

# The Devilse River Etws

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# Edwin Sawyer Named Rancher Of The Year

Edwin Sawyer was presented the 1976 rancher of the year award at the 16th annual Sutton County Game and Wildlife Party. George Brockman, chairman of the Edwards Plateau Soil and Water Conservation District made the presentation.

This award is given by the Sonora Lions Club each year to a rancher in the Edwards Plateau District accomplishing the outstanding job in conservation on his ranch in the district.

Sawyer was elected to the board of directors of the Edwards Plateau district when the district was organized in 1946. He served as a director for 29 consecutive years and retired from the board in 1975. As a conservationist and director, he influenced many people to do a better job in practicing conservation by protecting their land from erosion.

Through the years Sawyer accomplished many conservation practices on his ranch with the technical help of the Soil Conservation Service, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. He has had a four pasture rotation grazing system on his ranch for the past 14 years, which has helped to increase grass production and a variety of grasses. It has also improved calf and lamb crops. The rotation system worked hand in hand with cedar dozing and seeding.

In 1971, Sawyer entered into a Great Plains Contract with the Soil Conservation Service to help him accelerate his work of brush control and water distribution. During the term of the contract he controlled brush and seeded approximately 4700 acres and laid approximately five miles of pipeline. Troughs were located in areas of pastures so that better distribution of grazing could be accomplished. Waterholes were dug along the pipeline and floats installed in the waterbrake for wildlife

watering facilities.

Wildlife has benefited greatly by excellent conservation being practiced on the ranch. Brush was dozed selectively by leaving oak, hackberry, and other mixed brush for food and wildlife cover. This allowed forbs to grow, thereby providing a better selection of food for wildlife.

Presently a ranch demonstration has been set up on the ranch to study nutrition problems. The combined efforts of the Texas Extension Service, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, and the Soil

Conservation Service, are working to collect data on deficiencies that might exist on our range. Sawyer has agreed to cooperate by furnishing livestock and the ranch so that this work

can be accomplished.

As an outstanding Conservationist he is always exploring new avenues of range management whereby his fellow man might benefit.



George Brockman presents Edwin Sawyer with plaque for "Conservation Rancher of the Year Award."

# City Receives 4,651.95

Rebate
Comptroller Bob Bullock
announced that his office
mailed checks totaling

mailed checks totaling \$13.2 million to 640 Texas cities as their November rebate of the one-cent city sales tax. Of this total \$4,651.95 was rebate to the City of Sonora.

Bullock said this raises

Bullock said this raises to \$252.2 million the amount that the cities have received in rebates this calendar year, an increase of \$28.5 million-or nearly 13 percent--over the same period a year

ago.

"This increase in consumer spending is a good sign that the Texas economy is on the right track," Bullock said.

The rebate checks ranged from \$2,532,776 for the City of Houston to \$501.38 to Springtown.

The city sales tax is collected along with the state sales tax by retailers. The Comptroller's Office rebates to the citites their share on a monthly basis.

#### THE WEATHER Compiled by Pat Brown

	Rain	Hi	Lo
November 9		73	43
November 10		74	43
November 11		71	41
November 12	T	42	30
November 13	.30	42	28
November 14		39	26
November 15	.21	39	29
November 16		40	32
November 17	400	58	38
November 18	.06	60	37



City Police Chief Bill Webster and Patrolman Joe Fincher busied themselves last Friday burning approximately 30 pounds of marijuana that has been confiscated by city police during the last 2½ years.

# THANKSGIVING

# Pauline Thompson Plans Retirement

Supervising Resident Engineer Joe W. Lane of the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation (DHT), has announced the approaching retirement of Pauline D. Thompson, stenographer on his staff, as of the last day of November. Ms. Thompson, a native of Menard County and graduate of Menard High School, has lived in Sonora since 1957.

She began her DHT career in 1965 with resident engineer R. A. McCulloch (retired) and has been with Lane since 1967. She has two children, Patrick and Anita, and three grandchildren. Patrick and his family live in Lubbock, and Anita (Mrs. Kenneth Stokes) and her family are on assignment in Tanzania for

Texas A&M University. Now in their sixth year of service there, they plan to be returning to Texas in January.

Ms. Thompson's interests are many...including Woman's Golf Auxiliary at Sonora Golf Club and membership in St. Ann's Catholic Church. Of her career, she said "It has been wonderful, both the work and the people.

Engineer Lane has announced a reception at his DHT office in Sonora, Sponsored by her fellow employees, an open invitation is extended to all her friends to drop by at 3:30 p.m., November 29 for a visit and refresh-

Ms. Thompson plans to remain in Sonora, but to find time for those many things she could never get around to while at work.



Pauline Thompson

# Crossland Convicted

Rocky Day Crossland, 18, of Corpus Christi, was convicted on November 17th of burglary of a vehicle, according to District Attorney Joe Grady Tuck.

The youthful defendant was given a 5 year probated sentence by Presiding Judge, Charles Sherrill, of Fort Stockton. In addition, he was ordered to make restitution to the victim, and sentenced to serve 12 days in the Sutton County Jail.

# This Week's Devil

Bronco Basketball Coverage (Page 7)

# Large Crowd Enjoys Wildlife Party

Over 800 persons enjoyed the food and festivities

Wildlife Party was held at the 4-H Center. The largest crowd in the history of the party was on hand to enjoy a menu of barbado sheep, quail,

venison, chili, son of a gun stew, javalina, goat fries, smoked turkey and side

dishes of beans, slaw and peach cobbler. The first wildlife party was held in 1961 for hunters and members of the community so that persons might become educated in the conserva-

Heritage

tion of wildlife.

Tickets to the affair were sold for \$2 each entitling the ticket holder to a meal and eligibility to the many door prizes that were given away during the night. A total of \$2,978 was collected to be used for next year's hunting

party.

The fifty-seven door prizes that were awarded during the night ranged from cash to a television set. Numerous merchants in town, as well as the many new oil-related businesses, the Sonora Lions Club and the Edwards Plateau Wildlife Association were donors of the prizes.



Mrs. Bobby Doran goes through food line...



While husband Bobby purchases tickets from Mrs. Turney Friess.



Clay Hicks and Ben Montgomery get in some visiting.



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#### from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

November 24, 1966 After their bi-district win over Wink Friday, the Sonora Broncos will meet Seagraves for the regional tilt. The game will be played in Andrews.

Sonora will get the "new look" in the morning. telephone systems starting November 30, according to J. E. Robbins, Division Manager of General Telephone. The big change will be the seven digit dialing system. Each telephone in Sonora will have the numbers 387, followed by four numbers.

Miss Ronda Jan Keng and Dr. Thomas Owen Warner were married in Grace Presbyterian Church in San Antonio, November

November 23, 1956 The Sonora Broncos. playing their outstanding game of the year, copped the District championship Friday night defeating the Eldorado Eagles 37-6. As far as can be determined Bronco George Johnson, is the nation's top scorer in high school football. Friday night he broke last year's record of 228 points by scoring 37 points, raising his season's total

to 250. All school favorites named this year by popular vote were Kay Kiser and George Johnson. Named class favorites were Lennie Mayhew and Harold Garrett, seniors; Roy Jean Pope and Rodney Davis, juniors; Patsy Rode and Wallace Anthony, sophmores; Claire Jones and Albert Sykes, freshmen, and Gerry Mayfield and John-

ny Fields, eighth grade. November 22, 1946 Dr. J. F. Howell and Wes Hill shared hunting honors this week as some 40 hunters brought in bucks killed in Sutton County to be stored in the ice house. Hill's buck was the heaviest and had the most points. Dr. Howell was the first to register a

buck at the ice house. The Sonora Broncos proved their ability to take it on the chin and come back fighting when they closed the 1946 football season Friday night at Menard by smothering the Yellowiackets 33-6.

82 Years Ago

J. B. Newman, Keyes Faucett, L. Q. Richardson, Ed Glenn, Charles Cling and Will Anderson, all Val Verde County cattlemen, were in Sonora Thursday

There is a valuable trade in Edwards county that Sonora could obtain with a very little effort: As a market for supplies, Sonora is the cheapest all round trading place in West Texas, and on ranch supplies can discount the towns south, east and west of Sonora. Good roads and mail routes are the

foundation to secure trade. R. D. Halbert has rented the Rountree place lately occupied by Prof. H. M. Mathis.

## Birthday Calendar

Thursday, November 25 Mrs. Earl Duncan Mrs. Preston Joy Claire Langford Frank Martinez Friday, November 26

Frank Bond John W. Hull Tim Thorp Bob Brockman Joe P. Neely, Jr. Douglass Campbell

Saturday, November 27 Mrs. O.L. Richardson, Sr. Mrs. Duard Archer Bill Thompson Raymond Draper Rev. Clifton Hancock

Sunday, November 28 Thomas B. Thorp Monte Dillard Ruth Richardson Norman Rousselot Sue Greenhill Dennie Hays Mrs. Norman Griffith Preston Joy Weldon Humphries

Monday, November 29 Nolan Gibbs Mary Gomez John W. Mormon Tuesday, November 30 Franklin Neely Carmen Avila

John Mark Weston Roxanne Shurley Andrea Virgen Wednesday, December 1 Mrs. Earl Johnson Dr. Frank L. Bond Mrs. Harold Friess Janette Floyd

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## Attorneys and Child Abuse

(This is the fouth article in a five-part series on child abuse and neglect and is part of a regional campaign sponsored by Texas Department of Public Welfare. This week's article is on what the attorneys say about child abuse and neglect.)

"One of the most important trends that we've seen recently in dealing with child abuse and neglect is that more and more parents just don't care about their children and feel little if any responsibility toward

-Patricia Elliott, Abilene assistant district attorney A 16-year-old girl was

found suffering from malnutrition, having been locked in her room for two years, allegedly by her parents. A nine-year-old child

jumped out of a window to his death to avoid being beaten by the man who lives with his mother. These two cases of child abuse and neglect could

have happened to one of your friends, or could be happening right now in the home next door. In an interview with the two Abilene assistant district attorneys, Patricia Elliott and Patrick Millar,

it was found that the reason for a lot of the child abuse and neglect cases is the inability of the parents to cope with the child's problems. "When the parents find

they cannot cope with the child," said Miss Elliott, who has been dealing with child abuse cases for the last four years in Abilene, 'their next resort is to either ignore the situation (neglect) or to beat the

child (physical abuse)." "We have found that parents are exercising less and less supervision over the children," said Millar, who has been dealing with child abuse and neglect cases in Abilene for the last year. "Some of it is ignorance, and some of it is just omission. Parents need to realize that there are services available to help them with their problems with children, and a call to the child welfare office could help

remedy the situation." The child welfare office would send a caseworker to the home, discuss the problems with the parents, and suggest possible avenues of immediate

A lot of times," said Millar, "The parents would have the able to avoid the cor rontations with the child is they knew about some of the welfare services available."

Miss Elliott said many

#### SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Monday, November 29 Mexican Food Pinto Beans Green Salad Pudding Hot Rolls

Tuesday, November 30 Meat Balls,

Mushroom Sauce **Buttered Green Beans** Pickled Beet Salad Cake Corn Bread

Wednesday, December 1 Cheeseburger **Tator Tots** Lettuce, Tomatoes, Onions

Sweet Rolls Thursday, December 2 Turkey Pot Pie **Buttered Asparagus** Green Salad Hot Rolls

Gingerbread Friday, December 3 Fried Fish Blackeye Peas Hot Rolls Ice Cream

Milk

#### Community Calendar

Thursday, November 25 Thanksgiving Day Sunday, November 28 Services at the church of our choice

Monday, November 29 3:15 p.m., Brownie Troop 159 meeting at Scout Hall

Tuesday, November 30 12 noon, Downtown Lions Club luncheon in fellowship hall of First Methodist Church 2:30-4:30 p.m., Miers

Home Museum open Wednesday, December 1 1-5 p.m., Community Action Council Representative in judge's office, courhouse

of the problems with child abuse and neglect to a abuse and neglect have been caused by our changing society.

"Our society is more mobile today," she said. This causes parents to be more unstable. Some parents are not ready to have children, are younger, and too immature. The younger parents just need to be continually aware of the child welfare services available and how to take advantage of them.'

The two attorneys said that child abuse and neglect cases could be classified into three categories--physical, sexual and neglect, and both attorneys agreed that all three categories have increased in number re-

"The physical abuse cases usually involve children under six years of age," said Millar, "and include such incidents as beatings, scaldings, etc."

"Sexual abuse cases usually involve an unstable situation," said Miss Elliott. "In many instances, it involves the children of a woman who has been jumping from man to

Millar said that the neglect cases usually come from situations "where parents have left their children unsupervised.'

'We've found cases where the parents have left their children at home all day by themselves and did not make any attempt to have the children at school that day," said Millar. "And the child is the victim of it."

Miss Elliott noted that because of this disinterest on the part of the parent, there have been more termination suits filed this year than ever before.' The suits are the preliminary steps to permanently remove the child from the home and move them into a foster home.

While the parents are becoming disinterested in the care of their children, the general public has become more interested in the children.

Miss Elliott said that the district attorney's office has handled more cases of child abuse and neglect this year than ever before. "It's because the public

is becoming more aware of their responsibility toward children," she said, "and then they are doing something about it by reporting possible cases of Real Esate **Transfers** 

child welfare office, or to a

law enforcement agency.'

to help?
"They can help by

being willing to get involved," she added, "By

reporting the possible case

of abuse and neglect, and

then to testify or serve as

a witness for the inci-

gional administrator in

Abilene for the Texas

Deparment of Public Wel-

fare, further stated the

problem with today's soc-

"Our society makes a

terrible mistake," he said.

'We think children are

the property of their

their parents at this time.

But how they are reared

concerns us all. We are all

influenced by how they are

raised. Children are the

responsibility of all of us.

But they and their parents

are low on the list of our

day's children are the next generation. What can be

more important than rais-

Fredrickson said that

persons knowing of pos-

sible cases of child abuse

or neglect can report it at

any hour of the day or

night by calling their local

welfare office or by dialing

the statewide, toll-free,

hotline number at 1-800-

The local and statewide

numbers are maintained

by the Texas DPW, the

legally responsible agency

for the investigation of

can leave a physical or emotional scar that will

never be erased," he

added. "The public must

get involved so possible

future cases can receive

immediate attention. You

(Next week: Tracing a

Child Abuse or Neglect

Case from the moment it

is reported to the pro-

cedure that follows at the

child wefare office.)

may save a child's life."

'Child abuse or neglect

suspected child abuse.

"Stop and think. To-

priorities.

ing them?"

292-5400.

'They are in the care of

parents. They are not.

Barry Fredrickson, re-

dent.

What can the public do

WD- Joe F. Sanchez et ux to Isreal Leija, Lot 1, Block W-38.

WD- Emogene B. Thompson et vir to Ernest Perez. Lot 1, Block 59 A. WD-Alejandro DeHoyas

Reyes to Frances A. Perez, NE/2 Lots 5 and 6,

Block A, Tract 46, Santa Rosa Addition. WD- Bob E. Nevill et ux to Thomas K. Nevill et ux,

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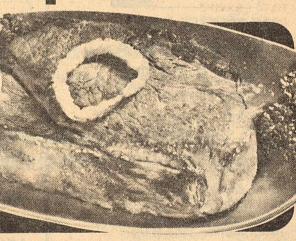
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row [l to r] Joey Kirby, Randy Gillit, Kent Cagle, Benny Granger, Johnny Simmons, R.B. Alexander, Timmy Waters, Junior Luna, David Reyna and Cody Savell. Bottom row [I to r] Bobby Wills, Pete Lopez, Mike Waters, Steve Alley, Eddie Favila, Enrique Sanchez, Gus Ward, Scott Cain, Ricky Wright and Brett Johnson.

#### SS Representative Plans Dec. Visit

Garland Gregg, social security representative for the San Angelo Social Security office, has scheduled his December visit to Sonora. He will be at the county courthouse on Thursday, December 16. from 9 a.m., to 11 a.m.

Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact him at this time. Persons who are unable to meet with him are encouraged to call the office in San Angelo. Residents of Sonora may call toll free by dialing "Operator" and asking for Enterprise 2059" 

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## Hospital News

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Mrs. Scott Campbell, nee DeAnna Schwertner

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Pat Garmon, bride-elect of Charles Frye Mrs. Gene Thompson, nee Jeannette Quick

Janey Davis, bride-elect of Mike Dillard

their selections with us . . . . .

Nancy Danneheim Claudio Gonzales Sam Odom \*Patients dismissed during the same period.

#### Adrian Sanchez Visiting Bill Mitchell John Allen Ward of Philidelphia, Pa., was here last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Many Contribute To Success

Of Annual Wildlife Party The annual hunting party, which was held November 16, was termed a tremendous success this year and Turney Friess, past president of the Edwards Plateau Wildlife

Association, states that the reason for this success goes to those who work to make it so. He would like to extend

thanks to the Chamber of Commerce, Lions Club, Jaycees, County Agent Clint Langford, the Sonora Independent School District, Sonora Golf Club, the many oil related businesses who contributed wholeheartedly, Sonora mer-chants who donated prizes the many ranchers who donated food, the Parks and Wildlife Association, to L. P. Bloodworth who served as emcee, to the firemen who gave of their time to park cars, to Bill

Stewart, who devotes

Happy

the success of the party, and last, but certainly not least, to the many who donated their time to cook the many food items offered.

untold hours every year to

Mary Jo Proctor Wed

and baby's breath, accented with long white streamers of ribbons and

The bride's attendant

also wore navy blue and

carried an arm bouquet of

white and blue carnations.

following the ceremony.

Cousins of the bride, Mrs.

Otis Rolls, Mrs. Joe Luttrell and Mrs. Kyle

Donaldson, served wed-

The bride is a student at

Sonora High School. The

bridegroom also attended

Sonora Schools and is

presently employed in

After a short wedding

trip to Austin and Central

Texas, the couple will

Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. Pete Franks of Shep.

make their home here.

ding cake and punch.

Sonora.

A reception was held

Miss Mary Jo Proctor became the bride of Keith

Allen Nance November 13

in the home of the bride's

mother. The Rev. J. C.

Hancock officiated at the

ceremony held before a

picture window highlight-

ed by tall white columns

holding baskets of white

gladiolas, arranged by the

bride's aunt, Mrs. Cullen

are Mrs. Jerry Proctor of

Sonora, the late Mr. Murel

Proctor, and Mr. and Mrs.

Attending the couple were Mrs. Deborah Stal-

lard as matron of honor

and Max Lynn Luttrell,

The bride, given in marriage by J. C. Berry, a

family friend, wore a

full-length gown of navy

blue, trimmed in white lace and ribbons. She

carried an arrangement of

blue and white carnations

John Ward, and to do

some deer hunting.

Jim Nance of Sonora.

Parents of the couple

Luttrell.

best man.

# Janey Davis, Mike Dillard

Honored

An informal gift party was held Saturday night at the golf course club house honoring Miss Janey Davis and Mike Dillard.

Hosting the event were Messrs. and Mmes. Preston Love, Jr., Lee Roy Valliant, Milton Cavaness, George Schwiening, Pete Thompson, Clayton Hamilton, Penn Baggett, Preston Love, Sr., Jimmy Cahill, Jimmy Trainer, Jim Garrett, Mike Holley,

Wayne Brasher, and Miss Betsy Schwiening. The couple plans an early December wedding.

#### Alma Perez To Keith Allen Nance Nov. 13 Appointed To Board

Ms. Alma Sanchez Perez has been appointed to the board of the Mental Health and Mental Retardation Center for Greater West Texas and was named secretary when officers were elected for the 1976-77 year.

Ms. Perez, who now resides in San Angelo, is a former Sonoran and is a graduate of Angelo State University and Texas Tech University. She holds a master's degree.

She is also a member of the Commission for the Status of Women and district chairperson for the League of United Latin American Citizens.

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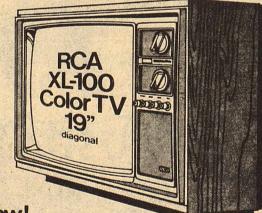
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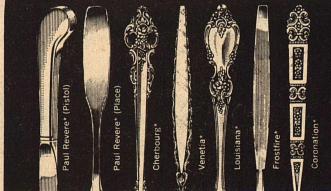


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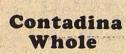
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# A Bishop

#### Looks At Life by Everett H. Jones.

Retired Bishop, Episcopal Church WE CAN BE THANKFUL FOR TESTINGS.

(Editor's Note: This is the second in a series on how we can become a more thoughtful people.)

We make a mistake if we limit the giving of thanks to the good times in our lives, the times when all goes well and we are free of trouble. St. Paul said to the Christians in Ephesus: "Give thanks always for all things."

We look back on this Bicentennial Year we realize how much of our remembrance has had to do with difficult times, with testings we have survived and thru which we have grown as a

nation. The Revolutionary War was such a testing, as were the days of dicision that followed. The Civil War was a cataclysmic time of testing. Watergate was a testing of our democratic system and of our ability to recover national morale. Every national election such as the one we have just experienced is a test of our ability to accept the will of the majority without dissention. How grateful we can be that this year there has not been the violence and bitterness of some earlier elections!

I have found it valuable in my own life to make a list of critical times thru which I have passed. This list includes times of important decision, of illness and suffering, of disappointment and setback, of sorrow and bereavement.

As I recall these times I am grateful for the help which came from God and for the lessons I learned. I believe my life would be less complete, my outlook more superficial, if there had not been these testings. Especially, these experiences made me see in a new way that the God who was my strength in problems of the past will be the same God I can turn to when I have problems in the future.

Dr. Joseph Parker was

the beloved pastor of a large congregation in London during the past century. On the Sunday after the death of his wife, his congregation was surprised to see him in his pulpit as usual. They were more surprised when he said to them: "Bless God for the wilderness; thank Him for the long nights, be thankful that you have been in the school of poverty and have undergone the searching and testing of much discipline. Take the right view of your trials; you are nearer Heaven for the graves you have dug if you have accepted bereavements in the right spirit; you are wiser for the losses you have bravely borne; you are nobler for all the sacrifices you have willingly completed; sanctified affliction is an angel

that never misses the gate

of Heaven."

Sonora Woman's Club the James Hunt Home. Library. The tour will begin at 4 The Hunt home will p.m., and conclude at 8 feature Tickets may be purchased for \$2 from any

The Sonora Woman's

Club will host a family

home tour December 5 at

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Texas has more cows than

people, as Texas writer Bill Por-

terfield points out in a special

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magazine, devoted to Texas.

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Linda Johnson. All pro-

ceeds from ticket sales will

be used to benefit the

The Hunt home, which was completed in February, features fixtures and furnishings of all antique pieces or faithful reproductions of the 18th century time period. Not one detail of the house or its contents differ from issue of Context, the Du Pont that period.

The two-story brick

left and a formal living room to the right. The entry ends past the staircase in the back of the house in what the Hunts call the morning room. Behind the formal dining room is the kitchen and pantry and behind the living room is a librarystudy, guest bedroom and

guest bath. Upstairs, a sitting room separates the master bedroom and bath from the bedrooms and bath of their two children.

Woman's Club To Host Tour of Hunt Residence

home contains ten main

rooms. Downstairs there is

a spacious entry with a

formal dining room to the

Wide plank wood floors are used throughout the house with the smell of rose petal sachets in bowls and the heavy aroma of candle wax evident. Also featured are dark stained woods, and colors of bricks reds, gray, greens and old blues of that period. The shades of paints were easily obtainable by the Hunts because they had been commercially manufactured after work men had scraped down to the original paint in colonial Williamsburg homes and duplicated it for restoration.

Decorating elements for colonial homes were simple and tasteful, as a look around the Hunt house will tell you. Dried flowers were used as much back then as they are today. Bird cages were also widely used for decoration. Oriental rugs were popular too and samplers made by

members of the family and botanical prints were favorites for wall hangings.

Furniture throws, bed coverings and draperies throughout the Hunt house are reproductions of patterns popular in Colonial America. Sitting room furniture is upholstered in carnation flame stitch. Wool fringe and venetian blinds accent windows, and mirrors are in abundance. Wallpapers throughout the house are copies of authentic designs

of the day. Woodwork in

the kitchen was made of a

blue color by use of a process called "pickling", by which the watereddown paint was used to let the woodgrain come

through. Also predominate in the house is the use of brick. Kitchen ovens and cooktops are enclosed in brick to resemble colonial ovens. Brick also forms the inside wall and floor of the

morning room. The Hunts say their house exterior is a scaled down center section of Westover, a James River plantation house located near Richmond and Williamsburg, Virginia.

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#### Backward Cities Have Right To Same Help As Nations Editor's note: The

The Devil's River Philosopher Sez.....

Devil's River Philosopher on his bitterweed ranch on the Dry Devil's River takes up for the troubled big cities this week, perhaps.

Dear editor: Although it took them a long time to catch on -farmers caught on years ago -- big cities are now organizing to get some financial help from Washington. In fact, they want a Department of Urban Affairs established, along with an Urban Bank to lend them money at a reasonable, that is to say a foreign aid, rate of interest, say 2 or 3 per cent and certainly not

more than 4.

The reason they need help is that a lot of them are almost broke, their finances and services in shambles and everybody taxed all he can stand, which I don't understand as I've always been told that most of the brains of the country are located in big citites. In fact, the notion was that when a young man in a small town suddenly demonstrated exceptional ability, some big city would snap him

Looks like the small towns have been doublecrossing the cities and sending them the wrong

Anyway, about this Department of Urban Affairs the cities want established in Washington. They say farmers and ranchers have a Department of Agriculture, why can't cities have something too?

I'm in favor of it, maybe it'll get the cities' minds the mess they've made, but my advice is don't expect too much. I mean, we've had a Department of Agriculture for generations and the price of cattle is the same today it was 25 years ago. On the hoof, not at the supermarket.

Nonetheless shouldn't discourage cities from trying. If backward countries can get help in Washington, why not

"You never know what is

enough until you know what is more than enough."

William Blake

backward cities? After all there are human beings in those cars stacked up bumper-to-bumper every afternoon at 5.

By the way, there are two kinds of backward countries: (1) those that, despite their backwardness, know how to get in touch with Washington and (2) those so backward they never heard of the place. Our cities have now moved up into the first

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# Sonora Minister Speaks

What is Pentecost? Pentecost means fifty. It was fifty days after the passover that Jesus spoke to the five hundred brethern, and told them to go to Jeruselum and tarry until they received the

St. John's **Episcopal Church** Rev. Ray Nations, Rector Holy Com. 8 a.m. Holy Com. 11 a.m. 1st and 3rd Sundays Morn. Prayer 11 a.m. 2nd and 4th Sundays

The Church Of The **Good Shepherd** Presbyterian U.S. Jim Miles Sunday

10:00 a.m. Study Class Fellowship 10:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m. Worship Wednesday Bible Classes 3 & 4 p.m.

**Church of Christ** Ron Fant, Minister Bible School 10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. Worship Youth Group 5:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. Sunday Eve. 7:30 p.m. Wed. Eve.

Sonora Tabernacle United Pentecostal Rev. Kenneth Doyle,

promise of the Father.

Pentecost is not a religion

but an experience. On the

day of Pentecost, Peter

stood up with the hundred

and twenty who were in

the upper room and began

Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Eve. Worship 7:30 p.m. Wed. Services 7:30 p.m.

St. Ann's

Catholic Church Rev. Michael Fernandez Weekday Mass: Tues., Thurs., Fri. 8:00 a.m.

**Evening Mass:** Mon., Wed., Sat. 7:00 p.m.

Sunday Masses 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. Holy Day Masses 7:00 a.m.

First Latin American Rev. Luis Estrada Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 5:30 p.m. Worship 7:00 p.m. WMU, Monday 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. Wed. Services 6:00 p.m.

Word says there came a sound from heaven as a mighty rushing wind. It filled all the house where they were sitting and there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire and it sat upon each of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost and began to speak with other tongues as the spirit gave them utterance. The Bible teaches us that we must have the Holy Ghost with the evidence of speaking with tongues. You do not recieve the spirit of God when you join the church or shake the preacher's hand, or just confess your sins. This is a real experience with God. There are a lot of people professing holiness, but there is not any fruits. It

to preach of Jesus. The

takes living a holy life and **Hope Lutheran Church** A.B. Wagner, Pastor Sunday School 10:20 a.m. 11:00 a.m. "The Lutheran Hour"

6:30 p.m. Sunday on radio KGKL, 950. "This Is The Life" 8:00 a.m. Sundays on KCTV, Channel 8

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First Baptist Church Rev. Clifton Hancock,

Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship 10:50a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Eve. Worship 7:00 p.m. Wed. Services 7:00 p.m. cause you to live for God every day...not just Sunday and Wednesday. The Rev. K. R. Doyle Pastor, Sonora Tabernacle United Pentecostal Church ATTEND

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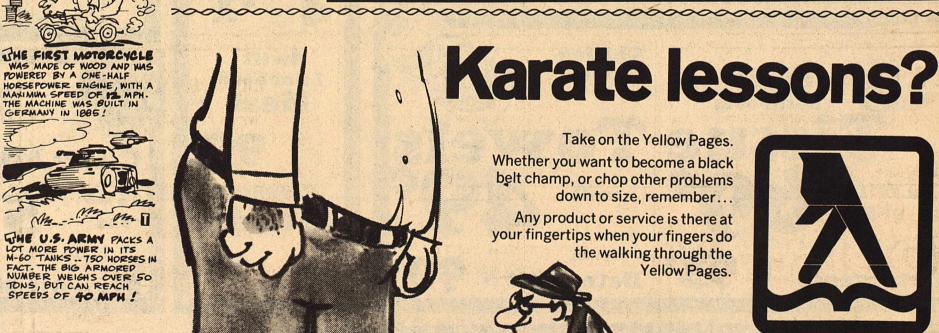
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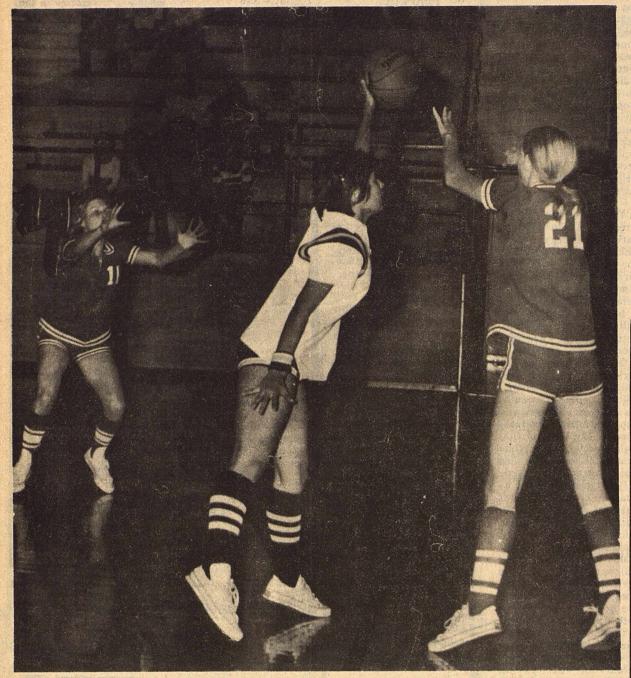
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Basketball action got underway last week with the Junior Varsity Girls setting the pace with their 66-46 win over the Menard Yellowjackets. Pictured here are Dorella Meyers (11) and Mildred Dirden (21).

There's excitement in the air this fall, and if you've been to our Bronco Gym lately you know what we mean. This year we're putting eight teams on the floor; girls' and boys'

varsity, junior varsity, eighth and seventh grades. During the basketball season we will feature our boys and girls on this page..which is sponsored solely by the businesses

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# Next Week's Games

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Tuesday, Nov. 30

Bronco Varsity and Jr Varsity vs. Eldorado, here, 4 p.m. Girls' Varsity and Jr Varsity vs. Eldorado, here, 4 p.m.

Thursday through Saturday, Dec. 2,3,4

Girls' Varsity, Sonora Tournament, here, times to be announced.

# **Team Records**

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## Consideration of Meat Quotas Asked For By ICA President

The president of the Independent Cattlemen's Association of Texas, T. A. Cunningham, called for William E. Simon, chairman of the Economic Policy Board, to consider the policy concerning the negotiations of the 1977 meat quotas. If the United States continues formal country by country import quotas to restrict 1977 meat imports, the USDA is authorized by law to implement formal quotas. However, if it's agreed that voluntary restraint agreements should be again negotiated between the U.S. and foreign exporting countries, the question that is of utmost importance is whether the USDA or State Depart-

U.S. representative in these negotiations. Cunningham urged Si-

The Elegance of Sterling...

ment should be the chief

mon to allow officials of the United States Department of Agriculture rather than the State Department to negotiate these voluntary restraint agreements with the countries exporting meat into this

Cunningham contends that the USDA is the most suited governmental entity to negotiate effective quotas as "the important data necessary for imput in determining allowable amounts of meat imports as specified in the 1964 Meat Importation Act is readily accessable to the officials within the USDA. If these negotiations are spearheaded by the USDA agreements could be made to eliminate any attempts of circumvention of meat import quotas from the beginning of 1977. "The cattle industry of this

nation can not withstand another situation such as we have experienced in the free trade zone at Mayaquez, Puerto Rico",

Cunningham concluded.
The ICA represents a membership in the excess of 100,000. As members are directly affected by decisions concerning the cattle industry, the Association believes that it is time that agricultural decisions be made by the Department of government that is directly concerned with the importation of foreign meats.



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## **Bob Krueger's Weekly Report**

The Prospects for the 95th Congress

Now that the elections have passed, we have a new President, and the Members of Congress are beginning to return to Washington in order to prepare for the coming year, speculation naturally turns to what sort of Congress it will be and what kind of legislation it will produce.

The new Congress reflects some basic changes in the way our government functions. First, nearly a third of the Members will have served one term or less. Second, many of the more powerful committee chairmen are retiring, so there will be new leadership, and newer Members will have an opportunity to participate fully in representing their constit-

Sheep & Goat

**Industry News** 

**Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association** 

As any rancher who belongs to a flock of Angora

goats can tell you, there's a pot of gold in their hair.

More than a few producers have been able to buy

new boots with a clear conscience after marketing

their clip, and it's actually become profitable to think of ways to increase both mohair and replacement

To that end, the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers'

Association appointed a committee at their July

annual meeting to recommend practices calculated to

improve Angora goat kid crops. The committee,

chaired by Armer Earwood of Sonora, and made up

of representatives of producers, the Texas Texas

Agricultural Experiment Station and Extension

Service and various feed and drug manufacturers,

released its report during a recent Angora Goat Field

Mohair Warehouse Association, the Mohair Council

of America and the Texas Mohair Producers Board,

the report offered clear and concise guidelines for

dealing with the major crucial areas of mohair

At the risk of riding our horse before he's broke, it

might be important to note the conclusion of the

four-page report first. Simply stated, the committee

felt that "nutritional needs of oats should be the

Beginning roughly two weeks prior to breeding, the

committee recommended fluching does with ½ pound of corn or 20 percent cubes. Feed flushing could be

avoided if defered pastures are available in good condition. The report also gave tacit approval to feeding throughout breeding, to "help insure bucks

and does getting together, as well as stimulating does

As for general supplemental feeding, the

committee suggested that goat condition, rather than

range condition, be the deciding factor. It was recommended that supplemental feeding be instituted

'as soon as goats begin to lose weight or condition.'

Range offerings should not be overlooked, however, and the report stressed that producers be

familiar with vegetation and its composition in their

pastures, mostly as an aid in estimating what and

The focus on the Angora goat report, of course, is

on increasing reproductive efficiency, and a major

factor in reproduction is condition. The final third of

the pregnancy term, along with the early portion of

lactation, are easily as important from a nutritional

standpoint as the breeding period itself, and the

how much to feed, rather than when.

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Day at the Sonora Experiment Station.

Although the Congress will be more receptive to new ideas and innovative policies than it has been in the past few years, I would not expect to see any sweeping changes immediately. As Jefferson said, "Great innovations should not be forced on slender majorities." President-elect Carter has indicated that although he wants to lead the government in some new directions, he will move cautiously, carefully considering each move. This type of "businessman's perspective" should be a welcome change in Wash-

I will be working again in this Congress to help direct our nation toward a national energy policy which is sensible and does not depend too heavily on foreign energy sources. Similarly, I intend to pursue steadily the goal of a balanced budget and will, wherever possible, vote against wasteful spending.
On the basis of the

agricultural research tour which I took in October, I will be looking for new ways to encourage and support agricultural re-search. My hope is that with a farmer in the White House, this will be an idea which is warmly received.

Other matters such as health care and our national defense will require careful consideration. The world will be looking to the United States for guidance, and I will work to see that the decisions which we in the Congress make will be in the best interests of our nation and the world.

The Congress will face a number of difficult issues in the next year, and I think all of us in Washington are committed to doing what is right, what is best for our constituencies and for our country. In achieving that worthy goal, we will need the support, advice, and guidance of the people we represent. Working together, I am optimistic that we can, in the words of our new President, have a government as good as our people are.'

Texas 4-H'ers To

Attend Congress Forty-two of Texas' top 4-H members will be a part of the 55th National 4-H Congress in Chicago, Nov. 28-Dec. 2.

The Texas delegation will be among 1,600 4-H'ers from throughout the nation who have been winners at the state, regional and national level in 4-H projects and activities supervised by the Cooperative Extension

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The following drilling applications have been filed with the Texas Railroad Commission: CROCKETT

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Amoco Production Co., Wildcat, G.C. Magruder no. 1-C, 32 miles southeast of Ozona, 11,000'. Union Oil Co. of Calif.,

Farmer (San And) University "AA" no. 4, 24 miles northwest of Ozona, 2,550'.

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The Sterling Co., Eldorado (Canyon) Jones heirs no. 1, two miles northeast of Eldorado, 6,200'

Tucker Drilling Co., Inc., Wildcat, Jeanette Wheeler no. 1, nine and one-half miles east of Eldorado, 6,000'. SUTTON

HNG Oil Co., Sawyer (Canyon), Fields "49" no. 1, four miles southeast of Sonora, 2,200'

Amoco Production Co., Wildcat, Marjory R. Johanson "B" no. 1, 16 miles southwest of Sonora, 10.500'.

Amoco Production Co., Wildcat, W.H. Karnes "A" no. 2, 23 miles southwest of Sonora,

Ft. Worth Oil and Gas Inc., Sawyer (Canyon), Hunt "4" no. 1, seven miles southeast of Sonora,

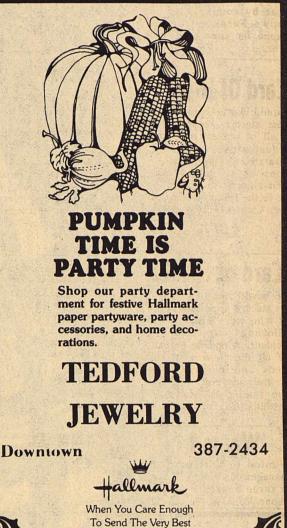
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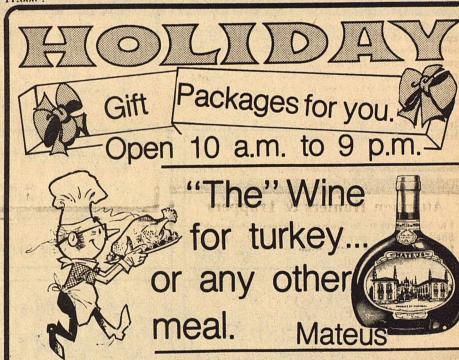
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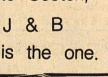
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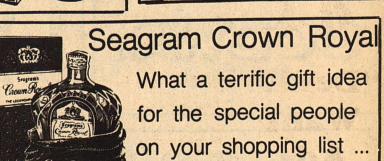
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Darla M. Berkley

## Card of Thanks

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Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Berkley, Mr. and Mrs. Brian McKee, Rena, Yvonne, Travis, Ronald and Vanessa.

#### **Attention Hunters & Trappers**

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industrial consumers in the City of Sonora, Texas

effective December 30,

It is anticipated that the increased cost of service under Schedule of Industrial Rates-N, Rate Schedule For Public Free Schools-N and Schedule For Industrial Rates-N for Agencies of the State or Federal Government will result

in \$149

additional annual

revenue to Lone Star Gas Company in the

City of Sonora, Texas A Statement of Intent has been filed with

the City of Sonora, Texas

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# Comptroller relief by increasing exemptions for surviving spouses to \$100,000 and To Ask For Inheritance proposal would exempt an additional 18,000 benefic-

Tax Relief

Comptroller Bob Bullock has announced that he will ask the legislature in January to grant Texans

some state inheritance tax for surviving children, grandchildren or parents to \$50,000 each.

Bullock estimated the iaries per year from the basic state inheritance tax. If enacted into law, it would mean 77.7 percent of all beneficiaries would be totally exempt from state inheritance tax, he

The comptroller said current law provides an

exemption of only \$25,000 for all Class A beneficiaries...surviving spouses, children, grandchildren

and parents. 'That law was written in 1923 and hasn't been changed since," said Bul-"A \$25,000 estate back then would have been sizeable. Today it would be considered mo-

Because the dollar is worth so much less today, Bullock explained, "the state inheritance tax has become particularly burdensome to farmers and

Heart Association

Bullock said his proposal

was selected after exten-

sive research by his

Inheritance Tax Division of

actual 1974 inheritance tax

returns. He added that his

office has worked closely

with various farm and

ranch groups and the House Ways and Means

Committee in developing

Domremy, Lorraine, which at

the time of her birth was not

the proposal.

a part of France!

To Meet Monday

The American Heart Association of Sutton County will hold their regular monthly meeting Monday, November 29 at the Sutton County Steakhouse. The meeting will start at 6:30 p.m., for those who wish to eat first and 7 p.m., for the business session. All officers and board of directors are encouraged to attend. The meeting is open to the public.

#### Post Office Suggests Early Christmas Mailing

The Postal Service has advanced its suggested Christmas mailing deadlines for domestic parcels and letter mail to December 3 and 10, respectively, in anticipation of an exceptionally high mail volume.

Citing the impact of greatly increased mail volumes generated by the 15-state United Parcel Service strike in the East and South, and its residual effect on other parts of the country, the Postal Service said it is compelled to ask the public to mail even earlier than normal.

Parcel volume has already more than doubled in the strike area and is up significantly nationwide, and letter mail is also on

the rise, the Postal Service said. It said most of the increase, to date, has been from large volume business mailers. For example, the Service said it is working closely with shippers of perishable goods to handle millions of

gift packages normally

moved by other shippers. As Christmas nears, however, more and more of the mail will be from the general public, deposited at neighborhood post offices, on top of the already unprecedented business mail volume, the Postal Service said.

As a result, the Service said, while priority will be given to letter mail, many postal installations normally dedicated to letter mail may have to be used to prevent an unmanageable

backlog of parcels. Therefore, the Postal Service said, it strongly urges the public to deposit their parcels by December 3 and their letters and greeting cards by December 10 to assure delivery

by Christmas. It asked that customers mail as early as possible, use proper packaging, and properly address and ZIP Code their mail.

### **Police Reports**

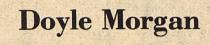
On November 16 city police investigated the theft of a bicycle stolen from 310 Mulberry Street. On November 18 Mrs.

Catherine Walker advised city police that her car had been hit in front of the bank building and the driver of the car had driven away.

At 4:45 p.m., on that day an accident at the intersection of Highways 277 and 290 was investigated. Minor damages to the two vehicles involved was reported. Drivers of the cars were Marvin Shurley and Esperanza Salinas.

Police Chief Bill Webster stated that he had received numerous calls concerning the traffic situation around the school. Persons are reminded of the danger of double parking to pick up their children. Children should only be picked up on the right side of the street and at walkways designed for this purpose, added Webster.

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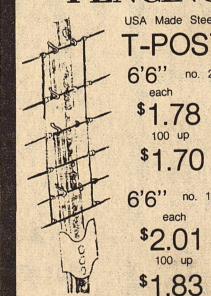
Dec. 9, 1976 8:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Hunt's back yard



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# Thanksgiving ... a time for prayer