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Devil's River News

## Bronco Girls in Eldorado Tourney

The Bronco Girls basketball team will be playing in the Eldorado Girls Tournament this coming weekend. The girls are playing very good basketball this year and fans will enjoy the game.

## Open House Set For Sunday --Jan. 6th.

The Sonora Independent School District will have open house for the public to view the new school improvements on Sunday, January 6th.

The buildings that will be open on the Vocational Building, Junior High Building, Athletic Dressing Rooms, and the old gym. The public is cordially invited to visit the schools to view the progress being made in Sonora Schools.

# The Devil's River News

Eighty-Eight Year-Seventieth Week

Jan. 2, 1980  
Wednesday, December 26, 1979

The Devil's River News - Sonora, Texas

25 cents

## '79 Progress Report From The Chamber of Commerce

by Lou Thomas

In 1979, many Sonorans worked diligently on the I 27 Task Force project: County Auditor Charles Graves, Gus Allen, the Petroettes, County Judge Charles Sherrill, City Manager Jim Dover, C of C President Glen Fisher, C of C Board members Tom Metzger and Don Dooley.

Assisting in the area effort were: State Representative Susan McBea, the Del Rio C of C, J. Tom Graham, Lynn Meadow, Les Kearney and David Drake.

In August, the Board of Directors of the Sonora C of C hired a fulltime manager and the C of C office was relocated to the City Hall, on a temporary basis.

In a recent poll of businesses, the majority of the businesses polled stated the business climate in Sonora is perhaps a bit stronger than in 1978.

The Board members of the C of C voted to name as Honorary Directors of the C of C: County Judge Charles Sherrill, Mayor Doyle Morgan, City Manager Jim Dover, and a representative from the Devil's River News and from Radio Station KVRN.

C of C advertising for 1979: San Angelo Standard Times and the Devil's River News included: Annual Game Dinner, Oil Industry Issue, Welcome Hutners. KVRN and the Devil's River News advertising included Merchants Promotion 'Shop Santa In Sonora' in the West Texas Sunday Shopper.

In other areas, the Board of Directors initiated: the formation of the Red Carpet Committee, composed of thirty one ladies. This committee spearheaded by Debbie Metzger includes: Grace Allen, Shelley Chaney, Harva Cooper, Sharon Cooper, Sherrill Dooley, Peggy Dover, Jeryl Fields, Marilyn Fritts, Pat Gray, Joella Graves, Camille Green, Olivia Hernandez, Nancy Johnson, Gloria Lopez, Judy Miles, Fae Morgan, Mary Owensby, Becky Ponsetti, Chris Rasberry, Jan Robertson, Frances Ross, Jean Sherrill, Ruth Shurley, Betty

Stewart, Lynn Swift, Leola Wiseman, Sarah Wade, Diana Trainer, Shirley Hill and Lori Shurley.

Officers for the C of C for 1979 include President Glen Fisher, Vice President Effie Harle, Treasurer Kenneth Land, Executive officers Darrell Rasberry and Don Dooley and Board members Ex-officio George Kellogg, Tom Metzger, Ruth Bounds, Mike Sipes, Steve Swift and Ed Carrasco.

Two committees have been formed; being: Housing with Gus Allen and Charles Graves co-chairing and members Jim Dover, Robert Brown and Don Dooley. The Industrial Committee is chaired by Bill Morriss with members Jim Dover, Charles Graves, Robert Brown, Don Dooley, Les Robertson, Effie Harle, Gary Pair, Doyle Morgan and Darrell Rasberry.

The Red Carpet Committee has interviewed ten newcomers to the area, and handed out several brochures and informational data to the newcomers; held a Newcomer's Coffee; assisted in the poster contest for the Annual Game Dinner; produced a Talent Show that netted approximately \$90 to offset RCC expenses; assisted in several ribbon-cutting and grand opening ceremonies; helped sell tickets at the Game Dinner; and has coordinated activities with C of C directors and personnel.

The C of C handled publicity for the Game Dinner in local and area news media; donated money for a prize for the Game Dinner; helped promote the Merchant's 'Shop Santa In Sonora' project; honored Sonora's newest (Pearl's Pizzeria) industry and the oldest (The Devil's River News); coordinated grand openings and ribbon-cutting ceremonies; held a Membership drive in October/November with a result of 44 additional C of C members, both individual and business memberships; co-sponsored poster contest for Game dinner with high school art students; assisted Jaycees in

Sutton County Days with the Rodeo Club using C of C office two days; initiated a weekly news column to keep C of C members and citizens informed of various activities; City County and C of C officials met with Texas Industrial Commission officials at City Hall; C of C personnel with assistance from businesses updated TIC's Community Profile Data sheet; assisted Texas Employ-

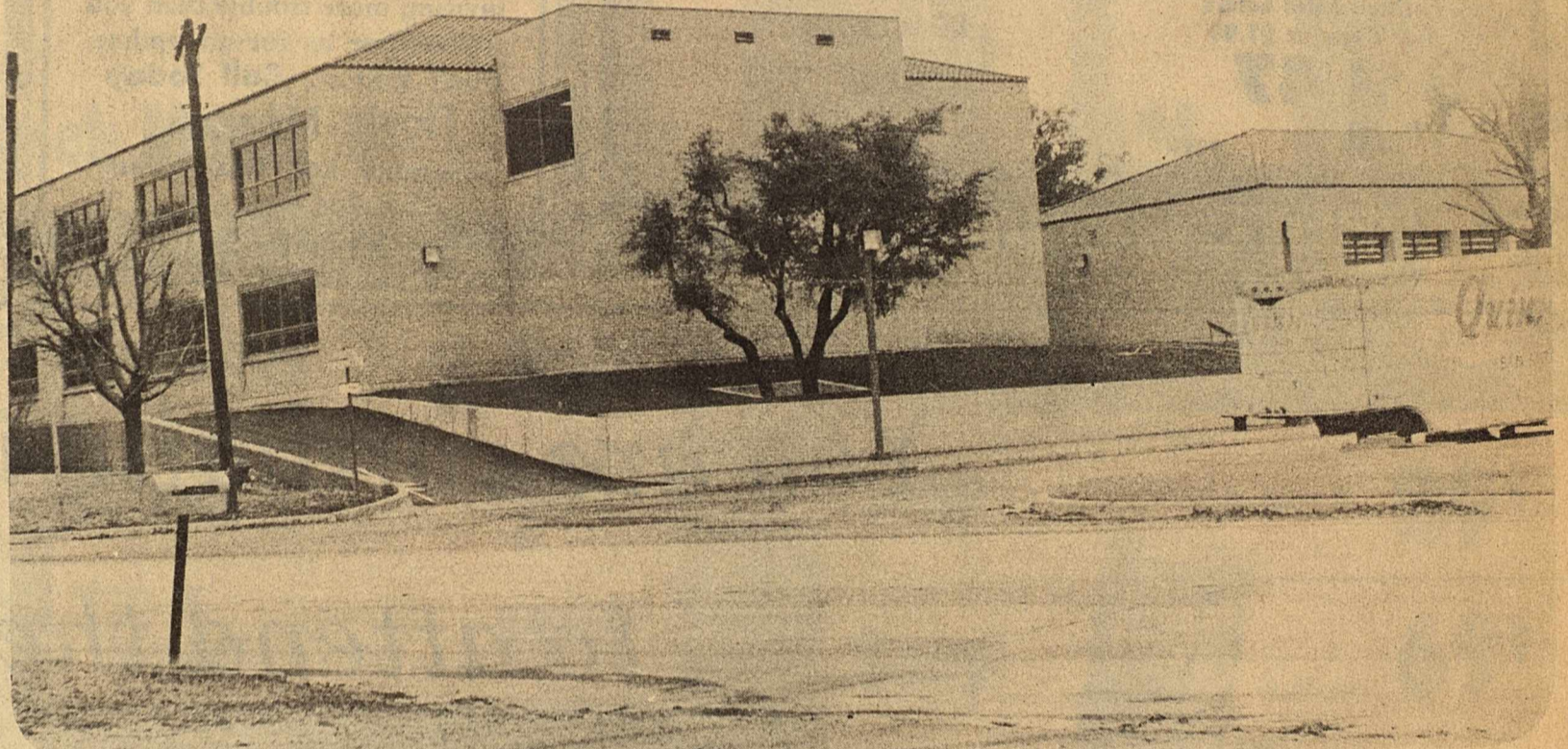
ment Commission with a labor survey that includes a 35-mile radius near completion by TEC's Dale Crumbaugh of San Angelo; continued day-to-day operation of a rental listing, hunting leases, and approximately 600 telephone, mail and in-person inquiries in a three month period or approximately 2400 for the entire year for 1979, compiled a list of City, County and State

officials for inquiries; compiled a list of civic organizations for inquiries; and updated statistical data on City and County governing bodies and general living conditions; and sponsored with Volunteer Fire Department a visit from Santa Claus.

Mike Sipes reports that his Program of Work committee is in the process of developing a POW, with

Darrell Rasberry and Glen Fisher assisting.

Other projects underway include finalization of data for use by the Industrial committee and the C of C in daily inquiries capacity, Housing and Industrial committees, and meeting with the Area Relations Committee, San Angelo C of C Board of City Development in the near future.



New Junior High Building will be ready for 1980

## A Reflection of 1979 From The Devil's River News

In 1979 Sonora had a good year with growth continuing and the economic base strengthening. With warnings of recession in the air, Sonora's major industries continued to grow with an increasing population.

Here is a look back at the major headlines and stories of interest from the Devil's River News that reflect the happenings of '79.

"Growth Outlook Bright for Sonora" -- The story opened with this paragraph: "while many economic experts are predicting at least a slight recession for early 1979, the

outlook for Sonora is still one of continued growth." And, the city has grown!

Another headline heard activities such as "32nd Annual Livestock Show set Jan. 18, 19, 20."

"Sutton County Officials Sworn In Monday" -- County Judge J.W. Elliott, Commissioners Bill Wade and Juan Carlos Gonzales, District and County Clerk Erma Lee Turner, and County Treasurer Metha V. Trainer took the oath of office.

Judge Elliott had announced his intention to resign but agreed to stay until the County Commissioners could

find a replacement.

"Two Arrested After Thefts" -- Two people were arrested in San Angelo for a theft at Food Center.

"Love, Van Hoozer Top Lamb Carcass Show" -- Preston Love and Marla VanHoozer took top honors in the Carcass Lamb Division of the 32nd Annual Sutton County 4-H Livestock Show and Sale.

"New Sonora Postmaster Assumes Office Friday" -- Charlie Steph assumed duties Jan. 12 replacing Arlon Vaughn who served as officer in charge following the retirement of longtime postmaster James

D. Trainer.

"Love, Balch, Preston Top Show" -- Preston Love, Jr. Anita Balch, and Laura Preston took top honors in the 32nd Annual Sutton County Livestock Show and Sale.

Another headline with a picture announced "Sonic Drive-In Opens" the growth was continuing.

"County Commissioners Open Jail Building" -- Another sign of growth came when Sutton County Commissioners got the green light from the Texas Jail Standards Board to open bidding for construction of a new jail.

The annual Devil's River News Petroleum Edition went out saluting the oil and gas industry.

The highlight of the annual Downtown Lions Club Banquet was the naming of Carol Brandon as Sweetheart.

"Bronco Band Sweeps Solo and Ensemble Contest" -- The Mighty Bronco Band set a record by winning 97 first division awards and 51 members advanced to State competition.

"Task Force Meets to Plan Strategy" -- The Task Force for the I-27 connector highway met to discuss strategy. Charles Graves was named chairman of the local group.

The Valentine's Day temperature went from a low of 38 to a high of 85.

This headline indicated the main topic of discussion for the February City Council meeting: "City Approves Utility Deposit Hike"

"Dick Jones Resigns as Deputy Sheriff" -- Jones accepted a position with the Texas Department of Public Safety.

"Jail Bids Opened" -- O. Wagner General Contractor of San Angelo was low bidder with a bid of \$829,000 and a completion time of 240 days.

"Stage Band Wins Second" -- The Bronco Stage Band won second place at Cisco Stage Band Festival and placed five members on the All-Star Band.

"Men Light Field" -- The Men's Softball Association agreed to light Field #1 for night games. The approximate cost was estimated at \$10,000.

Dr. Browne was pictured with State Representative Susan McBea after being selected at Texas Doctor of the Day for the state legislature, February 22.

"Sherrill Named as County Judge" -- The acceptance of Charles Sherrill as County Judge replacing Judge Elliott, and the acceptance of the Wagner bid for the jail construction highlighted the March County Commissioners meeting.

James Dickason took over duties as City Electrical Superintendent of March 5. The City also added an after hours trouble line for city utility users.

"City Reverses Utility Deposit Decision" -- Councilmen found a better plan than the one approved in the February meeting.

Ruben Flores joined the Sutton County Sheriff's Office replacing Dick Jones.

Walton Foster, announced that KVEN-FM would be ready to broadcast in mid-April.

"IH-10 Completion Date Nears" -- Joe Lane of the Texas Department of Highways and Public Transportation told a meeting of the Downtown Lions Club that the interstate highway would be completed in Sutton County by late summer.

The Sutton County 4-H Livestock judging team took second place at the San Angelo Fat Stock Show. Members of the team were Brett Johnson, Clay Friess, Lance Love, and Fran Friess. Coaches of the team were Turney Friess and Bud Arendt.

"Hunt, Young for Trustee Slot #3" -- James F. Hunt and John Young were in a battle for place 3 on the Sonora Independent School Board.

Gus Allen assumed duties as publisher of the Devil's River News. Bronco Boys won the District Track Crown with 161 points.

"Barbecue Hoot'n Holler Scheduled April 21" -- This Jaycee sponsored event was scheduled and anticipation was high for a large crowd.

Seventh and Eighth Grade Tracksters brought home Championship trophies, and the 42nd Annual Sonora Wool and Mohair Show was scheduled for June 12, 13, and 14.

Gerald Ragland of Junction died after a rattlesnake bite in Sonora. He carried the snake in a box in his pickup. An estimated 2,500 people were expected to turn out for the Jaycee cook-off. Twenty-one teams were entered.

Charles Graves was named County Auditor. SHS honor graduates for 1979 were named. Valedictorian was Pat Street, Salutatorian Denise Neal, and third high student was Janet Hana.

KVRN-FM was scheduled to start May 14. Sonora Girls Track team won placed in the state Meet. They were Rosa Noriega, Annabelle Gonzales, Jessica Robledo, Paula Friess, and Marche Lane.

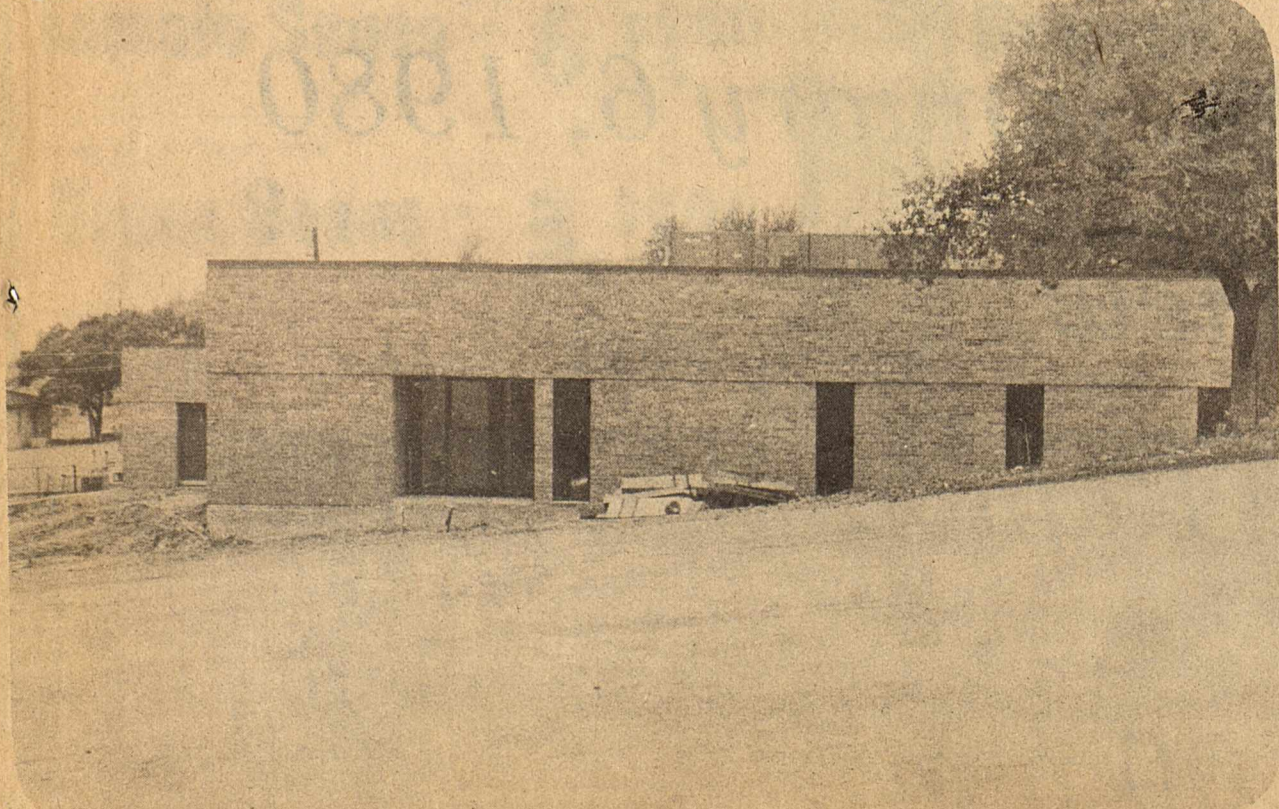
Clint Landford, County Agent for almost 31 years, announced his retirement effective August 31.

Fifty-nine senior students were graduated from SONORA High School.

Steve Alley received the Kappa Gamma Scholarship at Commencement exercises May 25. The '79 Junior Horse Show was held and considered a big success.

Commissioner Gonzales was lead-

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New Sutton County Jail nears completion

# First of the year.. **FABRIC** **SALE!**

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## Chamber hatter

by Lou Thomas

President Glen Fisher stated that a meeting will be scheduled to meet with the San Angelo Chamber of Commerce Board of City Development, in response to a letter from BCD in September, asking for a mutual visitation program with their Area Relations Committee of the SAC of C. Looking back, the C of C board meeting held on March 8, 1960, with President Carl Cahill presiding, was attended by Dr. C.F. Browne, James Hunt, Clayton Hamilton, Jack Kerbow, Jerry Shurley, Tommie Thorp and Joe Nance. Dale Crumbaugh, District Labor Market Analyst with the Texas Employment Commission in San Angelo called the office and reported that the extensive

labor survey he is doing on Sonora (and a 35 mile radius) will probably be completed in January 1980. Crumbaugh noted that he has not done a survey on Sonora - and that future surveys would be easier and completed quickly.

Thanks to Margaret Cascadden and Leola Wiseman for working in the office on Wednesday and two hours Friday afternoon. We were informed by Arthur D. Denys, Chief, Engineering Division, Department of the Army, Corps of Engineers, Ft. Worth that the detailed study of Dry Devils River and Lowrey Draw will include, but not be limited to: Channel modifications, Diversion channels, Levees or

floodwalls, Upstream reservoirs, Nonstructural solutions, such as flood plain evacuation, flood proofing structures, flood warning signals and combinations of the aforementioned.

The study falls under the auspices of Small Flood Control Projects Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance #12.106 and initiated under Section 205 of the 1948 Flood Control Act, as amended and was requested by the City of Sonora.

Some local children were thrilled to get a call from Santa Claus as a result of Lou Faulk and the American Cancer Society, Sutton County Division.

The C of C directors and others appreciate the donation of an airplane, pilot from Bill Morris on a recent project undertaken by County Judge Charles Sherrill, President Glen Fisher of the C of C, City Manager Jim Dover and Dr. Joe Andrews.



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ing the fight for a traffic light at the St. Ann Street and Hwy 277 South Intersection.

Sheriff Bill Webster requested a split in the Sheriff's office and the Tax office. Sutton County 4-H Range Judging Team won first place in State. Team members were Claire Powers, Rex Surber, Brad Johnson, Tammy VanHoozer, and Lee Burch.

The Annual Sutton COUNTY ARA Rodeo was held during June and the City approved a rate hike request from Lone Star Gas.

Sonora Caverns opened a new 2,000 feet of cave to the public. The Sonora Chamber of Commerce started the search for a new manager. Lou Thomas was hired in August.

The first six months of 1979 were filled with activity and victories for Sonora. The second six months continued their growth with building completions of the new Junior High Building, and two renovations at the Football Field as major projects for the school.

New housing projects were started by Charles Graves and Tommy Thorp. New business continue to open in Sonora as the future looks even brighter.

Sonora and Sutton County lost a longtime friend as Clint Langford retired as County Extension Agent.

Tragedy also struck as an accidental gun shot took the life of Joey Kirby.

The Sutton County Days celebration was bigger and better than ever with the whole county and many others celebrating the annual event.

Preston Faris assumed the duties of County Agent as of September 16.

The new school year started and Bronchoitis took the town as the football season got underway.

The restoration of the old Mercantile Building was completed adding much to the beauty of Downtown Sonora.

The signs of the time were seen when Halliburton announced it would do a record fracture job near Sonora.

The growth that has started will continue to make Sonora a good place to live. And with the kind of people who live in Sonora, 1980 will be even better.

Keep a card file of fabric bought as a quick inventory reference for color, fiber content, yardage, care and other information, suggest Becky Culp, a clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Texas A&M University System.

*You are cordially invited  
to attend the  
Open House  
for the  
Sonora Independent School District  
Sunday afternoon, January 6, 1980  
to view  
New Construction and Remodelled Buildings  
2:00-5:00 p.m.*

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## MEAT VALUES

**Chuck Roast**  
\$1.19 lb

**7 Bone Roast**  
\$1.29 lb

English Roast	\$1.45 lb
Chuck <b>Cubed Steak</b>	\$2.39 lb
Beef <b>Neck Bones</b>	\$1.49 lb
<b>Ground Chuck</b>	\$1.99 lb
Swift - Premium <b>Bacon</b> 12 oz pkg	99¢
Buddigs <b>Lunch Meats</b> 2 1/2 oz pkg	49¢

**Chuck Steak**  
\$1.39 lb

**Arm Roast**  
\$1.45 lb

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Van Camp's <b>Pork &amp; Beans</b> No. 300 can	3 for 88¢
Hunt's <b>Tomato Sauce</b> 8 oz can	6 for \$1.00
Green Giant, French Style <b>Green Beans</b> No. 303 can	3 for \$1.00
Log Cabin <b>Syrup</b> 24 oz bottle	\$1.39

Del Monte, Sliced <b>Peaches</b> 16 oz can	2 for 88¢
Millers <b>Beer</b> 6 pack 12 oz bottles	\$1.69
Schlitz <b>Beer</b> 6 pack 12 oz cans	\$1.69
Red & Golden Delicious <b>Apples</b>	39¢ lb
California Navels <b>Oranges</b>	29¢ lb
<b>Tangelos &amp; Tangerines</b> Mix or Match	3 lb. For \$1
California <b>Broccoli</b>	59¢ lb
Yellow <b>Onions</b>	15¢ lb
East Texas <b>Yams</b>	3 for \$1.00 lb

Campbell's Chunky-Sirloin Burger <b>Soup</b> 19 oz can	89¢
Campbell's Chunky Beef <b>Soup</b> 19 oz can	69¢
Keebler, Club <b>Crackers</b> 1 lb box	79¢
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Gloria Ann Gomez, bride-elect of Hector Perez

Carolyn Page, bride-elect of Willis Price III

January 7  
Angie Neill Moore  
Mrs. Alfred Virgen  
Marche Lane  
Lynn Womack

January 8  
Bobby Duran  
Michelle Olenick  
Penny Renee Wilson  
Julie Harris

January 9  
Oscar L. Carpenter, Jr.  
Craig Parker  
Gregg Parker  
Dorothy Jimenez  
Tim Burnett

January 10  
Mrs. William C. Hudson  
Sandra Wright  
Claudine Martinez

January 11  
Terry Trainer  
Mrs. Joe Nance  
Mrs. Billy Hayden  
Jason Lee Hearn  
Philip Vargas

January 12  
Maxine Davis Klein  
Jack Drennan  
Tammie Virgen  
Mrs. Robert Allison  
Kevin West

## Anniversaries

January 6  
Mr. and Mrs. Rip Ward  
Mr. and Mrs. George Brockman  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack H. Sharp  
Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hann  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pope  
Dr. and Mrs. Leo Merrill

January 7  
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wharton, Jr.

January 9  
Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Ortega

January 10  
Mr. and Mrs. Randy Hill

January 11  
Mr. and Mrs. Rex Taliaferro

## Angelo State University Registration Begins Jan. 9

Registration for the spring semester at Angelo State University will begin Wednesday, Jan. 9 in the Robert and Nona Carr Education Fine Arts Building. Students signing up for graduate or evening classes only register Jan. 9 between 6 p.m. and 7 p.m. Returning ASU students who pre-registered for their spring classes will pay their fees and make schedule changes between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. on Thursday, Jan. 10 on the following schedule: 8 a.m. - T, U, V; 8:30 a.m. - W; 9 a.m. - X, Y, Z; 9:30 a.m. - A; 10 a.m. - B; 10:30 a.m. - C; 11 a.m. - D, E; 11:30 a.m. - F, G; 12 noon - H; 12:30 p.m. - I, J, K; 1 p.m. - L, M; 1:30 p.m. - N; 2 p.m. - O, P; 2:30 p.m. - Q, R; 3 p.m. - S; 4 p.m. - end of registration for the day.

Also scheduled for Jan 10 is an orientation session for freshman and transfer students. The program will begin at 9 a.m. in the

Houston Hart University Center ballroom. Students entering ASU for the first time should attend and follow the program with a meeting with their faculty advisors for help in planning spring classes. Formal registration continues Friday Jan. 11 for all students who have not pre-registered. They may sign up for classes between 8 a.m. and noon on the following schedule: 8 a.m. - Q, R, S, T, U; 8:30 a.m. - V, W, X, Y, Z; 9 a.m. - A, B, C; 9:30 a.m. - D, E, F; 10 a.m. - I, J, K, L; 11 a.m. - M, N; 11:30 a.m. - O, P; 12 noon - end of formal registration. Students are reminded to pick up their packets in the registrar's office before registering at the E-FA building. Graduate students should pick up their packets in the graduate dean's office.

Classes for the new term start Monday Jan. 14. Late registration and schedule changes also begin that day

with late registration ending Friday, Jan. 19 between 9 a.m. and 10 a.m. in the registrar's office.

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## Alien Information Declared Confidential

According to Mr. Richard M. Casillas, District Director of the San Antonio Immigration and Naturalization Service office, the information furnished by aliens in reporting their addresses has been declared confidential by statute. These reports must be

submitted during January each year by all aliens in the United States, with few exceptions. Forms on which to submit the reports are available at any Post Office or Office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service. Persons who are unable to pick up forms because of illness, or

other reasons, may have a relative or friend obtain a card for them. The card should have a 15 cent postage stamp affixed and placed in the mail. Parents or guardians of aliens under fourteen years of age submit reports for such children.

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**AVOCADO TACO SALAD**

2 cups shredded lettuce	1/2 cup chopped onion
1 cup cooked kidney beans (1 can, 8 1/2 ounces), drained	2 cups (6 ounces) shredded Monterey Jack or Cheddar cheese
1 1/2 cups cubed turkey or chicken	1/4 cup canned diced green chiles
2 large tomatoes, cut up	3 cups regular size corn chips
2 Florida avocados, peeled and cubed	Chili Dressing (recipe follows)

In large serving bowl, layer all ingredients except Chili Dressing in order given. Pour dressing over all; toss thoroughly. Serve immediately. Makes 4 to 6 servings.

**CHILI DRESSING**

1/4 cup vegetable oil	1/4 teaspoon chili powder
1/4 cup red wine vinegar	1/4 teaspoon oregano
1/4 teaspoon salt	1/4 teaspoon garlic powder

Measure all ingredients into jar with tight-fitting lid. Cover; shake to blend thoroughly. Makes about 3/4 cup.


**Milliken  
Receives  
Degree**

Mark Milliken, son of Jackie and Jimmy Harris, has recently received his Bachelor of Science Degree in Education at the University of Texas at Austin. Mark is a 1975 graduate from Sonora High School. He plans to spend the next several months in the Sonora area and then resume studies at graduate school while teaching in the Austin Public School Systems.

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# School Menu

**Breakfast**  
 Thursday Jan. 3  
 Orange Juice  
 Glazed Donut  
 Milk  
 Friday Jan. 4  
 Apple Juice  
 Sausage  
 Hot Biscuits-Jelly  
 Milk  
 Monday Jan. 7  
 Apple Juice  
 Oatmeal  
 Milk  
 Tuesday Jan. 8  
 Grape Juice  
 Cinnamon Toast  
 Milk  
 Wednesday Jan. 9

Apple Juice  
 Cheese Toast  
 Milk  
 Thursday Jan. 10  
 Orange Juice  
 Glazed Donut  
 Milk  
 Friday Jan. 11  
 Apple Juice  
 Sausage  
 Hot Biscuits-Jelly  
 Milk  
**LUNCH**  
 Wednesday Jan. 2  
 Fried Fish  
 Scalloped Potatoes  
 Cole Slaw  
 Cornbread  
 Butterscotch Squares  
 Milk

Thursday Jan. 3  
 Enchiladas  
 Pinto Beans  
 Tossed Salad  
 Cinnamon Rolls  
 Milk  
 Friday Jan. 4  
 Corn Dogs  
 Cheese Strips  
 French Fries  
 Sliced Peaches  
 Ice Cream  
 Milk  
 Monday Jan. 7  
 Meat Loaf  
 Buttered Rice  
 Glazed Carrots  
 Butterscotch Squares  
 Milk  
 Tuesday Jan. 8  
 Fried Chicken  
 Mashed Potatoes-Gravy  
 Green Beans  
 Brownies  
 Milk  
 Wednesday Jan. 9  
 Italian Spaghetti  
 Buttered Corn  
 Peach Cobbler  
 Cornbread  
 Milk

Thursday Jan. 10  
 Beef Tacos  
 Lettuce-Tomatoes  
 Pinto Beans  
 Cinnamon Rolls  
 Milk  
 Friday Jan. 11  
 Ham & Cheese Sandwich  
 Lettuce-Tomatoes  
 French Fries  
 Ice Cream  
 Milk

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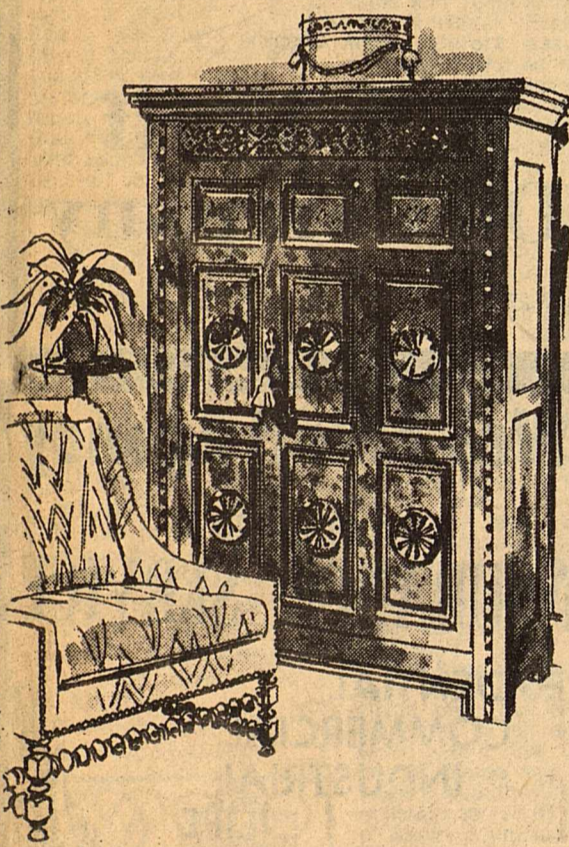
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## Martinez Rites Held Dec. 23

Mr. Augustine Martinez, age 72, was dead on arrival at Hudspheth Hospital on December 20, 1979. Mr. Martinez had been a resident of Sutton County since 1907 and resided at 602 Calle Real in Sonora. He had been a ranch foreman for Collier Shurley.

Mr. Martinez was married to Hermelinda Flores of Sonora.

Services were held December 23, 1979 at the St. Ann's Catholic Church under the direction of Kerbow

Funeral Home. Services were conducted by Father John Waldron.

Mr. Martinez is survived by his wife, Hermelinda; three sons, Augustine Martinez Jr. of Ozona, Frank Martinez of Coleman, and Harold Martinez of Sonora; a daughter, Dolores Soto of Houston; one brother, L.D. Martinez of Sonora, three sisters, Anita Gonzales of Big Lake, Viviana Reyes of Mineral Wells, and Rosario Ibarra of Sonora, eight grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

## Longtime Sonoran Buried Here

Longtime Sonoran Juanita Longoria Sanchez, age 87, was buried December 27, 1979 in the Sonora Cemetery. Mrs. Sanchez had been in the Schleicher County Medical Center for two years before her death.

She was the wife of Enrique Sanchez and lived at 204 Glasscock for several years.

Services were conducted by Esteban Flores in the Primera Iglesia Baptista

Church. Pallbearers were her grandsons.

Survivors include, a daughter, Vicenta Cervantes of Sonora, two sons, Esteban Flores of Eldorado, and J.L. Sanchez of San Diego, California; three brothers, Leopoldo Longoria of San Diego, Juan Longoria of Ozona and Alberto Longoria of Ozona, a sister, Maria Cervantes of Ozona; eleven grandchildren, and 19 great grandchildren.

## Perez Buried Dec. 27

Mrs. Tomasa Perez, age 74, passed away at the Angelo Community Hospital recently. She had been a resident of Sonora since 1905. Mrs. Perez lived at 406 Highway 277 S.

Mrs. Perez was born December 29, 1904 in Brady. She was a housewife and was the daughter of Espiridion and Zapopa Castro.

Mrs. Perez was the wife of the late Sefrino Perez of Sonora. She was a member of the St. Ann's Catholic

Church. Services were held December 27, 1979 in the St. Ann's Catholic Church. Services were conducted by Father John Waldron.

Survivors include; Four daughters, Elia Gutierrez of Plainview, Carmina Trevino of Sonora, Anna Robledo of Eldorado, and Rose Mary Espinosa of San Angelo; three sons, Norberto Perez of Austin, Minn., Richard Perez of Sonora, and Jose Perez of Plainview, 25 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

## '79 Tax Forms On The Way

Approximately 374,471 Federal tax packages are on their way to West Texas taxpayers this week. The IRS sends taxpayers either a 1040 or 1040A package, depending on the form the taxpayer filed last year.

Taxpayers who need to file a different form this year because of a change in tax status, can pick up the proper form and schedules from their local IRS office, or from one of many post offices which stock them. Extra forms are also available by using the order blank in the back of the tax package.

Whether taxpayers use the form the IRS send them, or order a different one, the IRS encourages use of both the peel-off label and pre-addressed, coded, return envelope provided in the originally mailed tax package. If used, both the label and envelope speed up processing the

return, lessen the chance of making mistakes, and produce a faster refund for the taxpayer.

The peel-off label, which should be placed at the top of the return, contains the name, address and Social Security number of the taxpayer and, like the return envelope, is specially-coded to speed up the sorting process.

If there is a mistake on the label, or if the envelope is marked with the incorrect form number, the IRS said the taxpayer should simply make necessary changes in ink.

The step-by-step and more spacious format of the tax forms, retained from last year, should make it possible for most taxpayers to complete their returns with the aid of their instructions, according to the IRS. The instructions take the taxpayer through each step of return completion and are number-coded to correspond to the lines on the return.

Taxpayers who need additional information before deciding what credits, dependents, or deductions they should claim can order any of some 70 specialized IRS publications by using the same order blank used to order forms. These publications are also available from most IRS offices.

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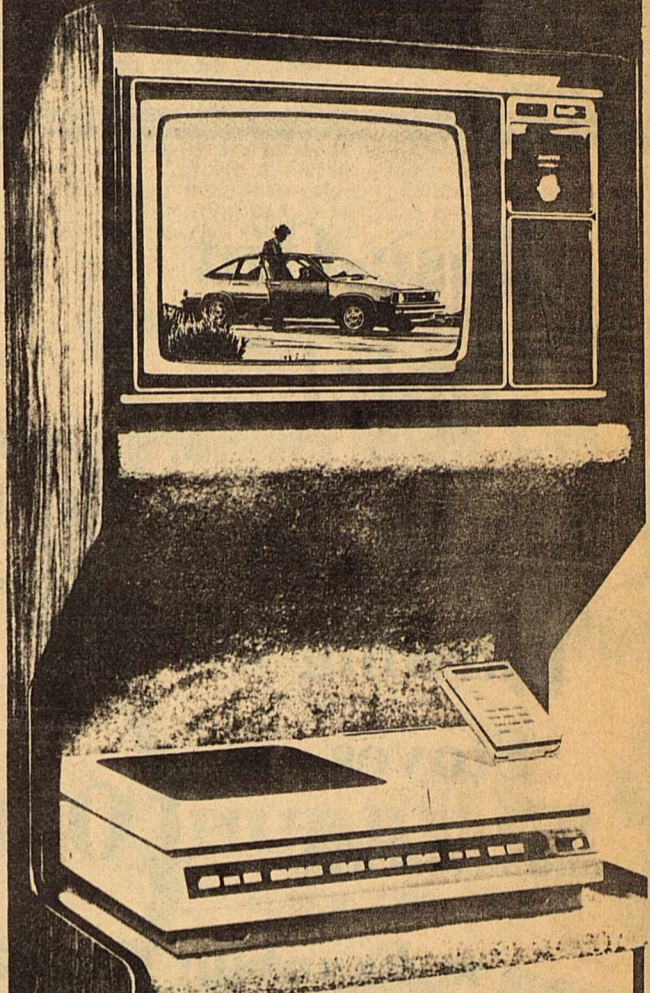
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<p><b>Primera Baptist Church</b>                  Rev. Basilio Esquivel                  Sunday School 9:45 a.m.                  Worship 11:00 a.m.                  Training Union 5:30 p.m.                  Worship 7:00 p.m.                  WMU Tuesday 6:00 p.m.                  Wed. Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Hope Lutheran Church</b>                  Sunday School 10:00 a.m.                  Worship 11:00 a.m.                  Adult Inquirer's Class 6:00 p.m.                  Saturday Confirmation Instruction 9:00 a.m.</p>	<p><b>First Assembly of God</b>                  Rev. Ned Smith, Pastor                  Sunday School 10:00 a.m.                  Morn. Worship 11:00 a.m.                  Eve. Serv. 7:00 p.m.                  Wed. Serv. 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>The Church of the Good Shepherd</b>                  Presbyterian                  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)                  (Session and Diaconate meet at 7:30 on the 3rd Wed. of each month)</p>
<p><b>First United Methodist Church</b>                  Rev. Paul Terry, Pastor                  Church School 9:45 a.m.                  Worship 10:45 a.m.</p>	<p><b>Jehovah's Witnesses</b>                  Sunday                  Public Talk 10:00 a.m.                  Watchtower Study 10:50                  Tuesday                  Theocratic School 7:30 a.m.                  Service Meeting 8:30 p.m.                  Thursday                  Bible Study 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Faith Christian Fellowship</b>                  Of Sonora                  Interdenominational                  116 West Main                  Michael Kyle, Pastor                  Sunday 10:30 a.m.                  Special Children's Church-10:30 a.m.                  387-5069</p>	<p><b>Sonora Tabernacle</b>                  United Pentecostal                  Rev. Kenneth Doyle                  Pastor                  Sunday School 10:00 a.m.                  Worship 11:00 a.m.                  Eve. Worship 7:30 p.m.                  Wed. Serv. 7:30 p.m.</p>
<p><b>First Baptist Church</b>                  Rev. Clifton Hancock, Pastor                  Sunday School 9:45 a.m.                  Morn. Worship 10:50 a.m.                  Eve. Worship 7:00 p.m.                  Wed. Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints</b>                  Bishop Ray Hendershot                  Joe Moran                  Sunday School 10:00 a.m.                  Priesthood 10:00 a.m.                  Relief Society 10:00 a.m.                  Sacrament Mtg. 11:00 a.m.                  Visitors Welcome.</p>	<p><b>Saint John's Episcopal Church</b>                  Rev. John W. Fritts, Pastor                  Sunday                  8 a.m. Holy Eucharist                  11 a.m. Holy Eucharist                  (2nd and 4th Sun. MP)                  Wednesday                  7 p.m. Holy Eucharist                  Holy Days as announced</p>	<p><b>St. Ann's Catholic Church</b>                  Rev. John Waldron                  Sat. Vigil Mass 7:00 p.m.                  Sunday Masses 8:00 a.m.                  10:00 a.m.                  Holy Day Mass 7:00 p.m.</p>

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8, announces Dr. Dennis Herd, short course chairman and beef cattle specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "The 1980 short course

will be the 30th to be held. The program will center around interests of cattlemen at current prices. Herd health programs to keep more high value animals alive, bull and heifer selection, and pastures and range management programs will be among topic highlights," the specialist

says. More complete details of the conference will be forthcoming soon, Herd adds. As a part of the Texas Animal Agriculture Conference at A&M, the Beef Short Course will feature a wide array of state and national speakers from many segments of the livestock industry. Besides the Beef Short Course, the Texas Animal Agriculture Conference also will include the 38th Annual Dairy Short Course, to be held at A&M and at several other locations around the state; 29th Annual Swine Short Course, to be held at A&M and at a Texas Panhandle site; 17th Annual Horse Short Course; an exhibit and trade show; and the 24th Annual College of Agriculture convocation for students and faculty. Animal Agriculture Conference sessions will be in the J. Earl Rudder Center on the A&M campus. "During the two-day session, producers, scientists, educators and industry representatives will

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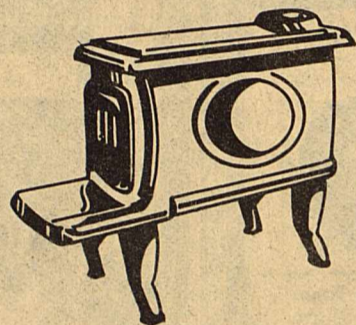
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# PUBLIC NOTICES

## Public Notice

**Ordinance 187**  
An Ordinance of the City Council of The City of Sonora, Texas creating the examining and supervising board of electricians and prescribing its powers and duties; creating the office of electrical inspector and prescribing his powers and duties; providing for the licensing of electricians, the manner and way in which certain electrical work shall be done, the kind and class of material to be used in such work, the regulation of electrical work and the scale of fees for such inspection; requiring permits for certain kinds of electrical work, the inspection of electrical work and the scale of fees for such inspection; requiring permits for certain kinds of electrical work; repealing all ordinances, or parts of ordinances in conflict therewith, and specifying that violations of this ordinance shall be classified as a class "C" misdemeanor and shall be subject to a fine not to exceed two hundred dollars (\$200.00) per violation thereof and declaring an emergency.

Be it ordained by the City Council of The City of Sonora, Texas:

### Section 100

Examining and Supervising Board of Electricians.  
101. That there is hereby created a Board for the examination of electricians within the City of Sonora, Texas, to be known as the Examining and Supervising Board of Electricians. Said Board shall consist of three members, one member shall be a citizen of Sonora, one member shall be the Superintendent of City Utilities of Sonora, Texas, one member shall be a Master Electrician of the City of Sonora, Texas, one member shall be a Master Electrician of the City of Sonora, Texas. The members of such Board shall be appointed by the Mayor of the City of Sonora, Texas, within five (5) days after this ordinance takes effect. The appointment or appointments of members of such Board shall not become effective until approved by the City Council of the City of Sonora, Texas. Each succeeding Mayor of Sonora, Texas, after he has qualified for such office, shall appoint the members to constitute such Board, subject to the approval of the City Council of the City of Sonora, Texas. The members of such Board shall continue to act as the examining supervising Board of Electricians until their successors have been appointed and such appointments approved by the City Council of the City of Sonora, Texas. If for any reason a vacancy or vacancies, is created in said Board, the Mayor of the City of Sonora, Texas shall appoint a new member or members. Such appointment, or appointments, shall not become effective until approved by the City Council of the City of Sonora, Texas.

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102. That members of the Examining and Supervising Board of Electricians shall receive no compensation for their services on said Board other than the fees which may be allowed them by the City of Sonora, Texas, for conducting examination of applicants for licenses.

103. That said Board shall after its appointment and approval, fix dates at reasonable times for having applications for examinations for licenses.

104. That it shall be the duty of the Board to pass upon all persons engaged in the electrical business as Master Electricians or Journeyman Electricians. Upon application for a Master Journeyman's license, a person shall produce evidence of being an electrician for a period of no less than 4 (4) years, pass a verbal examination before the review board and successfully pass the written examination prescribed by the Board, said Board shall notify the City Secretary of such fact, and the City Secretary shall issue a license to such person, so passing the examination and shall record the issuance of such license in a book to be kept by her for such purpose. No license shall be issued to a Master Electrician until he shall have first given proof of bond in the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) conditioned upon the full and faithful compliance with the ordinance upon the full and faithful compliance with the ordinance of the City of Sonora, Texas, regulating electrical wiring and electrical apparatus.

105. That any applicant who fails to pass the written examination shall not be eligible to take another written examination for a period of one month or the regular scheduled day for written examinations specified by the examining board.

106. That no license shall be issued for more than one year, and such license may be renewed from year to year upon application of the holder of such license and approval by the examining board.

### Section 200

Electrical Inspector:  
201. That the office of Electrical Inspector in and for the City of Sonora is hereby created and said office shall be filled by appointment made by the Mayor with the approval of the Council, within sixty (60) days after the passage of the ordinance, and said Electrical Inspector shall hold office for such time as the Council shall direct. Said Electrical Inspector shall be well versed in the rules and requirements of the National Electrical Code. Before assuming authority conferred by this ordinance, the Electrical Inspector shall take an oath usually administered to other City Officials, and shall give a bond to the City of Sonora in the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), conditional upon the faithful performance of his duties; said bond to be issued by a reputable bonding company licensed to do business in the State of Texas.

202. The Electrical Inspector shall not engage in the business of Master Electrician as defined in this ordinance, either directly or indirectly within the City of Sonora, Texas.

203. The salary of the Electrical Inspector shall be determined by the City Council.

204. That the duties of the Electrical Inspector shall be as follows:  
The Electrical Inspector shall have entire supervision over the electrical inspection of all electrical work within the City of Sonora, Texas and all services outside the City limits of Sonora served by the City of Sonora Municipal Power and Light.

205. The Electrical Inspector shall have the authority to appoint one or more assistants to assist in Electrical inspections, such appointments to be approved by the City Council.

206. The Electrical Inspector or his assistants shall, upon application on proper forms for the installation of electrical wiring, devices and equipment, and upon payment of required

fees, make inspections of all new electrical installations at such time as he may deem necessary for the purpose of the safe guarding life and property within the City of Sonora, Texas.

207. That the Electrical Inspector or his duly authorized assistants shall have the right to enter any building during reasonable hours on the discharge of their official duties for the purpose of making any inspection or test of any electrical wiring, device and equipment therein, and where such installations are found dangerous to life and property or to the work of the Fire Department or otherwise not in conformity with the existing or past ordinances, he is hereby empowered to disconnect such parts of installations or to order disconnection of electric service to any building after having given notice in writing, to the parties concerned, and such defective electrical wiring shall not be again connected until made safe as directed by the Electrical Inspector.

208. That it shall be unlawful for any person to interfere with the Electrical Inspector or his assistants in the discharge of their duties or to prevent or in any manner attempt to prevent them from carrying out the provisions of this ordinance.

209. That the Electrical Inspector shall entertain all disputed questions pertaining to the installation of all electrical wiring, devices and equipment, hereinafter provided for in this ordinance, shall be by said Electrical Inspector interpreted by taking into consideration the National Electrical Code and the National Safety Code, and in the light of the Standards generally recognized by the trade concerning the safe and proper installation of electrical wiring, devices and equipment.

210. That the Electrical Inspector shall have the right and authority to suspend the license of any Master Electrician, upon the violation of any portion of this ordinance, and the Electrical Inspector shall, upon suspension, file with the City Secretary a statement setting forth the reasons for such suspension, a copy of such report to be filed with the Secretary to be delivered to the Master Electrician upon his request. If the Master Electrician shall feel aggrieved by such suspension, he may notify the City Council in writing by delivery to the City Secretary such notice that he feels aggrieved, and at the next meeting of the City Council, he may appear and, upon full hearing before the City Council, it is determined by the City Council that such suspension is not well founded, such suspension shall be rescinded by the Council, or if the Council shall determine that such suspension is well taken, it shall by order, enter into the minutes, revoke such license, and shall thereupon further direct an Attorney for the City to take such action as may be necessary to forfeit the bond of such Master Electrician whose license has been so revoked. In the event that the Master Electrician whose license has been suspended fails or refuses to appeal to the City Council within the (10) days from the date of such suspension, the City Secretary shall place before the Council the report of the Electrical Inspector, at the next regular meeting of the Council for action by the Council to revoke the suspension or to revoke the license and forfeit the bond as aforesaid.

211. That the City Secretary shall not issue a "Master Electrician's License" to any previous holder of one which has been revoked, except upon a new application, approved by the Examining Board.

### Section 300

License required:  
301. That no corporation, co-partnership, association or individual shall engage in the business of installing electrical wiring and electrical apparatus on or within any building in the City of Sonora for use in connection with electrical light, heat, air conditioning, or power without first appearing in person or by duly authorized representative and qualifying for and securing a "Master Electrician's License" from

### Section 400

Definitions:  
401. That the term "Master Electrician" as used in this ordinance is defined to mean and include any person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of installing or repairing or contracting to install or repair wires, conductors and equipment used within or on buildings for the transmission of electrical current for electric light, heat, air conditioning or signaling purposes, together with the fittings for same necessary for the protection of such wires, conductor and equipment.

402. That the term "Journeyman Electrician" as used in this ordinance, is defined to mean and include any person who does not contract with the owner of any building (or other person procuring the services of an electrician) but works for and under the direction of a "Master Electrician" and has a minimum of four years experience as an electrician.

### Permits:

501. That no wiring, devices or equipment for the transmission, distribution or utilization of electrical energy for light, power, air conditioning or heat, shall be installed within or on any building or structure, or shall any wiring or additional wiring, device or equipment be made in such existing wiring, device or equipment without first securing a permit therefor from the City Secretary and no such permit shall be issued unless the applicant is the holder of a license issued by the City of Sonora to perform the class of work described in such permit or is otherwise authorized by this ordinance.  
(h) For temporary installations for shows, exhibitions, carnivals, conventions and the like, there shall be charged a fee of Five Dollars (\$5.00) for each inspection.  
(i) For each service connection for light or power from point of entrance to meter center, One Dollar (\$1.00) for the first meter loop, Seventy Five Cents (.75) for each additional meter loop or sub-meter.  
(j) For electric range and/or electric water heater, Two Dollars (\$2.00) each; and for any other fixed appliance for which no fee is herein specified, Two Dollars (\$2.00) for each appliance.  
(k) For re-inspecting any overhead, underground or

the City Secretary, and with the filing of a bond in the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) conditioned upon full compliance with the ordinances of the City, regulating electrical wiring and electrical apparatus and the faithful performance of all contracts entered into for the installation of electric wiring and electrical apparatus inside or on any building for use in connection with electric light, heat, air conditioning or power. Said bond to be issued by a reputable bonding company licensed to do business in the State of Texas. The original license granted upon payment of the said Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) shall expire on the 31st day of December next following the issuance of such license. Such license may thereafter be renewed on January 1st of each year thereafter, upon the payment of a fee of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) to the City Secretary, along with evidence that such bond is filed, is still in full force and effect, provided of course, that such license has not been cancelled prior thereto, in the manner herein set forth.

502. That said "Master Electrician's License" shall entitle the holder thereof to engage in the business of installing wiring and electrical apparatus inside or on any building or buildings for use in connection with electric light, heat, air conditioning or power within the corporate limits of the City of Sonora, and installing wiring and electrical apparatus inside or on any building or buildings for use in connection with electric light, heat, air conditioning or power outside the corporate limits of Sonora if the property is served by the Municipal Electric System.

503. That no license shall be transferrable, and no holder thereof shall allow his or their name to be used by any other party, either for the purpose of doing work or obtaining a permit under the penalty of forfeiture of his or her license, and they shall be subject to a class "C" misdemeanor with a fine not to exceed Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) in the Municipal Court of Sonora, Texas and the City Secretary is hereby authorized to refuse to issue permits to the holder of any license violating the provision.

### Section 500

504. That no permit shall be required for the installation of wiring, devices or equipment for telephone, telegraph, district messenger or teleautograph systems, or any signaling systems operating at 48 volts or less.  
505. That no permit shall be required for the installation of electric wiring, devices or equipment installed for or by the City of Sonora, or by a public utility corporation operating under a franchise from the City of Sonora, Texas, to transmit and sell electrical energy provided such wiring, devices or equipment are for the use of said Electric Department or said corporation in its operation as a public utility as provided for in its franchise.  
506. That permits shall be issued by the City Secretary to include original and two copies. The original copy shall go to the inspector, the first copy shall go to the applicant to file as a voucher for fees received. The second copy shall remain in the permit file for record. Applicant shall be notified by inspector when work has been approved.

### Section 600

Fees:  
601. That the fee for Master Electrician License shall be Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for original license and Ten Dollars (\$10.00) for annual renewal.  
602. That the fee for Journeyman Electrician shall be Ten Dollars (\$10.00) for original license and Five Dollars (\$5.00) for annual renewal.  
603. Fees for permits and inspections.  
Before any permit is granted for the installation or alteration of electric wiring, devices or equipment, and before any work is begun, the person, firm or corporation making application for such permit shall pay to the City of Sonora, Texas a fee in such amount as specified below:  
(a) The minimum fee for any inspection shall be: New house - \$10.00 each inspection; existing house re-wiring or addition - \$5.00 each inspection; commercial - \$10.00 each inspection;  
(b) For wiring, whether open or concealed work: Ten ten outlets - \$.25; over ten and up to twenty - \$.15; all outlets over twenty - \$.10;  
(c) Motors: For installation of motors or generators and their immediate operating devices: First motor or generator - \$2.00; each additional motor or generator - \$1.00;  
(d) Fans: For installation of electric fans, either exhaust or ventilating: 24" or under in diameter - \$.50; over 24" in diameter - \$2.00 for first fan; each additional fan - \$1.00;  
(e) For signs and outside decorative lights there shall be charged a fee of \$2.00;  
(f) Fixtures: For chandeliers, or any other lighting fixtures for which fees are not herein elsewhere provided: First fixture - \$.50; each additional fixture - \$.10;  
(g) Transformers: For each transformer, rectifier, or similar apparatus, where by electric current is controlled, modified or impeded, Seventy Five Cents (.75) except as otherwise provided.  
(h) For temporary installations for shows, exhibitions, carnivals, conventions and the like, there shall be charged a fee of Five Dollars (\$5.00) for each inspection.  
(i) For each service connection for light or power from point of entrance to meter center, One Dollar (\$1.00) for the first meter loop, Seventy Five Cents (.75) for each additional meter loop or sub-meter.  
(j) For electric range and/or electric water heater, Two Dollars (\$2.00) each; and for any other fixed appliance for which no fee is herein specified, Two Dollars (\$2.00) for each appliance.  
(k) For re-inspecting any overhead, underground or

interior wires or appliances, Five Dollars (\$5.00) per inspection shall be charged. Such fees must be paid before the person, firm or corporation doing such work will be granted permit to do electrical work of any kind in the City of Sonora, Texas.  
Section 700

Rules:  
701. That the rules and regulations of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, embodied in its "National Electrical Code" published in 1978, and such subsequent codes, amendments and supplements of said National Board of Fire Underwriters may hereafter adopt and are hereby adopted the rules and regulations to govern and to be observed in all electrical wiring, and in all construction, installation, repair, alteration, operating and maintenance of electric wiring, apparatus and fixtures except as otherwise specifically provided in such ordinance, and the same hereby made a part of this ordinance as fully and to the same extent as if copied therein in full.

702. That all externally operated fused service switch or protective device must be placed in all service wires. Same shall be located on the exterior of the premises being served and shall be at the nearest readily accessible place to the point of entrance. Where the service load is not over 400 amperes, a single switch device must be installed which will disconnect the entire service load to the premises.

703. That all conductors installed for light, heat, and power shall be of such size, that the voltage drop at the farthest outlet shall not exceed two per cent (2%) of the voltage supplied at the service entrance, at full load. No branch circuit or sub-circuit shall be installed with wire smaller than No. 12, B & S Gauge.  
704. That in no instance shall the main service entrance be smaller than three (3) No. 6, copper conductor or equivalent.  
705. That each service entrance shall be grounded at the meter or service switch. The ground shall be No. 6, or larger, and supported along its entire length. The ground connection may be either a driven approved ground rod, driven to a minimum of five feet or to a firm connection to an underground water pipe so as to cause a 30 ampere fuse to blow between either of the outside wires and the ground.

706. That the City of Sonora Electric Department or public utility will designate the location of the meter and said utilities shall furnish the meter socket. The meter loop shall be installed by licensed Master Electrician or as otherwise authorized by this ordinance.  
707. That there shall be two inspections: (a) Rough inspection, or before any work, wire, or device have been concealed, (b) Final inspection after all work has been completed. Request for such inspection shall be made 24 hours in advance.  
708. That every cooperation, co-partnership, association or individual owning or operating a line of wires over streets, alleys or buildings in the City of Sonora, Texas, shall use only wires that are suitable and strong; shall suitably and safely attach them to strong and sufficient supports and insulate them at all points of attachment, except ground wire; shall remove all wires abandoned for use; shall suitably insulate every wire where it enters a building, and if such wire is other than wire designated to carry an electric light or power current, shall attach it at suitable and convenient points in the circuit, and near the place of entering the building an appliance calculated to prevent at all times a current of injuring electricity of such intensity or volume as to be capable of injuring electrical instruments or causing fire from entering the building by means of such wire beyond the point at which such appliance is attached.  
709. No wire shall be installed, operated or maintained over any street, alley, sidewalk or building in the City which shall be liable to seriously interfere with the works of the Fire Department in the use of ladders or other apparatus, or which shall obstruct or render hazardous the use of fire escapes, and on complaint of the Fire Chief, or Fire Marshall, said obstruction interfering or hazardous wire shall be removed or properly re-arranged.  
710. That the spirit and intent of this ordinance is to protect the City and Citizens of Sonora, Texas, from the installation of workmanship and materials and devices that may endanger life and

property, and therefore all installations shall be approved from the standpoint of good mechanical workmanship as well as good electrical workmanship.  
Section 800  
Exemptions:  
801. That all electrical work under construction or formally contracted for at the time of passage of this ordinance shall be expressly exempted from the changes of this ordinance.  
Section 900  
Unauthorized Persons:  
901. Prohibiting unauthorized persons, firms or corporations from cutting, moving or attaching to any outside or inside wire, switch or other appliances, belonging to or controlled by any electric utility.  
(a) It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to cut, move or attach to any wire, switch or other appliance belonging to or controlled by any electric utility or the Municipal Electric Utility or cause the same to be done, unless such person, firm or corporation is in the employ of the electric utility or Municipal Electric Utility so owning such wire, switch or other appliance.  
(b) In case of an emergency such as fire, storm or fallen wires, any experienced or competent person may cut and remove or cause to be cut and removed, any wire or wires or other appliance that may endanger the lives or safety of the public, provided, that in this event the person cutting or removing such wire shall properly notify the electric utility or Municipal Electric Utility to whom the

wires belong.  
Section 1000  
Liability:  
1001. This ordinance shall not be construed to relieve from or lessen the responsibility of any corporation, co-partnership, association, individual or agent thereof, installing, operating or controlling any electric wiring or electrical apparatus for damages to anyone thereby, or for full faithful performance of the contract, nor shall the City be held as assuming any liability by reason of the inspection authorized herein or certificate or permit issued pursuant to the provisions of this ordinance.  
Section 1100  
Placing of Advertising on Poles:  
1101. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to place or allow to be placed any advertising cards or posters, or other like material on any of the poles within the City limits, or on any poles belonging to the City of Sonora, outside the City limits, and any person, firm or corporation allowing the same to be done shall be deemed guilty of an offense.  
Section 1200  
Area Coverage  
1201. All provisions of this ordinance shall be effective and shall be applied to the entire area within the corporate limits of the City of Sonora, Texas, as well as the area without the corporate limits served by the Municipal Electric Department, and if and when any additions, sub-divisions or any area is added or incorporated in the City limits of the City of Sonora, Texas;

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the buildings therein must be inspected as soon thereafter as possible, under the conditions of this ordinance.  
Section 1300

Penalty  
1301. That any person, firm or corporation who violates any part of this ordinance shall be guilty of a class "C" misdemeanor and shall be subject to a fine not to exceed Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) in the

Municipal Court of Sonora, Texas.

Section 1400  
Saving Clause.  
1401. That if any section, paragraph, sentence, or phrase of this ordinance be invalid, or unconstitutional, then such invalid, or unconstitutional portion shall not in any way affect the remainder of this ordinance, and it is hereby declared as the intent of the City Council of the City of Sonora, Texas, that the remainder of this ordinance would have been passed by the City Council of the City of Sonora, Texas, notwithstanding the invalidity or unconstitutionality of such section, paragraph, sentence or phrase.

Section 1500  
Emergency  
1501. That, by reason of the fact that the City Council considers the adoption of this ordinance necessary for the preservation of the public property, health, safety, and general welfare of the citizens of Sonora, Texas, it is hereby declared to be an emergency measure, requiring any and all rules

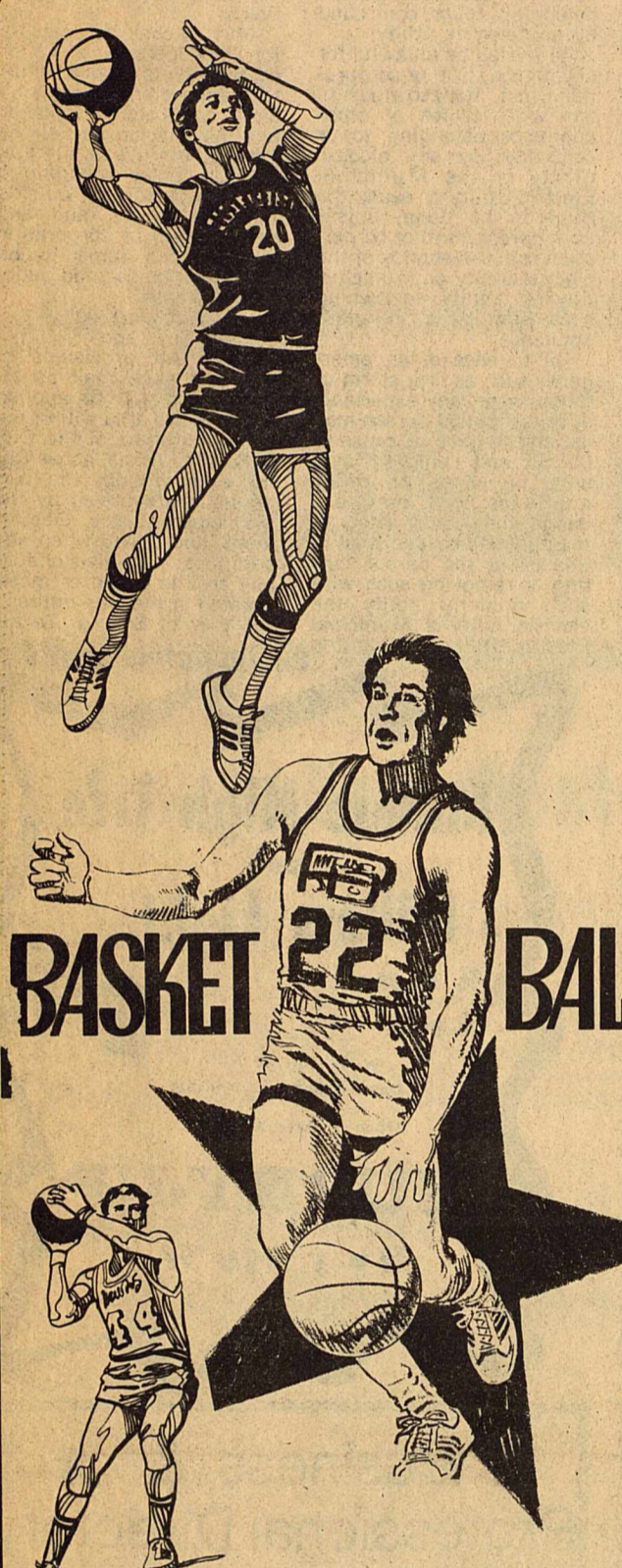
dinances, of the City of Sonora, Texas in conflict with this ordinance be and the same are hereby in all respects repealed.  
Section 1500  
Emergency  
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requiring that ordinances be read at more than one meeting be suspended; and that this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage, approval and publication.  
Passed, adopted and approved, this the 18th day of December, 1979.  
Doyle Morgan  
Mayor of the City of Sonora, Texas  
Attest:  
Shirley K. Hill  
City Secretary  
2c70

The Tax Office of the Sonora Independent School District will be mailing out inventories for the 1980 tax year. Please check yours and make changes, if necessary, and return to the tax office prior to April 1, 1980. We are also enclosing applications for Homestead Exemptions to all who qualified in 1979. Anyone else who feels that they may claim a Homestead, please check with the Tax Office. Applications to qualify for production values on open space land are enclosed for all owners of ranch land.

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Don O. Wootan  
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On December 21, 1979, the City of Sonora, filed with the U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Form RS 9B, "1979 Survey of Local Government Finances - Municipalities and Townships". This report is required by the Bureau of the Census and the Department of the Treasury, Office of Revenue Sharing, to qualify the City of Sonora for future Revenue

Sharing entitlements. The data is used, also, by other governmental agencies so that they will have current data for statistical purposes.  
This report, along with its supporting documentation, is available for inspection at City Hall, 201 N.E. Main Street, Sonora, Texas during regular business hours from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, with the exception of legal holidays.  
Shirley Hill, City Secretary  
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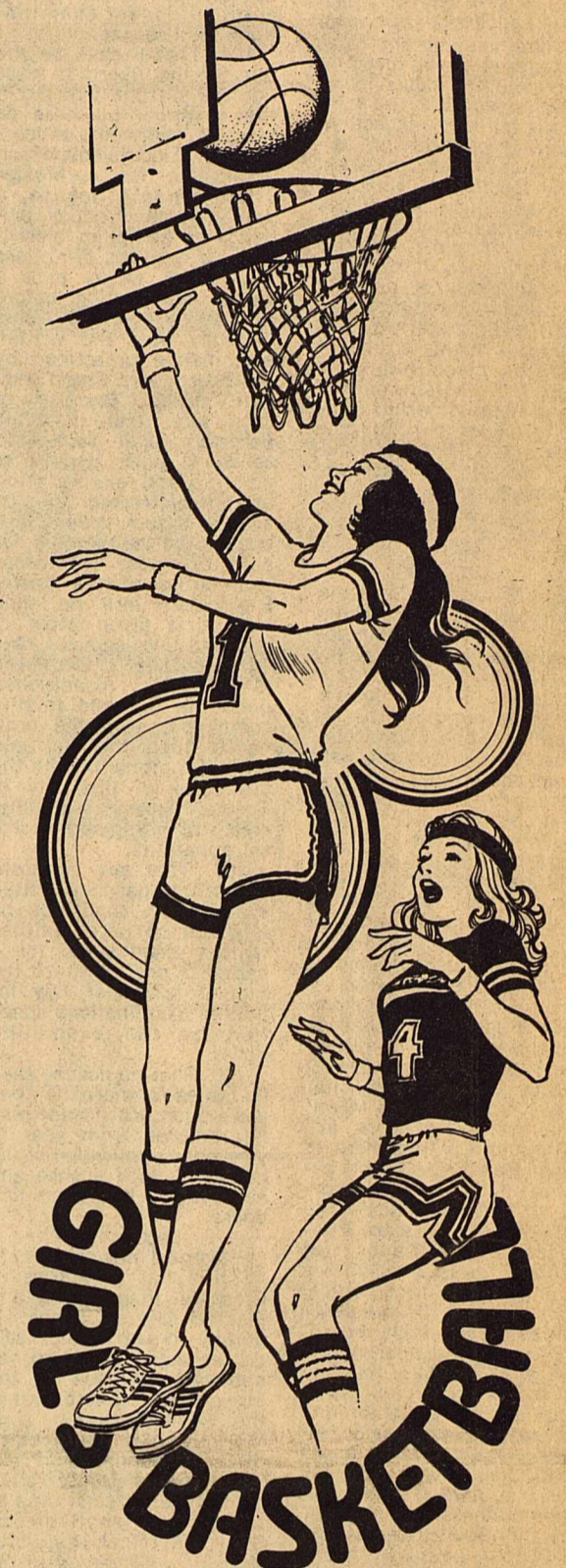


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