

# The Devil's River News

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Old Mercantile Building Designated Historical Monument  
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## High Death Toll Predicted by DPS

The Department of Public Safety today estimated that as many as 47 persons could die in traffic accidents during this July 4th weekend unless drivers are exceptionally careful.

Colonel Jim Adams, DPS director, said the risk of traffic accidents will increase during the 78-hour holiday period as more drivers take to the streets and highways for the holiday. "As in many weekend traffic accidents, alcohol, excessive speed, and failure to use seat belts are the major contributing factors in the traffic deaths," he said.

DPS statistics show that 63 persons were killed during the last 4th of July holiday and 25 of those fatalities resulted from accidents in

which driving while intoxicated was a factor.

"We know that drinking may have been involved in more of the traffic deaths, but since state law does not require blood alcohol samples from traffic victims, we are uncertain how many more of the deaths may have involved drivers impaired by alcohol," Adams noted. "Additionally, 59 persons were seriously injured during the last holiday in traffic accidents."

The DPS director said additional troopers would be assigned to areas where heavy volumes of traffic are expected.

"Our troopers are working during

this holiday period to assist travelers and to watch closely for drivers who may have had too much to drink or insist upon exceeding the speed limits," he said.

The DPS says many municipal police and county sheriffs' officers will also work local traffic safety programs during the holiday period.

The DPS Operation Motorcade counting periods begins at 6 p.m. Friday, July 2nd and continues through midnight Monday, July 5th. The Department will tabulate city and highway traffic fatalities and release totals three times daily at 10 a.m., 3 p.m. and 8 p.m. The first report will be made at 10 a.m. Saturday, July 3.

## Sonora Girls Attend Basketball Camp

Nine Sonora girls attended the second session of the All-Star Basketball Camp held June 21-25 at San Angelo. This was the second annual All-Star Basketball Camp directed by Coach Ed Messbarger, Angelo State University Head Basketball Coach and one of the most successful college basketball coaches in the country. He has won 12 consecutive conference championships, developed seven All-American and several European Pros and one current NBA Star. In addition, Coach Messbarger

has been named Conference Coach of the Year several times; District Coach of the Year several times; Texas College Coach of the Year in 1974; and National Coach of the Year in 1975.

Sonora girls attending the camp were Karla Jungk, Bonnie Jackson, Cindy Doran, Julie Jackson, Janet Barlemann, Gay Ann Dobbs, Carla Crites, Precia Miller and Kristin Keel.

The girls were divided into three groups according to their age level and ability. They were taught the

fundamentals of basketball with a high concentration on defense, ball handling and shooting.

All girls attending received certificates of attendance and the Sonora girls also captured two of the six outstanding player awards. Bonnie Jackson was named "outstanding hustler" in the advanced group and Gay Ann Dobbs was chosen "outstanding shooter" in the intermediate group. Both were presented award T-shirts by Coach Messbarger.

## Stewart Billy Brings Top \$

A Stewart Angora Goat brought the top dollar at the Range Billy Goat Sale on Saturday, June 26th. The Stewart's Goat sold to Jamie Glasscock, Sheffield, for \$500.00. Average for the sale was \$247 on 65 head. Volume buyer at the sale was Frank Speck, Menard followed by: Andy White, Pumpville, Cecil Mitchell, Sanderson, A.K. Mitchell,

Sanderson, Raymond Tomlinson, Sealy, Wayne Porter, Menard, Jack Harrell, Sanderson, W.H. Cabeen, Kerrville, C.F. Schulz, Eola, Gary Schmidt, Mason and Seco Mayfield, Sonora.

The sale is an annual event at the Sonora Livestock Sales on Hwy 277. It is sponsored by the Edwards Plateau Assoc. and the Devil's River

Ranch Supply.

Pat D. Cooper, Sale Manager and Auctioneer expressed his gratitude for the wide-spread support of this second annual sale and stated that next year's auction will be the last Sat. in June. He further expressed his thanks to the people of Sonora who helped make this auction a success.

## Sutton County Attorney Al Elliott Resigns

At a regular meeting of the Sutton County Commissioners Court, County Attorney Al C. Elliott tendered his resignation to the court. The registration was accepted by the commissioners.

In a conversation with the Devil's River News Elliott stated that the purpose of his withdrawal from public office was to enable him to devote more time to his private practice of law.

## Lions Call For Help!

During the course of the year, the Lions Club of Sonora sponsors a number of public events. Many of these events are centered around the traditional West Texas meal of barbecued goat. Historically, the Lions have depended on donations from ranches around Sonora for meat for these occasions. This year the

supply has run low.

Any rancher desiring to help in the solving of this problem can do so with the sincere appreciation of the Sonora Downtown Lions Club. Donations will be received by Dee Tyler for the club at the Branding Iron Smokehouse in Sonora.

## Notice

The City Hall will be closed July 5 due to the recognition of Indepen-

dence Day. In case of emergency please call 387-2558.

## Geistweidt Opposes Insanity as Criminal Defense

Hill Country Representative, Gerald Geistweidt, of Mason announced today that he plans to introduce legislation in the next session of the Texas Legislature which would eliminate insanity as a defense in murder trials.

Geistweidt said, "When a man like John Hinckley can shoot the President of the United States on network television and escape a jail term because of an insanity defense, then the time has come to change the law. I think the public is sick and tired of the rights of criminals receiving priority over the rights of the innocent victim."

Geistweidt noted that Texans were stunned two years ago by another controversial example of the use of the insanity defense. In February of 1980, a Wichita Falls woman saw the movie, The Exorcist. After viewing the film, she returned to her

home and cut out her four-year-old daughter's heart with a butcher knife. The mother was found to be insane and committed to a mental hospital.

"What is really incredible is that only two years later the hospital released the woman because they felt she was no longer dangerous," Geistweidt said.

Geistweidt cited a similar incident which occurred in Alaska. A man in Alaska killed an Eskimo because "the sound of the Eskimo's voice irritated him." The defendant was found to be insane and committed to a mental hospital. A short time later he was released on a parole-type arrangement. Within the first week of his release, he killed four young girls.

"These cases and numerous others are examples of poor public policy. There is no reason why defendants should not be treated if

mentally ill. But I also believe that the public should be protected against abuse of the insanity plea."

Geistweidt explained that while he has not yet worked out all of the details of the legislation, he has been studying an Idaho law as a model for his legislation. That law, which will go into effect on July 1, bars insanity as a defense in any criminal trial. Although the law bars a plea of innocent by reason of insanity, it does require the judge to hold a hearing on the defendant's mental health at the time of sentencing, and psychiatric treatment could be ordered as part of the sentence as well as a jail term.

Geistweidt concluded by saying that these provisions appear to provide adequate protection for the accused. More importantly, however, they should also provide more protection for society.

## Sutton County Commissioners Court Activities

The Sutton County Commissioners' Court met on Monday, June 28th, 1982, at 9:00 A.M., in special session, in the Sutton County Courthouse. Items on the agenda and discussed and/or acted upon included the following: the Commissioners had hoped to act on bids for restroom facilities for the Park; however, no bids were presented at the special meeting, and so action was postponed until the next regular meeting, at which the Commissioners hope to have competitive bids for such restroom facilities.

The County Commissioners authorized the taking of bids for the purpose of purchasing an ambulance unit to replace the large unit previously used by the ambulance service. Such unit has been unreliable and has broken down many times en route to hospitals, etc., and is generally considered undependable at this time.

A report on the memorial for Veterans of the Korean and Vietnamese conflicts was postponed until the next regular meeting of the Commissioners.

In other action taken by the Commissioners, a new County Attorney for Sutton County was named.

Al C. Elliott had submitted his resignation to the Commissioner some time ago, pending the availability and acceptance of another attorney for the job. In Monday's meeting, two attorneys were presented to apply for such job. One was Wade C. Hudman, presently

practicing in Temple, Texas, and the other J.W. Johnson, presently practicing in Sonora, Texas. In order to be a County Attorney, one must have six months' residence in the County in question. After good presentations by both candidates, the Commissioners went into executive session to discuss the matter.

Following the executive session, the Commissioners voted unanimously to employ J.W. Johnson of Sonora. Mr. Johnson will have to be on the ballot in November, as County Attorney is an elective office; however, the Commissioners' Court can, by law, appoint him to fill such vacancy during the period before the election, at which time the citizens of

Sutton County, Texas, will have an opportunity to vote him into office as an elected official.

In other business, the Commissioners conducted another preliminary review of the pending budget and revenue sharing expenditures for Sutton County for the next fiscal year.

The next regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court will be held on Monday, July 12, 1982, at 9:00 A.M., in the District Courtroom of Sutton County, Texas. The Commissioners request that any and all interested citizens do desire and solicit public output on all issues concerning Sutton County.



## Bryan Hunt Wins U.T. Scholarship Grant

Bryan Hunt, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hunt, was selected as this year's recipient of the \$1,000 scholarship given by the University of Texas for academic excellence.

The University of Texas at Austin gives this award every year to students who have proved to be aware of their skills and educational abilities. Our congratulations to you Bryan for your scholastic achievements.

During his high school years, Bryan belonged to several clubs

which included Band, Computer, and Drama. He has won awards and honors such as going to State in Persuasive Speaking and Best Actor in One-Act Plays.

He enjoyed and participated in several sports throughout his high school years. These included football, tennis, crew, and wrestling. Out of these, tennis has become Bryan's hobby.

As for his plans, Bryan plans to pursue a career in medicine.



## AstroWorld Bound!

Winners in the AstroWorld Coloring Contest for week three were: First Prize, Ashley Johnson (picture not available at press time); daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Johnson of Eldorado and granddaughter of Gus and Anna Eustace of Sonora.

Second prize winner, pictured above, was Kim Cooke of Sonora. First prize winners were presented with eight tickets to AstroWorld. Second prize winners were the recipients of six tickets.

This is the last week of the contest.

The contest is sponsored by Robert Brown and the Hurry-Up Stores in Sonora

## Letter To The Editor

Dear Mr. Editor:  
Upon reading your newspaper of June 23, 1982, in a letter to the editor, I feel that I cannot remain silent to what was printed about the Hospital Board and the Commissioners' Court.

With all the respect due to the Hospital Board Members and my fellow Commissioners, I want to make two things known. First, that we (as commissioners) are never instructed as to what to do or how to vote.

The material that Mr. Aldwell is referring to, did not instruct us to deny the Hospital Board's request of

\$25,000.00 a month for an indefinite period of time. It did, in fact, point out to me that such transaction as requested would be illegal and that I could be found guilty of violating the law and also violating my oath of office. If I were to be convicted, and sent to prison, who would come to my aid?

Secondly, Mr. Aldwell is totally wrong in stating that the County Commissioners clearly show their lack of concern for providing adequate facilities in our community.

We have always shown interest in helping to find a solution to his problems.

Too bad that what was the easiest was also illegal.

I, for one, have various relatives and friends who work at the hospital and nursing home. However, I was elected to do a job and I cannot go around showing favoritism for my relatives and ignoring the majority of the taxpayers.

Furthermore, I feel Mr. Aldwell should have had the courtesy to be present at our last meeting and not have to rely on hearsay.

Thank you,  
Juan Carlos Gonzales  
County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4

## Heffernan-Wade Vows Said June 18th

Miss Lori Deanne Heffernan and William Patrick Wade were united in marriage Friday, June 18, 1982 at the Rock Church of Christ in Eldorado. Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Heffernan of Eldorado, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wade of Sonora.

Miss Heffernan was given in marriage by her father. Her maid of honor was Sarah Day of Eldorado. Bridesmaids were Eureka Norton of Kerrville and Della Heffernan of Sonora. The groom was attended by Jim Trudo of Sonora as best man. Groomsmen were Robert Harris of Duncanville and Darrel Mobley of San Angelo. Ring bearers were Shelly Holsey, cousin of the bride from Eldorado, and Cash Joy, nephew of the groom, of Roosevelt. Ushers were Troy Heffernan, Jr. of Sonora, and Bryan Holsey and Dan Jenkins of Eldorado.

A reception for family and friends was held after the ceremony at the Schleicher County Memorial Center. Serving in the house party were: Mrs. Bryan Holsey, Mrs. Buster Jenkins, Mrs. John Wade, Mrs. Preston Joy, Mrs.

Rose Uherik, Mrs. Troy Heffernan, Sr., and Mrs. Dan Jenkins.

The rehearsal supper for twenty-five people was held Thursday night at the Casa Arispe in Eldorado. Pat and Lori Wade are making their home in Sonora where he is employed by Halliburton Services.

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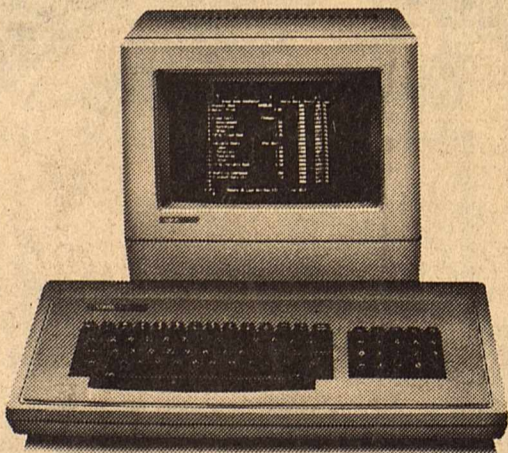
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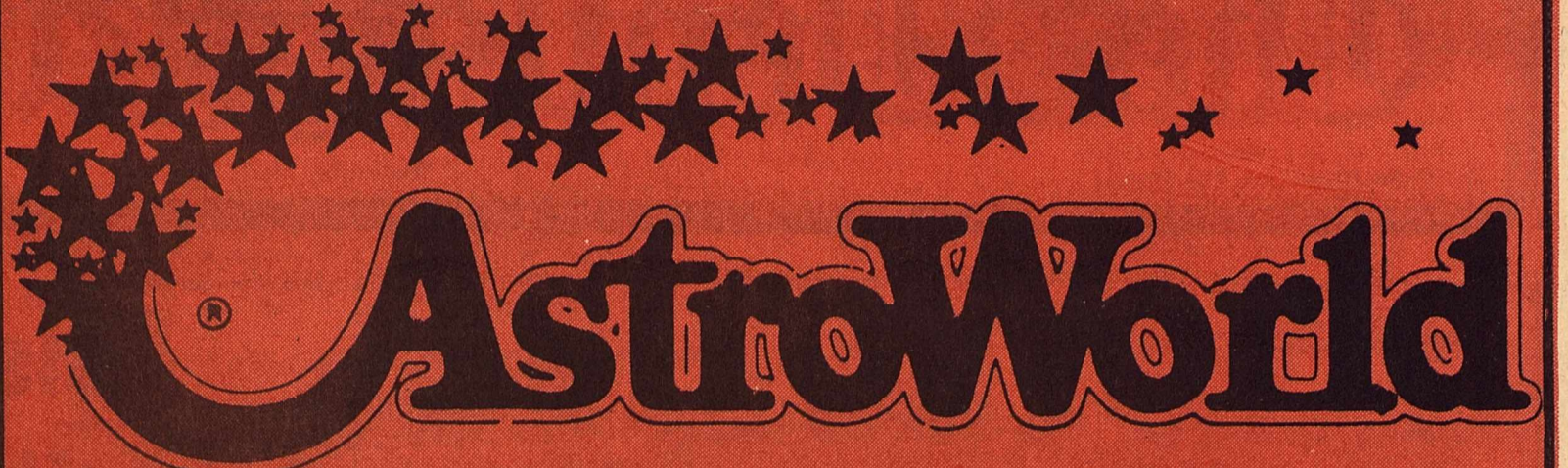
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Secretary and Treasurer of the Cattlemen's Assn.  
Our apologies to Mrs. Nellie Moore for the mistakes in reporting her hospital stay. Our apologies to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pope for the mistakes made in reporting the dedication of the "Old Mercantile Building" and for the way "preserving" the old landmark was spelled. And our apologies for all the other mistakes. We have a new editor now and he hopes to get all these things straightened out. We sure do hope he can. Please accept our apologies.  
Thanks  
Hazel

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Visiting in San Angelo Monday were Mrs. R.A. Halbert, Guila Vicars, Ruth Shurley, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shannon.  
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Mrs. Belle Steen entertained the Idle Hour Bridge Club, Tuesday, June 22. Pie and tea were served to: Mrs. R.A. Halbert, W.T. Hardy, Guila Vicars, Lena Belle Ross, Dorothy Cusenbary, Elizabeth Cusenbary, club members. Guests were: Mrs. Ruth Shurley and Hazel McClelland.  
Mrs. McClelland won the high score prize, Mrs. Halbert won second high score, and Mrs. Hardy won the bingo prize.

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Mr. and Mrs. Allen Schnieder and Robin spent several days at the ranch near Camp Allison. Their daughter, her husband and baby returned home with them for several days.

## Halberts Married 70 Years



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Halbert will be honored Monday, July 5 on the occasion of their 70th wedding anniversary with an informal open house from 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. in their home at 103 Iva Street. The children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Halbert cordially invite all friends to drop by to visit with the Halberts, Monday evening.

The Halberts were married at her parent's home in Brownwood in 1912 after a courtship of "three or four years," said Mrs. Halbert. A sparkle comes into her blue eyes as she recalls the way they met. They were both attending Howard Payne College in Brownwood and she had walked in on a business class Halbert was taking.

"I was looking for a place to sit," she said. "The instructor looked at me and said, 'I wish to goodness you'd sit down,' and I told him, 'I have a seat, but I don't have any place to put it.'" Halbert apparently admired her for her spunk. She would certainly need a lot of it to be a rancher's wife back then.

The first house they lived in didn't even have a ceiling in it until just before they were married. It had a dirt floor, no electricity or water, and yellow-jackets often built their nests inside.

The nearest water was 150 yards away. "We carried the washing to the water," said Halbert, adding, "Polecats lived under the house."

The Halberts had no

Our sympathy to the family of Mrs. Pauline Barnes, who died June 24, at Hudspeth Hospital.  
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Mrs. Hattie B. Epps' ranch had a lot of damage to her barns and house, when a small tornado hit there last week. Rained over 3 inches in about 30 minutes.  
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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cooper and daughters, Elizabeth and Carolyn, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Neill, last week.  
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Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kemp were visiting in San Angelo, Wednesday.  
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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Turner have returned home from attending Joe's School Homecoming Class of 1938 in Kennuto, Mo. They then went to Mountain View, Ark. to visit friends. They went to Grandpa Jones' Dinner Club. Then to Folk Center State Park in the Ozarks.  
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Lee Allen and wife, Lana and son, Stephen of Fort Worth visited his grand-

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie West. They attended the wedding of Maray and Mike McMillon. Maray is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene West and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie West.  
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Members of the newly formed motorcycle club, Sonora Roadrunners, attended a rally at the Old Settlers Reunion Grounds in Buffalo Gap, Texas over the weekend.  
The rally was hosted by the Abilene Roadriders, Friends from the Big Spring Roadriders met us there and as usual, we met some new friends.  
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Mr. and Mrs. Don Nicholas, from Houston, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Granill Barker and Mrs. Wilma Nicholas. Don and Billie Jo have two children, Nickie and Vickie.

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doctoring and medicine, in case one of them got sick? "We didn't get sick," said Halbert. Simple enough. "You put turpentine on everything," said Mrs. Askew.

Halbert, over the years, has become well known as a breeder of quality livestock. He is a member of the Polled Hereford Association and a charter member of that organization's Hall of Fame. A bronze plaque bearing his accomplishments is permanently enshrined in the organization's headquarters in Kansas City, Mo.

"He's developed two (polled hereford) families of his own that are known all over the world," said Askew. He related that one of the bulls Halbert raised sold for \$50,000. He has won several national grand championships with his animals.

Just what kind of man is this?

"He believes every word anybody utters," said Mr. Askew. "He always says, 'Any deal can be made with a handshake.'"

And the two of them together? What keeps two people loving each other so much for so long?

"They've been lovers and pals," offers Mrs. Askew. "They're cut out of a different cloth. They have a determination to care for their own. Most people nowadays don't think about things like that."

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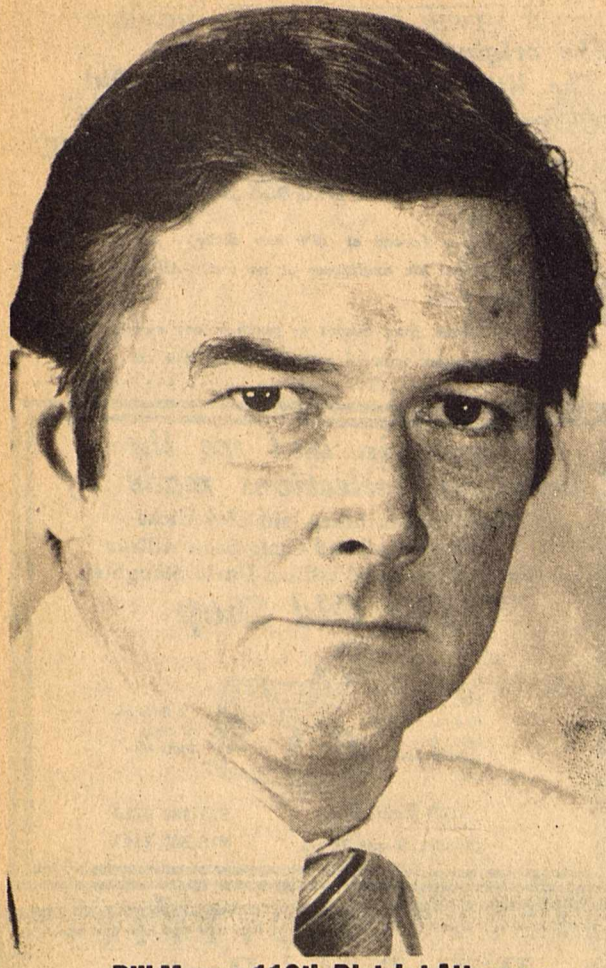
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Bill Mason 119th District Attorney

# "It's The Law," Says Bill Mason

The following article is a public service through the cooperation of Bill Mason, District Attorney of the 112th judicial District. Its purpose is to make you aware of a prosecutor's role, of your responsibility as a resident of the County and how we can work together to alleviate some of society's problems.

**FIREWORKS AND THE LAW**  
Needless to say, everyone wants to have a safe and happy Fourth of July. However, in the past the fun of exploding certain types of dangerous fireworks resulted in the tragedy of loss of a finger or loss of eyesight. In order to try and better protect the public the legislature has regulated the type of fireworks that can be sold at retail or possessed by individuals in the State of Texas.

For example, it is unlawful to offer for sale or to sell fireworks to children under 10 years old or to intoxicated or irresponsible persons. Further, it is illegal to explode or ignite fireworks within 600 feet of any church, hospital, asylum, public school and within 100 feet of where fireworks are stored, sold or offered for sale. It is also illegal to ignite or discharge fireworks within a car or to throw them from a car. Violations of the state fireworks law can result in a fine of not more than \$1,000 and imprisonment for not more than one year or both.

Persons selling or manufacturing fireworks are required to obtain a license from the State Fire Marshall. A license from the State Fire Marshall is also required for each public display of fireworks. No fireworks may be sold be-

fore June 24 or after July 4 during the July Fourth Holiday period. The State Fire Marshall is a division of the State Board of Insurance and, for licensing information, their Austin telephone number is (512) 475-4203.

Permissible fireworks in the State of Texas are as follows:

- (1) Ten ball roman candles, not to exceed 20 grams;
- (2) Helicopter type rockets, not to exceed 20 grams;
- (3) Cylindrical fountains, not to exceed 75 grams with an inside tube diameter not to exceed 3/4 inch;
- (4) Cone fountains (volcanos), not to exceed 50 grams in weight;
- (5) Wheels, not to exceed 60 grams in weight, but there may be any number of drivers on any one wheel;
- (6) Illuminating torches and colored fire in any

form, not to exceed 100 grams each;

(7) Sparklers and dipped sticks, not to exceed 100 grams each;

(8) Mines and shells of which the mortar is an integral part, except those designed to produce a noise, not to exceed 40 grams each

(9) Firecrackers and salutes which do not exceed 1 1/2 inches in length or 1/4 inch in diameter and do not exceed 2 grains each in weight;

(10) Whistles without report, not to exceed 40 grams each in weight;

(11) Skyrockets with sticks of not more than 20 grams each with a casing at least 2 7/8 inches and an overall length including the stick of not less than 15 inches.

These fireworks are required to be within the classification known as "ICC Class C Common

Fireworks" and that certification is required to be on all shipping cases and on retail containers. Bottle rockets with sticks are not permissible fireworks.

In addition to the state law, your city or town may have enacted local ordinances prohibiting or imposing further regulations on fireworks. For example,

local laws may regulate the noise and locations for exploding fireworks, or possibly ban the explosion of all fireworks within the city or town limits. Check with your prosecutor for possible local ordinances governing the legal use of fireworks. Have a Happy Fourth of July-but above all, a safe one.

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## The Budget's Next Step

The House of Representatives adopted a budget resolution which spends less and taxes less than its counterpart in the Senate. Now, conferees of both houses have met to reconcile differences in their respective budget resolutions.

As the conferees establish the target numbers it will then be up to the various committees in the House and Senate to create spending programs that fall within the appropriate guidelines. I expect some tough choices and difficult battles as this process gets underway.

The budget process — as developed through the Budget Act of 1974 — is designed to force difficult political choices on Congress, to make it spend and tax in a restrained and disciplined manner. With that, the Congress must have regard for government deficits and for its effects on the economy.

The essence of the budget procedure is that Congress now has to vote not only on the separate appropriations, as it always did, but also on the spending total — and the deficit.

The 1974 budget act provided that Congress would curb its undisciplined spending habits and the president would give up his impoundment powers. If Congress is unable to make the tough political decisions to curb spending, then those powers will likely be restored to the president. Someone in the government must take responsibility to make these decisions. And, personally, I believe it should be in the Appropriations Committee, through which all spending measures pass.

In facing our budget choices we cannot have legislative additions or other forms of tampering that unrealistically increase discretionary spending programs, particularly at the expense of defense. Defense is so fundamental to our national security. At the same time, we cannot ignore unacceptable growth in entitlement and related programs. Most importantly, as the rebellious voices gather volume in discussions aimed at changing the budget act, we must refrain from lending our support to weakening the process in favor of jurisdictional committees. These committees too frequently succumb to special interest pressures for ever increasing spending programs. The spending and taxing committees of Congress should welcome the budgetary discipline of the budget committees rather than see them as threats.

Before 1974, a president sent a budget to Congress where it was generally divided among committees. The White House only sent total figures and there was no one who could say they were right or wrong or what action might result.

Having worked on the development of the bipartisan economic recovery budget, I do not think it is fair to say the process is crumbling. If anything, it is experiencing growth pains. The present system is to blame only in the sense that it requires Congress to add up the figures and draw an honest balance.

I shall be using my votes and my day-to-day work on the Appropriations Committee, and in the leadership, to see that every effort is made to ensure this conservative fiscal discipline so that we can get our economic house in order.

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"We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness."

With these words, a band of patriots declared the formation of a new nation, the United States of America. Though today the truths stated in the Declaration of Independence are indeed self-evident to us, in 1776, they represented a new and revolutionary basis on which to form a government.

That we, and many people throughout the world, today expect our governments to work on this principle is one of the highest testaments to our nation's greatness. Ours was the first nation to hold the dignity and equality of each individual as its basis for being. We have held to that course. In fact, we understand the true meaning of the concept of equality under the law much better now than then, and we are closer to that goal than our nation's creators ever could have envisioned.

During our history, the United States has been an example to many forming and developing nations. We continue to be a beacon of hope to those who yearn for the freedoms we enjoy as a matter of course.

We did not gain, nor have we kept, these freedoms without effort.

Today, more than anything else, we seek to create a stable and peaceful world so that all nations can determine their own destiny. We work vigilantly to find ways to reduce the threat of war, without capitulating to those who would expand their authoritarian domains.

Within our nation, we remember Benjamin Franklin's answer when he was asked what sort of government the Constitutional Convention had created: "A Republic, if you can keep it."

Wherever I travel, I am always impressed with the quiet, deeply felt patriotism and commitment to our system expressed by my fellow citizens in so many ways. School groups and civic clubs begin their programs with the Pledge of Allegiance to our flag. More and more flags fly in front of private homes on our national holidays. And most important of all, there is increasing interest and participation in our system of government.

Indeed, it seems to me that the best way to practice patriotism is through this participation -- by voting, by writing your representatives to express your views on issues which concern you, by working to elect people who represent your views. It is only through the broadest possible participation, the free exchange of ideas, that a truly representative government can emerge.

Traditionally, we all make New Year's resolutions. This year, I would like to suggest that every Texan make a Fourth of July resolution. That resolution would be to keep a close eye on your elected representatives at all levels of government, to let them know your views, and to cast your ballot in each election.

## First Assembly Of God Church Slates Festivities

The First Assembly of God Church has relocated to 203 E. Pecan, formerly the Axelson building. They will be having special Independence Day services on Sunday, July 4, 1982. During this celebration of America's hard won freedom, one of the highlights will be the Royal Rangers and Missionettes leading in pledge ceremonies to the American and Christian flags, during opening assembly at 9:45 a.m., as well as special prayer for missionaries who labor in foreign fields.

The services will be focussing on the privilege

and honor to be an American and have freedom of religion as well as the freedom to share this belief.

Following the morning worship service will be a patriotic balloon rally at which time all children will release one hundred red,

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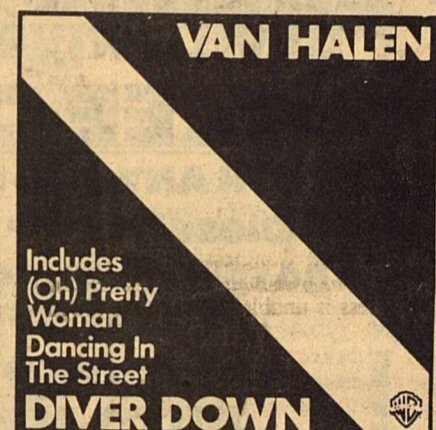
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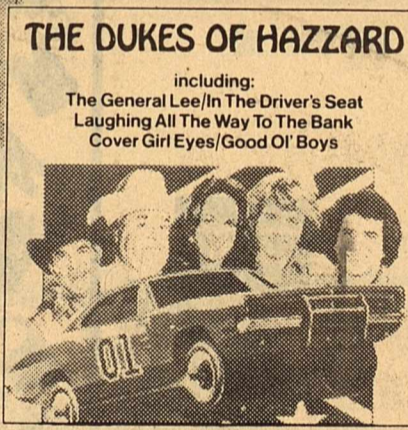
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## Financial Aspects Of Wildlife Subject At Uvalde Meeting

Wildlife resources are no longer just a sideline; they're rapidly becoming a major facet of the total ranching enterprise. And as hunting game species becomes more lucrative producers will be searching for management keys that enhance production.

Such problems will be discussed during wildlife sessions which are part of the International Ranchers Roundup to be held here August 10-12.

The economics of young deer versus trophy deer, marketing quail hunting-plantation style, making the most of multiple leasing, rooting a profit from overlooked hunting,

marketing and management of exotic game, and spring turkey—a bonus profit are a few of the topics to be covered. Twelve speakers from four states will appear on the two-day program. Each talk in this session will be repeated for producers convenience.

In addition, several methods of deer census counting will be exhibited including spotlight and Hahn lines, aircraft and the powered hang glider.

Session chairmen are Dr. Milo Schult, Texas Agricultural Extension Service wildlife project leader; and Dr. Wallace Klussman, head of the Texas wildlife

department. Participants will also have the opportunity to attend simultaneous sessions geared to solving key problems in beef cattle, brush management, sheep and Angora goats, meat goats and this year's special topic for female participants, "Women in Ranching."

Participants will be feted to over 100 speakers representing 12 states and three countries who will be delivering the latest practical information useful to ranchers.

Headline speakers include Raymond D. Lett, executive assistant to Agriculture Secretary John

Block; C.G. Scruggs, vice-president and editor of Progressive Farmer magazine; Susan G. McBee, Texas State Legislator; Bob Bliss, general manager of cattle feeding operations, Friona Industries; Allan Savory, Savory Grazing Method Consultant, New Mexico; and John L. "Chip" Merrill, coordinator, Texas Christian University Ranch Management Program; and Terry D. Mitchell, Australian Department of Agriculture.

Producers can also participate in tours of progressively managed ranchers in Southwest Texas (August 9) and Mexico (August 13) which are part of the IRR program. However, a maximum of 200 persons can be carried on either tour and the deadline for tour registration is July 15. Tour participants must register for the entire IRR program in order to make either of the tours.

More details and registration material can be obtained by writing to IRR, P.O. Box 1849, Uvalde, Texas 78801.

Last year's IRR was the largest gathering of ranching experts ever assembled in the Southwest. It IRR is coordinated by Texas Agricultural Extension Service specialists headquartered at the Texas A&M Agricultural Research and Extension Center in Uvalde.

## 4-H Alumni To Visit China

A Texas 4-H alumni will be taking part in the first 4-H international program with the People's Republic of China.

Carolyn Jeanene Lindsey of Jacksboro will be one of 12 4-H alumni from 10 states traveling to China, said Dan James of Dallas, 4-H and youth specialist

with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

The three-week international program, "Living on a Chinese Commune," begins July 18 with an orientation in Hong Kong. Participants also will visit Beijing, the Han and Tang Dynasty sites, the Great Wall, Ming Tombs, the Forbidden City and Guilin.

A major feature of the program will be 10 days of living and working with Chinese host families, said Pelham.

Lindsey has a bachelor's degree from Texas Woman's University. She was involved in the Texas 4-H program for 10 years and served as a junior leader. She took part in an inter-

national 4-H exchange program by hosting a youth from the Netherlands.

International programs are arranged by the National 4-H Council in support of the 4-H program of the Cooperative Extension Service of the state land-grant universities and the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

## Stegelin To A&M Post

Dr. Forrest Stegelin on July 1 will assume the position of economist-agribusiness with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service of the Texas A&M University System.

Stegelin has been an Extension economist in agribusiness and marketing at the University of Florida for the past three years.

"We are pleased to have Dr. Stegelin join our staff to give leadership in educational programs relating to Texas' agribusiness industry," said Dr. Daniel C. Pfannstiel, Extension Service director. "He will be involved in planning, executing and economically evaluating marketing techniques and alternatives as they relate to agribusinesses."

In this effort he will work with other Extension economists, county Extension agents, program building committees, and other organizations, added Pfannstiel.

Stegelin was reared on a farm near Shawnee Mission, Kan., and holds a B.S. degree in agriculture from

Kansas State University. He has an M.B.A. in marketing and financial management from the University of Oklahoma and a Ph.D. in agricultural economics (marketing and transportation) from Oklahoma State University.

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## Mercantile Building Named Historic Site

Kentucky native Ed R. Jackson (1860-1911), then a prominent rancher and banker here in Sonora, had this beautiful two-story Italianate commercial building constructed in 1902-3.

The building which is now a historical monument was built on the site of an early hotel and later the mercantile building... both buildings were destroyed by fire. The limestone structure of this building features an ornate facade of cast iron and pressed tin.

First occupied by a mercantile store on the

ground floor, it also provided second floor office spaces and a community hall. Other occupants included early doctors and lawyers, along with the very first Telephone Exchange in Sonora.

This historical building, owned by Mrs. Walter Pope of Sonora, was added to the national register by the National Park Service on January 30, 1978 and as a Texas Historic Landmark in the year 1981. We can be proud that Sonora is a part of the heritage of the state of Texas.

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**Hope Lutheran Church**  
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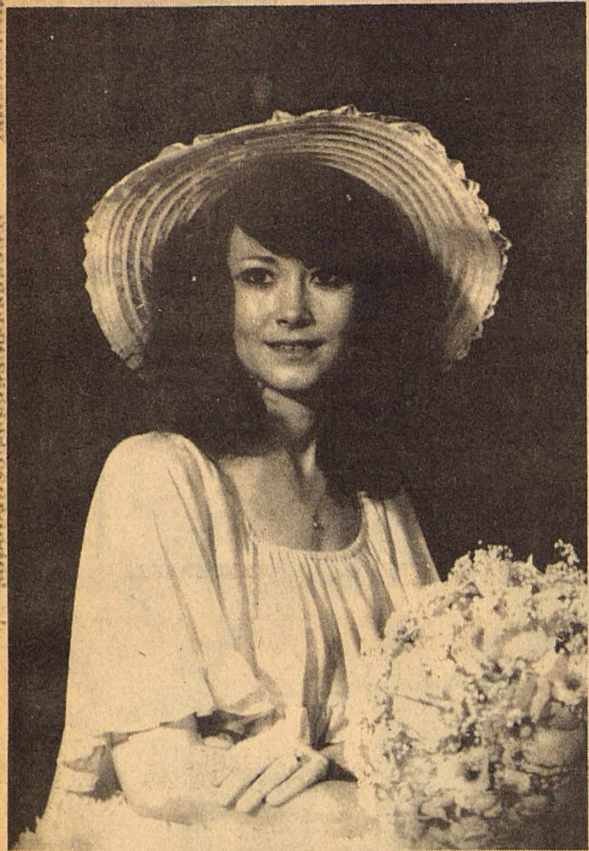
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The ceremony was held at 10:00 a.m. at the home of the bride's parents. The Rev. Bobby Weathers officiated the vows before a white arbor covered with English ivy and peach colored silk poppies. On each side of the setting was a white trellis accented by Boston fern.

The guests were greeted by Pam Templeton, who presided over the guest register. Guests were escorted to their seats by Chipper Bridges, brother of the bride.

Wedding music was provided by organist Leota Bartholomew.

The bride was escorted by her father. The bride

wore a peach-colored gown with ruffled capelet of polyester chiffon with scoop neckline, the attached capelet was elongated in back with empire waist line. To complete her bridal ensemble, the bride chose a picture hat of peach colored polyester and lace trimmed with peach and cream silk flowers.

The bride carried a bouquet of peach and cream colored roses, carnations, and baby's breath with peach and cream satin ribbons. Her jewelry consisted of a pearl drop. The bride carried a lace handkerchief that was carried by the parental grandmother at her wedding.

Serving the bride as maid of honor was Jackie Craig. Bridesmaid was Cindy Wagner.

Serving the groom as best man was R.B. Alexander, brother of the groom. Groomsman was Randy Stillwell of Ewin, Alabama.

Following the wedding a reception was hosted by the bride's parents.

After a honeymoon to Port Aransas, the bride and groom will make their home in Brownwood.

The bride is a 1974 graduate of Brownwood High School and attended Howard Payne University.

She is presently employed by General Telephone of

the Southwest.

The groom is a 1973 graduate of Sonora High School and a graduate of Texas Tech University. His degree is Industrial Engineer. He is employed by 3M Corp. in Brownwood.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander at the groom's home.

Special guest included the groom's grandmother, Mrs. Dixie Bell of Eldorado, Texas.

## Tower Studies School Ruling

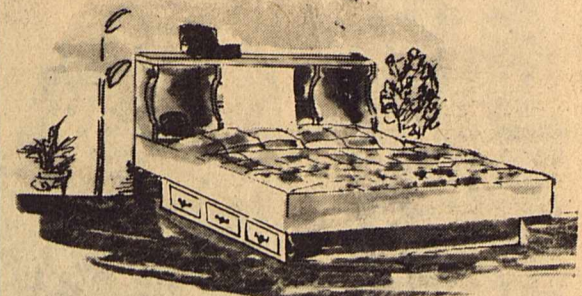
U.S. Senator John Tower has announced he has called for a meeting of U.S. Senators from five border states to discuss the impact of last week's Supreme Court ruling that alien children illegally in the United States are entitled to free public education.

"This decision by the Court will have a tremendous impact in your state and mine. Under the ruling in the case...school districts in our states must provide schooling for all children situated within school district boundaries, regardless of their status in the United States. This...

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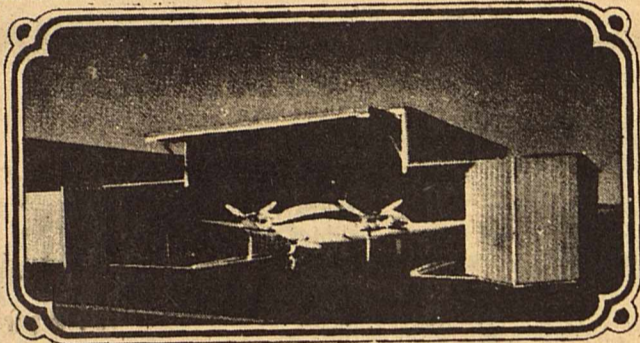
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# Sutton County Ranch News



## TSGRA Meeting Slated July 15-17

The 67th Annual Membership Convention of the Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association will be held in San Angelo on July 15-17, 1982. All meetings will take place at the San Angelo Convention Center. The following is a brief

schedule of convention activities.  
 Thursday, July 15  
 2:00 p.m.- Texas Animal Damage Control Assn. meeting  
 7:00 p.m.- Game Management Seminar  
 Friday, July 16

9:00 a.m.- Game Management Seminar  
 10:30 a.m.- TS&GRA registration gets under way  
 11:00 a.m.- Auxiliary Luncheon & Business Meeting (Gideon's Restaurant)  
 1:00 p.m.- TS&GRA Committees will meet

6:00 p.m.- Tramisol Attitude Adjustment Party (Holiday Inn)  
 8:00 p.m.- Dance (Convention Center)  
 Saturday, July 17  
 9:00 a.m.- General Session- All day  
 11:00 a.m. Auxiliary Cham-

pagne Brunch & Style Show (Bentwood Country Club)  
 6:00 p.m.- Tramisol Attitude Adjustment Party  
 8:00 p.m.- Barbecue (Convention Center)  
 An excellent slate of speakers for the convention have been lined up. The speakers include Texas Congressman Tom Loeff-

ler, National Wool Growers Board Chairman Don Meice, American Sheep Producers Council Executive Director Rodger Wasson, National Lamb Feeders President Phil Huber, Mohair Council of America Vice President Robert Pfluger, and television star and Texas Embassy impresario Guich Koock.

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## Animal Health Commission Seeks Overturn

Commissioners of the Texas Animal Health Commission have decided to appeal the recent ruling of Judge Harley Clark regarding the Texas brucellosis program.

"The present Texas brucellosis program will continue as it is presently being administered," John B. Armstrong, Kingsville, chairman, Texas Animal Health Commission, said. He also said Commissioners will submit recom-

mendations to the Texas Legislature so that the Texas brucellosis program will conform to state statutes and be in accordance with federal regulations. U.S. Department of Agriculture officials have indi-

cated they will not enforce the quarantine on Texas already in effect as long as the present state program continues. "We want to emphasize to cowmen throughout the

state that our rules will continue in effect. Commissioners believe the vast majority of Texas livestock producers and the entire livestock industry support the present program," Armstrong said.

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## Interstate Shipments Valuable Says TAHC

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amount of trading we do with just those three states. "This will give us some idea as to the amount of trading we do with just those three states," Dr. Holcombe said. Nationwide, Texas ship-

ped more than 2,046,000 head of cattle to other states in 1981. "The Texas' livestock industry does indeed depend on other states for markets, so it is imperative that we in this state get on with the job of controlling brucel-

osis," Dr. Holcombe said. He said the Texas brucellosis plan is geared to control and eventually eradicate the disease, and a great deal of progress has been made in the past two years when revised regulations were put in effect.

"Cooperation of livestock producers in Texas is on the increase, and this is the key to cleaning up Texas' brucellosis problem," Dr. Holcombe said.

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It is expected that the requested rate schedule will furnish a 13.4 percent increase in the company's intrastate revenues.

A complete copy of the new rate schedule is on file with the Public Utility Commission at Austin, Texas, and with each affected municipality served by Southwestern Bell, and is available for inspection in each of the company's public business offices in Texas. The Commission staff has contended in the past that all rates are subject to change as a result of Southwestern Bell's rate application.

**Notice to El Paso Area Customers**

Effective January 1, 1982, Southwestern Bell adopted the Mountain States tariffs in effect for El Paso County. Southwestern Bell proposes to merge the separate El Paso tariffs with its tariffs applicable to the rest of Texas. The resulting new rate schedule is on file with the PUC and the El Paso area municipalities served by Southwestern Bell, and is available for inspection at our El Paso business office.

**Notice to Customers of Other Telephone Companies**

The filing includes, but is not limited to, proposals to increase rates for interexchange private line and foreign exchange (FX) service. Changes in such rates would also affect customers of other telephone companies because such companies provide interexchange private line and foreign exchange service in accordance with rates specified in Southwestern Bell's tariffs. While Southwestern Bell has proposed no increase in long distance rates, any change in those rates would also affect customers of other telephone companies.

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### Aviso Público

Southwestern Bell, en conformidad a las reglas del Public Utility Commission (Comisión de Servicios Públicos) de Texas, por la presente hace saber su intención de establecer un nuevo arancel para servicio de teléfono en Texas con vigencia a partir del 27 de julio, 1982, a menos que la Comisión haga otra determinación.

Se espera que el nuevo arancel que se ha solicitado rendirá un aumento de 13.4 por ciento en los ingresos intraestatales de la compañía.

Una copia completa del nuevo arancel se ha archivado en las oficinas del Public Utility Commission en Austin, Texas, al igual que en cada municipalidad afectada y servida por Southwestern Bell, y cada una de las oficinas de la compañía para negocios con el público en Texas tiene una copia para lectura pública. En el pasado, la Comisión ha sostenido que toda tarifa está sujeta a cambios que resulten de la manera en la cual Southwestern Bell aplique sus tarifas.

**Aviso a Clientes en la Región de El Paso**

Con vigencia a partir del 1o de enero de 1982, Southwestern Bell ha adoptado las tarifas de Mountain States efectivas en el condado de El Paso. Southwestern Bell propone unir las tarifas de El Paso con sus otras tarifas que se aplican al resto de Texas. El nuevo arancel que resulta de ésta unión se ha archivado en la Comisión de Servicios Públicos (Public Utility Commission), al igual que en las municipalidades de la región de El Paso servidas por Southwestern Bell, y está disponible para inspección pública en nuestras oficinas de El Paso.

**Aviso a los Clientes de Otras Compañías de Teléfono**

El registro incluye, pero no se limita a, propuestas para aumentar las tarifas para servicio de línea privada entre centrales telefónicas (interexchange private line) y servicio de central telefónica extranjera (foreign exchange FX). Cambios en dichas tarifas de servicio también afectarían a clientes de otras compañías de teléfono porque dichas compañías proveen los servicios ya mencionados en conformidad a tarifas especificadas por Southwestern Bell. Aunque Southwestern Bell no ha propuesto un aumento en las tarifas para larga distancia, cualquier cambio en las mismas también afectaría a los clientes de otras compañías de teléfono.

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# Sutton County Petro News



## State Lease Production Up

State leases in bays, inlets and the Gulf of Mexico produced 76,898 barrels of crude oil during April 1982, in contrast to 70,282 barrels in the same month of 1981 and 81,944 barrels in March 1982, according to Railroad Commission Chairman Jim Nugent.

Through the first four months of this year, state leases have produced 304,403 barrels of crude oil offshore.

Gas well gas production from state leases amounted to 16,650,773 Mcf in April against 24,384,447 Mcf a year earlier and 16,450,633 Mcf in March of this year.

Total gas well gas production offshore from state leases was 69,458,241 Mcf through April.

Casinghead gas production totaled 217,981 Mcf in April against 229,915 Mcf in the same month of 1981 and 258,532 Mcf in March.

That makes 893,841 Mcf through the first four months of 1982.

Condensate production from state leases amounted to 46,897 barrels in April, down from 68,893 barrels a year earlier and down from 49,256 barrels in March. Through April, state offshore leases have produced

204,016 barrels of condensate.

In April, offshore crude production was about 0.1 percent of total estimated crude production in Texas. Offshore gas well gas production was approximately four percent of the state total.

## Texas Crude Output 72,770,172 Barrels

Texas crude oil production totaled 72,770,172 barrels in April, according to Railroad Commission Chairman Jim Nugent.

The figure compares with reported production totaling 74,997,266 barrels and April 1981 production of

74,163,737 barrels.

Texas oil production averaged 2,417,328 barrels daily in April, down from 2,419,267 barrels daily in March and down from 2,472,125 barrels daily in April 1981.

The April allowable totaled 95,511,051 barrels.

The preliminary April summary indicated Texas oil production was 23.81 percent under the allowable for the month.

Through the first four months of this year, Texas has produced 289,116,252 barrels of oil.

## Glass Recycling Increases

A record 90 million glass bottles and jars were recycled in Texas in 1981, according to the Glass Packaging Institute (GPI).

The trade association for glass bottle makers says five Texas glass plants recycled 15 percent more containers than the year before.

In total, 50 million pounds of glass bottles were crushed and melted down to make new bottles, thereby reducing litter and solid waste in the state.

## Sale Of Banquet Tables Going Well

The sale of tables for July 9th Joint Venture for Crippled Children kick-off banquet featuring Andy Williams is going well at this point. More than 100 tables have been sold with 35 tables at ten seats each or a total of 350 individual places still available for the general public. Individual tickets are \$200, \$150 and \$125. Purchasers of the tickets are invited to the reception at the Fairway Oaks Golf & Racquet Club prior to the banquet, Andy Williams show, and Afterglow at the Abilene Civic Center. The Reception and Afterglow are sponsored by Wes-Tex Drilling Company and Wayne Moore Pipe & Supply. Those interested in purchasing a table or individual tickets should contact the Central Office of the West Texas Rehabilitation Center, 915-692-1633.

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1. Type of license or permit-Wine Only Package Store Permit.
  2. Exact location of business 23 miles and 10 feet West of Sonora city limits on north side of ranch road 1312.
  3. Name of owner-Malava Ann Blanton Ozona, Texas.
  4. Assumed or trade name-The Old Wine Store.
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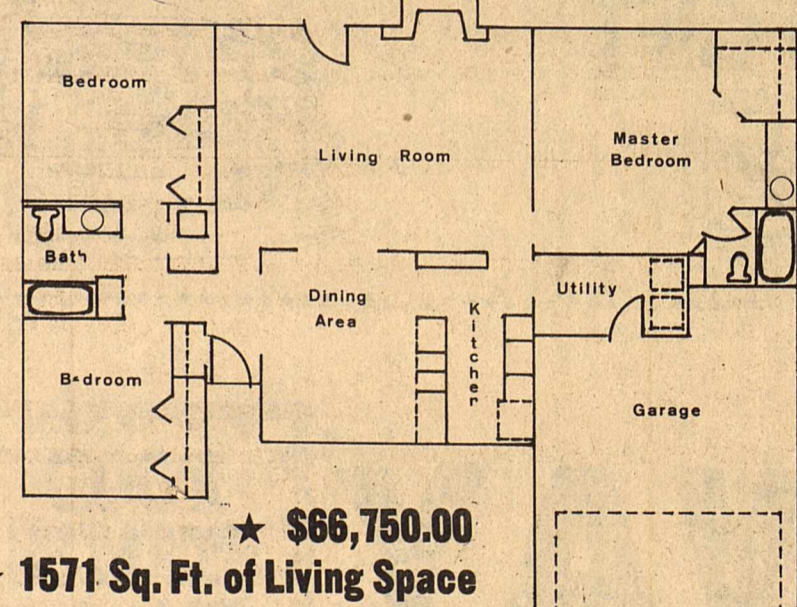
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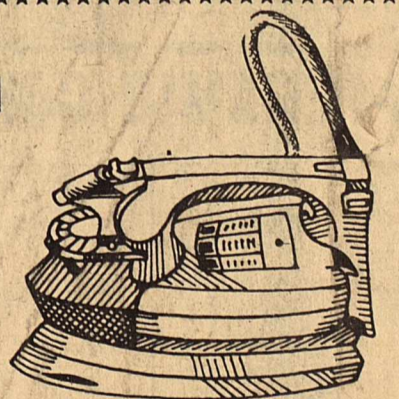
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