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4-H'ers, Leaders, And Friends Honored

The annual Sutton County 4-H Achievement Party and 4-H Ball was held at the Sutton County 4-H Center Monday. 4-H members were



Mr. and Mrs. Haynie Davis were awarded a special award for outstanding individual contribution at the 4-H Achievement Awards Banquet held Monday.

honored for their outstanding records achieved during the past year while 4-H leaders and friends of 4-H were honored for their outstanding contributions made to the 4-H Program.

Winners of the 4-H Gold Star Awards were Paula Friess, fifteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Turney Friess, and Marshall Doran, sixteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Doran. The Gold Star Awards are presented to the outstanding 4-H girl and boy in Sutton County each year by the Texas Agriculture Extension Service.

Winner of the 1977 "Fred T. Earwood Award" was Preston O. Love, Jr., sixteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs.

Preston O. Love. This award is presented by an anonymous donor to a senior 4-H member who has an outstanding 4-H record and who has encouraged other boys and girls to participate in the Sutton County 4-H Program. Preston has been a member of the Sutton County 4-H Club for four years and is president of the club.

The "Edgar Glasscock Memorial Award" is presented by an anonymous donor to the outstanding Junior 4-H member in the Sutton County 4-H Club each year. The award honors a junior 4-H member who is under 14 years of age at the start of the current year.

The 1977 winner is Lance Love, also son of Mr. and Mrs. Preston O. Love. Lance is fourteen years old and has been a 4-H member for four years. Lance has participated in wool and mohair, range and grass, and livestock judging. He has also been a member of the rigle team and fed market lambs.

The Outstanding 4-H member in Home Economics is a new award that is presented this year by Neville's Department Store. The award honors any 4-H member who has shown outstanding achievement in the 4-H Home Economics program.

The 1977 winner is Lora Lea Kordzik, eleven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kordzik. Lora Lea has been a 4-H member for three years and in that time has shown a great deal of leadership.

A husband and wife team were selected to receive the 1977 Outstanding man and woman 4-H Leader Awards. Mr. and

Mrs. Joe Friess were elected by the membership of the 4-H Club because of their leadership and dedication to the 4-H Club and 4-H Leaders Association.

The outstanding "Individual Contributors Award" was also presented to a man and wife team, Mr. and Mrs. Haynie Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Davis have been excellent supporters of the Sutton County 4-H Program and the Sutton County 4-H Center since they originated. During the past year the Davis' made the largest single individual contributions ever to the Sutton County 4-H Center when they donated the funds to build and equip a new meeting room at the 4-H Center.

Sutton County 4-H members also presented a special 4-H Contributors award to the "Devil's River News".

Paula Friess and Mark Van Hoozer were presented special awards for being the 1977-78 "4-H Sweetheart and 4-H Beau" and honored at the 4-H Ball following the achievement party. The music for the 4-H Ball was furnished by the "Country Corporation Band" from Robert Lee.

Other awards include: ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS: (Ford Motor Co.) Jamie Condra, Marshall Doran, Joe Will Ross and Espy Whitehead.

AGRICULTURAL AWARDS: (International Harvester Co.) Brett Johnson, Paula Friess, Brad Johnson and Tonia Miitel.

ALUMNI RECOGNITION: (Olin Corporation) Maggie Walsh, Ted B. Joy, Preston O. Love and Tommy Love.

BREAD AWARD: (Standard Brands Inc.) Becca Powers, Anita Balch, Carla

Jungk and Tracy Brownlee.

CLOTHING AWARD: Coats & Clark Inc.) Sherri Threadgill, Charla Hudnall and Kelly Cooper.

CONSERVATION OF NATURAL RESOURCES: (John Deere) Preston O. Love, Jr., Lance Love, Cathy Doran and Fran Friess.

FOOD-NUTRITION AWARD: (General Foods) Maray West, Tessa Joy, Clalene Stewart and Shannon Hurt.

LEADERSHIP AWARD: (Reader's Digest) Debbie Zapata, Julie Harris, Bernardo Solis, Jr. and Julie Stewart.

CITIZENSHIP AWARD: (Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Co.) Lea Whitehead and Heath Belk.

LEADERSHIP AWARD: (General Foods) Tammy Van Hoozer, Marcie Mittel, Lee Burch and Trina Powers.

HORSE AWARD: (Sutton Co. 4-H Club) Robert Mittel, Adam Hernandez, Pam Marlow and Nancy Benson.

DRESS REVUE AWARD: (Simplicity Pattern Co.) Terri Threadgill.

RABBIT AWARD: (Sutton Co. 4-H Club) David Wills.

RIFLE AWARD: (Sutton Co. 4-H Club) Chip Savell and Mark Van Hoozer, Rick Powers and Kathi Nelson.

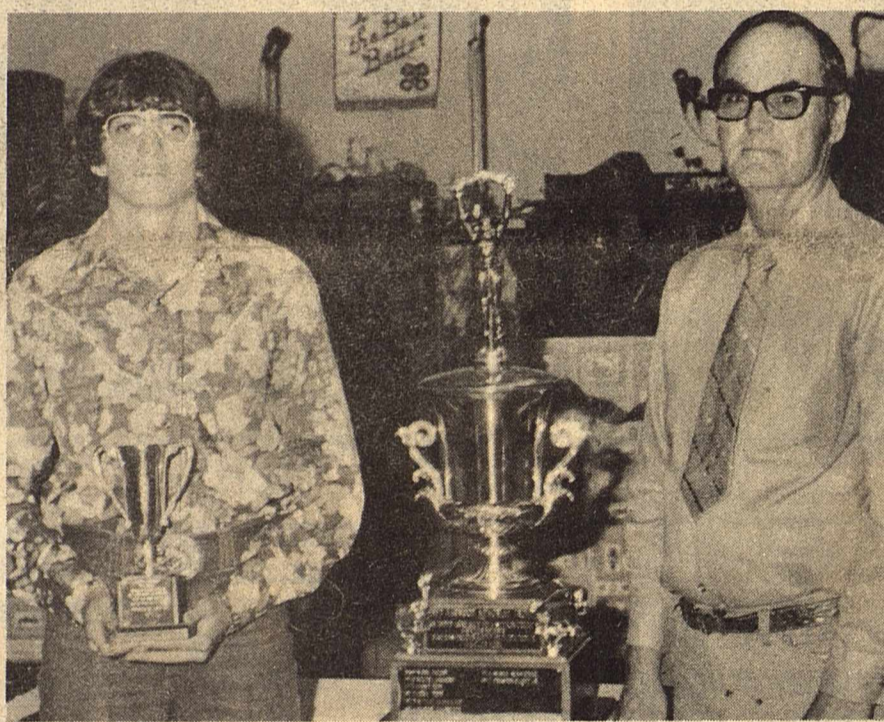
SHEEP & GOAT AWARDS: (Sutton Co. 4-H Club) Maria Van Hoozer, Rex Surber, Susan Dunnam and Clay Friess.

DAIRY AWARDS: (Sutton Co. 4-H Club) Celia Hernandez and Clara Arredondo.

Stokes

To Korea

Robert Michael Stokes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stokes, left Tuesday for Korea where he will serve with the 128th Infantry Company of the United States 8th Army.



Armer Earwood presented Preston O. Love, Jr., with the Fred T. Earwood Memorial Award.

Spooks and Goblins To Parade at Annual Halloween Carnival

Spooks, goblins, witches and ghosts will converge on Sonora Monday when they begin their parade down Main Street at 5 p.m. Those wishing to be part of the parade should gather on the courthouse lawn at 4:30.

Queen candidates will be presented at 5:15 with the girl named queen officially opening the carnival. Candidates for queen are Nancy Mooney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mooney. Steve Chandler will serve as her escort. Representing the junior class will be Carol Brandon escorted by Benny Granger. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Brandon.

Mary Lynch was named by the sophomore class as their queen candidate. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al Lynch and is to be escorted by Joey Kirby.

Freshman candidate is Cody Gold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Gold. David Creek will serve as her escort.

Spooks will be judged at 5:25. Prizes will be awarded to the funniest, the spookiest and the most original.

Booths will open at approximately 5:15 offering fun for the entire family. As usual the senior class will feed carnival goers from a concession stand and will also have the pumpkin jail booth.

Juniors have been busily about their way for

some time selling tickets for the raffle. Winners of prizes will be announced at the carnival. Juniors will also have a fish pond and basketball throw.

The Sophomore class has gone a little sentimental this year with a marriage booth, kissing booth and a fortune telling booth.

A basketball booth is being held by Freshmen and the junior high is responsible for bingo games. Elementary students will have a country store, post office, bottle toss, sponge toss, bean

Weather

Compiled By Pat Brown

Date	R	H	Lo
October 18	88	47	
October 19	90	47	
October 20	87	57	
October 21	T	82	60
October 22	.86	80	58
October 23	.23	70	55
October 24		79	47

Rainfall for the month 1.17; rainfall for the year, 16.06.

Tickets On Sale

For Kermit Game

Tickets are now on sale at the Sonora High School office for the game to be played in Kermit Friday night. Adult tickets are \$2 and student tickets \$1. There will be no student tickets sold at the gate Friday night.

Ticket sales will close at noon on Friday.

bag, and a doll walk.

There will be the traditional cake walk sponsored by the Girl's Athletic Association and the talent show put on by the speech club.

Other organizations will

have booths including ring toss, sling shot, cork guns, dish toss, bean guess, and dart throws.

The HECE will show a film.

There is no admission to the carnival.

Sonoran Charged With Theft Of Cable Service

A Sonora man was charged in Judge J.W. Elliott's County Court Monday with the theft of cable television service and fined \$200 plus court costs and given a one year probation sentence.

Two other Sonorans were filed upon at the same time by Television Enterprises for theft of service, but were not available for court proceedings Monday.

According to testimony of the accused, he moved into Sonora and connected his television cable to enable his wife to watch TV over the weekend while he was working. She went to the cable office on Monday morning and was refused service.

Bob Houston, manager of the local cable company, told the News Tuesday that the woman came forward after seeing he and a local policeman investigating the illegal

hook-up.

Houston stated that the accused was allowed and assisted in splicing on to the mobile home connection next door who was already supplying the cable to a mobile home on the other side of him. Charges were filed on all three residents at the mobile home park.

When questioned as to how most persons who use the cable illegally are caught, Houston stated that most come from persons complaining about television service being poor. Houston says the splices in the cable can cause poor service to users nearby. Also, Houston added, some persons break security locks on the connection points and this is easy to spot.

A normal fee for a television hook-up is either \$10 or \$20 plus the first month's service in advance.

Eleven downtown Sonora merchants are participating this year in

City P.D. Hires Lombardi

Joe Lombardi has been hired by the City of Sonora as a patrolman and will assume these duties November 1.

Lombardi has served as reserve deputy under Sheriff Bill Webster since July 1 and was a city patrolman in Nolanville, Texas.

Previously associated with the local radio station and with Ken Braden Motors, Lombardi has lived in Sonora since March, 1977.

He is a native of Galveston and a graduate of George H. Ball High School there. He also attended Sam Houston State, and is the son of Mrs. Joe Lombardi of New Waverly.

Sonora's annual profit sharing coupon giveaway that begins November 1.

\$2,200 in merchandise and savings bonds will be given to persons holding winning tickets at the four scheduled drawings. Two winning tickets will be drawn at each of the drawings.

Tedford Jewelry, First National Bank, Food Center, Westerman Drug, Perry Brothers, Gosney's, C.G. Morrison Variety Store, Neville's Department Store and the Devil Office Supply will be participating in this year's "Buy It In Sonora" drive. Tickets will be given for

each dollar of merchandise bought or paid on account from each of the participating merchants.

Drawings are scheduled for December 3, December 10, December 17 and December 24. All drawings will be held at 2 p.m.

The first drawing will be for two \$150 prizes; the second drawing for two \$200 prizes; and the third

drawing is for two \$275 prizes. The last and largest drawing, scheduled for Christmas Eve, will see two persons awarded \$475 in prizes.

All winners must pick up merchandise by December 31 of this year. First National Bank will be giving U. S. Savings Bonds.

Boosters Charter Bus

Bronco Booster Club members have arranged for a charter bus to the Kermit, Crane football games, with departure scheduled at 2:30 p.m. Friday for Kermit. Advance payment of \$18

per person is required for this week's bus and \$14 per person for the Crane trip.

Reservations for the 43-passenger busses are being handled by Dr. Charles Browne's office.

Scouts Prepare For Carnival

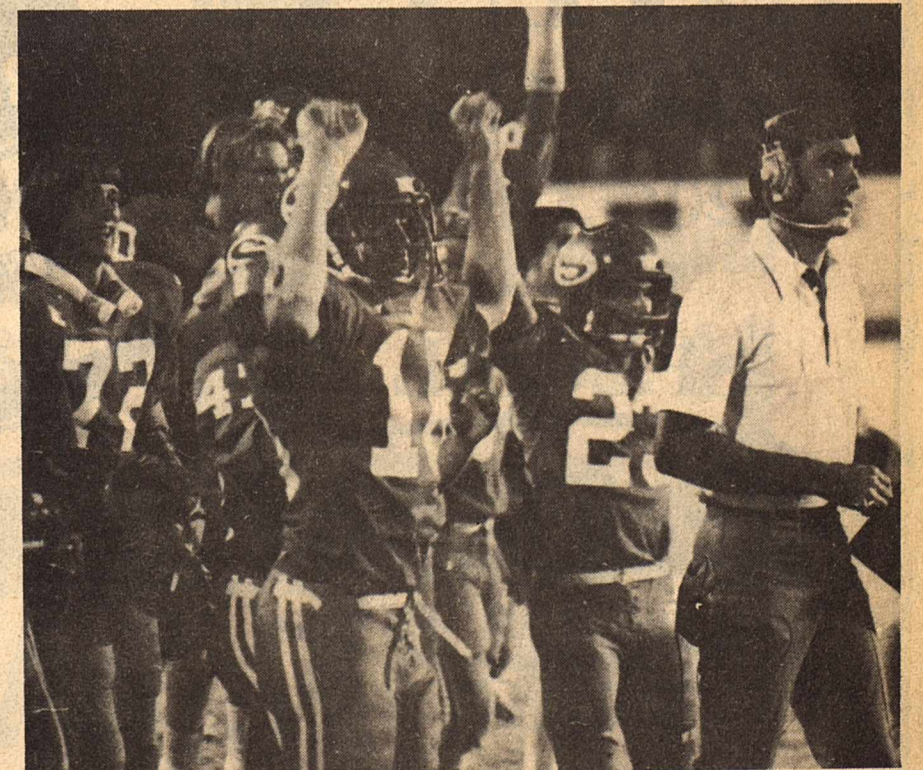
A carnival in observance of Halloween will be held Saturday, October 29 from 2-5 p.m. at the Girl Scout Hut.

The carnival is for children fourth grade and under.

Booths will include

cakes, popcorn balls, dart throw, cupcake walk and a fishing pond.

Girl Scout cookie sales will begin November 4 and continue through the 20th. Cookies will sell for \$1.25 per box. Delivery will be in January.



Oh, the sweet taste of victory, and the emotion shows on the sidelines last Friday night as Broncos let go after Benny Granger scored the final touchdown. Coach Bill Bundy [right] knows at this moment that his team has put the game away. Granger's teammates Steve King [72], Mitch Johnson [47], Johnny Simmons [60] and Eddie Favila [23] jump with joy.



Julie Harris, Debbie Zapata, Julie Stewart and Bernardo Solis, Jr., won leadership awards.



Lance Love received the Edgar Glasscock Memorial Award.



Brett Johnson, Tonia Mittel, Paula Friess and Brad Johnson were winners of the agricultural awards.



Leadership awards went to Tammy Van Hoozer, Lee Burch, Marcle Mittel and Trina Powers [not pictured].



Lea Whitehead and Heath Belk won the citizenship awards.



Winners of the bread award were Tracy Brownlee, Becca Powers, Anita Balch and Carla Jungk [not pictured].



Dairy Awards were to Clara Arredondo and Celia Hernandez [not pictured].

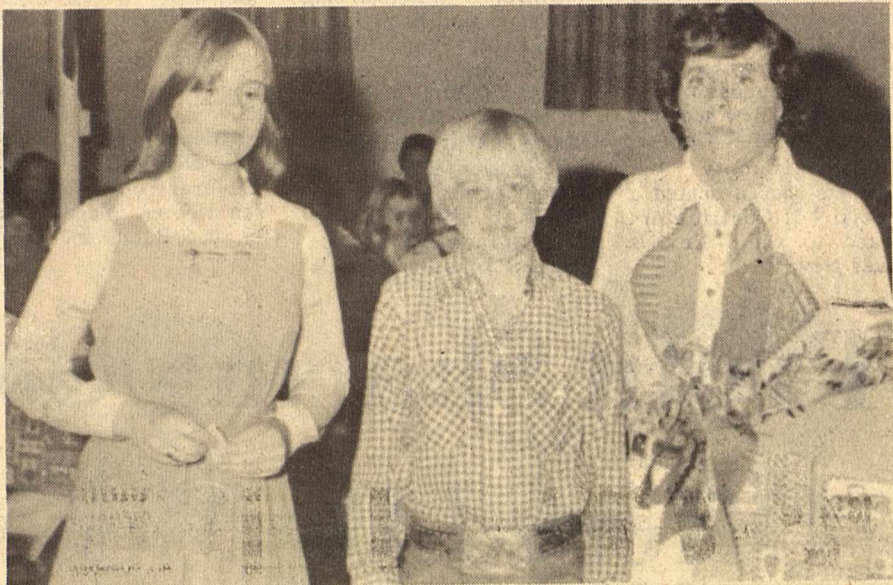
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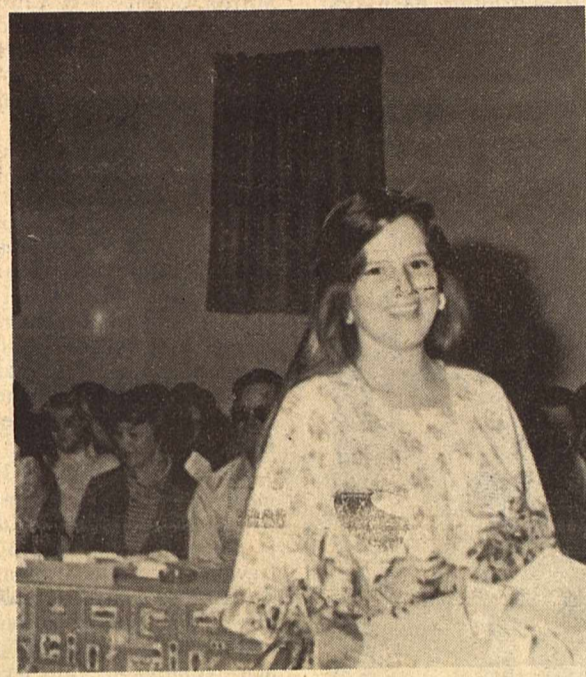
Winners of the rifle awards were Cathy Nelson, Rick Powers, Mark Van Hoozer and Chip Savell [not pictured].

Luis Mata, Contest Winner

Luis Mata took top honors in last week's Devil's River News football contest, breaking the tie with two other contest-

ants.
• Mata picked Texas 28-13 over SMU, almost matching the actual score of

30-14.
Rhonda Blackman and Melissa Teaff each picked 11 winners, but lost out to Mata on the tie-breaker.



Terri Threadgill received the dress revue award.



Food Nutrition Award winners were Clalene Stewart, Maray West, Tessa Joy and Shannon Hurt [not pictured].

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Sonora Minister Speaks

II Timothy 3:1-7

This know also that in the last days perilous times shall come. For men shall be lovers of their own selves, covetous, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, without natural affection, truce-breakers, false accusers, incourtinent fierce, despisers of those that are good, traitors, heady, highminded lovers of pleasures more than lovers of God;

Having a form of godliness, but denying the power thereof: from such turn away.

For of this sort are they which creep into houses, and lead captive silly women laden with sins, led away with divers lusts.

Ever learning, and never able to come to the Knowledge of the (Truth).

We are now in perilous times. No true words were ever spoken.

Never have we seen

rebellion like now. And homosexual a word used so lightly; Churches agreeing with this type of sin.

God help us all, where do we draw a line.

Adultery is another thing that everyone overlooks. Its alright to live together for awhile, but have we forgot the words of our Lord.

Even if you look at a woman with lust you have committed adultery with her in your heart.

The word of God tells

us. Proverbs 21:2 Every way of a man is right in his own eyes, but the Lord pondereth the hearts.

We need to turn back to God, and speak out against sin. People hunger for the truth.

They want to be told of their sins, and how to live for Jesus. To have power to overcome themselves.

God is the answer for today.

Sonora Tabernacle United Pentecostal Church
Rev. Kenneth Ray Doyle, Sr.

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.
WMU Tuesday 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Services 7:00 p.m.

First United Methodist Church
Rev. Paul Terry, Pastor
Church School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 10:45 a.m.

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.

St. Ann's Catholic Church
Rev. Louis B. Moeller
Sat. Vigil Mass 7 p.m.
Sunday Masses 8 a.m.
7:00 p.m.
10 a.m.
Holy Day Mass 7 p.m.

St. John's Episcopal Church
Rev. Ray Nations, Rector
Holy Com. 8 a.m.
11 a.m.
1st and 3rd Sundays
Morn. Prayer 11 a.m.
2nd and 4th Sundays

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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.

Hope Lutheran Church
John E. Hafermann, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.

Church of Christ
Ralph Weinhold, Sr., Minister
Bible School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Youth Group 5:00 p.m.
Sunday Eve. 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Eve. 7 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.

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)

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Strip Steak
lb **\$1.69**

Short Ribs Beef lb **99¢**
Sliced Picnic Hams lb **99¢**

 <p>32 oz bottles Coca-Cola 6 pk \$1.49</p>	 <p>Campbell's Tomato Soup 5 10 oz cans \$1</p>	 <p>Pillsbury Basic Bundt Cake Mix 18 1/4 oz box 79¢</p>
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Nabisco
Premium Crackers
1 lb pkg **59¢**


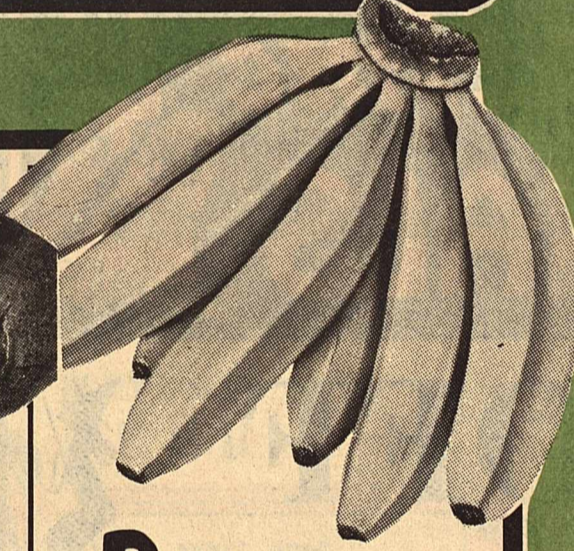
Gold Medal Flour
5 lb bag **59¢**



Spam
12 oz can **99¢**

Wolf Chili
19 oz can **69¢**

Texsun Grapefruit Juice
2 46 oz cans **\$1**

 <p>Potatoes 10 lb bag 89¢</p>	 <p>Bananas 5 lbs \$1</p>
<p>Carrots 5 1 lb bags \$1</p>	<p>Lemons 10 for \$1</p>
<p>Lettuce 35¢ head</p>	<p>Celery Hearts 2 for \$1</p>

Imperial Sugar
5 lb bag **89¢**

French's Black Pepper
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November 3
Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hearn

November 5
Mr. and Mrs. Jack D. Wardlaw

November 7
Mr. and Mrs. G. Gene Gonzales

November 9
Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Hill

November 11
Mr. and Mrs. James Brooks

November 13
Mr. and Mrs. Clayton

Hamilton
November 15
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Perry

November 21
Mr. and Mrs. Arturo Gandar

November 23
Mr. and Mrs. Roger Spencer

November 25
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Westerman

November 28
Mr. and Mrs. Norm Rousselot

VISITING
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shannon of Alpine visited with her mother, Mrs. Bernice Savell, over the weekend. Also visiting Mrs. Savell was her grandson, Mat Shannon of Abilene.

Happy Birthday

Thursday, October 27
Glenn Davis
Dick Hardgrave
Shelley Morris Brooks
Thurston McCutchen
Paul E. Turney

Friday, October 28
Mrs. Myrtle Sellman
Mrs. Royce Regeon
Mrs. Monnie Elliott

Saturday, October 29
Alice deBerry Brooks
Claire Davis
Brenda Carroll
Mrs. James Alexander

Sunday, October 30
Mrs. Pat Cooper
Mrs. Gene Shurley
Rodney Davis
George Hernandez
Mrs. Roger Spencer
Addie Thorp
Ginger Steed

Monday, October 31
Mrs. Gene Groom
Scott Savell
Terry Lynn Martin
Jack Skains
Lavern Sidel

Tuesday, November 1
Mrs. Lyles
Cheryl Awalt
Rick Street
Mrs. John Stokes
Sonora Chamber of Commerce
Dr. Lonnie Pollard
Enrique Sanchez
Nancy Monney

Wednesday, November 2
W.O. Crites
Ryon Dail Richardson
Susan Weston
Cristy Cooper

DECA MEMBERS TO SAN ANGELO
Local members of the DECA Club will travel to San Angelo Saturday where they will attend an area leadership conference. Attending will be Eddie Noriega, Lupe Gamez, Thomas Adkins, Sheila Doucet, Brenda Swyter and teacher, Louis Ferguson.

Band Boosters News

There will be no junior high, junior varsity or varsity games played here this week therefore no booster parents will be called upon to work or bring concessions. On November 3 there will be a junior varsity game and on November 11 Sonora's last varsity game will be played here against Ozona. Parents to work at these two games will be notified later.

Firemen's News

By Jerold Zech
October 18 - no fire calls.
October 19 - A grass fire at Alma Fay's on Highway 277 South by bridge. Men responding were Flores, Humphreys, Luttrell, McLaughlin, Odom, Stokes, Teaff, Taylor, Thorp, West and Huffstutler.
October 20-24 - no fire calls.

Los Compadres Club Meets

Mr. and Mrs. Marciano Hernandez hosted Los Compadres Club meeting Saturday at the Commercial party room. Baked ham, tossed salad, green beans, macaroni salad, fruit salad and dessert was served. Members attending were Messrs. and Mmes. Polo Cervantes, Pedro Galindo, Jr., Ralph Gonzales, Claude Flores, Frank Gallegos, Ricardo Perez, Lemuel Lopez, Arturo Trevino, Tiodoro Chavez, Julio Samaniego, Frank Morales and Robert Zapata. Guests attending were Messrs. and Mmes. Pedro Virgen, Reginaldo Perez, Pete Gomez and Ermilio Perez. Mrs. Polo Cervantes, director of the club, named committees for the club's annual dance "Fandango 77". Josie Gonzales and Tina Gallegos will hold the door prize drawing; Gloria Lopez and Eulogia Samaniego will name hosts for the evening, and Della Zapata will invite professional dancers from San Antonio who will interpret traditional Mexican dances. The event is by invitation only and Los Tejanos band will furnish music to dance by.



G. Wuest, SWTS Band Member

Sonora freshman Gary Wuest is among the members of the Southwest Texas State University Bobcat Marching Band of San Marcos. The band, under the direction of James Sudduth, provides halftime entertainment for home Bobcat football games, as well as providing musical programs for other university events. The band includes playing unit, majorette corps and the Strutters. They march to the baton of drum major Angie Amato, a junior from Ira, Texas. The band's next home performance will be at Homecoming, Saturday, Oct. 29. The band will perform in pre-game and halftime shows at SWT's Evans Field. Pre-game starts at 2 p.m. Wuest, an elementary education major, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wuest of Sonora. He plays the bass clarinet.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Monday, October 31
Tacos
Pinto Beans
Spanish Rice
Sweet Rolls
Milk

Tuesday, November 1
Meat Loaf/Tomato Sauce
Macaroni and Cheese
Green Beans
Hot Rolls
Peach Cobbler
Milk

Wednesday, November 2
Chicken Fried Steak
Mashed Potatoes/Gravy
Buttered Corn
Brownies
Lemonade
Milk

Thursday, November 3
Breaded Pork Patties
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Blackeye Peas
Hot Rolls
Yellow Cake / Pineapple
Icing
Milk

Friday, November 4
Hot Dogs/Chili
Carrot Sticks
Jello with Fruit
Ice Cream
Milk

Mrs. Jones Hosts Supper Bunko Club

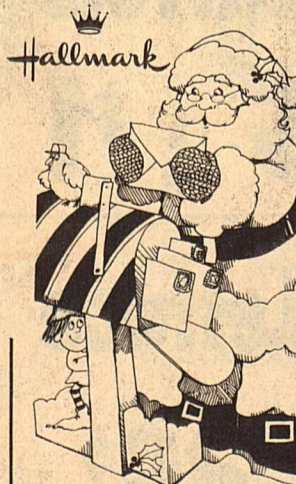
Mrs. Dorothy Jones was hostess last Wednesday night to members and guests of the Supper Bunko Club. A Mexican dinner was served at the Commercial Restaurant. Members attending were Twila Jones, Darla Berkley, Kathleen Moore, Mollie Hite, Debbie Hard, Ann McCutchen, Mozelle Wright and Pat Robbins. Debbie Westfall, Nora B. Kiser and Irene Mears were guests. Winning bunko was Dorothy Jones; high, Mollie Hite; second high, Debbie Hard, and low, Ann McCutchen.

Mrs. Kring Hosts Bunko

Mrs. Sherry Kring was hostess to a bunko party October 20 at her home. Winning bunko was Carolyn Davis; high, Susie Ramirez; second high, Lila Mae St. Claire, and low, Ms. Kring. Others attending were Demo McMinn, Theo Potter, Ann Self, Sue Turnbull, Jan Berry, Wanda Halford, Agnes Mooney and Lou DuBose.

Mrs. McMinn Hostess To Chaos Club

Mrs. Scooter McMinn was hostess Monday night to members and guests of the Chaos Bunko Club. She served cake, punch, chips and dips. Winning bunko was Mrs. Curtis Weant; high game, Mrs. Rodney Knight; second high, Mrs. Walter Walicek, and low game, Mrs. Susan Mirike. Other members attending were Mmes. Bill Jolly, Mollie Hite, Allen Hearn, Doug DuBose, and Archie Crenwelge. Mrs. Doris Smith and Mrs. Ann Self were guests of the club.



Christmas Cards
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Community Calendar

Thursday, October 27
3-5 p.m., Sutton Senior Center open.
3:15 p.m., Second grade Brownies meet.
6 p.m., Junior High Colts vs Mertzon, there.
Friday, October 28
8 p.m., Sonora Broncos vs Kermit, there.
Sunday, October 30
Services at the church of your choice.
Monday, October 31
3:15 p.m., second and third grade Brownies meet.
4:30 p.m., Junior Scouts meet.

5:00 p.m., Halloween Carnival in downtown Sonora.
Tuesday, November 1
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 meet.
7:30 p.m., Bronco Boosters meeting in school cafeteria.
Wednesday, November 2
3:15 p.m., Brownie, grade 3, meeting.

Baptist Women Hold Social

The Friendship Class of the First Baptist Church met last Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Verdena Franklin for a social and business meeting. Co-hostesses were Faye Dunnam and Earline Whitaker. Games were played and an inspirational devotion was given by Mrs. Dunnam. Refreshments were served to Mmes. Vivian Crites, Bill Doran, Mary Hoffman, Alice Schlagel, Mandy Turk and Jeanette Andrews.

Bailey Serving On Okinawa

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Sutton County Ranch News

Texas Livestock Industry Helps Nation

Some animal scientists believe the Texas livestock industry with its rangeland potential could be in a strong position in an energy-conscious society of the future.

All the same time, many other agricultural experts are concerned about the short-term ill effects of a sudden rise in energy costs might have on an already profit-slim livestock industry.

The particular concern of many agricultural economists are increases in transportation costs.

Reflecting an optimistic long-term view, Dr. Stewart Fowler, resident director of the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center in Uvalde, believes that "drastic agricultural reform" now might be in order.

"We need to plan now to produce acceptable beef at lower cost from less use of cereals and less cost in fossil fuels," Dr. Fowler said.

"This can perhaps be done with more forages from rangelands, which in our area make up three-fourths of the land.

"Livestock grazing on rangelands can reduce the drain on future fossil energy requirements for red meat production by providing an

opportunity to tap the energy of the sun without major alterations of natural ecosystems."

Dr. Fowler, a beef cattle physiologist by training, said a realignment of the beef cattle industry may have to take place toward greater utilization of range pastures and roughage with less long-term heavy-grain finishing in feedlots.

He said this will involve more well-adapted cattle possessing the greatest biological efficiency to perform well under rangeland conditions.

He cites genetic changes, improved nutrition and better herd management as goals for the future in an energy-conscious cattle industry.

Another optimistic view is expressed by another observer of the Southwest Texas livestock scene, Dr. LeRoy Hoermann, a livestock specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Uvalde.

"When you consider the alternatives in the energy situation, protein from animals produced on low energy grasses and gorages has to be more attractive than crop

protein sources requiring high energy inputs," Dr. Hoermann said.

Ruminant animals such as cattle and sheep are the only method available to harvest and convert large quantities of grasses and forage into protein for human consumption.

"These range resources are renewable, and in many cases, there is absolutely no other feasible use for these rangelands," Dr. Hoermann said.

"In the long-term, using these rangelands to produce red meat will have to be an alternative for helping to supply the world food needs."

Still, there many people who are deeply concerned over the short-term energy problems looming over the livestock industry, especially if the National Energy Plan proposed by President Carter passes.

Dr. Fowler's forecast for "drastic reform" of the industry may be forced by the Energy plan.

A recent analysis of the Carter Energy Plan entitled "Analysis of the National Energy Plan: The Effects on Texas Agriculture" conducted by agricultural economists and agricultural engineers

within the Texas A&M University System indicates that the Plan will force some shifts and adjustments in production in those livestock enterprises where fuel requirements represent a high percentage of production costs.

"Additional production costs now will severely affect the ability of cow-calf producers to continue operations and will eventually lead to shortages of meat products," the report said.

Livestock production represents more than 50 per cent of the cash receipts from agriculture in Texas with the state leading the nation in cattle and calf production. Texas also is an important producer of sheep and wool.

Both these livestock enterprises rate high in the agricultural economy of this region of the state defined as Southwest Texas.

Based on information analyzed by agricultural economists and agricultural engineers with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Texas Water Resources Institute at Texas A&M University, the report concludes that Texas cow-calf producers are

the people within the industry who have the least flexibility in bearing the impact of higher taxes on energy use proposed by the National Energy Plan.

Another impact will be to erode the competitive position of Texas meat and dairy industries nationally, since the state generally uses more energy than is used in competing areas.

A final impact will be high food prices for consumers.

While conceding the desirability to reduce energy consumed in transportation, the report urges that delivery of agricultural products not be disrupted.

"Cost of livestock production is closely tied to transportation costs and could be adversely affected by the proposed standby taxes on light duty trucks," the report said.

"Pickups and panel trucks travel more than 3 billion miles annually in Texas for agricultural purposes, with much of this travel being related to livestock operation."

A 10 cents per gallon tax added to fuel prices for agricultural travel would represent about 2.5 per cent of the net income of Texas.

The report claims much of this

expense would fall directly on the rancher who is already caught in a cost-price squeeze.

"The only method for transferring these increased costs of production is through increased prices of agricultural products," the report said. "Price increases in the short-run, however, cannot occur unless there are shortages in production, so the end result may not be immediately apparent."

Analysts urge in the report that measures should be taken to exempt transportation of certain agricultural commodities from the standby tax, and maintain that livestock and meat is one commodity which should receive consideration.

Sheep and goat producers in the upper Rio Grande Plain and Edwards Plateau regions of the state also may quickly feel the effect of the standby tax since about 14 per cent of the production costs for these animals is tied to energy needs.

"The enactment of President Carter's energy proposal would not only cause changes in the production of sheep and goats, the report stresses, "but might be expected to force a substantial decline in Texas numbers."

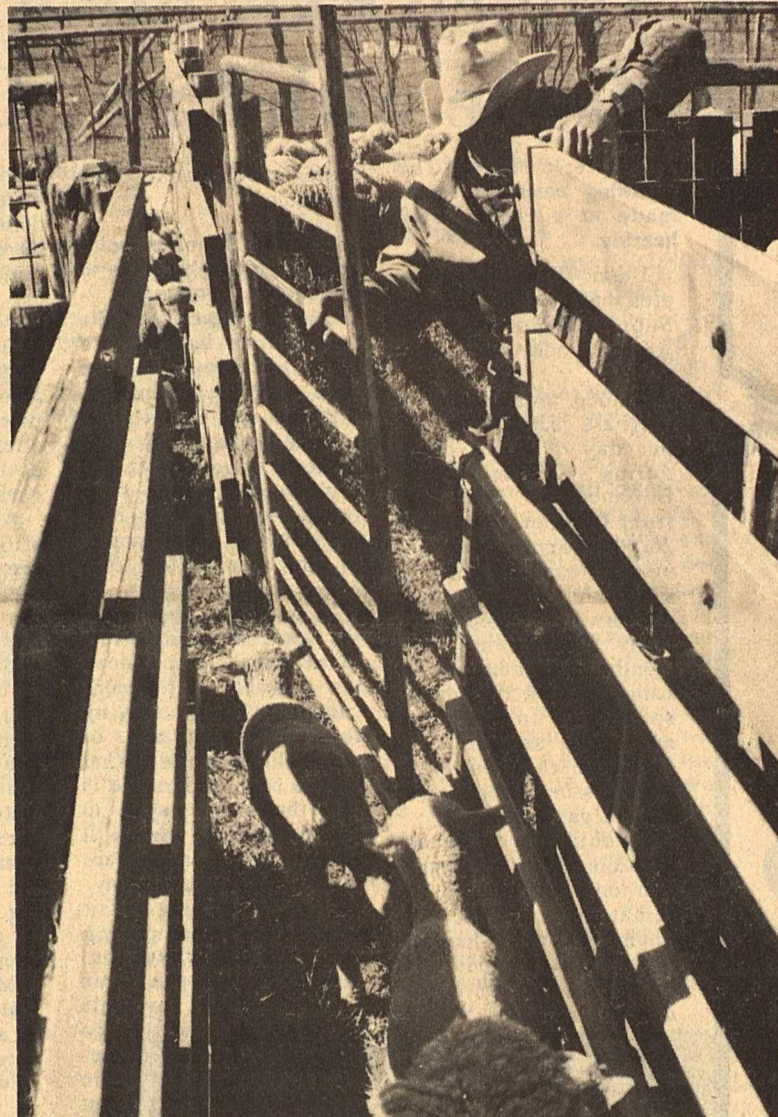
Fred Campbell's Wool and Mohair Report

Overseas wool markets continuing their gradual firming trend. Retail business for wool and mohair products is good. Trade reports indicate a good future for wool and mohair products.

The limiting factor in the overseas markets just now are the economic problems besetting the various consuming countries. Many companies here and overseas are exercising caution in taking and placing business because of uncertainties. Concern over rapidly rising costs has caused more hand to mouth buying by many mills. Stocks of unsold wool in the U.S.

are approximately 5 to 6 million pounds. This is a very small quantity for this time for year. Very little selling is taking place, and mostly it is clean-up selling.

The mohair market is another matter. Prices of mohair have climbed sharply the past three weeks. Two weeks ago there was about 1.5 million pounds of mohair available and at this time we have from one-half to three-quarters million remaining unsold. Prices currently being quoted for clean adult mohair are 2.65-2.75 and for yearlings 3.10 to 3.88 depending on grade (the bulk selling for 3.45 to 3.55) and kids selling up to 4.82.



ABOUT 14 PER CENT of the production costs for sheep and goats in the upper Rio Grande Plain and Edwards Plateau regions are tied directly to energy needs. A standby tax on fuel, if enacted, could force a decline in Texas sheep and goat numbers at a time when the industry is making efforts to increase livestock numbers.

Cattle Market Brighter

The cattle feeding picture is brightening somewhat due to an improved fed cattle market and declining grain prices, says a livestock marketing specialist for the Texas Agriculture Extension Service.

"Thus, cow-calf producers might want to consider feeding their

calves or yearlings this year," says Dr. Ed Uvacek. "If they do, they need to remember to carefully price the feeders at current market prices, instead of at their actual cost."

Due to reduced calf supplies, producers will likely be paying higher prices for light-weight feeders. However, Uvacek cautions producers not to overpay.

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Bobcat Problem Discussed at TS&GRA Meet

The bobcat was a major topic of discussion during the predatory animal committee session at the recent Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association meeting in Junction.

TS&GRA executive secretary Bill Sims told committee members that the current proposal to add the bobcat to the Endangered Species list is apparently undergoing gratifying tough sledding, though the fight can in no way be considered over.

Even if the proposal is defeated, another slightly less drastic but nevertheless damaging plan is afoot.

Letters to the Interior Department commenting on the endangered species inclusion move are so far running against the proposal, Sims said. In addition, the relatively long comment period allowed by Interior suggests that the department itself is none too keen on the idea, either.

Most plans favored by Interior are rushed through rapidly, he explains, opposition forces often being granted only a month to voice disagreement.

Still, producers are urged to write the department before Nov. 1, to help insure the proposal's defeat.

If defeated, the proposal could always be resurrected at a later date, and meanwhile a lightly watered down attempt to curtail bobcat control is already rearing its head.

Offered for comment by the federal Endangered Species Scientific Authority, this measure would ban export of bobcat furs.

The rationale for this regulation, and also the strongest argument against it from the sheep and goat producers' standpoint, is the fact

that Europe is the ultimate market for almost all bobcat furs taken in the United States.

Sealing access to this market would virtually eliminate the fur price structure currently existing. The end result would be to curtail private trapping for bobcats by making their skins almost worthless.

With increasingly restrictive limitations on predator control methods, producers have come to view private fur trappers as essential allies; the producer along simply cannot afford the manpower and expense necessary for control with the tools he is allowed to use.

Sims said that if the ban goes through, a court injunction against it might be effective, but acquiring the injunction would probably be too expensive in itself.

He favored an attempt to take off a little heat - head the ban off at the pass, as it were. Both Sims and Extension Service wildlife specialist Milo Shult suggested placing the bobcat on the fur-bearer list; a classification that would allow bobcat control year-round but would limit sale of furs to a certain period of the year.

Shult described the plan as good public relations - evidence that ranchers favor responsible environmental concerns.

After all, ranchers are increasingly viewing themselves as the only realistic environmentalists left in the country.

Such a measure would also set up the mechanism for taking an accountable bobcat census - a must if we are ever faced with proving to the unenlightened that the bobcat is indeed safe from extinction in Texas.

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Permits to Drill Total 18,675

Applications for permits to drill oil and gas tests in Texas totaled 18,675 for the first nine and a half months of 1977, up from 16,157 for the same period in 1976.

Year-to-date applications to drill, deepen, plug back and for service wells totaled 21,730 against 19,107 a year ago, the Railroad Commission's Oil and Gas Division reported in its semimonthly drilling report.

The report showed 26 oil discoveries and 27 gas strikes were completed in Texas during the Oct. 1-15, 1977 period.

Oil discoveries included eight in the north Texas area, three each in the

Lubbock and Panhandle areas, two each in the deep south Texas, south-east Texas and east, east central and west central regions of the state, and one each in the Refugio and Midland areas.

Gas discoveries included seven in west central Texas, six in the Refugio area, five each in deep south Texas and southeast Texas, three in east Texas and one in the Panhandle area.

The Oil and Gas Division listed 10,368 oil, gas or service well completions for the year to date, up from 9,616 a year earlier.

Of the 6,394 oil completions so far in 1977, 460 were discovery wells. A year earlier there were 5,840 oil completions with 438 listed as oil discoveries.

Gas well completions this year total 3,403 of which 632 are discovery

wells. For the same 1976 period, Texas had 3,357 gas well completions including 738 discoveries.

The report shows total drilling applications of 955 for the latest two-week period and logs 602 oil, gas and service well completions.

There were 336 oil and 216 gas well completions since the last semimonthly drilling report. In the Oct. 1-15 period, 152 exploratory and field tests wound up as dry holes.

★ Petroleum News

Average Calendar Day Allowable Set at 100%

Average calendar day allowable of Texas oil production as of Oct. 15 totals 3,562,102 barrels, the Railroad Commission's Oil and Gas Division has reported.

This legal rate flow from 178,596 wells on allowable schedules compares with 3,542,414 barrels daily on Oct. 1 when 178,063 wells were listed.

Texas oil allowable in October 1977 is pegged statewide to a 100 percent market demand factor. Estimated actual production this month is approximately 2,984,000 barrels daily and compares with actual production of 3,142,929 barrels daily in the same month last year.

The Commission lists 8,886 oil fields in the state on Oct. 15.

November Nominations Down from October

November 1977 field nominations for the purchase of Texas crude oil total 3,043,152 barrels daily and additional demand is 762,559 barrels daily for a grand total of 3,805,711 barrels daily.

This represents a decrease of 11,240 barrels daily from total October

nominations.

The Railroad Commission will set the November production allowable at the monthly statewide oil and gas prorating hearing at 9 a.m. Tuesday at the Austin Hilton Hotel here.

The statewide oil allowable for October is set at 100 percent of market demand.

B.W. Granger In Philippines

Navy Radioman Third Class Bobby W. Granger, son of Bob Granger of Sonora, is currently participating in exercise "Fortress Lightning" in the Republic of the Philippines.

He is serving as a crewmember aboard the amphibious cargo ship USS St. Louis, homeported in San Diego.

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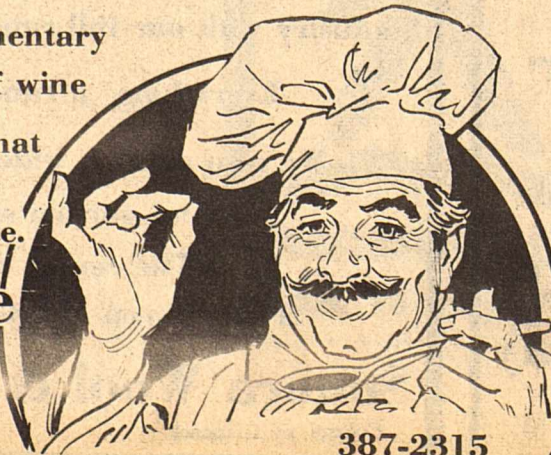
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Wallace Praises U.S. Senate on Energy Action

Editor's note: The following comments were made by RRC Chairman Mack Wallace last week.

The Chair would like to observe recently the United States Senate was criticized by President Carter for taking a very hard look at the future of the country (as pertains in the Carter energy plan).

"We cannot afford to continue to pay foreign producers twice as much as we are willing to pay our friends and neighbors for their product. This country was not founded on that type of logic and we cannot maintain our

position in world affairs if we continue to practice that type of logic."

"I would like to make one further observation about Texas lignite production and about the Interstate Mining Compact. Within the past two weeks I was in Birmingham at the Mining Compact fall meeting. The Compact passed a resolution which called on President Carter to schedule a conference of the governors of the mining states."

"At that conference it was to be discussed why, in our opinion, we could

Amoco Executive Takes Issue with Pres. Carter

Editor's note: The following comments were made at a recent RRC hearing.

I am W.W. Mayben, area manager of Crude Oil Supply Negotiations for Amoco Production Company.

Amoco nominates to purchase 330,000 barrels per day of Texas crude during the month of November... unchanged from October, but down 20,000 barrels per day over the past two years as a result of continuing declines in production.

Mr. Chairman, some months ago, Commissioner Langdon invited industry spokesmen to use these nominating sessions as a forum in which to speak out on issues affecting the oil and gas industry.

I would like to accept the Commissioner's invitation today and make a few remarks about the continuing decline in domestic -- and Texas -- production.

Amoco's concern in the matter runs deep: We are an industry leader in terms of net wells drilled and the fourth largest producer of net crude oil in the U.S.

I think the fact that Amoco's nomination for Texas crude is down 20,000 barrels a day in the last two years is a complete rebuttal to those who say controlled crude prices are adequate incentive for increased production.

The situation here in Texas provides a laboratory demonstration that they are not.

In Texas, there are a large number of active fields, many of which are suitable for experiments in advanced recovery methods. Texans have the physical presence of the most sophisticated engineers and reservoir management staffs in the world.

Here, the oil industry has huge investments in wells, in storage, and in pipelines already in place. And we have a large

experienced labor force available.

In short, the oil industry has everything in Texas to encourage production -- except the incentive of the market. An because we lack that incentive, we have declining production.

Amoco believes that if the controlled price of domestic crude oil is not high enough to spur production in Texas, it is certainly not high enough to spur production anywhere in the U.S.

In proposing the Crude Oil Equalization Tax, President Carter announced the principle that Americans must begin paying the replacement costs of the fuel they use. What Amoco can't understand is why they can't pay it to the producers who will actually go out and replace what is being used today.

There is nothing unfair about consumers paying the products they consume. But by the same token, once they have paid it, they are entitled to expect that the replacement will actually be made. Under the present circumstances, the producers who are expected to do the replacing are denied the cash-flow to do it.

By extension, the same thing applies to natural gas as well. The Administration tells us that \$1.75 is a fair price for a thousand cubic feet of natural gas.

But everybody in this room knows that the delivered price of foreign gas is between \$2.50 and \$4.00 per thousand feet.

Amoco doesn't know why it is fair to pay American producers less than half what we are willing to pay for foreign gas. We don't know why it is in the national interest to become increasingly dependent on foreign supplies at prices that add huge deficits to our balance of payments.

We do know that paying U.S. producers that we are

paying foreign governments would lead to more domestic discoveries and development, and promote employment in the U.S. We do know that buying oil and gas in the U.S. would reduce the balance of payments deficits. We also know that higher prices for conventional energy would spur the development of alternate energy sources.

Amoco knows there is still oil and gas to be discovered in this country, discovered in this country. We have at present more sites than we can drill under present conditions of cash flow. We believe that if the same amount of money, which may soon be exacted by the tax on crude oil were to be distributed to the producers through the mechanism of the marketplace, the country would take a big step toward reducing its dependency on foreign energy.

Mr. Chairman, I realize that there is nothing new in all this for most of us here today. But I think it is worth keeping in mind as Congress tries to resolve the Senate and House versions of the Energy Program.

Now is the last chance we will have to make our voices heard during this session of Congress in the struggle for a sane National Energy Policy.

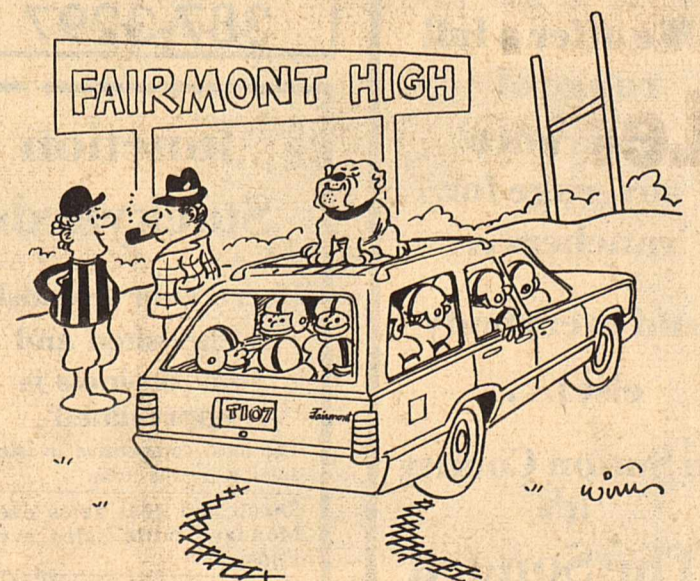
We have to use the intervening time to speak -- not only to ourselves -- but to the public and to our representatives in Congress as well. We need not only decontrol of new natural gas, but a phased decontrol of crude prices as well. Thank you.

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Colts Win Their 7th

By Kay Holdridge
The seventh grade Colts had a difficult time with Reagan Co. but managed to pull out a 6-0 victory to preserve their 7-0-1 record. They beat the Owls rather handily 20-0 in the first meeting.

The first half was a defensive stalemate as neither team could find paydirt. The Colts' deepest penetration was to the Owl 22 before running out of downs. The Owls never managed to invade Colt territory in the first half as

they only drove to their own 45.

The lone score of the game was set up on the first play from scrimmage after the Colts' kickoff to open the second half. The Owl quarterback fumbled and David Buitron and Jeff Barton covered the loose pigskin on the Sonora 38. Runs by Eddie Vallejo and Ponciano Castillo moved the ball to the 46 before a 15 yard penalty against the Owls moved the ball to the Reagan Co. 24. Another

Owl penalty moved the ball to the 5 where Castillo punched the 2 and then carried it in. Joe Rodriguez's run for the 2 point PAT was short and the Colts led 6-0.

Reagan County could only manage to move to the Sonora 30. Defensively, Buitron, Rodriguez, and Vallejo would not allow any more.

The Colts will travel to Merton Thursday to finish their season. Kickoff is at 6:00.

8th Graders Trounce Owls

The 8th Grade Colts finished their Jr. High football action with a 43-0 trouncing of the visiting Reagan Co. Owls, a team who defeated them 18-12 in their previous encounter. The 8th grade ends their season with a 4-2-1 record and a combined 7th and 8th grade record of

10-4-1.

The Colts played excellent defense throughout the game. Frisby Bible, Pete Lira, Ponciano Castillo, and Hector Samaniego completely dominated the Owl offense and second stringer Perry Don Draper intercepted a pass to end a fourth quarter Owl scoring

threat. Bible and Robert Dawson recovered Owl fumbles to further thwart the Owl offense. The entire defensive line was responsible for the safety as they caught Owl running back Michael Collins in the Owl endzone. The 2 point safety gave Sonora 2 points and upped the early score to 8-0 in favor of the Colts.

All Sonora starting running backs scored touchdowns and Joe David Favila, end, was responsible for the 2 point PAT.

Joe Longoria scored one of his three touchdowns early in the game and the Colts led 6-0. The PAT was no good but the safety after the ensuring kickoff made up for the missed PAT. Scott Savell scored two touchdowns including one on a hidden ball razzle dazzle play, and Ponciano Castillo added one more to the score. Pete Lira kicked one PAT to complete the scoring.

Quarterback Allen Stewart didn't have to rely on passing during this game because the offensive line had little trouble opening holes in the Reagan Co. line. When he did pass, Stewart hit Scott Savell for 30 yards.

The entire roster of boys played quite a bit in this last game of the year.

The 8th grade Colts are coached by Oliver Wuest and David Patton.

Trinity Baptist To Sponsor Annual Mission Conference

The Trinity Baptist Temple will sponsor their first annual Mission Conference November 2-6 at 7:30 p.m. each night.

The Rev. L.W. Hatfield, pastor of Faith Baptist Church in Snyder, will be the conference speaker, along with missionaries from Argentina, Kenya and Mexico.

Trinity Baptist Temple is a mission oriented church, having started as a home mission project. The goal and purpose of the conference is to acquaint members of the church with missions and missionaries to raise \$5,000 for the 1978 year.

The church now has mission projects in Germany and France and has

helped start a church in Colorado City. The goal of the church is to have a minimum of ten mission projects by January.

The mission program operates on a personal basis, meaning the missionaries come and present their mission field to the local church. Missionaries, if supported by the church, send a letter every month along with a receipt stating he has received monthly support and giving a report of their work.

Dr. Gaylan McClellan, pastor of Trinity Baptist, extends an invitation to everyone to attend this conference. Free transportation may be obtained by calling 387-2277 or 387-2377.



Fran Friess, Lance Love, Preston O. Love, Jr. and Cathy Doran won Conservation of Natural Resources awards.

Police Reports

October 17

1 p.m., A report of two suspicious persons hanging around a house on Mulberry was investigated.

9:18 p.m., A resident on W. 4th Street reported a break-in at his residence. Nothing was stolen or damaged.

October 18

10:18 p.m., A 5th Street resident reported suspicious vehicle parked near his residence.

12:55 a.m., Police answered a call to a domestic problem.

7:46 a.m., A hit and run accident at a Concho Street address was reported.

October 19

7:15 a.m., A possible burglary call was answered.

10:25 p.m., A Tayloe

Street resident reported possible prowlers.

11:07 p.m., A fight at a local cafe was reported and settled on arrival of officers. Two male suspects were counseled.

October 20

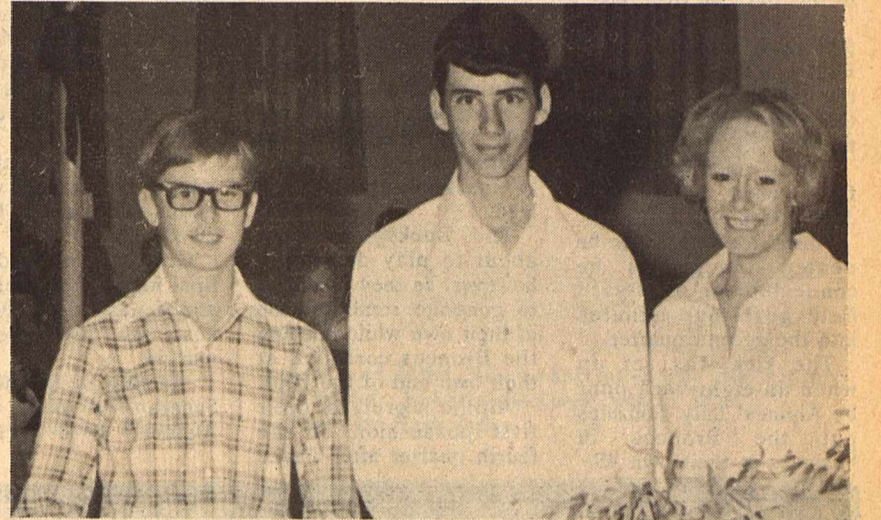
1:46 a.m., A call regarding a female being harassed by two males was answered. Suspects were gone on arrival of police.

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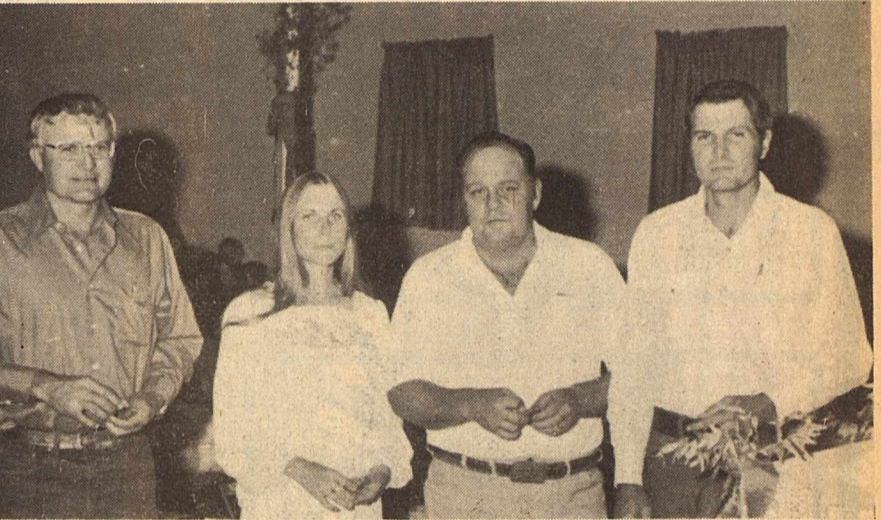
7:49 p.m., Two boys on bicycles were reported to be breaking windows at the Foodway Store.

October 22

9:14 p.m., A call reporting a possible drunk driver was reported. The suspect was driving a van occupied by several young males. Three units were notified and subjects were taken home to parents.



Achievement Awards-Espy Whitehead, Marshall Doran and Jamie Condra.



Alumni Recognition Awards were presented to Tommy Love, Margaret Walsh, Ted Bailey Joy and Preston O. Love.



Whit Paxton, Clay Friess, Marla Van Hoozer and Susan Dunnam and Rex Surber [not pictured] were winners of the sheep awards.



Horse Award winners were Nancy Benson, Robert Mittel and Pam Marlow. Adam Hernandez [not pictured].

Reflections

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Some years ago while serving as a chaplain in a metropolitan hospital I encountered a patient, a young mother, whose diagnostic tests indicated the presence of a possibly wide spread malignancy. Just before her surgery I stopped by her room and encountered her pastor. He prayed for her loudly and vociferously and I remember clearly one portion of the prayer "Lord, if you love her and her family, I know you're going to heal her and bring her back to health so she can raise her kids..."

In a few hours she was returned to her room. Within a short while the news was broken to the family-the condition was

terminal. Within a few weeks she was dead.

The words of the prayer echoed with me "Lord, if you love..." Would her death mean God did not love her, or her husband, or her children? These were questions she and her family had asked, and as her pastor was seldom seen following the surgery, it fell my lot to deal with these theological issues with them. We concluded slowly and not without pain that God indeed loved all of them, that He was not the author of her pain, but was with them all even in their time of anguish. She was healed, but the healing was spiritual, not physical, for spiritual healing must be deeper, and must always include the possibility of death, which for the Christian is the final healing into eternal life.

Hospital News

Patients receiving treatment at Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, October 18 thru Monday, October 24 include the following:

- Muriel Hamilton*
- Wayne Braden*
- Ann Moss*
- Nell Graves*
- Geneva Crawford*
- Ruby Stephen*
- James C. Stephen*
- Gerald Marlow*
- Tuck N. Monk*
- Jimmy Cook*
- Eusebio Garza*
- Tommy McKissack*
- Betty Lopez*
- J.W. Sykes*
- Ollie Kent
- Mary Padgett*
- Guadalupe Gamez
- Maria Torres*
- Brenda Ledbetter*
- Baby Boy Padgett*
- Baby Boy Ledbetter*
- Wanda Mobley
- Clayton Doan*
- Laura Odom*
- Cades Pope*
- Frances Perez
- Juan Barron*
- Stella Gamez
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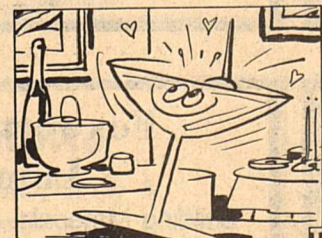
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Broncos Win Over Bucks

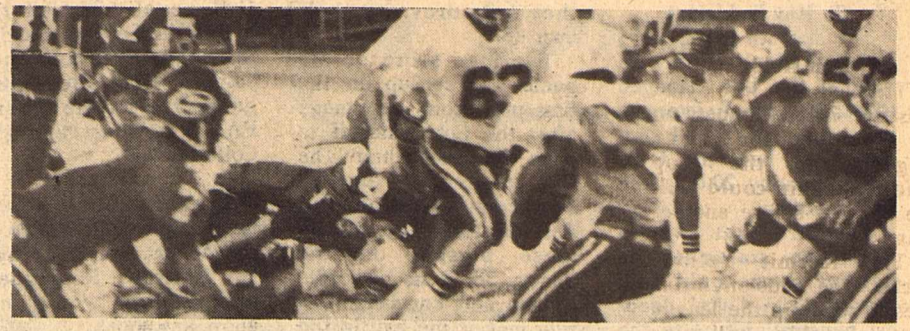
By Don Holdridge
A swarming goal line defense and a new-found potency in a new offense were the keys as the Sonora Broncos dressed out the Alpine Bucks 23-14.
Bronco coach Bill Bundy changed horses in mid-stream, unleashing a new veer offense that stepped off 237 rushing yards, while the defense stopped the Bucks twice inside the five-yard line.
Sonora struck first blood midway through the first quarter as Manuel Lopez returned a punt 36 yards to the Buck 28-yard line.
Johnny Creek picked up four yards and quarterback Benny Granger traveled to the one on the option play that was so successful all night.
Lopez rolled across the final yard, but Mike Jones' kick was blocked.
Jones' toe was not to be denied though as he connected for a 28-yard field goal four minutes into the second quarter.
The kick was set up when an eight-yard punt by Alpines' Luty Gonzales put the Broncos in business at their own 45.

A 23-yard burst by Creek and a 15-yard Granger-to-Bruce Phillips pass were key plays in the drive.
The Red Hosses lit up the scoreboard again two minutes later after Tobin Joy recovered a Larry Payne fumble.
It took only three plays for the hosts to find the endzone with Creek bulling the final 13 yards behind a clearing block by Ross Roberts.
Jones split the uprights this time for the PAT.
The Broncos missed another scoring opportunity as Eddie Favila darted 58 yards on a punt return, but the apparent touchdown was called back on a clipping charge.
Nevertheless, the Broncos left the field at halftime with an apparently insurmountable 16-0 lead.
The Bucks were not about to play doormats, however, as they managed to generate some offense of their own while keeping the Broncos corralled at their own end of the field.
Alpine scored on their first possession of the fourth quarter after Payne

hit Danny Saenz with a 24-yard strike to the one and then sneaked over for the tally.
The conversion failed as Payne's lateral to Ito Leyva went away.
The Bucks wasted no time in narrowing the margin even further.
Saenz intercepted a Granger pass and returned it to the 30-yard line.
A personal foul on the broncos moved the pigskin to the fifteen, and on the next play Leyva slashed off left tackle and nosed into the corner of the endzone.
Payne's aerial to Saenz on the conversion cut the Red Hoss lead to 16-14.
The Broncos stormed right back to ice the game with a 12-play, 66-yard drive.
Favila picked up the bulk of the yardage on the march with runs of 12 and 20 steps.
Granger plowed the final four yards to paydirt, and Jones' kick gave the hosts the final nine-point margin.
Scoring By Quarters
Sonora 6 10 0 7 23
Alpine 0 0 0 14 14

Sonora
Rushing-Creek, 15 carries, 80 yds.; Granger, 14 carries, 70 yds.; Lopez, 17 carries, 42 yds.; Favila, 4 carries, 35 yds.
Passing-Granger, 3-7-1, 34 yds.
Receiving-Phillips, 3 receptions, 34 yds.
Alpine
Rushing-Leyva, 19 carries, 106 yds.; Payne, 11 carries, 37 yds.; Donohue, 10 carries, 13 yds.
Passing-Payne, 6-9-1, 48 yds.
Receiving-Saenz, 3 receptions, 70 yds.; Donohue, 2 receptions, 10 yds.; Leyva, 1 reception, 4 yds.

Bronco defensive efforts stymied the Alpine Bucks throughout last Friday's contest. Kent Cagle [41] reaches for a Buck running back as Johnny Creek [44] goes underneath and Bunk Galbreath [7] closes in for the tackle. [Photo by Herb Jones]



Getting the game going in the Bronco's favor, Manuel Lopez blasted down the sidelines on the first punt return, reaching into Alpine's end of the field. Lopez' teammates set up a wall and the swift Bronco

running back turned on the juice. Assistant Coach Roland Pfeiffer [second right] and Coach Bill Bundy encourage Lopez on his run. [Photo by Herb Jones]

Stats

Sonora	Alpine
18	9d
237	157
34	48
261	205
3-7-1	6-10-1
2-1	1-1
5-29.0	4-32.0
7-88	10-75



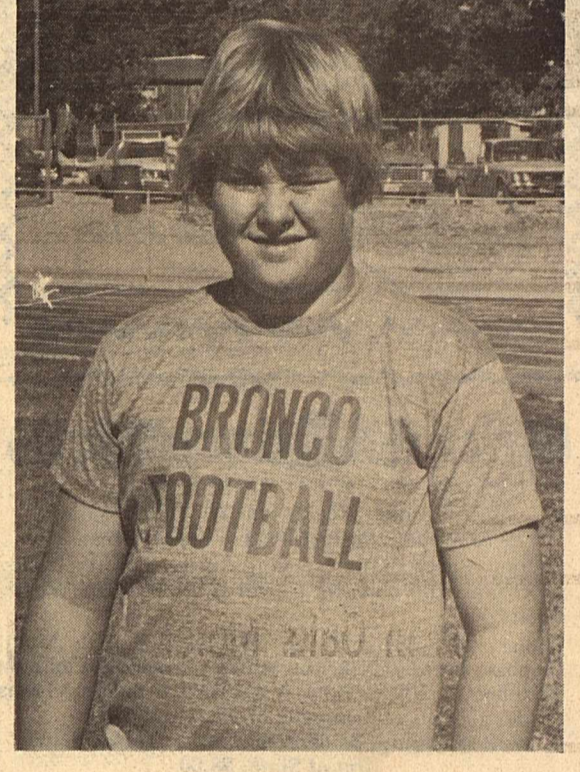
Manager

Tim Burnett is the 14 year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wes Burnett and is a freshman at Sonora High School. Tim has lived in Sonora one year and plays football, basketball, tennis and track.



Cheerleaders

[top row] Janie Gold, Nancy Mooney, Emily Elliott [mascot], [bottom row] Jane Wallace, Janice Grider [head Cheerleader] and Gloria Gomez.



Manager

Gary Vick is a 15 year-old sophomore who has lived in Sonora less than one year, arriving here from Odessa. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Vick and he enjoys playing football and baseball.

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District Competition Starts Friday



By Don Holdridge
The first week of District 7-AA competition is scheduled for Friday night, and the loop championship could well be decided before another sun rises.
The Kermit Yellow-jacket, the odds-on favorites to wrap up the league championship, will play host to their number one

contender, the Sonora Broncos.
Most prognosticators see the victor emerging as the district titlist and with good reason.
The 'Jackets are loaded with talent in all departments.
Offensively, quarterback Scott Edwards and running backs Alfred McGilbra, Clifford Holt and Ray

Jennings, lead the charge while line stalwarts Patrick Partin and Craig Shores, double up to head up a staunch defensive crew.
Bronco coach Bill Bundy admits it will take a tremendous effort to swat the Yellowjackets.
"They're big, strong, have unbelievable depth, and move well on defense," he said.

Naturally Bundy was pleased with his team's effort against Alpine, especially the offensive line which outpowered the larger Bucks, enabling Bronco backs to rush for a six-yard average.
The Bronco coach singled out Benny Granger and Johnny Creek as having a good offensive game and also the defensive front wall of Ross Roberts, Bobby Cook, Bruce Phillips and David Reyna.

In the other district opener Ozona takes on Crane.

Both teams are given an outside chance of capturing the district crown should Kermit or Sonora falter.

Ozona sports a 5-2 record, and although most of the Lions from last year's regional championship team are gone. Blake Moody returns as the premier runner in the league to give the Lions a definite threat.

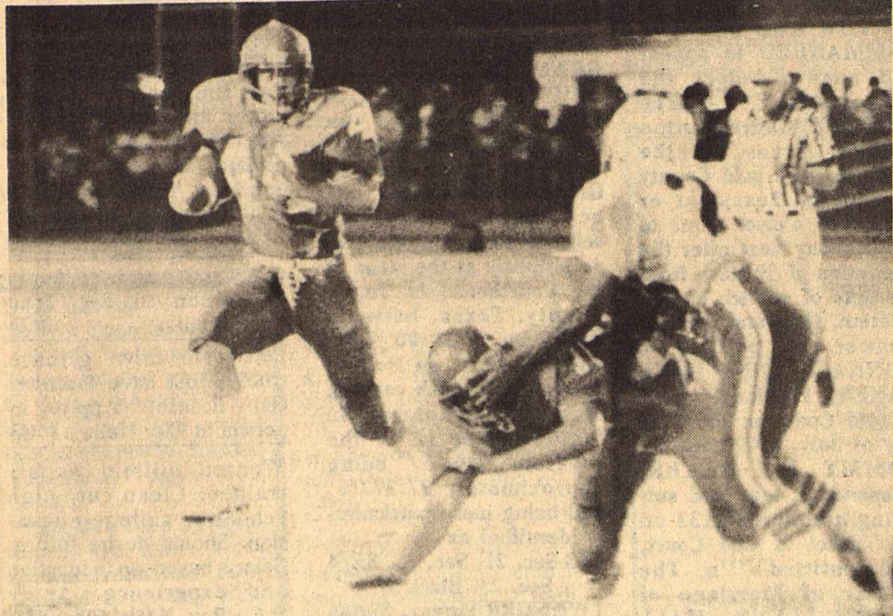
Despite their 2-5 record Crane has most opposition coaches worried.

Behind Rocky Rives, the district's leading passer, and brother Ricky, a speedy back, the Golden Cranes have the most

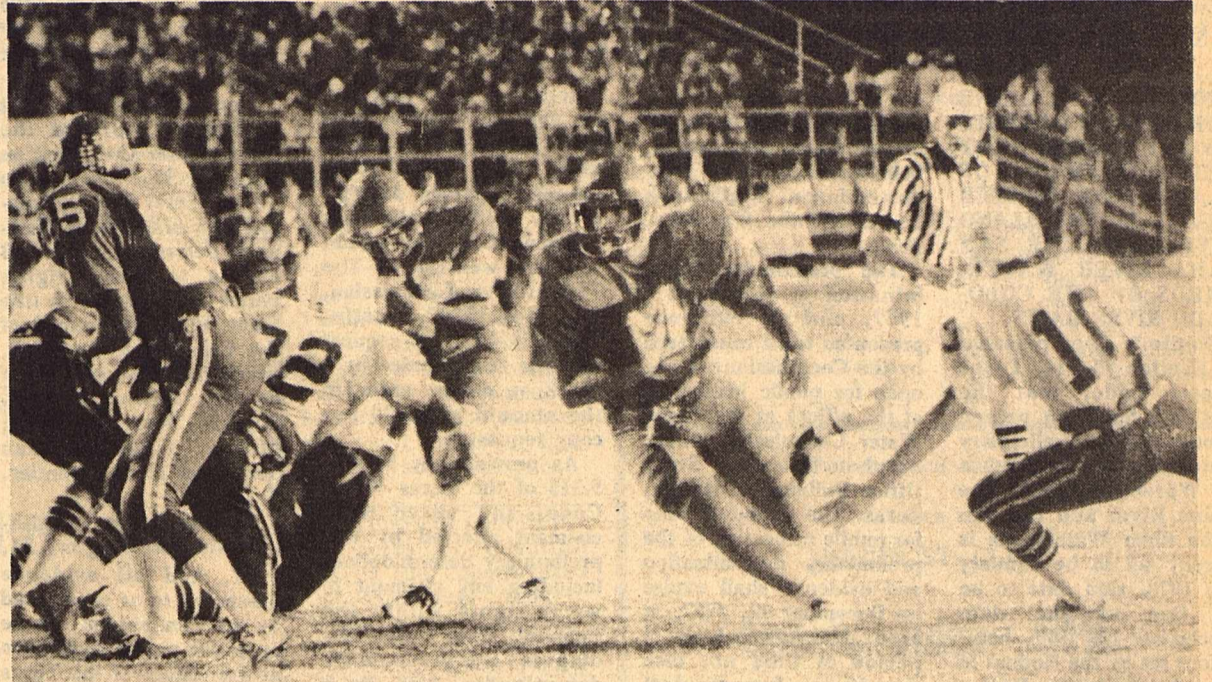
productive offense in the loop.
One thing that could dampen their title dreams

is the loss of league-leading receiver, Perry Grooms and outstanding lineman Jim Smitherman.

Option Left, Broncos



Johnny Creek gets a clearing block from Dan Lawson [70] as the Bronco fullback turns the corner during first half action against Alpine last Friday.



Running the option to perfection is Bronco quarterback Benny Granger [11] as he splits the Alpine defense and breaks into the secondary. Sonora

tight end Mike Jones [85] takes out the Alpine linebacker, just like the coach said to do it. [Photo by Herb Jones]

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Brownie News

Brownie Troop 241 has been studying bicycle safety in order to meet the requirements for the "Pedal Person Patch". Last Wednesday the Brownies had a bicycle trek up to the parking lot across from the Methodist

church. Police Chief Jerry Kemp talked with the troop about bicycling and safety rules. Girls in the troop have sold Girl Scout calendars this month. Plans are also made for the Scout's Halloween carnival to be held Saturday, October 29 from 2-5 p.m. at the Scout Hut on Water Street.

Members of the troop are Kelly Cahill, Carrie Cox, Kristin Keel, Kemberly Crosson, Tammy Ford, Rita Galindo, Dina Graves, Cinnamon Hughes, Robin Kneese, Katherine Mathews, Gail Mesa, Heather Nevill, Lisa Parades, and Sandy Blankenship. Girls also met the registration requirements

of the El Camino Girl Scout Council before the given deadline and therefore earned the "Super Troop Patch" for this year.

Public Notice

NOTICE OF THE PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION BY THE TEXAS WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION OF ALL CLAIMS TO WATER RIGHTS IN THE LLANO 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 Llano River Watershed of the Colorado River Basin, which includes portions of Sutton, Edwards, Real, Kimble, Kerr, Menard, Mason, Gillespie, San Saba and Llano 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 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
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Public Notices

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Notice is given pursuant to Section 11.311, 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.

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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 must be 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

2c8

CLASSIFIED ADS

Public Notices

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: TOMMY JOE BAKER, Respondent: GREETINGS: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear and answer before the Honorable 112th DISTRICT Court, Sutton County, Texas, at the Court House of said County in Sonora, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 20 days from the date of service of this citation, then and there to answer the petition of DONNA LYNN HALL BAKER, Petitioner, filed in said Court on the 29th day of July, 1977, against TOMMY JOE BAKER, Respondent, and said suit being numbered 2133 on the docket of said Court, and entitled "In The Matter of Marriage of DONNA LYNN HALL BAKER and TOMMY JOE BAKER", the nature of which suit is a DIVORCE SUIT.

The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree dissolving the marriage and providing for the division of property which will be binding on you.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs. Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said Court at Sonora, Texas, this 20th day of October, 1977.

Emma Lee Turner Clerk,
112th District Court,
Sutton County, Texas.
1c9

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 Llano 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.

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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 Court House 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

Auto mechanic, experienced only, must have own tools. 44 hour work week, apply in person. Sonora Motor Co. tf3

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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

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

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

Wanted oilfield supply trainee. Clean cut, high school or college education. Should desire future. Salary based on education and experience. Apply P.O. Box 1798, Eldorado, Texas. tf9

Need dozer operator. Call 884-2576, Big Lake. 2p9

Wanted

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

Business Services

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ALL TYPES ROOF REPAIR and quality roofs. Kent Elliott Roofing, 655-2800, San Angelo, Texas. tf32

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FOR EXPERT HELP and quality home furnishings, see the friendly folks at BROWN FURNITURE CO. in Ozona. We have "everything for your home". tf21

Notice

Starting Monday, October 31 the dump ground will be open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Until that time hours are from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. 2c9

Card of Thanks

I would like to take this means to express my thanks and deepest appreciation to Dr. Browne, the staff, the nurses and those who visited me while I was in the hospital.

Ann W. Moss
1c9

Help Wanted

Experienced service mechanic. Excellent opportunity for mechanic to advance to good pay and stable position. Benefits include paid insurance, paid vacation and uniforms. Must be thoroughly knowledgeable of Macks, tanks, pumps, etc. Salary is commensurate with experience and ability. Additional benefits available for right man. Contact Pete Simpson, Ace Transport. 915/387-3541. tf7

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

HELP WANTED

Lone Star Gas Company has opening for a plant operator. Contact C.D. Thomas at 387-3913 or come by the office at Shurley Enterprises.

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Christmas Cards



It's that time of year again, time to start thinking about Christmas. We know that the last thing you want to think about right now is Christmas Cards. Us too! But let's face it. The quicker you buy, the quicker you get it over with! Come by the office and pick out the right card for you.

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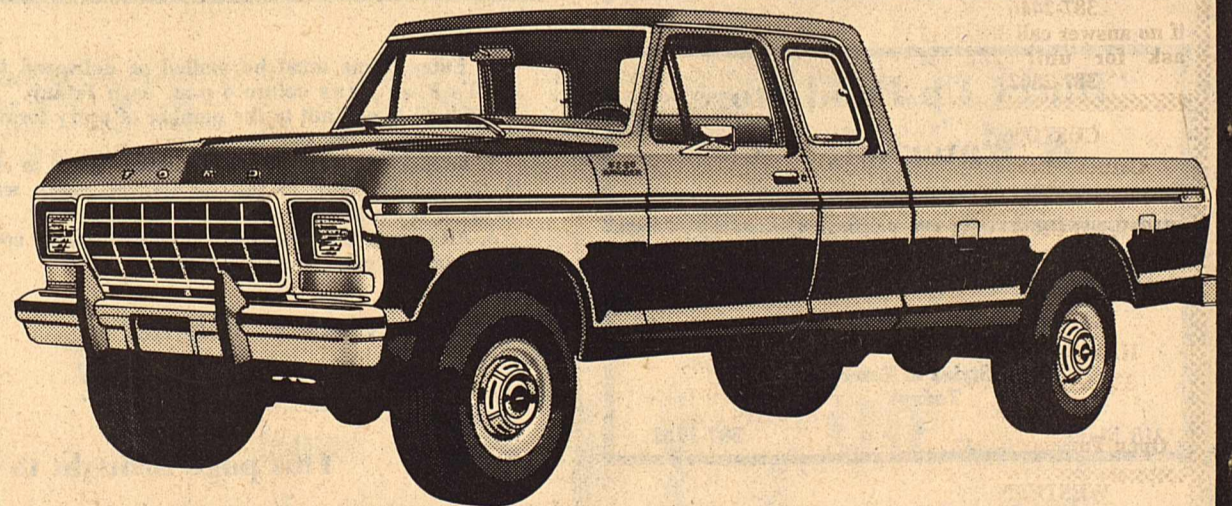
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Private bedroom and bath. Phone 387-2261 after 5 p.m. 1c9

Shurley Enterprises Mini-Storages 8x12 - \$18.50 monthly; 12x24 - \$40.00 monthly. Phone 387-3619 or 387-2828 afternoons. tf35

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Mobile Homes

14x80 Berkley mobile home. 2 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, island kitchen, extras. Must sell. Call 713/771-5796 after 5:30 or Call Bob at 387-3437. tf7

14x72 mobile home, 2 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, air conditioning and custom built porch. Call 387-2289. 2c9

26x54 double wide mobile home. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, unfurnished. Call 387-2125. tf7

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

3 bedroom, one bath house of 1 1/2 lots. Has storage shed, fruit trees and large pecan trees. Call 387-2764. tf3

4 bedroom, 2 bath brick home. Carport and garage. 1 block from school. See by appointment only. V.J. Glasscock. 387-3661 or 387-3993. tf4

Two bedrooms, utility room, large glassed-in porch. 467 E. Poplar. Phone 387-3229. tf8

Brick, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, utility room, central air and heat, carpeted, established yard. Call 387-3636. Allen Belk, 210 Hudspeth. tf2

In Sonora. Large 3 bedroom house. 2 bath, storage, central air, near school. 915/949-8883. tf51

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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Easy to own one of the better river front lots on the San Saba. Six miles east of Ft. McKavett. Financing at \$85 per month. Ideal for recreation and/or retirement. Come to Dunagan Estate on graded road across river past Dixie Allison Girl Scout Camp at left. Representative on premises from dawn to dark beginning October 20. 2p8

Used Cars

1976 Mustang II. Take up payments. \$500 down. 387-2469. tf7

1965 Plymouth car for sale. 318 engine. Automatic transmission. \$275.00 Call 387-2298. 1p9

1974 Opel Manta Luxus. Automatic, air, AM/FM, deluxe interior. See at 1406 Glasscock. 2p9

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Shaklee food supplements are made from natural fruits and flowers and have only pits, water and fibrous materials removed from them. They are concentrated food, in complete balance with nature.

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The Shaklee Corporation also makes household products, cosmetics, and baby products which are biodegradable, and work with nature and the natural environment.

Fred Adkins of 601 Concho [Phone 387-2294] will be available as our distributor in Sonora and products will be delivered each week. Distributorships are available, and also makes a nice supplemental income for those interested.

Shaklee Corporation was founded in 1956 by Dr. Forrest Shaklee and his sons; however, Dr. Shaklee made a vitalized mineral 50 years ago. The company is on the New York Stock Exchange and last year over \$169 million in product net was marketed.

Fred and I would like to share good health with each of you.

Anne Karnes May
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San Angelo,
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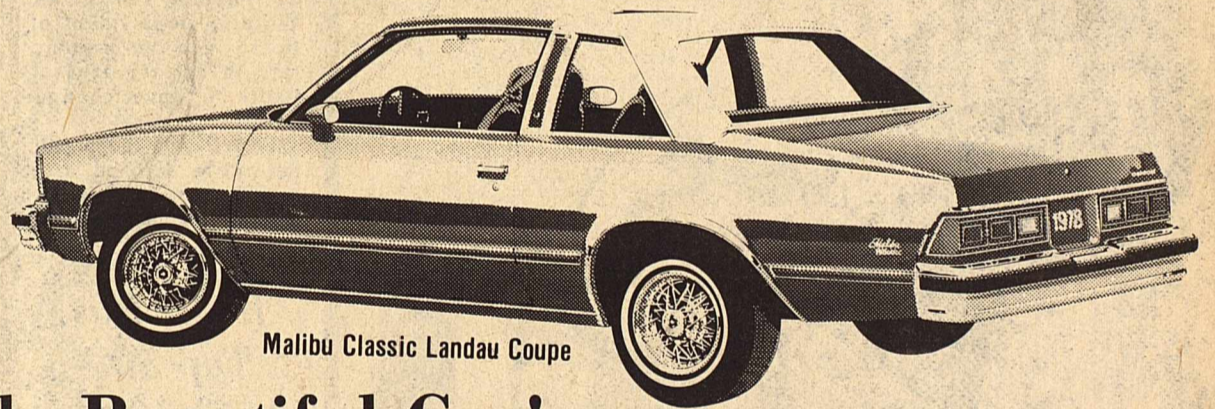
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387-2529

Absentee Voting Begins In Amendment Election

Absentee voting started October 19 in the constitutional amendment election which will be held November 8.

Both absentee and on election day voting is expected to be light as the amendments will be all on the ballot.

Absentee voting deadline is November 4.

There are seven proposed amendments on the ballot. They are as follows:

Amendment No. 1 (S.J. R. 18) Amending Article V of the Texas Constitution to provide for a court of criminal appeals with nine

judges and to permit the court to sit in panels of three judges.

Amendment No. 2 (S.J. R. 13) Amending Article 111, of the Texas Constitution to provide for an additional two million in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the Veterans' Land Fund and to allow surviving spouses of veterans to purchase tracts of land under certain circumstances.

Amendment No. 3 (S.J. R. 3) Amending Article 1 Section 11a of the Texas Constitution, to permit denial of bail to a person

charged with a felony offense who has been theretofore twice convicted of a felony offense, or charged with a felony offense committed while that person was admitted to bail on a prior felony indictment, or charged with a crime involving the use of a deadly weapon where there is evidence such person has been convicted of a prior felony offense; providing for a 60-day limit to that person's incarceration without trial; and providing for that person's right of appeal.

Amendment No. 4 (S.J. R. 5) Amending Article VIII of the Texas Constitution by adding Section 1-f, relating to tax relief to preserve certain cultural, historical, or natural history.

Amendment No. 5 (S.J. R. 19) Amending Article XVI of the Texas Constitution by adding Section 68 granting the legislature power to authorize the formation of agricultural and marine associations which may mandate the collection of refundable assessments for improvement of production, marketing, or use of their products.

Amendment No. 6 (S.J. R. 49) Amending Article XVI, Section 16, of the Texas Constitution to give the legislature power to authorize state and national banks to exercise banking and discounting privileges by use of electronic devices or machines.

Amendment No. 7 (S.J. R. 30) Amending Article V, Section 1-A, of the Texas Constitution changing the name of the State Judicial Qualifications Commission to the State Commission on Judicial Conduct, and relating to the commission and the powers and proceedings of the commission, a master, and the supreme court, or

court of civil appeals justices serving in place of the supreme court, for the suspension, censure, removal, or involuntary retirement of a justice, judge, or justice of the peace under certain circumstances.

Trustees Approve Buses For Football Games

Plans for the football teams and band to travel

SS Representative Sets Nov. Visit

Pete Gonzales, social security representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his November visit to Sonora. He will be at the County Courthouse on Thursday, November 17 between 9 and 10:30 a.m.

Trick Or Treat For UNICEF

The Senior High Church school class of the First United Methodist Church will trick or treat for UNICEF Sunday, October 30 from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m.

UNICEF is an organiza-

tion dedicated to helping feed the starving children of the world.

Members of the class will be walking door to door seeking contributions to this worthy cause. Any donation would be helpful.

Any youth from seventh grade through high school is welcome to join the march. Contact Paula Friess or Mrs. Kay Holdridge for more information.

Refreshments will be served at the completion of the trick or treating.

F. Gonzales Completes

Rescue Course

Navy Aviation Electrician's Mate Second Class Alfredo Gonzales, son of Alejandro Gonzales and Rosa E. Sanchez, all of Sonora, has completed a search and rescue aircrewman course.

The four-week course was conducted by Helicopter Antisubmarine Squadron 1, at the Naval Air Station in Jacksonville, Florida. The course was designed to train aircrewmembers in the procedures used to locate and rescue survivors of ships and aircraft lost at sea.

A 1972 graduate of Sonora High School, he joined the Navy in August 1973.

AHA Hears By-Laws

The Sutton County Division of the American Heart Association met last Monday night in the Conference room of the Sutton County Steak House.

The membership reviewed the by-laws of the division and appointments were made for the new year.

Mr. and Mrs. W.B. McMillan and Mr. Abelino Sanchez were named campaign committee co-chairpersons. The Rev. Paul Terry was named head of the program committee, with the Rev. Jim Miles heading the public information committee.

According to Dr. David Owensby, division president, memorial gifts may be made locally. Envelopes for this purpose may be found on display racks at the doctors' offices, the hospital and other prominent places throughout the community.

Board members are reminded that the next meeting will be Monday, November 28 at 7 p.m. in the Conference room at the Sutton County Steak House.

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387-2546

Antlerless Deer Permits Being Issued

Landowners in Sutton County should pick up their antlerless deer permits Oct. 26-27 at the Courthouse in Sonora, according to officials of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Failure to pick up the permits on the designated dates will result in the landowner having to apply to the San Angelo office of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department at the subsequent date. So, to avoid any inconvenience later, landowners are urged to pick up their permits at the designated time and place.

Landowners should pick up the permits in person or may authorize someone in writing to act as their agent. If the landowner chooses to have an agent pick up his permits, the landowner must include in this letter of authorization the number of acres in and location of his ranch or ranches eligible for antlerless deer permits.

Permits will be issued on a per acre basis and a landowner must own or control at least the minimum number of acres, as determined by P&WD surveys, in order to receive a permit. For instance, if the issuance rate is one permit per each 100 acres and the landowner controls only 99 acres, P&WD cannot issue him a permit.

Landowners are also advised to check the issuance rate maps which have been posted at county courthouses and designated Parks and Wildlife Department offices since the issuance rate in certain areas is likely to have changed from last year's.

P&WD wildlife personnel will be on hand at the permit issuance sites to answer any question landowners may have.

Jr. Hi Has Top 50

Smith Neal, Sonora Jr. High principal, has added a top 50 chart, to the honors to be awarded in S.J.H.S.

The chart contains 50 students names mentioned by teachers as doing well in their class. The student may not necessarily be doing well in all classes, but is excelling in at least one class.

Mr. Neal will release this chart periodically in order to spread recognition among more students.

4th Grade News

The teachers and the students are proud of the 97% average daily attendance that was achieved the first six weeks. The students were given a party and everyone enjoyed it.

We are looking forward to the Halloween Carnival. Each child is asked to donate one item to help make our booths a success.

On Tuesday all elementary students participated in a program presented by the Texas Department of Public Health. The 4th and 5th grade classes viewed a film called "Animals Will Bite", and a discussion session followed.



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First Drawing Two \$150 Prizes - Dec. 3

Second Drawing Two \$200 Prizes - Dec. 10

Third Drawing Two \$275 Prizes - Dec. 17

Fourth Drawing Two \$475 Prizes - Dec. 24

All drawings scheduled at 2:00 p.m.

*Two winners at each drawing get amount shown for that day in merchandise from above stores.

*Winner cannot have received the winning ticket form a store where he works.

*Merchandise won must be picked up by December 31, 1977.

*Tickets given for each dollar of merchandise bought or paid on account.

