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Sonora. Also pictured is his sister who is traveling with Hunter Van Pelt is shown in his jacket and hat given to him by Ashley's Western Wear during his stay in

Hunter Van Pelt Makes Stopover In Sonora

Hunter Van Pelt, a victim of erebral Palsy who is bicycling cross the country, stopped in Sonolast Tuesday and touched the earts of everyone that greeted him.

We started from the United lations Building in New York City n August 31, and plan on being in os Angeles on about December 8," an Pelt said.

"I'm doing this to raise donations or braces and wheelchairs for andicapped children," Van Pelt

Vickie Van Pelt, Hunter's sister ho is traveling with Hunter, has vritten a movie about Hunter.

"It's being negotiated with a etwork right now. It's called "Ride Crooked Mile" and it deals with he courage, faith, and adversity that Hunter has faced," Mrs. Van Pelt

"I see his knees bleed at night and see him fall off his bicycle, but I ways see him get right back on,'

When asked how Hunter liked Texas, he replied, "I've had so many fabulous experiences in Texas. The people are so friendly and they just seem to do everything bigger and better in Texas.'

Ms. Van Pelt added that Hunter was the first bicyclist allowed to travel on Interstate 10 in Texas and they have had state troopers escort them most of the way.

Van Pelt said that he had ridden from Kerrville to Sonora that day.

"I stayed a few days in San Antonio, but only after having ridden 130 miles the day before," Van Pelt

"We've been invited by the U.N. to take a European cross-country trip for U.N.I.C.E.F. We might do it after we finish this trip," Ms. Van

From the small group of people that met Van Pelt at Ashley's, over \$200 was collected in donations.

Ashley's Western Wear presented Hunter with a generous donation of a goosedown jacket and the cowboy

Funds Still Needed For Deena DeMarco

The Sonora Petroettes have announced that more funds are needed for Deena DeMarco who was severeburned October 27.

Expenses for Miss DeMarco are running approximately \$1,680 a day and only \$1,000 has been raised in donations so far.

Collection jars have been placed in local businesses and persons are also reminded that donations made at the bank can be written off the donor's

Businesses are asked to donate and challenge other businesses to match the donations.

Kappa Gamma To Hold **Blood Drive Thursday**

Kappa Gamma will sponsor a blood drive Thursday, November 19, n the Founders' Room of the First National Bank from 1:00 p.m. to 7:00

To be eligible to donate, a person must be between the ages of 17 and 70 and in good health. All 17-year olds must have signed a minor donor

permit card which may be picked up at the high school. All donors will be eligible for the

two \$50.00 drawings. Kappa Gamma members will be on hand serving homemade cookies

and juice during the drive.

Please call 387-2332 or 387-3096 for more information

Bronco Band Rates First Divison At Marching Contest attend the State marching competi-

The Bronco Band rated a 1st division at U.I.L. Marching Contest held Saturday in Brady. The band also won certification to

This is the sixth consecutive year the band has made a first division in

marching and the band is currently working on its fourth consecutive sweepstakes.

Pl anning Committee To Meet

With School **Board November 30**

Superintendent Joe McAndrew announced in the School Board meeting Tuesday, Oct. 10, that the representatives of the long-range planning committee will meet with the Board of Trustees and the public on Monday, November 30 at 7:00

The Planning Committee has been doing research on the growth patterns of Sonora in order to help the school board come up with longrange plans.

The representatives will be in the school administration building all day on Nov. 30 to hear suggestions from citizens and the public is invited to offer any suggestions they might have.

The board also accepted a bid from Sonora Ford to lease a Driver-Education car for \$145 per month.

A bid was accepted for a new speaker system to be installed at the stadium. The amplifiers had been stolen from the stadium this past summer and the school is currently leasing one.

The complete new system will allow the volume to reach the visitor side without turning up the volume. The board also decided to have an

auction on surplus equipment that will be announced at a later time. The total student enrollment is

Rios Resigns From

Sheriff's Department

Sheriff Bill Webster announced Monday that Deputy Joe Rios has 1980 Rios had worked in the sheriff's

resigned from the Sheriff's Depart- department in Odessa. ment for personal reasons. The resignation will be effective Novem-

Before coming to Sonora in June.

'It is with deep regret that I accept this resignation, but I understand and wish Joe the best." Webster added.

Jones House To Host Open House Friday

Sonora Chamber of Commerce Red Carpet Committee members will



Sandra Cooper, president of the Chamber of Commerce, presented

Hunter with an honorary member-

ship to the Chamber of Commerce.

Van Pelt stayed overnight in Sonora in a room furnished by Twin

Oaks Motel. His meals were

furnished by Big Tree Restaurant.

Donations can be sent to: Hunter Van Pelt; G.A.T.S.E. '81; 535 S.

Alexandria Ave. #125; Los Angeles,

The small group of Sonorans that greeted Hunter Van Pelt are not

likely to soon forget him and his

example of determination over disa-

Pictured is Ebbie Sutton with a record size Fallow deer that she Bob Brockman ranch.

killed Saturday on the George and

be hosting the grand opening of "The Jones House", owned and operated by Lola Beth Jones on Friday, November 20 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00.

The quaint old world atmosphere of the Jones House offers a gift shop, pastry room, dining room and a meeting room for small parties. Unique gifts in a price range from \$5.00 to \$5,000.00 will be put together and individually packaged.

Food will be served in the Jones House unusual dining room from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and a lunch menu will be served daily from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. with the menu changed

The Jones House promises to be a most unique, welcome addition to

School To Be Dismissed Early For Holiday

All schools in Sonora will be released early on Wednesday, Nov. 25, for the Thanksgiving holidays. Schools will dismiss at 2:30 on that day, with the buses to run shortly

thereafter, according to W.A. Mc-Andrew, superintendent. All classes will resume on regular

schedule on Monday, Nov. 30.

Davenport Wins Football Contest

Richard Davenport took first place in last week's Devil's River News Football Contest by missing five games. They were Rice at Baylor, Florida State at Southern Mississippi, Oklahoma at Missouri, Southern Cal at Washington and Dallas

at Detroit. Winning second place honors was Elmer Garlitz of Eldorado. Third place winner was Mark Doan, both missing five. First, second, and third place were decided by the

Ernest Gonzales also missed five

games. The most often missed games were the Oklahoma at Missouri, Southern Cal at Washington, and Dallas at Detroit.



Around Town

By Hazel McClelland

The Hospital Auxiliary met Monday, Nov. 9 at the conference room of the nursing home. Mrs. Charles Howard, president, presided over the meeting and Mrs. Louie Trainer, secretary, read the minutes

and financial report. Mr. Dennis Robertson, administrator of the hospital, made a talk about what the hospital and nursing home needs. The Auxiliary has bought 3 new color televisions for the hospital

and will buy 4 more soon. The auxiliary will have a birthday party for the patients who have birthdays this month.

Fourteen people attended the meeting.

Mrs. Pearl Martin returned from Longview where she visited her

Hill's Bridal Registry

Kandis Carta, bride-elect of Wayland Dobbs

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daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Reese. The Reeses brought Mrs. Martin home and spent the weekend.

Mrs. R.A. Halbert entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club at her home. Club members present were: Mrs. George Wynn, Mrs. W.T. Hardy, Lena Bell Ross, Elizabeth Cusenbary,

and Belle Steen.
Guests present were
Pauline Thompson and Hazel McClelland.
Cake and coffee was

served. Hazel McClelland won high, Mrs. Wynn won second high and Mrs. Ross won bingo.

In San Angelo Wednesday were: Mrs. Linda Johnson and son Brett, Mrs. Dorothy Baker, Turney Friess, George Wallace, Dean McLain, Ada Wynn, Pearl Martin, Sammie Espy, Dorothy Harrell, John McClelland and Hazel McClelland.

Preston Love is home from the hospital in San Antonio and is doing bet-

Herman Moore is home from the hospital in San Angelo.

Mrs. Burl Dillard enter-tained the Monday night bridge club. Members present were Mrs. Joe Neill Smith, Jeannie Lawson, Johnson, Mrs. George Wallace and Mary Jean Hamilton.

Mrs. Joe Neill Smith won high, Mrs. George Wallace won the travel prize, and Linda Johnson won bingo. Sanwiches plates were

Mrs. James Alexander entertained the Wednesday night club. Members present were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morriss, George Wallace Clay Cades, Jack Kerbow.

Guests were the Jerry Cusenbarys and Bill Web-

High score was won by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morriss and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Webster won bingo. The Jerry Cusenbarys won high for guests.

Italian cream cake and coffee was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Askew were in San Angelo

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shannon of Alpine have moved to Sonora to make their home. Mrs. Shannon was the former Vickie Savell, daughter of Mrs. Bernice Savell. The Shannon have two sons, Matt and Savell, who are both students at ASU.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hunt have returned from a vacation in Maine to see their son, Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tedford were visitors in Dallas this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Neill Smith were in Coleman this last weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Drennan. Mrs. Drennan is in the hospital.

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tives met November 12 at

School Menus

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LUNCH Monday, November 23 Enchiladas Pinto Beans Cole Slaw Cinnamon Rolls

Tuesday, November 24 Baked Ham Glazed Sweet Potatoes

Pineapple Cake

Wednesday, November 25 Hot Cheese & Pepperoni Sandwich Lettuce/Tomatoes French Fries Ice Cream Thursday, November 26

HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

C Of C Presents Lions Club With Program

The Chamber of Commerce presented the Lions Club Program last Tues-

The program consisted of a slide presentation com-piled by the Photo Ranch

about life in Sonora and the contribution made by the Chamber of Commerce to insure continued prosperity for the Sutton County area.

A special thanks to Nancy and Jerry Johnson for donating the slide show and

Fireman Auxiliary Pla **Bake Sale Thursday**

The Bake Sale for Smoke Out Day was the main topic of business when the auxiliary held their regular mon- trell, Jean Humph thly meeting on Nov. 10 at nita Martinez, Be

the fire station. Goodies West, and Donne will be sold from 9 a.m. After the busing Thursday, until sold out. So ing, 84 was podon't crave a cigarette, Melissa Teaff with come get a cookie from our Donna Keese we table in front of City Hall. Trevlin Luttrell

Hostess Lind served supper to Melissa Teaff, Tre Nora Olenick,

After the busi



Kandis Carta, bride-elect of Wayl Denise Joseph, bride-elect of Bi



gina Rose, Jonathan Berry-

man, (second row, left to

right) Rev. Jim Miles, Judy

Young, John Wheeler, Ju-lie Schroeder, Chris Karnes, Kathy White, Re-Billie Correu, (back row,

A trip to the Sonora Caverns highlighted a joint youth fellowship event for 10 members of Ballinger's First Presbyterian Church

Sonora and Ballinger Pres-

byterian youth joined hands

in a joint fellowship event Friday, Nov. 6 at the

Chuch of the Good Shepherd in Sonora. Attending

the event were (front row,

Junior high and senior high members of Sonora's Church of the Good Shep-herd hosted the overnight fellowship, which featured a late-nite campfire and several hours of 'keep-

BREAKFAST

Orange Juice

Cheese Toast

Orange Juice

Grape Juice

Sausage

C Of C Meet To

Plan "Shop Santa In Sonora":

Blueberry Muffin

Monday, November 23

Tuesday, November 24

Wednesday, November 25

10:00 a.m. at the Sutton County Library to plan and organize "Shop Santa in

Attending the meeting were chamber president,

on the church

Ballinger's senior high were guests of the Sonora youth at the high school dance, following the Bron-co-Bearcat football game.

Judy Miles, Church of the Good Shepherd youth leader, and Rev. Jim Miles were host leaders for the

Following a full night of activities, breakfast of scrambled eggs and sausage with milk, orange juice and donuts were served before the group

left to right) Patricia Bible,

Shannon Turner, Becky

Moreland, James Burnett,

Wes Burnett and Rev. Lar-

visited the Sonora Caverns. For most of the Ballinger youth this was their first trip to the famous "living" caverns.

The Ballinger Pesbyterian youth group plans a similar event in the future, hosting the Sonora youth in

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W.M.W. To Hold Bake Sale Nov. 23

The women of the First United Methodist Church will have their annual Thanksgiving Bake Sale on

9:00 a.m. at Hill's Jewelry. This is a good chance to get your baked goods for the Thanksgiving Holidays.

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table. Start with our colorful turkey centerpiece and add coordinating accessories, including placemats, tablecovers and plates in three sizes.

The first basketball games for the year began this week. It began with the boys Varsity and JV playing in Kerrville and the girls Varsity, JV, and Freshmen teams traveling to Eldorado. Thursday the Varsity and

JV girls travel to San Angelo Central. The games begin at 6:00 p.m. The Varsity and JV boys

travel to Eldorado to take on the Eagles at 6:00 p.m.

Thanksgiving

Tedford Jewelry

The yearbook staff announced the sale of the 1982 Bronco yearbook. They will be on sale Wednesday through Sunday before school and during study halls. They will be on sale between 10:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. at the Junior High.

The yearbooks will be \$18.00, \$20.00 with names

Obituaries

Edubjes Ortega

Edubjes Ortega, 86, died Monday morning in Hudspeth Hospital in Sonora.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 4 p.m. at St. Magdalena Catholic Church in Brackettville with interment at Catholic Ce-

She was born June 13. 1895, in Brackettville and was married to Nicasio Ortega there in 1911. She moved to Sonora in 1960.

Mrs. Ortega is survived by one son, Pete Ortega of Brackettvelle; 3 daughters, Juanita Contreras of Sweetwater, Rita Lopez of Sonora, and Mary Ortega of Sonora; 18 grand children; and 32 great grandchildren.

Falvio Dela Garza

12, at 12:00 noon on Huds Hudspeth Hospital, Sono-

Services were held in the held at Kerbow Funeral Primera Iglesia Bautista Home chapel Tuesday at 3 with Rev. Villareal officiating. Burial was in the Sonora cemetary under the

Dela Garza was born May 12, 1892, in Allenda Coah. Mexico. He was married to Elma Urias in

direction of Kerbow Fun-

Survivors include his wife, one daughter, Rosie Dela Garza of Sonora; one sister, Nicolosa Virgin of Kerrville; and one grand-

daughter. The pall bearers were his

Maysie Brown

Flavio Dela Garza, 89, Maysie Brown, 93, died died Thursday, November Monday morning at 8:45 at

Funeral services were p.m. with Rev. David Griffin officiating. Interment was in Sonora Cemetary directed by Kerbow Funer-

al Home.
Mrs. Brown was born
Sept. 25, 1888 at Pineapple,
Alabama. She moved to
Sonora in 1930 from Selma, Alabama and was employed by the First National Bank. She retired as cashier in 1955. Mrs. Brown was a member of the First United Methodist Church, past member of Order of Eastern Star and

served as a school trustee. She is survived by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Hilman Brown of Sonora: 1 grandson, Robert H. Brown of Sonora; and one granddaughter, Melissa Hann of San Angelo. She is also survived by 3 great grand-

children. She was preceded in death by one daughter and one son.

Methodist Community Service To Be Held Sunday Evening

The Community Thanks-ziving Service will be held Sunday evening, November 22nd, at First United Methodist Church on the corner ecumenical events; the of Water and Oak streets in

downtown Sonora. Begin-Shepherd, Pesbyterian. cases of urgent need. The Sonora High School Choir, under the direction of Beverly Caldwell, will provide special music for

Sponsored by the Sonora Ministerial Alliance. this event is one of two annual other being a Good Friday noon worship service. special offering will be ning at 7:30 p.m., the received during the even-special service will feature ing, which will be used to as speaker Jim Miles, pas- enable the Alliance to functor of Church of the Good tion and to provide aid in

> Ministers participating in the Alliance include Dennis McCain, Hope Lutheran; Clifton Hancock, First Baptist church and Presidentof

the Alliance; Louis Halford, Assembly of God; Gilbert Roddiguez, St. Ann's Catholic Church; Bill Fritts, St. John's Episcopal Church; Morris Villareal, Primera Iglesia Bautista; Jim Miles, Church of the Good Shepherd, Presbyterian; Stan Hickerson, First Baptist Church; and David Griffin, First United Methodist Church. All Sonora and Sutton County residents are cordially invited to attend

in celebration of this u-

niquely American holiday.

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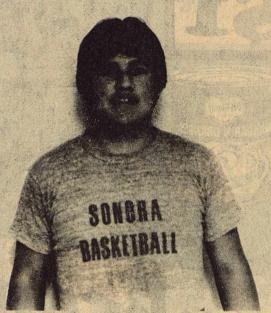
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said Park; therefore, It is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners' Court of Sutton County, Texas, on this 9th day of November, 1981, that the following regulations are extablished concerning the said Allison Park in Sutton County, Tex-as, situated outside the or town, said regulations to become effective on the 19th day of November,

ARTICLE 1
PETS, ANIMALS,
REPTILES AND FOWLS
(a) No pets, animals,
reptiles or fowls shall be permitted to run loose or roam at will; at all times such pets, animals, reptiles and fowls shall be properly and securely leashed, chained or caged as applicable.

(b) No animal, pet,

reptile or fowl weighing in excess of 125 pounds shall be permitted in the park without prior written consent of the Sheriff of Sutton County, Texas. (c) The owner or possesor

of any pet, animal, reptile or fowl shall be responsible for to and sanitary disposal of any and all droppings in designated garbage areas.

ARTICLE 2

MOTOR DRIVEN OR

PROPELLED VEHICLES

Any and all motor driven or propelled vehicles are restricted to existing (b) The speed limit for

answered by phone

in the park is fifteen miles per hour (15 M.P.H.). ARTICLE 3 FIREARMS

No firearms of any type, kind or nature are permitt-

QUIET HOURS
Between the hours of 10:00 o'clock P.M., and 6:00 o'clock A.M., no person shall make or cause to be

made or created any loud or unusual noise or sounds of any type, kind or nature, including talk and music that would reasonably bother or disturb anyone within a fifty foot (50') radius, without the prior permission of the Sutton County Sherif being previously obtained. Further, all owners or pos-sessors of any animal, pet, reptile or fowl shall be responsible and liable for noise made or created by such animal, pet, reptile or

ARTICLE 5 CHILDREN

Any child or children under the age of twelve years (12 yrs.) shall at all times be accompanied by

ARTICEL 6 BRIDGES AND PASSAGEWAYS There shall be no fishing or loitering on any bridge or in any passageway.

ARTICLE 7

GROUP SIZE No group or gathering in excess of fifteen (15) persons for a general gathering and twenty-five (25) persons for a gathering of an imme-diate family shall be permit-ted without the prior written

consent of the Sheriff of Sutton county, Texas.

ARTICLE 8

CONSUMMATION OF UTILITIES

No individual, group of organization shall be permitted to use Sutton county, Texas, utility services with-out prior written consent of the Sheriff of Sutton County, Texas.

ARTICLE 9
LIMIT OF OVERNIGHT
STAY

No individual, group or organization shall stay more

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than seven (7) days or nights in any thirty (30) day period without the prior written consent of the Sher-iff of Sutton County, Texas. ARTICLE 10 TRASH AND GARBAGE

(a) Only trash and gar-bage generated from nor-mal picnicking and camping shall be disposed of in the

(b) No cleaning and/or dressing of any game, animals, or fowls shall be done within the park; and, no residue from any cleaning and/or dressing shall be disposed of within the park.

(c) All trash and garbage from normal picnicking and camping shall be disposed of in a sanitary manner in places or facilities provided

within the park.

ARTICLE 11

FIRES AND SITE

CLEANUP

(a) Only small and safe camp and cooking fires shall be permitted. (b) Any and all such camp and cooking fires shall be attended at all times.

(c) Before leaving or bedding down at night, all camp and cooking fires shall be completely and fully extin-(d) At all times, any camp sites or areas in use shall be

kept and maintained in a sanitary and safe manner.

ARTICLE 12

PROHIBITION OF

CERTAIN TYPES OF

TIRES, ETC.

No vehicle with lugs or projections of any type, kind or nature that might cut, scar and/or cause damage

park area shall be operated, run and/or pulled or drawn over any portion of the roadways within or about the park without prior writ-ten consent of the Road Superintendent of Sutton

County, Texas.

ARTICLE 13
SEVERABILITY
Should any provision or section of this ordinance be held unconstitutional or in-valid, such holding shall not be construed as affecting the validity of any of the remaining provisions or sec-tions, it being the intent of the Commissioners' Court that this ordinance shall stand, notwithstanding the invalidity of any provision or section thereof. The provi-sions of this section shall apply to the amendment of any section of this ordinance, whether or not the wording of this section is set forth in the amendatory

ordinance.

ARTICLE 14

PUNISHMENT

Any violation hereof shall
be a "Class C" misdemeanor as set out in the
Texas Penal Code. Signed this the 9th day of November, 1981, to be ef-fective as of the 19th day of November, A.D. 1981.

> Charles Sherril, County Judge; County Commissioner; Billy Galbreath, County Commissioner; Bill Wade,

Juan Carlos Gonzales, County Commissioner.
Approved as to Legality:
Albert C. Elliott,
County Attorney.

Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE STATEMENT OF INTENT TO CHANGE RATES

On November 13, 1981, Kimble Electric Cooperative filed a request for increase in electric utility rates with the Texas Public Utility Commission. The requested increase in revenue of \$200,710.00 represents a gross revenue over the existing rate structure. The increase in rates will be implemented March 20, 1982.

For further information on the proposed rates, contact the Cooperative at 915-446-2625.

Public Notice

The Sutton County Ap-praisal District will accept Depository bids until 4:00

K&K Mobile Home

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p.m., December 7, 1981. Bidding is limited to state or national banks or savings and loan associations insured by F.S.L.I.C. to the
extent to which Depository
funds are not secured by
F.D.I.C., they must be secured in the same manner
as county funds. Bid forms may be obtained from the Sutton County Appraisal District office at 222 N.E.

Main St., Sonora, Texas. Don O. Wootan Chief Appraiser 1c58

Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE Notice is hereby given for the request for bids to Sutton County, Texas for the following vehicles for the Sutton County Road and Paides Department:

Bridge Department;

1. One (1) 1982 truck tractor chassis cab model, (contact road superintendent for description of trade

in). 2. One (1) 1982 ½ ton 2. One (1) 1982 ½ ton (long-wide) pickup (Trade in

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up).
3. One (1) 1982 3/4 ton
Suburban (Trade in-1975
Chevrolet Suburban).
Specifications may be
found in Sutton County
Clerk's office in the Sutton
County Courthouse, Sonora,

Texas.
Final receipt of bids will be at 9:00a.m., Monday, December 14, 1981. At such time, bids will be opened and accepted or

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* 34-Door Phoenix

* 14-Door Pontiac T-1000



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found in Sutton County Clerk's office in the Sutton County Courthouse, Sonora,

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For further information; contact: Sutton County Auditor

Sonora, Texas 76950 915-387-5380

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Sealed Proposals for the furnishing of all labor, materials and equipment necessary for the construc-tion of the Wastewater Treatment Plant for the City of Sonora, Texas, addressed of Sonora, I exas, addressed to James Dover, City Manager, Sonora, Texas, will be received at City Hall, 201 N.E. Main, 76950 until 2:00 P.M. Central Time-Thursday, December 3, 1981 and then publicly opened and read aloud.

Contract Documents. including Plans and Specifications, have been prepared for the City of Sonora, Texas by Freese and Nichols, Inc., Consulting Engineer, 314 Highland Mall Blvd., Suite 560, Austin, Texas 78752, and may be examined without charge at the offices of the Consulting Engineers. Contract Documents, in-cluding Plans and Specifications, may be procured form

tions, may be procured from Freese and Nichols, Inc., at the above address for the ollowing amounts.
Full Scale Set of Plans with Specifications, Pick-up or mail \$55.00; By bus \$70.00.

Full Scale Set of Plans without Specifications, Pick-

up or mail \$40.00; By bus \$55.00.

Set of Specifications, Pick-up or mail \$15.00; By

Any Contractor who sub-mits a bona fide bid for the entire project to the Owner, and who returns the documents in good condition to the Engineer within 30 days after bids are opened, will receive his payment. No other refunds will be made. When ordering Contract
Documents, prospective
bidders are requested to
indicate number of sets.
3. The work to be

3. The work to be performed under this Contract consists of constructing the complete Wastewater Treatment Plant as shown on the Plans and as described in the Specifications.

4. A cashier's check, certified check or acceptable bidder's bond, made out to the City of Sonora, Texas in an amount not less than 5 percent of the bid submitted must accompany each bid as a guarantee that, if awarded the Contract the Bidder will, within ten (10) days of award of contract, enter into a Contract and execute bonds on the forms provided in the Contract Documents. The Bidder's deposit shall be forfeited and become property of the City of Sonora in case the Bidder neglects or refuses to enter into a Contract and to

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5. Any contract or contracts awarded under this Invitation for Bids are expected to be funded in part by a grant from the United States Environmental Protection Agency and shall be referred to as Project No. C-48-1153-03. Neither the United States nor any of its departments, agencies, or employees is or will be a party to this Invitation for Bids or any resulting contract. This procurement will be subject to regulations contained in 40 CFR 35.936, 35.938, and 35.939.

35.938, and 35.939. 6. This project (C-48-1153-03) is to be funded in part by a Federal Grant in accordance with the eligibility of the project under PL 92-500/95-217. In order to comply with the Specifica-tions and Contract Re-quirements for this work, the Contractor must insure and/ or comply with the

following:

NOTICE OF

REQUIREMENT

"Each bidder must fully comply with the requirements, terms, and conditions of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 6 Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) requirements, including the goals for minority business participation during the perparticipation during the per-formance of this contract. The bidder commits itself to the goals for minority business participation contained herein and all other reherein and all other requirements, terms and conditions of these bid conditions by submitting a properly signed bid. Requirements are contained in (1) 40 CFR 35.936-7; (2) Federal Register, Vol. 43, No. 248, Tuesday, December 26, 1978; (3) Appendix C-2 (9), and EPA, Region 6 Policy and guidelines."

Policy and guidelines."
(A copy of Federal Register. Vol. 43, No. 248 is found on pages A-5 through

REQUIREMENT
The ''Notice of Requirement for Affirmative Acttion to Ensure Equal Employment Opportunity un-der Executive Order 11246" found in the attached Federal Register, Vol. 43, No. 204, October 20, 1978, under Sec. 60-4.2(d); and Items 2 and 4 of the Notice must be completed with pertinent information, as applicable, from Appendix A and Appendix B of the attached Federal Register, Vol. 43, No. 68, April 7, 1978, must be included in

the solicitations.

The goals and timetables for females in the Notice are to be included in all con-tracts nationwide. Specific area goals and timetables are to be included in all contracts within that speci-

ically designated area. (Copies of Federal Register, Vol. 43, No. 204 and Vol. 43, No. 68, are provided on pages A-9 through A-13.) The following guide-

lines concerning wage decisions are in effect:

A. The David-Bacon Act (40 CFR 35.935.-5) requires a valid Department of Labor (DOL) wage decision be in the contract specifications before bids are opened, and effective on the date of contract award.

B. Wage decisions pub-lished in the Federal Register are nonexpiring.

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Sunday the 20th

Modifications or supersedeas decisions published 10 days prior to bid opening must be included in the

contract specifications. C. Specific wage decisions issued by DOL are effective for 120 days from the date of issuance. Modifications received by EPA 10 days prior to bid opening must be included in the

contract specifications.

D. If applicable modifications or supersedeas deci-sions are not included in the contract specifications prior to bid opening, and the low bidder will not accept them with no increase to his bid, all bids must be rejected and the contract readvertis-

8: Also the following is required and blank forms are included in the Bid Proposal: A. Form CG-211, State-

ment regarding Equal Op-portunity Clause.

B. Form CG-212, Certifi-cation of Nonsegregated Facilities.

C. Completed Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) follows (1) Form CG-245a, Part II, Form A, to be completed by bidder when MBD goal

achieved. (2) Form CG-246, Form B, to be used to report a deviation from projected MBE particiaption as re-

ported in Form A.
(3) Form CG-245b, Part II, Form A, to be completed by bidder if MBE goal is not

achieved.

(4) CG-248, Letter of Intent (contract); or a certificate that MBE contracts will

Devil's River News Wednesday, November 18, 1981 Page 9 be submitted withing 15

ed documents.

D. The information

shown in the following do-cument MUST BE included

in the bid proposal.

(1) As bid itemized cost breakdown with approved

eligible work separated. All

water treatment facilities must be broken down (see

attached CG-213). This breakdown must include a

breakdown must include a separate item for each major category of work and each major piece of equipment. The breakdown should be submitted by the

low bidder to the Grantee

informalities. No bid may

be withdrawn until the expiration of sixty (60) days from the date bids are (5) Copies of executed subcontracts or joint venture agreements; and relatopened.

City of Sonora, Texas City Manager 2c5

Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE Notice is hereby given for the request for bids to Sutton County, Texas for a vehicle for the use of the Sutton County 4-H program. The Sutton County Commissioners wish to receive hids on two hasts. ceive bids on two basic vehicles as follows: 1. 1982 ½ ton pickup with minimum of 250, 6 cylinder engine (intermediate size nickup).

after bid opening.

9. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and accept or reject any

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Sunday

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School 10:00 a.m.

10:45 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m. 7:30 p.m.

7:30 p.m.

hurch

Church School

day of each nonth.)

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Worship

Eldorado, Texas 76936 Phone 915/853-3272

Federal regulations recurred substantial interest penalty for early withdraw.

Sonora Churches

11:00

Primera Baptist Church Rev. Basillio Esquivel unday School 9:15 a.m. Vorship 11:00 a.m. Worship Training Union 5:30 p.m. 7:00 pm Worship WMU Tuesday 6:00 p.m. Wad Serv. 7:00 p.m.

First United Methodist Church David W. Griffin - Pastor unday School 9:45 a.m. Yorship 10:55 a.m. VRN 98 AM 11:00 a.m. hildren's Choir hildren's Choir 5:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.

ed. Chancel Choir 7:00 p.m. Saint John's Episcopal Church Rev. John W. Fritts iastor

Sunda Joe Moran
Holy Eucharist 8:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Holy Eucharist 11:00 a.m. Priesthood 10:00 a.m.

Wednesday Holy Eucharist 7:00 p.m. Holy Days as announced

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Bishop Ray Hendershot

2nd and 4th Sunday MP) Relief Society 10:00 a.m. Sacrament Mtg. 11:00 a.m. Visitors Welcome

First Assembly of God Rev. Louis Halford - Fastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship 11:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m.

Eve. Serv. Wed. Serv. 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 7:30 p.m. Eve. Worship 7:30 p.m. Wed. Serv.

Church of Christ Bible School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. 6:30 p.m. Sun. Night 6:30 p.m. Wed. night

St. Ann's Catholic Church

Eve. Worship

Wed. Serv.

Worship

Rev. Gilbert Rodriguez Sat. Vigil Mass 7:00 p.m. Sunday Mass 8:00 a.m. Sunday Mass 11:00 a.m. Holy Day Mass 7:00 p.m.

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Classified Ads

2. 1982 ½ ton, 4-6 cylinder pickup (economy

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For further information;

contact: Sutton County Auditor Sonora, Texas 76950 915-387-5380

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Carport Sale 801 Tom Green. Saturday and Sunday 9:00 to 5:00. Several Baby items like new. Lotts of furniture (sofas and chairs, lamps, etc.) Clothing and miscellaneous

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Guides needed. Perferably couple. Apply in person. Caverns of Sonora.

Typist needed. MUST BE DEPENDABLE. Apply in person. Devils River News.

RN's and LVN's needed at Crockett Co. Hospital. Salary commensurate with experience. Call Director of Nurses collect at 392-2671 for further information.

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Calender Of Events

Wednesday November 18, 1981 Bridge Club Golf Auxilary, noon EP Soil & Water Directors, 7.50 p.m. Thursday November 19, 1981 Dee Ora Masonic Lodge, 7:30 p.m. Petroettes, noon Masonic Lodge, 7:30 p.m Tuesday Novmeber 24, 1981 Lions Club, noon American Heart Association, 7:30 p.m Wednesday November 25, 1981 Sonora Fire Department. 8 p.m Thursday November 26, 1981 Red Carpet, 10:00 a.m., 7:30 p.m.

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News as it happens 24 Hours a day

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News. Reward!!! Tiger striped short-tailed kitten in the vicinty of Food Center. Answers to name of Tigger. If found, please call Eldorado collect 853-3236.

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Wanted

Position wanted: bookkeep-

Would like to lease grass land in Schleicher and surrounding counties. Please call 915-869-5881.

Senior Citizen Menu

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Hot Rolls

Apple Crisp Friday Enchiladas w/chili sauce Spanish Rice Cole Slaw Fried Okra Bread

Peanut Butter Cake

Corn Bread Dressing

Turkey Dinner

Wednesday

Orange Sweet Potatoes Hot Rolls Pumpkin Pie w/Whipped

Mexican Corn Bread Fruit Cup

Monday Tuna Salad Golden Potatoes Turnip Greens Bread

Chilled Apple Sauce Tuesday Meat Loaf Diced Carrots



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- 3.) All deer will be measured and judged by management at Ashley's Western Outfitters. All decisions will be final.
- 4.) Contestants will be catagorized in divisions;
 - A.) Childrens Division 7-14
 - B.) Womens Division 14-over
 - C.) Men's Division 14-over
- 5.) Plaques will be given to the winner of each division, with the biggest over all rack taking grand prize.
- 6.) In case of a tie winner will be judged by average length of points on that rack, example: Length of points divided by number of points.
- 7.) Only deer with 6 points or better and a point measuring at least 1", will be accepted.
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- 9.) All Ashley's Employees and family are ineligible.
- 10.) Contest begins Nov. 14, 1981, with winners being announced Dec. 22, 1981, Contestants may bring in their deer during regular store hours, 9-6 PM.
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Jacob is welcomed by four sisters: Georgia, Rhonda. Ginger, and Lee. The mother is the former Gail Rode, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Rode of Sonora.

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Joseph, Reynolds **Announce Engagement**

Mr. and Mrs. George Joseph announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Durwood Reynolds of Hobbs, New Mexico.

He is the son of Mrs. Neil Tankersley of Mertzon The future bridegroom is

and Durwood Reynolds of El Paso, Texas.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Eastwood High Reiley Denise, to Brett School in El Paso and attended Texas Tech University. She is employed by the Devil's River News.

also a graduate of Eastwood High School in El Paso. Texas and attended Sul Ross State University. He is employed by Hobbs Mack Sales, Inc. in Hobbs. New Mexico.

A January 22 wedding is planned.

Artist Awards To Be Held In San Angelo

San Angelo will host the 9th annual Texas Cowbov Artist Association Awards competition November 20 and 21st. An expected 500 out of town visitors will be on hand to view this prestigious collection.

This is the first time event will be hosted in San Angelo. TCA is looking for a permanent home for their fall awards competition. San Angelo is a great location" according to Gar-

land week's TCA secretary.

"And we are really looking at San Angelo as the permanent site for the Novem-

ber awards. The show will be held at Brentwood Country Club sponsored by the Galleries of San Angelo. The TCA awards competition begins Friday, November 20th at 6 p.m. with the preview followed by the presentation of awards at 7:30 p.m. and the art sale at 8:30 p.m. The show will be open to

the public from 9 a.m.-4

p.m. November 21st--again at Brentwood Country

Guest artists for the show are: Keith Avery. Steve Devenyns, Harold Holden. Ragan Gennusa, Kenneth Ottinger, Joe G. Russell. G.L. Sanders, Richard Thompson. Bob Tommey.

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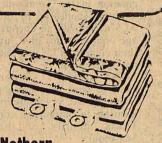
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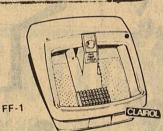
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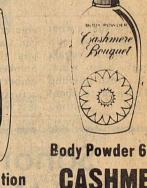
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Reports from Washington

Some Facts On Oil Decontrol

When President Reagan removed the last remaining controls from the price of oil and dismantled the eight-year-long 'temporary' allocation program, some skeptics said prices would skyrocket, that massive oil imports would continue, and that no real increase in domestic production would result. The facts have proved otherwise.

Exploration boomed. Consumption decreased. U.S. oil imports dropped. Prices stabilized - they even declined.

Decontrol has proven that America's energy industries, from the small independent producer to the large corporation, stand ready and willing to embark upon an ambitious program to reduce our reliance on imported oil by providing the greatest amount of domestic energy at the lowest possible price.

Briefly, let's look for a moment at what the latest figures tell us about the effects of decontrol.

Critics said decontrol would not increase supplies or decrease demand. The number of newly discovered producing wells was up 41.6 percent from January to July of this year as compared to the same period in 1980. The number of active rotary drilling rigs in August of this year was up 36 percent over the same period last year. Total domestic production of crude oil has increased by more than 150,000 barrels per day during the past twelve months.

During the first six months of this year our domestic consumption dropped by 232 million barrels of oil from 1980. At the same time, our total oil imports actually fell for the first time in years by 300 million barrels over the same period last year.

Critics of decontrol said it would cause substantial increases in fuel prices, even assuming no large OPEC price increase.

But the average gasoline price for all grades was actually down an average of 2.6 cents in June 1981, compared to April 1981. And the average price of No. 2 heating oil was down 4.1 cents in May compared to March 1981.

The best news by far is that domestic drilling activity is at an alltime high while imports of OPEC oil are down to a 13-year low and likely to dip even further.

While some experts believe that OPEC no longer holds all the cards in the world oil market, this nation's and the world's energy problems are far from being solved. American industry is not to blame. For despite the industry's best efforts, our reliance on OPEC for approximately one-third of our energy needs means that those countries will continue to set the price and determine the availability of the energy we need for American homes and factories until we regain domestic energy self-sufficiency.

Because crude oil and natural gas still provide more than 70 percent of our total energy needs, we must remove still further im-

pediments to the production and use of our great energy wealth: Deregulation of natural gas. Allowing the price of natural gas to rise to its true value will discourage the inefficient use of this resource and provide a stable domestic supply of cleanburning fuel for the future.

 Development and implementation of a sound plan for mineral exploration on more than two-thirds of our Federal lands that are either closed or effectively restricted from energy and mineral development. We can develop these frontiers — which may contain reserves of oil and gas equal to all known deposits to date - and do so in an environmentally acceptable manner.

• Elimination of the Department of Energy. This is a \$10 billion tax drain which has not produced one additional barrel of oil and has added to the costs all of us must pay for running this bloated bureaucracy.

· Accelerate filling of the Strategic Petroleum Reserve. In the event of an oil crisis, we must be prepared to deal with a supply interruption with energy — not with government rationing stamps.

It is my firm belief that, given the opportunity to earn the necessary investment funds and the opportunity to compete in the marketplace without government interference, America's energy industry will do its job — using American dollars to provide American jobs to produce American energy for the future.

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Smokeout Planned November 19

In a move sure to break tradition, the American Cancer Society announced today that a real, live 100-pound armadillo will serve as honorary chairman of the 1981 Great American Smokeout in Texas.

A native of South America recently acquired by the San Antonio Zoo, the armadillo will lead Texas' participation in the Smokeout, an event sponsored by the ACS nationwide to encourage smokers to give up their cigarettes for just one day--November 19.

The animal's sudden claim to fame was brought about by ACS volunteers wanting to emphasize the Texas identity of the Smokeout.

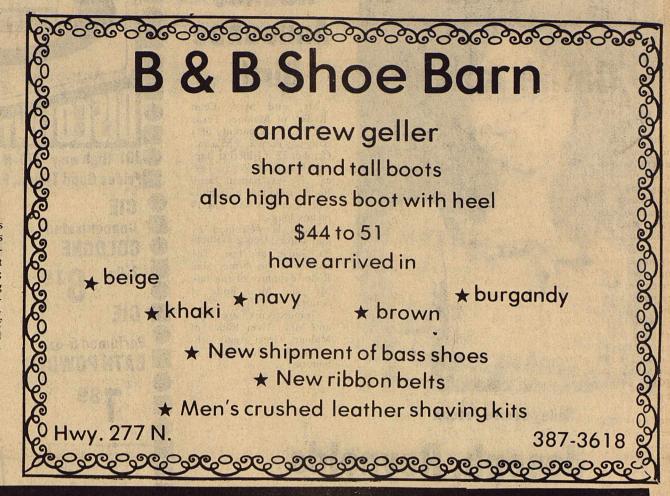
"Not only does he not smoke, with his size he's a real attention grabber, besaid Penny lieve me," Reeves, Austin radio personality and volunteer coordinator of Smokeout activities in Texas. "In the past we've had some terrific Texans like Lee Trevino and Larry Gatlin as honorary chairmen -- but this armadille, though not a native, represents Texas perhaps more than anyone--or anything."

the Gallup organization last year indicated nearly 16.5 million Americans attempted to give up cigarettes on Smokeout day. Just under 5 million made it the full 24 hours. One to ten days later, 2.2 million were still

not smoking.
Activities to help further celebrate the smokeless day are planned in most cities and towns throughout the state. Rallies with local celebrities are planned in Fort Worth, Houston, Austin, Dallas and San Antonio

Other cities and towns are planning similar rallies and events with involvement of Youth Against Cancer (YAC) groups; pledge booths at shopping centers and malls; antismoking educational programs and a range of publicity events designed to draw attention to November 19

All Texas smokers are invited to join in the fun. They may contact their local ACS volunteers or office for a pledge card, tips on quitting or information on locally planned Smokout



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Sutton County Ranch News



Cattle Raisers Association Pledges Support For Watt During Meeting

The board of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association passed a resolution wholeheartedly supporting Secretary of Interior James G. Watt during its meeting in Kerrville, Texas, Oct. 31

The beleaguered Watt. target of a concerted effort to remove him from office. won the cattlemen's endersement for his efforts to properly manage public lands. An expression of gratitude for his leaderhip, foresight and courage was sent to the White House. Watt and the Texas delegation, says John S. Cargile. TSCRA president from San Angelo

Nearly 300 cattlemen from Texas and Oklahoma were on hand to pass the resolution. The group, a 104-year-old non-profit livestock organization, represents 14,000 livestock producers in the South

The unanimous resolu-

time in decades, the Interior Department has a secretary trying to fulfill the mandate of the President and the majority of the people for preservation. proper management and multiple use of the public lands held in trust by his department.

The cattlemen also pointed to the deteriorating park system under previous secretaries who allowed landhungry bureaucrats to acquire useless lands for more parks when the existing system suffered from poor management. Watt's effort to curb this situation was praised by the cattlemen, as was his plans for 'an orderly and proper multiple use of existing facilties where oil, gas, timber, water and strategic minerals await development vital to our nations' growth and security.

U.S. Rep. Tom Loeffler, R-Hunt, before basically a "hometown" crowd, told the cattlemen that Watt was indeed under presure, but that the criticism came from those who didn't understand the real world and the need for more available

Loeffler, a rancher himself, told the group he would take his hat off to them for their support of the budget cuts earlier this year. He called it the 'New Beginning...and it's in your hip pocket for as long as you want to keep

As a result, the growth in Federal spending has, for the first time, decreased from annual basic increase in growth of 15 percent to 7.5 percent. Loeffler said a 5 percent growth rate is Coupled with attainable. the largest tax cut in U.S. history, Americans have indeed a "New Begin-Don't give it up ning. now, he warned.

The controversial immigration program proposed by the Reagan administration was revieewed by Kenneth Starr, chief counsel to the U.S. Attorney General. Additional review was provided by members of Texas Governor Clement's staff.

Among the more interesting statistics cited by Starr was the only 15 to 20 percent of the illegal aliens in the U.S. work in agriculture, according to U.S. Department of Agriculture, statistics. The remainder of the 3.5 to six million work in manufacturing, services, etc., Starr said.

More than 1.5 million illegals enter the U.S. annually. Apprehensions by the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) have increased from 64,000 in 1965 to over one million annually for the last four vears, Starr said. The INS is at the breaking point.

The Reagan administration's proposal steps up enforcement regulations including criminal penalties against certain employers who knowingly hire undocumented workers.

Cargile, one of several key industry leaders invited by USDA to review its meat inspection standards following the Australian culture Committee.

horsemeat scandal, discussed his findings at Newark, NJ, and legislative plans to strengthen meat inspection as a part of the current farm

A coalition of consumer and cattle organizations, including TSCRA, has endorsed the English Amendment to the National Meat Inspection Act now in a House-Senate conference committee after passage by the House recently. The bill requires species testing for imported meat and restricts the importation of meat produced with chemicals and additives banned

for use in U.S. production. USDA and the Reagan administration oppose any meat inspection bill, at this point, as a non-tariff trade barrier and are trying to get the conference committee to drop both proposals.

The chances of the bill's survival if the Administration brings a great deal of pressure to bear will depend on the support of men like Texas Congressman Kika de la Garza, chairman of the powerful House AgriState Rep. Gerald Geistweidt, D-Mason, discussed wildlife and criminal trespass laws, including hunting in state-owned riverbeds. He was joined by David Palmer and Don Frels of Texas Parks and Wildlife Service who explained "Operation Game Thief' and buck permits.

Cargile reported on the proposed new regulations of the brucellosis eradication program approved recently in St. Louis by the U.S. Animal Health Association. If approved by USDA, they will replace regulations that will go in effect Jan. 1, 1982. Ed Small, TSCRA attorney, reviewed the numerous lawsuits involved with the pro-

The national beef promotion campaign of the National Live Stock and Meat

Board was presented by John Huston of the Chicago-based group. program is financed through voluntary 25-cent contributions made when cattle producers market their cattle.

Other speakers included Charles Schreiner III of Mountain Home and Charles Ross IV of Roff,

OK, wildlife committee; William B. Blakemore II of

Midland, land use and the environment committee; John M. Shelton III of Amarillo, legislative and

tax committee; J.D. Sartwelle of Sealy, marketing committee; and J.E. Birdwell II of Lubbock, animal health committee.

TSCRA's next meeting will be its annual convention, trade show and heritage sale in Dallas, March

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Team Roping And Barrel Race To Be Held In Brady Saturday

Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association will sponsor a membership team roping and barrel race at the G. Rollie White Downs Arena in Brady. Texas, Saturday, November 21. says Don C. King. TSCRA secretary-general manager.

"The team roping will be a three-header, progressive after one. Entry fee is \$50 per team and includes a \$10 stock charge. Both the header and the heeler must be members to rope." King

Search **Underway For Rural Hero**

The search is under way for Texas' rural hero of

The Rural Heroism Award, sponsored by the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council, is presented each year to some person judged to have performed an act of exceptional bravery during a time of crisis, according to Ben Bullard, Council president and assistant safety direc-tor of the Texas Farm Bureau.

March 1, 1982, is the deadline for entries to be received by the Rural Heroism Award Committee, Texa Farm and Ranch Safety Council, P.O. Box 489, Waco, Texas 76703.

The heroic act or humainlife-saving deed must have occurred within Texas during 1981 and should be related to farming or ranching operations.

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clude a written account of the incident and the names addresses, and telephone numbers of all persons involved. Newspaper clip pings and pictures should also accompany the nominations, if available.

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Entries can be called in

ing at Brady is a part of the ongoing membership drive for the 14,000 member livestock producer organization." King said. TSCRA a 104-year-old cattle association, works for all cattlemen in theft protection, animal health, legislative action, and beef promotion.

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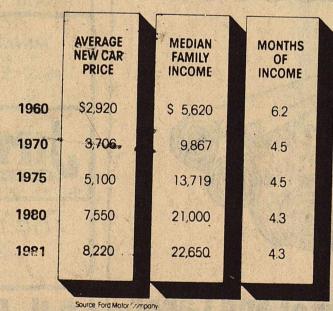
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In addition, new car prices are rising at a slower rate than both median family income and the Consumer Price Index. For example, since 1967, new car sticker prices have risen 84 percent. But, over the same period, the Consumer Price Index has risen 150 percent.4

And there's more good news. Trade-in values for used cars are also rising, up 8.8 percent from 1978 to 1979 alone. Right now, trade-in values are averaging \$2,875.5

And, if you itemize deductions on your federal income tax, the interest you pay on your new car loan is deductible, and can add up to quite a tax break.

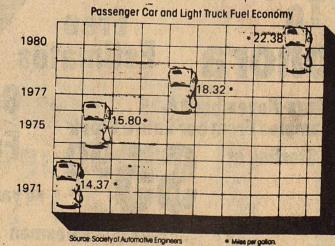
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If you trade in an older full-size car for a new subcompact, your gasoline savings will, of course, be even more dramatic as much as 200 to 300 percent.8

Your new car will also cost less to maintain because it requires fewer tune-ups and oil changes and comes equipped with longer lasting tires, batteries, spark plugs and body parts. For example, in 1971 the scheduled maintenance costs for one compact model averaged \$660 for the first 50,000 miles. Today, for a new compact from the same manufacturer, costs are estimated at just \$170, or \$43 per year for the first 50,000

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Nugent Warns Committee Members Of Problems Texans May Face

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Resources Committee that the Natural Gas Policy Act poses "problems for Texas customers--problems in terms of both shortages and consumer prices.'

Nugent's testimony opened several days of oversight hearings by the Committee on the implementation of Title 1 of the NGPA and its effects on natural gas pricing, supplies, and distribution.

Some 40 percent of the nation's natural gas supplies will remain under federal price controls beyond the so-called "decontrol" date of 1985 mandated by the NGPA. Nugent

reminded the Committee. Interstate purchasers, using this large base of controlled, low-cost gas, will be able to bid more for new supplies of gas resulting in supply shortages and higher prices for intrastate customers, said Nugent.

"The so-called consuming states shrink with apparent horror from the idea of paying a free market price for natural gas," said Nugent. "Let me remind tion's leading consuming And under the state. current NGPA, Texas consumers will pay more than market price for new gas supplies. We think it's time our consumers will pay more than market

price.''
Nugent also took issue with a recent report from the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission which predicted adequate natural gas supplies for 1981-82

winter needs. The report, he said, surveyed only interstate pipelines.

"According to our best information and advice, Texas intrastate pipelines will have no excess gas this winter, and many experts are predicting curtailments in Texas in the event of even a slightly colder-than-

normal winter," he said.
"When Texas and Louisiana, suppliers of over twothirds of America's natural gas, face possible curtailments while the interstate market enjoys surplus, something is sadly awry. And if we see the beginnings of problems today, they will be much graver after 1985 when the NGPA

re-institutes a dual market," Nugent added.

Nugent told the Committee that changes in the NGPA were in order, but at the very least the FERC should (1) promote increased production of gas, (2) reduce the interstate price cushion, and (3) equalize intrastate access to new

Concluding his testimony, Nugent said the NGPA and prior federal laws and rules have failed to deal adequately with the natural gas market and that major changes are needed to restore the market to order.

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burner for the time being. President Reagan met with several Republican Congressional leaders and agreed not to propose gas price decontrol for several months. Most people don't expect any action until after he 1982 elections.

On Tuesday, November 3rd, Energy Secretary James Edwards had said a decontrol plan would be sent to Congress within two weeks. Two days later, the Administration decided to delay the proposal. Republican leaders convinced the President that the only way a gas decontrol bill stood any chance in Con-

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ed. President Reagan is opposed to a so-called wind-fall profits tax on natural gas. Another major factor was the dramatic increase in

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consumer prices that would result from gas decontrol. Opponents say gas bills would at least double under faster and complete decontrol. Producers say that if gas prices are not decontrolled soon, there could be shortages in Texas and Louisiana. Also, the price

paid for gas compared to crude oil will be much less in 1985 and that would cause more shortages. As it now stands, all gas produced after April of 1977 would be decontrolled in 1985. However, all gas produced before that date, about 40 percent of all gas produced, will remain under price controls indefi-

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