ahlschwede of

money plus a trophy for the carcass and a trophy for the

The top twenty lamb

and girls will compete in the 1976 Sutton County 4-H Lamb Carcass Show January 5, sponsored by the First The purpose of the show is

lamb for market. This lamb index. should have a high dressing percentage, have a high percentage of leg and loin, have highly palatable meat, reach a correct finish at a desirable market weight and age and utilize a minimum amount of feed per pound of

60 crossbred and 99 of carcass lambs at 3:45 p.m. At this time James A. Gray

qualified person will also be on hand to discuss the placings of the lamb Buyers will have an opportunity to purchase prize Recaps...cont'd from page 1

check netted city and county | versity Interscholastic League officers with 23 pounds of | Solo and ensemble contest, barbituate nature.

Classes at the Sonora Public Schools were rescheduled with the early beginning of Daylight Saving Time. Students started classes at 9:10 a.m. and continued until 4:40 p.m.

Funeral services were held in Cuero for Joe Whiddon,

Victoriano Chavez and Don Lawson announced they will seek places of the School's Board of Trustees.

San Angelo took sweepstakes honors in Sonora's 29th annual Speech Tournament. Sonora Junior High students placing in the meet were Becky Boyd, first; Denise Neal, second; Kent Cagle, third; and Scott Allison, fourth.

Fourteen of eighteen band students from Sonora, who entered the Brownwood Uni-

marijuana and 66 pills of a came home with number one

MARCH

Funeral services were held in Carlsbad, New Mexico for 39 year old Coreen Bricker. Mr. A. B. Whitehead died

in Cuidad Acuna, Mexico. Incumbents Jack Kerbow Lemuel Lopez and Hershel Davenport, announced they would seek election to Aldermanic positions. Graveside services for

Tommy O. Drennan were held at Cedar Hills Cemetery in Roosevelt.

Official ribbon cutting ceremonies were held for the opening of IH 10 with many highway department dignitaries on hand.

Members of the city council heard a request to build an airport hanger on city owned property at the airport.



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Another rabies vaccination clinic was held at the 4-H Center. Less than 100 pets were vaccinated at the clinic and city officials fear another outbreak of rabies such as we

> had last year. Funeral services were held in Farmington, New Mexico for Mrs. Jo Beth Blake, daughter of Mrs. P. J.

Taylor. Laura Gibbs was named to the first team of the 7-AA all district basketball squad. Sheila Alexander was chosen to the second team. Paul Browne was named to the boys second team, and Martha Elliott and Debbie

able mention. Julie Stewart's Angora buck won grand champion honors at the San Angelo Fat Stock Show and Rodeo.

Howard received girl's honor-

Winners of the high school soil conservation essay contest were Will Wallace, Rosemary Hernandez, Robbie Hard, Melinda Earwood, and Cathy Ward. Junior high winners were Dan Lawson, Brett Johnson, David Jennings, Ty Mayfield and Pam Powers. In the elementary division Todd Mayfield, Bryan Hunt, Clalene Stewart, Jennifer Spencer and Pete Salgado were winners.

Miss Sheila Alexander was chosen Lions Club queen. First runner up was Melinda Earwood and Lesa Joy was named second runner up.

The first annual Ding Fling was held at the 4-H Center with more than 400 persons attending.

The Board of Trustees of the SISD, accepted resignations from Pete Salgado and Jane Baker. Head basketball coach, Donald Patton, asked for re-assignment.

Sixty one new members were installed into the National Honor Society.

Plans were finalized for doctor's clinic to be built adjacent to the hospital grounds.

Funeral services for Mrs. Margaret Dungan were held in Odessa.

Sonora's eighth grade track team scored 182 points in the Ozona Relays to come in first

Chip Savell set a new school record in the mile run at the Brady Relays, to break the school record set by Joe Garcia in 1961.

Funeral services for J. Wray Campbell were held at the First United Methodist Church.

Joey Kirby compiled a number of wins when the seventh grade track team ran in the Ozona Relays. The team as a whole took second

An associational meeting of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raiser's Association was held at the Sutton County 4-H Center.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Nick Anderson.

APRIL

The board of Lillian M. Hudspeth Hospital announced the additional raise in room rent at the hospital.

The varsity track team

Savell placed first in the mile run, and the sprint relay team was also a first place

Mr. and Mrs. John Tedford took over as owners of the Barrow Jewelry and Sporting Goods Store. Barrow's was one of Sonora's oldest firms.

Funeral services were held for 70-year-old Andrew A. Moore at St. John's Episcopal Church.

Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Company held their 75th anniversary celebration.

Abby Sanchez, Marsha Finklea, Nancy Mooney, Irma Favila and Renee Rousselot were chosen cheerleaders for the 1975-76 school term.

Miss Janice Sutton and Simon Franco were wed in Catholic Ceremonies in Fort Stockton.

Funeral services were held for Mr. Jack McDermott who died in the local hospital.

Mrs. Zola Bode died in Shannon Hospital in San

The speech department's one-act play won first in district presentation in Big Lake. Renee Rousselot was named best actress of the Hershel Davenport, Jack

Kerbow and Lemuel Lopez were re-elected to the office of City Aldermen.

Mrs. A. G. Morriss. mother of Mr. Thomas Morriss, was buried in Sunset Cemetery in Kerrville.

High school principal Bill Mayfield submitted his resignation, along with that of his wife, Tinky, a teacher in the junior high school. Also resigning from the school faculty was John Tedford, high school speech teacher; Pat Neill, Jane Baker, Belinda Taliaferro, Mary Joe Phieffer and Pete Salgado.

Bronco golf team members placed second in district golf play.

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Clyde Gardner at Johnson's Funeral Home in San Angelo.

Mrs. Dorothy Smith Taylor died in San Angelo's Shannon Hospital. Funeral services for Mrs. Taylor were held at the local First Baptist Church with burial in Sonora Cemetery.

City of Sonora Aldermen approved a water rate increase for all users of city

Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Noriega celebrated their 30th wedding anniversary.

The Sonora Junior High track team came in first place in the district meet held in Crane.

Larry Jones and Chip Savell qualified for regional after placing first and second in the district track meet in Crane. Jones placed first in the 120 high hurdles and Savell was second in the mile

A reception was held honoring Mr. and Mrs. Joseph VanderStucken in honor of their 50th wedding anniversary.

MAY

The team of Ernestine Hext of Eldorado, Wanda Neville, Bobbie Fawcett and Elaine Donaldson were winners in the championship flight of the placed second in the Queen invitational partnership tour-City Relays in Del Rio. Chip nament held at the Sonora

The very best to you . . . good luck, good health, good times to all!

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Golf Course.

Grand opening ceremonies were held at the Sonora Floral and Gifts flower shop. Mr. Pete Weaver Doran was buried in Sonora Cemetery.

The National Honor Society hosted a Walk-A-Thon which netted almost \$1,000 donated to Retarded Persons of Texas. Four suspects were ar-

rested and charged in the burglary of the Hitchin Post A daughter was born to

Mr. and Mrs. James Blackman. Sixteen junior high school students made the all district

band at a contest held in

Brady. Five more were

named first alternates. Gene Martin, Hospital administrator, submitted his resignation to the hospital

board. Renee Rousselot took first place honors in the state literary meet. She was entered in prose. Claire Langford placed second in poetry; Blaine Crawford, seventh in science; and Laura Gibbs competed in the state tennis meet.

The Sonora High School Band was entered in the Six Flags Band Festival.

Miss Pam Powers' horse, John Choir, was chosen high point horse of the Sonora Junior Quarter Horse Show held at the local rodeo arena. Fifty two contestants participated in the show.

Paul Browne was winner of the best all around athletic award at the All-Sports Banquet. Winner of the Nathan's Award was Mike Stewart. Laura Gibbs received the Ruth Shurley Award and basketball awards went to John Elliott and Lindsey Hicks.

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Stella Cauthorn Altizer of Del Rio.

Mrs. Jan Berry was elected president of the newly organized Jaycee-etts.

Mrs. Buena Davis was chosen Nursing Home Queen in ceremonies held at the local nursing home. Runnersup were Mrs. Melissa Emerson and Mrs. Lupe Silvas.

Three of the four state 4-H contests conducted at Angelo State University were won by Sutton County 4-H'ers. Winning first places were the senior 4-H wool and mohair judging teams, the senior range judging team and the

junior range judging team. Fifty-four students graduated from Sonora High School in ceremonies held on the campus lawn.

Graveside services were held May 16 for longtime Sonora rancher, L. R. (Roy) Valliant.

Members of the Presbyterian Church of the Good Shepherd held a day of celebration arriving from the retirement of the debt against the church building.

Sutton County's first recorded case of screwworms for 1975 was confirmed on the Nelson Estate Ranch, 35 miles east of Sonora.

Samuel Perez and David Wuest were graduated from Southwest Texas State University.

Nancy Mooney, Karen Thompson and Celia Hernandez were rosette winners in the 4-H Dress Revue.

Mrs. Bob Vicars and Joseph VanderStucken were named outstanding citizens of the county in ceremonies held at the Miers Home Museum.

Miss Margarita San Miguel was awarded the Jose Santos Lopez memorial scholarship award at graduation ceremonies.

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doctor's clinic.

Sue Ann Dillard, Marsha Kay Patton and Ramiro Perez were among students receiving degrees from Angelo State University.

JUNE

The City of Sonora entered into a contract with Birl Davis Inc., for the construction of the South Water Loop proposed to increase city water usage.

Mrs. Gloria Gomez was crowned queen of St. Ann's Spring Festival.

Jerral Whitehead assumed duties as administrator of Lillian M. Hudspeth Hospital and Nursing Home.

Nina Claire Langford was awarded a \$1,250 endowment Scholarship by the Texas Interscholastic League Found-

Mrs. Smith Neal was installed as worthy matron of the local order of the Eastern Star. Mrs. S. M. Loeffler was installed as Worthy Patron and Mrs. Edgar Glasscock was installing officer.

Eight Sonora students made the Dean's list at ASU for the spring semester. They were Cathy Boyd, Sue Ann Dillard, Cynthia Feagin, Rebecca Johnson, Audrey Lee McFadden, Billie Ann Stewart, Tryon Fields and Jimmy Galindo.

Dr. Elroy Otte was named principal of Sonora High School at a meeting of the School Board. Dr. Otte replaced Bill Mayfield who resigned to go into private

Sutton County's state winning wool judging team took top honors at the National Wool judging contest held in Sonora during the thirtyeighth annual Sonora Wool and Mohair Show.

Lone Star Gas Company requested Sonora city officials to enact an ordinance increasing the residential and commercial retail gas rates 10 cents per thousand cubic feet.

Application was made with the Department of Banking in Austin for a new state bank to be located in Sonora and to be named Sonora State Bank.

Funeral services were held

June 13 for Francisco Reyna, Jr., who drowned while on a fishing trip on the Llano Graveside funeral services

were held in Santa Barbara, California for Mrs. Nita H. Sonora Wool and Mohair

Company announced the sale

of its water well service to

ADCO Water Well Service. Larry, Jackie and Joey Kirby took over the managership of the Mobile Station located on the corner of Crockett and Main Streets.

Foundation was laid for the construction of a new drive-in restaurant on Highway 277 North. The restaurant will be a Dairy Queen.

JULY

Fifty 4-H members, parents and friends were in attendance at a play day held on the Bill Stewart Ranch in honor of Mr. Birl Davis

Tom Peaslee began employment with the local post office in the position of clerk. Amoco Production Company, the second largest producer of crude oil in Texas, is in the process of

adjacent to the Sonora City limits. John Butterfield, director of the Sonora Bronco Bands for the past five years, resigned that position to take

a job with a New Mexico oil

building a new sub-area

office on a ten acre tract

company. Application was filed with the Federal Communications Commission in Washington for application by Sonora Broadcasting Company, Inc., for authority to construct a new broadcast station in Sonora. Application was made by Walton A. Foster and Donald W. Griffis of San

Angelo. Mr. August Piper, Jr. of Rocksprings was killed instantly when a high pressure

hose broke loose, striking him. He was an employee of Brown Drilling

Company. Plans were divulged for a new housing development that will total 56 new homes for Sonorans. The development will be called Meadow-

creek and is owned by H & P Livestock Company. Funeral services were held in the First Baptist Church for Mr. Claude H. Prater, 70.

Funeral services were held

in San Angelo for Dr. William Lacey Smith. The Sonora Little League All Stars won over the Ozona All Stars by a score of 20-12. Food Center, Inc., owned by Herbert Fields, was

opened for business. Ninety girl scouts from across the United States were in Sonora enjoying a picnic on the courthouse lawn.

Jamie Condra placed first n the District 4-H Horse Show held in San Angelo.

White's Auto, Braden Motors and the new Intratex office were all burglarized during the late night hours. Burglars made off with several items from all businesses.

School trustees reduced the school tax rate from \$1.38 to \$1.33.

Jack Kerbow sold his interest in the White's Auto

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Brenda Granger Weds Terry Bush

were married December 20 in provided traditional organ ceremonies held at the First Baptist Church. The Rev. J. C. Hancock officiated at the double ring rites.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Granger and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holmes. The bride is the granddaughter of Mrs. Wes Granger of Sonora and Mrs. Wilson Allen of Bryan.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a long, white gown of satin and lace. Three tiered ruffles, accented by tiny seed pearls and lace, extended down the front of the gown. A fingertip veil extended from her Priscilla style cap. She carried a bouquet of red carnations and baby's breath.

The altar of the church held two candelabras center-

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Miss Brenda Zayne Gran- | ing a basket of white ger and Mr. Terry Joe Bush gladiolas. Mrs. J. C. Hancock

> music. The bride presented her mother and the mother of the

> bridegroom with long stemmed red roses. Attending the bride as

matron of honor was her sister, Mrs. Mike Street. Mrs. Michael Crouch, also sister of the bride, and Miss Karen Olree of College Station, the bride's cousin, were bridesmaids. The attendants wore floor length gowns of green and red and carried bouquets of peppermint carnations.

Bill Holmes served the bridegroom as best man. Benny Granger, the bride's brother, and Bobby Draper were groomsmen. Ushers were Mike Street and Rick

A reception was held in the church fellowship hall following the ceremony. The bride's cake, made by her grandmother, was decorated in Christmas colors of red and white and held white doves and silver bells. Serving in the houseparty were the bridegroom's sisters, Ms. Becky Price and Miss Linda Holmes, and also Mrs. Glen Franklin and Miss Laura Yarborough.

Following a short wedding rip the couple will make their home in Sonora where he is employed by a local cement company.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holmes, parents of the bridegroom, hosted a rehearsal supper December 19 at a local restaurant.

Happy Birthday Thursday, January 1

Rick Hill Mack Cauthorn Mrs. Gene Alley Mrs. Jack Drennan Clay Cade

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The Editor

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Community Calendar

Thursday, January 1 New Year's Day Friday, January 2

5 p.m., varsity and junior varsity boys and girls' varsity basketball teams vs Menard,

Saturday, January 3 2-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Library open

Sunday, January 4 Services at the church of your choice Monday, January 5

8:30 a.m., City Aldermer meeting at city hall 3:45 p.m., On-foot carcass show, Sutton County 4-H

Center

Tuesday, January 6 12 noon, Downtown Lions Club luncheon in fellowship hall of First Methodist Church

3-5 p.m., Miers Home Museum open 5 p.m., Historical Society meeting, Miers Home

5 p.m., varsity boys and junior varsity and varsity girls basketball teams vs Junction,

Wednesday, January 7 3-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club library open

> SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Monday, January 5

Mexican Food Pinto Beans Green Salad Hot Rolls Pudding

Tuesday, January 6 Tuna Salad Scalloped Potatoes Lettuce Wedge Hot Rolls Cake Milk

Wednesday, January 7 Cheeseburger Tator Tots Lettuce, Tomatoes, Onions Sweet Rolls

Thursday, January 8 Meat Loaf with Catsup Green Beans with New Potatoes Applesauce

Hot Rolls Oatmeal Squares Friday, January 9

Chili Dog Lima Beans Slaw Ice Cream Milk

Art Club Holds **Christmas Party**

Mmes. M. L. Brownlee, the Cusenbary ranch home.

A salad supper along with egg nog and punch was served and club members exchanged Christmas gifts.

Mrs. Paul Terry was a

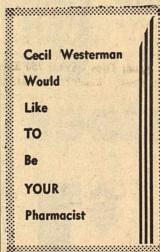
VISITING

Visiting Mrs. Bud Smith during the holidays are her mother, Mrs. Fannie Gahagan of Stephenville, and her sister, Mrs. Madolyn Hassler of Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard, Sr. of Gainesville and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Howard and family of San Antonio visited the Charlie Howard family over the Christmas holidays.

Joe R. Lancaster of Dallas is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hudson. Also visiting the Hudsons are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Isaacs and Melissa of San Angelo.





by Lemuel Lopez



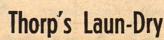
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Travis Williamson, Willie Raphelt and Ben Cusenbary were hostesses December 16 to members of the Sonora Art Club. The party was held at

Attending were Mmes. Estes Adams, Jim Cusenbary, Harold Garrett, Wes Granger, Clyde Hill, Louis Powers, Charles Taylor, Don Spiller, Joe Fincher, Bob Snodgrass, Johnny Martin, Ben Cusenbary, Brownlee, and Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb McKee, Sr. **Celebrate Golden Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. Herb McKee, Sr., were honored December 21 with a reception in honor of their 50th wedding anniversary. The reception was held at the home of a granddaughter, Mrs. Curtis Weant.

The McKees were married December 21, 1925 in Eldorado. He is presently employed at the Bill Fields ranch where they reside.

Hosting the celebration were the couple's children, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hearn, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Lee Armentrout, Mr. and Mrs. Quinton Rogers of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Herb McKee, Jr., also of Coleman. In addition to four children,

the McKees also have 13 grandchildren and three great grandchildren. All were present for the celebration except one granddaughter and one great-granddaughter.

New arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Trainer are parents of a boy, Glenn Adams, born November 27 in Santa Fe, New Mexico. He weighed 5 pounds and 7 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Chance of Lima, Peru, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Trainer of Sonora.

Nostalgia is "in" these days . . . especially at the beginning of a New Year.

Fifties. Old-car buffs abound, and fashions reflect the fads of long-ago decades. Music

from World War II is played, and television plots center around the depression days of

be paid, chores completed, obligations met, and each person has to contribute some-

himself and to society with confidence and faith — and he can strengthen that faith

each Sunday, by going to church . . . knowing always that the Lord is waiting for him

Tuesday

Romans

1:2-5

the Thirties. It's all a lot of fun — if you don't take it seriously.

Monday

2:15-19

thing to his world or he is wasting his time.

Sunday

Luke

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Wednesday

5:1-3

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"Righteousness

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Galatians

4:4-7

15:1-5

Thursday

Luke

2:28-34

Mary Ann Mesusan, Jimmy Trainer Wed In Home Ceremony Dec. 21

became the bride of Harry James Trainer in ceremonies held at the home of friends December 21.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bryant of Galveston and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allison of Sonora.

The Rev. Paul Terry, minister of First United Methodist Church of Sonora, performed the double ring rites. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

A reception was held following the ceremony.

After a wedding trip the couple will make their home in Sonora. Both Mr. and Mrs. Trainer are employees of a local contruction firm.

The bride is a graduate of Ball High School of Galvesfrom Sonora High School, Miss Miears, traveling.

Miss Mary Ann Mesusan | attended the University of Texas and is a graduate of Sul Ross University in Alpine.

Mrs. Hamilton **Entertains**

Mrs. Clayton Hamilton entertained members of the Monday Night Bridge Club at her home December 16. The evening meal was served.

Those attending were Mmes. Joe Neil Smith, Frank Adkins, Horace Hill, Albert Ward and Miss Vivian Miears. Guests of the club were Mmes. Cleveland Nance, Pauline Thompson and Doyle Morgan.

Mrs. Nance won high guest; Mrs. Adkins, high ton. Mr. Trainer graduated club; Mrs. Hill, bingo, and

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Baptist Church

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11:00 a.m.



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St. Ann's Catholic Church Rev. Michael Fernandez Weekday Mass: Tues., Thurs., Fri. 8:00 a.m

Evening Mass: Mon., Wed., Sat.7:00 p.m. Sunday Masses 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. Holy Day Masses 7:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.

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Jessie McCutchen, bride-elect of Bruce Kerbow Laura Yarborough, bride-elect of Bobby Draper Debra Tittle, bride-elect of Randy Hill Debbie Atkins, bride-elect of Eddie Alexander Mrs. Joe Carrasco, nee Ernestine Vazquez Mrs. Jimmy Trainer, nee Mary Ann Mesusan Mrs. Joey Bush, nee Brenda Granger

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Two 1976 model Dump Trucks each with the following equipment and specifica-

Motor to be not less than 330

cu. in., not less than 190 h p; Oil Filter; Oil bath-air cleaner; Heavy duty radiator; Bumper type radiator guard; GCW not less than 32,000 bs; G V W not less than 19,500 lbs; Gross torque to be not less than 300 lbs, ft at 2000 RPM; Fresh air heater and defroster; Right and left electric windshield wipers, 2 speed; Rear View Exterior mirror, right and left; Wheel base, approximately 146 in CA 72 in; Cab to rear axle measurement to be not less than 60 in; Transmission to be four speed synchromesh with power takeoff; Heavy duty Clutch; Rear axle---two speed with not less than

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TRACTOR 1975 Wheel type tractor, weight approximately 4600 lbs. with loader; Engine - 3 or 4 cylinder gas or diesel, maximum engine torque not less than 120 ft. lb. torque at 1200 rpm; Power steering; PTO - Hand actuated, live, 42 hp. 540 rpm; Clutch - dual, at least 9 in. diameter; Transmission - 3 speed forward, one reverse with dual range or equal; Tires - Front 750 X 16: Tires - Rear 14.9 X 24; Roll over protected frame; Standard 3 point hitch.

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bid complete and detailed specifications on the equipment they propose to furnish, delivered to Sonora, Texas. The Court shall have the

right to reject any and all J. W. Elliott

County Judge, Sutton County, Texas 2c16

"1976 Already?"



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but most of all for your many prayers which have sustained us and given us hope for a bright future. The doctors here at Southwest Texas Methodist Hospital are very efficient and compassionate. We love each of you and wish for you a healthy and happy new year.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank all our

friends for the many acts of

kindness and love shown us

with your many, many cards,

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Vivian and W. O. Crites Tracy and Jeannene

Card Of Thanks

We would like to thank all the people who made our visit to the Miers Home Museum such a pleasant one. Your time, information and refreshments were greatly appreciated.

The history students of Sonora Junior High, Mrs. Carol Parker and Reed Jennings

Childhood

Center Receives

Donations Through generous donations of individuals and organizations, the Sonora Childhood Center has been aided in the continuation of operation and for this the

center extends its gratitude. Donations were received from Tom Driskell, \$250; West Side Lions, \$250; Rudy Bautista, Sandy Espinosa, Joyce Jiminez and Mary Lou Jiminez, cookies; Commercial Restaurant, Thanksgiving turkey; West Side Lions, Christmas party; Nicolosa Castillo, and Rosario Sanchez, pinatas.

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The Devil's River News, Sonora, Texas Thursday, January 1, 1976 Page 5 **Card Of Thanks Police Reports**

City Police Department

personnel reported a quiet

Christmas week holiday for

Sonora with only 11 traffic

citations issued from Decem-

survey. After attempts failed

to locate the subject no more

reports were made. Later that

evening a Sonora resident

reported a call from a person

selling insurance who re-

quested the businessman

open his business to discuss

On December 19 San

Angelo Police Department

called in regard to two

subjects being held in their

jail who had admitted to

robbing a Sonora residence of

a television set. The report

was turned over to Sutton

At 1 a.m., December 26 a

billfold containing personal

papers and \$250 in cash was

stolen from a person at one of

the local bars. The theft is

An accident at the corner

of West Crockett and

Highway 277 South occurred

December 28. Involved were

Carolina C. Hernandez of

Fort Worth and Alejandro

DeHoyas of Sonora. Joe

Fincher was the investigating

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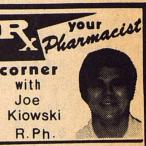
still under investigation.

County Sheriff's Office.

the sale.

Our special thanks to each one of our many friends and to Dr. Browne for the loving expressions of sympathy during our recent sorrow. We are truly grateful.

The family of Della Kisselburg 1c17



The Wise Men's Gift

In the story of the Nativity we are reminded of the Three Wise Men, who came to the stable with gifts of Frankincense and Myrrh.

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Hospital Notes Patients receiving treatment at Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, December 16 thru Monday, December 29 include the following: Juliett Driskell* Jim Luckie* Vernon Butler* **Emma Matthews** Dora Luna Owen Fry*

Karl Lovelady, Ozona* Margaurite Turney* Shala Baker* Susie Mackey, San Angelo* Alma Love* Ramon Duke* Ruth Bode, Junction M. G. Hart* Ross Beardmore, Ozona

Bertha Miller, Ozona Mary Beardmore, Ozona* Deborah Chadwick* Carrie Morrison* Margie Mounce* Rick Shank Baby Boy Chadwick* Brenda Puckett* Rex Cusenbary* Janice Sorrels, Rocksprings* Pat Swanson*

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at hitting the Santa Claus Pinata during the Joe Lopez blindfolds a student at the Sonora Childhood Center so she may take her turn school's Christmas party.



Instead of exchanging Christmas gifts, members of Mrs. Betty Hardegree's and Mrs. Louise Barlemann's fifth grade classes brought food, games and toys to be distributed among the needy in Sonora. Students displaying their

baskets are Espy Whitehead, Eulogia Vela, Annette Wilson, Windell Yarborough, Marney Sorensen, Fermin Sanchez, Tracey Brownlee, Anna Mata, and Melissa

Aliens Must Report Address

Joe F. Staley of the San Antonio Immigration and Naturalization Service has again reminded all aliens to report their addresses during

Cards with which to make he reports are available at Post Offices and offices of Immigration and Naturalization Service throughout the country. The reports must be submitted in person to one of those offices.

Parents or guardians are

required to submit reports for alien children under 14 years

Mr. Joe F. Staley urges all aliens to report before the end of January, as willful failure to do so may lead to serious penalties.

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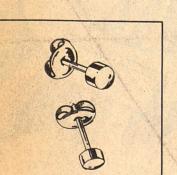
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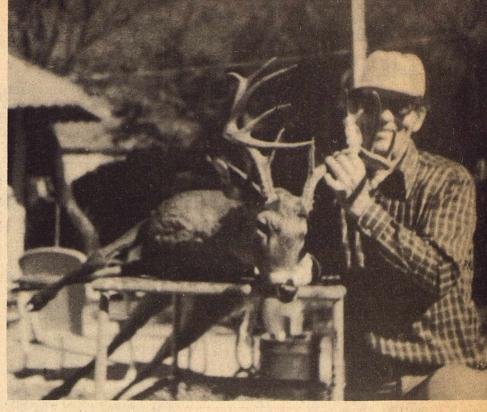
City council members met in special session and fixed a date for the city bond election.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas M. Loeffler celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception at the First Methodist Church

The Sonora Little League All Stars hosted an All Star team from San Angelo, defeating that team by a score of 10-9.

12-year-old Johnny Samuels was injured in a motorcycle accident three miles south of San Angelo. He was a passenger with Thomas D. Wood, who suffered a broken leg and arm in the accident.

Rogers Machine Company, a San Angelo based firm, opened for business in Sonora.



AUGUST

Ted Howard Smith, 18, an employee of Pool Company, was killed when a line of a rig broke loose, striking him in the back of the head.

Sixty-one high school students showed up to take football physicals.

Members of the Sonora Little League All Stars and the team of Little League Indians traveled to Houston to attend a baseball game at Astroworld.

Miss Diane Susan Langhamer became the bride of David Lee Wuest.

The first Sutton County Day celebration was held on the courthouse lawn. Winner of the beauty contest was 3 year old Cathy Vaughan.

Graveside services were held at Sonora Cemetery for G. C. (Son) Allison.

A watermelon feast honored football players and the coaching staff at the school tennis courts.

Funeral services for Mrs. Iva Hale were held at the First Methodist Church.

Classes started at the Sonora Public Schools with a total of 1,024 students attending the first day of

Miss Sarah Allison and Robert P. Post of Baytown were wed in ceremonies at the Church of the Good Shepherd.

To be continued

Mr. Bill Womac of Houston, father of Mrs. Steve Thorp, bagged this 12 point-110 pound buck on the Karnes Ranch during a holiday hunting trip.

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