

Ramirez Infant Buried Nov. 20

Cecilia Elizabeth Gandar Ramirez, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Ramirez, died November 20 in Hudspeth Hospital. Graveside services were held November 21 at Sonora Cemetery. The infant was born November 19.

Other survivors include the baby's grandparents, Mrs. Jesus Ramirez of Ozona, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gandar of Sonora.

Services Held Last Week For Lee T. Davis

Funeral services were held last week in Kerbow Funeral Home for Mr. Lee Thomas Davis, 72, brother of Sonoran, Birl Davis. Burial and graveside services were held in Westlawn Cemetery in Del Rio.

Mr. Davis died November 22 in Hudspeth Hospital. He was born May 14, 1904 in Pauls Valley, Oklahoma and was a plumber. He moved to Sonora from San Angelo about five months ago.

Other survivors include his wife, Edna of San Angelo; five daughters; three sons, another brother; 29 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Pat's Gifts Sets Monday Open House

Pat's Gifts, Sonora's newest business, is holding open house Monday from 1-5 p.m.

The gift shop, which features handmade crafts, plants and plant accessories, and various oils and supplies for cars, is owned and operated by Pat and Buster Shroyer and is located on Highway 277, north off IH 10.

Another new business in town is Della's Hair Studio which is operated by Mrs. Robert Zapata. The studio is located at 106 E. Main Street and features hair styles for both men and women.

Lillie Smith Dies Nov. 25 In Abilene

Funeral services were held Sunday for lifetime Sonoran, Mrs. Lillie Smith, 85, who died in Hendrix Memorial Hospital in Abilene November 25.

Services for Mrs. Smith were held at the First Baptist Church with burial in Sonora Cemetery.

Born February 27, 1891 in Kimble County, Mrs. Smith moved to Sonora as a small child. She married Frank Smith in Sonora December 12, 1912.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Fred White of Tuscola, two sons, Earl Smith and Louie Smith, both of San Angelo, one brother, James Whiddon; three sisters, Mrs. Maude White, Mrs. Lizzie Hearn and Mrs. Ellen Parker, all of Sonora; eight grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren, and one great-great grandchild. Grandsons served as pallbearers.

Del Rio Man Injured In Accident

Charles Leonard Murray of Del Rio has been listed in stable condition in a San Angelo hospital after suffering injuries in a wreck Saturday 3 1/10 miles north of Sonora on U.S. Highway 277 at approximately 2:50 p.m.

According to DPS Patrolman Archie Crenwelge, Murray was traveling north in a 1971 Chrysler when his vehicle started swerving causing him to lose control. The car rolled down an embankment and turned over.

He was taken to Hudspeth Hospital for emergency treatment before being transferred to San Angelo.

Fire Auxiliary To Sell Candy

The Sonora Firemen's Auxiliary will be selling assorted Christmas candy on the north side of Main Street, Saturday, November 4, before and after the Christmas drawing.

Proceeds will be used for worthwhile projects throughout the year.

Profit Sharing Drawing Saturday

The first of four Profit Sharing Coupon Christmas drawings will be held Saturday at 2 p.m., in the downtown area surrounding the White's Auto Store.

Two tickets will be drawn Saturday with the ticket holders being awarded \$100 each in valuable merchandise from Morrisons, First National Bank, Food Center, White's, and Tedfords.

Eddy Smith Promoted

Eddy Smith, who has been an engineer at the television station in San Angelo since June, 1975, has been promoted to assistant chief engineer. He was elected to membership of the society of Broadcast Engineers and received his certificate November 4 from Washington, D.C. He has been a student member for the past three years.

Smith, who is a 1971

graduate of Sonora High School, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Ed Smith of Sonora, and worked for a Sonora radio station during his high school years.

He has also served as news director at KTEO radio station in San Angelo and also a staff writer for the San Angelo Standard Times.

Smith has a degree from the Cleveland Institute of Electronics, a first class degree in radio and television electronics and also holds a first class federal communications license.

3 Convicted In Jail Break-In

Rocky Day Crossland, 18, of Corpus Christi, is in Sutton County Jail on charges of burglary occurring when the jail was broken into on the night of November 17.

Crossland was picked up in San Antonio November 22 following a warrant issued for his arrest by the local sheriff's department.

Crossland also implicated two local persons. Both have been picked up

and charged with burglary. One of the subjects is still in the local jail and the other has been released on bond.

The jail was broken into through a back door and the evidence room was entered after the lock was broken. Sheriff Pryce Taylor said an undetermined amount of marijuana and other odds and ends confiscated over a period of time, were taken. Most of the stolen items were recovered Taylor added.

Crossland was convicted on a previous charge of burglary November 17 and given a five year probated sentence and ordered to make restitution to the victim in addition to a twelve day jail sentence. The jail burglary occurred following his conviction. No bond has been made for Crossland.

The Weather

Compiled by Pat Brown

	Rain	Hi	Lo
November 19	71	37	
November 20	72	37	
November 21	63	34	
November 22	59	36	
November 23	60	35	
November 24	61	50	
November 25	10	60	55
November 26	75	50	
November 27	69	38	
November 28	51	21	
November 29	44	12	
Rainfall for the month,	.67;	rainfall for the year,	33.92.

Hunt Home Tour Sunday

A tour of the James Hunt home will be hosted Sunday, December 5 by the Sonora Woman's Club. The tour will begin at 4 p.m., and conclude at 8 p.m.

Tickets may be purchased for \$2 from any member of the Sonora Woman's Club. All proceeds from the tour will be used to benefit the Sonora Woman's Club Library.

Jr. Hi News Oil & Gas Report Sheep and Goat News

Coming Next Week City Aldermen Meeting

This Week's DEVIL



These sixteen senior students at Sonora High School are unique in a fashion. They all started to school at Sonora Elementary as first grade students and have come through twelve years of school together. Pictured with the senior students are their first grade teachers, Mrs. Margaret Cain and Mrs. Myrtle Bridges, both of

whom have retired from teaching. Students pictured are Craig Parker, Gregg Parker, Jimmy Black, John David Cook, John Elliott, Tony Adkins, Suzanne Dillard, Chip Savell, Mark Hemphill, Flaire Lane, Patty Merrill, Natalie Redman, Suzanne Renfro and Karen Brown.

Pool Employee Completes Management Course

Sonora businessman Cleveland Nance recently completed the Petroleum Industry Management course at Angelo State University in San Angelo.

In recognition of the achievement, Nance received a certificate from Dr. Gerald L. Richards, head of the Department of Business Administration and three hours of college credit in the business school.

Nance is dispatcher for the Sonora District office of Pool Company.

"The school will help me in my work," he says. "Now that I have an overall picture of management, I'll tackle problems differently."

Initiated this summer as the result of a request from Frank M. Pool, president of Pool Company which is headquartered in San Angelo, to Dr. Lloyd D. Vincent, president of Angelo State, the Petroleum Industry Management course was conceived as a natural addition to the company's ongoing efforts to provide the best oil and gas well production services available.

"It takes creative engineering...and manufacture...and maintenance to put first class equipment at wellsite, but that equipment is only as good as the trained men and professional management behind it," Pool says. "It's a full time, continuing program, and we're proud of our men. And we're proud of the

school." Don Hale, who heads the continuing education program at Angelo State, says, "We have been amazed at the progress of the Pool men. About 70 of them have completed the course."

In addition to Nance, the following men from Sonora have completed the course: Ron S. Bachman, James C. Berry, Todd Churchill and Gerald Tinney.

Instructors for the course included Dr. Gerald L. Richards, head of the

Ozona Lions Advance To Quarter-Finals

The Ozona Lions were victorious in their bid for regional honors when they played the Post Antelopes last Friday night in W. T. Barrett Stadium in Odessa.

The Lions, who according to Coach Rip Sewell, did not play as well as he expected, overpowered the Antelopes by a 30-14 win.

The Lions, representing District 7-AA, were an eight point favorite coming into the ballgame but they doubled their odds for their 16 point win. The Lions are now 12-0 for their season.

Ozona fans will thrill to the excitement of quarter-final action Friday night when the team meets Childress in Snyder.

Department of Business Administration, Dr. Phil Lynch, manager of manpower development for Pool Company, and nine guest lecturers - experts in their fields.

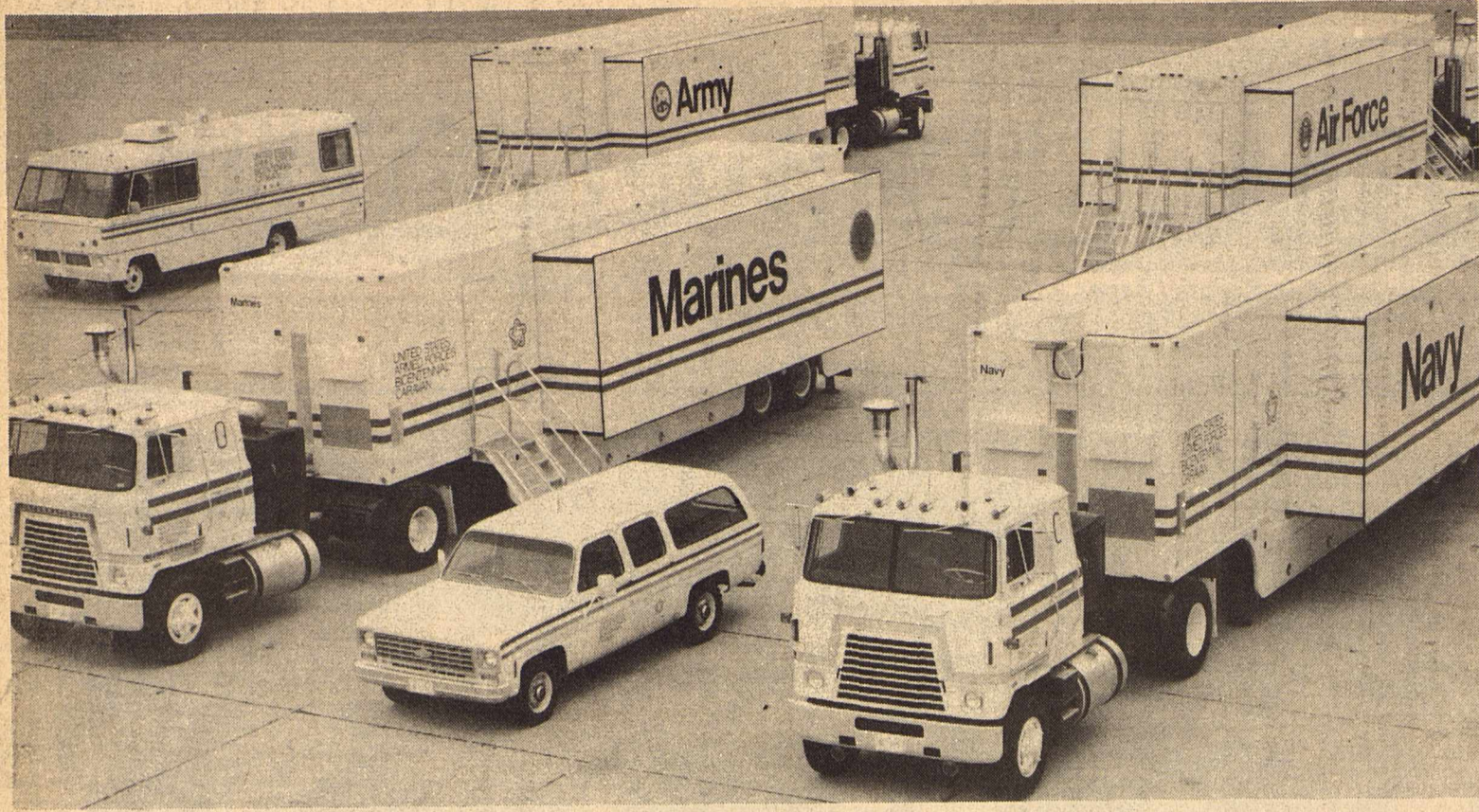
Rated as a senior class level management course, topics included management functions, administration, standards of performance, leadership, organizational development, contract negotiations, budget and cost controls, compliance with various government regulatory agencies, employment and employee relations, wage and salary administration, and benefit programs.

What did Nance think of the classes? "They covered so much. But I have a better idea of what is expected of me and what authority I have in various areas. It will help me solve problems, and it's sharpened my idea of leadership."

W. W. Weant Dies In New York

Mr. W. W. Weant, former principal and teacher at Sonora High School, died Monday in New York City where he was attending a meeting.

The Weants are now residents of Richmond, Virginia. Funeral services are pending.



READY FOR DISPLAY -- The Armed Forces Bicentennial Caravan is set up in one of many display configurations. The mobile museums, which graphically illustrate the history of the Armed Forces and their contributions to the Nation, can accommodate up to 100 visitors per van, per hour, and will arrive in San Angelo

Friday, December 3. The purpose of the Caravan is an effort to bring the American Revolution Bicentennial closer to the people of San Angelo and the surrounding communities. The caravan will be in front of the San Angelo Coliseum from 11 a.m.-7 p.m., December 3, and 10 a.m.-6 p.m., December 4. [USAF PHOTO]

Fants Honored

Members of the Church of Christ honored Ron Fant and his family with a going away party and presented them with a money tree. The Fants moved to Kermit. The church has a minister each Sunday.

The Tracing Of Child Abuse

(This is the fifth article in a five-part series on the subject of child abuse and neglect, and is part of a regional campaign sponsored by the Texas Department of Public Welfare. This article is on tracing a child abuse or neglect case from the time it is reported to the child welfare office.)

"In dealing with situations involving possible child abuse or neglect, we remove the child from the home of the parents only when we feel it is no longer safe for the child to be there."

Beula Love, supervisor, child welfare unit, Taylor County, Department of Public Welfare.

An eight-year-old boy has just been beaten by his father, who had too much to drink earlier in the evening. A little four-year-old girl was doused with a pan of scalding water from her mother, who has had too many emotional problems recently.

If you had been a neighbor, friend or relative and had found out about either situation, what should you have done?

"They should call their local child welfare office," said W. Barry Fredrickson, regional administrator in Abilene for the Texas Department of Public Welfare. "or a statewide, toll-free, hotline number, or a local law enforcement agency. The hotline number is 1-800-252-5400."

In the Abilene area, individuals should call the Child Welfare Unit in Taylor County of the State Department of Public Welfare. The number is 673-7811 and the unit is under the supervision of Beula Love.

"If it's a life-or-death

matter," Miss Love said, regarding what the child welfare office does when they receive the call, "we will dispatch someone immediately to the situation. Depending on the situation, we may call a law enforcement official to meet us there if it appears there is any immediate danger involved."

She also noted that the nature of the complaints with the persons accused, said Miss Love. "The name of the person making the complaint will remain confidential."

When the report of a possible case of child abuse or neglect comes in, it is usually received by what is known as an 'intake worker.'

In order to make a judgment regarding the complaint, the intake worker will usually make one or two visits to the home in which the alleged incident happened to gather information surrounding the situation.

After the information has been gathered, the intake worker will come back to the office and classify the complaint in one of four categories.

"Based on the information received," said Miss Love, "the intake worker will classify the report in one of four categories according to the CARRIS (Child Abuse and Neglect Report and Inquiry System of the Texas Department of Public Welfare (standards)."

The categories of the complaints include valid, invalid, potential or uncertain.

"If the complaint is invalid," she said, "the investigation will be stopped right there. If the complaint is classified as potential, a report will be

made, but the investigation would be placed in a 'hold' position until further evidence indicates that the situation is child abuse or neglect.

"If the situation is classified as uncertain or valid," she continued, "the case is assigned to an 'ongoing' caseworker who will continue to work with the family involved."

Miss Love pointed out that calls which come from a school official (nurse, teacher or counselor), a physician or a law enforcement officer are usually valid.

"If the case needs long-range help and is assigned to an 'ongoing caseworker', she said, "the caseworker will then meet with the parents to determine how serious the situation may be, and which of the available resources should be used to help resolve the situation."

She pointed out that the caseworker will appraise the situation and classify the case into one of three categories--1) counseling with the parents, without requesting the court to remove the child; 2) in situations of grave danger, the court will be requested to issue a temporary order so that the child can be removed immediately; and 3) when parents are unwilling or unable to improve the situation, the court is requested to remove the children.

Miss Love also said that many child abuse cases stem from impulsive actions of the parents, and that many parents want help before they hurt their children.

"For any parent willing to volunteer to come in," she said, "we are more than willing to talk over the problem. We'd like to help parents who want to work out their problems or potential problems. We can and do make referrals to other agencies."

Miss Love said the child welfare office can counsel the parent, provide resource materials and make referrals. She emphasized that the child welfare office will do anything to assist parents in preventing actions which may result in abuse or neglect.

Parents who may want to use the services specified should call their local child welfare unit of the State Department of Public Welfare.

Persons wishing to report possible incidents of child abuse or neglect should also call their local child welfare office, a local law enforcement agency or the statewide, toll-free, hotline number.

The local and statewide numbers are maintained by the Texas DPW, the legally responsible agency for the investigation of suspected child abuse or neglect. (End of a series)

Hospital News

Patients receiving treatment at Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, November 23 thru Monday, November 29 include the following:

- Bill Mitchell*
- Nancy Danneheim*
- Doug Chandler*
- Jane Archer*
- Lonnie Holmes*
- Jesus Galindo
- Bonnie Pothoff*
- Beatrice Ramirez*
- Claudio Gonzales*
- Felipe Bernal*
- Sam Odom*
- Susie Rosford*
- Tommy Carter*
- Lynn Lozano*
- Bill Beal*
- Charles Howard
- Becky Sorrels
- George Kisseburg
- Linda Davis*
- Charles Murrey*
- Eva Rodriguez
- Charles Munez

*Patients dismissed during the same period.

The Devil's River Philosopher Sez..... He Knows Why England Is Having Economic Trouble

Editor's note: The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitterweed ranch on the Dry Devil's River examines the British economy this week, sort of. Dear editor:

According to several articles I've read recently, England is in serious economic trouble and the experts don't seem to know what to do about it. I saw something on television the other night that may indicate the source of the trouble. The Queen was shown riding in the royal carriage pulled by prancing white horses, and I got to studying the carriage itself. Did you know it's the same carriage England has been using for generations? The British haven't come out with a new model in maybe 200 years. What sort of prosperity can you create with that kind of slow-down in carriage production?

You let U.S. car manufacturers fail just one year to come out with a new model and economic index would nose-dive. What would happen if they waited 200 years?

Also, there's another blind spot I've noticed in the British notion of what prosperity is based on. For example, one of the key signs of how the U.S. economy is doing is the rate of new housing starts. Do you know what the rate of new castle starts in England is? Why, most of the castles over there are upwards of 1,000 years old and there hasn't been a new one built in most men's recollection. No wonder the castle building industry is blighted and its workers idle. You put these things together along with some more I don't know about and no economy can long endure.

You won't catch the U.S. falling into that situation. New models every year, that's the key to success, but we don't just stop there, we don't overlook any possibilities for more jobs. For

example, even before industry comes out with a new appliance, it already has trained other people how to repair it.

Actually we've slipped up in only one industry. That's the plumbing industry. It's been asleep. Think how much business could be generated if the plumbing industry was as smart as the car industry and persuaded people they ought to change bathtub models every year. Why hasn't it been asking, Do you want your guests to see you're still using year-before-last's bathtub. Don't you know white is out this year and green is in? You want the U.S. to go the way of England? Yours faithfully, J.A.

Police Reports

On November 23 at 8:30 a.m., Ann Boyd of the Texas Highway Department called to report an accident south of the THD warehouse. No ambulance was required.

At 8:30 p.m., a resident of a local motel requested officer assistance in regard to a theft.

At 8:40 p.m., a local service station operator requested an officer to investigate a suspicious looking person.

On November 25 at 12:15 p.m., a resident at 1312 Tayloe reported that a youngster had run into the side of his pickup. No injuries were reported.

Complete INSURANCE SERVICE

RESIDENTIAL COMMERCIAL INDUSTRIAL ALL TYPES OF INSURANCE WEB ELLIOTT AGENCY

209 E. Main Sonora, Texas

B & G Feed

FEED MINERAL SALT LIVESTOCK HAULING HAY HAULING

Pasture Aide Liquid Feed will be delivered or can be picked up. Feeders will be furnished.

GEORGE SCHWIENING 800 Glasscock Sonora, Texas

Phone 387-3620 387-2063 Res.

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

HOUSE PAINTING Commercial Residential Ranch FREE ESTIMATES Felipe "Tito" Vargas Call 387-3205

Mario Duran Water Well Drilling and Clean Outs Phone 387-2752 SONORA

MELVIN GLASSCOCK SHELL STATION Phone 387-2669 West U.S. 290 Sonora

CUSTOM Carpet Draperies FREE ESTIMATES BROWN FURNITURE CO. Ozona, 392-2341

H & H FEED AND TRUCKING COMPANY Call 387-2806 Purina, Godbold, Sweetwater and ACCO Feeds Cowtown Boots

ENEDINA'S HAIR FASHIONS 330 SW Gonzales 387-2812 Open Tuesday-Saturday

TAN-DE BEAUTY SHOP Sharon Kemp, Operator Becky Harris, Operator 511 E. 2nd 387-2216 Tuesday-Fridays MERLE NORMAN COSMETICS Maxine Locklin, Beauty Consultant Betty Stewart, Beauty Advisor Call for demonstrations

KENNETH COOK ROOFING 387-3954

For all your roofing needs...we can do it all. We guarantee our work and we live in Sonora...Let us save you the headaches of dealing with out-of-town businesses. Call us today.

SONORA YOUTH CENTER
Pool - Snooker - Pin Ball
Air Hockey - Deutscher Ball
Good Clean Family Entertainment
GAMBLING & INTOXICATING LIQUOR NOT ALLOWED
Located On Main St. Sonora
Open At 1 P.M. Daily
Close At 9:30 P.M. Daily
Except Wednesdays and Sundays
Owners: Mr. & Mrs. H.E. Moore

Devil's River News

Published Weekly on Thursdays Second Class Postage Paid at Sonora, Texas Exclusive newspaper serving Sutton County, rich ranching center of the Edwards Plateau in West Texas. 915 Phone 387-2222 - 220 NE Main, Sonora, Texas 76950. Entered as second class mail on October 18, 1890, at the Post Office at Sonora, Texas under the act of Congress of March 3, 1879. Yearly Subscription Rates-Due Each September 1 Sutton County, \$5.00 - Elsewhere in Texas, \$6.30 Out of State, \$6.85

Wesley W. Barnett, Publisher Shirley Hill, Editor

TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION MEMBER 1976



The first Congressman who had first been a president of the United States was John Quincy Adams!

WHITES AUTO STORE

Gift Ideas

RCA Black & White 100% Solid State TV

New from RCA. Black & White "Sportable" TV.

NOW ONLY 99⁹⁵

- 100% solid state chassis, for reliability and low energy consumption.
- New quick warm-up picture tube uses no power when set is turned OFF.
- "New Vista 100" VHF tuner helps keep picture clear, even in fringe signal areas.
- Handsome plastic cabinet with wood-grain finish, molded carrying handle.

RCA XL-100 Color TV 19" diagonal

Model FX430

NOW ONLY 399⁹⁵

- 100% solid state chassis for reliability.
- Super AccuColor black matrix picture tube for brilliant, high-contrast color.
- Automatic Chroma Control stabilizes color intensity for each channel.

SOUND DESIGN

8-Track Stereo Tape Cartridge Player

- Plays 8-track stereo tape cartridges
- Slide controls for balance, tone and volume
- Pushbutton power switch and tape program selector
- Automatic tape program indicator lights
- Jacks for headphones, phono input, speakers
- Dimensions: 4" h x 13" w x 8 3/4" d

Model 614 Wide-Range Speakers

- 5" wide-range speakers
- Walnut-grain vinyl-veneer cabinet with foam grill
- Dimensions: 14 1/4" h x 9 3/4" w x 5 1/4" d

NOW ONLY 79⁹⁵

WHITES AUTO STORE

Home owned and Home operated Downtown Sonora

Fast Checkout... Friendly Carryout Service

The Beef People... Quality Meats

FOODWAY
The Beef People



Extra Value Greater Savings

Specials Good

thru Sat. Dec. 4, 1976

Right Reserved to Limit

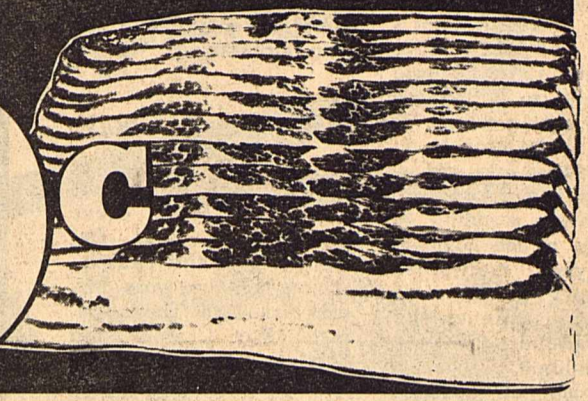
No Sales to Dealers

Grain Fed Beef **Boneless Roast**
Chuck or Shoulder
98¢
Lb.

Hickory Sweet Brand

Sliced Bacon
1-Lb. Pkg.

79¢



- W/D (with soy) Frozen **Beef Patties** 3-lb. Pkg. **\$1.69**
- W/D Smoked **Sausage** 12-oz. Pkg. **\$1.19**
- W/D Sliced Reg. or Beef **Bologna** Lb. **99¢**
- W/D Reg. or Beef **Grill Franks** 2-lb. Pkg. **\$1.89**

Swift Premium Canned **Ham**
Fully Cooked 3-Lb. Can **\$4.79**

- Fresh Frozen **Leg-0-Lamb** Lb. **\$1.59**
- USDA Choice Beef Chuck **Boneless Steak** Lb. **\$1.19**
- USDA Choice Beef Center Cut **Seven Roast** Lb. **89¢**

- USDA Choice Beef **Chuck Steak** Lb. **95¢**
- USDA Choice Beef Shoulder **Arm Roast** Lb. **\$1.09**
- Extra Lean Beef **Short Ribs** 1/2-lb. **89¢**
- Extra Lean Boneless **Stew Meat** Lb. **\$1.39**

Owen's Country Style **Sausage**
2-Lb. Pkg. **\$1.19**
Owen's Lb.

- USDA Choice Beef **Cubed Steak** Lb. **\$1.98**
- USDA Choice Beef **Rib Eye Steak** Lb. **\$2.98**
- Sliced **Beef Liver** Lb. **69¢**
- Owen's **Chili** Lb. **99¢**

Tom Scott **Mixed Nuts**
12 oz can **95¢**

Star Kist **Tuna**
6 1/2 oz can **49¢**

GIVE GIFT CERTIFICATES

Limit One Per Family With \$7.50 or More Additional Purchase Excluding Beer, Wine & Cigs.
Tide Detergent
49-oz. Box **99¢**

Del Monte **Fruit Cocktail**
17-oz. Cans **3**

Frozen Foods
Patio Mexican **Dinners** 2 12-oz. **\$1**
Grand Prix **French Fries** 5-Lb. Bag **99¢**
Kold Country **Orange Juice** 6 Pk. 6-oz. Cans **\$1.19**
Marion **Honey Buns** 9-oz. Can **73¢**
Kold Country Chopped **Broccoli** 3 10-oz. Pkgs. **\$1**

Kountry Fresh Waffle **Syrup** 32-oz. Btl. **79¢**

Diamond Light Syrup Sliced **Peaches** 2 29-oz. Cans **\$1**

Wijesky Wyroby Baby **Polish Dills** 3 16-oz. Jars **\$1**

Adams Best Pure **Vanilla Extract** 4-oz. **\$1.19**

Hunt's **Tomato Sauce** 6 8-oz. Cans **\$1**

Kountry Fresh Reg. Meat, Mushroom **Spaghetti Sauce** 2 16-oz. Jars **\$1**

Kountry Fresh **Corn Chips** 10-oz. Bag **59¢**

Liquid Dish **Detergent Lilac** 2 32-oz. Btls. **\$1**

Del Monte Whole **New Potatoes** 4 16-oz. Cans **\$1**

Pillsbury Dry **Gravy Mixes** 5/8-oz. Pkg. **10¢**

Del Monte **Leaf Spinach** 4 15-oz. Cans **\$1**

Schlitz **Beer**
6 pk 12 oz cans **\$1.39**

Health & Beauty Aids
Capsules **Contac** 10-Ct. **89¢**
Vaseline Intensive Care **Lotion** 12-oz. **89¢**
Suave **Shampoo** 2 16-oz. **\$1.19**

Maxwell House **Coffee**
All Grinds 1-Lb. Can **\$1.79**
Limit One Per Family With \$7.50 or More Additional Purchase Excluding Beer, Wine & Cigs.

Van Camp **Pork & Beans**
16-oz. Cans **4**

Dairy Features
Gandy's **Cottage Cheese** 12 oz Ctn. **49¢**
Gandy's **Yogurt** 4 8-oz. **\$1**
Kountry Fresh **Cinnamon Rolls** 2 5-oz. **\$1**
Kountry Fresh Sticks **Margarine** 2 1-lb. **79¢**
Kountry Fresh Old Fashioned **Biscuits** 15-Ct. **25¢**

Holiday Fruit Cake and Baking Needs
Mor-Brand **Fruit Cake Mix** 1-Lb. **79¢**
Dromedary Pitted **Dates** 1-Lb. **\$1.19**
Borden's None Such **Mince Meat** 9-oz. **79¢**
Diamond (in the shell) **Walnuts** Lb. **89¢**

Crackin' Good **Saltines** 1-Lb. Box **39¢**

Aurora Asst. Colors **Bath Tissue** 2 Roll Pkg. **39¢**

- Everyday Low Prices**
- Cooking Oil **Wesson Oil** 48-oz. Btl. **\$1.79**
 - Kimball Vienna **Sausage** 3 5-oz. Cans **\$1**
 - Hunt's Tomato **Ketchup** 32-oz. Btl. **83¢**
 - Kountry Fresh Corn Bread or **Biscuit Mix** 6 6-oz. Pouches **\$1**

- Everyday Low Prices**
- Kimball Light Meat **Chunk Tuna** 6 1/2-oz. Can **51¢**
 - O. B. Long **Spaghetti** 10-oz. Pkg. **39¢**
 - Kim Auto. Dish **Detergent** 50-oz. **\$1.25**
 - Lysol Spray **Disinfectant** 14-oz. **\$1.69**

- Everyday Low Prices**
- All Purpose **Big K Flour** 5-Lb. Bag **59¢**
 - All Flavors **Cycle Dog Food** 14-oz. Can **37¢**
 - Gaines Burger Beef **Dog Food** 72-oz. **\$2.53**
 - Kountry Fresh **Peanut Butter** 28-oz. **\$1.27**

VALUABLE COUPON
SAVE 10¢ With This Coupon
On Purchase of One Pkg. **Kountry Fresh Cheese**
Limit One Coupon
Valid After 12/4/76 C-10

Foodway Gift Certificates Available in \$5.00 and \$10.00 Denominations
GIFT CERTIFICATE
Happy Holidays To For Five Dollars and 00/100
Redeemable for merchandise at all Foodway Supermarkets
From Authorized Signature
VOID AFTER FEB. 1, 1977
NOT REDEEMABLE FOR CASH

Texas, Juice Oranges 5 lb. bag 75¢	Texas, Ruby Red Grapefruit 5 lb. bag 99¢	Red or Golden Delicious Apples 3 lb. bag 79¢	Texas, Yellow Onions lb. 13¢	California Avocados 4 for \$1
--------------------------------------------------------	--------------------------------------------------------------	------------------------------------------------------------------	--------------------------------------------------	---------------------------------------------------

Your Hometown Food Store... Home of Low Prices

Pleasant Stores with Friendly Service

Fast Checkout... Friendly Carryout Service

Your Hometown Food Store... Home of Low Prices

Wesley Sykes' Honored

A reunion of the Martin family was held at the Wesley Sykes ranch November 20. Mrs. Sykes' five brothers, their wives and members of their families and other relatives were present for the occasion. It was also a celebration of the Sykes' 40th wedding anniversary which was planned as a surprise to the couple, by their children Alfred, Albert's children, and Jack Martin, also Janis of Nevada who was unable to be present but who sent a tribute to be read at the noon hour.

from many sections of Texas. Mrs. Sykes' oldest brother and his wife, also her youngest brother and his wife who were present, share the same anniversary. The elder couple with 60 years and the younger couple with 42 years of wedded life. Also several younger couples have chosen the same date for their marriage including their son Alfred and his wife Barbara.

Mmes. Jones, Cooper Have Holiday Visitors

A wedding cake decorated with the colors used at the Sykes wedding 40 years ago in the home of Mrs. Sykes' mother in Petersburg, was served along with a dinner and supper prepared by the Sykes children. A book of poetry composed by H. O. Martin of Medford, Oregon was given to his sister. Also a money tree was presented to the couple by those attending.

Visiting Mrs. Cleve Jones and Mrs. Pat Cooper over the Thanksgiving holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Thompson, Mrs. Ray Cramer and Melissa from Albuquerque, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. George Beams of Dallas; Mrs. Thomas Brewster of San Angelo, Mrs. Edith Phillips of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Cooper, Jim and Beverly Beth of College Station, Mr. and Mrs. Don Rains and Donald Patrick of San Marcos.



Miss Patricia Ann Garmon Weds Charles Frye Saturday

Miss Patricia Ann Garmon became the bride of Charles Frye during a ceremony held Saturday in the First United Methodist Church. The Rev. Paul Terry officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mrs. W. F. Garmon of Sonora and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frye of Anson.

Given in marriage by her brother, Quincy Garmon, the bride chose a gown of sheer nylon organza over satin, designed with an A-line skirt. Embroidered pearls and daisies highlighted the dress and sleeves. She carried a bouquet of white rosebuds.

Traditional wedding music was provided by Mrs. Charlotte Wilson. Mrs. Dave Locklin was soloist.

Mrs. Steve Dansby of Minot A.F.B., in North Dakota, served her sister as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Becky Garmon, sister of the bride, Miss Debbie Hard and Mrs. Don Harris.

Serving as best man was Johnny Frye, brother of the bridegroom. Groomsman were Dr. Noble Ballard of Altus, Oklahoma, Joe Morrow of Anson, and Billy Don Bradshaw of Stamford.

Ushering guests were Rick Hard of Eagle Pass and Elba Adams.

A reception was held in the fellowship hall following the ceremony. Serving in the houseparty were Mrs. Charles Andrews of Odessa, Mrs. Carl Hard of Eagle Pass and Mrs. Harry Templeton.

Mrs. Frye is a 1974 graduate of Sonora High School and is employed by a local transport company. The bridegroom is a 1966 graduate of Anson High School and works for a drilling company.

Following a wedding trip to Ruidosa, New Mexico, the couple will make their home in Sonora.

REHEARSAL DINNER
A rehearsal dinner was hosted by the bridegroom at a local restaurant.

WEDDING GUESTS
Attending the wedding from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Andrews of Odessa, Dr. and Mrs. Noble Ballard of Altus, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morrow and daughter from Anson, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Bradshaw and daughter from Stamford, Miss Isabel Frye of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs.

Alvin Sargent and family of Tuscola, Mrs. Carl Hard and Rick Hard of Eagle Pass.

BRIDESMAID LUNCHEON

Mrs. Tom Nevill and Mrs. A.C. Hudson were hostesses Saturday at noon to a bridesmaid luncheon honoring the bride.

Attending were the bride's mother, Mrs. W.F. Garmon; the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Harry Frye; bridesmaids, Mrs. Steve Dansby, Miss Becky Garmon, Miss Debbie Hard and Mrs. Don Harris; the bridegroom's sisters, Mrs. Noble Ballard, Mrs. Joe Morrow, Mrs. Billy Don Bradshaw, Miss Isabel Frye, and Mrs. Alvin Sargent; and Mrs. Charles Andrews, aunt of the bride. Also attending were Mrs. Charlotte Wilson and Mrs. Paul Terry.

Mrs. Cook Host To Chaos Club

Mrs. J. D. Cook hosted the Chaos Bunko Club Monday night. She served pumpkin pie, banana bread, chips, dips and drinks.

Mrs. Bill Bundy and Mrs. Bob Mooney were guests of the club. Members attending were Mmes. Archie Crenwelge, Doug DuBose, Mollie Hite, Ronnie Crawford, Lila St. Clair, Rodney Knight, Scooter McMinn, Pam Wilson and Hoot Hearn.

Winners at bunko play were Mrs. Knight, bunko; Mrs. McMinn, high; Mrs. Wilson, second high, and Mrs. Hearn, low.

Tan De Shop Merle Norman Cosmetics featuring

- Turquoise Jewelry
- Costume Jewelry
- Other Christmas Gifts

will be open nights until 9 p.m.
December 2 - 22

511 E. 2nd St

Sonora

Holiday Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson, Tracey and Terrell, of Sweetwater visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McClelland, over the holidays.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill McClelland during the holiday period were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Von Struve of Abernathy.

Thanksgiving visitors in the John McClelland home were their children and families, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny McClelland, Trey and Jessa of Pearland, and Mrs. Jan McClelland and Jay of El Paso.

Joe Lancaster of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Hudson.

Visiting with family and friends during the holiday was Robbie Hard of U.S. Air Force Academy in Colorado.

Mrs. Hill Host To Bridge Club

Mrs. W.H. Hill hosted members and guests of the Monday Night Bridge Club at her home November 22. Cake and coffee was served.

Winning high was Mrs. Frank Adkins; travel, Mrs. Joe Neil Smith; low, Mrs. Bob Granger, and bingo, Mrs. Horace Hill.

Others attending were Mmes. Clayton Hamilton, Helen Condra and Wayne Brasher.

Fire Auxiliary Hosted By

Mrs. Crawford

Mrs. Ronnie Crawford was hostess November 23 to members of the Firemen's Auxiliary. 42 was played.

Members and guests attending were Mmes. Robert Stokes, Sammy Odom, Mollie Hite, Bill

Jolly, James Blackman, Vernon Humphreys, Gene West, Louis Olenick, Joe Lowe, Ann Boyd and Doug DuBose.

Sandwiches, dips, chips, cake and soft drinks were served.

Winning high at 42 play was Mrs. Lowe; 84, Mrs. Humphreys, and low, Mrs. Jolly.

"The tiniest hair casts a shadow." Goethe

Tedford Jewelry

BRIDAL REGISTRY



Mrs. Bill Thompson, nee Roxianna Pittillo
Janey Davis, bride-elect of Mike Dillard
Pat Kinard, bride-elect of Bobby Lynn Dowell
Mrs. Scott Campbell, nee DeAnna Schwertner
Mrs. Gene Thompson, nee Jeanette Quick

Phone 387-2434

THIS STUFFED CABBAGE HAS A FLAVOR SECRET



A ground beef and rice stuffing, temptingly seasoned with onion, tomato and a measure of Worcestershire sauce is one of the best things to happen to a cabbage leaf. This is a healthful family main dish, thrifty and easily prepared, but you can also serve it proudly to guests whose tastebuds know what's good.

SAVORY STUFFED CABBAGE

- 1 small head cabbage
- 1 tablespoon oil
- 1 cup chopped onions
- 1 can (1 lb.) tomatoes, broken up
- 3 beef bouillon cubes
- 1 cup water
- 5 teaspoons original Worcestershire sauce, divided
- 1 pound ground lean beef
- 3 tablespoons raw rice
- 2 tablespoons water
- 2 tablespoons firmly packed brown sugar

Pour boiling water over cabbage to cover; let stand for 15 minutes. Remove leaves; set aside. In a large saucepot heat oil. Add onions; saute for 2 minutes. Stir in tomatoes, bouillon cubes, water and 3 teaspoons of the Worcestershire sauce. Bring to boiling point. Reduce heat and simmer, covered, for 30 minutes. Meanwhile mix beef, rice, egg, water and remaining 2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce. Place a tablespoonful on each cabbage leaf; tuck in sides, roll up. Place extra cabbage in sauce. Arrange stuffed cabbage on top; sprinkle with brown sugar. Cover and simmer for 1 1/2 hours. Uncover and simmer until sauce is slightly thickened, about 20 minutes. Yield: About 16 stuffed cabbages—4 to 6 portions.

MRS. HANKINS HONORED NOV. 19

Mrs. Lowell Hankins was honored November 19 in Rocksprings when that day was proclaimed "Sarah Hankins Day". Mrs. Hankins is the mother of Mrs. Bill Morriss of Sonora.

Linda Hunt

Lolabeth Jones

Ye Ole Christmas Shoppe and Bakery



Dec. 9, 1976
8:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Hunt's back yard



THE SEIKO QUARTZ PERPETUAL CALENDAR.

Pre-programmed for leap years, 28, 30 and 31 day months until the year 2009.



Model No. DK001M—\$225.00. HARDLEX mar-resist crystal, adjustable bracelet.

Easy-to-read liquid crystal digits provide a continuous readout of hours, minutes, seconds—AM/PM and day of the week. Push a button, and the year, month and date appear.

Both calendar and timekeeping functions can be read anytime—even in total darkness—thanks to Seiko's built-in illumination system.

The Seiko Quartz Perpetual Calendar—an extraordinary combination of good looks and unparalleled accuracy that is changing the world's standard of accuracy. Seiko Quartz.

SEIKO

Ruth Shurley Jewelry

Downtown

387-2755

DECK THE HALLS WITH FESTIVE

Flowers

Christmas is just around the corner...

Place your orders early

- 1-2-3 bloom Poinsettias
- Artificial Wreaths
- Styrofoam Wreaths
- Fresh Holly Wreaths
- Canadian Pine Wreaths
- Lycopodium Wreaths

Flowers by Irene

308 Railroad

will be closed December 24-25

387-2554

Karate lessons?

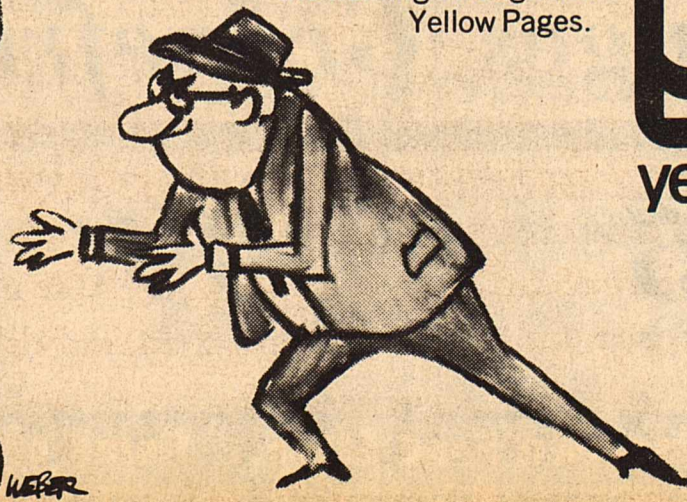
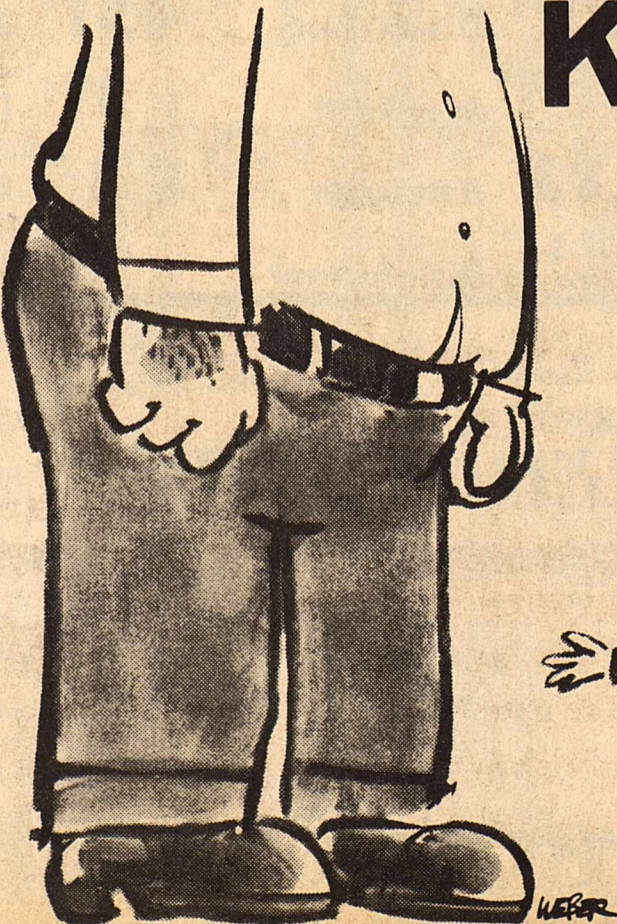
Take on the Yellow Pages.

Whether you want to become a black belt champ, or chop other problems down to size, remember...

Any product or service is there at your fingertips when your fingers do the walking through the Yellow Pages.



yellow pages



FOOD CENTER Specials

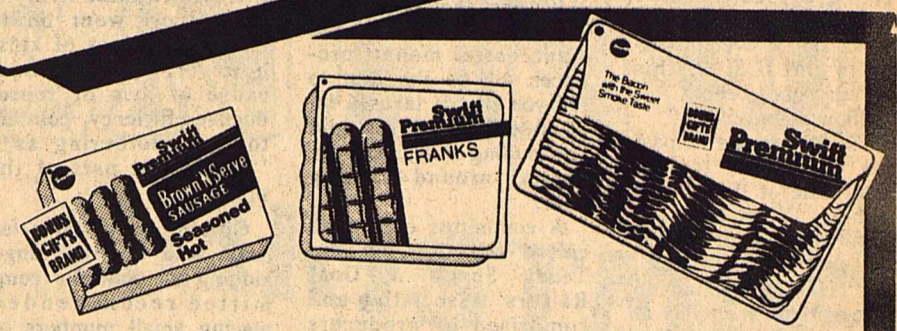
FOR HOLIDAY SHOPPERS



Heavy Beef Blade Cut
Chuck Roast 1b. **59¢**

Heavy Beef 7-Bone Roast 1b. **69¢**
Heavy Beef Arm Roast 1b. **79¢**
Heavy Beef Chuck Steak 1b. **89¢**
Boneless Extra Lean Stew Meat 1b. **\$1⁰⁹**
Fresh and Lean Ground Meat 1b. **69¢**

Heavy Beef English Roast 1b. **75¢**
Heavy Beef Boneless Brisket 1b. **\$1⁰⁹**
Heavy Beef Club Steak 1b. **\$1¹⁹**
Fine for Barbecue Beef Short Ribs 1b. **\$1⁰⁹**
Extra Lean Ground Meat 1b. **89¢**



Swift Premium Sliced Bacon 12 oz. pkg. **89¢**
Swift Sausage Brown 'n' Serve 8 oz. pkg. **69¢**
Swift Premium Franks 12 oz. pkg. **69¢**
Jimenez Chorizo Mexican Style Sausage 12 oz. pkg. **69¢**
Jimenez Mexican Style Tamales 12 oz. pkg. **89¢**

Budweiser Beer
6 pk. cans **\$1⁴⁹**

Minuet Golden Corn 29¢
Minuet Sweet Peas 29¢
Minuet Cut Green Beans 29¢
Allen's Whole Tomatoes 16 oz. **33¢**

HOLIDAY SAVINGS TIME!

BUY IT IN SONORA COUPONS

Get your profit sharing coupons with any purchase \$5 or more!

Gladiola Pouch Mixes 6 oz. pkg. **\$1**
Gold Medal All Purpose Flour 25 lb. bag **\$2⁹⁹**
Snowdrift Pure Vegetable Shortening 3 lb. can **\$1¹⁹**
Maxwell House Coffee 1 lb. can **\$1⁹⁹**
Casserol Dry Pinto Beans 1 lb. pkg. **39¢**

Flic A Bic Butane Lighter **89¢**

FROZEN FOODS

Staff Orange Juice 2 **\$1**
Minute Maid Lemonade 4 **\$1**
Kounty Kist Lima Beans 20 oz. **59¢**
Mrs. Smith's Pumpkin Pie 26 oz. **99¢**

DAIRY PRODUCTS

Kraft Whipped Parkay Margarine 1 lb. pkg. **69¢**
Gandy's Buttermilk 1/2 gal. **79¢**
Mrs. Rios Tortillas 12 ct. pkg. **8 \$1**
Staff Biscuits 8 ct. can **14¢**

Wolf Brand Plain Chili 19 oz. can **79¢**
Staff Saltine Crackers 1 lb. box **39¢**
Campbell's Tomato Soup 10 oz. can **8 \$1**
DelMonte Chunk Light Tuna 5 oz. can **59¢**
Hunt's Tomato Juice 46 oz. can **2 \$1**
Ranch Style Pinto Beans 14 oz. cans **4 \$1**

Produce Specials

Texas Sweet Oranges 5 lb. bag **69¢**
Texas Ruby Red Grapefruit 5 lb. bag **69¢**
Red Delicious Apples 4 **\$1**
Fresh Carrots 1 lb. bag **29¢**
Fresh Tangelos 4 **\$1**
Florida Avocados 3 **\$1**

Tired of carrying cash or check book?
Why not shop the convenient way? Use our handy coupon books, buy them and use them!

BUY A COUPON BOOK



FOOD CENTER
600 Crockett Ave
387-3438
Home owned and operated

Fred Campbell's Wool and Mohair Report

The Australian wool market seems to have stabilized and has shown slight improvement this past week. However, the sudden devaluation of the Australian currency over the weekend will cheapen Australian wools in the world market.

In the U.S. very little activity has been reported. Scattered sales have been reported as odd-lots have been moved at steady prices. Carry over inventory in the U.S. at this time amounts to about 7 or 8 million pounds.

In South Africa this past week their next to last mohair sale of the season was held. Prices bid were 7 1/2 to 10 percent higher than the previous sale. Price levels of mohair in world markets are today at record levels as supplies are extremely scarce. Contracting of the spring clip continues at a slow rate with prices bid at the \$3.00 level. Not over 200,000 to 250,000 pounds of the Texas clip has been contracted it has been estimated.



"In language clarity is everything."
Confucius

Sheep & Goat Industry News

Compiled by
Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association

It doesn't take an old and wrinkled rancher to tell you that in order to make a living off of livestock, you have to get a few of them on the ground -- you simply can't sell something until you produce it, unless you're one of those fellows that enjoys running from lawsuits or maybe running for the Texas Supreme Court.

It works that way in the Angora goat business and a successful mohair producer will be the first to tell you that it takes a lot of sleepless nights and hair-pulling (his, not the goat's) around kidding time.

A committee of experts called together by the Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association and comprised of producers and representatives of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and feed and drug companies spent a great deal of time investigating kidding practices in search of a list of guidelines for improving Angora kid crops. Their findings and recommendations were published in a report released early in November during the Angora Goat Field Day at the Sonora Experiment Station.

The committee report listed two basic options in respect to kidding sys-

tems. The least complicated of the practices was that of range kidding, while a much more detailed and, often more successful, program involved an intensive kidding system.

Range kidding was described as "usually necessary for large flocks and those without facilities or labor to manage the flock more intensively." The report went on to mark death loss of kids, however, as the major cause of loss of reproductive efficiency, pointing to poor mothering as a "significant part of the problem."

Offering suggestions for those who use the range kidding method, the committee recommended placing small numbers of does in small pastures or traps during kidding, suggesting that the chosen pastures offer only one watering place, and asking that odd-shaped pastures be avoided. A single, high-ground bedding place was also suggested. All the recommendations were designed to minimize the chances of does losing their kids.

Other loss avoidance practices might include care in hand-feeding and exclusion or muttons, which tend to lead kids away from the does. For producers capable of utilizing confinement or intensive kidding practices, the report recommended adequate facilities, adequate feed, and, of course, "some knowledge and experience in kidding goats."

Facilities should include barns or sheds for wet and cold-weather protection, kidding pens or stalls with heat lamps and pens or small traps, and feeding space. While recommending early kidding, the committee cautioned that such a practice requires more feed and better facilities; small grain grazing or an inexpensive feed supply would make early kidding more feasible.

Detailed suggestions include shearing prior to kidding, avoidance of sheds as much as possible to keep them clean and dry, and movement to stalls as soon after kidding as possible. Paint-mark pairing of does and kids was also recommended, as was the practice of treating the kids' navels with iodine and use of heat lamps to keep the kids warm and stimulate sucking.

The report suggested moving does and kids to pasture within 10 days to two weeks after kidding, providing freeze loss is unlikely, and recommended leaving does and kids on bedgrounds, feeding areas or water and salting areas so that does will return to their offspring easily.



The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill
Attorney General

AUSTIN—Those after-Thanksgiving Day sales can provide some tempting price reductions on the winter coat you've been admiring since late last summer.

If you've managed to wait this long, chances are you can find a price that's within the limit you have set for your purchase. But can you find the quality of coat you need and want?

Our Consumer Protection Division lawyers say that a winter coat is likely to be your most expensive clothing buy, so it pays to be careful and get your money's worth, since even with special sales it's still going to cost you a lot.

Textile experts and fashion designers agree on one point: you should buy the very best fabric, the simplest style, and the most durably made coat you can find. Forget about the "latest look." It's much better to invest in a well-made, classic style cloth coat than to put the same amount of money into a "high fashion" look, a "fun" fur, or a fur-trimmed coat. You generally get what you pay for—and if you pay for this year's style, you can almost bet that you'll have to sacrifice some quality in material and tailoring.

Besides, if you buy this year's "Cossack" look and next year's fad is the "cowboy" look, your expensive coat will immediately begin to look dated. Good construction, material, and style will insure that your coat wears as well and looks as good in several years as it does when you buy it.

Here's a few things to check when you go coat-shopping: -If you choose a plaid, stripe, or other design, be sure the design is matched at seams.

The coat should be cut with the grain of the fabric. Buttonholes, too, should be cut with the grain, so they won't stretch.

The simpler the better as far as enduring style is concerned, but if trim or decoration is included, be sure it's a compatible fabric that won't fade or bleed, and be sure it's firmly sewn.

Linings should require the same care as the fabric, be of a matching color, be of good quality material, tightly sewn and firmly attached to the coat.

Zippers, buttons, hooks and eyes, grippers, and any other fasteners should be securely sewn and should match the fabric in color. Zippers, in addition, should work easily, be smooth and flat, and be covered completely by a fabric flap.

Buttonholes should be bound or stitched firmly with ends reinforced.

Stitches should be straight, small, and secure. One rule of thumb is to have approximately 12 stitches to an inch.

Seams should be generous enough to allow for later alterations if needed. Main seams should be pressed open and seam edges taped or stitched to eliminate fraying.

Our Consumer Protection attorneys caution you to make sure that required fiber content and fabric care information is attached to the coat. And be sure to find out in advance the store's policy on returns. Some sale merchandise cannot be returned.

If you have a consumer complaint, get in touch with the Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division or your county or district attorney.

from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK

DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

December 1, 1966

Despite the hard charging offense of Seagraves, the Broncos defeated them by a smashing score of 36-0 in the regional game. The Broncos will now move into quarter-finals where they will play White Deer Saturday.

Rice University in Houston has named Jim Fish recipient of an academic scholarship.

District Judge Charles Sherrill has set a new date for the trial of Charles Ray Luxton which was originally set for December 7 here. Luxton has been indicted for murder in connection with the shooting death of a man in Big Lake last spring.

November 30, 1956

Coach Joe Turner's Broncos won their battle for the bi-district championship here Friday night 23 to 13.

The Broncos will travel to San Angelo tomorrow night to meet the Merkel Badgers in San Angelo Stadium for the state championship playoffs.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Langford are parents of a daughter, Nina Claire, born November 25 at Shannon Hospital.

A party was held Saturday afternoon, honored Miss Kay Lynn Kerbow on her fourth birthday.

November 29, 1946

Congressman O. C. Fisher and the Rock-springs Chamber of Commerce are working on interesting the government into making a natural park out of the Devil's Sink-hole, a natural limestone cavern located near Rock-springs.

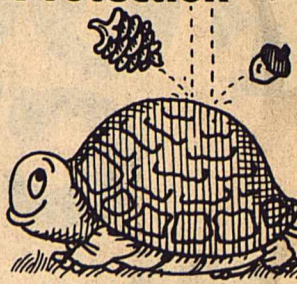
The Wesley Sawyer Jewelry, the most recent addition to the growing list of Sonora business houses, opened its doors Wednesday for an open house and inspection.

The Sonora Food Locker continues to fill as "Dead Eye Dicks" from all over the country bring in their kills.

82 Years Ago

R. B. Mose of Hamilton county is in the Sonora

There's no natural Protection



Birth defects are forever Unless you help

March of Dimes

SPACE CONTRIBUTED BY THE PUBLISHER

BRANGUS BULL SALE

January 29, 1977
1 p.m.

AT POWELL LIVESTOCK SALE

Sonora, Texas

CAWLEY RANCH

AND

GUEST CONSIGNORS

Rugged Ranch Raised Breeding Age Bulls adapted to West Texas

Syler Sales Mgt., Inc.
713/289-4400

Jim Cawley
915/853-2277

Attention Ranchers Feeding Time Again!

We at Friess Bros. Liquid Feed intend to do our part in holding down the cost of liquid feed supplements to our customers during a time of depressed cattle prices.

We also feel that we have two things to sell:

1. Quality - you can't substitute a cargill Nutrena safe, dependable liquid feed for low quality liquid feed.
2. Service - Please feel free to call us at any time. Leave your feeding worries to us, you can depend on Friess Bros. to see that your cattle are fed.

Friess Brothers Liquid Feed

Turney Friess Joe Friess
387-2425 387-3052 387-2997



School Lunch Menu

- Monday, December 6**
Chili and Beans
Spanish Rice
Green Salad
Cobbler
Hot Rolls
Milk
- Tuesday, December 7**
Beef and Spaghetti
Buttered Green Beans
Carrot and Celery Sticks
Corn Bread
Cake
Milk
- Wednesday, December 8**
Corny Dog with Mustard
Okra Gumbo
Pineapple, Cheese Salad
Oatmeal Squares
Hot Rolls
Milk
- Thursday, December 9**
Baked Ham
Potato Salad
Buttered Green Peas
Hot Rolls
Gingerbread
Milk
- Friday, December 10**
Burritos with Chili
Pinto Beans
Green Salad
Hot Rolls
Ice Cream
Milk

Cecil Westerman
Would
Like
TO
Be
YOUR
Pharmacist

ADCO WATER WELLS, INC.

915/387-2071
Bobby Doran, Pres.
Sonora, Texas

Sales and Service of all Water Systems

Call on us for prompt, efficient service. Our trucks are radio equipped.



Real Estate Transfers

Trustee's Deed-Clayton Hamilton, Trustee, to H.O. Joy et ux, Lots 4-b, 5-c & 6-b, Block 18-E.
W/D-James T. Hunt et ux to Herman R. Pettiet, Lots 1 & 4, Block W-33.
Quitclaim Deed-Eusebio Garza, Jr. et ux to Oscar A. Perez et ux, Lot 3, Block 8, West Mexico Addn.
Quitclaim Deed-Ernesto Perez to Oscar A. Perez et ux, Lot 3, Block 8, West Mexico Addn.
W/D-Amalia Hernandez Perez to Oscar A. Perez et ux, Lot 3, Block 8, West Mexico Addn.
W/D-Alfred A. Perez, Jr. et al to Oscar A. Perez et ux, Lot 3, Block 8, West Mexico Addn.
W/D-Vestel Askew et al to Dorothy W. Pope, Lot 1 & 18' off NE side Lot 2, Block D.
WD/VL-Dayton Homes, Inc. to Archie L. Whitaker et ux, Lot 8, Block 1, Meadowcreek Addn. Sonora.
W/D-Michael E. Sipes et ux to Robert Zapata et ux, 20' off W. side Lot 7 and all Lot 8, Blk H.
W/D-Doris Jo Merriman to Wanda Burrow, SW/2 Lot 1 & NE/2 Lot 2, Block M.
W/D-Fred J. Logan et al to Trinity Baptist Temple, S/2 Lot 3 & 5 pt. Lot 2, Blk. W-29.

Save

GENERAL TIRES
DEPENDABLE
SAFE

R.S. Teaff Oil Company

FINA GASOLINE
Phone 387-2770
Sonora

Brangus Sale

SATURDAY, DEC. 11, 1976

Heifers - 10 a.m.

Bulls - 1 p.m.

Producer Livestock Auction

San Angelo, Texas

1000-1200 Commercial Females

includes 250 pairs - 30 bred heifers
balance open heifers

125 Registered Brangus Bulls

all service age - weigh over 1200 lbs.

15 3/4 Blood Brahman Bulls

certified IBBA - these will produce Brangus when mated with Angus - (3/8 Brahman X 5/8 Angus)

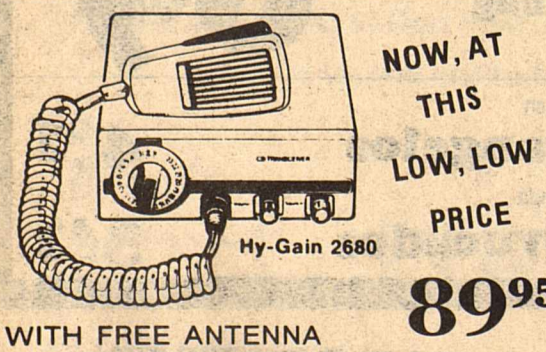
Sponsored by:
HILL COUNTRY
BRANGUS BREEDERS ASSN
Box 7
Kerrville, Texas 78028

For information, contact:
P & F Cattle Co.
P.O. Box 807
Bellville, Texas 77418
915/468-2173

FREE!
40 Channel CONVERSION
from **Hy-Gain** the CB that's ready when you are!



ONLY \$199⁹⁵



NOW, AT THIS LOW, LOW PRICE

\$89⁹⁵

ASK YOUR DEALER FOR DETAILS

WHITE'S AUTO STORE

Downtown Sonora
Home owned and Home operated



NEVILLE'S GRAND OPENING FOR CHRISTMAS

USE YOUR MASTERCHARGE OR BANKAMERICARD AT NEVILLE'S

Men's Western Leisure Suits



A gift he will enjoy...
by Wrangler or Levi...
these suits priced to
be easy on your
Xmas buying
\$29⁹⁵

were \$42⁹⁵ to \$49⁹⁵

Men's & Boys' Western Shirts



- Buttons or snaps
- Solids prints
- Fancy Yokes

\$7⁹⁹

others to \$19⁹⁵

sizes 14 to 19 - Reg and Talls

Santa has a complete stock
of all styles of blue jeans from
Sedgefields - Levis and Wranglers
at Neville's

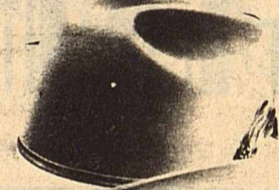
"YES" Neville's has a grand selection
of hand tooled
Name Belts **\$6 to \$15**

sizes 18" to 48"

Men's & Boy's Western Hats

priced from **\$17⁵⁰**
to **\$65**

Stetson Resistal
American



Men's Sport, Dress & Leisure Shirts

Enjoy brand
perma press **\$4⁹⁹**

Arrow - Munsingwear & Mr. Deec
reg & talls
sizes S-M-L-XLXX - XXXL **\$9 to \$15**

Ladies' Robes

A welcomed Warm Gift for Her
from Katz or Lounge Craft



Size small to XL

\$10⁹⁹

others to \$35

Full long lengths,

solids and
fancy patterns

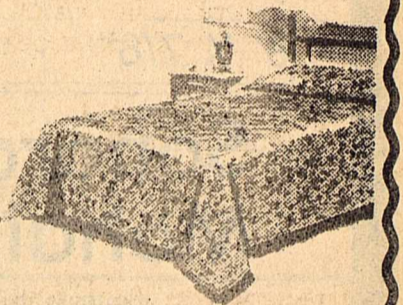
Bedspreads by Blackburns

King - Queen - Full
solids and fancy quilted

priced from
\$19⁹⁰

to

\$49⁹⁵



A GIFT FOR THE HOME

Ladies' & Children's Warm Sleepwear



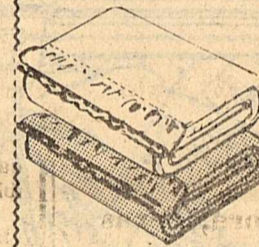
- Granny Gowns
- Shorty Gowns
- Pajamas

\$6

to \$14

Kiddie 2 to 14
Ladies Petite to Xlge

Gift Blankets



Solids
Twin
or Full
Patterns **\$5⁹⁹**
to
\$9⁹⁵

Electric Blankets

full or single size

single control **\$21⁹⁰**

2 year guarantee!!

All Wool **CLOSE OUT**
PENDLETON SHIRTS \$28⁹⁵ **\$18**

All Wool **CLOSE OUT**
Pendleton Jackets \$49⁹⁵ **\$29⁹⁰**

Munsingwear Alpaca
Sweaters \$39⁵⁰ **24⁹⁹**

Buy it in Sonora
Profit Sharing
Coupons Here!

Ladies' Men's C.P.O. Vinyl Jackets



- Blue
- Pecan
- Off White
- Brown

Reg \$24⁹⁵

\$14⁹⁵

Boys Vinyl
Jackets size 8
to 20 **\$7⁹⁹**

Men's Gift House Slippers

Jiffies **\$5 to \$6**

Corduroy
Warmers **\$6⁹⁹**

Vinyl
Crepe Sole **\$9⁹⁵**

size 6 1/2 to 12

Name Belts

The personalized Xmas Gift
Your name printed for only \$2

• Boys' or Girls' size 18 to 26 from **\$6**

• Men's & Ladies' sizes 28 to 48 from **\$8**

others to \$16 Buckles to match

Name Printed while you wait!

Boys' Flannel
Pajamas **\$6⁹⁹**

Men's Flannel or
Perma Press Robes **\$9⁹⁵**

Ladies' & Children's
washable & warm
House Slippers **\$4 to \$6**

- FREE GIFT WRAPPING
- MASTERCHARGE
- BANKAMERICARD

Men's - Women's - Children's BOOTS

Tony Lama - Sanders - Dan Post - Wrangler - Acme
Sizes for the entire family ...

Men's
genuine shark
or lizard Reg \$99⁵⁶
\$79⁹⁵

Ladies'
sizes 5 to 9 **\$39⁹⁵**
to \$65

Childrens'
sizes 4 1/2 to 8 **\$12⁹⁵**
8 1/2 to 3 3 1/2 to 6 to \$24⁹⁵



NEVILLE'S

Your Complete Department Store
Downtown Sonora

Happy Birthday

Thursday, December 2
Mrs. Robert Moffitt
Hub Hale
Glen Richardson
Barry Black

Friday, December 3
Oliver Wuest
David Shurley
Bob Whitehead
Kelly Ward

Saturday, December 4
A. F. Moffitt, Jr.
Mrs. Charles Shannon, Jr.
Mrs. G. A. Wynn
Darla West

Sunday, December 5
Lee Roy Valliant
Bill Green
J. Paul Getty

Monday, December 6
Betty Renfro
Renee Rousselot
Paul Browne
B. E. Cartwright
Mrs. Lewis Stockton
Fred A. Adkins
Toni Wright

Tuesday, December 7
Mrs. Wilburn Glasscock
Maxie Delrie
Wade Stokes
Diana Groom
Preston Love

Wednesday, December 8
Savell Lee Sharp
Ed Grobe
Norma Radle Robledo
Willie Gutierrez
Martha Livesay

Thursday, December 2
12:30 p.m., Sonora
Woman's Club meeting,
clubhouse
3-5 p.m., Senior Center
open
7:30 p.m., Jaycees
meeting at Commercial
Restaurant

Saturday, December 4
2 p.m., First Profit
Sharing Coupon Drawing

Sunday, December 5
Services at the church of
your choice

Monday, December 6
9 a.m., City Aldermen
meeting, City Hall
3:15 p.m., Brownie
Troop 159 meeting, Scout
Hut

8 p.m., Kappa Gamma
Sorority meeting
Tuesday, December 7
12 noon, Downtown
Lions Club luncheon in
fellowship hall of First
Methodist Church
12 noon, Petro-etts
meeting, Petroleum Club

Hudspeth Happenings

By Francis Burt

This is the first of a series of columns which the Devil's River News has graciously consented to carry on the things that take place at Hudspeth Nursing Home.

We are proud of our nursing home and the fine care it gives. It is one of the best facilities anywhere.

Mrs. M. L. (Nell) Brownlee is our Activity Director. She does a wonderful job, and will welcome any assistance in cheering our guests that anyone wants to give.

Residents at the nursing home were served the traditional Thanksgiving Dinner last Thursday.

Besides spending much time on a one-on-one basis with our guests, Mrs. Brownlee has planned

events for each day in the week.

Monday morning is usually devoted to nail care. Recent participants have been Manuel Lopez, Pat Shroyer, Juanita Mejia, Janie Radle and Jessie Roberts.

On Wednesday mornings, guests get together in the Conference Room for a GAB meeting where they visit, talk about various things and enjoy coffee and fellowship.

Wednesday, November 17, Lupe Silvas had as her guests Mr. and Mrs. Telefon Gonzales.

That afternoon the GA's of the First Baptist Church came to sing and visit with residents. Leaders were Denise Fort, Ine Stewart and Anita Spiller. Karen McAnally accompanied on the piano.

GA's who came were Katherine Parker, Claylene Steward, Dee Bundy, Twila Woodall, Carrie Sorenson, Bonnie Jackson and Anne Marie Fort.

Film shows, both silent and talkies, are given in the lobby one day each week. Recently guests have seen a travelogue "About New Zealand" a

comedy "Bored of Education", "Fatty and Minnie Hee Haw", and "The Cake Eater."

These pictures are well-attended and enjoyed. Present last Monday were Marilee Heiser, Carl Matthews, Minnie Harrison, Mary Bruton;

Also Pat Shroyer, Nellie Olsson, Janita Mejia, Lupe Silva, Jessie Roberts, John Neville and Manuel Lopez.

Thursday afternoon, November 18, the Ladies Auxiliary gave a Thanksgiving Party for residents.

Hostesses were Mmes. Jo and Robert Hardgrave and Paul Terry. Sandwiches, cookies and punch were served in a gala atmosphere.

Friday is Bingo Day. Winners last week were Carl Matthews, Jr., Manuel Lopez, John Neville, Marilee Heiser and Mary Bruton.

Ladies Auxiliary does many unselfish things for nursing home guests. Recently they have presented the diet kitchen with a new blender and made a number of attractive and serviceable

bibs for use at meal times.

Thanksgiving decorations made by third and fourth graders under the supervision of their re-

spective teachers, Mmes. Fress and Campbell gave additional pleasure both before and on Thanksgiving Day. We thank them all.

Last Monday afternoon Brownie Troop 157 under Mrs. Dennis Hughes, brought tray favors and sang.

Those who came were Trudy Dell Taylor, Leslie and Lorie Webster, Deana Graves, Cinnamon Hughes, Jennifer Weaver, Mary Huckaby, Tammy Jones, Rachael Chaves;

Also Callie Joresnon, Matheline Matthews, Kristin Keel, Laura Anne Guerra, Dorothy Jimenez, Gail Mesa, Bonnie Jackson, Stacey Miller, Tina and Tracy Hulsey.

First grade pupils, dressed as turkey, pumpkins, Indians and Puritans came to the nursing home the Tuesday before Thanksgiving and presented a program and sang. Debbie Stricklen accompanied them on the piano.

Afterwards, at the Happy Hour, when peppy music is played and the residents join in the fun, winners were John Neville and Orlean Ramsey.

Visitors are always welcome at Hudspeth Nursing Home.

YEAR END BARGAINS ON FENCING PRODUCTS

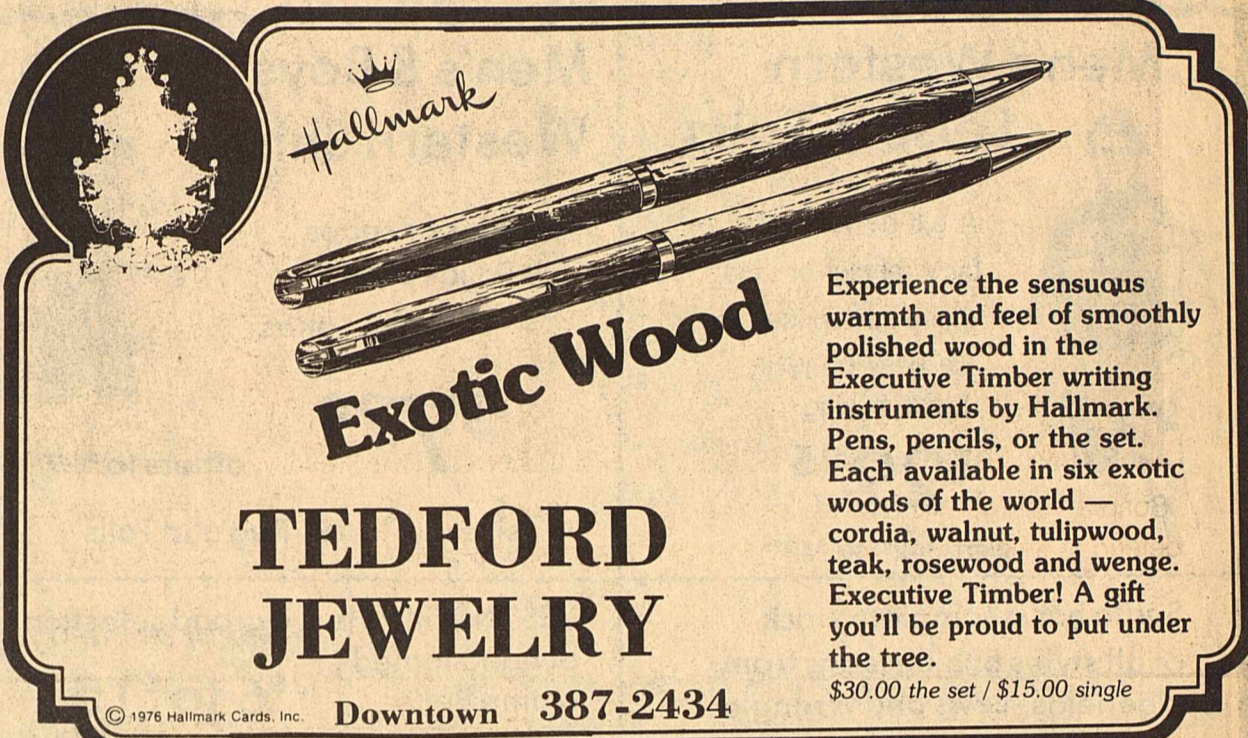
USA Made Steel T-POST 6'6" no. 2 each \$1.78 100 up \$1.70 6'6" no. 1 each \$2.01 100 up \$1.83	no. 1047-12-12 1/2 Field Fence Roll mile roll price \$39 \$38.17 per roll Twisted Cable roll mile roll per roll \$19.70 \$18.80 50 lb. box Fence Staples \$13.65	each 100 up \$2.21 \$2.11 each 10 up \$6.19 \$5.92
---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------	---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------	---------------------------------------------------------------------------

Sonora Wool and Mohair Company

LOCATED IN "THE HEART OF THE STOCKMAN'S PARADISE"
College at Glasscock 387-2543

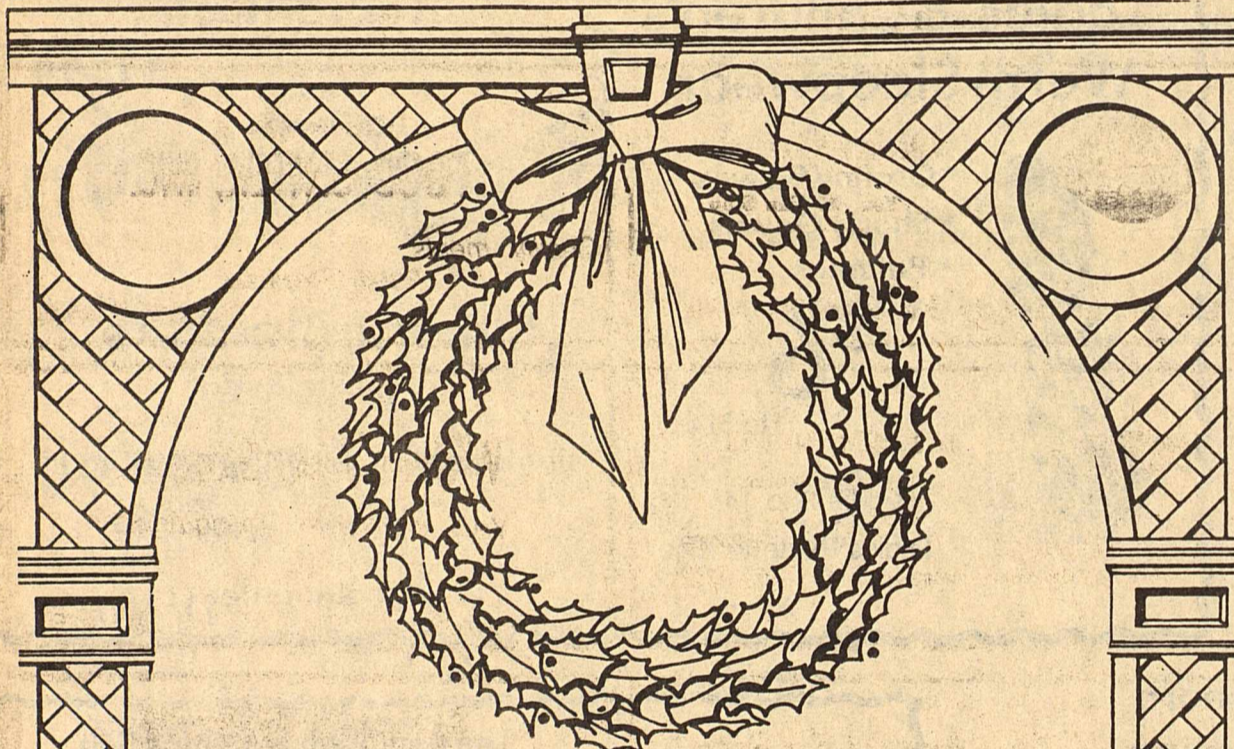
Community Calendar

Wednesday, December 8
1-5 p.m., Community
Action Council representative
in judge's office,
courthouse



Hallmark
Exotic Wood
TEDFORD JEWELRY
Downtown 387-2434

Experience the sensuous warmth and feel of smoothly polished wood in the Executive Timber writing instruments by Hallmark. Pens, pencils, or the set. Each available in six exotic woods of the world — cordia, walnut, tulipwood, teak, rosewood and wenge. Executive Timber! A gift you'll be proud to put under the tree.
\$30.00 the set / \$15.00 single



OPEN HOUSE

Friday, December 3 6 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Sonora Floral & Gifts

Our first open house will present holiday designs and thoughts for your enjoyment as well as gifts for holiday and everyday giving. We have touches of gingham, patchwork, polkadot, corn husk, brass, copper and wood. Ornaments galore and holiday arrangements for the mantel, wall, door and table. We have candles, hand etched hurricanes, quaint lanterns and music boxes.

In fact we have everything...so join us for Christmas Open House at 413 E. 2nd, Friday evening, December 3, 6 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Effie Harle Debby Sams Natalie Redman

GRAND OPENING

PAT'S GIFTS

Monday, December 6
1 to 5 p.m.

Special get acquainted time
with Pat and Buster...

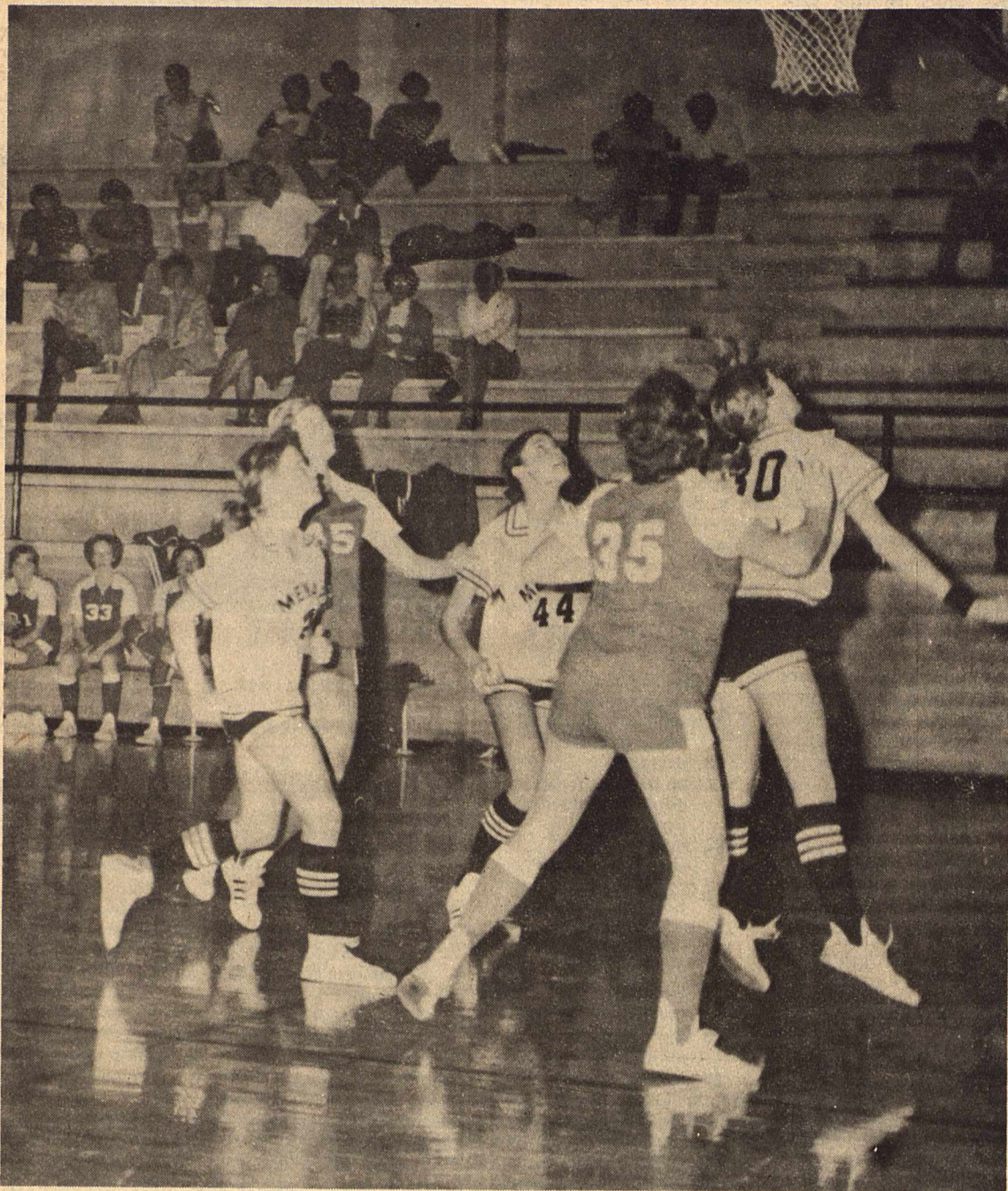
FREE
coffee, donuts, snacks...

See our beautiful new store

- ★ Crafted handmade gifts
- ★ Plant arrangements and accessories
- ★ Live plants - wide variety and selection

On Hwy 277 N. just off IH-10
387-2117

Bronco Basketball



Sonora Varsity Girls display their talents as Becky Cavaness (45) and Lucy Morriss (35) defend in their tilt with Menard. The girls are hosts this weekend for the Sonora Tournament.

Next Week's Games

Thursday through Saturday, Dec. 2, 3, 4

Varsity Girls, Sonora Tournament

Friday and Saturday, Dec. 3, 4

Varsity and Jr Varsity, Uvalde Tournament, there
8th Grade Boys and Girls, Eldorado Tournament, there

Monday, Dec. 6

Varsity, Jr Varsity, Boys and Girls, Nueces Canyon, there, 4 p.m.

Team Records

Last Week's Results

	Opponent	Season	
		Won	Lost
Bronco Varsity	41 Reagan Co. - 62	0	3
	64 Eldorado - 84		
Girls' Varsity	52 Reagan Co. - 35	2	2
	35 Eldorado - 51		
Jr Varsity	25 Reagan Co. - 27	1	1
	50 Eldorado - 24		
Girls' Jr Varsity	31 Reagan Co. - 55	1	3
	25 Eldorado - 41		
8th Grade Boys	29 McCamey - 39	1	1
	24 Iraan - 19		
8th Grade Girls	32 McCamey - 54	0	2
	30 Iraan - 45		
7th Grade Boys	29 McCamey - 35	0	2
	25 Iraan - 29		
7th Grade Girls	38 McCamey - 52	1	1
	46 Iraan - 24		

Sponsored by these Sonora businesses:

 <p>113 SW Plum 387-2666</p>	<p>Commercial Restaurant</p> <p>Mexican Food our Specialty "Where friends meet to eat!"</p> <p>154 SW Plum</p>	 <p>Dairy Queen Your #1 Fun Stop</p> <p>David and Sandy Ford, mgrs. 387-2118</p>	<p>Compliments of FOOD CENTER, INC.</p> <p>Quality meats Fresh Produce National Brands</p>
<p>ADCO Water Wells, Inc. 915/387-2071 Bobby Doran, Pres. Sales and Service of all water systems</p>	<p>We're Backing the Broncos! GT TRUCKING 387-3460</p>	 <p>B. J. (BOB) NUNLEY DISTRICT MANAGER</p> <p>DOWELL Sonora DIVISION OF THE DOW CHEMICAL COMPANY 387-3526</p>	<p>White's Auto Store Your Christmas Headquarters</p> <p>Downtown 387-3151</p>
<p>Tim's Liquors open 10 a. m.-9 p. m.</p> <p>512 Crockett 387-3351</p>	<p>Sonora Youth Center Herman Moore</p>	 <p>San Angelo Savings Association "All the way Broncos"</p>	<p>Foxworth Galbraith Lumber Co.</p> <p>Building Materials Phone 387-2536</p>
<p>Television Enterprises Inc. of Sonora</p> <p>Bob, Jackie, Alice, Preston, Mel</p> <p>Cable T.V. 387-3344</p>	<p>TEDFORD JEWELRY & SPORTING GOODS</p> <p>Fine Jewelry -- Class Rings The Hunters' Headquarters</p> <p>Downtown 387-2434</p>	<p>Thompson's Texaco Service Station Bill & Gene Thompson, Mgrs.</p>	<p>Westerman Drug Cecil Westerman Would Like To Be Your Pharmacist</p> <p>Downtown 387-2541</p>
<p>C. G. Morrison Variety Store Your Complete Family Store</p> <p>Downtown 387-2891</p>	<p>City of Sonora Home Owned Water, Sewer & Electric Systems</p>	<p>Big Tree Restaurant</p> <p>WE'RE OPEN ALL NIGHT! COME BY AND SEE US AFTER THE GAME</p> <p>Sam DeCharo, Mgr.</p>	<p>Sonora Motor Co. Your FORD Dealer</p> <p>Downtown 387-3211</p>
<p>FOODWAY The Beef People</p>	<p>Texaco Self Serve 802 Crockett</p> <p>8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Mary Greenhill Wingren</p>	<p>We back the Broncos all the way! The Friendly Staff at</p> <p>Neville's Dept. Store</p> <p>205 N.E. Main 387-3131</p>	<p><i>The Ruth Shurley Jewelry</i> Diamonds, Watches, Gifts</p> <p>387-2755</p>
<p>Sonora Electric Maytag Washers Dryers, Dishwashers</p> <p>Downtown 387-2714</p>	<p>WEB ELLIOTT AGENCY</p>  <p>209 E. Main Sonora, Texas</p>	<p>CARL J. CAHILL, INC.  , INC. OIL FIELD CONTRACTOR</p>	<p><i>First</i> NATIONAL BANK P.O. BOX 798 SONORA, TEXAS 76950</p>

Researchers Link Alcoholism During Pregnancy to Birth Defects

by Kenneth L. Jones, M.D. Assistant Professor of Pediatrics University of California San Diego, California and David W. Smith, M.D. Professor of Pediatrics University of Washington School of Medicine Seattle, Washington



ONLY IN THE PAST four years have researchers recognized a link between heavy drinking and birth defects. Now they have found that up to 40 per cent of babies born to women who are chronic alcoholics during pregnancy may have abnormalities that comprise "fetal alcohol syndrome."

Suspicion that alcoholism during pregnancy harms the unborn child goes back a long way. Surprisingly, evidence linking alcoholism and birth defects did not come to light until about four years ago. At a March of Dimes-sponsored conference on birth defects in 1973, we described eight children who had come to our attention because of strikingly similar abnormalities. In each case, we found that the mother had been a heavy drinker during pregnancy. Since then we have published studies of 41 children with a pattern of birth defects apparently caused by their mothers' alcoholism. The findings are not yet well known outside of medical circles, despite the fact that alcoholism is a disorder of epidemic proportions and its effect on unborn babies appears to be a serious public health problem. While the affected infants are not exactly alike, they have much in common. Almost all the infants are underweight at birth, have abnormally small heads, and are retarded in physical and mental development.

Most have poor coordination, narrow eye slits, and underdevelopment of the mid-face. Many of these youngsters look more like each other than like their parents or siblings. About half have heart defects and more than a quarter have birthmarks and joint defects. This pattern of defects is called "fetal alcohol syndrome." To date, there is no evidence that these children catch up with normal youngsters mentally or physically. An obvious question is whether this pattern occurs only in children of the alcoholic poor, and so might result from malnourishment or contaminants of cheap liquor. The answer is no. We have seen the pattern in offspring of alcoholic mothers of all socio-economic levels, and conclude that the effects are directly traced to alcohol or its breakdown products in the body. There is ample proof that alcohol passes through the placenta into the unborn baby's tissues. There have even been reports of babies born with alcohol "on the breath" and blood levels in the range of medically defined intoxication. Dr. Widukind Lenz of Münster, West Germany, the physician who first reported a connection between birth defects and thalidomide, has called attention to a 1968 study by Dr. Pierre Lemoine of 127 children of chronic alcoholics in Nantes, France, who had the same pattern of birth defects that we have observed. Now that the pattern is known, reports from other doctors are accumulating.

Symptoms



BIRTHSTONES FOR mother & grandmother

Capture her heart with an exquisite 10kt. or 14kt. yellow or white gold ring that embraces colorful birthstones. Each stone represents a loved one to Mother or Grandmother that she'll treasure forever!

There's a birthstone ring available to suit every style, taste, and budget starting as low as \$24.00

Ruth Shurley Jewelry

Downtown 387-2755

Cancer Line Available

A new "weapon" against cancer is now available in Sutton County to provide the public with current, factual information on cancer, its prevention and early detection.

Called the Cancer Information Service, the new program utilizes a toll-free phone line (1-800-392-2040) to answer public inquiries on cancer. The service will be extended to all residents of Texas by late this year.

The CIS is part of a public educational effort

A Bishop Looks at Life

by Everett H. Jones, Retired Bishop of the Episcopal Church AN OPEN LETTER TO A DOUBTER.

My dear friend: You have said to me that you consider yourself a doubting Thomas, that you are not against religious faith but that you find it hard to understand the Bible and to accept the statements in the Christian creeds. Let me assure you that I understand your state of mind. In my college years I went thru a period of doubt myself. As I look back on it I was passing from an immature second-hand religion which I had received from others to a more mature and vital faith reached thru my personal search and struggle. In those days I held on to Jesus' promise, "Seek and you shall find." The fact that Jesus chose Thomas indicates his sympathy with doubters. He must have agreed with Tennyson: "There lives more faith in honest doubt, Believe me, than in half the creeds."

Further Studies

Research supported by The National Foundation-March of Dimes seeks answers to questions about the number and severity of alcohol-related birth defects. We now know what to look for in the way of symptoms, and animal studies are a step toward measuring the extent of the problem. The soundest advice for any woman who drinks very regularly and heavily is to avoid childbearing. One who thinks she is on a borderline between alcoholism and just drinking too much and too often, should cut down sharply on alcohol—particularly during pregnancy.



MODERN TECHNOLOGY HAS DEVELOPED U.S. ARMY ARTILLERY THAT FIRES 15-POUND PROJECTILES APPROXIMATELY NINE MILES. THOSE WHO ENLIST FOR A CAREER IN ARMY ARTILLERY MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR A CASH BONUS!

Tasty Tips

from Checkerboard Kitchens

COOKIES SAY MERRY CHRISTMAS

Cookies at Christmas time are a lovely tradition. While most of us have favorites (that we bake every year), it's always fun to add a few more. Try Sugarplums, Frosty Cherry Cookies and Choco Rum Balls. While all are different, they have one thing in common. Each uses a breakfast cereal—bite-size crispy rice or corn squares—for unusual texture, added flavor and nutrition.

Arrange your cookies on a pretty plate, tuck in some holly and serve with rich and creamy eggnog.

To use crushed Chex cereals in the recipes below, measure and crush to volume indicated by one of these methods:

- Measure into liquid measuring cup and crush to desired volume with wooden spoon.
- For fine crumbs, process in blender to required volume.
- Or crush in plastic bag with rolling pin, and measure into dry measuring cup.

SUGARPLUMS

- 2 eggs
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 1/2 tablespoons cornstarch
- 1 can (8 oz.) crushed pineapple, well drained
- 1 cup dried apricots, cooked, drained and chopped
- 1/2 teaspoon finely shredded orange peel
- 1/2 cup coarsely chopped nuts
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon orange extract
- 4 cups Corn Chex cereal crushed to 2 cups
- 1 1/3 cups (3 1/2 oz. can) shredded coconut

In saucepan, beat eggs slightly. Add sugar, cornstarch, pineapple, apricots and orange peel. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, until mixture comes to a boil. Boil two minutes. Remove from heat. Stir in nuts, salt and extract. Add cereal crumbs. Mix well. Cool. Drop from teaspoon onto coconut and shape into one-inch balls. Makes 4 1/2 dozen.

Similar programs are in operation at the other 18 Comprehensive Cancer Centers which were designated by Congress for outstanding work in cancer treatment and research.

The new program enjoys the support of the Texas Cancer Coordinating Commission and the Texas Medical Association, having been endorsed as a "worthwhile educational program" by TMA's committee on cancer. Other public services of the program include a monthly news column "Cancer Answerline." Jointly sponsored with the American Cancer Society, the column is run in many Texas newspapers to provide readers with current information on cancer.



FROSTY CHERRY COOKIES

- 1/2 cup butter or margarine
- 1 cup and 3 tablespoons sugar
- 1 egg
- 1/2 teaspoon almond extract
- 1 1/2 cups all-purpose flour
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- 2 cups Rice Chex cereal (bite-size crispy rice squares) crushed to 1 cup
- 1/2 cup chopped green and red glazed cherries

Preheat oven to 350°. Cream butter and 1 cup sugar. Add egg and almond extract. Beat well. Sift together dry ingredients. Add to creamed mixture. Mix well. Stir in cereal crumbs and cherries. Shape into 3/4-inch balls. Roll in remaining 3 tablespoons sugar. Place 2 inches apart on baking sheet. Bake 8-10 minutes or until bottoms are lightly browned. Makes 6 dozen.

CHOCO RUM BALLS

- 6 cups Rice Chex cereal (bite-size crispy rice squares) crushed to 1 1/2 cups
- 1 cup sifted confectioners sugar
- 1 cup finely chopped pecans
- 2 tablespoons cocoa
- 1/8 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup corn syrup
- 3 tablespoons water
- 1 1/2 teaspoons rum extract
- 1/4 teaspoon almond extract
- Maraschino cherries
- Dates, pitted
- Pecans
- 1/3 cup confectioners sugar (for coating)

Mix together first 5 ingredients. Combine syrup, water and extracts. Add slowly to crumb mixture. Blend well. Butter hands. Shape mixture into balls or around bits of cherries, dates or pecans. Let stand one hour. Roll in confectioners sugar. Store tightly covered in refrigerator or freezer. Makes 4 dozen.

Preserving Our Heritage

Reminders of Our Past Have Economic Benefits. The next time you visit a city or small town, chances are that one of the first places you'll head for is the old quarter—if it isn't a slum. Such physical reminders of a city's past as the Vieux Carre, the French Quarter, in New Orleans, are not only pleasing to look at; they give us a sense of identity and continuity.



For example, Pioneer Square, the original business district in Seattle, was transformed from a shabby Skid Road to a model of urban preservation. With vigorous leadership from their city government, citizens rehabilitated the district as a living part of their city. Not only does Pioneer Square attract tourists today, but the city's tax base has

been greatly expanded. Small shops, new offices and dozens of new restaurants from quaint cafes to dining establishments featuring turn-of-the-century elegance now occupy once-mouldering buildings. More information about historic preservation is available from the National Trust for Historic Preservation, a non-profit private membership organization chartered by the U.S. Congress in 1949.

Write the National Trust for Historic Preservation, 740-748 Jackson Place, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20006.

Sonora Minister Speaks

Christmas season is almost upon us, and one of the big words at Christmas is "love". Because we live in a world in which there is a great deal of hate and bitterness, the Christian individual needs to remember that the mandate of Christ is that we love all people. It is so

easy at times to let ourselves be carried away with the tides of popular thinking, or be pushed by our own personal feelings, to the point where we indulge in name calling, or have a "holier than thou" attitude toward other people. Christ made no exceptions to the rule that those who would follow him must live a life of love. This means that we must exhibit an active good will toward all men, even to the extent of laying ourselves open to the possibility of being hurt by the actions of others. There are no easy solutions to the divisive problems which separate people and nations. However, I believe history teaches us there can be only one method of solving

these differences in a creative way; that is through a genuine love and respect for each other, whether on an individual or collective level.



Have you really tried loving those who may disagree with you

"Despair is the conclusion of fools." Disraeli

Table listing church services: St. John's Episcopal Church, Sonora Tabernacle United Pentecostal, St. Ann's Catholic Church, Hope Lutheran Church, First United Methodist Church, Church of Christ, First Latin American, and First Baptist Church.

Table listing merchants: Southwest Texas Electric Cooperative Inc., Kerbow Funeral Home, Neville's, and The Ruth Shurley Jewelry.

NOW!

Advertisement for TI-1200 calculators featuring an illustration of a devil character and a TI-1200 calculator. Text: "The very popular TI-1200 complete with A.C. adapter... one of the most popular, best selling calculators Texas Instruments builds. They are great Christmas gifts!"

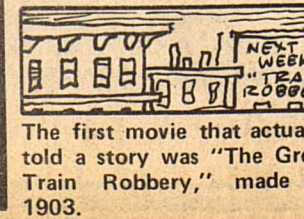
"The Devil" Office Supplies

220 N.E. Main 387-2222

AMERICA The Bountiful



The standard of excellence of American furniture is considered so reliable that the highest price ever paid for a single chair was given for one believed to have been created by a Rhode Island craftsman in 1760. It sold for \$85,000.



The first movie that actually told a story was "The Great Train Robbery," made in 1903.

Dee's Notes

by Dee Nevill

WHILE most of us were indoors Saturday attempting to keep warm and groaning about the 'horrible' weather, our spry octogenarian, Belle Steen, was out with the rest of the kids taking her daily stroll--Steen did admit though that she had on so much clothing she got in an extra mile just carrying the load!

A nice Thanksgiving surprise was a call from John T. King, former Devil's River News owner and publisher. The Kings live in Georgetown, where he is engaged in the printing business. John reports that Della and the girls are fine. He sends greeting to friends here, and told us that he recently talked to the Bob McMinns who live in Killeen. Well--tis nice to hear from these folks. John always asks about John Eaton, our historian and writer, whom he said wrote a beautiful Christmas story for the Eaton children when they were young. The Kings asked for a copy which is always shared with their children at Christmas.

IF you are seeking the unusual in gifts, Buster's has them. He has a charming new gift store at the Travel Trailer Park location, off US 277 No.

CITY Manager Bob Nevill reports the council will have quite a lengthy meeting Monday as they go about city business. Airport Advisory Board will be meeting with the council bringing several recommendations for airport improvements.

BILL Chapman who has managed the airport about 3 years will be leaving us Jan. 15, moving to Costa Rica. Sonora will certainly miss Bill whose performance has been outstanding. Bill says he figures it is time for him to retire and relax a bit--can't censure him for that--but he will be hard to replace. We wish you well, Bill!

ANOTHER family who is leaving is the Glen Garretts of Dresser Atlas, who will be going to Casper, Wyo. (b-r-r-!) They have been here 3 1/2 years.

THE first drawing for merchandise gift certificates will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. in front of White's Auto Store with Bill Harle in charge. The drawing consists of two certificates valued at \$100 each as follows: #1 - \$25 gift certificates from Morrison's and Food Center and a \$50-savings bond from First National Bank. Second holder of winning ticket will receive \$25-cer-

tificates from Morrison's, White's, Tedford Jewelry and Food Center.

ONE word of Caution--keep your tickets until the final drawing Christmas Eve as only the winning tickets are removed from the barrel each time. SHOP SONORA SATURDAY!!

NINA Lamb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Jennings, has recovered nicely from recent surgery reports her mother. Mrs. Lamb has been hospitalized in Norfolk, Virginia.

IF you have mobile home spaces for rent, give us a call as we continue to receive requests from folks looking for these places.

"CHRISTMAS IN WILLIAMSBURG"--the home tour benefit for the Woman's Club Library is to be held Sunday, beginning at 4 p.m. until 8 at the Linda and James Hunt home. For only \$2 you will be given a guided tour of the "old South mansion"--plus refreshments, as well as provide needed funds for the library.

Mary Owensby performed quite professionally on KCTV with Pat Aterberry noon Monday, promoting the tour for the Woman's Club. She emphasized that the Hunt home must be seen to be appreciated, noting it is difficult to describe the lovely dwelling, which is to be decorated with Christmas ornaments reminiscent of the early American period. As Mary so aptly remarked... "this should be a climax to the bicentennial year observation" -- a 'Christmas in Williamsburg' should be exciting to view!

CHAMBER of Commerce officers and directors will meet Monday noon at Big Tree Restaurant.

JOELLA Graves of Chicken 'n Fish eatery hopes the 'sneak thief' enjoys her hanging plants which were lifted from the place recently. Joella had been home a week with a sick child, but noticed their disappearance immediately when she stopped by to water the plants..employees were puzzled as to when the plants were removed. How in the creation did the thief(s) manage to slip out with two big plants?! Reminds us of the story a fellow told about two tramps who walked off with a wood burning stove with a FIRE, plus 4 lengths of stovepipes. They returned for the wood the next night..Joella hopes these don't return for the hooks!

Conservation Problems in Texas

Taxation, undesirable brush and weeds and economics of conservation were the top three major problems affecting soil and water conservation practices on private farms and ranches over the state according to a recently published report by the Research Committee of the Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts.

The report titled, "Conservation Problems in Texas," lists 29 conservation problem areas. Information within the report is based upon appraisals of current or potential conservation related problems made by 980 farmers or ranchers who serve as district directors on local soil and water conservation districts. Texas has 196 SWCD's.

Taxation was cited as the number one problem and the economics of conservation listed as third.

"By combining the two and adding in normal agricultural production costs, many conservation practices' initial cost is so great that landowners cannot afford the invest-

ment even though it would be sound on a long term basis. We are selling cattle for less than what they brought 30 years ago, but pickups, tractors and other expenses cost 3-10 times more than what they did in 1947," said Kenneth Kuykendall, president of the Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts.

"This situation makes it hard for landowners to apply conservation practices which would temporarily reduce their income even though it would be best for the land in the long run. Today the taxation on farm and ranch lands is out of balance with the land's productive ability which in many cases have forced agricultural lands out of production," he added.

Undesirable brush and weeds were ranked as the second major problem because of their suppressing the growth of a productive grass cover which protects the soil, efficiently uses available water and stabilizes livestock operations.

"Most Texans don't realize that scientists estimate about one hundred thirty eight million acre feet of water--almost 38 percent of the state's average annual rainfall--is used up by undesirable weeds and brush," said Kuykendall.

Examples of other identified conservation problems included in the report are difficulty of grass establishment, overgrazing, water erosion, loss of soil moisture, and absentee ownership.

The report also emphasizes that continuing research, education and provisions for economic incentives are necessary to correct soil and water conservation problems.

In gathering data for the survey, districts responded to four major conservation problem areas. These included water-related problems, soil management problems, plant management problems and other problems, issues and policies.

"It is interesting to note that in the areas of agricultural and silvicultural non-point source pollution the soil and water conservation districts rated such a problem over the state as slight to none," said Kuykendall.

Kuykendall identified non-point source pollution as pollutants conveyed by water and uncontrolled by any person. He added that such pollutants are not

traceable to a discrete identifiable source.

Advisory groups who participated in the formulation of the survey included the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Department of Agricultural Economics, Texas A & M University, Blackland Conservation Research Center, Temple, United States Department of Agricultural Research Service and the USDA's Soil Conservation Service. The Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board provided staff assistance in coordinating and compiling the results of the survey.

Members of the Research Committee of the Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts included F.F. "Flip" Calhoun, Plainview, Kenneth Kuykendall, Cherokee and Bill Goldsberry, Edinburg.

The Research Committee is charged with determining the severity of conservation problems and recommending Association action to address the problem. The committee has previously conducted three appraisals of this nature.



Kay and Don Holdridge were presented a gift from "Devil" publisher Wes Burnett, for their contribution to the news during the past football season.

Sonora Jr. Hi News

by Kay Holdridge

All four Jr. High basketball teams were active last week against McCamey. It was the first game for every team and the offensive effort was impressive. Although, all four teams lost, they did a good job, according to the coaches in their first performances.

Coach Oliver Wuest who coaches the eighth grade boys said, "The boys showed a lot of hustle and were impressive with their outside shooting." David Creek led the scoring with 12 points while Tommy Burch had 10. Lee Burch popped the nets for 3 and Cades Pope and Ronald Berkley had 2 each.

The eighth grade girls, led by Annabelle Gonzales 22 points, scored a respectable 32 points in their first contest. Other scorers were Marche Lane with 4, Katherine Harris with 2, and Stacy Chandler added four more to total 32. Trina Powers had an excellent defensive game.

The seventh grade girls scored 38 points in their first effort. Jessica Robledo scored 23 points while Sandi Wright added 6 and Tonya Ridgeway and Delma Reyna scored 5 and 4 respectively. Both teams are coached by Mrs. David (Marsha) Patton. Mrs. Patton said, "The girls are over the first game jitters and are looking forward to a winning season."

The seventh grade boys, coached by David Patton, also had a fine offensive game. Led by Armando Martinez' 15 points, the Little Hossees scored 29 points. Other scorers included Scott Savell, 6; Perry Don Draper, 6; and John Blankenship, 2 points.

Patton said, "The boys showed good hustle and a lot of desire." "Defensive mistakes were the main weaknesses of the game," Patton added.

All four teams were in action Monday night in Iraan. The seventh grade girls won by a 46-24 margin. The eighth grade girls lost 45-30 as did the seventh grade boys by a 25-29 difference. While the eighth grade boys commanded a 24-19 win.

In elections held previously, class favorites were chosen by each class. The eighth grade chose Fran Friess and Johnny Doan while Jessica Robledo and Joe David Favela were honored by the seventh grade. Sixth graders named were Debra Zapata and Manuel Lopez.

Merck Purchases Rocksprings Hotel

Jake Merck of Sonora has purchased the Ballentine Hotel in Rocksprings, according to the Texas Mohair Weekly.

The hotel, built in 1917, is one of Rocksprings' most historical sites.

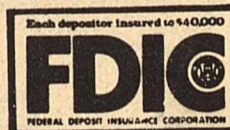
William R. Meredith of Uvalde was the owner of the hotel at the time of the September 14 sale to Merck.

When you put the pencil to your budget, you want it to be right...

At the First National Bank we specialize in serving you with all your banking needs and we know how important it is to you for your budget to be right.

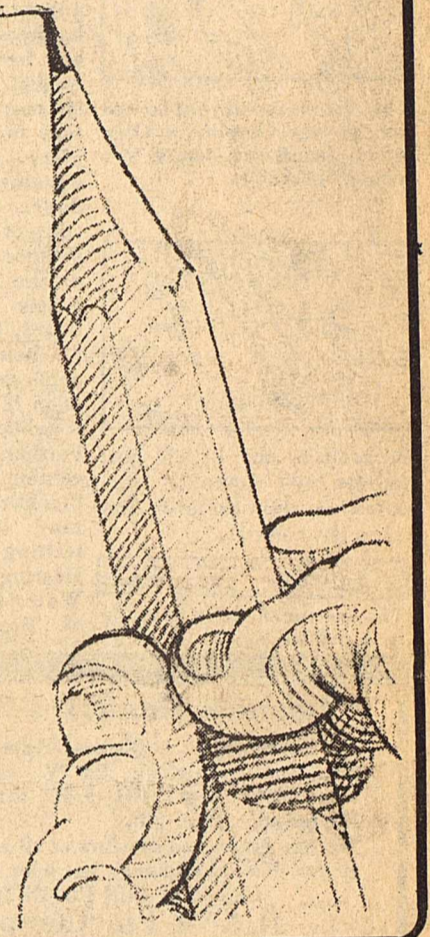
Next time you put the pencil to your budget, remember we're here when you need us.

First NATIONAL BANK
SINCE 1900



Sonora

387-2546



Westerman Drug is your

Gift Headquarters

for the men on your list!

GREY FLANNEL

Geoffrey Beene of New York

BACCHUS GIFT COLLECTION

BRUT
Deluxe lotion cream lotion soap set

FABREGE

Aphrodisia for men soap, cologne, deodorant

MUSK

After shave cologne for men

BLACK TIE
cologne

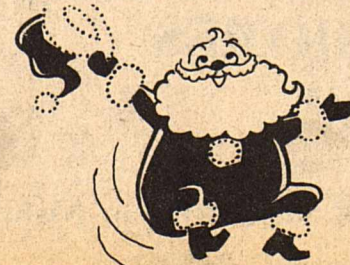
PANTENE

for men shampoo, spray, thickening shampoo, no-rinse conditioner

OLD SPICE

Deluxe travel kit cologne, after shave, shave cream, deodorant

Very nice **Manicure Sets**
by Revlon, wide variety in handsome cases



Westerman Drug

Corner Main and Concho

387-2541

BRITAIN

Construction Company

GENERAL OILFIELD CONSTRUCTION

Radio Equipped Pumping Service
RRC - Permit 5387

Odessa 386-4491 Sonora 387-2457

December Paint Sale

\$1 OFF

Regular Price
per gallon

Your complete Paint Store

over 1,000 colors to choose from

We now have brushes, rollers, paint pans, etc.

We are dealers for the famous

Valspar Paints

and other brands

your home owned paint store

Vargas Paint Mart

sale ends January 1st