

Mayor Bill Gosney and Mrs. Adele Carpenter look on as Jim Donaghue with the Interior Department presents Stanley Mayfield, president of the Caverns of Sonora, with a declaration naming the Caverns as a national landmark. Although the designation was

originally made in 1966, the presentation had never been made. The Caverns joins an elite group of landmarks including the Alamo and the King Ranch in Texas.

SCAT Lists Charter Members

A roll of charter members for the newly formed Sonora Community Arts and Theatre group has been released.

The list includes Mr. and Mrs. Gus Allen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Anderson, Guy Wyatt Askew, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Don Balch and ANita and Anna, Mr. and Mrs. L.P. Bloodworth, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Bounds, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Braden, Mr. and Mrs. William Cascadden and family.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Cassell, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Chaney, Pam Coker, Mrs. Pat Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Davenport, Tammy Duren, Mrs. Armer Earwood, Mrs. Lawson Farrar, Mrs. Herbert Fields, Mr. and Mrs. John David Fields, Rev. and Mrs. John W. Fritts, Mr.

and Mrs. Pete Gomez.

And, Mrs. Billy Green, Rev. and Mrs. David Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy R. Harris and Julie, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hemphill, Mr. and Mrs. James T. Hunt and Bryan and Hillarv, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Lane and Marche, Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Lopez,

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mayfield, Mrs. W.A. McAndrews, Mr. and Mrs. Dean McLain, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Neill, Dr. and Mrs. David Owensby, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ponsetti and Beth Bartz, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rousselot, Mrs. Bernice Savell,

And Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sawyer, Edwin E. Sawyer III, Mr. and Mrs.

Thomas Schabel, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Schneider and family, Glenda Short, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Smith and DeVoe and Daphney, Dennis Sowell, Jennifer Spencer, Christie St. Clair, Bettye Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Street,

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Swift, Mr. and Mrs. John Tedford and Valerie and Gregg, Lou Thomas, Mrs. James D. Trainer, Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Vander Stucken and Jan, Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace and Drew, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watkins and Randy Wuest.

Since it is possible that a person's name was not turned in anyone who had contacted a SCAT member and is not on the list should call 387-2880 and their name will be added.

Firemen Begin Annual Convention Here Friday

Approximately 700 people are expected in Sonora this weekend as Sonora hosts the 50th Annual Fall Convention of the Hill Country Firemen's Association.

Firemen representing Ballinger, Bangs, Big Lake, Bronte, Brownwood, Coleman, Eden, Eldorado, Eola, Junction, Mason, Menard, Miles, Ozona, Rowena, San Angelo, Santa Anna, Sterling City, Wall and Winters will join the hosting group from Sonora in a wide range of activities during the three-day event.

Registration will begin Friday at 10 a.m. followed by a golf tournament at 1 p.m. Tournament trophies will be awarded during a hamburger supper at 7 p.m., followed by a dance for the firemen and friends from 8 p.m. til midnight.

Saturday's activities begin with registration at 8 a.m. and a business meeting from 9-11 a.m. A ladies luncheon will start at 11 a.m. and a program on fire prevention by Charles Killingsworth, Arlington fire marshall, will run from 12:30-2 p.m. Races, including ladies pumper, men's pumper, three man, three ladies, one man, ladies polo and men's polo will begin at 3 p.m. Supper begins at 7 p.m. with a dance scheduled from 9 p.m. til 1 a.m.

Sunday's schedule includes worship services at 10 a.m. and a historical review at 10:45 a.m. One door prize in excess of \$200 will be awarded on Friday and Saturday.

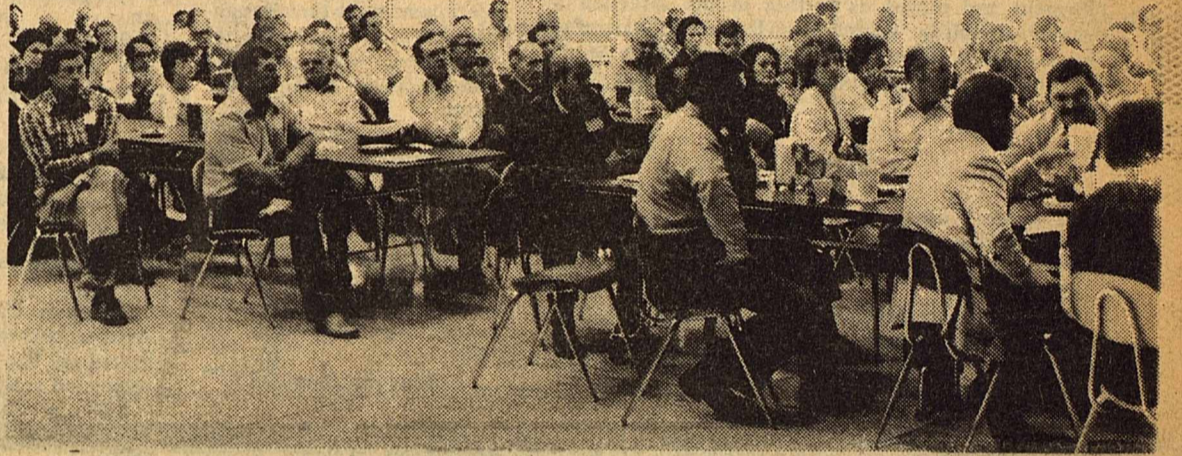
Streets will be blocked off Saturday for the races from Pecan to Chestnut and Crockett to Concho,

but the public is cordially invited to watch.

Officers from the State Firemen and Fire Marshall's Association of Texas who will be on hand for the convention include Dayne Hill of Edinburg, president; Marvin Setzer of Brazoria, first vice president; Ray Williamson of Wharton, second vice president; and Robert Stubblefield of Killeen, third vice president.

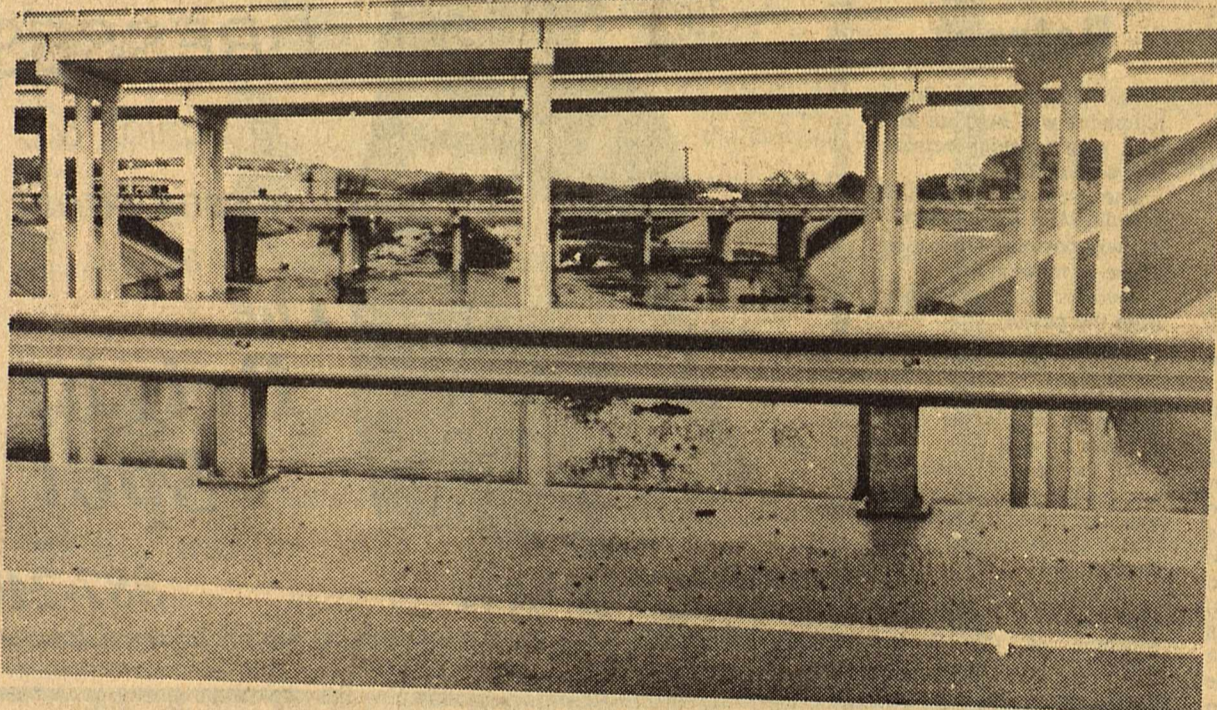
Several Sonorans have served as president of the Hill Country Association. Among them are C.W. Taylor in 1943, Gomer Minnick in 1949, Lee Patrick in 1956, John Martin in 1960, Cullen Luttrell in 1966 and Dorsey Carroll in 1968.

Gene West of Sonora is currently the first vice president and Darl West is sweetheart of the auxiliary



Numerous local faces dot the crowd as the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association held its fall directors' meeting at Sonora Junior High last Saturday. Approx-

mately 150 people attended to hear information on various issues affecting the industry.



The Dry Devil's River proves it is not always dry as rains, starting last Wednesday night, swelled the normally dry river bed. From four to seven inches was

reported throughout the county with rains spread from Wednesday through Tuesday morning.

Matthews Promoted by SA Savings

San Angelo Savings Association President H.J. Sallee announces the elevation of Rosemary Matthews from Assistant Secretary Assistant Vice-President of the association.

This action was made effective at the Board of Directors' meeting September 24, 1980.

"Mrs. Matthews has contributed greatly to the success and growth of our Sonora Branch since its opening

in October 1974," said Sallee.

The Association is looking forward to continued growth in the area with the addition of NOW accounts (Negotiable Order of Withdrawal) Jan-

uary 1, 1981.

These accounts will permit the payment of interest on checking accounts and will be an addition to the services now available.

Registration Deadline Nears

Voters who have not done so are reminded that Friday is the last day to register to vote in the upcoming presidential election.

Voters may register at the County Tax Assessor-Collector's office in the Courthouse, and the local Republican Party is setting up registration tables around town including the

post office, Food Center, the Image, and Tedford's Jewelry.

Absentee voting will begin Oct. 14 and run through Oct. 31. Forms may be obtained at the County Clerk's office, and college students who are away from home are urged to begin the process as quickly as possible.

Report Cards Go Out Thursday

The Sonora Independent School District will have completed six weeks of school as of Thursday, October 2.

All students will receive report cards on Wednesday, October 8. This is the initial grade-reporting period for the 1980-81 school year.

Ford Ribbon Cutting Scheduled

A ribbon cutting ceremony will be held Friday, October 3 at 10:00 a.m. at 115 NW Concho at Sonora Ford Sales, formerly Sonora Motor Company.

Red Carpet Committee members

The total enrollment of the schools are as follows:

Elementary 348, Middle School 307, Junior High 303, and High School has 294.

This total enrollment of 1252 represents an all-time high for the Sonora Schools.

will be on hand to serve refreshments and greet visitors from 10 a.m. until noon, announced Shelley Chaney. Everyone is invited to attend the ceremony and grand opening.

Mrs. McClelland Wins DRN Contest

Hazel McClelland was one of two entries to miss only one game in last week's Devil's River News Football Contest and hit the closest on the tie breaker score to win the \$20 first place prize.

Willene Garlitz of Eldorado also missed only one game and wins the \$15 for second place.

Tino Martinez used the tie breaker to win the \$5 third prize from among a large group who missed only two games.

Others missing only two games were Don Garlitz, Junior Martinez, Bill Shaw, Albert Luna Jr., Herman Moore, Alfredo Luna, Sam Hodges, Juan Mendoza, Delma J. Chavez,

Albert Chavez, Willene Garlitz, Elm er Garlitz, Maria Arellondo, Carmen Martinez, Jesse Bustamante Bruce Kerbow, John Blankenship Ed Martinez and Carmen Escobar.

The Abilene Christian at San Houston game which was an error in our Lone Star Conference schedule was not counted in the contest.

Turkey Program Scheduled Monday

All area ranchers are invited to attend a program concerning the management of wild turkeys in this area.

The program is sponsored by the Extension Wildlife Committee, the Edwards Plateau Wildlife Association and the Edwards Plateau Soil and Water Conservation District.

The program will be held at the 4-H Center on Monday, October 6, with registration beginning at 9 a.m. Dr. Dwight Guynn, Extension Wildlife Specialist headquartered at

Uvalde will speak concerning nutritional requirements desirable habitat, range conservation, hunting pressure and other general management factors which affect turkey populations.

Calvin Van Hoozer, Game Biologist with the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department will discuss turkey migration and movement trends.

The program will be complete by noon and all interested persons are invited to attend.

In conjunction with this meeting the Edwards Plateau Soil and Water Conservation District will hold an election for the director of zone 2 to serve on the board.

Grand Opening Set at The Jug

Shelley Chaney, President, Red Carpet Committee, Sonora Chamber of Commerce announced that a ribbon-cutting ceremony will be held at 603A Crockett on Wednesday, October 1 at 10:30 A.M. at The Jug.

Red Carpet Committee members will be on hand to greet visitors and serve refreshments from 10:30 until noon. The public is invited.

Heart O' Texas Savings Plans for NOW Accounts

Heart O' Texas Savings Association announced today that it will have interest paying checking accounts beginning January 1, 1981. The new checking accounts will earn 5 1/4 percent interest compounded daily.

Heart O'Texas Savings Association is one of the fastest growing and most progressive associations in the State of Texas.

The branch office in Sonora is located at 409 Hwy 277 N. and Jessie Kerbow is Branch Manager, assisted by the local director of the association Charles Graves.

Heart O' Texas Savings Association has assets in excess of Thirty-two million dollars, with offices in San Saba, San Angelo, Ballinger, Winters, Robert Lee, Sonora, Onion Creek, and Oak Hill and soon to open a new office in Big Lake.

The Association is pleased to announce this new interest paying checking account in order to serve its customers and to further provide a competitive banking alternative for the people in Sutton County.



Mr. and Mrs. Bill Patel and their family look on as Mayor Bill Gosney cuts the ribbon at the grand opening of the Holiday Host motel last week. The Patel's have recently assumed ownership of the Inn.

Community Outlook

By Don Holdridge

Sometimes we all forget to thank people who are a big help, and I'm afraid I must plead guilty. Nearly every week we have one or more pictures from the Photo Ranch and I somehow always forget to give them the picture credits.

Anyway, a big "THANK YOU" goes to Jerry and Nancy Johnson.

The Johnson's do some unbelievably beautiful work. Their studio is filled with many of the photos they have taken. One proof of quality of their work is the recent Texas Photographers Association contest in Kerrville. Each of them had two photos grade high enough to be among the 100 chosen for display. That was really a high honor.

Their studio at the Old Elliott School is a little bit out of the way, but it is worth a trip out to see, and you can nearly always bet there will be a pot of coffee on.

Anyway, if you are wondering which pictures in the paper were the ones they took—they're the good ones.

The July issue of "Drill Bit" magazine quotes famed wildcatter and independent producer Michel Halbouty as making one of the sharpest attacks yet against government interference with the oil business.

Speaking to the Permian Basin regional meeting of the Gas Producers Association, Halbouty charged, "The irresponsibility of this nation's leaders to act prudently in the face of our desperate need to increase domestic energy supply borders on treason—sheer negligence and disloyalty to the American people."

The grossest example of Carter's negative policies, in Halbouty's opinion, is the windfall profit tax.

"It is sheer confiscation of capital. It is the kind of law you would expect from a communist government. This tax is without doubt the most dangerous piece of legislation to come out of Washington in our entire history," he said.

"I know of no other legislation or totalitarian directive in the entire world which can compare with this extremely high tax on a single industry. On May 8, the government approved a \$1.5 billion loan to Chrysler, which amounts to nothing more than subsidizing Chrysler's failure. This must be compared with the windfall tax. Now I ask you, what kind of government do we have that subsidizes failure and punishes success?"

Halbouty concluded, "This confiscation or--to use a word I prefer--stealing of petroleum profits lessens the nation's productivity, increases inflation and unemployment and moves us further in the direction of complete socialism. Carter asked for deregulation of oil and gas prices. Then he slapped the American people with the socio-communistic act of stealing most of the profits."

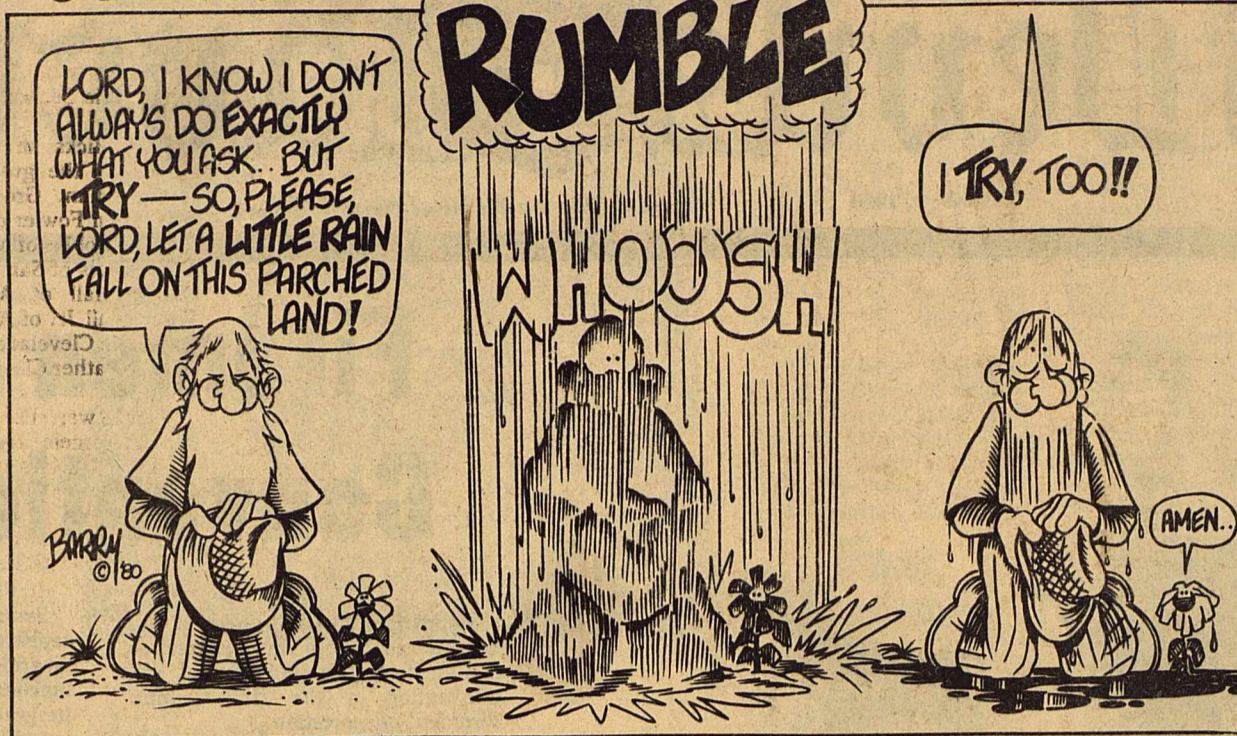
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Apparently whoever it had been that wasn't living right finally changed their ways because Sutton County finally got some rain. It wasn't just a short drizzle this time either.

The rains were welcome by everyone. Ranchers got that big one they needed before the first frost, and there was even enough for runoff to help fill some of the stock tanks that had gone dry.

Whether it really was someone changing their ways or whatever that caused the rain, we are thankful. For once it decided not to go around us.

J.P. Doodles by Barry McWilliams



Police Reports

Monday, Sept. 22

11:00 a.m. Caller requested officer to go with her to get her clothes from her residence.

10:23 p.m. Caller reported electric box fell off pole and is sparking.

Tuesday, Sept. 23

8:17 a.m. Caller on Crockett reported a minor accident.

Wednesday, Sept. 24

1:50 p.m. Caller reported that while they were out of town a rough looking subject came up to their daughter out in the yard with her dog and was inquiring about people living in the area.

9:11 a.m. Caller on Poplar reported vehicle hotrod and sliding underneath overpass. Three males arrested for possession of stolen property.

2:22 a.m. Caller reported water was over the road about six miles north on 277.

Thursday, Sept. 25

7:25 a.m. Caller called dispatcher at home to report her hubcaps had been stolen from her vehicle the previous night.

7:07 p.m. Caller on S. Crockett reported her resi-

dence had been burglarized.

Friday, Sept. 26

4:34 p.m. Caller at convenience store reported an accident in front.

6:45 p.m. Caller requested an officer to speak to kids playing around truck that is loading.

11:07 p.m. Caller at cafe reported a disturbance.

Saturday, Sept. 27

1:20 p.m. Caller on S. Crockett reported his vehicle being hit and the people that did it left the scene. Description of vehicle given.

9:29 p.m. Caller on Orient advised water coming out of street and flooding yard.

1:33 a.m. Convenience store requested an officer. Men standing outside using abusive language.

Sunday, Sept. 28

5:16 p.m. Caller on Rock Avenue reported his keys locked in his vehicle and requested assistance.

8:58 p.m. Caller reported a fight in progress on Orient.

10:55 p.m. Caller reported a possible drunk driver.

7:48 a.m. Caller reported pickup in the draw and think they need help.

Sonora Minister Speaks

The Rev. John W. Fritts, Rector, Saint John's Episcopal Church

Someone once said that mathematics was designed to keep facts in abeyance while men examined dis-

passionately the relations of these facts, because the question contains the answer, "Remember that research is very often a seeking of the question to an answer." If this is true of the strict science of mathematics, it is equally true of the Christian faith. Christianity, in common with its ancient mother, Israel, regards the answers which man needs to know as available; the only problem is to find the right questions to ask.

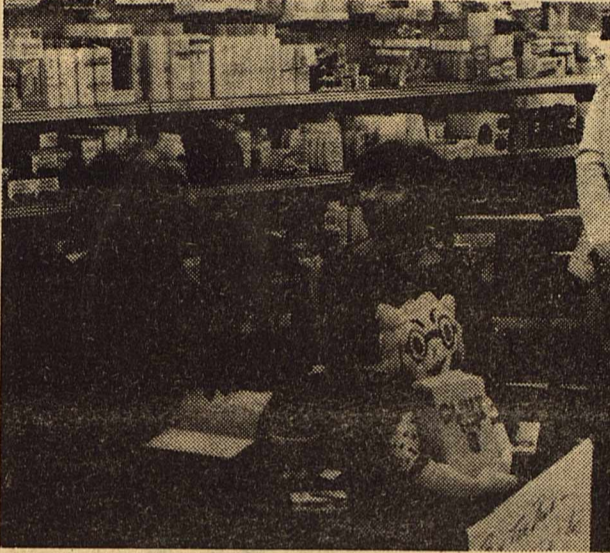
It used to be believed that various Oriental peoples held weird theories about the moon and what made it move. Actually they saw the same things all the rest saw. The problem was not the facts, but asking the right questions about the facts. Christianity, like Judaism, is based on facts. It is concerned with the mighty acts of

God. These are the facts. The problem is to get these facts in a setting which will permit them to make the right answers clear to us.

The Gospel According to Saint John speaks to us through the mind of Christ in a continuing community. It is concerned with the continuing and timeless problems of living the Christian life in a world which, so far as it knows, neither wants nor respects Christian standards. The answers are all there. The problem is to match them us with the right questions.

The eternal questions of the human race are: Who am I? What is my nature and what is my destiny? How is this destiny possible? We find that, in spite of all, we are children of God. Loved children of God. In the cross we find our nature depicted for us, who will recognize our blame for the crucifixion. In the same portrait we find the arms of Christ reaching out for all mankind to bring them home through the Spirit which will lead us on to life eternal which begins here. Read the Gospel According to Saint John as a series of liturgical sermons appropriate to the great spiritual events in human life. You will find it rewarding.

The church will also be observing World Communion Sunday this weekend during its regular 11 a.m. worship service. All interested persons are cordially invited to attend and join in the celebration of the sacrament of the Lords supper. All baptized members of any Christian Church are welcome at the Lord's table.



Jeanne Davenport (left) and her sister Ann Cates autograph copies of their newly published book, "Guilt Trips". The authors held the autograph session last Saturday at Hershel's Foodway where the book is now on sale.

Church Of The Good Shepherd To Hold Fishing Retreat

The Church of the Good Shepherd will hold its annual men's fishing retreat this weekend.

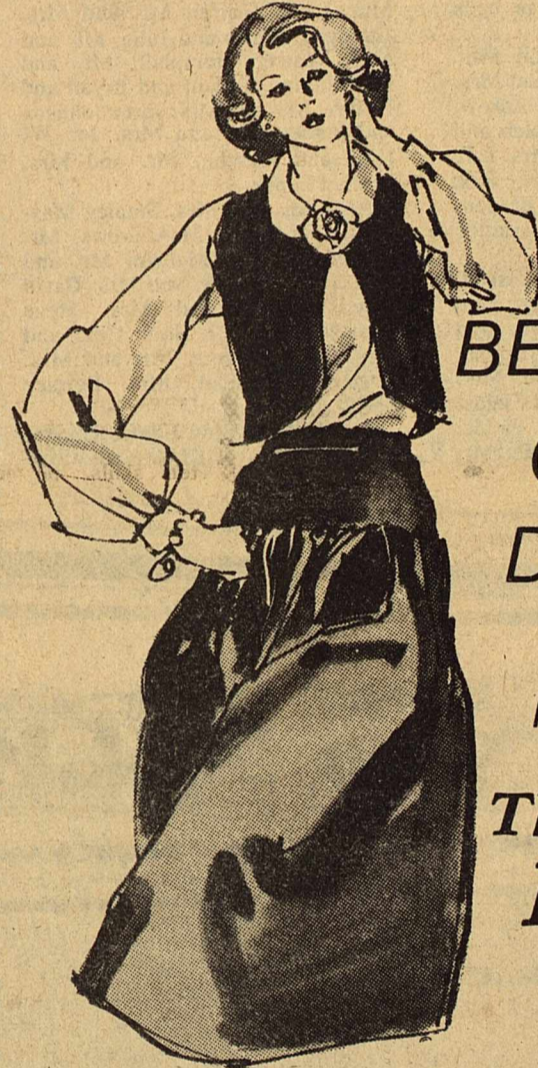
The event was originally scheduled for last weekend, but was postponed because of the rainy weather.

Details are available from the pastor.

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Sonora Churches

Primera Baptist Church 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.	Hope Lutheran Church Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Adult Inquirers Class 6:00 p.m. Saturday Confirmation Instruction 9:00 a.m.	First Assembly of God Rev. Ned Smith, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship 10:00 a.m. Eve. Service 7:00 p.m. Wed. Serv. 7:00 p.m.	The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian Rev. Jim Miles Sunday Church School 10 a.m. Fellowship 10:45 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. (Communion of first Sunday of each month) PCUS/UPCUSA Sonora Tabernacle United Pentecostal Rev. Kenneth Doyle Pastor Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. Eve. Worship 7:30 p.m. Wed. Serv. 7:30 p.m.
First United Methodist Church Rev. David Griffin, Pastor Church School 9:45 a.m. Worship 10:45 a.m.	Jehovah's Witnesses Sunday Public Work 10:00 a.m. Watchtower Study 10:50 Tuesday Theocratic School 7:30 Service Meeting 8:30 Thursday Bible Study 7:30	Faith Christian Interdenominational Bible Study Prayer Group Bible Study Prayer Group Tuesday nights 7:30 pm. at 1302 Glasscock. 387-5069	St. Ann's Catholic Church Rev. John Waldron Sat. Vigil Mass 7:00p.m. Sunday Masses 8:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. Holy Day Mass 7:00 p.m.
First Baptist Church 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.	Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Bishop Ray Hendershot Joe Moran Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Priesthood 10:00 a.m. Relief Society 10:00 a.m. Sacramento Mig. 11:00 am Visitors welcome	Saint John's Episcopal Church 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	

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Easter Seal Book-a-thon To Begin Soon

Easter Seal representative Katherine A. Morris held a Book-a-thon assembly at Sonora Middle School on 26 Sept. 1980. Katherine A. Morris encouraged Sonora Middle School students help other handicapped students while reading for fun.

Students will soon begin soliciting sponsors who will pledge a certain amount for each book that is read during the month of October.

The deadline for returning reading lists and donations to the Easter Seal state office is November 7, 1980. On November 14, Book-a-thon winners will be selected and during the first week of December,

prizes will be awarded to outstanding students. Prizes for Book-a-thon winners are tenspeed bikes, radios, and watches.

"The most important thing to remember about Book-a-thon is the Easter Seal services that it helps it to provide," reported Katherine.

"Should any resident of Sutton County require special equipment, speech, occupational, and physical therapy or hearing tests and fittings, Easter Seal is the health agency to call."

The local Easter Seal Representative is Katherine A. Morris at 915-685-1181 or you can call toll free 1-800-492-5555.



Mrs. Lindsey Paul Hicks

Cleveland-Hicks Exchange Vows

Susan Colgate Cleveland became the bride of Lindsey Paul Hicks in rites Saturday, Sept. 29 at the First Presbyterian Church of Tulsa, Ok. with Dr. William Wiseman officiating.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Newcomb Cleveland of Tulsa and Mrs. Lin W. Hicks of Sonora.

Maid of honor was Miss Elizabeth Cleveland of Tulsa. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Elizabeth Brown of Norman Ok., Miss Janet McCoy of Tulsa, Miss Mary Lou Herrick of Amarillo, Miss Linda

Ewan of Dallas, Mrs. Barbie Roberts of Plano and Miss Leslie Sebesta of Dallas.

Clay Hicks of Sonora, brother of the groom was the best man. Groomsmen were Lynn Fowler of Houston, Joe Nobles of Midland, Alan Harris of San Angelo, Robert Hall of Amarillo, Vance Hall Jr. of Amarillo, Lawrence Cleveland of Tulsa and Mather Cleveland III of Tulsa.

Ushers were Lee Puckett of San Angelo and Bruce Hurch of Wichita Falls.

Members of the house-party attended the guest register included Miss Lindsay Shirkey of Tulsa, Miss Malissa Shirkey of Tulsa, Miss Diane Fuller of San Antonio and Miss Krissy Herschel of Dallas.

A reception following the wedding was held at the Tulsa Club.

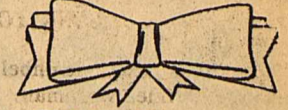
The rehearsal dinner, given by Mrs. Hicks, was held at Southern Hill Country Club.

The bride a 1975 graduate of Thomas A. Edison High School in Tulsa and received her BS from Southern Methodist University in 1979 and her MS in speech pathology from Texas Christian University in 1980.

The groom graduated from Sonora High School in 1975 and was graduated from Southern Methodist University with a BA degree in 1979.

After a wedding trip to New England, the couple will make their home Trinity.

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programs are increasing. Realizing this, it is our goal to provide the type of programs which best serves the needs of the children and their parents.

If this sounds like the type of care you want for your child, please call us at 387-5207 (after 4:00 p.m.) and let us know the hours of the day these programs are most needed. We will be happy to provide you with more information.

In acknowledging these needs, we will be offering a preschool educational program stressing pre-academic skills. These skills will include the area of language development, numerical concepts, written skills, physical and musical skills, social and personal skills, and the development of thinking skills involving reasoning, judging and problem solving. This program will be under the direction of an experienced teacher certified in Learning and Language Disabilities, Speech and Hearing Therapy and who will soon be completing an Early Childhood endorsement.

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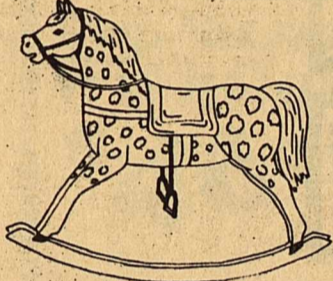
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September - no luncheon featured, but come look at the food items and potpourri - *

October - 7th - Mary Pack, Ann Williams and Susan Williams of San Angelo will show us their beautiful monogrammed accessories -
- 31st - Barbara Riley of San Angelo will bring a private showing of antique and estate jewelry by Cathy Campen of Dallas.
* linens

November - 5th - our own Barbara Savell will show her precious quilted and appliqued articles.
- 19th - Mary Baskin and Kip Zbinder of San Antonio with their lovely hand-smocked clothing - (a learning) adventure
* the children's corner.

December - 8th - Again, one of our own, Maxine Browne, will show us how to decorate and hand-paint Christmas cookies - plus give us old cookie recipes.
* glassware

Make your reservations early for each luncheon, because there will be a limited reservation list of 35. The luncheons will be \$8.50 and will start at 12:30. We are excited about the various events we have scheduled, and hope you will join us for each and every one -
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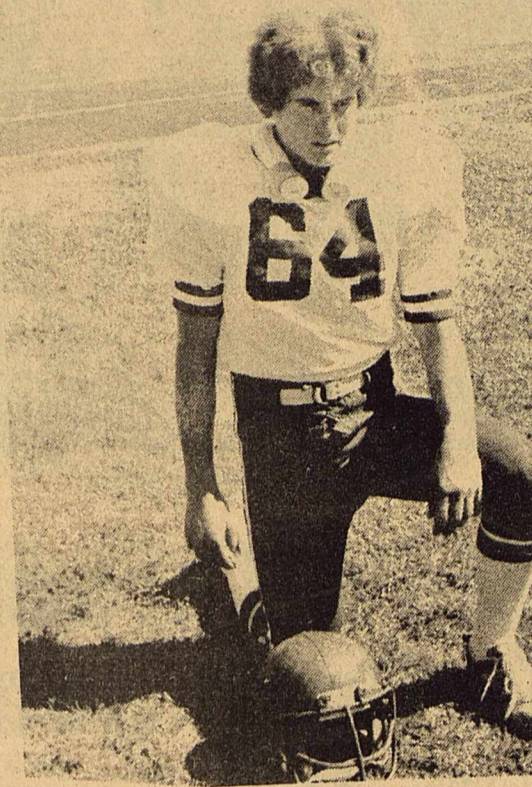
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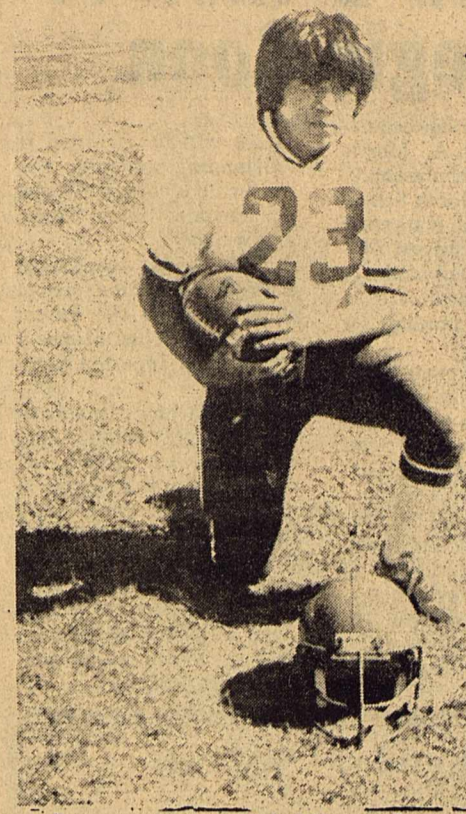
Allen Stewart is a 16-year old junior running back for the Broncos. The 5-7, 152 pounder has lettered one year and is a member of the track and basketball team. The son of Sam and Bettye Stewart, he has lived in Sonora 14 years.



Rodney Oliver is a 5-7, 130-pound guard for the Broncos. The 16-year old junior has lettered one year and football is his only sport. The son of Rodney Oliver, he has lived in Sonora for two years.



Randy Mounce is a 16-year old junior for the Broncos. The 5-7, 150-pound guard is in his first year on the varsity and is also a member of the track team. The son of Margie Mounce, he has lived in Sonora for 11 years.



David Bultron is a 5-4, 135-pound running back for the Broncos. The 16-year old sophomore is in his first year on the varsity and is also a member of the track team. He has lived in Sonora for 11 years and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Bultron.

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Sporting Chance By Don Holdridge

Luck stayed with me for one more week. Whether I'm just getting back in the swing or not, I don't know. At least my batting average is coming up a little.

With all the wet weather, there could have been room for a lot of upsets--weather is a great equalizer. But luckily there weren't too many. My upset of the week record also stayed intact as this week's prediction, Sam Houston over Abilene Christian, wasn't even played. Somebody ought to call Dave Campbell and tell him to check his Lone Star Conference schedule out a little closer next year, or "Texas Football" will no longer be a bible for me.

Back to the subject. I hit 16 of 19 games for the week, bringing my season total to 53 of 79 for a .671 average. Not great, but its getting better.
Llano at Sonora

The Yellowjackets will be the toughest test yet for the Broncos and they should be plenty mad after losing last week to San Saba for the first time in years. The Broncos should prevail, but they will know they had a game. Sonora 20-14.
Marble Falls at Brady

The Bulldogs, down in a severe slump, now have to play a real toughie. That bright shine on their fast start has dulled in a hurry. Marble Falls 34-14.
Tahoka at Ballinger

Tohoka is one of the best, and the Bearcats are just one of the rest. Tohoka 42-6.
Wylie at Coleman

The Bluecats are really blue after this one--black and blue. Wylie 27-0.
Breckenridge at Comanche

The Indians had to tackle Class AAA bully Stephenville, and those bruises won't be healed before they have a whole lot more. Breckenridge 45-14.
SMU at Tulane

The Ponies are finally showing what caused Mustang Mania and this is no team to disprove it. SMU 31-10
Texas at Rice

The Owls got their victory for the season last week. The Longhorns have at more left. Texas 42-10
Texas Tech at Texas A&M

The Red Raiders have a knack for embarrassing the Aggies, but Tom Wilson's job may be on the line with this one. Texas A&M 13-6.
Houston at Baylor

Upset of the week. I really don't know if this could be considered an upset any more, but the Bears a dreaming of a white New Year--Cotton white. Baylor 17-13.
TCU at Arkansas

This would be my second upset of the week if it wasn't being played in the Ozarks. The Hoggies have problems. Arkansas 20-16.
Lamar at Stephen F. Austin

The Lumberjacks are better, but not up to the NCAA class yet. Lamar 24-17.
Texas Southern at Texas A&I

The Javelinas got back on track during their last

game, and there's no derailing them now--for awhile
Texas A&I 23-14.
Sam Houston at Texas Lutheran

TLC doesn't have much any more, and the Bearcats are high octane--at least on offense. Sam Houston 35-14.
SWT at Nicholls State

I don't know anything about their opponents but the Bobcats proved they are tough by staying with West Texas State last week. That's good enough for me. Southwest Texas 14-6.
Angelo State at East Central Oklahoma

The Rams want their record in the 1980's to be just as good--or better--than the 1970's. There's no reason it shouldn't. Angelo State 27-10.
New York Giants at Dallas

The Giants, after a sparkling start, look like a burned out star. Meanwhile, the Cowboys are improving. Dallas 34-9.
Seattle at Houston

Hopefully Earl will be back. Even without him, the Snake's ball control passing can keep the ball away from Jim Zorn and company. Houston 17-14.

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Chamber Chatter

by Lou Thomas

Red Carpet Committee members were unusually busy last week: Holiday Host ribbon cutting, Installation of RCC officers and dinner, Cavens of Sonora Dedication Ceremony and the Autograph Session for co-author Jeanne Davenport.

Jeanne co-authored "Guilt Trips" with her sister, Ann Cates of Arlington, who is a freelance writer.

Would like to express, along with several others, how proud Sonorans felt in the number of parade entries and the originality of entrants...during Sutton County Days!

The August issue of 'Texas Chamber of Commerce Executives' read that 'Although statistics supplied by the U.S. Travel Data Center reported that American tourists were declining sharply, Texas resorts continued to show strong activity. The unusual combination of a declining economy, soaring interest rates, government restrictions and double digit inflation were blamed for the 30 percent decline nationwide.'

Texas, however, with the additional negative influence of the worst heat wave in history, continued strong. Coastal resorts were reported full and such attractions as Lakeway Inn and Aquarina, described their business as "bombing" and "highest on record".

The recent office mail-

Red Carpet Committee Installs Officers

Red Carpet Committee members and families enjoyed a delicious buffet dinner at Pearl's Pizzeria at 7 p.m. on September 25th. The Reverend Jim Miles installed the following officers: President: Shelley Chaney; Vice President: Hilda Flores and Secretary/Treasurer: Brenda Wyatt.

out to C of C business membership regarding the formation of a Retail Merchants Committee has shown a positive response. Quite a few of responses have indicated an interest in participating in a business/C of C venture in offering coupons/certificates to go into the new-comer's packet distributed by the C of C. Participation is limited to business memberships, or individuals, if business membership in the C of C is desired.

TCCE had an interesting article entitled "How To Kill An Association". Some excerpts: 'Don't participate beyond paying your dues...let "them" handle things. THEN COMPLAIN THAT THE MEMBERS HAVE NO VOICE IN MANAGEMENT: 'If you do attend meetings, don't initiate new ideas. THEN YOU CAN PLAY "DEVIL'S ADVOCATE" TO THOSE SUBMITTED BY OTHERS: Don't volunteer your talents...that's ego fulfillment. THEN COMPLAIN THAT YOU'RE NOT KEPT INFORMED'; 'And, if by chance, the organization grows in spite of your contributions, GRASP EVERY OPPORTUNITY TO TELL THE YOUNGSTERS HOW TOUGH IT WAS. HOW HARD YOU WORKED IN THE OLD DAYS TO BRING THE ORGANIZATION TO ITS SUCCESS' and 'If appointed to a committee, don't work. THEN COMPLAIN BECAUSE THE ORGANIZATION HAS STAGNATED.'

The officers were each presented a red rose. Attending were Messrs and Mmes Ed Carrasco, Sam Hodges, Dale Chaney, Craig Collier, Jim Dover, Gary Pair, Charles Wyatt, Jim Miles, Charles Sherrill, Ruben Flores, Don Holdridge, Lou Thomas and Virginia Weatherford.

New Arrival

Kris and Nedra (Raye) Hawkins are the proud parents of a baby boy born Sept. 17 in Austin.

The baby weighed six pounds, one ounce, was 19 inches long and was named Shawn Wallace.

Grandparents are Jack and Mildred Raye of Sonora and Wally and Ginger Hawkins of Austin.

Garden Club To Meet Tomorrow

The Sutton County Garden Club will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday evening, October 2 at 7:30 at the HNG Building.

Dr. John Larson, Plant Nutrient Specialist, will provide an informative program on Greenhouses.

Hosting this month's meeting are Mrs. Joe Brown Ross, Mrs. W.P. Hardy and Mrs. Ben Cusenberry.

Members are urged to attend and guests are invited.

Peggy Lynch Named To Deans List

More than 2,300 students at Texas Tech University qualified for the deans' honor rolls in the six colleges during the second term of the 1980 summer session.

Among them was Peggy Lynch from Sonora.

To qualify for a dean's honor roll a student must have a grade point average of 3.0 or more on a 4.0 scale and must have taken as many as 6 semester hours of work.

Texas Tech has an enrollment of more than 23,000 students in six colleges: Agricultural Sciences, Arts and Sciences, Business Administration, Education, Engineering and Home Economics.

State Comptroller Releases Gross Sales

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Tuesday reported that gross sales in Texas during the first quarter of 1980 totaled \$60.9 billion.

He said first quarter sales this year passed 1979 first quarter by \$12.4 billion.

Bullock said the sales tax analysis of gross sales for January, February and March show that 250,681 outlets reported gross sales. Sales in Sutton County remained strong with 138 outlets reporting \$15.4 million in sales.

Figures for surrounding counties include Val Verde, \$48.1 million; Tom Green, \$328.6 million; Schleicher, \$5,912,031; Reagan, \$8.8 million; Menard, \$5.2 million; Mason, \$4.8 million; Kimble, \$9.1 million; Edwards, \$1.6 million; and Crockett, \$9.5 million.

The Comptroller's office also released a computer analysis showing reported sales for each of the state's 254 counties and a sales tax analysis broken down by the state's 25 Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas.

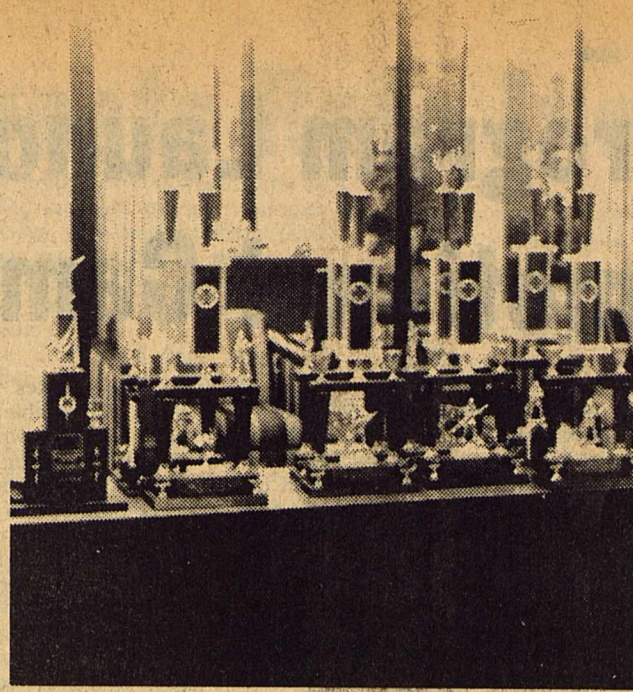
First quarter sales in 1980 for Harris County were \$15.9 billion as recorded by 40,987 reporting outlets compared to \$12.4 billion reported in the first quarter of 1979 by 41,727 outlets.

Gross sales reported in the state's other major urban areas included:

-Dallas County, \$9.2 billion, up \$1.7 billion over the first quarter of 1979.

-Bexar County, \$2.9 billion, up more than \$800 million over the 1979 first quarter totals.

-Tarrant County, \$3.7 billion, an increase of more than \$500 million over the first quarter of last year.



These trophies, donated by First National Bank, will go to the winners in various events at this weekend's 50th Annual Hill Country Firemen's Convention hosted by the Sonora Fire Department. The trophies are currently on display at the bank.

SCAT Plans First May Play

The Sonora Community Arts & Theatre enthusiastically agreed that 'Annie Get Your Gun' was to be SCAT's first production. Director Chris Cassell auditioning Monday and Tuesday evenings at 7 p.m. Sept. 29th and 30th at the school auditorium.

"We're looking for a large number of citizens to be present for the auditioning and help from many in other areas," Cassell commented.

Listed below are areas of need for the production. If you'd like to help in one or more areas, please mark an X by your choice and mail to Box 1172 or bring the coupon by the Chamber of Commerce office in City Hall.

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Rehab Center Plans Upcoming Stock Auctions

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"It still is," says Brian Richards, manager of the Fort Chadbourne Ranch near Bronte and great-grandson of the late Conda H. Wylie, founder of the Cattlemen's Round-Up.

Richards is optimistic about the sale and about cattle prices in general, probably because his area has not been as dry as some parts of West Texas.

"We're not in as bad a shape as far as moisture goes as around Abilene and other places," he said. "Cattle prices are depressed right now, but will come back and stay up for the next several years. The Round-Up will do well."

Why do cattlemen support the Round-Up through good and bad?

"Probably because the facility does the most good for the money spent on anything in our area. People around here see the results, see that the Rehab Center is doing good for people, so they are willing to donate to this year's sale, but they do plan to donate and urge others to join them."

Richards and his father have not yet determined their pledge to this year's sale, but they do plan to donate and urge others to join them.

To contact a pledge, contact the West Texas Rehabilitation Center, 4601 Hartford, Abilene, Texas 79605 or (915) 692-1633.

The first of the six CRCC sales was Monday, Sept. 29, at Abilene Livestock Auction.

Other sales include the horse sale, Oct. 4, at Abilene Livestock Auction, Oct. 8, Coleman Livestock Auction; farm equipment sale, Nov. 8, Clyde; and special auction, Nov. 12, at Brownwood Cattle Auction.

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CETA Program Launches New Promotional Campaign

The Texas Department of Community Affairs (TDCA) announced that it will launch a major campaign this fall promoting a partnership between business and government to create employment opportunities in over 100 Texas counties.

The campaign is part of a new collaborative effort known as the Private Sector Initiative Program created by Title VII of the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA).

"Since 80 percent of all jobs lie in the private sector," TDCA executive director Sid Wieser noted in making the announcement, "business support is crucial in helping solve employment problems."

Using the theme "Workin' Partnership: CETA's Entering Idea for Texas Employers," the TDCA campaign will encourage business and industry to hire and train eligible workers.

"The goal of the program," Wieser said, "is to bring unemployed and underemployed into the main-

stream of the work force. Equipping workers with marketable skills will allow them mobility in the private job market and the chance to become self-sufficient."

"This can mean less reliance on government support systems, which in turn benefits all tax-paying residents of Texas," Wieser continued.

The partnership is also designed to be responsive to business needs in training and jobs programs, according to Bud Harris, director of TDCA Manpower Services Division.

If a CETA employee qualifies under certain guidelines, Harris explained, the employer can be reimbursed up to fifty percent of the worker's wages for training costs. In addition, if the employee qualifies under one of seven specially targeted groups, such as vietnam veterans or the handicapped, the business could qualify for additional tax credits.

"We want to make busi-

nesses aware of the local nature of this program," Harris said. He explained that the federal funds are locally administered in the 100-plus counties under TDCA sponsorship. The counties are divided into 15 geographic areas, each with a local entity to administer funds.

"This allows more efficient use of the monies," he said, "since a local body has good knowledge of its area's needs."

"Moreover, private business has a lot to do with the use of these funds," he continued. "A state Private Industry Council, composed in the majority of business people, creates the major link between government and business. And each area has its own Private Industry Task Force to represent the business community."

"This is one of the few times," Harris added, "that business can have a direct say in how a federal program is run which affects them."

"What makes this program really viable," Harris said, "is that workers are trained according to local business standards for real work situations in the market place. The ultimate goal is long-term unsubsidized employment in the competitive job market."

This is one program that is not just a stop-gap measure," Harris stated. "It is a real opportunity to prepare a great many people, from the school drop-out to the displaced homemaker, to be permanent, taxpaying members of the working community."

"Our sponsorship, one of several in the state, covers counties and towns with populations of less than 100,000," Harris concluded.

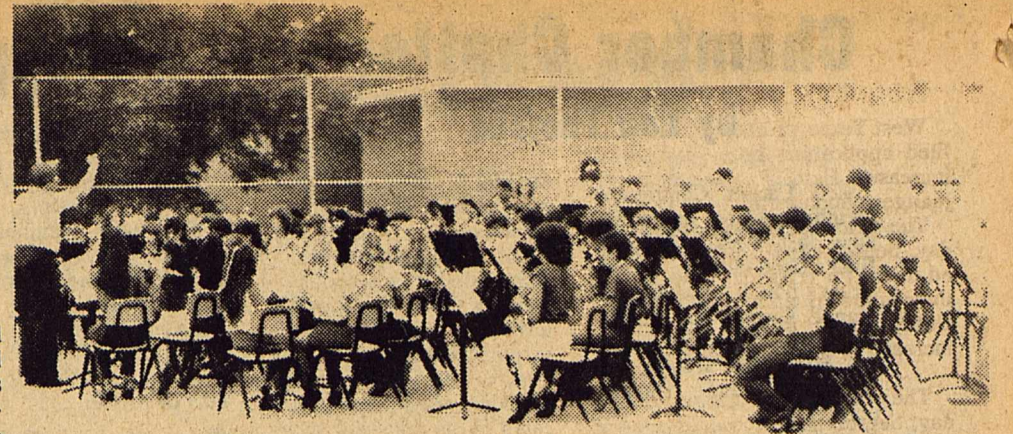
"There are hundreds of businesses in these areas, ranging from small retail operations to large manufacturers. We hope to express the program's benefits to as many as we can."

The "Workin' Partnership" campaign kicks off in

September with print and film materials to reach local employers and business leaders, and community-wide public service announcements. The campaign highlights companies already involved in the private sector program, employees who are being trained or have advanced through the program and local sponsors representing CETA's private sector initiative program has received widespread support from well-known business organizations, including the National Alliance of Business, the National Newspaper Association and the American Society for Personnel Administration.

The CETA program for Sutton County is under the direction of the Concho Valley Council of Governments, with Manpower Planner/Job Developer Don Pearson heading the program. Pearson visited Sonora last week in an effort to inform citizens of the availability of the program.

Persons interested in the program may contact him in San Angelo at 944-9666. They may also contact Smith Neal at Sonora Junior High School or Elvira Holguin at the Sutton Senior Center to set up an appointment with a CETA representative.



Director Wayland Rapp leads the sixth grade band through their numbers as the various bands gave a concert at the Band Boosters ice cream and cake supper last week. A huge crowd attended the event, one of the major fund raisers for the Bank Boosters.

Heart Association Holds Meeting

The Sutton County Chapter of the American Heart Association met Monday night in the Founders Room of the First National Bank.

Rev. Bill Fritts, division president, presided, and Ms. Ann McBee, the new regional director, was introduced to the group. She gave her views on the coming year.

The division voted to hold a free blood pressure screening during the Halloween carnival and also set the annual turkey walk date on Nov. 15.

County Lists Road Classifications

A letter is being sent to all affected landowners by the Sutton County Commissioners explaining the new road classification policy along with a list of roads in the county and their classification.

A formal plan for the designation and classification of county roads was unanimously approved by the Commissioners at their July 25 meeting.

The Commissioners acted upon the advise of County Attorney Al Elliott in an effort to comply with state laws and regulations concerning maintenance of county roads.

State regulations require that county roads be classified into Class 1, 2, or 3. The classification of an individual road will determine, to

some extent, the frequency and intensity with which that road will be maintained.

The letter to landowners state, "If a road serves more than one ranch or ranch headquarters, then it will be maintained by the county. If a road serves only one ranch... then the maintenance... will need to be from the private sector."

Some roads have multiple designations in various places. A detailed list has been sent to the landowners and a detailed list is also contained in the minutes of the meeting when the system was adopted.

The following is the original list adopted by the Commissioners:

Bloodworth Ranch Road, Class 1 and 2; Caverns Road, Class 1; John Cauthorn Ranch, Class 2; Cusenbarly

Road, Class 1; Aldwell Road, Class 1; Gene Shurley Road, Class 2; Sawyer Road, Class 1; Bond Road, Class 1 and 2; Fort McKavitt Road, Class 1; Thompson Ranch Road, Class 2; Ross Road, Class 1;

Also, Baker Road, Class 1; River Road, Class 1 and 2; Pecan Springs Road, Class 1; Schwiening Road through Luckie Ranch Road, Class 3; Cleve Jones and Cahill Road, Class 2; Alley and Kelly Road, Class 2; Davis Road, Class 3; Sinaloa and Loma Alta, Class 1 (all streets), and County Park, Class 1 (all park roads and parking area).

Road designations are subject to change, and the county is currently working on a permit system to control outside work on county roads.

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There is still time to join the Cub Scouts. Four dens will begin meeting this week.

Details are available through the Cubmasters, the Rev. Jim Miles, at 387-3793 or 387-2616.

School Menu

- Breakfast**
- Monday, October 6**
Apple Juice
Corn Flakes
Milk
- Tuesday, October 7**
Grape Juice
Cinnamon Toast
Milk
- Wednesday, October 8**
Orange Juice
Cheese Toast
Milk
- Thursday, October 9**
Apple Juice
Glazed Donut
Milk
- Friday, October 10**
Ham & Cheese Sandwich
Lettuce/Tomatoes
Grape Juice
Sausage
Hot Biscuits/Jelly
Milk
- Lunch**
- Monday, October 6**
Chicken Fried Steak
Mashed Potatoes/Gravy
English Peas
Hot Rolls
Butterscotch Squares
Milk
- Tuesday, October 7**
Fried Fish
Scalloped Potatoes
Cole Slaw
Cornbread
Peanut Butter Cake
Milk
- Wednesday, October 8**
Chili Dogs
French Fries
Sliced Peaches
Brownies
Milk
- Thursday, October 9**
Hamburger Pizza
Pinto Beans
Tossed Salad
Carrot Cake
Milk
- Friday, October 10**
Ham & Cheese Sandwich
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West Texas Utilities Requests Rate Increase

West Texas Utilities Company has filed application for a general rate increase, Earl J. Johnson, local manager announced.

The official filing was made Tuesday, September 30, with incorporated towns for retail customers within their jurisdiction and with the Public Utility Commission of Texas for an increase to customers outside incorporated towns.

The proposed rates would produce an increase in total revenue of \$12,729,619. This amounts to 8.27 per cent based on revenues of \$153,914,156 for the test period ending this past June 30.

The company requested that the new rates become effective November 4.

One of the basic reasons for the increase was cited as inflation.

"The cost of providing electric service continues to increase more rapidly than revenue," the manager said.

This rate adjustment would be only the second general retail rate increase in the company's entire history, which goes back more than 50 years. The other increase was in 1973 and amounted to about six per cent across the board.

"We've managed to make that six per cent go a long way," the WTU manager said, noting that every other utility company in the state, and probably in the nation, has had at least one increase since then and most of them have had several.

Several reasons were given as to

how WTU has been able to manage without a rate increase during the past several years of double-digit inflation. Chief among these was the timing of WTU's power plant construction. Its newest and largest station was completed in the mid-1970's and provided generation reserves sufficient not only to last for several years but to allow profitable energy sales to other companies.

The Company also cited its reputation as a conservative company with firm control of its expenditures.

However, the WTU manager said, the company can no longer absorb the effects of inflation without risking a dangerous decline in its financial condition. Of necessity, the company is entering into a multi-year construction program which will include a new coal-fired power plant and several high voltage transmission line projects.

The proposed rates were based on detailed analyses of each customer rate class, including studies of their energy usage patterns, the investment required to serve them, and the cost of operation applicable to those customers.

The Company's rate structure, which now has over 125 rates for many types and classes, would be reduced to less than 30 rates. The effect of the increase on the different customer classes would vary according to present relative rates of return

from each class.

For example, the typical residential electric bill would increase by about 10 per cent.

Although customers bills have risen substantially in the past few years, the increases have been the result of more usage and higher fuel costs. The average residential customer's electric usage in the WTU system increased from 6,262 kilowatt-hours in 1972 to 8,270 kilowatt-hours this past year.

The cost of fuel has risen from 23

cents per million BTU in 1972 to \$1.96 this past summer. Generally, this fuel cost is the only increased expense that has been shared by the customer under WTU's recent rate schedule.

The city has several options in responding to WTU's rate request. It may approve the increase, deny the increase, or suspend the rates for a certain period of time. The city also has the option of denying the request and ceding future jurisdiction to the Public Utility Commission.

Census Bureau Closes Pecos Office

The 1980 Census of Population and Housing has ended in the 25 Texas counties handled by the temporary census district office in Pecos which has closed its doors, the Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce, announced today.

The office was responsible for taking the census in the following counties: Brewster, Coke, Crane, Crockett, Culbertson, Edwards, Glasscock, Hudspeth, Irion, Jeff Davis, Kimble, Loving, Menard,

Pecos, Presidio, Reagan, Reeves, Schleicher, Sterling, Sutton, Terrell, Upton, Val Verde, Ward and Winkler.

Preliminary population and housing figures for the local governments in these counties have been sent to the highest elected official in each community. These preliminary totals are subject to later revisions.

Completed census questionnaires from the Pecos office have been shipped to a census processing facility where they will be fed

through high-speed equipment which microfilms each page.

The microfilm is then scanned electronically and the data from the census forms—excluding names and addresses—transmitted directly to the Census Bureau's computers in Suitland, Md., just outside Washington, D.C.

Once computer tabulation of the data has been completed, final population and housing counts will be released early in 1981 and will supersede the preliminary totals.

Susan Allen Commended After Test

Susan Allen, senior student at Sonora High School, has received a letter of commendation for her outstanding performance in the National Merit Scholarship program, announced James Bible, high school principal.

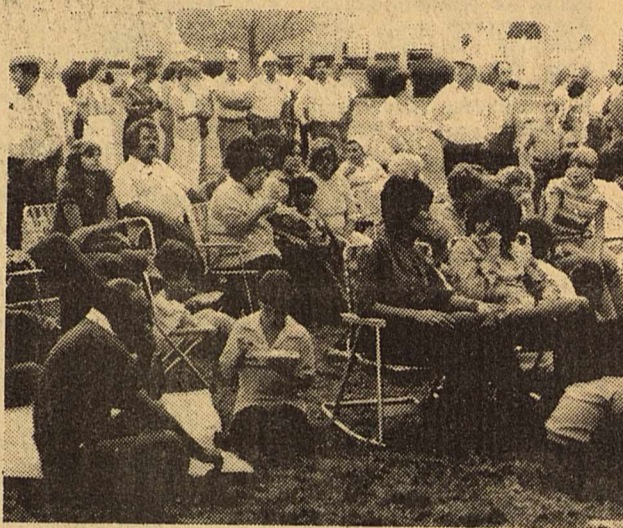
Susan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Allen of Sonora, was one of 33,000 students who are being

commended nationwide. She scored in the top five percent of the more than one million students who took the PSAT in 1979, showing exceptional academic promise.

An officer of the corporation stated that "to be designated a Commended student in the Merit Program is an attainment deserving of public recognition. The continued educa-

tional and personal development of such students will benefit the entire nation."

Commended students who requested it have been referred as worthy candidates to admissions and financial aid officers at two higher education institutions of their choice.



These spectators at the Band Boosters ice cream supper look on as Wayland Rapp conducts the junior high band (below) and the sixth grade band (left).



PUBLIC NOTICE

In compliance with Sec. 43(a) of Art. 1446c, V.A.C.S., West Texas Utilities Company hereby publishes NOTICE that it has filed, on September 30, 1980, its statement of intent to make changes in its rates charged for electricity and services sold and rendered inside and outside municipal jurisdictions, such proposed changes to be effective November 4, 1980. Such Statement of Intent includes the proposed revisions of tariffs and schedules and a statement specifying in detail each proposed change, the effect the proposed change is expected to have on the revenues of the Company and the classes and numbers of utility customers affected. Gross revenues are expected to be increased 8.27 per cent by the new rates. Statements of intent were filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas and with the following municipalities:

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Areas affected by the filing with the Public Utility Commission of Texas are in the following counties:

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Mayor Declares Kiss Your Baby Day In Sonora

Mayor Bill Gosney declared September 21st as "Kiss Your Baby" Day in Sonora by signing an official proclamation today.

"Kiss Your Baby" Day will be held as part of National Cystic Fibrosis Week and the local CF Breath of Life Campaign.

Stressing the need for greater public health education in Sonora, the Mayor said that "Kiss Your Baby" Day is designed to help parents recognize the symptom of Cystic Fibrosis in their children.

One of the signs of CF is a salty taste to the skin. Mothers have sometimes alerted doctors to the possibility of CF when kissing their babies and tasting salt, explained Mayor Gosney.

Cystic Fibrosis is inherited by approximately one of every 1,600 American babies. It occurs when a child receives a gene for the disease from each parent. So far, there's no cure for CF, but early diagnosis and treatment are helping to lengthen lives. Today, 50 percent of CF patients can be expected to live past age 19, where once few survived to school age.

The signs of Cystic Fibrosis include: recurrent wheezing, persistent coughing with excess mucus, pneumonia more than once, excessive appetite with poor weight gain and clubbing (enlargement of fingertips).



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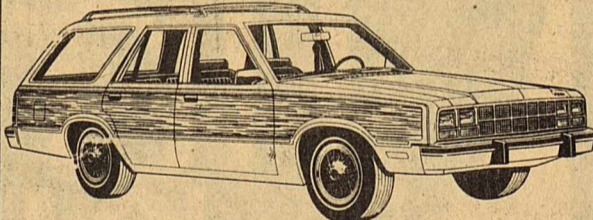
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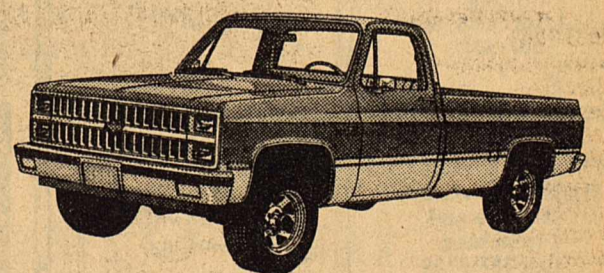
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 Sealed bids for the construction of a 720 sq. ft. concrete foundation and the necessary labor for the fabrication of a metal building as per plans and specifications will be received by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at the Texas A&M University Research and Extension Center at San Angelo until
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 at 10:00 a.m.
SCOPE OF WORK
 This work shall include the construction of a concrete foundation and fabrication of a metal building as per plans and specifications. All work will be accepted under a single prime contract.
INFORMATION AND BIDDING DOCUMENTS
 Specifications and Draw-

ings may be obtained by contacting the Texas A&M University Research and Extension Center, Route 1, Box 950, San Angelo, Texas 76901. Phone 915-653-4576.

Public Notice

BID NOTICE
 The City of Sonora is accepting bids on the insurance program for the aforementioned city. This program includes fleet, comprehensive and general liability, city property, dwellings, office contents, contractor's equipment, firemen's accident, public officials, and scientific instruments.
 Bids must be received by 5 p.m., October 17, 1980. Specifications are available at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall Building, 201 N.E. Main, Sonora, Texas 76950.
 Shirley K. Hill
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 City of Sonora

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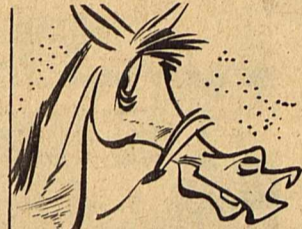
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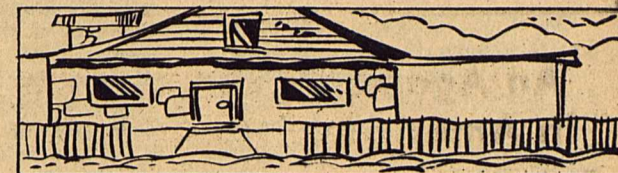
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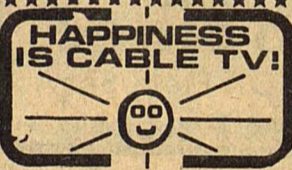
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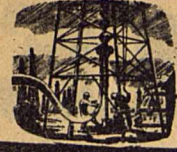
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Sutton County Petro News



Jim Nugent Reports Success In Coping With Federal Rules

Efforts of the Railroad Commission to prevent federal rules and regulations from interfering with state jurisdiction over Texas natural resources have been "very effective," one of the three members of the energy and transportation agency reported.

"We have affected amendments and modifications which save Texas producers and consumers millions of dollars each year -- possibly millions of dollars each month," explained Commissioner James E. (Jim) Nugent in an energy and regulatory outlook commentary during the monthly statewide oil and gas hearing here.

"The alteration of a single clause, the change of a single regulation under these (federal) acts can

save -- or cost -- Texas millions, even billions of tax dollars," he related.

Nugent noted in particular that recent efforts of the Commission have:

... resulted in a workable system for handling more than 25,000 well classification applications under the federal Natural Gas Policy Act with "minimum delay and expense."

... led to the exemption of drilling muds and brines from regulations of the Environmental Protection Agency on the basis that the federal rules were not applicable.

... resulted in the revision of federal requirements that made Texas tight gas sands ineligible for incentive pricing intended to boost more domestic energy production.

Prior to Nugent's remarks at the public hearing attended by representatives of oil producers, purchasers and transporters, the Commission set the legal oil producing rate for Texas wells in October at 100 percent of market demand. October will be the 44th month in a row for a 100 percent allowable and the 100th month since the first such rate in April 1972.

Nugent cautioned that new regulations under the federal Safe Drinking Water Act pose a heavy burden we are successful in getting changes, more than 9,000 existing salt water disposal wells and 36,000 enhanced recovery wells must be unnecessarily re-examined and re-permitted," he reported.

Pointing to the Commission's "proved effective"

program for salt water disposal Nugent said the RRC is working for amendments that will remove Texas from the federal regulations and "permit us to continue our (Underground Injection Control) UIC program."

In the Texas energy picture, Nugent said "the real growth structure" appears to be anchored in the state's lignite resources.

"We think that lignite is one of the truly bright spots in the overall Texas energy picture," he said.

"And, you know one of the things I like about Texas lignite is it is heavy, it has low Btu (British thermal units) content, it can't be hauled very far and used economically, and then damn yankees can't get it up in the Northeast," he added.

Nugent reported that

Texas lignite production rose from 2.5 million tons to about 30 million tons during the 1970's. Indicators point to an accelerating upward trend, he added.

By 1985, he forecast, Texas mined and fired lignite is expected to fuel the generation of 23 percent of the state's power and 40 percent by the year 2000.

Nugent made these additional projections:

In 1985, eight percent of Texas' power will be produced with uranium, 54 percent by oil and gas in contrast to 72 percent today.

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RRC's NGRA Section Has Received 27,113 Applications

The Railroad Commission's Natural Gas Policy Act Section today reported that as of Sept. 12 Texas oil and gas operators have filed 27,113 applications for determinations of new gas well production categories under the federal Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978.

The Commission initiated the well classification program in December 1978 pursuant to NGPA mandate and guidelines set forth by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

Under the federal rules and corresponding RRC policies, the section is responsible for processing applications filed by operators requesting gas well determinations under one of the different producing categories of the NGPA.

Operator applications are reviewed through section statistical checklists and are brought before the Commission for action.

Through Sept. 12, the Commission has approved 16,649 applications for the requested NGPA producing categories, according to the section report. Seven applications have been denied.

A total of 16,105 of the applications have been transmitted to the FERC. The federal agency has the power to reverse or remand applications acted on and transmitted by the RRC.

Another 279 applications are in a microfilming status before being sent to the FERC.

The NGPA Section report gives the following break-

down of categories applied for by operators and those finally approved by the Commission.

1) 11,023 applications for determinations under NGPA Section 108 for stripper well natural gas from wells producing an average of no more than 60,000 cubic feet per production day. The Commission has approved 7,886 of the applications.

2) 11,858 applications for determinations under Section 103--new onshore production wells drilled after Feb. 19, 1977. The RRC has approved 7,267.

3) 2,595 applications for Section 102 (c)(1)(C)--wells drilled in new onshore reservoirs. A total of 1,111 have been approved.

4) 1,020 applications for determinations under Section 102 (c)(1)(B)--gas from wells meeting distance requirements from other wells. A total of 334 of the applications have been approved.

5) 115 applications for determinations under Section 107--high cost gas wells drilled after Feb. 19, 1977 and completed at a depth below 15,000 feet. Fifty-one of the Section 107 applications have been approved by the Commission.

6) 133 applications for Section 107 (C)(5)--gas from formations described as tight sands. No formations have yet been designated sands by the FERC. None of these applications can be approved until such as designation is made.

John Brinegar Is New Manager For Rebel Coating And Machine

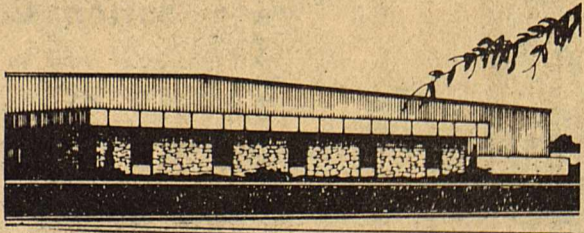
John Brinegar has recently transferred from Houston to assume the duties as manager of Rebel Coating and Machine.

He has one son, John Jr., who is attending school in Sonora. The 46-year old Brinegar

has a vast range of experience in his field and has worked in Canada, Alaska, the Philippines, the Aleutian Islands, Korea and all over the United States. Rebel Coating and Machine is the only machine shop within 65 miles of Sonora.

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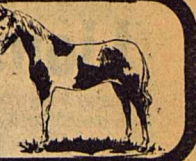
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Armer Earwood, and Albert Ward, directors from the Edwards Plateau Soil and Water Conservation District will be in San Antonio September 29 - October 1 to attend the Fortieth Annual State Meeting of Texas Soil and Water Conservation District Directors.

Also attending from the Edwards Plateau Soil and Water Conservation District is Virgil Polocsek.

The theme of this year's meeting is "Soil and Water Conservation Districts--What is Their Future?" Approximately 900 are expected to attend.

The purpose of the meeting is to review developments effecting Texas Conservation programs and to plan future conservation district programs and activities.

Speakers scheduled for Tuesday and Wednesday include State Representative Susan Gurley McBee of Del Rio; Dr. Jarvis Miller, Special Assistant to the Chancellor, Texas A&M University; Congressman Eligio "Kika" de la Garza of Mission, Texas and Lyle Bauer of Harper, Kansas, president, National Association of Conservation Districts.

Hermon Petty of Mineral Wells, president, Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts, will also address the group. Waldo Smith of Brenham, president, South Central Texas Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts will welcome the group to San Antonio.

Representative McBee, who will speak at the Tuesday morning general session, is a fourth generation member of a pioneer ranching family in Val Verde County. She has served three years in the Texas Legislature and has served on the Agriculture and Livestock Committee and as chairman of subcommittees concerned with eminent domain and agricultural commodities.

Representative McBee has introduced and helped pass legislation dealing with producer's liens on livestock, agriculture credit and implied warranty on the sale of livestock.

Dr. Miller, whose broad professional career has included teaching and research at Texas A&M University as well as serving as Director of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and as president of Texas A&M, is recognized as a leading spokesman and advocate for agricultural research. He is also recognized for his innovative international program activities within higher education. Dr. Miller will be on the Tuesday morning program.

Speaking at the Tuesday evening banquet will be Congressman "Kika" de la Garza. Congressman "Kika" de la Garza serves as Vice Chairman of the House Agriculture Committee and Chairman of the Agriculture Subcommittee on Investigations, Oversight and Research.

The South Texas Congressman who represents Texas' 15th Congressional District is also assigned to the House Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries. He is a member of the Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and Environment and Subcommittee on the Cost Guard. He is also a member of the Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control and Chairman of the Task Force on U.S. Customs Service/Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms.

In the area of soil and water conservation, Congressman "Kika" de la Garza is particularly noted for his support of the Great

TS&GRA INDUSTRY NEWS

We've stomped and we've hollered and we've argued and pointed out and just plain pointed, but nothing's really done much good. Now we're going about it the "civilized" way--by suing.

By "we," we mean the sheep industry as a whole, though the suit is being brought by the Wyoming Farm Bureau, the American Farm Bureau Federation and several individual sheep producers -- some of whom may actually be former sheep producers.

And the suit -- if you haven't guessed by now--is to force the federal government to accept its legal responsibility for predator control. There's even a provision demanding that the government fork over damages for past failures to control predation, topped off by the very real claim that the government's failure to control predation has and continues to violate the Fifth Amendment rights of sheep producers.

Principal defendant in the suit is Interior Secretary Cecil Andrus--or his successor--and lawmen served papers on Andrus recently when he stepped off a plane in Cheyenne. That, by the way, is where the suit was filed, not in some D.C. court where coyotes are considered the puppy dog's cute country cousin.

Basically, the suit reiterates the Animal Damage Control Act of 1931, which "authorized and directed" first the Agriculture Secretary and later the Interior Secretary to control predators. That law is still very much in effect, though you wouldn't know it from the way the government has avoided obeying it the last few administrations.

In fact, Andrus and other Interior brass have publicly stated that the law no longer means what it says because "times have changed." What they neglect to add is that the law itself hasn't changed, that it still

Plains Conservation Program and sponsorship of the bill which extends the GPCP program until 1991. He is also author of the Resource Conservation Act which provides for furthering the conservation, protection and enhancement of the Nation's soil, water and related resources.

Bauer, who will speak at the Wednesday morning general session, has served in every office of NACD, and in each office of the Kansas Association of Conservation Districts.

As president of NACD, Bauer has established a select task force to consider the need for possible elements of a national strategy linking natural resource conservation with food and agricultural policies. He has charged NACD's District Outlook Committee and other committees to make recommendations on creative, cost-effective approaches to meet the nation's future conservation needs.

The Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts will elect two state directors and one alternate director during area discussions on Tuesday, September 30. A president and vice president will be elected at the business session on Wednesday.

orders them to use the "best methods" available to control predators, regardless what they or the environmental elitists pulling their strings happen to think about it.

Nowhere in the 1931 law does it say that unelected bureaucrats may obey or ignore that mandate as the whim strikes them, or that growing public ignorance of the real world can automatically invalidate the law 40 or 50 years after it's passed. And that's precisely what's happened. The law's still there, it's just being openly flaunted. How, you might ask, could such a thing go on in a "representative" government? Simple. Because no one has ever tested this particular violation in the courts -- no one has ever

gone to court to force the government boys to live up to their own law, and until it's done, they won't.

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government can't come in and steal (when the government does it, it's called "confiscation") private property without going through the legal motions of condemnation and then compensating the property owner for his loss. The suit holds that the government, effect, is "confiscating" livestock for the use of its protected predators. No one bothers to condemn the livestock, and no one has ever paid for it, they just take it.

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Armando Badillo Completes Recruit Training For Marines

Marine Pvt. Armando S. Badillo, son of Armando and Lenore S. Badillo of 113 Siniloa Third, Sonora, Texas, has completed recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

During the 11-week training cycle, he learned the basics of battlefield survival. He was introduced to the typical daily routine that he will experience during his enlistment and studied the personal and professional standards traditionally exhibited by Marines.

He participated in an active physical conditioning program and gained proficiency in a variety of military skills, including first aid, rifle marksmanship and close order drill. Teamwork and self-discipline were emphasized throughout the training cycle.

A graduate of Sonora High School, he joined the Marine Corps in December 1979.



Jerry Lackey's Country Folk

Mrs. E.S. (Jean) Herring who lives on the Cleo road somewhere between Interstate 10 and Menard... I think I say that because a couple of weeks back, 25 inches of rain put Bear Creek all over the place and washed bridges and houses away--the Herrings may not be living there anymore.

Anyway, Jean is the state director for the Make It Yourself With Wool Competition this year and she has asked me to help get the word out to those ladies who might want to enter.

State president is Mrs. Stanley (Nelda) Mayfield of Sonora. So, from Sonora south and west, you may want to give Nelda a call.

In San Angelo, contact the Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association office. That organization, along with the following, is sponsoring the competition again this year: American Sheep Producers Council, Inc., Denver, Colorado; The TS&GRA Auxiliary; De-

laine Sheep Breeders Association; Fabric Mart and Cloth World of San Angelo; and the Mohair Council of America. Also, you may contact V.C. and Joann Whitworth.

Texas is a Single-State Council. A junior winner and a Senior winner will be chosen at the State Competition. Adults will compete at District and State levels only. Preteens will go as far as District competition only.

State competition will be Saturday, Dec. 6, 1980 at the Inn of the Hills in Kerrville. Registration time is 6:00 p.m. Dec. 5th. Fashion show time is 2:00 p.m. Deadline entry date is two weeks prior to District Competition.

District locations and directors include: District 1, Mrs. Wayne Timmons of Lubbock; District 2, Mrs. Joe Jackson, of Ranger; District 3 and 4, Mrs. Dawson Coleman, San Angelo; District 5 and 6, Mrs. Jack Thorn, Jr., Kerrville; District 7, Gloria Durr of Nacogdoches. District 8, Linda Yound of Houston; and District 9, Mrs. Maurice Hensley of Boerne.

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Green Thumb Program Has New State Director

Diane L. Parrish of Waco has been appointed state director of Texas Farmers Union Green Thumb Employment program.

She replaces former state director David Hartwig who left in order to become Green Thumb's Regional Coordinator of Western Regional in Idaho.

Mrs. Parrish has worked with Green Thumb since 1976, as office manager, area supervisor and district director prior to her promotion.

A native of Oklahoma, she has a degree in business administration from Oklahoma State University.

Green Thumb Inc., a part-time work opportunity for disadvantaged rural senior workers, is a federal program funded through the Department of Labor and sponsored by National Farmers Union. Green Thumb, an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer, places Green Thumb workers with non-profit organizations to help serve the needs of rural communities. The program's goal is to place older workers in unsubsidized positions.

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