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Governor Blasts Carter's Proposed Energy Plan

By Wes Burnett
Gov. Dolph Briscoe blasted President Carter's proposed energy plan last Wednesday when the Texas Governor addressed

an appreciative audience attending the annual Sonora Chamber of Commerce banquet. "I am proud of the U.S. Senate and the

leadership of Sen. Lloyd Bentsen to get the government out of the energy business," Governor Briscoe commented. "The U.S. Senate is helping the President keep his campaign pledge of deregulating new natural gas," the governor continued.

During the presidential campaign Jimmy Carter promised both Governor Briscoe and Gov. David Boren of Oklahoma that if elected, Carter would propose deregulation of natural gas prices.

Texas, Oklahomans and voters of other petroleum producing states have expressed dismay over Carter's reversal of his campaign pledge.

The U.S. Senate recently dismantled the President's energy plan, which among other things, called for the extension of federal controls to the intra-state market. This would insure gas shortages for Texans, as the federal government would have the authority to set prices in the state and force gas to be shipped to other states.

The Senate voted to do away with natural gas pricing and to decontrol other aspects of the industry.

Governor Briscoe has

repeatedly reminded Carter administration officials of the urgent need for a deregulation and decontrol.

The governor was in Sonora as keynote speaker of the annual banquet, which also included an inspiring presentation by Rolland Storey.

Storey's message emphasized the uniqueness of America and the importance of the free market and free enterprise system.

"The uniqueness of America is an idea that turned the hearts of men and became an ideal," Storey told the banquet audience.

"The free market is not compatible with nationalized or socialized government," he added.

"And we must do the things that made America the greatest country in the world...and that is doing the things we do best with the freedom to make our own economic decisions," the retired HNG executive added.

Governor and Mrs. Briscoe attended a public reception before the banquet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hunt.

Chamber of Commerce President John Tedford presided at the banquet and presented Mrs. Tom Nevill a special gift for her past work as secretary. Mr. and Mrs. Nevill will be leaving Sonora in the next few months, to a new home in Eastland.

The Rev. Jim Miles offered the invocation and George Kellog introduced Rolland Storey.

Mayor Norm Rousselot introduced Governor Briscoe.

coe... "it is my privilege to present to you the number one governor of the number one state..."

Governor Briscoe talked about "what's right about this country of ours."

"Texas has the best business climate of any state in the nation," he observed.

"Texas is the only major state and the only industrial state with no corporate or individual income tax," the governor added.

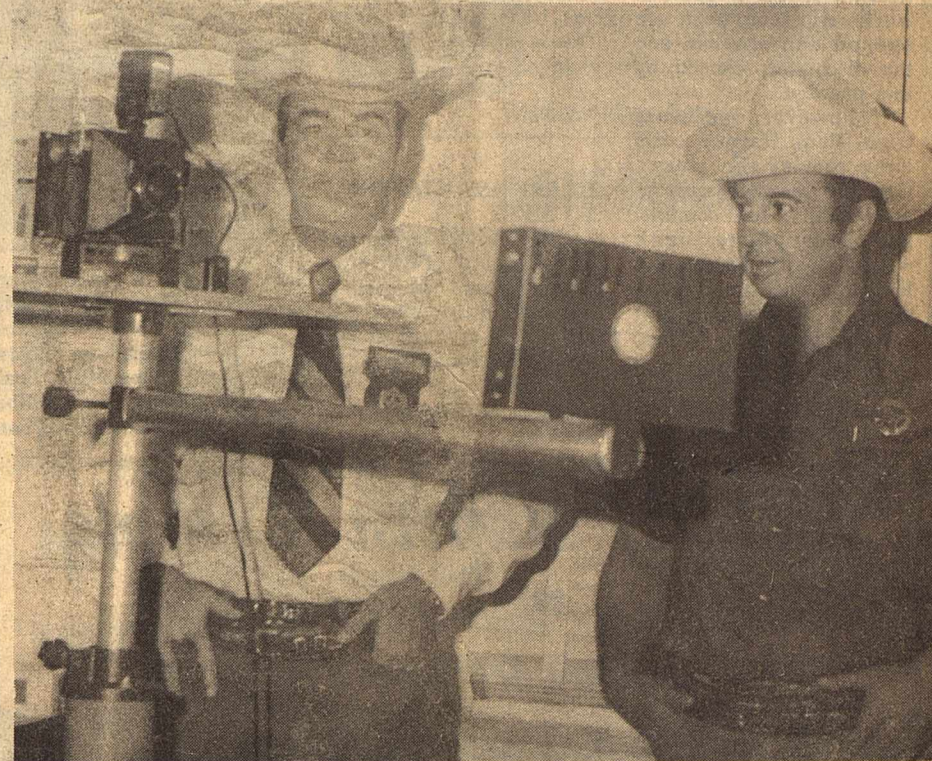
Governor Briscoe was interrupted by applause several times during his speech.

"Texas has set an excellent example for the federal government," he continued, "we believe in paying our own way, operating a balanced budget and a state legislature that meets every two years."

"Our national government could do well to follow our example and having Congress meet every two years might be the best thing for our nation," he said.

The best thing about Texas "is the spirit of the people of Texas. The spirit of determination to solve the problems we face...the same pioneer spirit of the people who settled the frontier here," the Governor commented.

"Texas of the future will be determined by our individual efforts, and our challenge is to work together to build an ever greater state and a better place to live," the Governor concluded. Governor and Mrs. Briscoe visited with Sutton County friends following his speech.



County Sheriff Bill Webster and City Police Chief Jerry Kemp pose behind new camera equipment they recently acquired for use in prisoner identification. The camera takes mug shots of felons that become a part of their criminal file. In addition to the large camera, two cameras complete with flash attachments have been acquired that will be a permanent part of police units. These cameras will be used for on the scene crime and accident shots. All camera equipment is the result of a federal grant to the city and county law enforcement offices.



Governor Briscoe emphasizes his faith in the future of Texas and blasts President Carter's "poorly conceived" energy plan. Governor Briscoe's keynote address to the Sonora Chamber of Commerce annual banquet stressed the importance of individual effort in the future growth of Texas.



Sutton County Judge Web Elliott [left] greets a university classmate during the public reception held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hunt for Gov. and Mrs. Dolph Briscoe.



Gov. Dolph Briscoe [left] joins Rolland Storey and Mrs. Briscoe following the Sonora Chamber of Commerce banquet last Wednesday. Governor Briscoe and Storey presented special messages to the audience.

Sonora's Sales Tax Rebates Up 40%

State Comptroller Bob Bullock announced Friday that Sonora's city sales tax rebates are running a whopping 40 percent over the same period last year.

Bullock said that Sonora's one percent city sales tax amounted to \$11,225.50 for the one month period ending Oct. 7, 1977.

This increase represents a 159.5 percent increase over the same month last year, when the city received \$4,325.53.

Sonora's year-to-date payments are \$124,646.12, compared to 1976 payments to same date of \$89,005.70.

Eldorado and Junction both show 13 percent increases.

"This is a pretty good indicator of the strength of the Texas economy, and from an economic standpoint, things couldn't look better for the state," Bullock said.

The Comptroller also announced that his office Friday mailed checks totaling \$24.8 million to 880 Texas cities as their October share of the city sales tax.

The City of Houston received a check for \$5.3 million for the month, bringing its total for the year to \$58.2 million. This is a 17 percent increase

over last year.

Sales tax rebates are up a whopping 25 percent in Dallas. The city received a check for \$3 million for October, bringing its year-to-date total to \$35.3 million.

San Antonio received a

check for \$1.4 million, bringing its total for the year to \$17.4 million, a 16

percent increase. Fort Worth received \$1 million for a total of \$12.3 million for the year, a 23 percent increase.

Col. John Eaton Awarded Service Medal

Lt. Col. John D. Eaton, III, a member of the United States Army Dental Corps, has been awarded the meritorious service medal for his outstanding service while assigned as officer in charge at the USA Dental Clinic in Frankfurt, Germany from August 75-August 77.

During this period his professional leadership and organizational ability were instrumental in the coordination of the functions of the professional and ancillary staff into an efficient team, contributing to the accomplishment of the mission.

He was also active in various community programs and designed the floor plan for he renova-

tion of the Mainz Health Clinic and the renovation

of the Bremerhaven Dental Clinic.

"Lt. Col. Eaton's outstanding achievements and exemplary devotion to duty reflect great credit upon him and the United States Army," according to Major General Marshall E. McCabe.

Col. and Mrs. Eaton and their children, Teresa, Alicia and Tom, have recently returned from Germany and are now living in Killeen where he is serving as officer in charge of the dental clinic at Ft. Hood.

The Eatons were visitors this week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Eaton of Sonora.

The Weather

Compiled By Pat Brown

Date	R	Hi	Lo
October 11		72	49
October 12		76	35
October 13		78	28
October 14		82	39
October 15		78	44
October 16		78	39
October 17		85	40
Rainfall for the month, .08; rainfall for the year, 14.97.			

Reba Hudson Does It Again Annual 4-H Ball To Be Held Oct. 24

For the second time this year Mrs. A.C. (Reba) Hudson has won the Devil's River News Football Contest.

Mrs. Hudson and four other contestants correctly picked 10 winners from last week's list.

When it came to breaking the tie, Mrs. Hudson's 35-20 score for the Dallas-Washington game was closest to the actual score of 34-16.

The Annual Sutton County 4-H Achievement Program and 4-H Ball will be held Monday night, October 24. Activities will be held at the Sutton County 4-H Center and will begin at 6.

The achievement program will be from 6 until 7 and will recognize all 4-H contributors, leaders, boys and girls who have made outstanding contributions to 4-H Work this past year.

4-H Sweetheart/Beau To Receive Awards

Paula Friess and Mark Van Hoozer will be presented special awards for being the 1977-78 "4-H Sweetheart and 4-H Beau". They will be honored at the 4-H Ball October 24. The music for the 4-H Ball will be furnished by the "Country Corporation Band" from Robert Lee.

Paula, fifteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Turney Friess, is currently serving as vice-president of the Sutton County 4-H

Club. She has been a member of the club for the past six years. Mark, sixteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Van Hoozer, is secretary for the Sutton County 4-H Club. He has been a member for eight years.

Paula and Mark are active members of the Sutton County 4-H Club and are great assets to the club, the community and to Sutton County.



Mark Van Hoozer and Paula Friess,

Band To Perform In Angelo State Band Day

Sonora's Marching Bronco Band will perform in San Angelo Saturday for the Angelo State Band Day.

They will begin with a parade performance that will start in downtown San

Angelo at 3 p.m. The Bronco Band will participate in a pre-game show before the Ram football game along with the Ram Band and bands from surrounding towns.

Reflections

**THE REV. JIM MILES
GOOD SHEPHERD
PRESBYTERIAN**

In his epistle, James makes it clear that we are to be doers of the Word, and not hearers only. This has for many centuries been a passage that has caused much consternation among theologians, and several of the post Reformation scholars have questioned its authenticity, seeking to have it expunged from the canon, for it is a disquieting subject that James considers, this matter of, faith and works.

If one is to consider faith and works as completely separate entities, then the floodgates of works righteousness are opened and one can see the discomfort caused by this passage.

not be seen as apart from one another. One who truly has faith will genuinely seek to do good works, not out of a desire to earn salvation, but out of love for the One who created him, who redeemed him, and who sustains him. In like fashion, one who really hears the Word will do his best to follow the guidelines of the Word.

Perhaps we should all be convicted by the words of the familiar adage "What you do speaks so loudly, I cannot hear what you say." If we consider that, then perhaps we could endeavor to live so that what we do speaks so loudly, one cannot help but hear what we say. This is witness and This is evangelism.

HEART ASSOCIATION TO MEET

There will be a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Sutton County Heart Association Monday, October 24 at the Sutton County Steakhouse. All interested persons are urged to attend the 7 p.m. meeting.



Sonora fifth graders were treated to a special bicycle safety course during a field trip last week to the San Angelo Police Department's Safety City. Officer Churchill explains the rules to (left to right) Rebecca Powers, Tina Mills, Leah Evans, Donna Rapp, Joyce King, Dona Owen, Gilbert Martinez, Oscar Gutierrez and Jody Luttrell. (Photo courtesy of Harold Miller)

Mrs. Hunt Speaks To History Class

The eighth grade American History classes were privileged to hear Mrs. James Hunt last Friday as an addition to their study of life in Colonial America. Mrs. Hunt brought numerous articles of interest for the students to look at, as well as some fascinating information dealing with the furniture, dishes, clothing, and customs of the colonists. Following Benjamin Franklin's advice to "Waste not; want not", the colonists used everything they had; very little was thrown away. Mrs. Hunt explained that even dead flowers

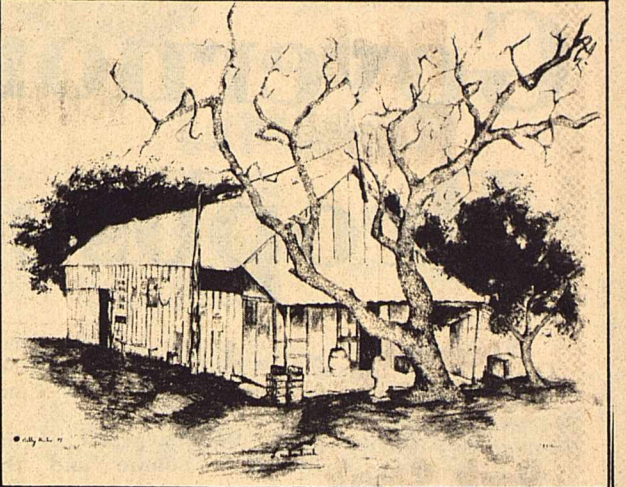
from the garden were saved and mixed with spices to be used as room freshener.

A question and answer period followed Mrs. Hunt's talk.

Brownie News

By Cindy Doran
Our Brownie Troop met and finished scrap books. We will meet again on Tuesday at the Scout Hut to practice flag and investiture ceremony. Two Brownie troops from El Dorado are coming to our Halloween party.

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Jr. Hi Honor Students Told

By Kay Holdridge

Names of those sixth, seventh, and eighth grade students who made the all A and the all A and one B honor rolls were released by Mr. Smith Neal, Jr. High Principal.

The eighth grade had a total of 12 students making the honor rolls-7 on the all A and 5 on the all A and one B. Those on the all A are Nannette Sanchez, Bryan Hunt, Delma Reyna, Jackie Johnson, Gina Thompson, Cathy Polocsek, and Angie Bautista. Scott Savell, Tonya Ridgeway, Eric Neal, James Burnett, and Maray West made all A's and one B.

The sixth grade placed 11 on the honor rolls-4 on the all A and 7 on the all A's and one B. Kristi Hill, Dee Bundy, Kathryn Parker and Mike Polocsek brought home all A's on their report cards and those with all A's and 1 B were Tom Dean, Larry Jennings, Nancy Benson, Lynn Duckworth, Eugene Gonzales, Barry Graves, and Lora Lee Kordzik.

The 7th grade students with all A's are Zee Wootan, Espy Whitehead, and Marney Sorenson. The all A and one B honors went to Albert Chavez, Tracy Brownlee, Twyla Woodall, and Philip Kemp.

Primera Has New Pastor

The Rev. Guadalupe G. Pena, along with his wife, Isabel, and two sons, Chris, 5, and Aaron, 3, have moved to Sonora where the Rev. Mr. Pena will serve as pastor of the Primera Baptist Church.

The Rev. Mr. Pena is a graduate of the Mexican Baptist Bible Institute in San Antonio and prior to his duties here pastored at

the Lake Garden Baptist Church in San Antonio.

"I am very happy to be a part of this town and feel that God has led me to come and pastor at the Primera Church", stated the Rev. Mr. Pena. He added, "If there is any way that our church or I can be of service to you or your friends, please feel free to call on us."

Brownies Visit Taxidermy

Members of Brownie Troop 247 were treated to a visit to the Wilderness Taxidermy at the regular Monday meeting.

Troop Leader Dolores Hodges and guest Pat Burnett took the girls to the taxidermy where owner Chuck Bartram showed the girls examples of mounted animals.

After the tour the girls received their Brownie

pins for saying their scout promise.

Judy French furnished cookies and soda for the girls.

Members present for the meeting were Sallie Ann Merrill, Kim Cooke, Traci Teaff, Darla West, Colette White, Ginger Steed, Deanne Hodges, Judy French, Kimberly Burnett, Misty Denham and Tammy Hodges.

Sonora Minister Speaks

Did you go to church last Sunday?

This is not normally a question that you would ask of a stranger nor even of a good friend for fear that the stranger would tell you that it was none of your business and the friend might do the same. Unless your question had an important bearing on something else, you probably would not ask it because it would tend to embarrass the one ques-

tioned because it was very likely that the individual did not attend church.

Various polls have determined that some 90% of the people in the United States claim membership in some church or other, yet on average, less than 10% attend church on any given Sunday.

The reasons for not attending church are many and varied, everything from--overslept to wanted

to go fishing--with many other familiar to all of us.

Why should you attend church? The biblical injunction for one, "Remember that thou keep holy the Sabbath day". The fact that most could not find that verse in our bibles might account for its lack of impact but I think that there are a few other reasons to attend church. It might startle the pastor, he thought that you had left the county

some time back; it might cause a buzz of talk among your friends who were there as they wondered what you had been up to; you might startle yourself to find that it felt good to be in church again.

There are lots of other good reasons for attending church but you will only learn them by attending--why not try it.

Rev. Ray Nations
St. John's Episcopal

Primera Baptist Church
Rev. Guadalupe G. Pena
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 5:30 p.m.
Worship 7:00 p.m.
W.M.U. Tuesday 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Services 7:00 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 Pentecostal
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 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Eve. 7:30 p.m.
Tues. Eve. 7:00 p.m.

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. Hafermann, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.

The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian
The Rev. Jim Miles
Sunday: Church School 10:00 a.m.
Fellowship 10:45 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
(Communion on first Sunday of each month)
Inquirer's Class 7:30 p.m.
(Session and Diaconate meet at 7:30 on the 3rd Wed. of each month)

First Baptist Church
Rev. Clifton Hancock, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship 10:50 a.m.
Eve. Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wed. Services 7:30 p.m.

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Monday Evening-The Night New York City Disappeared

Tuesday Evening - When God Gives Up

Wednesday Evening - A Night Much to be Remembered

Ralph A. Weinhold, Jr. - Guest Speaker



Ralph A. Weinhold, Jr. began his preaching ministry 10 years ago in Sonora. He had just graduated from Abilene Christian College with a B.A. degree in Bible.

Since leaving Sonora in 1969 Mr. Weinhold has served churches in Shamrock, and Houston, Texas. He is presently serving the church in Alvin, a southwest suburb of Houston.

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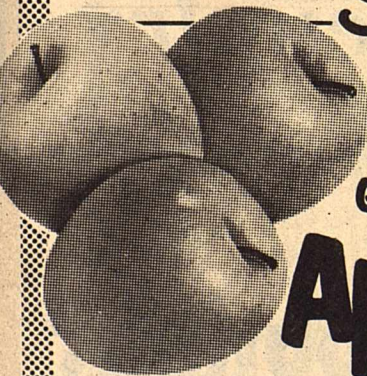

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Hoopers To Celebrate 70th Anniversary

"We've raised a family of wonderful children," Mrs. S.L. Hooper told me last week when talking to her of the forthcoming wedding anniversary she and Mr. Hooper will be celebrating Sunday. "We believe our children's spouses are the most wonderful there is, since they chose them, how could they be anything else," Mrs. Hooper added.

The Hoopers will be honored on the occasion of their 70th wedding anniversary with a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Hooper, a son and daughter-in-law. Prior to the reception approximately 97 children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and other relatives will be on hand for a family dinner in honor of the couple.

The Hooper couple married October 27, 1907 in Cass, Texas while sitting in a surry. They met at a candy breaking social.

Moving here recently to be close to their children, the couple moved from their home town of Cass in 1914 to Snyder where he worked for Santa Fe Railroad. They later moved back to East Texas and moved to Odessa in 1961 where they resided until their move here. Mr. Hooper was a farmer for the most part of his life.

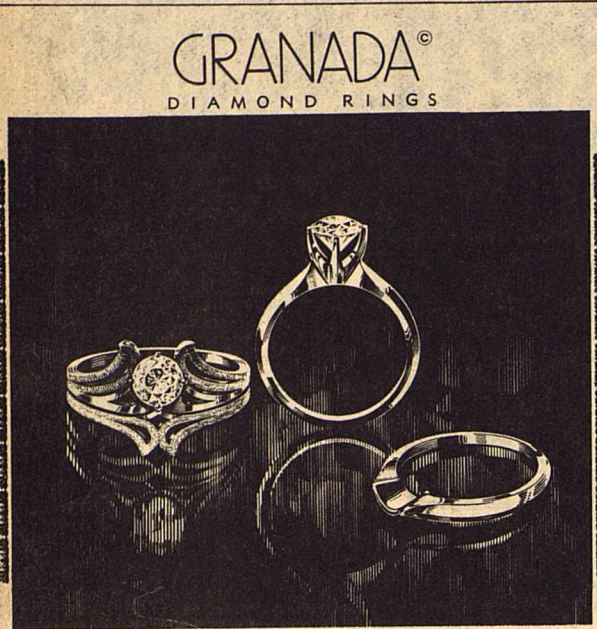
A large celebration was held in 1957 in honor of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Hooper are the parents of seven living children. One son died in 1949.

Friends and neighbors are invited to the reception Sunday from 2-5 p.m., at 313 Edgemont.



Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Hooper



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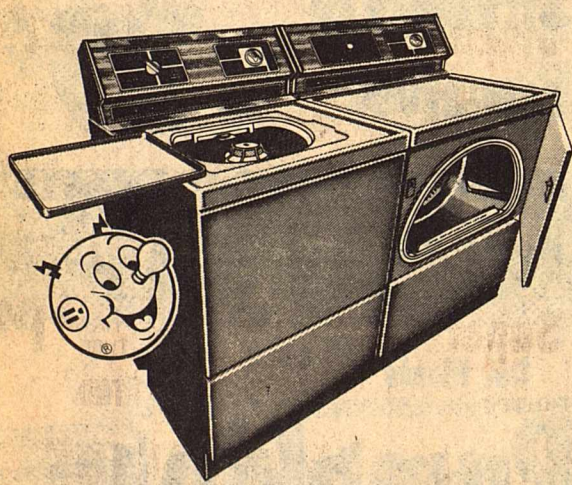
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Band Booster's News

On October 20 the Sonora 7th and 8th grade Colts will host Big Lake beginning at 6 p.m.

Parents asked to bring two dozen sandwiches for the concession stand are Doran, Short, Snodgrass, E. Smith, Van Hoozer, Poloczek and West.

Cooper, Martinez, Creek and Solis are asked to bring two dozen cupcakes.

On Friday, October 21 the varsity will host Alpine. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Simpler will be chairmen for the concession stand.

Those parents to work are Earwood, Tedford, J.T. Hill, Galindo, Mounce, Hollmig, B. Stewart, Savell and McClung. These parents are asked to be at the concession stand by 5:30 p.m.

Ingham, Kellog, Snodgrass, Morris and L. Johnson are asked to bring two dozen cupcakes to the concession stand.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Monday, October 24
No School

Tuesday, October 25
Steak Fingers
Mashed Potatoes/Gravy
English Peas
Hot Rolls
Chocolate Cake/Icing Milk

Wednesday, October 26
Hamburgers with Cheese
Lettuce and Tomatoes
French Fries
Peach Cobbler
Milk

Thursday, October 27
Chicken and Dumplings
Green Beans
Broiled Peach Halves
Peanut Butter-Raisin Cookies
Milk

Friday, October 28
Corn Dogs
Macaroni and Cheese Salad
Carrot Sticks
Jello with Fruit
Ice Cream
Milk



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New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Berger of Irving are parents of a daughter born October 9 in Baylor Hospital in Dallas. She has been named Diana Jean and weighed 8 pounds and 3 ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L.P. Bloodworth, Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson III of Ozona, and Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Saunders of Indian Hills.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Christie of Sonora and Mrs. Winnie Saunders of Kerrville.

Art Club Meeting Held

Members of the Sonora Art Club met Monday night with Mrs. Clyde Hill and Mrs. Nora B. Kiser hosting. Cookies, soft drinks and coffee were served.

Club members worked on their tile painting project under the direction of Mrs. Willie Raphael.

Four new members, Mmes. Bud Arendt, L.E. Holland, Elton Holt and

J.W. Manyck, were voted into the club.

Members present at the meeting were Mmes. Estes Adams, Phillip Cooper, Hershel Davenport, Joe Fincher, Ira Gilbert, Bob Kinard, Mike Hale, Travis Williamson, Harold Garrett, Travis Gordon, Terry Schenkel, Edna Granger, Buck Skains, and Raphael.

The club will hold a workshop every Monday night at the club house beginning at 7 p.m.

Mrs. Olenick Host To Fire Auxiliary

Mrs. Nova Olenick was hostess last Tuesday to members of the Firemen's Auxiliary. Mrs. Linda Odom was honored with a baby shower.

Attending were Mmes. Melissa Teaff, Jean Humphreys, Frances West, Jane Smith, Trevlin Luttrell, Mollie Hite, Melba Stokes, Jinx Taylor, Linda Odom, Ruby Jolly, Loxie Huffstutler, Vickie Zech, Rhonda Crawford, Lou DuBose, Bessie Thomson and Demo McMinn.

Following other activities 42 was played. Mrs. Jolly won high; Mrs. Thomson, low; and Mrs. West, 84.

Monday Bridge Club Meets

The Monday Night Bridge Club met this week at the home of Mrs. Horace Hill. Apple pie ala mode, coffee and drinks were served.

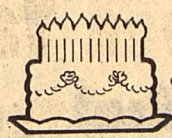
Attending were Mmes. Wayne Brasher, Joe Neil Smith, Ben Lawson, Bill Savell, Linda Johnson, Betty Renfro and a guest Mrs. Pauline Thompson.

Winning high was Mrs. Brasher; bingo, Mrs. Smith, and consolation, Mrs. Renfro.

New Arrival

A son, David Matthew, was born October 13 to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Matthew Davenport at Harris Hospital in Fort Worth. He weighed 8 pounds and 4 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gus Keuhn of Irving. Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Davenport are paternal grandparents. Mrs. W.H. Davenport of Gadsden, Arizona and Mrs. Lola M. McNatt of Albuquerque, N.M., are great-grandparents.



Happy Birthday

Thursday, October 20
Mrs. Curtis Nicholas
Foster Shurley
Becky Cavaness
Leslie Johnson Thorp
Anna Balch
Bob Probst

Friday, October 21
Mrs. James Powell
Gary Wuest
Mrs. Hilman Brown
Margaret Cain
Traci Teaff

Saturday, October 22
Jack Adkins
Mrs. G.H. Davis
Alex Castro
Michael Joe Sharp

Sunday, October 23
Mrs. Paul F. Law
Hector Perez
Paul F. Law

Monday, October 24
John A. Ward, Jr.
W.B. Dillard
John David Cook
Freddie Bernal
Mrs. Jamie Parker
Jack Neill Law

Tuesday, October 25
Mrs. Ralph Finklea
Debra Tittle Hill
Tracy Crites
Mark Rousselot

Martha Love Sims
Mickey Mooney
Wednesday, October 26
John W. Elliott
Bobby Draper
Sonia Sue Mata

Hospital News

Patients receiving treatment at Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, October 11 thru Monday, October 17 include the following:

Willie Miers*
Bertha Holmes*
Maria Esquivel*
Oralia Waddel*
Randy Hardesty*
Ann Moss*
Ruby Stephen
J.C. Stephen
Leslie Thorp*
Charles Stump
Thomasita Fierro*
Nell Graves
Ramon Villarreal*
Jimmy Cook
Gerald Marlow

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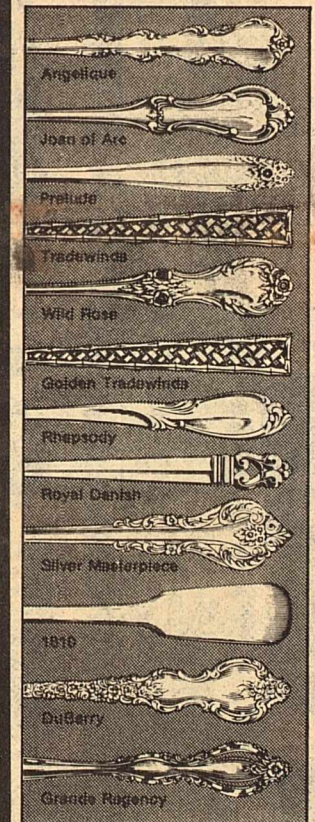
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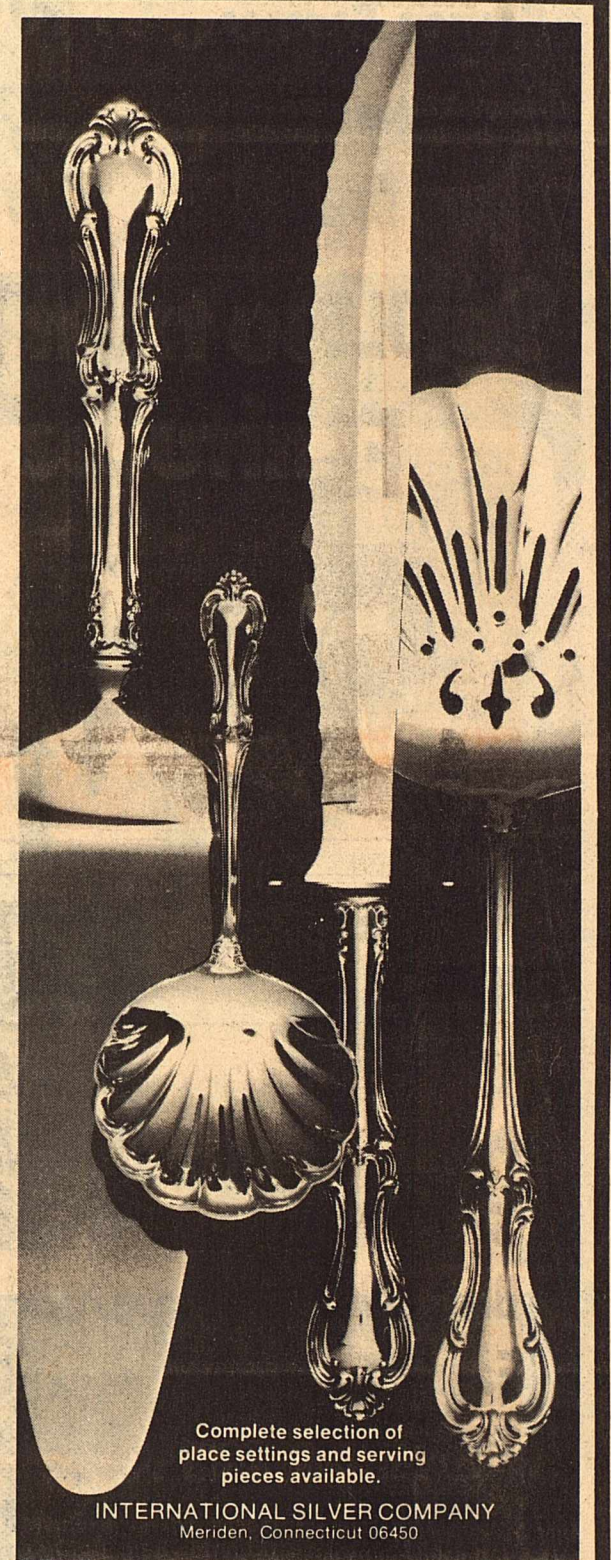
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<p>Stew Meat Boneless Lean & Tender LB \$1.29</p>	<p>Braunschweiger Oscar Mayer 8-OZ ROLL 65¢</p>	<p>Arm Pot Roast Heavy Beef Personally Selected LB \$1.19</p>	<p>Sandwich Spread Oscar Mayer 8-OZ ROLL 65¢</p>

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<p>Fabric Softener Plush GAL JUG 89¢</p>	<p>Cookies Mary Baker Assorted 3 7-OZ PKGS \$1</p>	<p>Dynamo Detergent 25 1/2 Off Label KING SIZE \$2.49</p>	<p>Plastic Bottle Refrigerator 2-Qt Size EACH 88¢</p>
<p>Tomato Paste Hunt's 6-OZ CAN 33¢</p>	<p>Candies & Nuts 3 PKGS \$1</p>	<p>Tomatoes Hunts Round 14 1/2-OZ CAN 39¢</p>	<p>Super Glue 11-OZ TUBE \$1.69</p>

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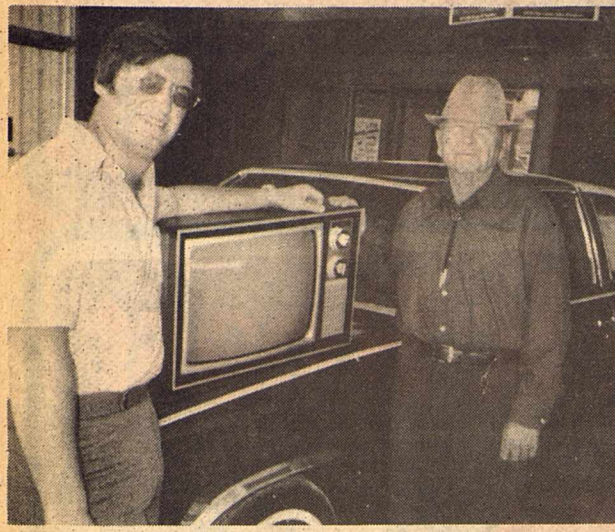
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<p>TV Broccoli Spears 10-OZ PKG 49¢</p>	<p>TV Biscuits Buttermilk, Sweetmilk 3 8-OZ TUBES 39¢</p>	<p>TV Brussels Sprouts 8-OZ PKG 47¢</p>
<p>TV Broccoli Cuts 10-OZ PKG 39¢</p>	<p>TV Snack Dips Onion, Chive Bacon/ Horseradish 8-OZ CTN 39¢</p>	<p>TV Cheese Sliced Singles American, Pimento or Swiss 8-OZ PKG 83¢</p>
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W.R. Bearce of Eldorado won the T.V. set drawing held recently by Ken Braden Motors, Inc. in conjunction with the new car show. Mike Sipes (left) presented the set to Bearce.

Make It With Wool Contest

"The District 5 & 6 'Make It With Wool' Contest will be held in Mason, Saturday, November 5. Everyone interested in wool in any way should participate in the contest or sponsor someone who is entering the contest. You may contact the Home Economics teacher in your local school or your County Extension Agent for further information.

The contest is sponsored by the American Sheep Producers Council, Inc., Denver, Colo., The Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers, The Texas Sheep & Goat Raiser Auxiliary, Continental Bagging Co. of Louisiana, Texas Delaine Sheep Association, Fabric Mart, Cloth World, both of San Angelo, and Texas Angora Goat Raisers Ass'n.

The 24 counties in District 5 & 6 are as follows: Brown, Comanche, Blanco, Burnet, Crockett, Edwards, Kerr, Gillespie, Kendall, Kimble, Kinney, Lampasas, Llano, McCulloch, Mason, Menard, Mills, Real, San Saba, Schleicher, Sutton, Val Verde, Hays & Williamson.

Mrs. V.C. Whitworth, Doole, is State Director; Mrs. Edwin Ince, Mason, is District Director, and Mrs. Carl Martin, Mason, is Finance Chairman. Categories to enter are: Pre-teen, Junior, Senior, and Adult.

Boys are welcome. Children under 10 years of age may enter as exhibi-

tors only and will not be judged, however, each person who enters will receive a gift of wool. Entry forms may be obtained by writing to Mrs. Edwin Ince, Box 17, Brady Rt., Mason, Texas, 76856 -- Telephone 915-238-4484.

Community Calendar

Thursday, October 20

3-5 p.m., Sutton Senior Center open

3:15 p.m., Brownies meet. Second grade

5:30 p.m., Seventh-Eighth grades vs Big Lake, here

6:30 p.m., J.V. vs Big Lake, there

8 p.m., Dee Ora Lodge meeting at Masonic Hall

Friday, October 21

8 p.m., Broncos vs Alpine, here

Sunday, October 23

Services at the church of your choice

Monday, October 24

3:15-4:15 p.m., Brownie, grades two-three meet

4 p.m., Meeting of Historical Society, Miers Home Museum

4:30 p.m., Junior scouts meet, grade four

Tuesday, October 25

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

2:30-4:30 p.m., Miers Home Museum open

4:15 p.m., Junior scouts, grades five and six meet

7:30 p.m., Booster Club meeting in school cafeteria

7:30 p.m., West Side Lions Club meeting at Commercial Restaurant

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Krueger Criticizes Plan Under Social Security

Congressman Bob Krueger (D-Texas) sharply criticized a House Ways and Means Committee-approved plan to mandate federal civil service retirement coverage under the social security system. Terming the proposal "disastrous for both the federal employee and the social security system", Krueger called upon his colleagues in the House to remove this provision from the social security reform bill. The Ways and Means Committee reported this legislation October 5, and House action is expected in the near future, perhaps as early as next week.

The House Ways and Means plan, in effect, would eliminate the civil service retirement program, forcing all federal civilian employees into the social security retirement plan. Krueger pointed out that the social security system is already experiencing long-range financing difficulties. "We should more carefully study the consequences of placing three million additional beneficiaries under social security before embracing this as a 'quick-fix' solution to the problems with social security," Krueger said. "This suggestion is not well thought-out, and could result in the collapse of both pension systems." Some statistics indicate that the average federal employee might see his future benefits reduced by as much as \$200-\$400 per month if covered by social security rather than by the

current civil service retirement system. Federal employees receive higher benefits than social security recipients because of their higher contributions to the pension system during their working years.

"I support the objective

of restoring sound financial backing to the social security system," Krueger said, "and the Congress must reform that system in order to protect the benefits of the 32 million current recipients and the many more who are currently paying into social

security." Krueger indicated that inclusion of the civil service coverage in the House bill might delay congressional action on the urgent question of social security refinancing, and he promised to oppose that provision on the House floor.

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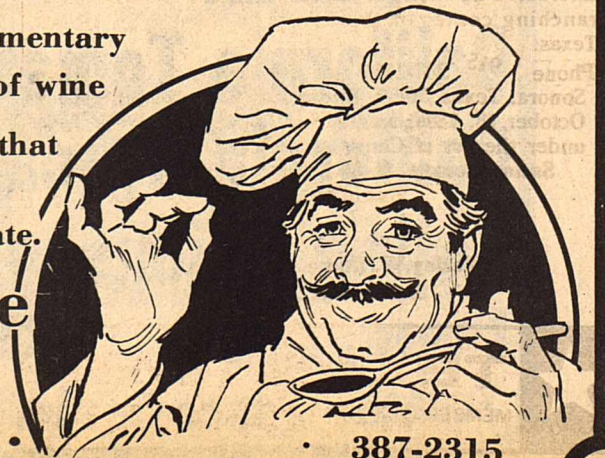
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Scouts Attend Weekend At Camp Dixie Allison

Scout troop 173 spent the weekend at Camp Dixie Allison. Girls attending held cookouts, cleaned out the dam at the camp and had a ceremonial fire.

Leader Shirley Ryan and director Wanda Halford attended the weekend with the scouts. Mrs. Wanda Bible was responsible for transportation.

Girls attending were Patricia Bible, Laura Preston, Teresa Marlow, Natalie Holquin, Deanna Halton, Crystal Sheaffer, Liz Samuels, Marie White, Ruth Himen, Francis Ryan, Judy Merrill and Tammy Duren.

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Dee's Notes

OUR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE banquet was a smashing success! We were pleased and honored to have Gov. and Mrs. Dolph Briscoe in attendance and Judge and Mrs. Troy Williams of Ozona. Rolland Storey of Houston provided us with lots of laughs, as well as some serious food for thought--the meal was excellent--the decorations by Effie Harle were outstanding. All officers and directors spent hours working out details and performing services to help enhance the evening. They were most successful and each of us should appreciate their efforts. THANKS!

WE ALSO EXPRESS appreciation to all who brought art work and exhibited it. The paintings were so magnificent it would have been difficult to make a selection as to the most outstanding. We have numerous people with creative, artistic ability.

IT CERTAINLY was an

eventful evening for me and one of great surprise. An exquisite painting of Texas bluebonnets by Maxine Browne was presented to me by John Tedford as president of the Chamber organization. It is with sincere and genuine pleasure that I express to you my appreciation of the painting as well as your kind remarks and thoughtfulness. To each Chamber member--THANK YOU!

THE M.L. Brownlee family is leaving soon. They will be moving to Merkel, where he is to be employed by Continental Telephone company. He has been associated here with General Telephone, and Nell has performed well at Hudspeth Nursing Home. We will miss the family.

IN THE OFFICE Monday, a fellow with WRB, Inc. of Odessa, reported his company is here for a short time--pipeline welding service. More housing! At least, though, he was most happy to be in our "pretty little town", arriving from Eunice, N.M. Bet our trees, hills and valleys did look great to him.

MERCHANTS CHRISTMAS promotion program

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PUBLICATION of this newsletter will be irregular for the next two months as we put forth efforts to help hunters who will be arriving seeking places to get in a shot at deer or turkey. Edward Plateau Game & Wildlife Association announces plans for the annual game dinner Nov. 15, hosted by them and others. We observed several large groups of wild turkeys on a return trip from Rocksprings recently--temptation to

snare a few would have been there for any eager nimrod.

SEEN AROUND..twas nice to see Jerry Potmesil who was visiting his father, Frank Jerry, a pharmacist, is employed in Reno, Nevada. Cora Stallings of Pasadena was a recent visitor along with Jean and Sam Nicks of Colorado Springs, Colo. Attending Dallas State Fair were Alice Cox and Cissy Nevill with their children.

CITY COUNCIL will meet in special session Wednesday with Bill Foxx of San Angelo. Foxx will present plans for booster stations for the water system. City Manager Bob Nevill will seek the council's permission to call for bids to get the system in operation in order to fill the large water storage tank erected earlier this year.

FOR WHAT IT'S WORTH..From Signs of the Times..In November, outside a Rutland, Vt., drive-in theatre: When the snow has gone and the grass has riz--This is where the movie is. Here's another..In an antique shop: Extra Charge of \$1 if We Must Listen to What Your Mother Had.



Gov. and Mrs. Dolph Briscoe say hello to two Sutton County friends, Dr. W.T. Hardy [right] and Thomas

Morris at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet.

The musical play and movie *Cabaret* was based on a book by Christopher Isherwood, an English playwright and novelist, and originally called *Goodbye to Berlin*.



Governor Briscoe visits with George Kellogg [center] and Sutton County Agent Clint Langford [right] during the annual Sonora Chamber of Commerce banquet last week. Governor Briscoe was keynote speaker for the event.

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Sonora City Alderman Lemuel Lopez (left) visits with Governor Briscoe following the Governor's address at the annual Sonora Chamber of Commerce banquet.

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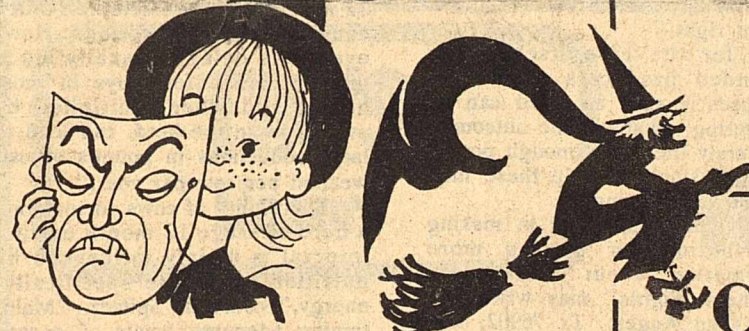
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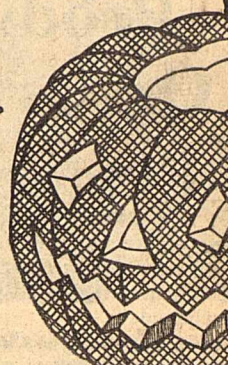


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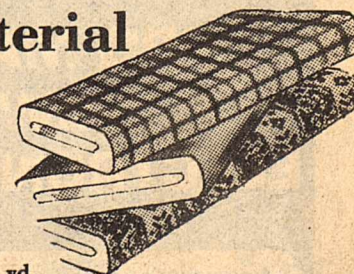
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Sutton County Ranch News

Fred Campbell's Wool and Mohair Report

Wool prices overseas continue to strengthen slightly, showing evidence of firmness particularly in Europe. Prices have shown most strength for the medium and coarser types of wool. The finer grades particularly the 70s grade (19 and 20 micron) were weaker in Australian auctions.

In the U.S., Europe and Japan the stronger demand for the lower types of wool as compared to finer grades has been evident for nearly 2 years. This has resulted in a growing accumulation of fine grades of wool in the AWC stockpile.

Domestic wool is virtually all sold. Some wool is being held in a number of U.S. selling centers, but interest and trading is weak. This is largely due to the availability of cheaper wools and off-types from overseas.

In Belle Fourche, South Dakota

last week 800,000 pounds of various grades was offered and about 60 percent sold. Reported high price on the finer type was about \$1.83 clean delivered.

The mohair market has rebounded strongly causing additional gray hairs in the heads of those who cope with the market on a daily basis. The Texas accumulation of fall kid hair moved out at 4.00 to 4.05 with one sale at the end of the availability bringing 4.77. Fall yearling has sold as high as 3.45 in recent days with adult now selling from 2.55 to 2.60. This market has quickly risen from the season's low of 2.03 in 2 to 3 weeks.

The recent strength in mohair prices should give a strong undertone to the market for the spring clip. Producers should make every effort to take good care of the goats and feed sufficiently to assure a good kid crop.

Producers Offered Opportunity To Help Protect Themselves

Sheep and Goat producers will soon have an opportunity to demonstrate their concern over their dwindling rights to protect their livelihood.

Perhaps opportunity is the wrong word; it's a necessity, and the situation that created the necessity is regrettable at best.

A recent Federal suit charges two Real County men with killing golden eagles, a third with conspiracy to kill eagles.

At present, information about the case is very slim, but sheep and goat industry spokesmen see it as a possible landmark case involving the right to protect livestock from depredation.

At the TS&GRA Fall Meeting Oct. 6 in Junction, members voted to establish a trust fund to help these men with their defense.

The fund, appropriately named "Safeguard Ranchers' Rights", is not to be administered by or in any way connected with the Association proper.

Voluntary contributions will support the fund and Association directors as individuals will appoint trustees to administer the proceeds.

TS&GRA executive secretary Bill Sims introduced the proposal after receiving a number of telephone calls and letters supporting such a fund.

"The Association meeting just gave us a timely opportunity to sound people out on the idea," says Sims. "And we found that the fund had overwhelming support."

Sims added that, regardless of the outcome of the legal action, sheep and goat producers have a serious stake in the matter.

"We've got to get the point across that we have a natural right to protect our livestock, and that we're solidly united in our concern for the right."

As for the case itself, Sims reminded producers that legal expenses in such an affair can be staggering, whatever the outcome.

"Surely there are enough people in the business to help these men without it strapping us."

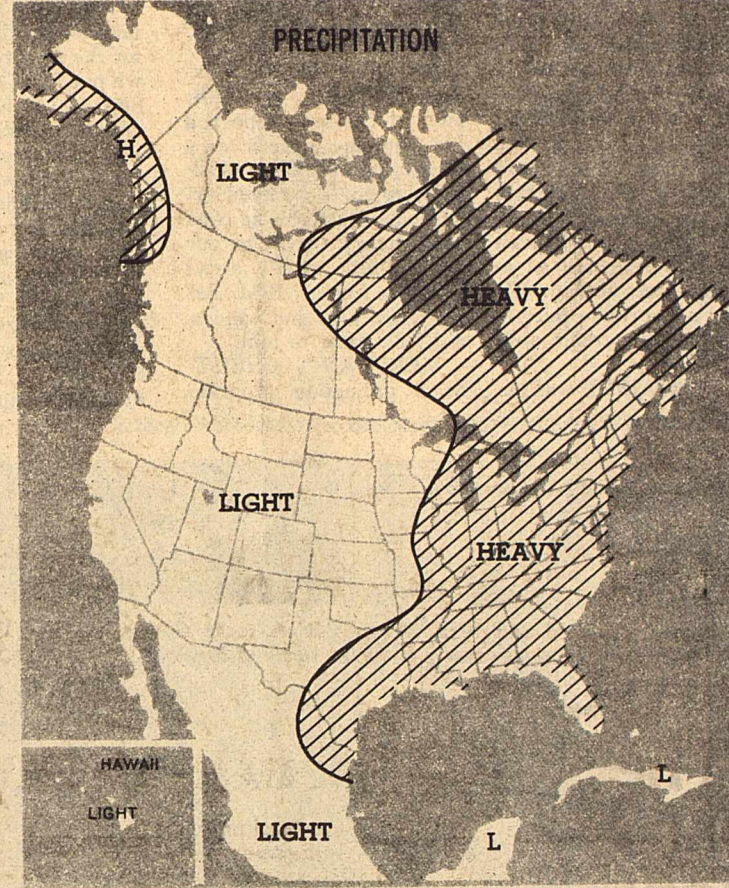
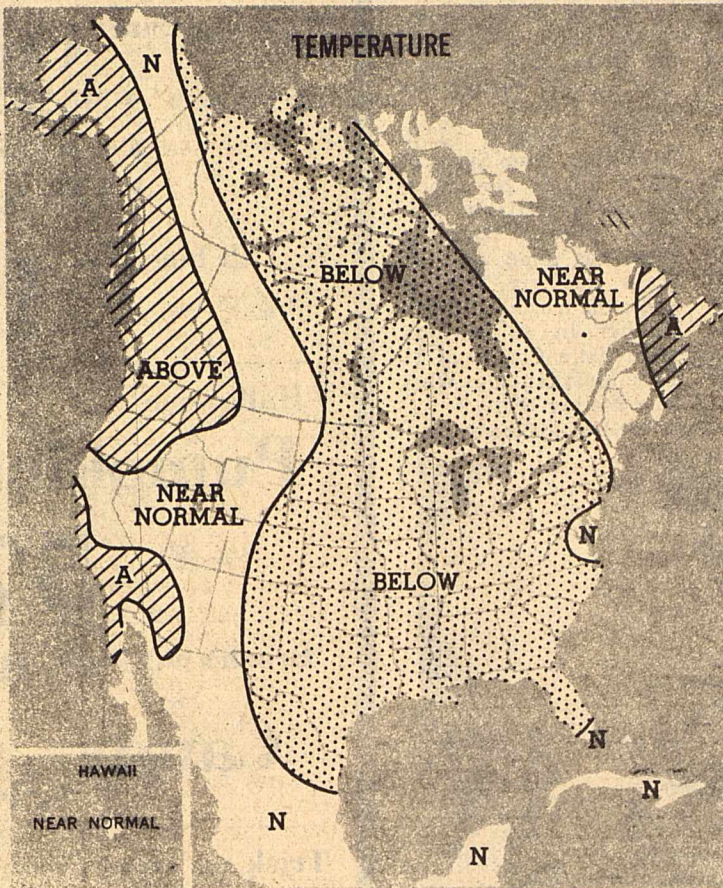
Individuals interested in making contributions or getting more information about "Safeguard Ranchers' Rights" may write Box 1621, San Angelo, Tx 76902, and their requests will be channelled to the proper individuals.



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Body Condition Of Cows Important

"Delayed rebreeding in the cow obviously costs money, so cattlemen should give particular attention to keeping their cow herds in good body condition," contends Dr. John Spitzer, livestock specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"When a cow extends her calving interval by a few days past 12 months, most cattlemen don't consider this very serious. However, this delay is usually much greater than a few days in most herds, and when multiplied by every cow in the herd, can lead to large reductions in pounds of calf weaned per cow per year."

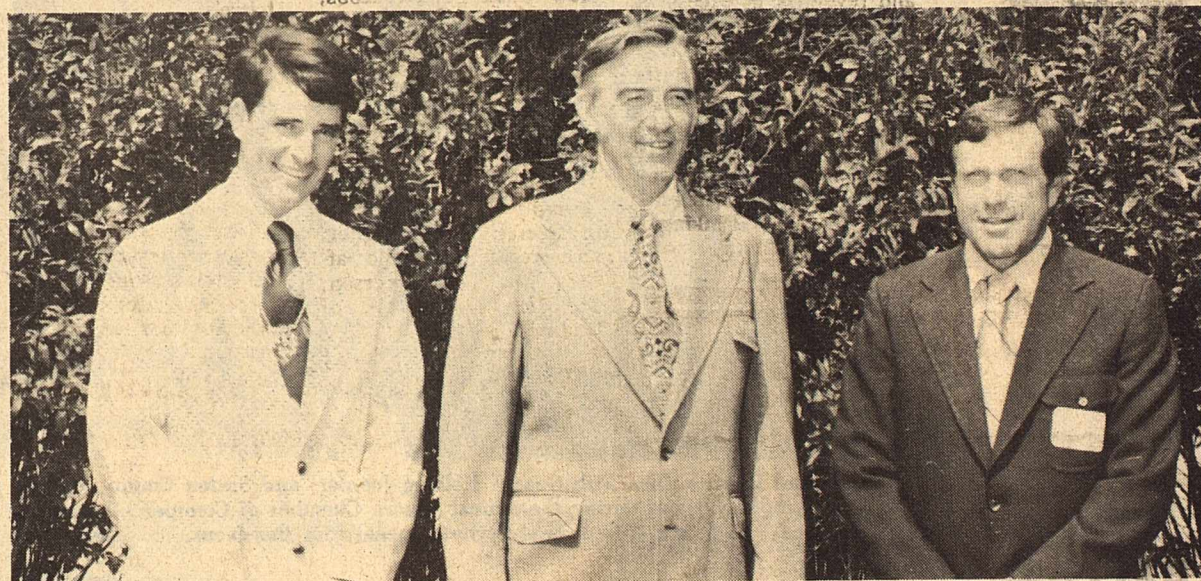
"The ability of cows to maintain a herd-average 12-month calving interval is mainly influenced by nutrition and more specifically, energy," contends Spitzer. "Maintaining adequate levels of energy before and after calving is essential if cows are to have a high reproductive rate. Our problem has been in defining 'adequate' levels of energy."

A cow has to be in good shape at calving time to become pregnant again within three months after calving, which is the maximum to maintain a 12-month calving interval. "Of course, the thing to realize here is that not all cows in a given herd are in the same body condition, so they do not all require the same type of feeding

program," points out Spitzer.

He advises cattlemen to divide their cow herd into three groups based on body condition—thin, moderate and good. This should be done 90 to 100 days before estimated calving to allow enough time to make a change prior to calving. The thin cows need the most feed to get them into shape

for rebreeding while those in moderate condition need only limited feeding. Those in good condition need much less feed to maintain their status; some may even be too fat and can lose weight. The same amounts of feed would generally be fed to the total cow herd, but it would go where it would do the most good.



Officers of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association were named at the tri-yearly meeting at Texas Tech Center in Junction. Left to right are Martin Wardlaw, second vice president of Del Rio; Bill Schneeman, president of Big Lake; and Norman Rousselot, vice president of Sonora.

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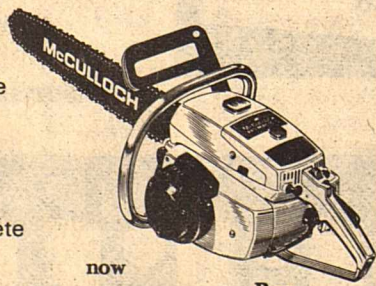
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Doma Corp. Buys Ace Transport Co.

Doma Corporation of Abilene has announced the acquisition of Ace Transport Company, Inc., of Sonora.

Don Martin, president of Doma, emphasized that the future growth of Ace Transport and the continued growth of the community was a factor in the decision to buy.

Doma Corporation was originally incorporated in 1973 and its early activities were in Kansas. Since that time it has expanded its activities into Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Louisiana and Wyoming.

Doma diversified interstate including ownership of Doma Transport, H.W.

Smith Transport, Caprock Servicing Company, Lawn Tank Truck Inc., and other investments in refining, construction and real estate.

Martin states that the corporation is expanding operations in the Sonora area.

Mr. Pete Simpson and

his family have been transferred to Sonora from Doma's Oklahoma City office. He is in charge of operations and is rapidly rebuilding the working

equipment. It is expected that operations will be completely upgraded and its size will increase to meet market demands.

Archie Whitaker will remain with Ace Transport

and assume additional responsibilities in the expansion program.

Whitaker has been a Sonora resident for a number of years.

★ Petroleum News

Petro Club To Elect Officers

There will be a special meeting October 25 of members of the Petroleum Club for the purpose of nominating officers. All members are urged to attend.

June Production Announced

Fifty Texas refineries processed 141,769,548 barrels of crude oil and hydrocarbon blends during July 1977, according to their reports to the Railroad Commission.

This volume compared with 135,935,190 barrels in the previous July, the Commission's Administrative Services Division reported in its monthly recapitulation of Texas refinery operations. Inputs of crude oil and blends totaled 139,917,394 barrels in June.

Texas refineries ran 123,459,712 barrels of crude oil in July compared to 114,073,738 barrels in July 1976 and 120,526,986 barrels in June.

RRC Raps Feds

Railroad Commissioner Jon Newton said last week that President Carter and his energy advisers should open their eyes and see what effect government regulation has had on America's ability to supply its own energy needs.

Addressing a joint meeting of the El Paso Downtown Rotary and Chamber of Commerce, the state energy official pointed out that federal regulation has kept the price of domestic oil and gas at a comparatively low level for a number of years. Utilities, industries and consumers have steadily increased their consumption of artificially cheap energy while at the same time the regulated prices have been inadequate to spawn sufficient new reserves.

"The devastating results of government regulation are obvious," Newton said. "We now import 44 percent of our oil needs from foreign countries."

Newton observed that the dollar drain caused by the purchase of foreign oil has now become "a dollar hemorrhage."

"In 1970, U.S. consumers spent about \$15 each on imported oil but that figure skyrocketed to \$125 per person in 1976. This dependence on foreign oil threatens not only our national security but our economic security as well."

"Yet in the face of the dismal failure of government energy regulation, President Carter now proposes more regulation and the biggest peacetime tax increase in our history as the way to solve the energy crisis."

"The Carter administration needs to be honest with the American people and tell them there is no such thing as a free lunch in the energy market. By allowing the price of oil and gas to reach its true competitive level, the free market will reduce consumption and mandate the conversion to alternative energy sources. Government control simply can not do the job."

Newton also suggested that President Carter and his energy advisers should get acquainted with who they are supposed to represent. The Texas official pointed out that Mexico and the OPEC countries sell oil to the U.S. at \$13.50 a barrel while American producers are only allowed a composite price of \$8.92 per barrel. Negotiations are underway, he said, to buy Mexican gas next year at a price that will probably exceed \$2.50 per Mcf while American producers are told that \$1.75 per Mcf is more than adequate for their gas.

"The government is one of the largest buyers of

imported oil," Newton said. "It pays Arab countries \$13.50 for oil to put into storage but refuses to allow our own producers to receive the true value for their oil. When will this idocy stop? If \$13.50 is fair for foreign oil, it is fair for our own oil."



Mrs. Stanley Mayfield and Mrs. Harva Cooper meet Gov. and Mrs. Dolph Briscoe during a public reception held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hunt last Wednesday.



Chamber of Commerce President John Tedford presents a special gift to Dee Nevill. Mrs. Nevill was honored for her dedicated service to the Chamber of Commerce.

The Land Bank Independent Named

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H.B. (Hank) Harkins, Alice, an independent driller and producer, Wednesday was elected president of Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association at its 58th Annual Meeting.

Harkins, the Association's 26th president, succeeds Jack Blanton, Houston, president, Scurlock Oil Co. Blanton served two one-year terms as head of the 3400-member organization.

accountant in 1946 and became sole owner in 1962.

The Association's Executive Committee also elected Charles W. Alcorn, Jr., Victoria, president, Alcorn Well Service, Inc., to succeed Harkins. Vice-president, Alcorn Well Service, Inc., to succeed Harkins. Vice-presidents reelected include E.L. Ames, Jr., San Antonio, Southwest Texas; W.W. Carter, Amarillo, the Panhandle; E. Wilson Germany, Dallas, North Central Texas; Richard C. Hudson, Houston, Upper Gulf Coast; C.E. Jacobs, Albany, West Central Texas; W.D. Kennedy, Midland, the Permian Basin; N.E. (Bud) Loomis, Longview, East Texas, and W.M. Thacker, Jr., Wichita Falls, North Texas.

Also reelected were Bill Abington, executive vice-president; John Wagner, vice-president, public affairs, and Leo Patterson, Jr., treasurer, all of Dallas.

Crude Reported

Reported and estimated unreported production of Texas crude oil totaled 92,865,244 barrels in July 1977, the Railroad Commission's Oil and Gas Division reports.

The preliminary figure compares with final compilations of June 1977 production totaling 90,810,663 barrels and July 1976 production of 97,998,693 barrels.

Texas oil production averaged 2,991,162 barrels daily in July 1977, down from 3,027,022 barrels daily in June 1977.

The July allowable totaled 113,566,532 barrels for the month.

The preliminary July summary indicated Texas oil production was 18.23 percent under the allowable for that month.

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The Senate's Deregulation Vote by U.S. Senator for Texas JOHN TOWER

WASHINGTON—The Senate's action last week deregulating newly discovered natural gas from Federal price controls may be the first positive indication government is beginning to understand the nature of energy shortages in this country.

It hasn't come any too soon. By voting to deregulate the price of natural gas, the Senate lessened the prospect that future winters like last year's will be remembered for industry layoffs, economic disruption, and fuel allocations—all because of insufficient supplies of natural gas to go around.

And contrary to what the Administration repeatedly misrepresents, deregulation of natural gas will not lead to excessive fuel bill increases as the market seeks its own price level based on the more realistic laws of supply and demand. Much more importantly, interruptions in supply will no longer pose a threat to the economy and to the everyday lives of Texans and all other Americans.

The Senate vote, 50-46, on the so-called Pearson-Bentsen amendment, is a modest but very practical measure, recognizing the twin goals of supplying the natural gas needs of the Nation on the one hand, and providing real energy security for all consumers on the other. It represents the considered judgment of a majority of the members of the Senate that the Federal price controls too long in effect have finally reached an intolerable level. And thus, the Senate vote was a vote both for the consumer and the producer.

The measure now goes to a House-Senate conference committee to iron out differences in language and undoubtedly there will be a concerted effort from the Administration and others to strike the deregulation provisions from the final bill, and keep the folly of Federal government price controls intact.

This short-sighted view would legislate needless shortages, and merely perpetuate the mistakes of the past 20 years in national energy policy.

If the Senate legislation prevails, strictures on the market will be eliminated and production can move to keep pace with the national need for gas resources.

The amendment provides that new onshore natural gas would be subject to a temporary price ceiling, followed by complete deregulation at the end of a two year period. For five years, new offshore natural gas would be subject to a ceiling determined by various factors other than cost, but until that price is determined, the ceiling would be the BTU equivalent of upper tier domestic crude oil, or approximately \$1.95 per Mcf. Complete deregulation would come at the end of five years.

The Senate measure also provides a definition of new natural gas, maintains controls on old natural gas which now apply, provides for statutory curtailment priorities for natural gas use such as for farming, and extends the present Emergency Natural Gas Act for two years.

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★ Sports ★

Alpine: Last Stop Before District

By Don Holdridge
With a last chance to stop their skid before District 7-AA competition begins, the Sonora Bron-

cos will play host to the Alpine Bucks Friday night at 8 p.m.
Hopefully for the Bron-

cos, a week off will give them an extra week to regroup as the last three weeks have garnered nothing but heartbreak after a promising start. Despite their 1-4 record, the Bucks should not be taken lightly.

Both teams' coaches were quick to admit they had been in a tough game. This plus the fact of their win over archrival Marfa, a Class A superpower, lend credence to Bronco coach Bill Bundy's respect for the Bucks. Jokingly, Bundy refers to the Alpine players as "about the size of the Dallas Cowboys," but seriously admits a weight margin of about 40 pounds per man.

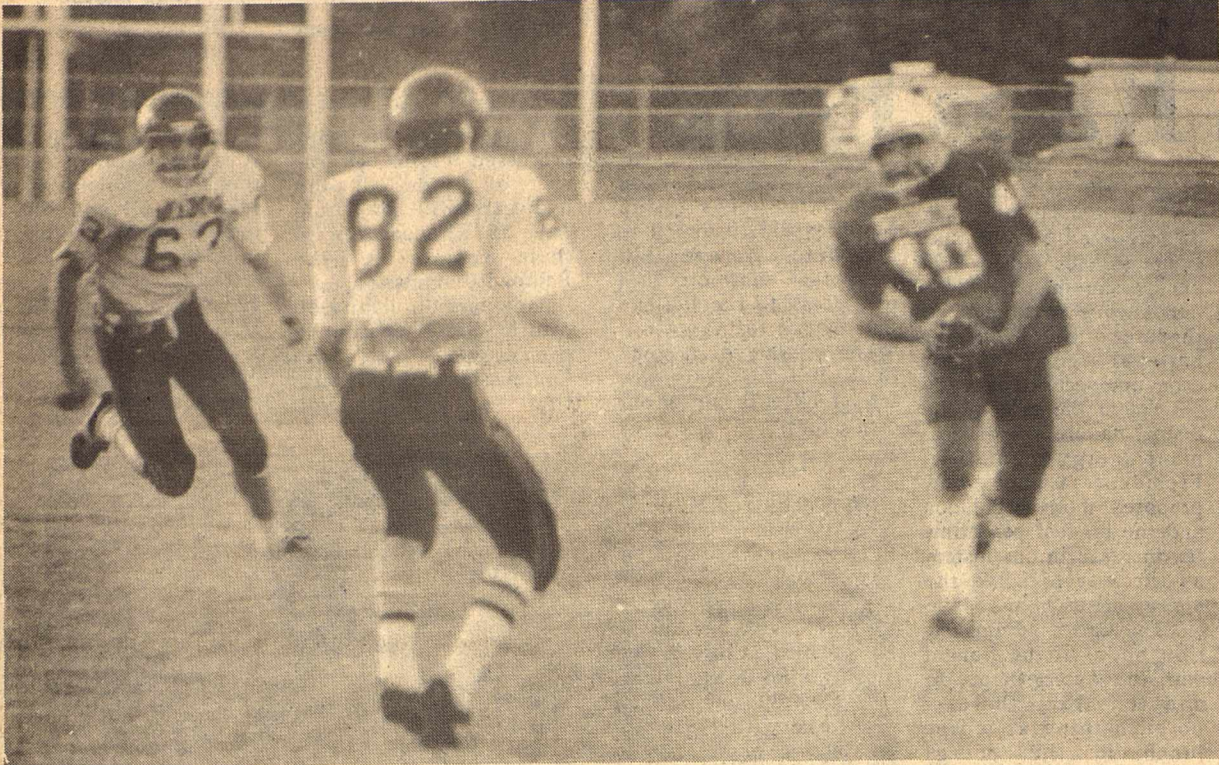
The Bronco skipper credits the Bucks with having a very strong interior line and singles out a 230-pound defensive end, a fullback with a five to six yard rushing average and a tailback with 9.9 speed as key players.

According to Bundy, the offense will have to run and pass consistently and pass early, while the primary defensive problem will be to stop the Buck fullback.

However, one of the main objectives will have to be as anytime with a physical team such as Alpine-to come out of the game healthy.

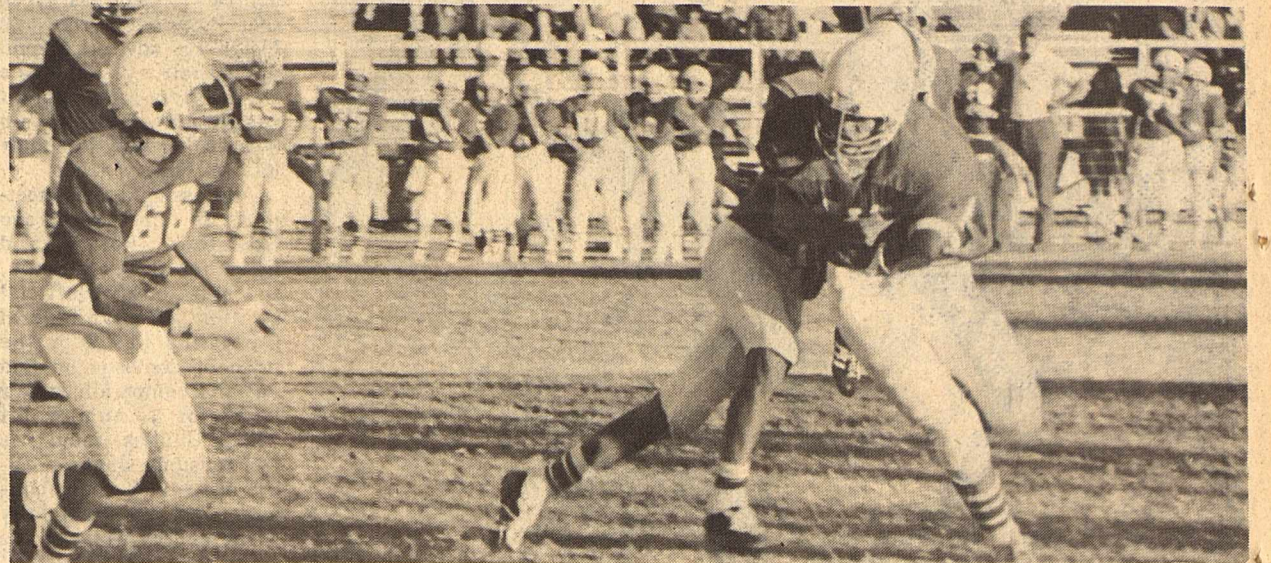
District is only a week away!

Two defeats came at the hands of AAA toughies Fort Stockton and Monahans while two more were by 7 AA foes, Ozona and Kermit.



Sonora J.V. wingback Ricky Wright [40] gets some running room in last week's loss to Brady here. The

J.V. team fought a tough battle, losing 13-0. [Photo by Herb Jones]



Sonora 8th Grade fullback Ponciano Castillo breaks

into the Ozona secondary for extra yards during last week's 18-12 victory over Ozona.

BRONCOS HOST ALPINE FRIDAY NIGHT



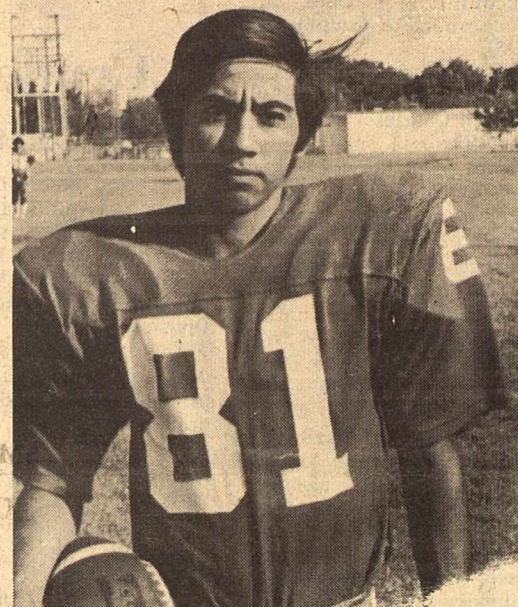
EDDIE FAVILA

Eddie Favila is the 15 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gil Favila. The 5'7" and 140 lb. sophomore plays defensive back and offensive tailback. Eddie is also interested in basketball and track.



JOEY KIRBY

Defensive over and offensive fullback Joey Kirby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kirby. The 16 year old sophomore stands 6'1/2" and weighs 160 lbs. Joey is a 1 year letterman and has lived in Sonora 5 years. He lists football as his only sport.



DAVID REYNA

David Reyna is the 15 year old son of Mrs. Frank Reyna, Sr. Standing 5'10" he weighs 145 lbs. The sophomore plays defensive and offensive split end. David is also interested in basketball.



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Colts Take 18-12 Win Over Ozona 8th Grade

By Kay Holdridge
The 8th grade Colts revenged their 13-12 loss at the hands of the Ozona Cubs by defeating the Cubs 18-12 in Ozona last week.

After the running game fizzled, quarterback Allen Stewart oiled his passing arm and threw three touchdown passes. John

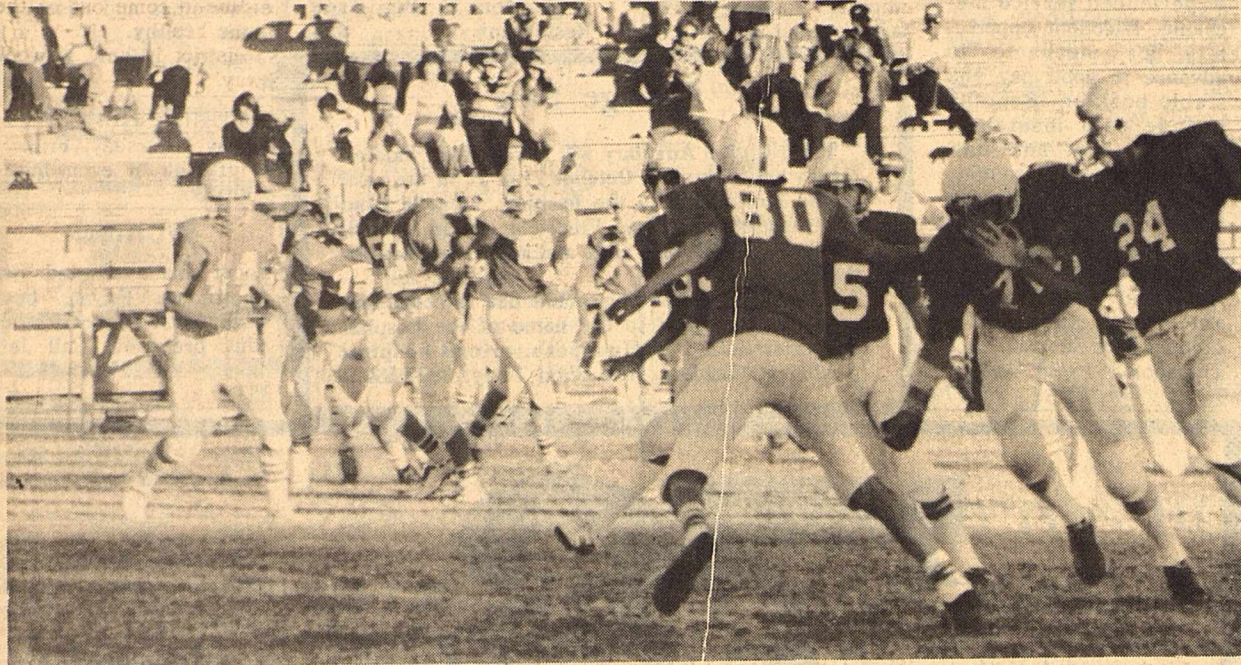
Blankenship caught two, one for 35 yards and one for 15. Joe David Favila was on the end of a 55 yard aerial for the other Colt score.
The key to the game was a fourth down and goal for the Ozona Cubs at the Colt two yard line. The score was tied 12-12 in the fourth quarter. Ozona had been successful in previ-

ous fourth and short yardage situations. The Colt defense stiffened and held the Cubs. Led by Stewart, the Colts marched 98 yards for the winning touchdown.

The defense played an exceptional game. Ponciano Castillo and Hector Samaniego each blocked a field goal attempt to prevent the hosts from go-

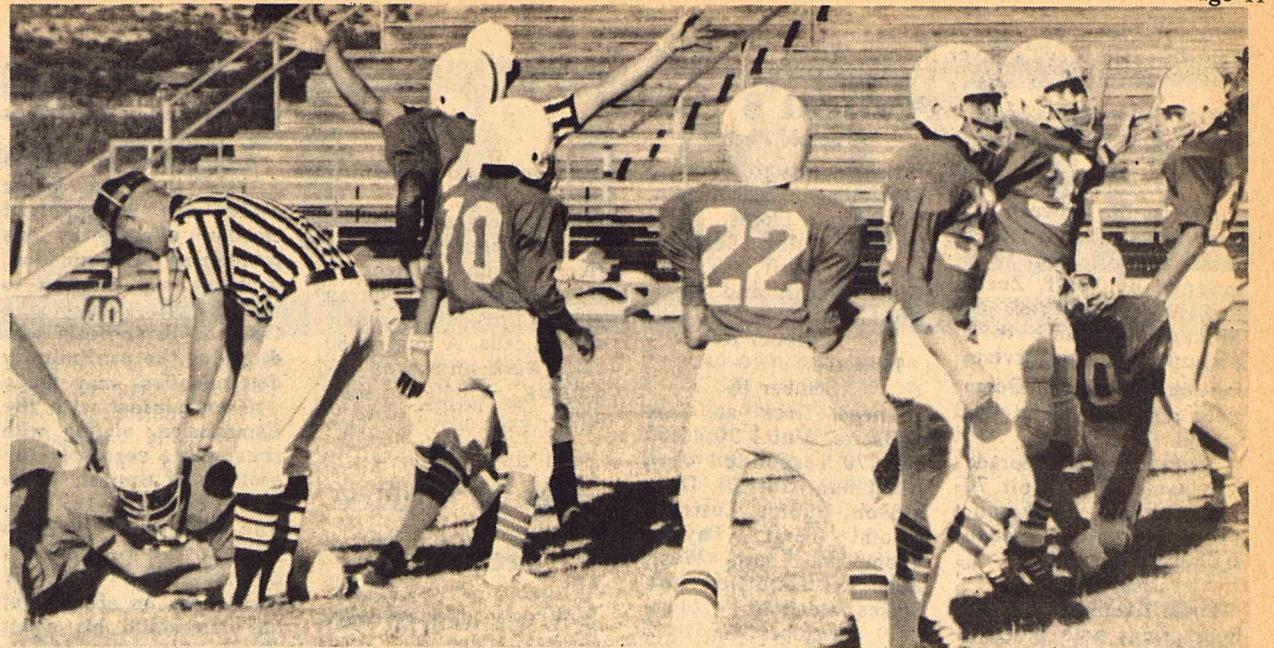
ahead scores. Other defensive standouts were Frisby Bible, Whit Paxton, and Pete Lira.

The 8th grade Colts host Big Lake, a team they lost to in Big Lake by a 14-6 margin. This will be the last home game for the Colts. They will play immediately following the 7th grade game which begins at 5:30.



The nifty arm of 8th Grade quarterback Allen Stewart picked apart the Ozona defense last Thursday as the Colts brought home an 18-12 victory. Stewart completes a pass as teammates Ponciano Castillo

[44], John Pollard [50], Joe David Favila [83], John Blankenship [15], Charley Carroll [70] and Joe Longoria [24] carry out their assignments.



In the final seconds of the 7th Grade game in Ozona, the Colts stopped an Ozona drive and took over on downs. Sonora defensive players Alberto Chavez [10],

David Chandler [22], Pascual Castillo [33], and Bill Ryan take a quick look at the clock as two teammates put the finishing touches to Ozona's backfield.

7th Graders Defeat Ozona

By Kay Holdridge
Last time Ozona and Sonora clashed, the score was a 0-0 tie. This is the only game the 7th grade Colts haven't won. In their meeting in Ozona, Sonora managed a 6-0 victory to up their record to 6-0-1.

The 7th grade Colts took the opening kickoff and drove to the Ozona five but a fumble halted the

drive. The remainder of the game until late in the fourth quarter was a defensive see-saw battle as the first game was.

The Colts were sparked by Abert Chavez who blocked the Ozona punt on the Cub 20 and managed to score with little time remaining in the contest. The PAT was no good, but the six points stood and

Sonora kept its record free of loss.

Defensive stalwarts were Joe Rodriguez, Marney Sorenson, and Eddie Vallejo.

The Colts close their home games against Big Lake at 5:30 Thursday. They defeated the Owls by a 20-0 score in their previous clash.

★ Sports ★

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Rules:

1. Entry forms must be mailed or delivered to the Devil's River News before 4 p.m. each Friday.
2. There is no limit to the number of entry forms you may submit in any one week.
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Firemen's News

By Jerold Zech

October 12
A grass fire between the airport and Devil's River Motel. Unit 30 was manned by Teaff, Zech, and Huffstutler. West and McLaughlin came in a pickup to supervise. Luttrell, Stokes and Odom were on stand-by at the station.

A grass fire in Eldorado was assisted by Unit 70 with firemen Blackman, Thompson and Zech answering the call.

October 13
Local firemen assisted Rocksprings with a grass fire. Units 30 and 40 responded with Blackman, Guerra, Luttrell, Odom, Stokes, Teaff, West, Zech and Smith.

October 14
A trash fire call at Mickey Powers' was answered by units 30, 40, 60 and 70.

Firemen attending were Blackman, McLaughlin, Donaldson, Flores, Zech, Guerra, Jolly, Luttrell, Odom, Teaff, Thorp, West, Smith and Huffstutler.

October 15
No Calls.

October 16
Three fires at Sam Allison's. Units 30, 40, 60 and 70 responded with Blackman, Carroll, Donaldson, Guerra, Luttrell, Odom, Teaff, Taylor, Thompson, Thorp, West, Zech, Huffstutler and Stokes attending.

October 17
No Calls.
Firemen held their bi-monthly meeting October 12 and discussed getting a committee to select a stand-by reserve for the department. James Blackman gave the report on the third quarter alarms

from July 1 to September 31.

Calls were answered to 61 grass fires, 3 structure fires, 5 vehicle fires, 4 false alarms, 2 dump ground fires, and 5 public service calls. A total of 80 calls were answered requiring 2,040½ man hours.

Susan McBee Head of Subcommittee

State Representative Susan Gurley McBee was named to head the interim subcommittee of the House Agriculture and Livestock Committee studying the Power of Eminent Domain.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF DEADLINE FOR FILING CONTESTS TO THE PRELIMINARY DETERMINATIONS OF CLAIMS OF WATER RIGHTS IN THE LLANO RIVER AND THE SAN SABA RIVER WATERSHEDS OF THE COLORADO RIVER BASIN.

Notice is given pursuant to Section 5.312 of the Texas Water Code, that the deadline for filing written contests to the Preliminary Determinations of Claims of Water Rights in the Llano River and the San Saba River Watersheds is hereby set to be January 12, 1978, said date to be in lieu of the date December 12, 1977, heretofore set by the Notices of the Preliminary Determinations for the Llano River and the San Saba River Watersheds dated August 31, 1977.

This notice is ordered and entered this 6th day of October, 1977.

TEXAS WATER COMMISSION

Dorsey B. Hardeman,
Acting Chairman

ATTEST:
Mary Ann Hefner,
Chief Clerk

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NOTICE OF THE PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION BY THE TEXAS WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION OF ALL CLAIMS TO WATER RIGHTS IN THE SAN SABA RIVER WATERSHED OF THE COLORADO RIVER BASIN.

Notice is given pursuant to Section 5.312 of the Texas Water Code that on August 31, 1977, the Texas Water Rights Commission made a preliminary determination of all claims to water rights under adjudication in the San Saba River Watershed of the Colorado River Basin, which includes all or portions of Sutton, Schleicher, Menard, Concho, Mason, McCulloch and San Saba Counties, Texas.

The preliminary determination of August 31, 1977, and all evidence presented to or considered by the Commission will be open for public inspection at the offices of the Texas Water Commission in the Stephen F. Austin State Office Building in Austin, Texas. The period of time for public inspection of the preliminary determination and evidence shall expire on December 12, 1977, at 5:00 p.m., which is a period of time not less than 60 days from the date of this notice, in accordance with Section 5.310, Texas Water Code. The times and hours for public inspection will be from

8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. of each working day. Copies of the preliminary determination are also available for public inspection at the offices of the County Clerks of the following counties: Terry, Dawson, Ector, Midland, Howard, Tom Green, Brown, Sutton, Edwards, Kimble, Kerr, Menard, Mason, Gillespie, San Saba, Llano, Blanco, Travis, Bastrop, Fayette, Colorado, Wharton, Matagorda, Schleicher, Concho and McCulloch.

In accordance with Section 5.309, Texas Water Code, one copy of the Commission's preliminary determination of August 31, 1977, is furnished without charge to each person who filed a claim of a water right in the San Saba River Watershed. Claimants of water rights in other areas of the Colorado River Basin will be sent a copy of this notice only. These claimants and any other interested person desiring a copy of the preliminary determination may obtain one by writing to the Texas Water Commission, P.O. Box 13207, Austin, Texas 78711. Each request must be accompanied by a check or money order in the amount of \$5.00 per copy requested.

As provided by Section 5.313 of the Texas Water Code, any water right claimant affected by this preliminary determination, including any claimant to water rights within the Colorado River Basin who disputes the preliminary determination, may file a written contest with the Commission, stating with reasonable certainty the grounds of contest, on or before December 12, 1977. The statement filed to contest the preliminary determination must be verified by an affidavit of the contestant, his agent or his attorney. If the contest is directed against the preliminary determination of the water rights of any other claimant or claimants in the San Saba River Watershed, a copy of the contest shall be served on each of these claimants or his attorney by certified mail, and proof of this service shall be filed with the Commission on or before December 12, 1977.

This notice is ordered and entered this 31st day of August, 1977.

TEXAS WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION

Joe D. Carter, Chairman

ATTEST:
Mary Ann Hefner,
Secretary

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Legal Notice

NOTICE OF SALE
Know All Men By These Presents:

That PETROLEUM EQUITIES CORPORATION recovered a Judgment against LAFAYETTE FUNDS DRILLING PROGRAM 72-1 PARTNERSHIP and by virtue of same has secured an Order of Sale issuing out of the District Court of Gregg County, Texas, and by virtue of same, I will sell the following described property at the steps of the Courthouse in Sutton County, Texas, between the hours of 10:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. on November 1, 1977, which consists of a working interest in Well Number 1A of the Blossom Lease, being approximately 27.272%, and being more particularly identified as N/2 Sec. 21, Sec. 22, SE/4 Sec. 23, Block 5, TW&NGRR Survey, Sutton County, Texas.

W.W. Webster, Sheriff
Of Sutton County, Texas.
3c7

Card of Thanks

Thanks to all my friends who came by for visits and brought gifts while I was in the hospital. I will see you when we meet Alpine here this Friday night.

Johnny Creek
1c8

Lost and Found

Estimated 2 year old heifer. Carries 7-brand on hip. 06 on side and an ear tag with markings. Call Thomas Morriss, 387-3077.
1p8

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Experienced tire hand. Apply at Teaff Oil Co. 387-2770. tf41

Part time animal control officer for City of Sonora. Applicant should have pickup. Gasoline and equipment furnished. Contact city manager or chief of police at city hall. tf7

Person to drive garbage truck. Must have commercial license. Apply in person at City Hall. tf5

Cook and waitress. Apply in person to Big Tree Restaurant. tf28

Garage Sales

1001 Glasscock. Saturday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. 1c8

Men's, ladies' and children's clothes and miscellaneous items. 10 a.m. Saturday, 210 W. Poplar St. 1p8

106 Calle Castillo, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday. A little bit of everything. 8:30-5:30. 1p8

Wanted

Room mate wanted for Apartment. Private bedroom. Must be neat. Young adult preferred. Call Jeff Stone, 387-2049 or 387-3531. tf2

Garage Sale

The Hospital Auxiliary will have a Yard Sale on Friday and Saturday, October 21 & 22 in the yard of the house next to the hospital. Time is from 9:30 to 6:00 each day. Proceeds will go toward purchase of mattress pads and other supplies for the hospital.

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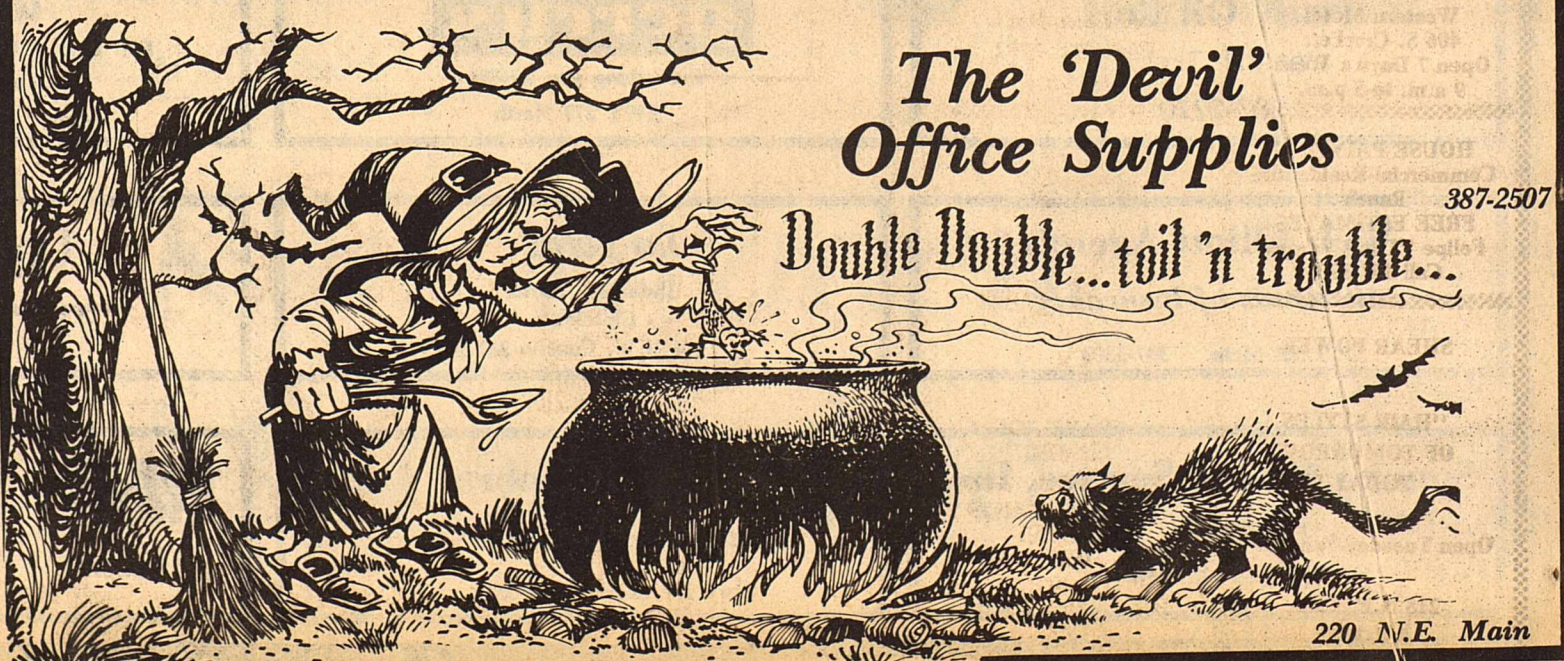
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3 bedroom, 1 bath, house in Eldorado. Fruit trees, patio. Call 853-2795. tf8

3 bedroom, 1 bath home. Partially furnished. Carport, established yard, partial fence in back. Call 387-2303 after 4 p.m. tf8

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Real Estate

By owner. 1 acre waterfront lot located close to Rough Canyon Marina, Lake Amistad, Del Rio. Paved roads. Call 387-3164, after 7:00 p.m. tf45

2-rent houses; 1-Brick warehouse/workshop. All on 1/2 block. All have new roofs. Both houses rented, warehouse being vacated. \$400./mo. rental income. Must sell. \$22,500. Call 387-3164 after 7:00 p.m. tf45

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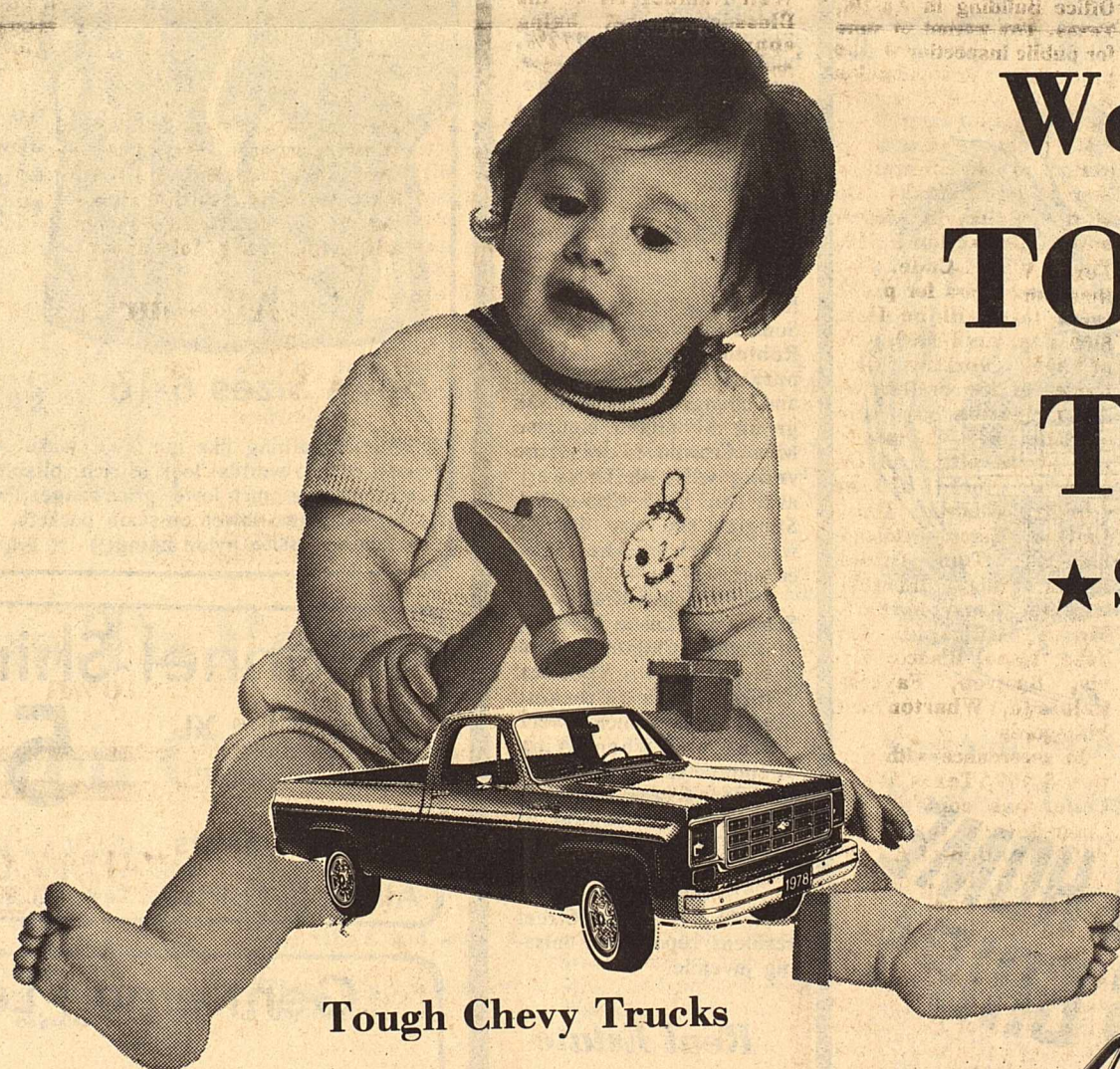
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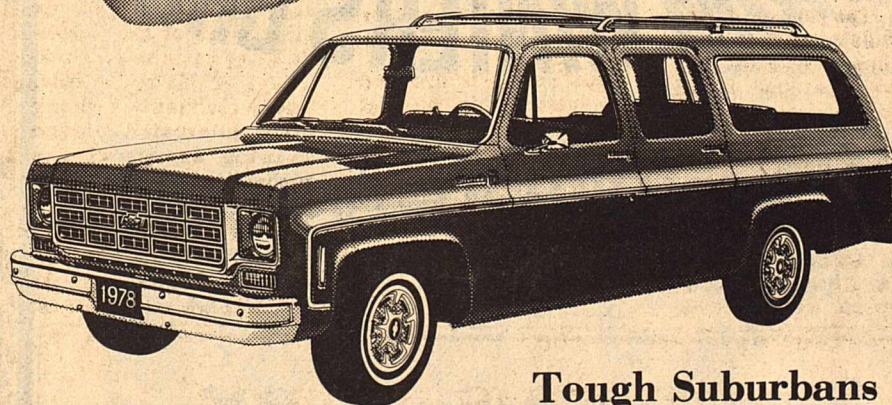
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In conjunction with the roping there will be a two run barrel race for \$30. The first run will begin at 12:30. Another event is the \$150 novice barrel race with an \$8 entry fee. Admission to the events will be by donation. Louis Powers, Sutton

County Wagon Boss for the 1977 West Texas Boys Ranch Roundup, says the roping is open to all teams wanting to enter. Anyone wishing to make donations to the Boy's Ranch may do so by contacting Powers at 387-3106.

Local Church To Hold Gospel Meet

The Sonora Church of Christ will be holding a gospel meeting October 23-26. The speaker will be Ralph Weinholt, Jr. of Houston. Meeting times are 6 p.m. Sunday, and 7:30 p.m. Monday through Wednesday. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Family Histories Urged For Special Publication

Current and past residents of Sutton County received letters recently asking them to send family histories to be included in a special history about Sutton County.

The Sutton County Historical Society is compiling and publishing the history book, which will consist primarily of family histories.

If book sales are successful, the Society plans to include the history of communities, churches, organizations, education, businesses and other information.

"This book will be

unique in that it will be written by all the people in the county who send in their family history, thus giving emphasis to the importance of the family life in our history and insights into our heritage and county," Historical Society President Bill Stewart commented.

A non-profit organization, the Historical Society is attempting to preserve the historical records for the education of future generations.

Specific information about the Sutton County history book may be obtained from Mrs. Ben

Cusenbary, 387-3219; Mrs. Tom Nevill, 387-3210; Mrs. Joe Hull, 387-3133 or Wes Burnett, 387-2507 or 387-2183.

"If for some reason you did not get a letter from us," Stewart added, "please call us, we want everyone to contribute."

Antlerless Deer Permits

To Be Issued

Antlerless deer permits for the 1977 hunting season for Sutton County, will be issued to landowners or their agents at the Courthouse, on Octo-

ber 26 and 27, 1977 from 8 to 12 noon. Landowners or their agents are requested to know the exact acreage when they apply for the permits.

Police Reports

October 10
11:43 p.m., An employee of Brown Electric reported a mobile home broken into and several things missing including payroll checks.

12:12 a.m., A cafe, located on Hwy 277 South reported a possible burglary.

12:47 a.m., A domestic trouble call was answered.

5:11 a.m. A possible burglary was investigated at a local lounge.

October 11
10:48 p.m., A Tayloe Street resident reported a prowler. Police were unable to locate on arrival

but the area was patrolled throughout the night.

10:49 p.m., Local doctor requested the pickup of speeders on the hospital grounds.

October 12
8:14 p.m., A local grocery store reported male subjects in the store with faces covered. Subjects were gone on arrival of police.

October 13
12:24 p.m., A local cafe owner requested officer assistance. Two units answered the call and one person was arrested for public intoxication.

October 14
2:07 p.m., A minor accident was investigated near the Gulf Restaurant.

2:38 p.m., A minor accident was reported at Del Rio and Tayloe Streets.

11:44 p.m., A domestic problem at a local mobile home park was settled on arrival of police and two subjects were counseled.

4:18 a.m., A reported theft was investigated at the Gandy's warehouse.

October 15
A minor accident involving autos driven by David Robledo of Eagle Pass and Karen E. Crownover of Sonora occurred when the Robledo vehicle left a parking lot on Crockett and changed lanes without giving the proper signals.

Miss Crownover was traveling west on Crockett and the 1975 Chevrolet Stingray she was driving was struck on the right corner.

Stacey Jewel Brasher of Sonora and Leslie A. Wing of Hemet, California were drivers of two vehicles colliding on Crockett Street. Both vehicles were northbound when Wing attempted to run left from the wrong lane colliding with the front fender of the 1973 Olds driven by Miss Brasher.

October 16
11:43 p.m., A Fay Street resident reported a missing juvenile.

Real Estate Transfers

WD - Elmore Anderson to Amy Scott, Part lots 5 and 6, Block W-34.

WD - Nolberta Cruz to Guillermo Lopez, et ux, NE/2 lot 1, block ADI.

WD - Joe R. Kiowski et ux to Duane A. Genini et ux, Part lots 2 and 2 1/2, Block K.

Second Grade News

The second grade achieved a 96% attendance for the first six weeks of school. They will be given a coke party on Thursday to celebrate this fantastic occurrence.

Second graders receiving citizenship awards were: Linda Quattlebaum, Michael Castilleja, Cindy Doran, Curtis Howard, Alisia Sanchez, Brett Alston, Delma Chavez, Sammy Mata, Maria Castilleja and Robert Fort. We are busy getting ready for Halloween.

The most primitive modern flowers are members of the buttercup order.

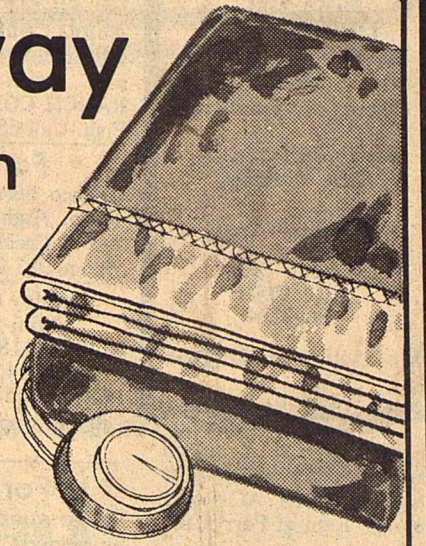
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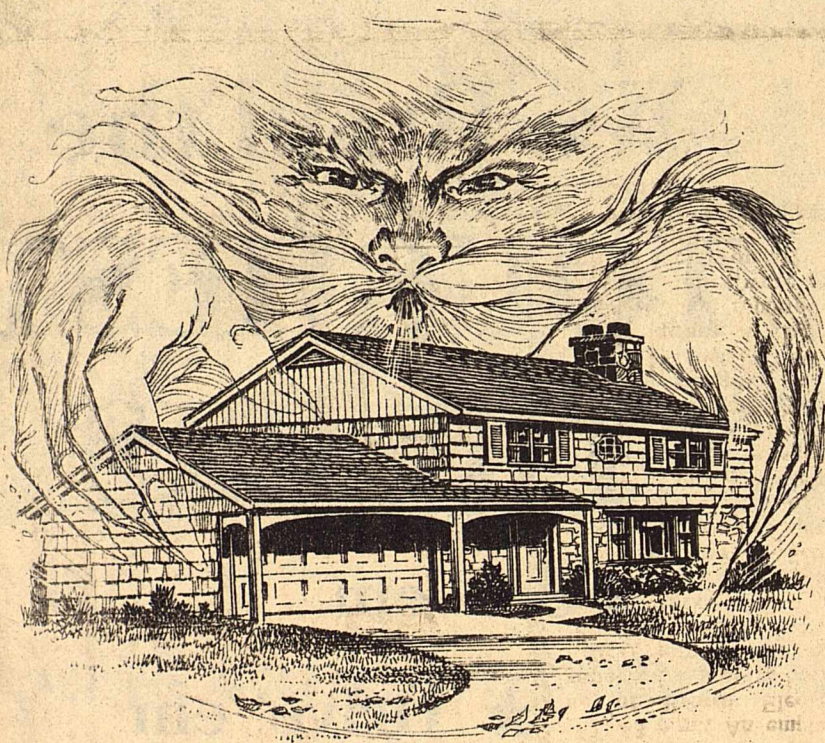
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