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Charles Sherrill Resigns Judgeship

Charles E. Sherrill, district judge of the 112th judicial district the past fourteen years, has resigned that position effective July 1.

Sherrill says he will remain a resident of this district and plans to practice law in Sonora. He will be affiliated with C. Adam Morriss, III, under the firm of Morriss and Sherrill.

Sherrill also noted that he may again appear as a candidate for public office in the future.

He stated his reason for leaving the judgeship as economic pressure. He stated that he felt many of his personal programs and

objectives for fair and impartial justice and treatment under the law have been accomplished...or at least well under way.

Sherrill said, "The support and encouragement of the public that I have enjoyed as your judge was most helpful and greatly appreciated. It has been my fortune to have the finest members of the bar regularly appearing in the 112th District Court. Also, I have enjoyed the outstanding aid and efficient support from your county clerks, district attorneys and other public officials. Sutton County, as well as the other counties comprising the 112th Judicial

District, undoubtedly have the best officials working with and under the directions of the district court."

A resident of Ft. Stockton since 1955, the judge was born in San Angelo and spent most his youth in Seagraves. He is a graduate of Texas Tech and received his law degree from the University of Texas. He also served on special assignment with the U.S. Navy during World War II.

He is a member of the Chamber of Commerce, Lions Club, Rotary and active in church work. He is the father of three daughters.

Krueger To Host Political Rally

Congressman Bob Krueger (D;TX) will host an old-fashioned political rally July 4, in his hometown of New Braunfels; where he will announce his plans for a 1978 U.S. Senate Race.

The rally, 2-6 p.m., is planned in the traditional manner and will include free watermelon, nickel coke and nickel beer, rides for the children, bands and lots of fun. Buses will be running to shuttle people from parking areas to the Comal County Fairgrounds to the three-acre lot adjacent to the Krueger home, where the rally will be.

"I hope my many friends throughout the 21st District will take this as my personal invitation to attend," said Krueger, "since I can think of no better way to begin a campaign than with the support of those I have had the privilege of representing in the U.S. Congress."

Krueger's formal announcement speech at 3 p.m. is the only scheduled speech for the day, according to Krueger, "and the rest of the day will be geared toward having fun."

Tony Adkins Assigned To Italy AFB

Airman Russell A. (Tony) Adkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Adkins has graduated at Sheppard AFB, Tex., from the U.S. Air Force technical training course for electrical power production specialists.

Airman Adkins, now trained to operate and maintain electrical power generating equipment, is being assigned to Aviano AB, Italy, for duty with a unit of the Air Force Communications Service. Completion of the course earned the individual credits towards an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

The airman attended Sonora High School.

Red Sox Win Doubleheader

The Sonora Red Sox defeated the Mereta Mustangs 4-2 and the Ozona Blue Jays 4-3 Sunday in a doubleheader, retaining their winning streak.

Jesse Solis was the winner for the Red Sox in the opening game and Henry Mata took the win in the second game.

Softball Team Wins Second Place Trophy

The Sonora woman's softball team participated in the Junction tournament and won a trophy for second place.

The Sonora team defeated Junction by a score of 35-7 and lost a close one to Eden 21-20.

Team members wish to thank all those who have helped with the team.

J. W. Elliott Named Fellow To State Bar

One Sonora attorney has been elected a Fellow in the Texas Bar Foundation, Chairman J. Harris Morgan of Greenville has announced.

Each Fellow is chosen from the members of the State Bar of Texas whose "professional, public and private careers have demonstrated their outstanding legal ability and their devotion to the welfare of their communities, state and nation, as well as to the advancement of the legal profession."

Mr. J.W. Elliott was among the 160 new Fellows named during the annual convention of the state Bar of Texas in Houston last week.

Through the monetary support provided by the Fellows, the Texas Bar Foundation finances expanded State Bar programs of continuing legal education, which are among the most outstanding in the nation. Last year, for example, the Foundation underwrote an innovative videotaped lecture series that enables the State Bar to take continuing legal education opportunities to all parts of the state.

Nearly 1,000 Texas lawyers are active participants in the Foundation which was established in 1965.

HEATH BELK SHOWS CHAMPION FLEECE

Heath Belk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Belk showed the champion registered mohair fleece during the 40th annual Sonora Wool and Mohair Show.

...For \$900,000 Jr. Hi School

Bond Election To Be Called

In a special meeting June 23, the Board of Trustees of the Sonora Independent School District, call a bond election for \$900,000 Thursday, September 1, 1977. The election will be held in the courthouse and election judges and clerks

will be appointed later. Proceeds from the bond sale will be used to finance the building of a new junior high school on the Allison property. Included in the new building program will be 13 classrooms, a science room, resource center, principal's office and

workroom, mechanical room and restrooms, snack bar and dining area. The present building, constructed in 1904, has been remodeled to provide better instructional area; however if the growth continues the enrollment in junior high will soon exceed the capacity of the

building. Plans are to continue to use the building to house the increased enrollment in elementary school. It is anticipated that the bond issue could be voted without an increase in taxes and paid off over a seven or eight year period.

State Recognizes 11 Safe Drivers

Safe driving saves time and money. The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation recognizes that "these savings are of the tax dollars of the citizens of Texas. Through safety meetings and training safe driving of state equipment is encouraged.

Personnel under the supervision of Maintenance Construction Foreman Louis Olenick were presented their driver No-Accident Awards recently by District Safety Coordinator Robert E. Stanford. They were as follows:

Kenneth L. Duckworth, Sonora, 23 years; Alcadio G. Escobar, Sonora, 17 years; Manual V. Martinez, Eldorado, 11 years; Louis Olenick, Sonora, 8 years; Tiodoro R. Chavez, Sonora, 7 years; Gildardo C. Favila, Sonora, 6 years; William Radle, Jr., Eldorado, 4 years; Pat G. Brown, Sonora, 4 years; Ernest P. Carroll, Sonora, 3 years; Robert G. Duran, Sonora, 2 years; and Rutilio V. Robledo, Eldorado, 1 year.

These eleven persons have operated Department owned vehicles for a total of 86 years without an accident.

Three Place In District Show

Three Sutton County 4-H'ers participated in the District 13 4-H Horse Show held in Del Rio. Mittel placed seventh in western pleasure.

Marshall Doran and Nancy Benson also participated.

Sharon Mittel, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Doran, Mr. and Mrs. David Walsh and County Agent Clint Langford attended the show with the 4-H'ers.

Tonia Mittel, All Round Winner In Eldo. Show

Sonora's Tonia Mittel was named senior all round winner at the Schleicher County Junior Horse Show held in Eldorado last week.

Tammy Stokes, also of Sonora was named runner-up for all round sub in the junior division.

In class results Tonia was first in senior reining and second in senior pole bending.

Tammy was third in halter class, second in sub-junior showmanship, third in sub-junior barrel racing, and third in the flag race.

Other Sonorans placing in the Schleicher show were Marshall Doran who placed third in halter classes II and IV, and first in western pleasure.

Nancy Benson was second in junior showmanship, and first in western pleasure.

In the sub-junior division, Michael Benson placed first in western pleasure and first in the flag race.

City Hires Patrolman

City Police Chief Jerry Kemp said Monday that 23-year-old Frank Tabola has been hired by his office to fill the vacancy of city patrolman Dick Jones. Tabola will begin his duties July 4.

A graduate of Sul Ross University in Alpine, Tabola received a bachelor of Science degree in law enforcement. He also holds a basic certification in law enforcement standards and education and a certificate from the Texas Department of Health Resources certifying him as an emergency care attendant.

Tabola has spent the past 18 months with the Sul Ross Campus Police Department. He is married and the couple expects their first child in August.

Jones begins work for the Sutton County Sheriff's Department July 1 as a deputy sheriff.

Chief Kemp expressed his regret at losing Jones but stated he was glad Jones had decided to stay in Sonora as he is an excellent officer.

The Weather

Compiled by Pat Brown

Date	Rain	Hi	Lo
June 21		92	67
June 22	.08	88	69
June 23	.16	78	68
June 24	.14	90	69
June 25		91	69
June 26		95	71
June 27		98	68

Rainfall for the month, 6.14; rainfall for the year, 14.25.

Krueger To Visit

Congressman Robert (Bob) Krueger will be in Sonora Friday, July 1 to visit with persons in his district.

A come and go coffee is planned for 2:30 at the

San Angelo Savings Association office in downtown Sonora and Rep. Krueger would like to take this opportunity to visit with as many Sonorans as possible.



Members of Boy Scout Pack 19 and their leaders travelled to Paint Rock June 18 to view the Indian paintings there. Making the trip were [front row] James Robinson, Jason Hearn, Wayford Tyler, Danny Lombardo, Jeff Kimbrell, [second row] Edna Duren, Tammy Duren, Glynda Reppond, Kay Campbell, Tray Taylor, Mickey Sharp, John Young, Scott Badgett, Toney Duren, Tooter Olenick, Wesley Skains, Matt Miles and Judy Miles. [top row] Jim Kimbrell, Whit Paxton, John Reppond, Terry Duren, Jim Miles, Randy Kellogg, Charles Reppond and Joe Will Ross.

Devil To Close Monday, July 4

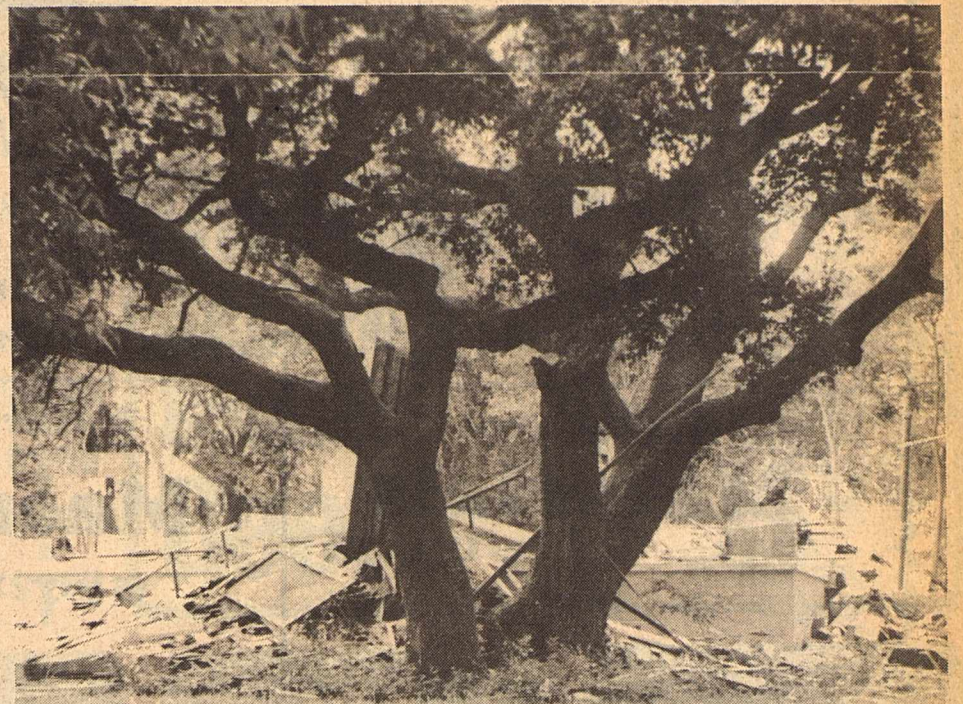
The Devil's River News will be among the businesses observing the July 4th holiday closing. Those desiring to have news articles and advertising in the July 6 edition are asked to bring them by the news office Thursday and Friday.

60 ATTEND RIVER RIDE

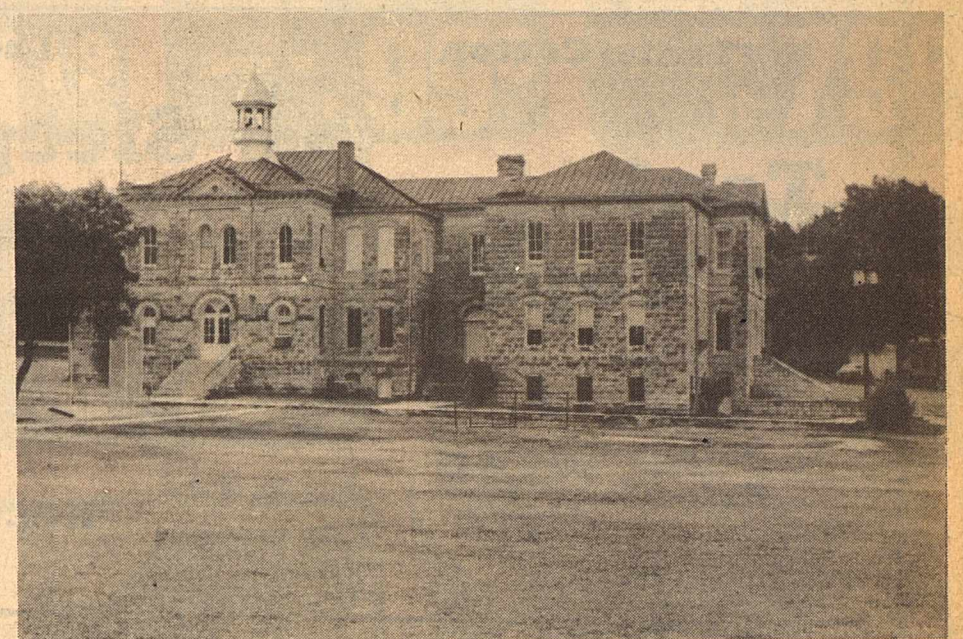
Sixty 4-H leaders, parents, members and guests attended the 4-H River Ride held last week. Riders traveled from Roosevelt to Allison Park where they had a barbecue lunch and swimming party.



Leaving for cheerleading camp in Abilene Sunday for cheerleaders for the 1977 season. Pictured are Nancy Mooney, Janice Grider, Gloria Gomez and Jane Wallace. Not pictured is Janie Gold, who will also attend the camp.



Site for new Junior High School, east of parking lot on 1st St.

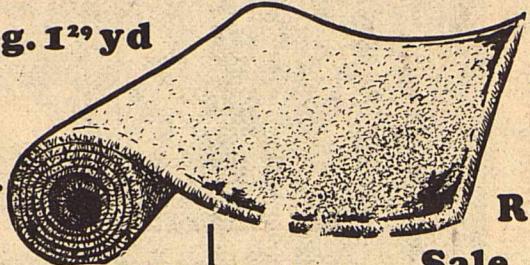


Junior High building constructed in 1904.

July CLEARANCE

Sales Last All Month

Large Group Cotton Material Reg. 1⁹⁹ yd
3 Styles Room Size Rugs Reg. 24⁹⁵ - 26⁹⁵
 On Bolts Sale Price 2 yds **1⁴⁹** Ass't Colors Sale Price **19⁹⁵**



Double Knit Materials Reg. 1⁹⁹ yd
Natural Jute Macrame (5 ply - 1080 Ft.)
 On Bolt Special Price **99¢** yd Reg. 10⁴⁹ Sale Price **8⁹⁹**



Ladies Cotton Tank Tops Our reg. 3⁴⁹ Sale Price **2⁴⁹**
Ladies Sleepwear Gowns, Baby Dolls
 Reg. 3⁴⁹ Sale Price **2⁷⁹**




Girls' & Boys' 2-piece Play Sets Reg. 2⁴⁴ Sale Price **\$1⁸⁹**
Group Artificial Flowers 10 - 39 value Sale Price **5¢**



21 qt. capacity Food Canners Reg. 10⁴⁹ Sale Price **8⁹⁹**
Monopoly By Parker Brothers Reg. 5⁹⁹ Sale Price **4⁷⁷**



Christmas Cards 15 cards package Reg. 79¢ value Sale Price **33¢**
Bridge Playing Cards Reg. 59¢ Sale Price **2/87¢**



Morrison's
 Downtown Sonora

Girls' All Star Team Named

All Star players were selected from the four girl's softball teams recently.

Named all stars from the HNG team were Wendy Neitzel, Tracey Brownlee, Tracey Day, Twyla Woodall and Clalene Stewart.

Dee Bundy, Jody Owens, Donna Moore and Kristi Hill were named from the Bronco-Gosney team.

Three players were named from the Wes-Tex team. They were Laura Preston, Judy Merrill and Sonja Ridgeway.

Patricia Bible and Tammy Bible were named all stars from the CCI team.



Sonora Hosts Tournament

Sonora's Junior girl's softball team, sponsored by Ace Transports, were hosts to a four team tournament with Ozona, Big Lake, Eldorado and Sonora teams participating.

The first place trophy was awarded to the team from Ozona and Sonora's team won the consolation trophy.

Trophies were donated by Green's Water Service and Twin Oaks Motel.

Medals were also awarded to outstanding players. Stacey Chandler of Sonora was named outstanding outfielder; Carolyn Young of Big Lake, outstanding infielder, and Rhonda Kerr of Eldorado was awarded the sportsmanship medal.

Also named as all-tournament players were Alissa Adkins, catcher; Ruth de la Garza, Ozona, pitcher; Delia De Hoyas, Ozona, first base; Elda Fierro, Ozona, second base; Tracey Tatum, Big Lake, third base; Kim Conoway, Big Lake, short stop; and Dede Clark of Eldorado, Elsa Delgado of Ozona, Kathy Sanchez, Ozona, outfielders.

Sonora's team is coached by Carolyn Sorenson, Vanetta Smith and Camille Green.

CCI

Shirley Ryan and Wanda Bible coach the CCI sponsored team. Team members are Tammie Bible, Deanna Phillips, Bonnie Jackson, Patricia Bible, Francis Ryan, Tomasita Ramos, Divita Bible, Rosie Ramos, Tammie Duren and Catfish Travis.



Bronco-Gosney

Team members of the Bronco-Gosney club are Dee Bundy, Courtney Cauthorn, Allison White, Candy Cauthorn, Kristi Hill, Debra Moore, Donna Moore, Ella Longoria, Theresa Marlow, Jodi Owen, Donna Owen and Crystal Shaffer. Coaches are Ann Bundy, Donna Hill and Debby Klowski.



Wes-Tex

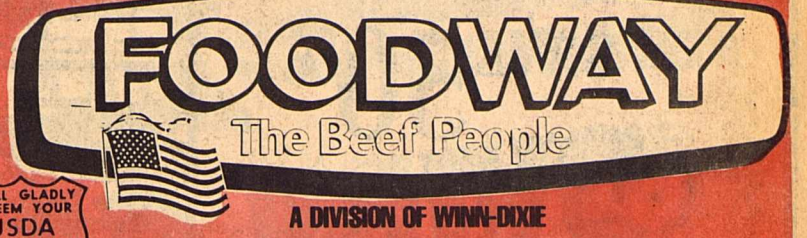
Wes-Tex team members are Tina Mills, Carrie Sorenson, Leall Webster, Judy Merrill, Tracey Hulsey, Sherri Kirby, Sonja Ridgeway, Laura Preston, and Lora Lea Kordzik. Cathy Preston is team coach.



HNG

Mary Ann Rogers, Angle Parrish, Nadine Sanchez, Margo Hinton, Cynthia Hinton, Tammy Tidwell, Theresa Rogers, Twyla Woodall, Clalene Stewart, Tracey Day, Wendy Neitzel and Tracey Brownlee make up the HNG team. Coaches are Melinda Brandon, Pat Day, Kay Holdridge and Belinda Woodall is scorekeeper.

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 Lb.

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- Swift Reg. Beef or Maple Brown & Serve Sausage 8-oz. Pkg. 89¢
- Roth Black Hawk Sliced Bacon \$1.19
- Pimento Cheese \$1.59
- Fresh Water Catfish Steaks \$1.19
- Smoked Franks \$1.59
- Hormel Wranglers \$1.98
- USDA Choice Beef Lean Tender Cubed Steak \$1.09
- Genuine Lean Ground Chuck \$2.29
- W/D Brand Cooked Ham 12-oz. Pkg. \$1.09
- USDA Choice Beef Seven Bone Steak \$1.89
- USA Choice Beef Full Cut Boneless Round Steak \$1.98
- USDA Choice Beef Full Cut Tenderized Round Steak \$1.98

Holly Farms USDA Grade 'A' Fryer Quarters **69¢**
 Breast (with Ribs) or Leg
 W/D Brand Handi-Pak **Ground Beef** **\$3.99**
 5-Lb. Pkg. **\$3.99**
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Eckrich Fully Cooked Smoked Sausage **\$1.49**
 Lb.

Country Style Backbone **\$1.29**
 Fresh Pork Lb.

Pork Loin **\$1.19**
 Sliced Quarter No Centers Removed Lb.

Chuck Steak **99¢**
 USDA Choice Beef Center Cut Lb.

Beef Liver **79¢**
 Center Cut Sliced, Skinned & Deveined Lb.

W/D Brand Reg., Thick, Beef Bologna **99¢**
 1-Lb. Pkg.

Arrow 9-oz. Cold Cups **\$1.49**
 80 Ct.

Heinz India, Hot Dog, Hamb. Relishes **2 88¢**
 5 1/2 oz.

Lilac White 9-in. Paper Plates **79¢**
 100-Ct. Pkg.

Kountry Fresh Produce

Arrow Paper Napkins **55¢**
 160-Ct. Pkg.

Kraft Mayonnaise **88¢**
 Qt.

Coors Beer **\$1.39**
 6 Pk. 12-oz. Cans

All Flavors Chek Drinks **10 \$1**
 12-oz. Cans

Watermelons **\$1.29**
 Red Ripe 22-26Lb. Avg. Each

Frozen Foods
 Libby's Natural Sun Lemonade **\$1**
 8 Pink or Reg. 6-oz. Cans

Showboat Pork & Beans **\$1**
 5 14 1/2-oz. Cans

Thrifty Maid Catsup **\$1**
 3 14-oz. Btts.

Kountry Fresh Ice Cream **88¢**
 ALL Flavors Half Gal.

California Santa Rosa Plums **39¢**
 Lb.

Morton Mini Cream Pies **\$1**
 4 3 1/2-oz. eChocolate eLemon eBanana eCoconut

Kountry Fresh Potato Chips **59¢**
 9-oz. Pkg.

Kountry Fresh Hot Dog or Hamburger Buns **\$1**
 4 8-Ct. Pkgs.

Kountry Cookin' Briquets Charcoal **99¢**
 10-Lb. Bag

Florida Yellow Corn **\$1**
 On The Cob 10 Ears

Dairy Foods
 Kraft Velveeta **98¢**
 1-lb. Pkg.
 Chiffon Soft Stick Margarine **59¢**
 1-lb. Pkg.

Lilac Pink, Lemon or Lime Liquid Detergent **\$1.00**
 2 32-oz. Btts.

Viasic Hamburger Dill Pickles **69¢**
 32-oz. Jar

Arrow Trash Can Liners **79¢**
 10-Ct.

Extra Large Green Celery **39¢**
 Stack
 Washington Bing Cherries **69¢**
 Lb.
 Extra Large Melons Honey Dew **69¢**
 Each
 Sun-kist Lemons or Limes **6 for 69¢**

Eagle Brand Condensed Milk **71¢**
 14 oz can

Kraft BBQ Sauce **\$1**
 2 18-oz. Btts.

Arrow Charcoal Lighter **75¢**
 qt

Coppertone Tropical Blend **\$1.99**
 8-oz.

Crest Toothpaste **89¢**
 Reg. or Mint 7-oz.

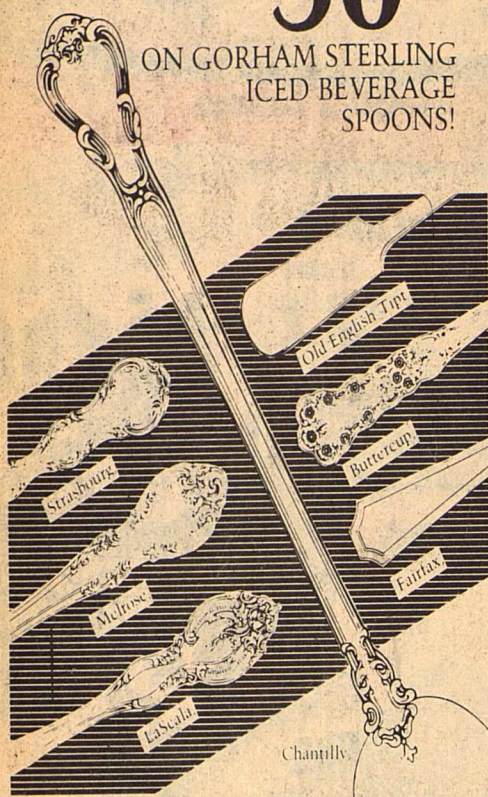
Bufferin Tablets **\$1.29**
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Happy Birthday

Thursday, June 30

John David Fields
Frank Gallegos, Jr.
Michael DuBose

Friday, July 1

Oscar Galindo
Saturday, July 2
Eddie F. Smith
L.P. Bloodworth, Jr.
Carol Gay Hardgrave
Janet Barlemann

Sunday, July 3

Fred E. Fields
Dan Carter Cauthorn
Cleve T. Jones III
Mrs. Johnny Hamby

Monday, July 4

Clyde Hill
Kathy Hardgree
Rick Powers
Mrs. David Kingston
Ken Rosford
Tuesday, July 5
Mrs. Vic Meitzen
Yvonne Y. Ramirez
Mrs. Bob McMinn
Cathy Boyd Mooney
Mrs. Pryce Taylor
John Lopez, Jr.
Don Hurt

Wednesday, July 6

Curt Schwiening
Mrs. Theo Cahill
Cleveland Nance, Jr.
Nann Karnes
Pat Wade

Delia Gandar
Lorena Lynn Davis
Jinx Taylor

Happy Anniversary

July 1

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Castro
July 4
Mr. and Mrs. Chapo Samaniego

July 5

Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Halbert

July 8

Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Joy

Mr. and Mrs. Dorteo Castro

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Humphries

July 9

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Neely

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Neill

July 11

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cooper

July 12

Mr. and Mrs. Darcy Carroll

July 17

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Green

July 19

Mr. and Mr. Royce Reagon

Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Taylor

July 30

Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Wood

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Tedford Jewelry

BRIDAL REGISTRY

Miss Michelle Rousselot, bride-elect of Steve Anderson

Miss Linda Castilleja, bride-elect of Willie Mungia

Mrs. Terry Harris, nee Denita Mobley
Mrs. Tom E. Vallant, nee Glenna Chadwick
Mrs. Richard Dunnam, nee Natalie Redman
Mrs. Scott Shurley, nee Mary Anne Booth
Mrs. Sam David Hernandez, nee Betty Arredondo

30th ANNIVERSARY
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Denita Mobley, Terry Harris

Exchange Wedding Vows

Wedding vows were exchanged Friday by Miss Denita Mobley and Mr. Terry Harris at the First United Methodist Church. The Rev. Gaylan McClellan, pastor of the Trinity Baptist Temple, officiated at the double rings rites.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white crepe, designed and hand sewn by the bride and her mother. The gown featured an overlay of sheer white chiffon and a chapel length train. Lace inserts in the bodice were re-embroidered with seed pearls. Appliques of lace accented by tiny seed pearls highlighted the full length skirt.

She wore a Juliet cap covered with lace, re-embroidered with seed pearls which extended to chapel length, and carried white miniature carnations and white daisies with an orchid forming the center of her bouquet.

Mrs. June Teague of Hobbs, New Mexico, aunt of the bride, was soloist with Miss Susan Dunnam providing traditional wedding music at the organ.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Mobley of Sonora and Mrs. Vivian Harris of Colorado City.

Attending the bride as maid of honor was Miss Sandra Martin of Abilene. She carried a nosegay of orchid miniature carnations and white daisies.

Bridesmaids were Miss Daria Mobley, sister of the bride, Mrs. Sherry Kite, and Miss Lajuan Cable of Conroe. They carried nosegays of dyed miniature carnations and wore dresses of floral chiffon underlined with the bride's chosen colors of

orchid, pink, lime green and pale yellow.

Miss Kim Mitchell of Sonora was flower girl and John Mitchell, Jr., was ring bearer. Brothers of the bride, Darrell Mobley and Danny Mobley were candle lighters.

John Mitchell Sr., was the bridegroom's best man. Groomsmen were Billy Harris of Monahans, Clem Collins of Laramie, Wyoming, and Ralph Harris, brother of the bridegroom, of Monahans.

Ushering guests were Otis Gold, Danny Crowder, Don Bible, and John Brown.

The bride's mother wore a Nile green organdy dress with dyed to match yoke and sleeves. Her flowers were pink roses. The bridegroom's mother chose a long floral print dress and wore pink roses.

The bride's grandmother of Fort Worth, was attired in a blue and white floral print. She wore white roses.

A reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church following the ceremony. Members of the house party were Trama Hart of Big Spring, Gwen McDonald, Jennie Wilson and Marlene Mitchell.

The bride's table was covered in white and centered with an arrangement of carnations and candles in the bride's colors.

Mrs. Harris is a graduate of Sonora High School and attended a year at Angelo State University. Her husband is a graduate of Colorado City High School and is presently employed as a welder.

Following a wedding trip to Dallas the couple will make their home in Sonora.



Miss Elizabeth Turney Wed In Church of Christ Rites

Miss Elizabeth Turney and Mr. Cecil Robertson exchanged wedding vows June 18 at the local Church of Christ. Mr. Marion Hays of Rocksprings officiated at the double ring rites.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Turney of Sonora and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Robertson of Ft. Stockton.

An arch of Commedor fern and white carnations formed the backdrop for the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose a mid length gown of champagne lace over matching peau de soie. An empire waist accented the gown as did the pointed handkerchief hemline and butterfly sleeves bordered in bands of coordinating lace. The scooped neckline was also edged in lace.

The bride carried a nosegay of yellow and white margarine daisies, blue agapantha, babies breath and fern. Yellow and white streamers draped the bouquet.

She wore earrings borrowed from a cousin, Mrs. Joe Friess, and a sixpense in her shoe. A blue garter, a gift from Mrs. Claude Graham, was also part of her attire.

Miss Jean Graham served the bride as maid of honor. Cecil Parks, great uncle of the bridegroom, was best man. The bride's brother, Paul Turney, was usher.

The bride's mother chose a pink shirtwaist dress accented with tiny tucks and lace. She wore a orchid corsage.

A yellow orchid corsage highlighted the yellow jacket dress worn by the mother of the bridegroom. A reception was held

following the ceremony at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Paul Turney. The serving table was covered with a white overlay table covering accented with satin trim and bells, flowers and doves of sequins. The cloth was handmade by the bride's mother. A yellow and white bouquet was the table centerpiece.

A wedding cake featuring three tiers and swirls of pink roses was served by Miss Sandra Graham. Miss Jean Graham served punch.

On the bridegroom's table was a chocolate cake centered with a horseshoe and best wishes.

The registry area also held an arrangement of yellow and white flowers.

The bride is a 1976 graduate of Rocksprings High School and attended Abilene Christian University. Her husband is a 1972 graduate of Ft. Stockton High school and attended Sul Ross State University.

The couple are now at home on the Williams Ranch near Ft. McKavett.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Woods of Engleside are parents of a daughter, Kellie Sam, born June 26, weighing 7 pounds and 8 ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Burt Woods of Skelleytown and Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Nance of Sonora. Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Nance of San Angelo, are great-grandparents.

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Chaos Club Hosted By

Mrs. Crenwelge

The Chaos Bunko Club met Monday night in the home of Mrs. Archie Crenwelge.

Winning bunko was Mrs. Doug Dubose; high, Mrs. Curtis Weant; second high, Mrs. Walter Walicek, and low, Mrs. Rodney Knight.

Cake, cream puffs, deviled eggs, chip, dips and drinks were served to members Mmes. Molly Hite, Bill Jolly, J.D. Cook, Archie Crenwelge, Scooter McMinn, Lila Mae St. Clair, and guests Mrs. Bob Mooney and Mrs. Dwight Hardin.

A new member, Mrs. Susan Mirike was chosen to take the place of Mrs. Ronnie Crawford who moved to Llano.

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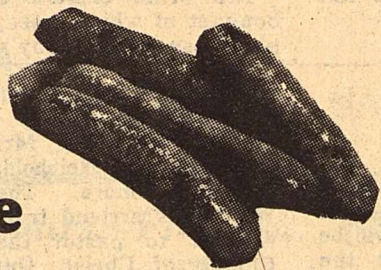
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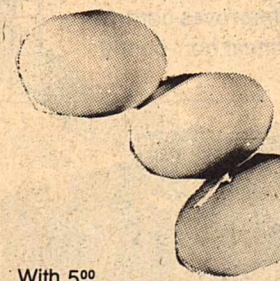
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Halberts Celebrate 65th Wedding Anniversary

by Frank C. Badder
Wedding anniversaries may be commonplace but a 65th anniversary? Well, sure it's possible, but...65 YEARS?! Man, that's one loonng time for two people to share their lives with each other. Why, most people don't even LIVE that long.

Halbert will celebrate their 65th wedding anniversary July 5th. A party in their honor will be given at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vestel Askew, on July 3, from 6 to 10 p.m. All friends of the family are invited to attend.

in Brownwood in 1912 after a courtship of "three or four years," said Mrs. Halbert. A sparkle comes into her blue eyes as she recalls the way they met. They were both attending Howard Payne College in Brownwood and she had walked in on a business class Halbert was taking.

first six years of their marriage were spent on a ranch in Schleicher County, 15 miles from Eldorado.

doctoring and medicine, in case one of them got sick? "We didn't get sick," said Halbert. Simple enough. "You put turpentine on everything," said Mrs. Askew.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Halbert were married at her parent's home in celebration of their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary, Elizabeth and Jack Neill, their children and grandchildren, would like to invite all their friends to join them on Saturday evening, the ninth of July, 1977, from eight until ten o'clock at the Sonora Golf Club. NO GIFTS PLEASE

"I was looking for a place to sit," she said. "The instructor looked at me and said, 'I wish to goodness you'd sit down,' and I told him, 'I have a seat, but I don't have any place to put it.'" Halbert apparently admired her for her spunk. She would certainly need a lot of it to be a rancher's wife back then.

The first house they lived in didn't even have a ceiling in it until just before they were married. It had a dirt floor, no electricity or water, and yellow-jackets often built their nests inside.

The nearest water was 150 yards away. "We carried the washing to the water," said Halbert, adding, "Polecats lived under the house."

Windmills provided their only source of water and a summer breeze brought cold water from the ground. "In the summer when the wind started to blow mother would tell us, 'Run get me some cold water,'" Mrs. Askew recalled.

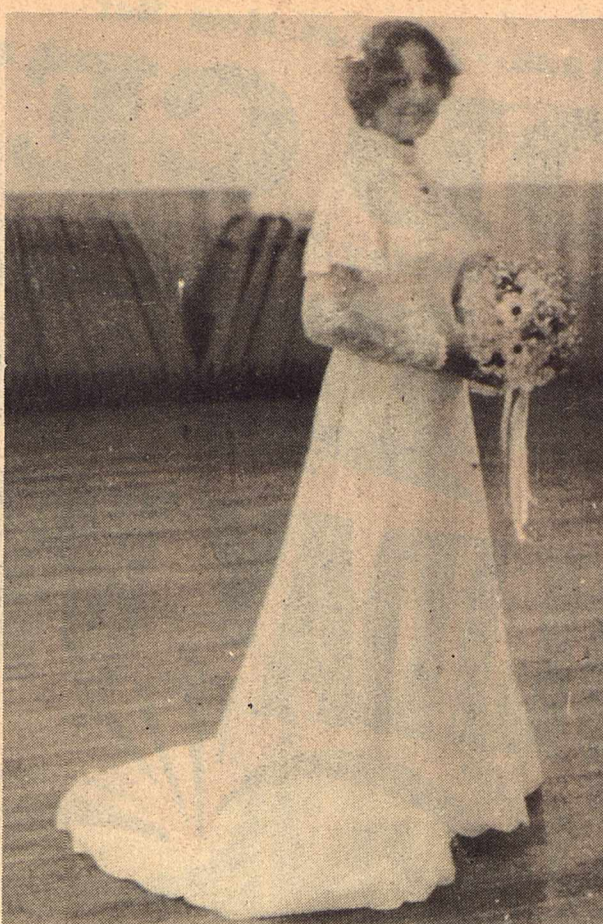
In later years the Halberts installed gasoline pumps to drive the windmills. When one of these pumps broke down it was a serious matter. Livestock, dependent on the mill, would die quickly in the rugged, West Texas terrain without water.

"We'd pack a supper, take our cots, go to the windmill and spend the night," said Mrs. Askew. With other work around the ranch to keep him busy, the hours of darkness were the only time Halbert could work on the mill.

Halbert, over the years, has become well known as a breeder of quality livestock. He is a member of the Polled Hereford Association and a charter member of that organization's Hall of Fame. A bronze plaque bearing his accomplishments is permanently enshrined in the organization's headquarters in Kansas City, Mo.

Just what kind of man is this who still works 18 sections of land at the age of 86? "He believes every word anybody utters," said Mr. Askew. "He always says, 'Any deal can be made with a handshake.'"

And the two of them together? What keeps two people loving each other so much for so long? "They've been lovers and pals," offers Mrs. Askew. "They're cut out of a different cloth. They have a determination to care for their own. Most people nowadays don't think about things like that."



Glenna Chadwick Becomes Bride of Tom E. Valliant

Miss Glenna Chadwick and Tom Edward Valliant were united in matrimony June 18 at St. John's Episcopal Church with Rev. Ray Nations performing the double ring rites. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Glen H. Chadwick and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Valliant.

The bride carried a bouquet of white roses, pink rose buds, baby's breath held in a wreath of lace. Mrs. W. T. Hardy provided wedding music. Mrs. B. C. Glasscock of Brady was matron of honor. The bride's cousin, Miss Candace Hagan of Dallas, was bridesmaid. Both attendants wore dresses of candy pink and carried pink roses, and white daisy mums and rose buds.

Semole was flower girl. Mhael W. Dillard was bestman and Tom C. Wesf Seminole, uncle of the bride, was groomsman. Bo Carroll seated guests. A reception at a local restaurant followed the ceremony. Miss Vivian Mies served at the bride book. The couple took short wedding trip to Sa Antonio. Both Mr. and Mrs. Valliant are graduates of Sonora High School. She also attended Angelo State University. The rehearsal dinner was held locally by the bridegroom's parents.

Renee Rousset On NTS Honor Roll

Dr. Milk Anderson, vice-president for academic affairs, at North Texas State University, has named 187 students to the spirit semester honor roll. Renee Rousset, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman W. Rousset, was named to the 3.5 honor roll at NTU. She is a graduate ofincipa in St. Louis, Missri.



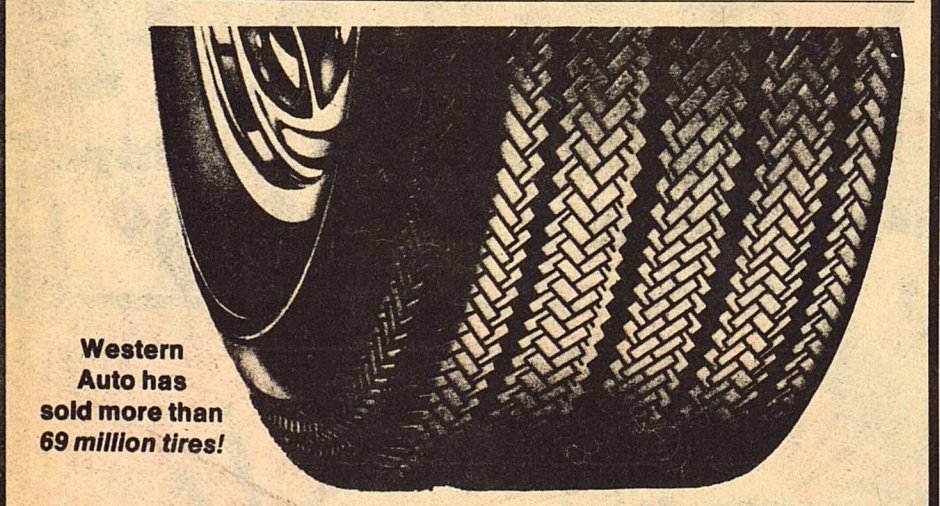
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Dee's Notes

ONE NUMBER ONE problem continues to be housing--calls come in daily for rental units--mobile homes, apartments or houses. Then next we continue to receive calls for hunting information. If you plan to lease this fall, season or day, we need listings.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE officers and directors will meet Wednesday noon at Commercial Restaurant. Recently elected president of the organization, John Tedford of Tedford Jewelry, will preside at the meeting, which is being held June 29, instead of usual 1st Monday, July.

POLICE CHIEF Jerry Kemp announces the appointment of Frank Tobola of Alpine, to the City Police force. Tobola, a graduate of Sul Ross University with a B.S. in law enforcement, and his wife will move here sometime this week. Coming to Sonora, with 18 months experience, he begins work Monday, July 4 (this should prove to be a real initiation--a big holiday weekend). We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Tobola to Sonora!

WE JOIN in extending sincere congratulations to Battie and Robert Halbert, who will celebrate their 65th(!) wedding anniversary July 3 at the Vestel Askew home with open house from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. All friends are invited to drop by and extend their best wishes to the Halberts. The party is being hosted by their daughters, Allie Askew and Bobbie Fawcett. "He who has helped thee hitherto will help thee all life through." Best wishes to the Halberts!

THIS 'n THAT-- SHS cheerleaders are attending cheerleading school at McMurray in Abilene this week. VISITORS-- the Billy Bob Ellingson family of Gallup, NM, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dave Locklin--his parents, and others. Notice a new hair styling shop on Crockett, across from Chuck Wagon Grocery. Next door to it, Wingren's Texaco Station changes hands as Kenneth Cook begins management. Then out Hwy 277 N. we hear a taxidermy business may open in the near future--our growth continues.

NOW IS TIME to begin sorting those old family portraits and dusting off the family history notes. Soon work will begin on a book to be published concerning early-day history of Sutton County, and the folks who settled this area. If you want your family to be included, you should begin gathering information not to exceed 600 words. Good idea to have the document ready when you receive a letter telling you about the

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publication. If you don't receive a letter--well, please know that it will be an oversight, and the Sutton County Historical Society plans to release names of persons you may contact once the work really get going. In the meantime--begin your probe into the past..NOW!

THIS OFFICE received call from group in Calif., who plan to travel by bicycle through here July 21, and will be spending the night. They have contacted the Caverns or 4-H Center personnel about spending the night at one of those places. They carry cooking and camping equipment in a van especially designed for that purpose. This must be a healthy, but rugged way to cross the U.S.

PLANS ARE being laid for the annual Sutton County Day festival to be held Aug. 20-21 with the Jaycees and Jaycee-Ettes in charge of the activities. Different organizations will be sponsoring candidates to be named 'Queen', who will reign as representa-

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rive until the next Sutton County day. WE WELCOME Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Weinhold, Sr. to Sonora. The Weinholds arrived from Abilene to pastor the Church of Christ. Our area is old 'home grounds' to the Weinholds as they spent over 25 years in the Del Rio and Laredo areas. Their son, Ralph, Jr., a former pastor of the local Church of Christ, will be conducting services here Sunday, July 3, while his parents are out of town. He presently pastors a church in Alvin.

OUR SINCERE SYMPATHY to the family of Trinidad Ramirez, whose funeral was held recently. Prominent in Sutton County early history, Trinidad will be remembered by folks who for years depended on Ramirez Boot Shop for custom styled boots, shoe repairs and leather goods.

TEX.A&M University has requested Dr. Leo B. Merrill, supt. of the A&M Ranch Experiment Station, 28 miles south, to gather the station's records for the A&M archives. The local station is one of the oldest in the State of

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Texas, and documents and records date back to the early teens of the 1900's. Robbie Morris, former secretary at the station for over 30 years, has been assisting with the records search.

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Sonora Minister Speaks

What is your favorite fear? Most folks have at least one situation that leaves them literally quaking inside when they are confronted with it. If you are true to yourself, I am almost sure that you have at least one such situation.

My own special fear is being down in caves. Now that doesn't seem to be too bad for there is no need for me to go down in a cave in the normal course of affairs. Food, shelter, comforts, and even most luxury items

are readily available outside of caves yet this inordinate fear of caves prevents me from experiencing the great beauty often found in caverns.

Relatively unimportant perhaps but there is another sort of fear that many folks have that is not so unimportant and this is a fear of God and of all things associated with God. From some where in their background God and Godly things have become associated with the idea of a threat and so are to be

feared. This is an important fear for it prevents the individual so threatened from having a normal relationship with God.

I can do without going into a cave but I can hardly do without God. Where else can I find the special comfort and source of strength which only God can provide. Where else can I find the solace of forgiveness of my sins. How could I share the joys of my life with a God whom I feared. If I should come to a point in my life

when prayer was all that I had left, it would seem most unusual for me to pray to a God that was a threat to me. Not everyone has this fear of God, thankfully, although any do if they would just admit it. Anyone so afflicted should talk with a minister who will certainly assist them to find the true God, source of comfort, forgiveness, love instead of the false God to be feared.

Rev. Ray Nations
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First Latin American Rev. Luis Estrada Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 5:30 p.m. Worship 7:00 p.m. WMU Monday 7:00 p.m. Wed. Services 6:00 p.m.	St. Ann's Catholic Church Rev. Louis B. Moeller Sat. Vigil Mass 7 p.m. Sunday Masses 8 a.m. 10 a.m. Holy Day Mass 7 p.m.	Sonora Tabernacle United Pentacostal Rev. Kenneth Doyle, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Eve. Worship 7:30 p.m. Wed. Services 7:30 p.m.	Church of God of Prophecy Kenneth Cook, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 m. Worship 11:00 m. Sunday Eve. 7:30 pm. Wed. Eve. 7:30 pm.
First United Methodist Church Rev. Paul Terry, Pastor Church School 9:45 a.m. Worship 10:45 a.m.	St. John's Episcopal Church Rev. Ray Nations, Rector Holy Com. 8 a.m. Holy Com. 11 a.m. 1st and 3rd Sundays Morn. Prayer 11 a.m. 2nd and 4th Sundays	Hope Lutheran Church John E. Haffernann, Pastor Sunday School 10:20 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m.	The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian The Rev. Jim Miles Sunday: Church School 10:00 am. Fellowship 10:45 am. Worship 11:00 am. (Communion on first Sunday of each month) Inquirer's Class 7:30 pm. (Session and Diaconate meet at 7:30 on the 1st Wed. of each month)

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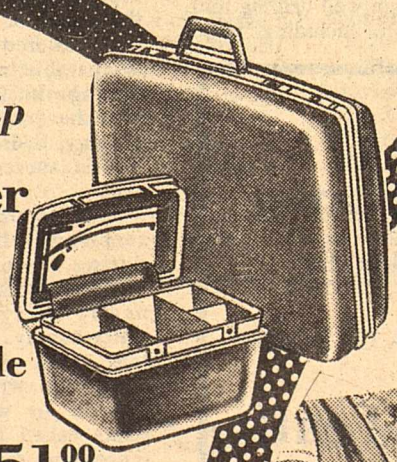
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Sutton County Ranch News

42,000 Cattlemen Register

Registration figures in the nation's first Beef Referendum are in and it appears that over 42,000 cattlemen registered in Texas. In the U.S., over 295,000 producers have registered. These figures were released today by the Texas Beef Development Taskforce (BDT).

"We're extremely pleased with the interest and turnout," says J.D. Sartwell, a rancher from Sealy and chairman of the Texas BDT. "More than 1,000 cattlemen on the Texas BDT have worked to inform cattlemen about the merits of the program and pushed for a high registration," says the rancher.

"This dedicated work and widespread news coverage by the Texas media are responsible for the large registration turnout," he adds. Only cattlemen who registered during the June 6-17 sign-up at their local ASCS office are qualified to vote July 5-15.

"With the passage of the Beef Referendum, the cattle industry will have means of stabilizing our industry and increasing profits for cattlemen," Sartwell says. He points out that the Beef Referendum, if approved by two-thirds of the producers voting next month, would raise an

estimated \$30 million to \$40 million annually.

This money would be used for beef research, education, promotion and foreign market development. "The 68 producers will be nominated by cattle organizations in each state. The nominees will be selected from these associations either by a membership election or through appointment by the directors of each group," Sartwell points out. The Secretary of Agriculture will confirm the appointees and assure that the funds are properly invested in accordance with the law, he adds. "In order for the Referendum to be valid at least 50% of those who registered must return to their ASCS office and vote. Then, at least two-thirds of those voting must vote 'Yes' before the program will be put into effect," the BDT chairman says. "This may be the last opportunity that producers have to vote on a self-help program," concludes Sartwell. "So we urge every producer who registered to return and vote 'Yes' for a more profitable beef industry."

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Fred Campbell's Wool and Mohair Report

Wool Market reports coming from overseas indicate a firm market. Offerings to the Australian auctions have been reduced in quantity-being generally less than half of what was offered for sale a year ago. Prices paid in Australia are steady to slightly firmer for the finer 19 to 20 micron types and weaker by 1 to 2 percent on the coarse grades.

In the U.S. very limited new business is being reported. Buyers are finishing settling up their purchases for the spring. Probably in excess of 80 percent of the spring clip is now sold. Following the visit to our area by the South African mohair group there have been no new sales reported. Our warehouse is offering on Friday this week in excess of 40,000 fall and spring adult.

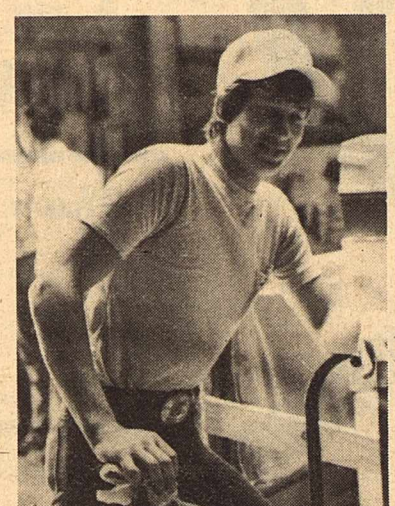
Results of this offering will be reported next week. South African Mohair Board members give optimistic views on the future of mohair as a textile fiber. And Tom Hibbert, President of British Mohair Spinners group told the IMA meeting in San Antonio, that mohair growers would "never again sell mohair at an un-economic price".

Screwworm Cases Reported Spreading

Screwworm cases are beginning to spread across new areas of Texas and Arizona, and livestock producers are reminded to double their efforts in the current battle against the costly livestock pest. Fred Campbell, chairman of the Sutton County Screwworm Eradication Committee, says that although total numbers of cases are still low when compared to previous years, the worst part of the screwworm season is still ahead and all precautions should be taken.

Texas entered June with just 22 screwworm cases reported in 10 counties during the first five months of 1977. By June 15, nine more cases were added. Although many of these cases have been confirmed in Hidalgo County, others have moved up from South Texas into the Central Texas county of San Saba and into Brewster and Terrell Counties in Big Bend-Trans-Pecos areas.

New Employee



Dale Welgehausen has recently joined the staff at the Sonora Wool and Mohair Co. Dale is a graduate of Stonewall High School and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Welgehausen of Stonewall. He will perform general duties, sales and service and specialize in Toro and Bean Livestock Sprayer service.

Arizona's cases had climbed to 15 by June 15, says Campbell. New Mexico had recorded four cases by that date, and California one to bring the nation's total to 29 by mid-June. This compares to 1,968 by the same date last year. "Producer cooperation is really needed in the next four months to hold the line on screwworm cases this year, and make the 'Mission '77: Stamp Out Screwworms' program a success," he adds. Producers should check their animals at least twice a week, collect larvae or egg masses found in or near wounds, and send the samples to the USDA Laboratory at Mission for identification. "Then treat all wounds found with an EPA-labeled effective insecticide," Campbell urges.

Tradesmen Visit Sonora

The following group of mohair tradesmen visited Sonora Wool and Mohair Co. recently at the conclusion of the International Mohair Association meeting held in San Antonio.

The Mohair Council of America was the group's host while in Texas. Making the I.M.A. bus tour were: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Hibbert of Bradford, England, and their son, Mr. Neal Hibbert of London, England; Mr. Bruce Harding of Australia; Mr. Frank Laycock of England; S. Kawashima of Osaka, Japan; Mr. Bill Archibald of Scotland; Dr. Dan Phororo of Lesotho, South Africa; Mr. Jean Beuscar of France; Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Barry of France; Dr. and Mrs. Aldo Zegna of Biella, Italy; Mr. and Mrs. Hermann Breede and Mr. and Mrs. Hans-Hermann Breede, all of Germany; Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Litten of England; Mr. Randal Coe of England; Mr. Paul Honig, president, Anglo Fabrics Co., Inc., New York; Mr. Quintin Nisse of England; Mr. and Mrs. John Caron of New York; Mr. and Mrs. Henfred Coetzer of South Africa; Mr. and Mrs. David Uys of South Africa; Mr. David Briggs and daughter, Claire, of England; Mr. Clifton Mackey of Australia; Mr. and Mrs. Cenar Gurgan and daughter, Suzan, all of Istanbul, Turkey; Miss Alice Percy of England; Mr. F.H.J. Hermans of Holland; Mr. Nick Havas of the Foreign Agriculture Service, Washington, D.C.; and Mr. D.A. (Tony) Hobson of South Africa.

Mohair Council officials making the tour were Sid Harkins of Sanderson, president, Bob Childress of Ozona, vice president; and Herman Moore of Brownwood, secretary-treasurer. Staff personnel on the tour were Edward F. McManus of New York, executive director; and Ross McSwain, San Angelo, assistant director.

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Val Verde Reports Two Cases

Two of the maggots Jesus R. Vela took from the leg of a sheep two miles south of Comstock in Val Verde County were proven to be screwworms on June 23.

The infested sheep is one of a band owned by Rodney C. Robertson of Del Rio.

"The sample arrived at the lab after 13 screwworm free days. The last confirmed case, from Brewster County, had been identified July 9," says Dr. M.E. (Cotton) Meadows, Jr., Director of the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Screwworm Eradication Program.

ICA Campaign

In a recent bulletin from the Independent Cattlemen's Association state headquarters in Austin, county officers and directors were urged to request county members to write their U.S. senators and representatives asking them to co-sponsor legislation introduced by U.S. Reg. Bob Krueger and Sen. John Melcher.

Green Gains National Group Certification

The National Water Well Association, which is a non-profit professional society and trade association representing all segments of the ground water industry, has just published the entire list of names of the individuals who make up the membership of its voluntary Certification Program.

The Program, which is designed to permit water well drillers, pump installers and others in the ground water industry to prove their competency and knowledge of their profession, now includes Billy Green from Billy Green Water Service, in Sonora.

The Certification Program, now in its sixth year of operation, consists of an examination composed of twelve tests constructed so that individuals can test themselves according to the equipment they use and the geological formations of the area in which they work. Results released show that Green has passed tests in well drilling and pump installation, including large

industrial and municipal applications. The prevention of ground water pollution is among the major concerns of NWWA. Careless well drilling practices have been identified as a significant cause of ground water pollution. NWWA's Certification Program offers one more helpful device to citizens concerned over our increasingly polluted environment—those about to have a well drilled or an existing well repaired can insure a job performed capably and minimize potential water pollution problems by contracting with a driller who shows the NWWA Certification Emblem.

Water well drillers have, with the advent of this program, joined the ranks of other trades and professions which offer accreditation to those who meet qualifications established by their respective national associations. A far cry from hand-digging wells of yesteryear, well drilling has become a sophisticated profession requiring thousands of dollars investment in high-powered drilling rigs, many comparable to those used in oil well drilling. In addition, well drillers must have a working knowledge of geology, hydrology and business to remain successful in their profession.

The importance of water has received well-deserved attention during the past few years while increased pollution has deteriorated nearly every American surface water supply. It is thus no surprise that with 97% of America's available water supply underground in water bearing rock strata called aquifers, there is an increasing trend toward utilizing ground water resources. The water well contractor's job has therefore become a critically important aspect of modern living. The National Water Well Association, headquartered at 500

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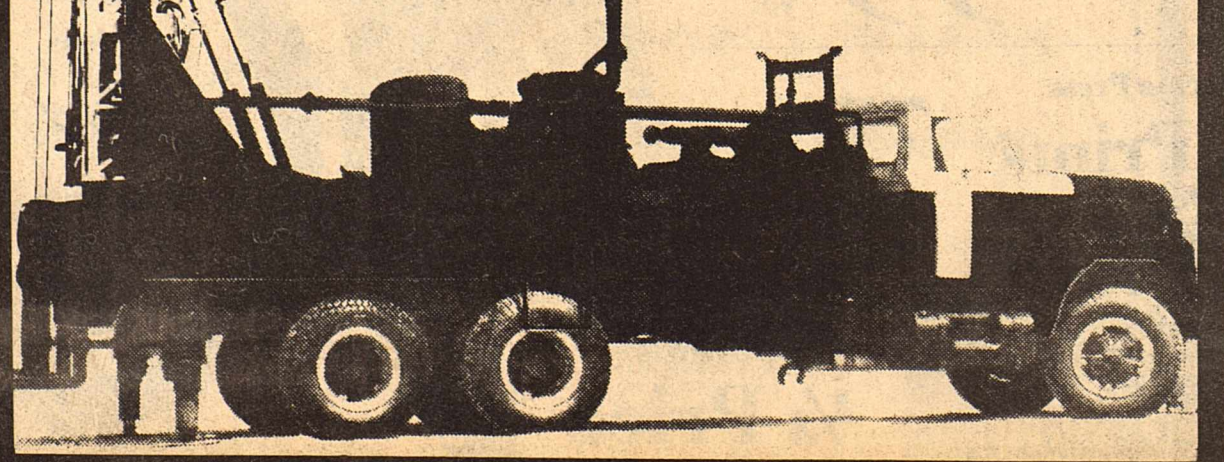
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Texas Suffers Under Colonialism

by Wes Burnett
Texas has been the victim of domestic economic colonialism as a result of the federal controls on natural gas prices, U.S. Representative Bob Krueger told Texas publishers Saturday in Galveston.

Speaking at the 98th convention of the Texas Press Association, Congressman Krueger outlined the importance of Texas to the nation's development as a world economic power.

Krueger pointed out that one half of all U.S. industry is powered by natural gas and Texas produces 40 per cent of all the natural gas in the country.

He also explained that Texas uses 20 per cent of the nation's natural gas. "No other state stands to lose more by intrastate controls than Texas," Krueger emphasized.

Since the 1960's there has been dramatic growth of industry in Texas, brought about by the availability of energy supplies, the Congressman told the publishers.

"More than one half of the petro chemical industry of the U.S. is now in Texas," Krueger added.

"The basis of this growth has been the availability of energy" he continued.

Krueger pointed out that Texans paid more for

natural gas and this has insured an adequate supply, which has attracted more industry, jobs and economic growth for the state.

"Texas is the fastest growing state in the nation and is now the third most populous state, behind California and New York," the Congressman said.

"Our abundant supplies of energy is the main reason for this growth," he added.

But these natural resources have been squandered in the past because of the federally controlled unrealistic low price, Krueger added.

"We have been regulated to sell our natural resources at prices below

their market value, for the benefit of one region of the nation at the detriment to our state. This amounts to a special tax and it's downright unfair," Krueger emphasized.

"This is nothing less than domestic economic colonialism," he added.

"Texans have never asked other states to sacrifice their products below market price," Krueger continued, "we are only asking for equality."

"We are a broad and diverse culture, believing in tomorrow," Krueger concluded.

EDITOR'S NOTE: The special tariff protection for the northeast is reminiscent of the protective

tariffs of the 19th century which brought about the split between the producers of natural resources of the south and the industrial uses of the raw product

in the north. The only difference today is that raw petroleum products have replaced agriculture products in the economic battles of regulation.



Petroleum News

Drilling Applications

Applications have been filed with the Texas Railroad Commission of the following drilling sites:

CROCKETT

CF Lawrence and Associates Inc., Noelke, Half "67" no. 2, 11 miles south of Iran, 1,700'.

Gulf Oil Corp. Core Test, State "WQ" CT-1, 33 miles northwest of Ozona, 3,500'.

Union Oil Co. of Calif., JM-Ellenberger, Mitchell 105" no.1, 35 miles southwest of Ozona, 14,000'.

Indian Wells Operating Co., Ozona (Canyon), C.C. Montgomery Estate "9" no. 1, 21 miles southwest of Ozona, 7,000'.

Amarex Inc., Wildcat, Baggett "1-A" no. 8, 28 miles southeast of Ozona, 10,700'.

Thomas and Kidd Oil Prod. Co., Donham (OWWO), Shannon Estate no. 1, 14 miles northwest of Ozona, 1,350'.

Cody Bell, H.J. Case "B" no. 1, 11 miles northwest of Eldorado, 6,850'.

Mitchell Energy Corp., KAMA, Powell "8" no. 1, 17 miles west-southwest of Eldorado, 8,300'.

Tucker Drilling Co., OTTO, Otto Williams no. 1, 18 miles northeast of Eldorado, 5,750'.

Gulf Oil Corp., University "53" (Ellenberger), State "SX" no. 1, 28 1/2 miles northwest of Eldorado, 8,500'.

SUTTON

HNG Oil Co., Sawyer (Canyon), Shannon "52" no. 1, nine miles northwest of Sonora, 7,200'.

HNG Oil Co., Miers (Canyon), Vander Stucken "34" no. 4, 19 miles southeast of Sonora, 3,820'.

Longhorn Exploration, Roberts, J.W. McDermott no. 1, 15 miles northeast of Sonora, 4,800'.

HNG Oil Co., Sawyer (Canyon), Askew "75" no. 1, six miles northeast of Sonora, 6,300'.

Windsor Gas Corp., Shurley Ranch, Duke Wilson no. 3-188, 12 miles southwest of Sonora, 8,500'.

Lively Energy Co., Whitehead, Aldwell Ranch no. 1-22, 16 miles southwest of Sonora, 9,700'.

Drilling Applications Show Big Increase

Applications for permits to drill oil and gas tests in Texas totaled 10,545 for the first five and a half months of 1977, up from 8,700 for the same period in 1976.

Year-to-date applications to drill, deepen, plug back and for service wells totaled 12,375 against 10,341 a year ago, the Railroad Commission's Oil and Gas Division reported

in its semimonthly drilling report.

The report showed 25 oil discoveries and 30 gas strikes were completed in Texas during the June 1-15, 1977 period.

Oil discoveries included 12 in Southeast Texas, one each in the San Antonio, Deep South Texas, San Angelo and Panhandle areas, four in the Lubbock area, three in

West Central Texas and two in North Texas.

The new gas strikes included 13 in Southeast Texas, eight in Deep South Texas, two each in East Texas, West Central Texas and the San Angelo area and one each in the Refugio, East Central Texas and Midland areas.

The Oil and Gas Division listed 5,969 oil, gas or service well

completions for the year to date, up from 5,555 a year earlier.

Of the 3,706 oil completions so far in 1977, 288 were discovery wells. A year earlier, there were 3,417 oil completions with 256 listed as oil discoveries.

Gas well completions this year total 1,944 of which 347 are discovery wells. For the same 1976 period, Texas had 1,939

gas well completions including 413 discoveries.

The report shows 943 drilling applications for the latest two-week period and logs 580 oil, gas and service well completions.

There were some 399 oil and 162 gas well completions since the last semi-monthly drilling report. In the June 1-15 period, 178 exploratory and field tests wound up as dry holes.

range of recoveries from water reservoirs," Harlan said.

"Moreover, the ultimate oil recovery for Thompson will be even higher if we continue our program of identifying and draining stratigraphic sand submembers."

Harlan cautioned that a 20 percent reduction of the Thompson MER below current producing rate could result in the loss of 7.63 million barrels of oil because of cutbacks in drilling and workover prospects, lower recovery from stratified sands, premature abandonment of wells due to casing failure and gas cap shrinkage.

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This is "a deterrent to development drilling, and a deterrent to drilling causes waste," Harlan stated.

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In addition to Exxon and Gulf, other operators in the Thompson Field are Wesley West, Texaco Inc., R.H. Dorf, Ada Oil Co. and W.P. Swearingen.

Exxon Urges Lower Output For Ft. Bend

Exxon Corp. and another major operator last week urged the Railroad Commission to lower the oil production allowable of the Thompson Field in Fort Bend County to a level more in line with current output.

Exxon, in concluding testimony at an Oil and Gas Division review of the performance and the most

efficient rate of production assigned the Thompson Field, suggested that the MER be reduced from 36,000 barrels daily to 28,500 barrels daily. The latter figure is approximately equal to the June 16 total allowable and compares with the actual output of 25,500 barrels daily, the company noted.

An allowable somewhat above the current producing rate will provide an incentive for continued drilling and other additional oil recovery activities, said Exxon, operator of 47 percent of the field.

Exxon further recommended that the MER be adjusted annually based on the sum of the most recent production tests. Both recommendations were supported by Gulf Oil Corp.

Senior Engineer George F. Singletary Jr. conducted today's hearing, twelfth of more than 30 reviews of performance and MERs of major Texas oil fields. He received testimony from Exxon geologist John M. Clayton and Exxon

petroleum engineer Donald P. Harlan, both of Houston.

Exxon counsel Seldon B. Graham of Houston, who directed the presentation of evidence, told Singletary at the outset of the hearing that the 46-year-old Thompson Field is "an excellent water-drive" oil producing area. He contended, however, that a sharp reduction in the MER would result in leaving substantial amounts of oil in the ground.

Clayton, in describing geological characteristics, reported the field has "high quality sands" in which the average oil sand thickness is 110 feet. Average well depth is 5,150, he said.

The field's 600-plus fault block sand members make it a very complex oil producing area, Clayton observed.

Harlan, a senior staff engineer for Exxon, reported Thompson Field has 154 active wells of which 51 were drilled after the Railroad Commission

increased drilling opportunities in 1973 by authorizing 10 and 20 acre well spacing.

He and Clayton advised Singletary that Exxon, Gulf and other operators plan to drill 31 additional wells in the Thompson Field by the end of 1977.

Fifty-one wells drilled from 1973 to September 1976 increased oil recovery by 16 million barrels and the current 31-well drilling program will increase oil recovery an additional 7,440,000 barrels, Harlan related.

Thompson operators' current operations to increase recovery include well drilling, well workovers, high fluid producing rates and gas injection to prevent gas cap shrinkage, he cited.

Harlan also reported that operator investments in the field from 1973 through March 1977 total nearly 20.4 million.

Water drive recovery efficiency at Thompson is 68 percent, he advised Singletary.

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range of recoveries from water reservoirs," Harlan said.

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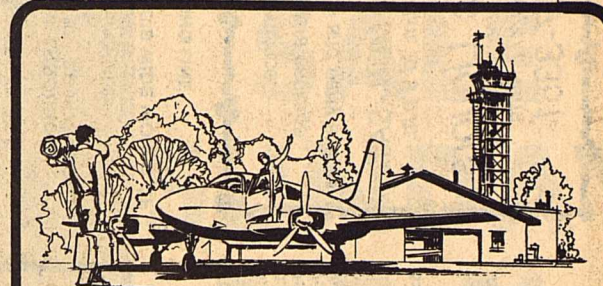
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Wednesday, July 6
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Police Reports

June 20
11:25 a.m., A resident on Edgemont Road request a dog pickup at her residence. Call was answered by Dick Jones
3:18 p.m., A resident at 103 Plum reported a dog had bitten her small child.

June 21
10:30 a.m., A minor accident was reported at Crockett and Main Streets. Drivers of the vehicles were Amelia Fay of Fredericksburg and Jo Ann Jones of Sonora. No injuries were reported.
12:05 a.m., A fire report was answered at the mobile home of Dale Bounds. The fire was out at arrival of police.

June 22
8 p.m., Police transferred a subject from a local motel to hospital emergency room for medication.
7:03 p.m., A resident on Santa Rosa street reported a loud party. Police answered call and settled disturbance on arrival.
1:50 a.m., A robbery call was reported at a local cafe.

June 23
1:15 p.m., Burglary of mobile home reported. No injuries were reported in a two car accident that occurred at 4:55 in the 100 block of Wardlaw. Shirley G. Ryan of Sonora and Bobby Charles Lewey of Abilene were driving the vehicles involved. The Ryan vehicle struck the Lewey vehicle while making an improper turn onto Wardlaw Street.
6:45 p.m., Resident at 1025 S. Concho reported dog had bitten her child. Owner was advised to chain dog for observation.
2:25 a.m., A call was answered regarding domestic disturbance. Settled on arrival of police.

June 24
A three car accident occurred at 5:20 p.m., at the intersection of Crockett and US 290. Deward H. Faulks, Gene Perry Edwards, both of Sonora, and Rex Lowrey of Ballinger, were drivers of the vehicles. No injuries were reported and Edwards was cited for failure to control speed.

June 25
11:15 a.m., A minor traffic accident occurred in the 300 block of Tom Green when a vehicle belonging to Clifford Schooley of Eldorado was hit by a vehicle being driven by Rudolfo Martinez of Ozona. Martinez was cited for improper backing.
At 11:40 a.m., Ruth Richardson and Kenneth Ray Doyle, both of Sonora, were drivers of vehicles involved in a minor accident at the 100 block of Main Street. The Doyle vehicle was northbound on Main and the Richardson vehicle was west bound on Tom Green when the Richardson vehicle attempted to turn right onto Main Street. Ms. Richardson was charged with failure to yield to the right-of-way.
8:20 p.m., Police unit was dispatched to pick up intoxicated subject.
10:25 p.m., A Wilson Street resident reported children popping firecrackers in her yard. Juveniles were counseled and released.

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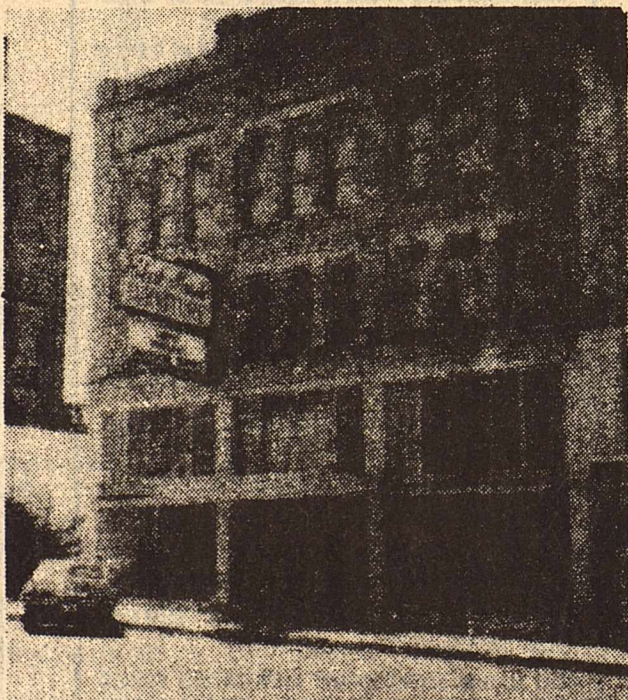
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Two performances will be held Monday, July 4 at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. The rodeo is sponsored by the Edwards County Fair Association and produced by Tommy Priour of Mountain Home.

Gosmic Signs

AQUARIUS

(January 20 - February 18) This will be a good day in general. People are pleasing to you and you feel outgoing.

PISCES

(February 19 - March 20) Set yourself a work goal and persist in reaching it. You may win a promotion through this day's accomplishments.

ARIES

(March 21 - April 21) It may be difficult to get along with a neighbor now. You will only meet with annoyance if you try to help.

TAURUS

(April 22 - May 21) Your personality is excellent. You also appear intelligent to others.

GEMINI

(May 22 - June 21) The day may bring you some minor discomfort of the physical type. Don't postpone taking care of this.

CANCER

(June 22 - July 23) Something that makes you nervous and irritable may take place. You can't control this, so don't try.

LEO

(July 24 - August 23) You may be called upon to do some new kind of work. You'll enjoy this, so don't fear the change. The training will be of much value later on.

VIRGO

(August 24 - September 23) Love may possess you today. There is much that is of value in the person you have fallen for. You'll probably pursue this.

LIBRA

(September 24 - October 23) A neighbor may be highly vexing. You must try to get along with this person.

SCORPIO

(October 24 - November 23) You might as well be prepared to work and complete a certain project. It would not be wise to sit around idly and build up hostilities.

SAGITTARIUS

(November 24 - December 23) Do not lend money today; you'd never see it again. Don't let anyone play on your sympathies. Be respectful of an older relative you love.

CAPRICORN

(December 24 - January 19) You will become unhappy if you talk to someone out of your past. Be happy with your home and the people in it.

Luis Munoz Dies In El Paso

Luis G. Munoz, 54, of El Paso, and formerly of Sonora, died June 16 in a El Paso Hospital. Rosary was held Sunday at Our Lady of the Light Catholic Church with a funeral mass Monday. The Rev. Jesse Munoz officiated. Burial was in Ft. Bliss National Cemetery with military honors.

Mr. Munoz had been a resident of El Paso for 25 years, moving there from Sonora. He was a member of the Catholic Church, a veteran of World War II and worked for a moving and warehouse company in El Paso. Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Evangelina S. Munoz; six sons, Luis, Salvador, Jose Alfredo, George, Ernesto and Abraham Munoz, all of El Paso; three daughters, Mrs. Gloria M. Looney, Rebecca Munoz and Maria Elizabeth Munoz, all of El Paso; one grandchild; one brother, Jose Munoz; two sisters, Mrs. Rosa Sanchez and Mr. Olga Romero, both of Sonora, and his step-father, Evaristo Gueda. Pallbearers were Luis Munoz, Salvador Munoz, Jose Munoz, George Munoz and Robert Looney.

Fireworks Illegal In Sonora City Limits

Last summer in Texas nine youngsters were blinded by carelessness with fireworks, reported from a survey conducted by the Texas Society for the Prevention of Blindness. 89 responding ophthalmologists also treated 34 persons for eye injuries, with bottle rockets causing the greatest number of eye loss and damage cases. Fireworks, even the small ones, are still a needless menace to Americans. Even sparklers, usually purchased for small children, burn at 1,650 degrees Fahrenheit, leaving a steel core hot enough to sear flesh or set

clothing afire. A five year old San Antonio girl was treated for severe eye damage from just that cause in 1976, the Society reported.

Ironically, the greatest number of accidents were reported in the major cities of Texas, where it is illegal to have fireworks within the city limits.

The Texas Society makes a special appeal to parents to see to it that children are not permitted the use of any form of fireworks, and to see that their children are kept away from anyone who is using them. Remember that fireworks are not toys for children.

Persons in Sonora are reminded that the city of Sonora does have an ordinance prohibiting the use and prohibition of fireworks in the city limits and violation of this ordinance is punishable of a fine up to \$200.

Mrs. D. Gibbs Dies In Nursing Home

Mrs. Dee Gibbs, 93, died June 20 in a Fredericksburg nursing home. Funeral services were held June 21 in Hodges-Fife Funeral Home Chapel in Junction with Don Griffith officiating. Burial was in Sonora Cemetery.

Mrs. Gibbs was born Ida Price September 19, 1883 in Hallettsville. Most of her life was spent in the Hill Country. She was married September 2, 1903 in Mason and had lived on ranches in Kimble and Sutton Counties and in Junction. Her husband, a former Kimble County sheriff, died in 1969. She was a member of the Church of Christ and had lived in Fredericksburg seven years.

Survivors include one son, Leonard Gibbs of Sonora; two grandchildren, Mrs. Lloyd Kirkpatrick of Uvalde and Nolan Gibbs of Sonora; and four great-grandchildren, Mrs. C.W. Whitford of Diboll, Mrs. Tom Clifton of Honolulu, Laura Gibbs of Sonora and Dee Kirkpatrick of Uvalde. Pallbearers were Sherman Rimes, Ray Warren, Gerald Loeffler, Frank Price of San Angelo, Dee Kirkpatrick and Lloyd Kirkpatrick of Uvalde and James Gibbs of Menard.

Services Held June 23 For John Hagan

Funeral services were held June 23 at Sunset Funeral Home in San Antonio for Col. John F. Hagan, Jr., 67. Interment was in Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery with full military honors.

Col. Hagan died June 20. He had been a resident of San Antonio the past six years. He was retired from the U.S. Army and was a member of the Military Order of World Wars and the Texas Real Estate Brokers Association.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Katha Lea Hagan; a daughter, Miss Candace Lea Hagan of Dallas; one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Lilly of Seattle, Washington, and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Stella Keene of Sonora.

DPS Estimates High Fatality Over July 4th

The Texas Department of Public Safety recently warned that an unusually high number of traffic accidents and fatalities are likely to occur during the July 4th holiday weekend. The head of the DPS, Colonel Wilson E. Speir,

estimated that 51 persons would lose their lives in Texas traffic from 6 p.m. Friday, July 1, to midnight Monday, July 4.

"Based on past holiday experience, we believe many of the traffic accidents during the holiday period will involve either speeding or drinking. Also, it is likely that a high percentage will occur late at night or within a few hours after midnight," Speir said.

"Hopefully, motorists will drive defensively and

Tennis Clinic July 5-9

A five day tennis clinic will be held July 5-9 with a different aspect of the game being taught each day.

The classes, limited on a first come, first serve basis, will be held at the varsity tennis courts behind the football stadium. Players need only bring their tennis rackets, shorts and tennis shoes, balls will be furnished.

Classes will begin at 8 a.m., each morning and end at 11:15. A fee will be charged, and the clinic is open to all ages.

Larry Cade, Sonora High School graduate and mascot at Texas Tech, will instruct the classes. For more information call 387-2219.

Scouts At Sol Meyer

Boy Scouts of Troop 19 are camping this week at Camp Sol Meyer, where they are participating in outdoor summer aquatic and pioneering activities.

Attending from Sonora are Louis Humphries, Wallace Nations, Myron Halford, John Reppond, Sammy Nations, Gary Robinson, Roy Hulsey, Don Glass, Michael Glass and John Mitchell.

Rev. Jim Miles is providing supervision for the group through tomorrow and is serving as camp chaplain. Scoutmaster John Reppond and Assistant Scoutmaster Don Glass will join the troupe tomorrow.

Teachers Attend Workshop

Five Sonora teachers are attending a special reading workshop in San Angelo this week.

Nancy Brown, Edwina Friess, Betty Hardegree, Margaret Burch and Wanda Turner are learning special teaching skills at the Right To Read Project sponsored seminar held at the Glenmore Elementary School.

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All persons interested are hereby invited to attend.
Sonora City Council
Norman W. Rousselot, Mayor
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[Editor's note: The following story was clipped by Mike Ellis, a former Sonoran, now a resident of Galveston, and sent to me. It appeared in the June 14 edition of the Houston Post and carries some interesting views on Sonora as seen by someone just passing through.]

At 3 o'clock on a hot, glaring Saturday afternoon, I got into Sonora.

That town is always such a surprise to me. I can't get out of the habit of expecting it to look like the country that surrounds it, and it doesn't.

It's beneath an umbrella of deep green pecan foliage, and strikes me as a nice place to live.

But when I haven't been there in three or four years I lose the image of it, and go back to making it something that it isn't. Once in a while I'll see it on the map when my eye wanders west and I'll picture Sonora as a little old squint-eyed, dry-skinned alkali town with white dusty streets and ridge-backed hound dogs walking around looking for shade.

Then I'll go back, and roll under all that deep shade, and Sonora is a big surprise all over again.

A lot of towns in the Edwards Plateau, and other parts of West Texas, are like that — so different from what a traveler expects after he's been through the territory he must travel to get there.

The Texas town that was the biggest surprise to me, back when I was out getting acquainted with my own state, was Uvalde. I never saw Uvalde until 1946, and I could scarcely believe it.

I'd read and heard a good bit about it be-

cause Uvalde was Vice President John Garner's home and it got in the news a lot, and it seemed a wild and remote place. The writers always enjoyed making Garner even more of a salty old cowboy Texan than he really was. Cactus Jack, and all that.

So I had myself seeing a place named Uvalde in a blinking desert, with prickly pear growing in the streets.

It was a shock to me then to visit the town at last and find it so shady and orderly and homey. Great trees reaching their branches over neat lawns and paved streets. And the air full of soft sweet music, the call of white-winged doves.

A lot of Texans consider that most of this state west of the Hill Country is desolate.

I never have felt that way because I grew up in the west part and it's natural country to me. But when you drive to Sonora or Ozona or Junction you do pass through some hard-looking country and I can see why it looks tough to people from East Texas or the Gulf Coast. You just don't expect to make the next curve and find a pretty town, the way you often do.

Sonora has one of the nicest courthouse squares in this state. The courthouse is surrounded on three sides by homes, instead of businesses. Two churches are there on the square, and the county jail has ivy climbing

the walls. Friendly looking jail. If they ever want to lock me up for my sins, just tell 'em to take me there to Sonora.

Interstate Highway 10 is now building across the Edwards and I expect it'll change that country as much as anything since the Indians and the buffalo left.

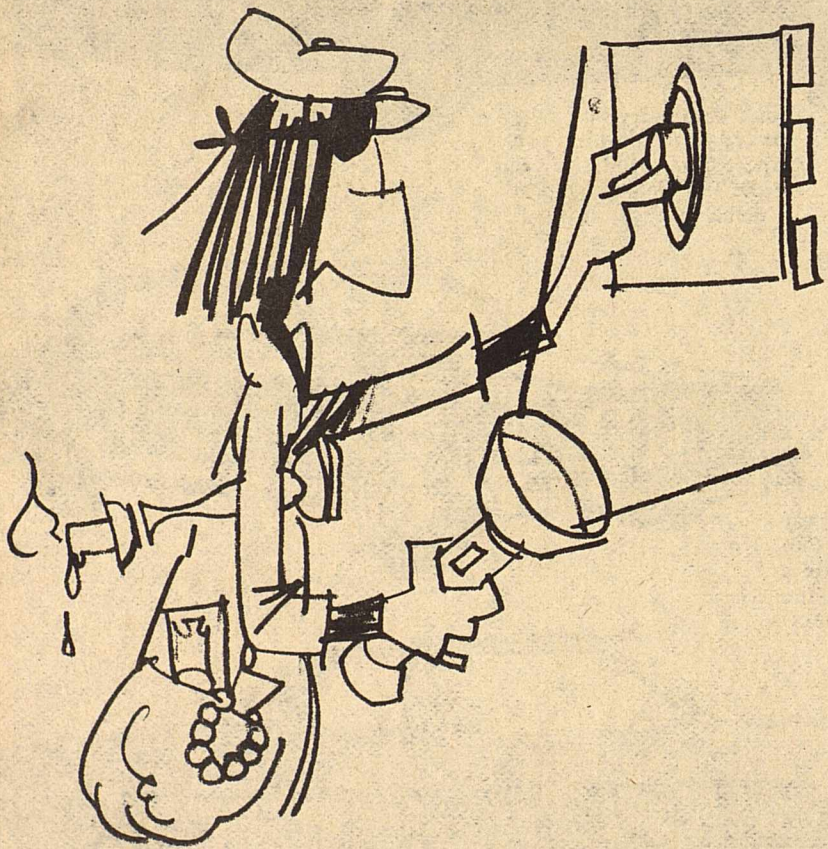
Not everybody likes that, not even all the businessmen with merchandise to sell to the travelers that the new highway is bringing.

I talked a while to Ralph Manges, who is postmaster at Roosevelt. Look at your map and finally you'll locate Roosevelt on the North Llano River between Junction and Sonora. Just a little place.

The new highway is building along there right now and Manges doesn't seem too enthusiastic about it. Said it would bring changes and he isn't sure they'd all be good. Said Roosevelt was getting along just fine, without a new highway.

Little towns get locked into a system that way and change is not comfortable for them. I know it bothers people at Roosevelt to look out there and see so much land, hundreds of feet of right-of-way, being ripped up for the new road. It's a little frightening.

No, not for FDR. Roosevelt was named for Teddy. Manges told me. Said Teddy used to come down in there to hunt, before he was President.



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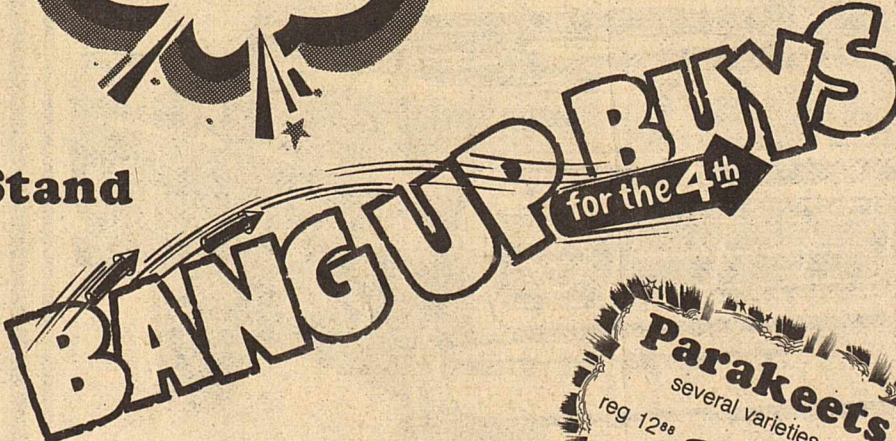
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