

## The Weather

DATE	RAIN	HI	LO
Feb. 26		66	36
Feb. 27		78	29
Feb. 28		79	40
Feb. 29		85	37
March 1		34	19
March 2		48	14
March 3		59	31

## Dance Club

### To Meet Monday

The Halloween Dance Club will meet at the Fire Hall on Monday, March 17. All members should try to attend this meeting to plan our spring dance.

## Baptist Revival Set

The First Baptist Church of Sonora will be holding its spring revival from March 16-20. Dr. John Rasco will be the guest speaker, and Mr. John Mc Laughlin will be the guest musician. Services for the revival

have been set for 10:50 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on Sundays and 7 and 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. on Monday thru Thursday. Everyone is welcome to attend.



Signs Of Spring!

# The Devil's River News

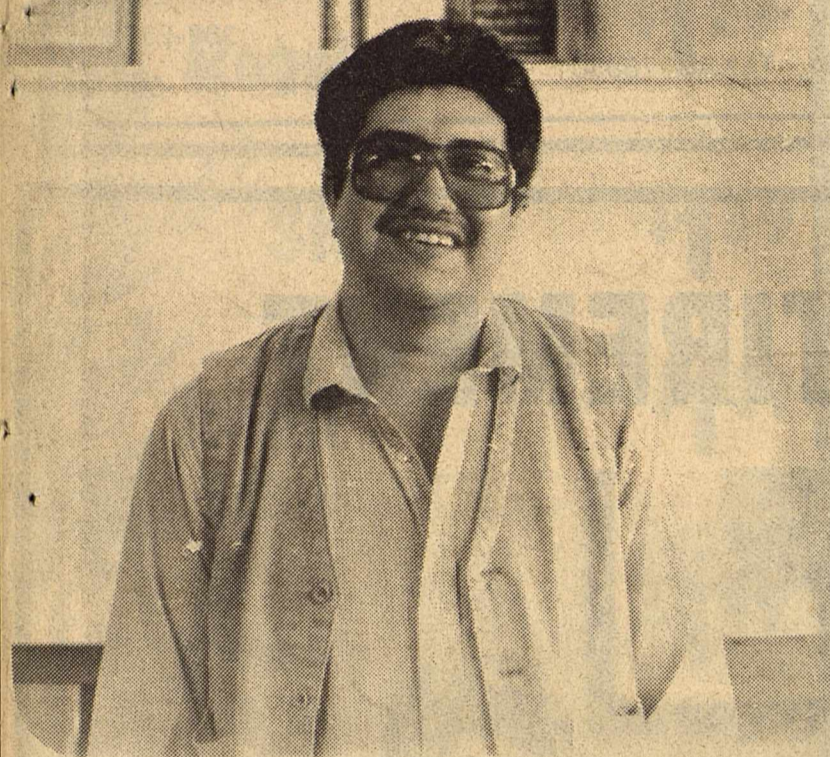
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Lemuel Lopez

## Lopez Announces In Mayors Race

Lemuel Lopez has announced his candidacy for Mayor of the City of Sonora. He attended and graduated from Sonora High School. After graduation, Lemuel attended North Texas State university. He worked two years in Austin for the Internal Revenue Service before returning to Sonora. Lemuel now owns and manages his family's business, the Commercial restaurant. In 1976, Lopez was elected to serve on the City Council. During those four years on the council, he has learned much about the City's government. He recently stated his main reason for running for office, "I think there should be some continuity in city government. With the change of command and the

vacancy left by Doyle Morgan, I believe that, by virtue of being on the Council for four years, I can bring that continuity to our city's government." He added, "I know the problems and successes of the Council for the past four years, and I believe that my knowledge will benefit the city."

"In my four years of the council, I have worked with Norm Rousselot and Doyle Morgan, Sonora's last two Mayors, and I would like to maintain the high standards set by them." I urge everyone to get out and vote - it is the most important that we have a good turnout. I would appreciate the consideration of every citizen of the city of Sonora, and I will also appreciate their vote," he commented.

## Gesch Assumes Duties As Chief Of Police

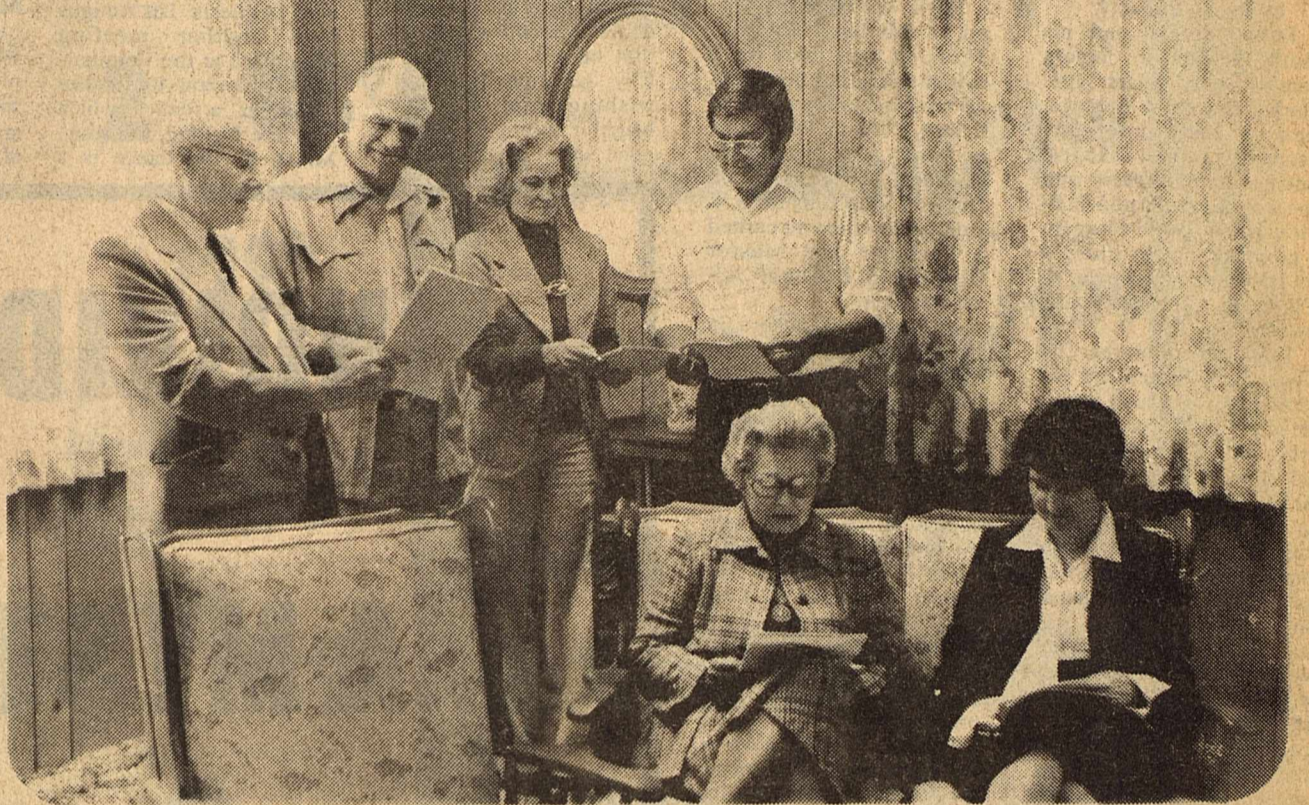
Raymond Brent Gesch was named City of Sonora Police Chief in action of the City Council last week. This action came following the resignation of Police Chief Jerry Kemp earlier in the month.

Gesch has worked for the city police department since 1977 and served as sergeant and assistant to the chief.

A native of San Angelo, Gesch graduated from Lake View High School in 1967 and attended Southwest Texas Junior College in Uvalde majoring in law enforcement. He is also certified with the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Standard and Education; attended Texas A&M studying criminal investigation; took a course in homicide investigation at Concho Valley Regional Education Agency, and holds an intermediate certificate with the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Education.

Prior to coming to Sonora, Gesch worked for the Edwards County Sheriff's Department in Rock-springs, where he was a deputy.

Gesch is married and his wife Abby, is a dispatcher for the local sheriff's department.



Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Younger and Dr. Mary Kay Sparks from the journalism Dept. at ASU join Paul Terry, Ed Carrasco and Lou Thomas in choosing the winning slogan.

## Mary Adams Wins First Prize In C Of C Slogan Contest

Rev. Paul Terry announced that Mrs. Mary Adams, at 708 5th St. is the winner of the \$25 prize for the slogan 'Shine Sonora'. Terry stated that this slogan will be used on posters and new releases to identify the citywide efforts of the Sonora Chamber of Commerce Beautification project.

When Mrs. Adams was told she had the winning entry on Tuesday morning, she replied, 'I want to turn this back to the Chamber of Commerce, to use for planting a tree, or

for whatever is needed'. Congratulations, Mrs. Adams!

Honorable Mention was given for the following slogans: #105: 'Make Sonora A Scenic Showplace' by Jackie Johnson; #32 'Take pride City-Wide!' by Jim Dover; #137: 'Be Beautiful In Sonora' by Effie Harle; #36: 'Sonora Her Beauty Abounds In The People Who Care!' by Pam Merrill; #151: 'Why Live Anywhere Else? Sonora Has Everything' by Cody Manning and #41: S.O.S.

Shine Onward, Sonora!' by Lou Thomas.

Terry noted appreciation to all the entrants and added that some additional slogans would be printed in next week's issue.

"The response was very good and the judges were impressed by the slogans," remarked Terry.

The three out-of-town judges were given a tour of Sonora that included schools, churches, new jail several businesses and residences.

## Commissioners Pass Ambulance, Park Board Proposals

A special meeting of the Sutton County Commissioners Court was held Friday, February 29 to review the ambulance situation and to hear comments and plans from the Sutton/Sonora Community Park Board. Other items were on the agenda, but with the absence of two of the Commissioners, the items were tabled for discussion at the March 10 regular meeting of the Court.

The Hudspeth Memorial Hospital Ambulance Service was represented by Dennis Robertson, administrator and by Mike Stallard, ambulance attendant.

The present ambulance service has reached crisis proportions. The chassis on the existing vehicle is completely worn out. The Court agreed earlier this month in their regular meeting that they would replace the worn out chassis with a new one. The new chassis will cost the county \$8,300. The cost of switching the module to the new chassis is \$5,000. The changeover from the old chassis to the new one

will be done by the Superior Ambulance Service of Grand Prairie, Texas.

While the changeover is taking place, the Sutton County emergency service will rent an ambulance at the cost of \$75 per day. This cost will total out to \$2,250 as the ambulance will be here for one month.

According to Dennis Robertson, there is a good chance that the ambulance will be back in three weeks. The commissioners voted to approve the bid by Superior Ambulance Service and to send the ambulance to be repaired immediately.

Tryon Fields, spokesman for the Park Board presented the Commissioners with several proposals that were agreed upon at the February 25 meeting of the Park Board.

Members of the Board proposed to close the community park to all thru traffic. Gates at the south and east entrances of the inner park will be closed and locked and traffic will

be prohibited in the inner park area behind the rodeo area and in front of the baseball diamonds. All persons entering the park area will be asked to park their vehicles outside the innerpark area and walk to the baseball diamonds. The purpose for the proposal is to insure the safety of all persons in the park area. The traffic congestion in the spring and summer months has grown immensely in the last several years with the organization and expansion of the women's and men's softball leagues. The proposal by the Park Board will make the risk factor for children and adults in the baseball area much less severe.

The Park Board also presented a proposal to the Court for the future pavement of the proposed parking area which will extend from the fence line of the 4-H Center east and north around Field 1. The commissioners agreed that the proposals by the Park Board were relevant and offered their support in future activities by the Board.

## C Of C Industrial Committee Report On Austin Seminar

Members of the Sonora Chamber of Commerce Industrial Committee agreed that the seminar held in Austin by the Texas Industrial Commission was both successful and informative.

The TIPS (Texas Industrial Planning Seminar) was well represented by both TIC personnel, experts in the field and our industrial allies.

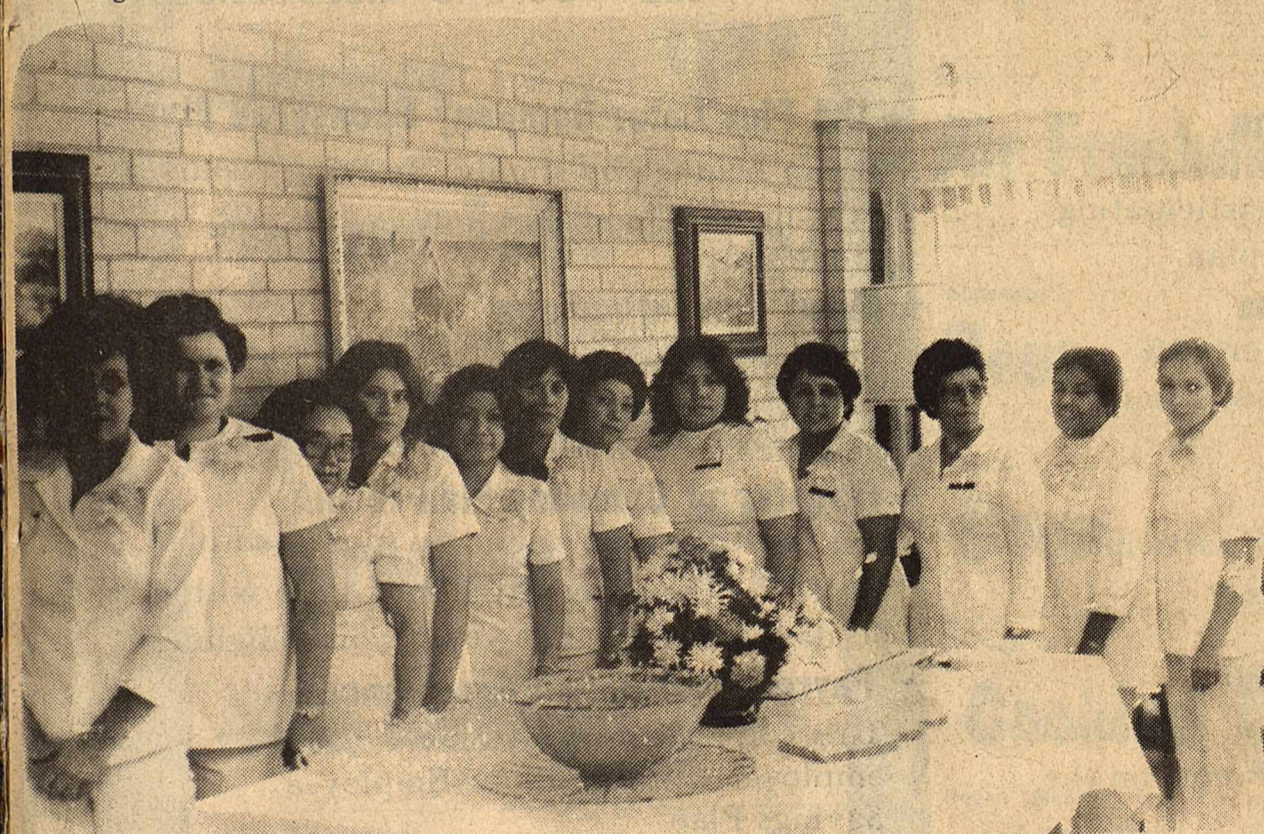
Briefly: Bob Smith, Industrial Development Consultant, conducted a brief sketch on 'Prospect's View of Sonora' and 'Organizing For Action'; Jerry Heare, Director, Economic Development Consultant 'Intro-

duction to Industrial Development' and 'Assisting Existing Industry'; Danny Choate, Manager, Research & Data Services; 'Research and Analysis'; Rick Vaughn, Director, Community Development, Lone Star Gas Company; 'Evaluating, Securing & Presenting Sites'; Don Weber, Industrial Development Consultant, 'Industrial Training'; Mike McAndrew, Business Finance Consultant, 'Industrial Financing' and Joe Ferran, Senior Industrial Development Consultant, 'Where to Find Prospects'.

The Industrial team members are

to be commended for their time and expenditures for the betterment of the entire community. The Sonora Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors and members of the C of C extend appreciation to Bill Morris, who furnished air travel to some of the group going to Austin.

Attending the seminar were Chairman Bill Morris, County Judge Charles Sherrill, Mayor Doyle Morgan, City Manager Jim Dover, Steve Swift, Robert Brown, Don Dooley, Les Robertson, James Dickason, Gary Pair, Effie Harle and Lou Thomas.



These twelve employees of Hudspeth Nursing Home received pins during a special ceremony held Friday.

## Aides Receive Special Pins

Twelve Nurses Aides at the Hudspeth Nursing Home were presented with pins of appreciation upon their completion of training and inservice classes held at the nursing home. Presenting the pins to the nurses aides were Eva Perez, Director of Nurses, and Sherrill Dooley Inservice Program Coordinator.

The classes attended by the Aides included instruction in the physical

and emotional care for the nursing home residents. Each aide can perform a list of 34 skills that the State of Texas requires, and many more.

The Nurses Aides at a nursing home hold the prime responsibility for the care of the residents. They are very important to the nursing home system, both here in Sonora in other communities across Texas. These ladies are greatly appreciated

by the nurses and, best of all, by the residents who receive the love and dedication that these nurses aides put into their work.

Those Aides receiving pins at the ceremony were Pauline Esquivel, Jimmie Sue Griffith, Juanita Guerra, Teresa Leyva, Benita Martinez, Lydia Martinez, Dee Martinez, Lupe Noriega, Maggie Oliveres, Angie Ramirez, Barbara Renfroe, and Rosemary Rodriguez.



Doyle Morgan

## Morgan Has Served Us Well

by Becky Ponsetti

Doyle Morgan and his family moved to Sonora some twenty years ago. During those two decades, Sonora has undergone some very radical changes, and has survived them with the help of dedicated individuals like Doyle Morgan. I promised not to throw a lot of bouquets to Doyle, so I'll make this short and sweet.

Doyle served on the City Council of Sonora for six years, two of those years, he spent as Mayor. In 1974 when Doyle was first elected to serve on the Board, Sonora was faced with severe problems due to its rapid growth. The water and electrical systems had to be reworked, and housing needs, although still more than housing are not what they were six years ago. He gave due credit to the people who brought prosperity to our community many times, and was present at the many ribbon cuttings, special ceremonies and such that took him away from his business and his family.

### TSTA To Hold 1980 Convention In Brownwood

Area educators who will be official delegates to the 1980 convention of the Texas State Teachers Association will hold a planning caucus at 8:30 a.m. Saturday, March 8, at Underwood's Bar-B-Que in Brownwood.

James M. Perkins of De Leon, president of TSTA District XV, will preside. Perkins is superintendent of the De Leon Independent School District. He will be assisted by other district leaders and TSTA staff members.

Doyle was born and raised in Madison County, Texas. It was there in a cotton patch that he picked up his famous dry sense of humor. "I had a lot of time to think," he stated. He attended college at Sam Houston State University in Huntsville where he earned a Bachelor and Master Degrees in Business Administration.

He moved to Sonora in 1960 to assume the duties as high school Principal. In 1967, after he resigned from the high school staff, Morgan went into the insurance business. With the success of his business, he expanded his capital with the purchase of the Devil's river News, which he bought from John T. King in 1970. He ran the newspaper with the assistance of his wife, Fae, until they sold to Gus Allen, the present publisher in 1975.

Doyle has added much to our community. Through his influence on the City Council, many of the needs of Sonora became realized. I'm sure that I speak on the behalf of the entire council,

city employees, and residents of Sonora when I say that he will be missed in City government. Here's wishing him an even brighter future and lots of good sales.

## Media Supports City Beautification

Effie Harle announced this week that Becky Ponsetti, Christi St. Clair and Don Dooley will be serving on the Publicity Committee for the upcoming Beautification Project.

Harle noted that after March 3rd, a slogan will be selected for the Beautification Project and expressed her appreciation to Rev. Paul Terry and to all entrants who participated in the contest.

## Los Amigos Organizes Club

by Lilia Hernandez

Los Amigos, a newly formed social club has met several times to discuss and vote on rules, qualification, and other important issues. The club hosted a small "get together" Sunday, March 2 at the Sonora Fire Hall to discuss their first major project which is registering citizens of the county for the upcoming elections.

The Los Amigos Club has a membership of 16, 9 of whom were in attendance at the "get together" along with 14 guests. Los Amigos held another meeting March 3rd at the Commercial Restaurant to finalize plans for a dance which they are hosting Saturday, March 8. The dance is a

couples only function with music provided by a San Angelo group, Los Tejanitos. The dance will be at the 4-H Center from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m.

Los Amigos Club officers are: Peter Samaniego the 3rd, President; Henry Villanueva, Vice-President; Betty Hernandez, Secretary; Lydia San Miguel, Treasurer; and Irma San Miguel, Historian. The other members are Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Villanueva, Sam David Hernandez, Manuel Lopez, Berta Esquivel, Lilia Hernandez, Mr. and Mrs. Ramiro Perez of Canyon, Texas, Carmen San Miguel of Wink, Texas and Margarita San Miguel of Seminole, Texas.

## Garden Club Holds Meeting

The Sutton County Garden club will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday evening, March 6 at 7:30 p.m. at the HNG Building.

The program "How to Set Up and Have a Flower Show" will be presented by Mrs. Charles Speck, Jr. of Iraan and Mrs. Cumbie Ivey of Robert Lee. Members are urged to attend and may bring a guest.

Members are reminded to bring a list of three suggestions for topics for next years programs.

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## New Arrival

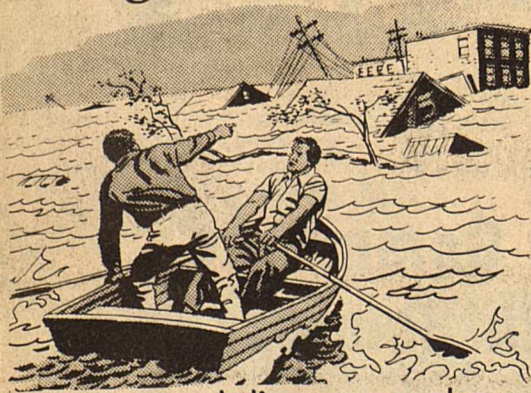
Bill and Lu Hazelton are proud to announce the arrival of their new baby girl, Rebecca Lynn.

Rebecca was born February 20th here in Sonora, and weighed 5 pounds, 5 ounces at birth.

She is welcomed by her brothers Christopher and Matthew, and by her sister, Jill.

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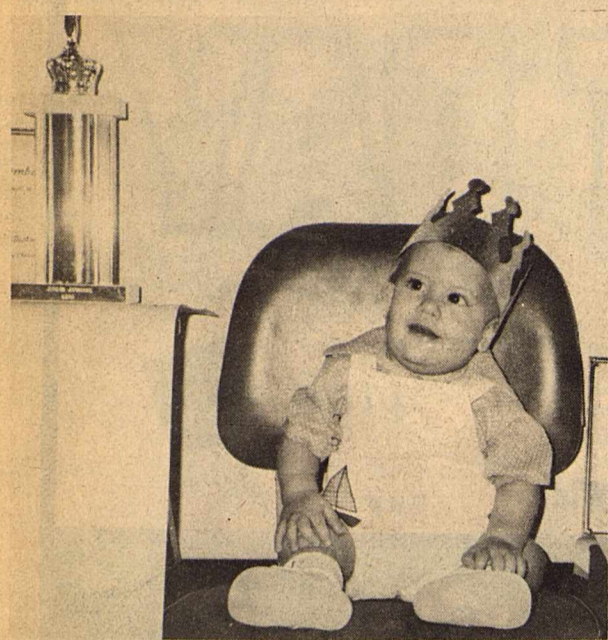
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By Keebler	<b>Cookies</b>	99¢
Pecan Sandies	<b>Choc. Drop</b>	99¢
Rich-n-Chips	<b>Iced Raisin &amp; Oatmeal</b>	13 oz Bag - Your Choice

Beef	<b>Neck Bones</b>	\$1.49
Ground	<b>Chuck</b>	\$1.99
Dankworth	<b>German Sausage</b>	\$1.19
Dankworth	<b>Summer Sausage Chubs</b>	\$1.39
Dankworth	<b>Bologna Chubs</b>	\$1.39

Calif. Pascal	<b>Celery</b>	3 for \$1.00
Calif. Iceberg	<b>Lettuce</b>	39¢
Super Select	<b>Cucumbers</b>	6 for \$1.00
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Nabisco Ritz	<b>Crackers</b>	1 lb Box 89¢
Nabisco	<b>Nilla Wafers</b>	79¢
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Danny Luedecke, King of the Baby Division with his trophy. Danny was given scores of 100 percent in health and 99.3 percent in beauty. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Luedecke, Jr. of Eden, Danny is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sorrell of Eden, Mrs. Wilma Luedecke of Eldorado, Mr. Orville Luedecke of San Antonio. His great-grandmother is Rosa Burrus of Eldorado.

### Red Carpet Committee To Hold Bake Sale

Shelley Chaney, President, Sonora Chamber of Commerce Red Carpet Committee announced this week that the RCC will hold a bake sale on March 14th from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m. in front of City Hall and Hershel's Foodway Store.

"The sale is being held to offset Red Carpet Committee expenses and a variety of items such as brownies, cakes and cookies will be sold," stated Chaney.

## Meet Your Honorary C of C Board Members

Becky Ponsetti, editor of the Devil's River News replaces Darrel Rasberry as an Honorary Board member of the Sonora Chamber of Commerce.

Becky has lived in Sonora ten years. She was born in San Angelo, moved to Sonora in 1964 and moved to Abilene in 1967, where she lived for seven years, then back to Sonora. Becky is a member of

the Women's Softball League, Red Carpet Committee and a member of the Publicity Committee for the Beautification Project.

Her hobbies are photography, flying kites, softball and likes hooking rugs and historical fiction. Her favorite novel is Centennial by James Michener and her favorite singer is Billy Joel. She likes Saturday

Night Live and her favorite movie is 'Bless The Beasts and the Children' and she is Catholic.

When asked what she would like to see Sonora have, in cultural or social achievement, Becky commented,

"I'd like to see Sonora's continued growth, both culturally and economically. We have made excellent progress in the last ten

years. We have a Senior Citizens Center, which I think plays a big part in the social development of our community. I'd like to see Sonora's history and art remembered with a museum or collection. We have a unique mixture of cultures in Sonora that I, personally, would like to see preserved."

Becky and husband, Steve, have one child,

Stevie, age three and one-half years.

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## Hooten Holler Will Be April 8

The Third annual Sutton County Barbecue Burning and Hooten Holler will be held Saturday, April 8 at the Sonora Park according to an announcement by the Sonora Jaycees.

Sponsored by the jaycees and jayceettes, the special goat barbecue will begin with check-in from 7 to 10 a.m., and features prize money and trophies to winners.

A dance has been scheduled by the Sonora/Sutton county Park Association, to be held at the park on the dance slab, following the barbecue.

Trophies will be presented to first, second and third place and a special Showmanship Trophy will also be awarded. Entry fee of \$10 per team plus a goat, wood and other essentials will be furnished by the competing teams. Judging will be held at 5 p.m.

First three place winners will also share in prize money provided by the entry fee.

Rules for the barbecue contest include:

1. Decision of the judges is final.
2. All cook fires must be in approved cooking containers. No ground fires allowed.
3. Contestants must furnish their own cooking fuel.
4. Meat must be cooked on site.
5. Late registration accepted until 12 noon Saturday.
6. Cooking sites on first come, first served basis.
7. No person other than officials allowed in judging area.
8. 1/2 goat to be donated to Jaycees after judging to be distributed at the benefit dinner Saturday evening.

Interested participants should complete the entry form in this week's Devil's River News and mail to Sonora Jaycees, Box 1036, Sonora along with their \$10 entry fee.

### Barbecue and HootenHoller ENTRY FORM

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### Robert Allison Guest Speaker

Robert Allison of Christoval, formerly of Sonora, will be the Gideons' guest speaker during church services on Sunday, March 9. Robert is married to the former Mimi Wardlaw of Del Rio. They have three children.

Allison is a member of the Gideons, an organization of business men who are dedicated to the distribution of Bibles to people

who otherwise would not have access to them. Gideon Bibles are placed in hotels, motels, nursing homes and hospitals worldwide. When the bibles are old, they are distributed through jails.

Robert is a member of the San Angelo camp of Gideons. The organization holds meetings at weekly breakfasts and monthly

night meetings. The Gideons send lay speakers to communities to speak in the absence of a church's pastor. The Gideons are an interdenominational organization.

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## Chamber Chatter by Lou Thomas

A Social Security representative will be at the Sutton County Courthouse on Thursday, March 20th from 9:00 to 10:30 a.m.

Friendly face around town this week was Becky Ponsetti.

Looking back: On April 19, 1966, Chamber of Commerce board members attending the meeting were: President John T. King, Tommy Thorp, Dick Black, J.W. Neville, Louie Trainer and W.R. Cusenberry. The group discussed having a Tourist Clinic in Sonora, conducting to be led by a West Texas Chamber of Commerce representative.

Nancy Johnson, volunteer for the city-wide beautification project, reported that she will be taking pictures of areas around the city that need mowing, etc. These pictures will be used for before and after, showing the many areas of improvement for a beautification entry in next year's Governor's Award for the Beautify Texas Council and to show progress made in the local effort.

### Dan Lawson Initiated Into Phi Eta Sigma

Dan Lawson was initiated into Phi Eta Sigma National Scholastic Honorary Society, Saturday, March 1. Freshmen students must have 3.5 or better grade point average to qualify for membership. Initiation was held at St. John's Methodist Church

and a banquet followed at the University Center Ballroom for new initiates and parents.

Dan has also received a certificate for the Dean's Honor Roll and will be listed on the President's list for making a grade point average of 4.0 the fall semester 1979.

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### Ribbon Cutting Monday

Glen Fisher, President, Sonora Chamber of Commerce announced that a ribbon-cutting ceremony and Open House will be held on Monday, March 10th from 10 a.m. until noon at Southwest Supply Company at Highway 277 N, where Ashley's Boot and Western Wear was previously located.

Southwest Supply Company is a branch store from San Angelo and has been in operation about two months. SSC is a plumbing supply business and is managed by Charlie Wyatt. The Sonora C of C Red Carpet members will be serving cookies and coffee and the public is invited to attend.

## Green News

BY JANE..

No matter how cold the weather gets, there's always a golfer or two around. On Saturday, Myron Halford and brother, Darren played a couple of holes, then back to the clubhouse they came. My-

ron said that was enough practice for that day and Darren agreed. Sunday's sunshine brought out lots of the Bronco team, a few local golfers and a foursome from Midland on their way back home from Amistad. Two cold to fish,

but never too cold for golf. Sunday afternoon March 23rd at 12:30 p.m. there will be a general meeting of Sonora Golf Club members. Afterwards a team play for men and ladies is being planned. Entries should be turned in by 12:30 and golf play will

begin as soon as possible following the meeting. Supper will follow golf, with meat and beans being furnished by the Golf Club, and salads and covered dishes brought by those planning to join in the fun. There's talk of a putting contest, bridge contest, etc., with prizes for the winners. Jack Johnson and Danny Doan are chairmen of this event so contact them for more details. The Tournament Schedule for this season is:

March 29-30 2 Man Select Shot  
April 19 Ladies partnership  
April 26-27 Men's Spring Partnership  
June 21-22 4 Man Low ball  
July 4-5-6 Individual Match PLAY  
July 19-20 Parent-Child  
August 2-3 Men's Summer Partnership  
Sept. 27-28 Over 40 Partnership

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### Wuests Share New Arrival

David and Diane Wuest welcome a son, Dustin Lee Wuest, born February 24, 1980 at St. David's Hospital in Austin, Texas. At birth, Dustin weighed 7 pounds, 13 ounces and was 20 inches long. Dustin's maternal grandparents are Alvin and Henrietta Langhamer of San Marcos, and Oliver and

annabel Wuest of Sonora. Dustin is also welcomed by Mike and Sandy Wuest and Marshay and Scott of Fredericksburg, Randy Wuest of Sonora, Gary Wuest, attending SWT in San Marcos, and Art and Linda Koenigs, Michelle, Tres and Treuton of Austin.

### Anniversaries

- March 7  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baker  
March 8  
Mr. and Mrs. Mike Perez, Jr.
- March 12  
Mr. and Mrs. Herb A. McKee Jr.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Ed Nevill

### Happy Birthday

- March 6  
Jack Martin Sykes  
Victor Castillo Jr.  
Alex Gonzales Jr.  
Callie Lee McCutcheon
- March 7  
Rhonda Wilson  
Mrs. W.H. Hill  
Mrs. Jim Jackson  
Hilario Leija Jr.  
Billy Bob Galbreath  
Sherry Johnson  
Vickie Umphress
- March 8  
Antonio Leija  
Autrey Bridges
- March 9  
Mrs. Miers Savell  
M.C. Scott
- Donna Mikeska  
Beverly Probst  
Kelly Jo blakeway  
Kay Cotten
- March 10  
Jane Wallace  
Mrs. H.A. Belk  
Jennie Mata  
Mrs. Jerry Jackson  
Alga Chavez
- March 11  
John K. Wilson  
Theresa Mooney  
Trudy Dell Taylor
- March 12  
Mrs. Rip Ward  
A.E. Prugel  
Mrs. Joe D. Seale  
Debbie Virgen  
Joe Eustace  
Jo Nell Johnson



Mrs. Tryon Fields

## Cavaness - Fields Wedding Vows Said

Cindy Cavaness and Tryon Fields were married February 16 during a wedding ceremony in the Church of the Good Shepherd. Officiating was the Rev. Jim Miles.

groomsmen were Bob Brockman of Sonora and Roy Bobbitt of El Reno, Oklahoma.

Ushering were Billy Bob Galbreath, Bud Smith and Bobby Granger, all of Sonora.

The couples parents are Milton Cavaness and Mrs. Francis Archer and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fields all of Sonora.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Jeff Doan of Sonora, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Bruce Kerbow of Sonora and Miss Linda Hill of Austin. Best man was Bruce Kerbow of Sonora while

nora. Jimmy Miles, Matt Miles and Stephen Miles were candle lighters.

The bride wore a floor length gown made by her mother and wore a cameo pin belonging to her grandmother. The brides bouquet consisted of sweet heart roses, daisies and baby's breath.

Mrs. Fields is a 1973

graduate of Sonora High School. She received a bachelors of science degree in education in 1977 from Angelo State University. She is presently employed by the First national Bank.

Mr. Fields is a 1973 graduate of Sonora High School. He received a bachelor of science degree in education in 1977 from Angelo State University. He is a rancher in Sonora.

After a honeymoon trip to Puerta Vallarta, the couple will reside at 903 East Second in Sonora.

## Citizen Of The Year Ballots Deadline Nears

Citizen and Senior Citizen of the Year ballots need to be filled out and sent to Ruth Bounds before the deadline of March 10. These ballots will be used to nominate the citizens of the year. The ballots will be reviewed and read by a

committee who will count the nominations and select the honorees for these prestigious positions.

If you know of some member of your community who, you think would best represent us as our citizen of the year, please

fill out the nomination forms inside this issue of the Devils River News and send them to Ruth W. Bounds, 1006 SE Concho Avenue, Sonora. The only requirement for these persons is that they be citizens of Sutton County, and that they have shown civic interest for the last year. The Senior Citizen of the year must be 65 years or older and must be a resident of Sutton County.

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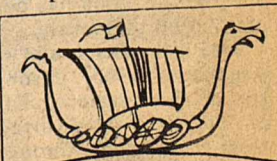
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## IRS Gives Aid To Working Parents

Working parents whose earned income and adjusted gross income for 1979 was less than \$10,000 and had a child living with them, may now be eligible to receive up to \$500 in earned income credit. In order to claim the credit, those eligible must file a return even if they owe no tax. The credit is based both on their earnings and adjusted gross income. For incomes over \$6,000, the credit declines on a sliding scale and phases out completely once a person's income reaches \$10,000.

The new change also allows individuals to receive advance payments of the credit each payday. Qualifying persons should ask their employers for and fill out Form W-5 "Earned Income Credit Advance Payment Certificates."

Page 2 of the federal tax instructions has details about how to claim the earned income credit. Taxpayers with questions should call the IRS toll-free number listed in the local telephone directory.



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# West Texas Gadabout

by Sam Pendergrast

DEL RIO-First off, let me take back nearly everything I used to think about this colorful old town "Of the River".

I had visited "the town this side of Cuna" only once before, as a columnist for a San Angelo newspaper, and (although I recall writing warmly about some of her people) I think I was not at all that impressed by the town itself.

didn't know, for instance, that the actual bones of the storied "Law West of the Pecos" are not buried at the Roy Bean Museum at Langtry up the river or the "Jersey Lilly" replica at Pecos but right here where the 78-year-old pioneer died in 1903.

square complex of log cabins, 1850's clothes, Indian artifacts (and bones) and traces of Jefferson Davis's Camel Corps that camped up the creek until the Union secretary of war became the Confederate president and lost track of the ungainly beasts that might have revolutionized the locomotion of Western America if it hadn't been for the Civil War.

where takes place when they hold a "Night in Old Town" and open the historic sector to neighbors and the thousands of tourists who have been discovering this city busting out all over since the U.S. and Mexico built the big dam to create Lake Amistad ("Friendship") from the waters of the Rio Grande and the Pecos.

I can report at first hand its three specialties (from dry white wine to sweet red) would be hugely competitive in liquor stores anywhere if the one-family winery ever had an excess beyond what neighbors and visitors snap up fresh out of the barrels.

pointment for me was to find they haven't built the suburban bullring that was supposed to replace the old downtown corral they were tearing down during my first visit.



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<b>First United Methodist Church</b> Rev. Paul Terry, Pastor Church School 9:45 a.m. Worship 10:45 a.m.	<b>Jehovah's Witnesses</b> Sunday Public Talk 10:00 a.m. Watchtower Study 10:50 a.m. Tuesday Theocratic School 7:30 a.m. Service Meeting 8:30 p.m. Thursday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.	<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	<b>Sonora Tabernacle United Pentecostal</b> 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.
<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.	<b>Church of Christ</b> Bible School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Sun. Night 6:30 Wed. Night 6:30	<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	<b>St. Ann's Catholic Church</b> Rev. John Waldron Sat. Vigil Mass 7:30 p.m. Sunday Masses 8:00 a.m. 8:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. Holy Day Mass 7:00 p.m.

## Boycotting The 1980 Olympics

From The Offices Of Tom Loeffler

The President in January imposed a firm deadline on the Soviets to withdraw their troops from Afghanistan. If they ignored the ultimatum, the United States would seek to boycott the Olympics in Moscow this summer.

fied. No serious avenues should be overlooked in our effort to make it clear that Soviet actions in Afghanistan will cost them an ever higher price.

world know the United States will not tolerate Soviet interventionism. In my view, boycotting the Olympics is a correct expression of this country's condemnation of the Soviet's blatant aggression.

competition the proper forum to register political condemnation of a country? Will it have any impact on the Soviets? I believe the answers are clear.

## WTBS, Movies, Sports, Specials

Thursday, March 6, 1980  
9:00 a.m. Moment to Moment 1966. The love story of a chance meeting with a stranger.

Replay  
12:45 a.m. Atlanta Hawks Replay.  
Sunday, March 9, 1980  
9:30 a.m. The House on 92nd Street 1945. The FBI battle against the Nazi fifth column.

love with a youth who believes it's foolish to sing songs, and that baseball is a trivial pastime.  
12:35 a.m. Charlie Chan in Reno  
Tuesday, March 11, 1980  
9:00 a.m. The Boy With Green Hair 1948. A boy wakes up one day with green hair, and joins a group of war orphans who teach him how to use the gift of green hair.

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11:30 a.m. The Sisters 1938. Two sisters untangle their own love lives while helping a third sister during her domestic crisis.

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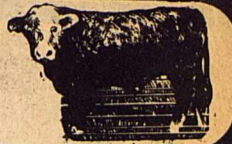
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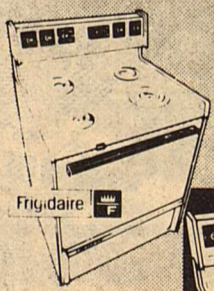
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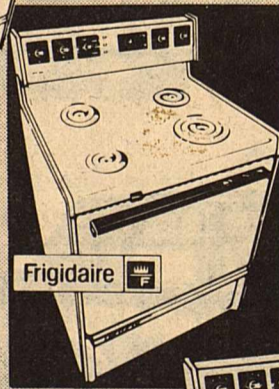
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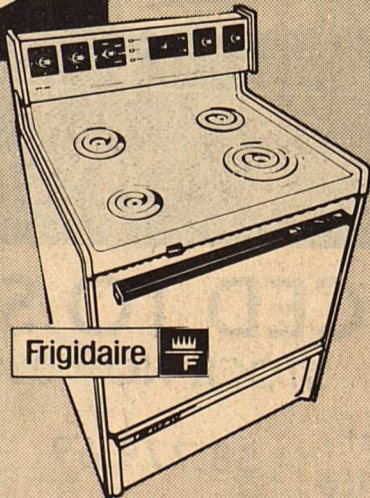


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## Jerry Lackey's Country Folk

Ed Gottschalk of Ballinger keeps a rod and reel on the dash of his pickup and a rifle behind the seat. "No, I can't remember the last time I wet the hook on that thing," he laughed as we headed for the coffee-shop. "But, I have it if I get finished with my feed rounds a little early one of these mornings and just happen to be near the river."

Gottschalk says the recent moisture has put his terrain in good shape. I have good grazing on my grain fields. Matter of fact, if we get a little moisture along and about a week or so of warm weather that grain is going to shot up and we will have all kinds of grazing and make a crop as well.

He says he puts blocks out for his sheep. "I believe I will continue to put out the blocks out until spring even if we have some grazing in the pastures later on. It is expensive but I just believe they will pay it back in the long run."

Fred Case, Eldorado Hereford breeder, predicts a good spring forthcoming. His ranch was located in a dry strip last year that seemed to miss every shower that came through West Texas passing within a few

miles of his fence line. Edsel Newsom, with Producers Livestock Auction in San Angelo, thinks cattle runs will be lighter from now until June because of the unexpected winter moisture over much of West and Central Texas. "There is going to be a little more picking the pastures and ranchmen will hang on to their stock a bit longer if they don't have to feed them every day," he added.

Newsom is optimistic about the cattle market. "I just believe it will remain strong since there are not as many numbers in the country," he commented.

A Saturday or so ago when sleet and some snow blanketed the Texas Hill Country, Logan and Gay Stevens, who ranch near Fredonia threw a roping in memory of Smokey Kuykendall. The event, along with a goat barbecue benefited the West Texas Rehabilitation Centers.

This writer went down to Mason County to take part in the show which went on despite the 26 degree temperatures. Calf ropers mounted their horses, entered the arena and roped their calf, and hurried back to the fire until their number came up again.

Well, they kept up the pace until 1 a.m. "We warmed our insides with barbecue and beer about dark and sort of got our second wind," smiled Logan. "We raised over \$1,500 for Rehab while having fun."

Charlie Johnston and John Dublin of San Angelo got to talking about those kind of cold days and nights and "how soft all of us old ranch-types have gotten over the years."

"I just got to thinking the other day how we would be out on the range with a fence building crew, sleep in a bedroll on the ground, cook meals over an open fire...just out there with the elements," reminisced Johnston.

"Well, you know," grinned Dublin. "When we were living on the ranch out at Barnhart, I got up day after day at 4 a.m., worked hard all day long and never thought anything about it. I believe if I tried that now... about the third morning and this old bird wouldn't be getting up."

Remembering the "good old days" provides a good bit of entertainment to all of us, but few of us would really want to go back to them entirely.

## TS & GRA Meeting Celebrates Progress In Predator & Screwworm Control

If sheepmen could bottle the atmosphere they created at the recent Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association winter directors meeting in Brownwood, the proceeds could carry them through drought, pestilence and even bureaucratic scourges.

It was the kind of upbeat mood that most folks would pay good money to enjoy. Why was it that way? There were many reasons, but none of them alone can explain it.

Take predator control. Things have been dreary on the coyote front the last few years, each year a little drearier than the last, in fact. This hasn't really changed appreciably, but there are indications now that it may.

At least a growing number of stockmen think it may change, and therein lies the jewel. Tired of continually giving up crucial ground to the environmentalist, stockmen show every sign now of rearing back on their hind legs and pressing the attack. There was talk at the Brownwood meeting of seriously pushing a switch of the ADC program from Interior to USDA, even of snatching the miserable little starling away from the feds altogether and nurturing it

at home in Texas. In the meantime, U.S. Senator John Tower has introduced a bill that would put a few teeth back into the federal predator program.

Then there was the case of the off-again, on-again toxic collar study. Interior Secretary Anrus' vow to end 1080 research brought an order to cancel a toxic collar test underway at Meridian, but what must have been surprisingly heavy pressure from friendly forces managed to reverse that order.

In other developments, Association people heard at Brownwood that the golden eagle trapping program may be showing good signs and—wonder of all wonders—the eagle team even has authority to relocate bald eagles when necessary.

There were other areas where things appear to have a positive glow. Folks have been fretting for some time about the possible impact of federal rules on non-point source pollution, but a representative from the Texas Water Board told the TS&GRA that almost all Texas rivers and streams meet federal water quality rules not even in effect yet.

As for the future, he said he doubted the rules would

get much tougher because even the feds are beginning to realize that quality improvements above current levels are going to cost too much money for too little gain. That should ease the non-point source problem some.

This "point of diminishing returns" situation is becoming more and more clear to more and more people, according to Texas state representative Lynn Nabers, Brownwood. Both Nabers and legislative colleague Gerald Geistweidt, Mason, warned that rural Texas voters will lose more representation after the 1980 census, but Nabers added that even many of the urbanites who'll profit from that loss are beginning to get fed up with the types of liberal philosophies their country cousins fear they'll favor. Environmental regulations in particular, he said, are more and more being viewed as excessive and counterproductive.

Then there was the fond farewell to screwworms. Mission Screwworm Director Dr. James Novy told association members that the destructive parasite has essentially been eradicated from the U.S., at least sufficiently to begin considering a phaseout of the U.S. sterile fly plant.

There was still more. Though actual market prices are high enough to make it an academic point, producers were encouraged to hear that the Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service has raised mohair incentive levels 15 percent, forming an effective floor against any future slippage. Another positive sign was an indication that Texas A&M may soon establish a branch veterinary diagnostic lab at the San Angelo Research and Extension Center. This branch would

concentrate on sheep and goats, such as an Amarillo branch VDL is geared toward beef cattle.

Of course, there were a few clouds, such as the one over the Knox City SCS Plant Materials Center and other such centers across the nation. Rhett Johnson, SCS spokesman, told TS&GRA that USDA is considering plans to do away with the plant research system that has brought many of the improved forage varieties now in wide use across Texas. Johnson also said that Great Plains Conservation program is set to expire by 1981 unless extended by federal legislation.

## Sutton Co. 4 - Hers To Hold Meeting March 10

The March 4-H meeting will be Monday, March 10 at 7:00 p.m. at the 4-H Center. The program will be on the 4-H Vegetable Gardening Project. There will be discussions on "Vegetable Gardening In Containers, Grow Your

Own Groceries, and Planning The Home Vegetable Garden".

All 4-H members, parents, and leaders are urged to attend this program. Spring is almost here and its almost time to start gardens. Come and learn more about this project.

## Six Flags To Feature Judge Roy Scream

Six Flags Over Texas begins its 20th season Saturday, March 1.

Highlighting the day's activities will be the grand opening of the park's new, 2.1 million dollar, wooden roller coaster known as "Judge Roy Scream, the Awe West of the Pecos."

The park's general manager, Ray Williams said, "The Judge is the biggest addition in the park's history." It covers almost eight acres along the shore of the Entryway Lake.

"Our initial tests quickly confirmed that we have one great ride on our hands. Guest are particularly going to like the first drop. You get the feeling that you're falling vertically," he concluded.

Riding in the first car of the inaugural train on the Judge Roy Scream, will be Miss Texas, Les Ann Haughey, and Theresa Pool of Arlington.

In 1961, Ms. Pool, then five years old, was the first guest ever to step through Six Flags' gates.

Adding to the excitement and color of the coaster opening, will be a special appearance by the Apache Belles and Apache Band from Tyler Junior College.

Scream is the centerpiece of Six Flags' additions for 1980," Williams said. "one of the most ambitious renovation projects in the parks' history has been underway throughout the entertainment center."

One of the larger projects has involved a virtually total revamping of the Caddo Canoe lake area. During the summer months it will be the site of a nightly fireworks spectacular.

There are literally hundreds of subtle changes everywhere in the park. Beautiful rock walls have appeared where there were once concrete blocks. Pools beneath decorative fountains, once painted, are now covered with colorful ceramic tiles. The list goes on and on. We think our guests will be very, very pleased with both the quality and freshness of the park.

Six Flags Over Texas will be open Saturdays and Sun days, only, during the spring. The lone exception will be the Easter holiday period, March 29 through April 10, when the park will operate on a daily basis. Daily operation for the summer months will begin May 17.

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# Sutton County Petro News

## Poerner Claims Petroleum Era Won't Halt Abruptly

While pointing out that the present United States policy of "cheap energy now-nothing later", must change, Railroad Commission Chairman John Poerner today said that the petroleum era is not coming to an abrupt end.

"Oil and gas are expected to provide more than half of the free world's energy through the end of this century," he said in an address before the Weatherford Rotary Club.

"What is coming to an end is the age of constantly expanding petroleum supplies," Poerner explained, while the "era of cheap energy has vanished."

Noting predictions that petroleum production in the free world will probably peak out between 1985 and 1990, the RRC chairman continued, "there will be increasing pressure to both conserve energy and to more rapidly exploit coal and other alternative energy sources.

"The development and utilization of alternate energy supplies will make possible the increasing use of petroleum for more desirable purposes--as a basis for producing transportation fuels, petrochemicals and lubricants," Poerner added.

He explained that such activities will be directed more toward "efficiency and the production of products of higher value and less toward volume."

While he is "confident" that the U.S. can make this

transition, Poerner said that we must make certain important decisions right now.

"This nation will meet the future with flying colors if we accept the changes necessary to accommodate a shrinking resource base," he said. "We must provide the investment climate necessary to maximize resource development and accept the fact that a certain degree of risk is inherent in developing adequate resources to meet future needs."

The RRC chairman said there are a number of steps we can take immediately to help meet our future energy needs:

"First, we must make serious efforts at conservation," he said, explaining that the Japanese in 1977, used only 4.4 million barrels of heavy oil--less than the U.S. imports daily--to generate electric power for their "bullet train." He said that if all of the train's passengers that year had used private automobiles, they would have

consumed 10 times as much energy.

"Second, the only way to break OPEC's Stranglehold is to step our supply of domestic energy," he added. Price controls have kept us in a "non-competitive posture" in the world market, Poerner stressed.

He said that Americans need to accept the fact that profits from old oil are crucial to pay for finding new oil or enhancing production from old reservoirs.

Third, we must make

lengthy" federal permit and siting procedures have "in reality" done little to enhance the environment.

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Give yourself one point for each correct answer. If you miss only one or two questions, consider your knowledge of the oil industry superior; three to four misses and you're still pretty good; five or six misses gives you a fair knowledge of the industry, but seven or more incorrect answers indicates a need to better inform yourself.

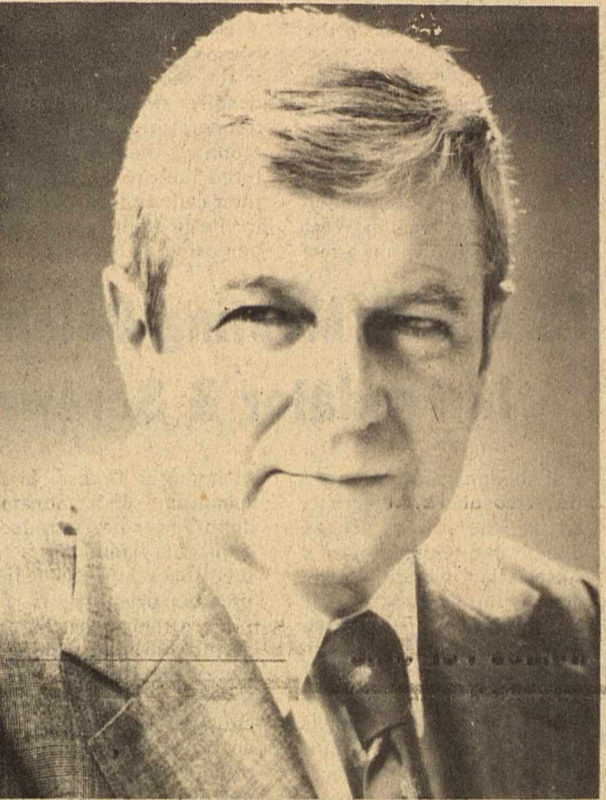
1. Each year the Permian Basin produces about  
a. One billion barrels  
b. 700 million barrels  
c. 100 million barrels  
2. Each year the U.S. imports about  
a. 3 billion barrels of oil  
b. 1 billion barrels  
c. 600 million barrels  
3. Compared with other industries, petroleum's profits are  
a. The highest  
b. About average  
c. Among the highest  
d. Among the lowest  
4. How many products are made from petroleum?  
a. 3,000  
b. 700  
c. 58  
5. By 1985 our energy needs are expected to increase about  
a. 25 percent  
b. 100 percent  
c. 66 2/3 percent  
6. About how much of America's energy needs are supplied by petroleum?  
a. 60 percent  
b. 10 percent  
c. 27 1/2 percent  
d. 50 percent  
7. The odds against finding petroleum by drilling wild-cat wells in unproven areas are  
a. 15 to 1  
b. Even  
c. 9 to 1  
d. 20 to 1  
8. The cost of an average oil well in the Permian Basin today is  
a. \$75,000  
b. \$100,000  
c. \$55,000  
d. \$250,000

9. The deepest oilwell ever drilled in the Permian Basin was  
a. 12 miles deep  
b. 6 miles deep  
c. 3 miles deep  
d. 9 miles deep  
10. Each day the United States uses about  
a. 1,000,000 barrels of oil  
b. 10,000,00 barrels of oil  
c. 17,000,000 barrels of oil

**Answers:**  
1. a  
2. a  
3. b  
4. a  
5. c  
6. a  
7. c  
8. d  
9. b  
10. c

**Crude Oil Production Down**

State leases in offshore and coastal Texas petroleum provinces produced 760,504 barrels of crude oil during 1979 in contrast to 863,308 barrels in 1978, according to operator reports to the Railroad Commission's Oil and Gas Division.



Bob Cocanower has been named director of marketing for CRC Wireline, Inc., according to James Odom, president.

Cocanower, marketing and sales representative for CRC Wireline in the Fort Worth, Texas office since 1977, will remain in Fort Worth.

Cocanower received his B.S. in petroleum engineering from Oklahoma University and has been active in the petroleum industry since 1946.

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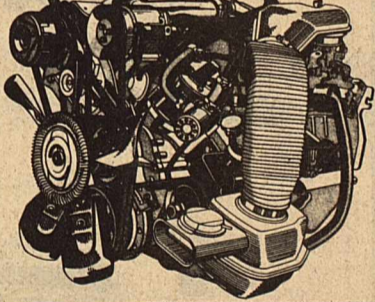
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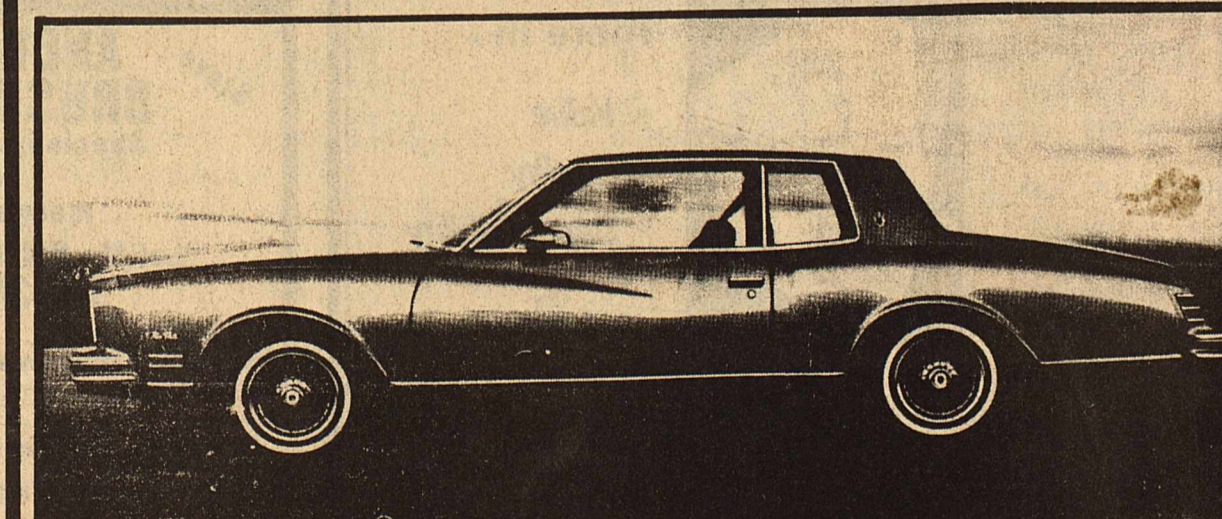
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10:30 p.m. I'll See You In My dreams 1952. A romantic story on the rise and success of song writer Gus Kahn.

12:50 a.m. Vice Squad 1953. The life of a detective captain during an ordinary day.

The Beachcomber 1955. Wed. March 12, 1980

9:00 a.m. Twilight For The Gods 1958. People take passage, mostly for lack of funds and to avoid police, on a tired sailing vessel.

11:30 a.m. Slaughter on Tenth Avenue 1957. An assistant D.A. encounters a conspiracy of silence when he tries to get evidence against thugs who murder an honest pier boss.

7:00 p.m. A Certain Smile 1958. A young French girl gets a lesson in life and love from a handsome young man.

**Houston Oilers To Participate In Benefit Basketball Game**

The Sonora Mens Softball game to be played by the famed Houston Oilers, and the not-so-famous Sonora Misfits, representatives from the Softball Association.

There will be two games held on April 26, one at 5:00 and one at 8:00 p.m.

Tickets for the event have been set at \$10.00 for Reserved Seats, \$7.00 General Admission, and \$3.00 for children and students. The event will be held in the high school gym.

Houston Oiler fans will be happy to note that a number of Oilers are on a

list of possible entries for the games. "Possibles include Carl Mauck, Gifford Nielson, Mike Rein-

feldt, Greg Stemrick, Vernon Perry, Kenny Burroughs, Greg Bingham, Rob Carpenter, and Mike Renfro.

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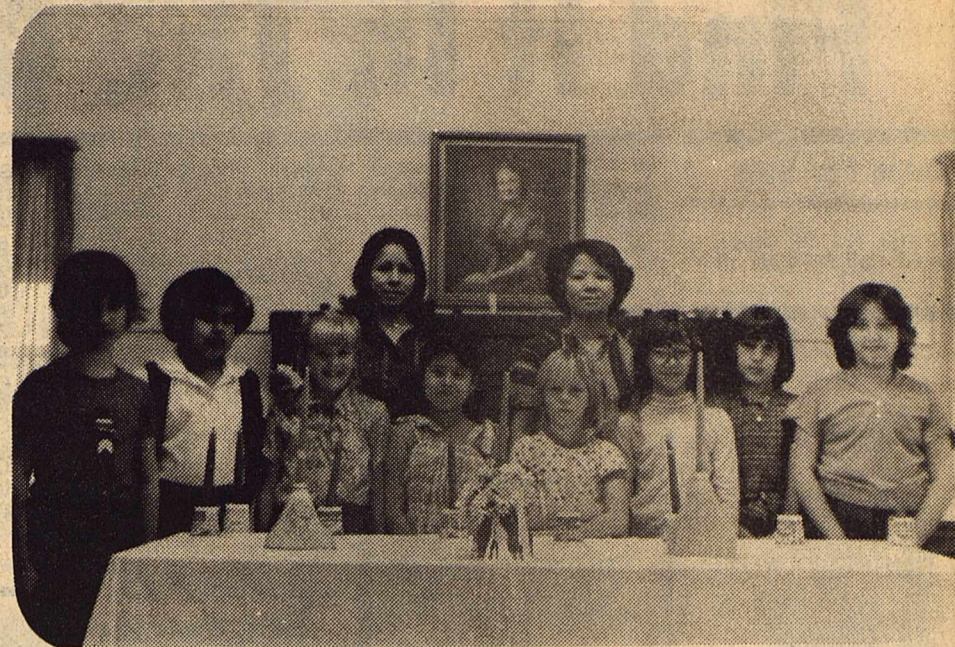
But Dr. Robert Bernstein, State Health commissioner, announced this week that 11 Texas facilities had received the prestigious award. To be eligible for the superior rating, a nursing home

must go far beyond traditional services and provide something extra in these fields: dietary services, nursing services, volunteer services and activities, professional consultant services, physical environment, laundry services and housekeeping and maintenance.

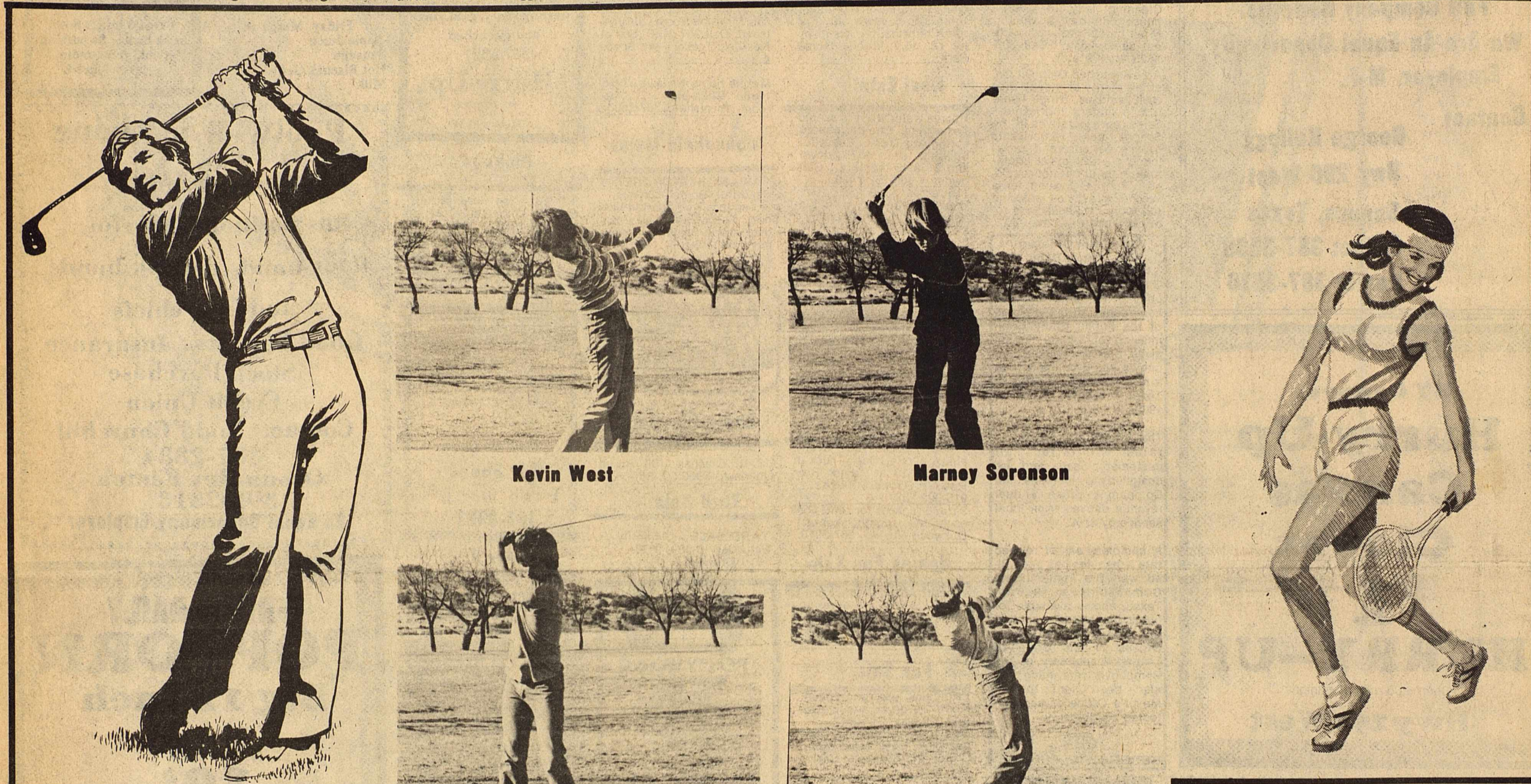
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Brownie Scout Troop 231 became Brownies during services held last week. This ceremony enables the girls to wear a Brownie pin, which they received during the ceremony. The new scouts are from left to right, sandy Turnbull, Sylvia Virgen, April Smith, Velma Lopez, Kimberly Cooke, tina smith, Stephanie Hinton, Velma flores, not pictured is Teresa hale.





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