

SISD Receives Bond Rating

The Sonora Independent School District has been notified that its school house bonds have rated "A-1" by Moody's Investors Service, Inc. of New York.

Board President James Hunt and Superintendent Dr. Joe Andrews went to New York on September 25-26 to confer with officials from Moodys concerning a rating of the \$900,000 school house bonds voted by the district on September 1. Since the district did not have a bond rating, a good rating would mean a better interest rate on the bonds and would also enhance the sale of the bonds.

In their presentation, school officials discussed the growth of the school, present buildings, school program, school and county valuation, population, projected growth of the area, and industrial development in the county. The \$900,000 bond issue

was offered for sale through the district's financial advisor, Underwood, Neuhaus & Co. and the bids were opened in a special meeting of the board held October 5. The district should receive the proceeds of the sale in about thirty days.

The Weather

Compiled By Pat Brown

Date	R	HI	LO
September 27		103	70
September 28		99	71
September 29		99	70
September 30		98	70
October 1		99	71
October 2	T	86	70
October 3	.08	81	58

Rainfall for the month, .08; rainfall for the year, 14.97.

KERMIT CHARTER

Tickets for the special Bronco Booster Club charter bus to the Kermit ball game may be purchased at Dr. Charles Browne's office. The seats are to be reserved on a first-come, first-served

basis, at \$18 per person, payable in advance. There are only 43 seats available for the trip. A bus is also reserved for the Crane trip, seats will cost \$14 per person.

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Mayor Norman Rousselot confers with Texas Governor Dolph Briscoe during last week's tour of the Jimmy Powell ranch. Gov. Briscoe will be the featured speaker at the October 12 Chamber of Commerce Banquet.

Governor To Speak At Banquet Oct. 12

Gov. Dolph Briscoe will be the guest speaker at next Wednesday's banquet, sponsored by the Sonora Chamber of Commerce.

"We are looking forward to being in Sonora and visiting with our good friends in Sutton County".

the Governor told the Devil's River News yesterday.

Tickets for the 7:30 p.m. event may be purchased at Tedford Jewelry, HNG Propane, HNG Oil Co., Western Drug, San Angelo Savings and Loan Association, P&S Stop &

Save, Modern Way Grocery, Chamber of Commerce office or at the Devil's River News. There will be no ticket sales at the door.

Governor Briscoe has been a long-time champion of Texas ranchers and the

petroleum industry and his visit to Sonora points out the important role Sutton County plays in the growth of Texas.

In addition to the Governor's speech, well-known Houstonian Rolland

Story will provide an entertaining presentation at the banquet.

Storey, known as "Father of the Gas Grill", is a strong spokesman for the free enterprise system and has three times been named Houston's "Marketing Man of the Year."



R.B. Alexander catches his breath while defensive coach Roland Pfeiffer watches his line in action, during the Bronco's bout with the Brady Bulldogs. The Broncos will host Burnet here this Friday at 8 p.m.

PP&K Contest Saturday

Punt, Pass and Kick competition will be held Saturday at 10 a.m. at Bronco Stadium.

Boys and girls, ages eight to 13, who registered for the contest by Sept. 30 will be eligible to compete.

Winners of the Sonora Motor Co. sponsored competition will be announced next week.

Robbie Hard Promoted

Cadet Robert D. Hard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Hard of Eagle Pass, has been promoted to the rank of cadet staff sergeant at the U.S. Air Force Academy.

Cadet Hard, a member of the class of 1980, has also been appointed squadron information sergeant. Assignment to this position will provide invaluable job and leadership experience.

If At First You Don't Succeed...

Mr. Hal Roberts at 910 Glasscock Street called police Saturday night shortly after 11 p.m., and said a pickup had struck his pickup parked in front of their mobile home. The offending vehicle had not bothered to stop and assess damages and police considered it a hit and run and looked throughout the night for the culprit.

On Sunday morning around 5 a.m., Mrs. Roberts called police and stated that whether they believed it or not, the same pickup, evidently not satisfied with its night's work, came back and took a turn at their car.

Sure enough, when police arrived, the car had been severely damaged. They found the vengeful pickup and its driver not far from the scene of the crime and charged him accordingly.

BAD NEWS TODAY!

Dr. Elroy Otte, principal of Sonora High School, announced that Wednesday (today) is report card day. All students in the school system will be getting statements of their grades.

NOTICE TO BAND BOOSTERS

The regular meeting of the Bronco Band Boosters has been postponed until Wednesday, October 19 due to the Chamber of Commerce banquet being scheduled on the regular meeting day. The October 19 meeting will start at 8 p.m. at the band hall.

Reception To Honor Gov. and Mrs. Briscoe

A public reception for Gov. and Mrs. Dolph Briscoe will be held from 6:30 p.m. to 7:15 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hunt, Wednesday, Oct. 12.

Governor and Mrs. Briscoe will meet with Sutton County citizens informally before the scheduled Chamber of Com-

merce sponsored banquet, where the Governor will be guest speaker.

"We cordially invite area residents to stop by our house and meet the Governor," James Hunt commented.

Following the reception, the Governor and Mrs. Briscoe will join Sonorans at the Sutton County 4-H Center for the dinner.

Services Held Friday For Drowning Victim

16-month-old Mark Anthony Michael Gamurot was pronounced dead on arrival to Hudspeth Memorial Hospital September 28.

Cause of death was listed as drowning. Reports are that the child fell into a fish pond.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Gamurot, he was born May 24, 1976 in San Angelo.

Funeral services were held September 30 at St.

Ann's Catholic Church, under the direction of Father Louis Moeller. Interment in Childress Cemetery Saturday morning.

The child is survived by his parents; a brother, Rodney Allen Gamurot; two sisters, Tammie Yvette and Nannette Cecilia, all of Sonora; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E.E. Kirkland of Clarendon; 8 uncles and two aunts.

Former City Workers' Utility Rates Discussed

City Aldermen opened their Monday morning meeting with discussion concerning three persons receiving minimum city rates, and no longer employed by the city.

Two of these persons were on hand at the meeting, and are former employees of the city, who did not work long enough to comply with the city's retirement program.

Aldermen did discuss the possibility of federal funds available for persons over 60 who are eligible

for some compensation for utilities.

The discussion was tabled until it could be investigated further.

There was also discussion of work on traffic control and some regarding speed control around the school.

The contract with Southwestern Appraisal Company was signed. This contract is for the tax equalization study being entered into by the city, county and school equalizing the tax base struc-

ture for all dwellings in the county.

Aldermen voted unanimously to dissolve the airport advisory board. This vote was taken as a result of a meeting last week of the city and county to appoint a five member airport authority.

An ordinance is expected to be ready for Aldermen's signatures by next month's meeting, to change the schedule of permit fees for the city.

The main changes in the permits will be a \$50 fee for the moving of any building or structure with the exception of a mobile home which Aldermen felt a \$10 fee would be ample. Persons should also maintain a permit for the demolition of any building or structure and this permit will be charged at \$10. Taxpayers are urged to obtain a permit for the demolition of a building, otherwise the structure stays on the tax roll and taxpayers are charged for such.

Persons are reminded by the city council that where work for which a permit is required is started or proceeded prior to obtaining such permit, the fees will be doubled.

Aldermen attending the meeting were Hershel Davenport, Jack Kerbow, James D. Trainer and Lemuel Lopez. Mayor Norm Rousselot, City Manager Bob Nevill and City Secretary Pat Robbins, were also in attendance.

Sutton Among \$33 Million Program

Projects in Schleicher and Sutton Counties are among those in a \$33-million statewide program to improve Farm to Market Roads and other Texas local roads.

District Engineer D.R. Watson of San Angelo said the State Highway and Public Transportation Commission recently approved the 1977 Texas Farm to Market Road and Safer Off-Systems Road program.

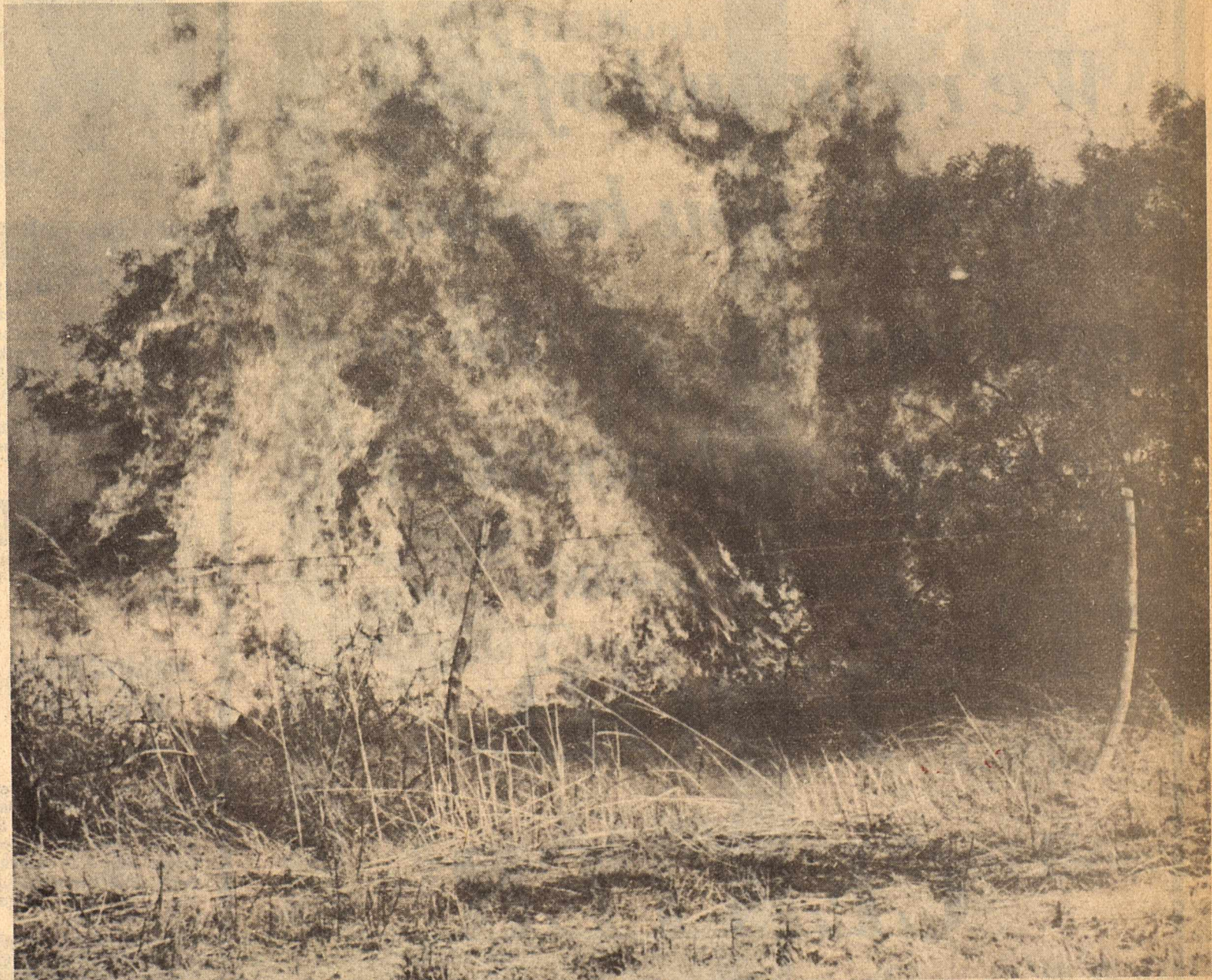
Work in this area includes a 7.2 mile Ranch to Market Road from the end of RM 2596 in Schleicher County, 17.8 miles southeast of State Highway 29 east and south to RM 864 in Sutton County. 2.0 miles of the new road will be in

Schleicher County, and 5.2 miles in Sutton County.

Statewide, the program calls for 297.7 miles of Farm to Market Roads and work on 80.4 miles of roads on local systems.

Included in the FM road mileage are 199.1 miles of new routes to be added to the state-maintained system. These routes were chosen cooperatively by county governments and the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

The off-system road improvements also are selected cooperatively by local and state governments and are developed with the assistance of partial financing from the federal highway trust fund.



Fire raged for more than six hours last Friday just north of the Sutton County line in Schleicher County. The fire started on the Hensel Matthews ranch and spread to the Mort Mertz Ranch burning 2 to 3 sections of ranchland. Sheriff Orval Edmiston of

Schleicher County says the people in his county extend their thanks to firemen from Sonora, Ozona and Menard who were on hand to help them in their time of need.

Firemen Attend Fall Convention

Members of the Sonora Fire Department attended the fall convention of the Hill Country Firemen's Association in Winters, October 1. Other area cities attending were Balinger, Bangs, Brownwood, Eden, Eola, Mason, Rowena, Santa Anna and Sterling City.

In the morning business session, Gene West, fire

chief of the Sonora Department, was elevated from 4th vice president to 3rd vice president.

Mrs. Carl Teaff was elevated from vice president to president at the ladies auxiliary luncheon. Mrs. Gene West was named secretary-treasurer. Both will serve one year terms.

In racing competition

that afternoon, Sonora's team, consisting of Mrs. Teaff, Mrs. James Blackman, and Mrs. Robert Taylor, won second place in the three lady race.

Sonora also brought home the man-miles traveled trophy; a trophy won by the multiplying of distance traveled by the number in attendance. Those representing our

fire department were Mr. and Mrs. James Blackman, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Teaff, Mr. and Mrs. Gene West, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Luttrell, Mrs. Bill Jolly, Mrs. Cash Taylor, Frank Guerra and David Flores.

The spring convention will be held at Big Lake in April.

Letter To The Editor

Dear editor:

There is a dangerous cloud forming on the horizon that should trouble us all.

The idea that a city can refuse to pay its bills and then turn to Washington and for the Federal government to bail them out reeks with political and personal overtones that could ruin this nation.

Every city and county in this nation has its own problems...and if the city or county governments do not have enough intelligence or backbone to solve the problems locally...then pity be to all of us who fail our own families and friends by passing the buck to someone else down the road!

The energy crisis faces all of us...not just Crystal City, Texas or Buffalo, New York...and for any city to go crying to Washington isn't going to help. What should we do; put price controls on one form of energy but not on another? Each industry faces its own problems, and given time and latitude to work in a free market society, they will either work out their problem or price themselves out of business.

Why are we allowing the Arab nations full price on their oil and gas but punishing our own producers?

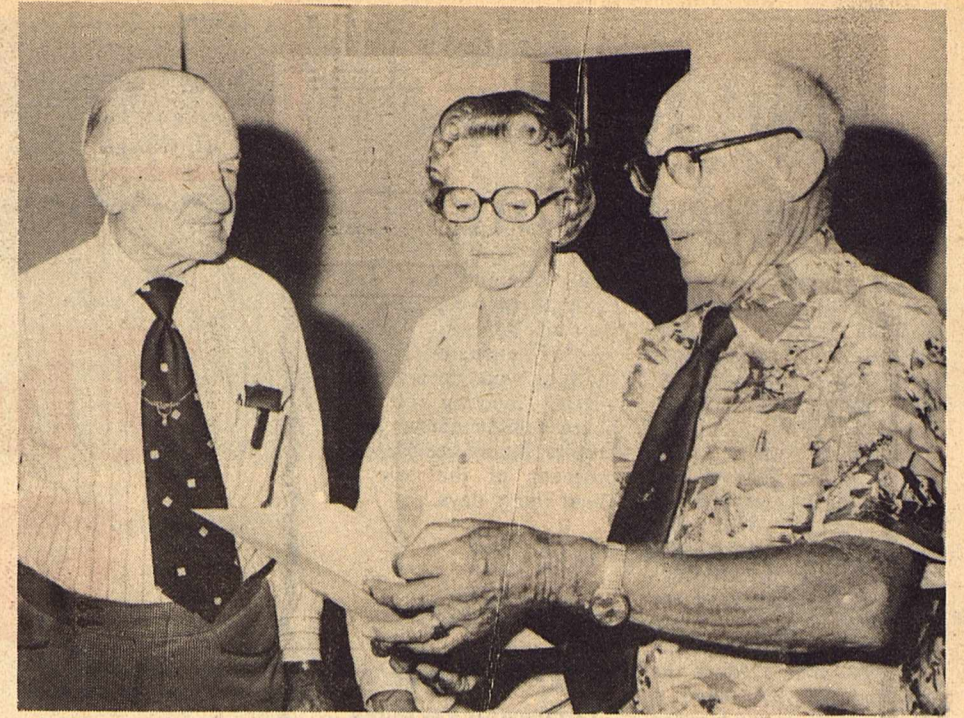
Recently when reviewing our own city budget we had to make some rate adjustments in order to balance each department within our city. It is painful and distasteful to do so, but if citizens demand the many services they receive then they must pay the going price or discontinue the service. I hope that we shall soon see that responsible people are realizing that if we are to continue to be a free country...we must take full responsibility for running our own government.

That government starts in your own home, in your city, in your schools, your county, your state, and finally (not primarily) with your federal government.

Yes, I agree Washington and Uncle Sam are taking more than their share of your hard earned dollars...but I think there is a change coming if we will all stand up and recognize how to solve our own problems at home first.

Your federal government should be responsible for national defense, international relations...and most of all...giving its own individual citizens the right to govern themselves within a free society.

Sincerely,
Norman Rousselot,
Mayor, City of Sonora



Cullen Luttrell, secretary of the local Masonic Lodge, presents Jack Neill a 50 year pin for his years of service. Also pictured is Mrs. Neill.

Sonora Minister Speaks

"While we were yet sinners, Christ died for us." Romans 5-8

It was not good men Christ died for, it was the sinners. Christ died to rescue, but rather men who were at enmity with God. And that was the wonder of Jesus Christ: that he died for us when we were sinners, bad men in a state of hostility to God. Love can go no further than that.

Let us consider more particularly what Jesus did, according to Paul, as brought out in the words, "Now that we have been justified by his blood, it is all the more certain that we shall be saved by him from God's wrath." Rom 5-9. Jesus changed our STATUS with God; sinners though we were, we were put into a right relationship with God. And not only was our status changed but our STATE

also. The saved sinner cannot go on now being a sinner; he must become a good man. Christ's death changed our status; and His risen life changes our state. He is not dead; he is alive! He is with us always to help us and guide us, to fill us with this strength to enable us to overcome temptation, to clothe our lives with something of his radiance if we live forever in his risen presence.

He who changed our status with God, can also change our state. He begins by putting sinners into a right relationship with God even when they are all yet sinners. He goes on, by his grace, to enable these sinners to quit their sin and to become good men.

Amen.

Father Louis Moeller
St. Ann's Church

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.
Wed. Services 6:00 p.m.

St. Ann's Catholic Church
Rev. Louis B. Moeller
Sat. Vigil Mass 7 p.m.
Sunday Masses 8 a.m.
10 a.m.
Holy Day Mass 7 p.m.

Sonora Tabernacal United Pentecostal
Rev. Kenneth Doyle, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Eve. Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wed. Services 7:30 p.m.

Church of God of Prophecy
Kenneth Cook, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Eve. 7:30 p.m.
Tues. Eve. 7:00 p.m.

First United Methodist Church
Rev. Paul Terry, Pastor
Church School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 10:45 a.m.

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

Hope Lutheran Church
John E. Hafermann, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.

Church of Christ
Ralph Weinholt, Sr., Minister
Bible School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Youth Group 5:00 p.m.
Sunday Eve. 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Eve. 7 p.m.

The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian
The Rev. Jim Miles
Sunday: Church School 10:00 a.m.
Fellowship 10:45 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
(Communion on first Sunday of each month)
Inquirer's Class 7:30 p.m.
(Session and Diaconate meet at 7:30 on the 3rd Wed. of each month)

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WD/VL - Dayton Homes Inc. to Rex Dale Ethridge et ux, Lot 17, Block 1, Meadowcreek Addition

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WD - Mary Lou Flores to Guillermo Lopez et ux, conveys grantor's interest in above property

WD/VL - Stockmen's Feed Co. Inc., to Kenneth Wayne Doyle, E/2 Lot 7 and E/2 Lot 8, Block 19-A

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Band Booster To Host Ice Cream Social

Members of the Band Boosters will host an ice cream social October 11 at the tennis courts behind the junior high school, beginning at 6:30 p.m.

All bands, fourth grade through high school, will be featured in addition to a performance by the high school choir.

The social will be an informal come and go affair and those attending are urged to bring their own seating.

Home made ice cream and cake will be sold with all proceeds to be used to help finance the annual spring band trip. This year the band has planned to attend the Sandy Lake Band Festival at Lewisville.

The tentative program is as follows:

- 6:30-4th grade public school music
- 6:45-5th grade beginners band
- 7:00-Junior high second band
- 7:20-Junior high band
- 7:50-High school choir
- 8:10-High school choir

The concert will end at approximately 8:40.

Jim Green Attends School

Jim Green has returned from a two week's Texaco Retailer's Market School held in Houston.

Green received training in the basic knowledge of oil, car service care, bookkeeping, and general information on operating a Texaco station.

They were also given a tour of the credit card department.

Bishop Ortiz To Speak Here

Bishop Hector Ortiz, the State Overseer of the Church of God of Prophecy, will be bringing the message Saturday, October 8 at 7:30 p.m., at the Church of God of Prophecy in Sonora.

The Rev. Kenneth Cook, pastor of the church, extends a welcome to everyone to come out and enjoy the preaching, singing and fellowship.

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<p>Sausage Handy, Country Pork</p> <p>\$1 49 1 lb roll</p>	<p>Round Steak Tenderized</p> <p>39c lb.</p>	<p>Beef Cutlets</p> <p>\$1 59 lb.</p>	<p>Bologna W/D Brand</p> <p>\$1 00 1 lb pkg</p>



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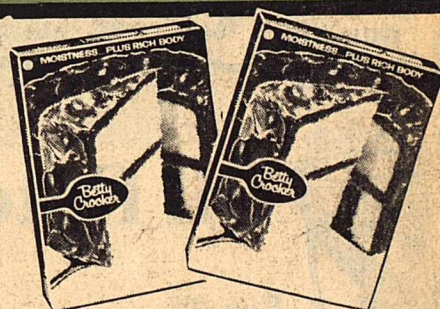
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Fruit Cocktail

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Cake Mixes

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6 12 oz cans **\$1 00**

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Specials Good Wednesday thru Saturday

Sonora's Belle Steen Celebrates 90 Years

By Shirley Hill

A multitude of friends were on hand Sunday afternoon to celebrate the birthday of one of Sonora's youngest at heart...Mrs. Belle Steen.

Forty friends hosted the affair held at the James Hunt residence.

Mrs. Steen, who carries a smile on her face, a sparkle in her eye, and a

bounce to her walk, was 90 years young Tuesday of this week.

Most remember her during her days in the drug stores of Sonora, making chicken salad and adding extra scoops of ice cream to their milk shakes. She served in this capacity for more years than she would admit, after moving to Sonora in

1916.

Born in Mt. Mariah, Alabama, which she says is now a ghost town, Mrs. Steen and her husband Robert, moved to Sonora after doctors told him he should seek a drier climate for health reasons.

"Sonora was surely a change from the place she had been brought up in",

stated Mrs. Steen. "The buildings on Main Street looked like they were fixing to fall at any time and the wooden sidewalks gave everyone warning the young cowhands attired in spurs and high heel boots were in town", she added.

"This must surely be the end of the world", Steen told husband Robert, on their first glimpse of Sonora.

But... as time wore on and they became acquainted with these cowhands and the business people of Sonora, they both came to love Sonora and to consider it their home.

Mr. Steen worked on the Walter Davis Ranch after arriving in Sonora until Sonora's Dr. Wardlaw, who at that time was part owner of the Sonora Drug, (then located in the building next to the Devil's River News, and now occupied by a beauty

shop), offered him a job.

Mrs. Steen started her career in the drug store at this same location when she was asked to serve as cashier during a rodeo celebration.

She did have one other job during this period, she worked in the bank for three or four months, she stated, at the request of Mr. Aldwell, who was president at that time. Mrs. Steen said her banking career was short lived when the bank came up a penny short and she became familiar with the extent to which banking employees had to look for such a small amount.

The Steens later became part owners in the Corner Drug Store, now Westerman Drug. In November of 1931 Mr. Steen died as the result of an accidental gunshot.

As evidence of her statement, "I enjoyed every minute of it", Mrs.

Steen's drug store career still lingers in her home. Photos of a large majority of Sonora youngsters still occupy space on the walls of her home, pictures left over from a bulletin board she kept at the drug store. Most of the youngsters in the photos are now grown, married, and a majority with children of their own.

Mrs. Steen's happy face and great sense of humor eliminates the generation gap as she has friends of every age...friends who admire and respect this kind and generous credit to her community.

Her daily checks on the employees in all downtown businesses, her avid and longtime support of the local football team, her homemade cookies, and her charm, make all that know and love her, want to use her as their example, growing mature in a most graceful and gracious manner.



Mrs. Belle Steen cuts her birthday cake at a party held in her honor Sunday.

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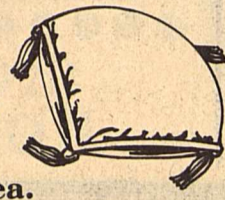
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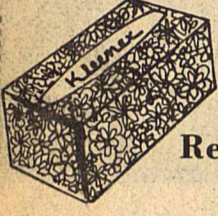


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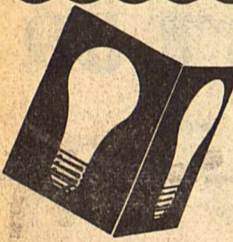
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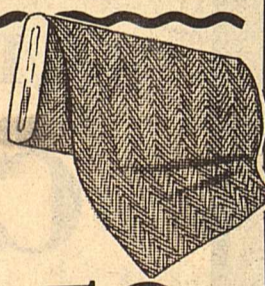
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Saturday, October 8

Albert Ward
Mrs. Juanita McCoy
Ray D. Lancaster
Kay Archer Jones
Carlos Gallegos
Toni Duran
Rose Berry
Kay Louise Allen
Jack Lawson

Sunday, October 9

None

Monday, October 10

Mrs. Willie Andrews
Mrs. Charlie Hull
Bobby Humphreys
Sammy Sanchez, Jr.
John Wade
Randy Awalt
Tomas Zapata
Rae Ann Draper
Mark Milliken
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Tuesday, October 11

Mrs. Rex Merriman
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Wednesday, October 12

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October 10

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Mr. and Mrs. Preston Joy

October 14

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Cahill

October 15

Mr. and Mrs. Ken L. Rosford

October 19

Mr. and Mrs. Ramiro Barajas

October 21

Rev. and Mrs. Ray Nations

October 23

Mr. and Mrs. Prajediz Abila

October 30

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Stephen

October 25

Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Hudson

Mr. and Mrs. Mat Davenport

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Law

October 27

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Berry
Mr. and Mrs. Andy Cox

October 30

Mr. and Mrs. Elba Adams

Bridge Winners

Winners in Duplicate Bridge play last week in Eldorado were Bernice Sweatt and Evelyn Winier of Eldorado, first; Marlen Davis and Mary Lois Brown, second; Jo Nell Johnson and Ruth Shurley, third; and Melissa O'Harrow and Flora Hubble, Helen Blakeway and Jack Bebee, tied for fourth.

Mollie Hite

Hosts Fire

Auxiliary

Mrs. Mollie Hite hosted members and guests of the Firemen's Auxiliary September 27 at her home. 42 was played.

Attending were Melissa Teaff, Edna Duren, Rhonda Blackman, Frances West, Trevlyn Luttrell, Nova Olenick, Jinx Taylor, Jean Humphreys, Jane Smith, Ruby Jolly and Vickie Zech. Mrs. Carrie Morrison was a guest.

Winning high at 42 play was Mrs. Teaff; 84, Mrs. West, and low, Mrs. Smith.

Rhonda Blackman will be racing team captain and Frances West will be the voting delegate at the Winters convention October 1.

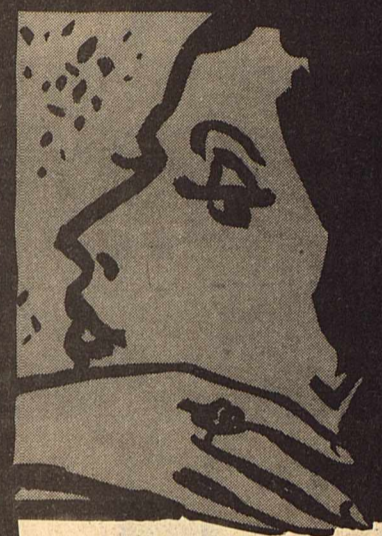
Melissa Teaff is currently serving as vice president of the Hill Country Firemen's Auxiliary.

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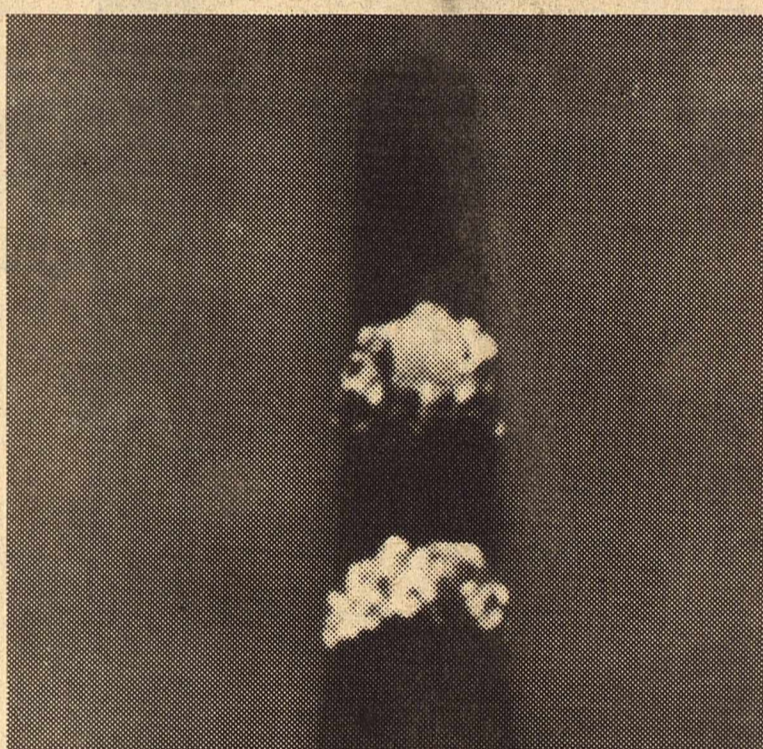
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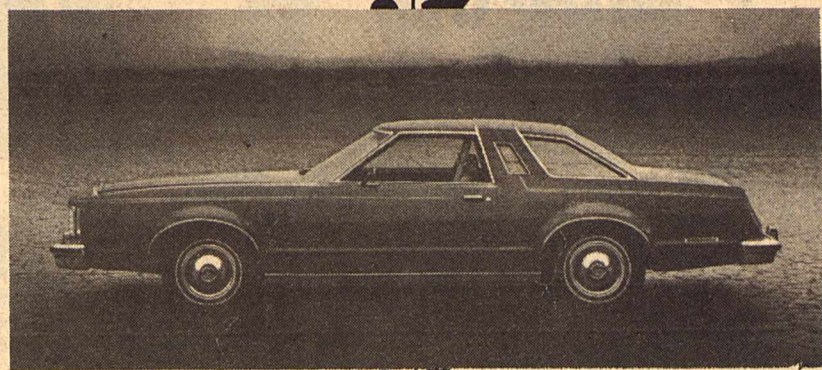


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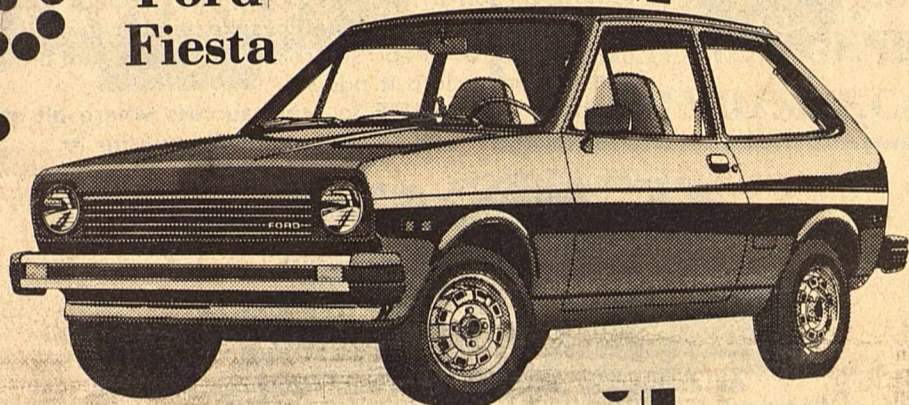
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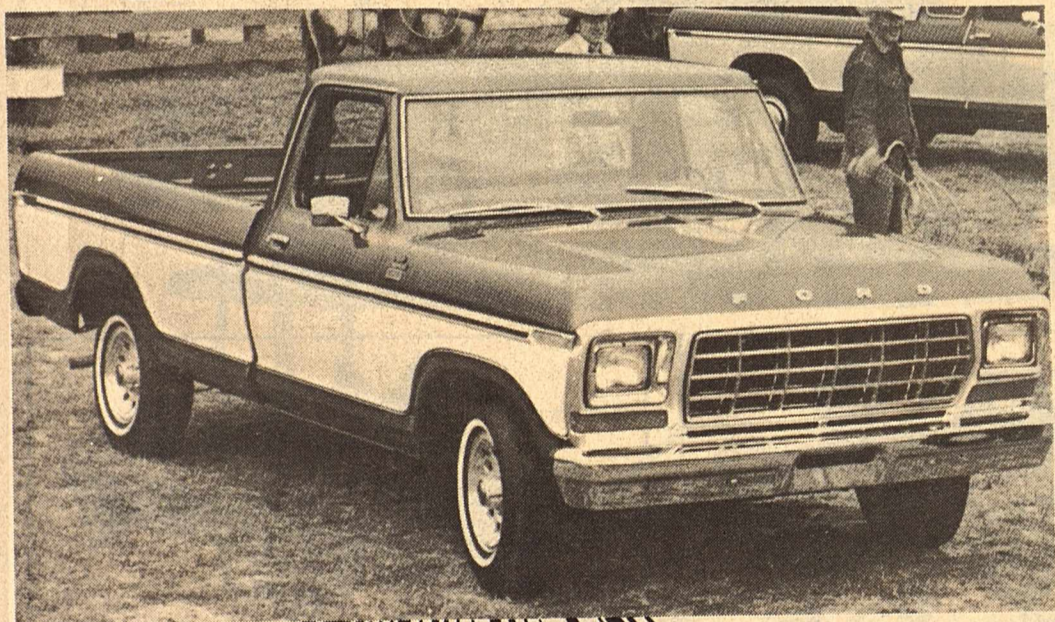


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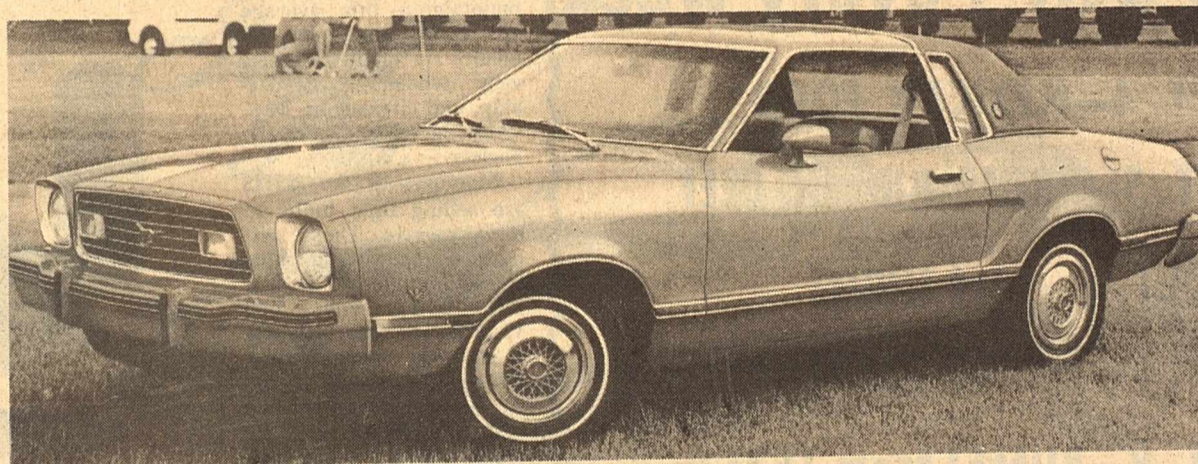


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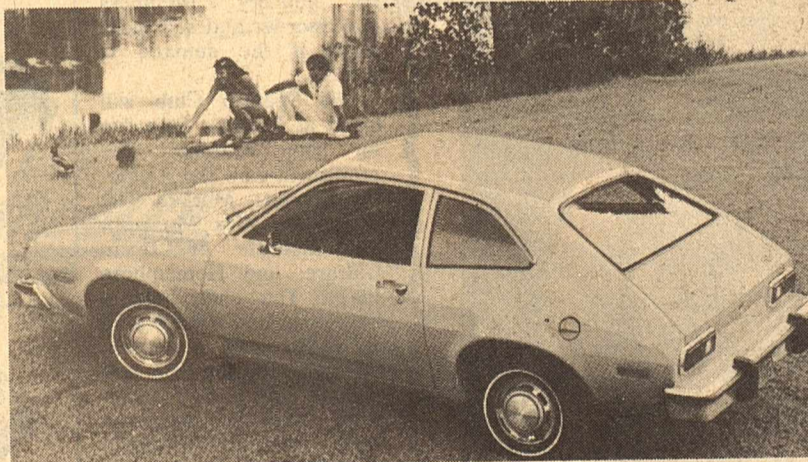
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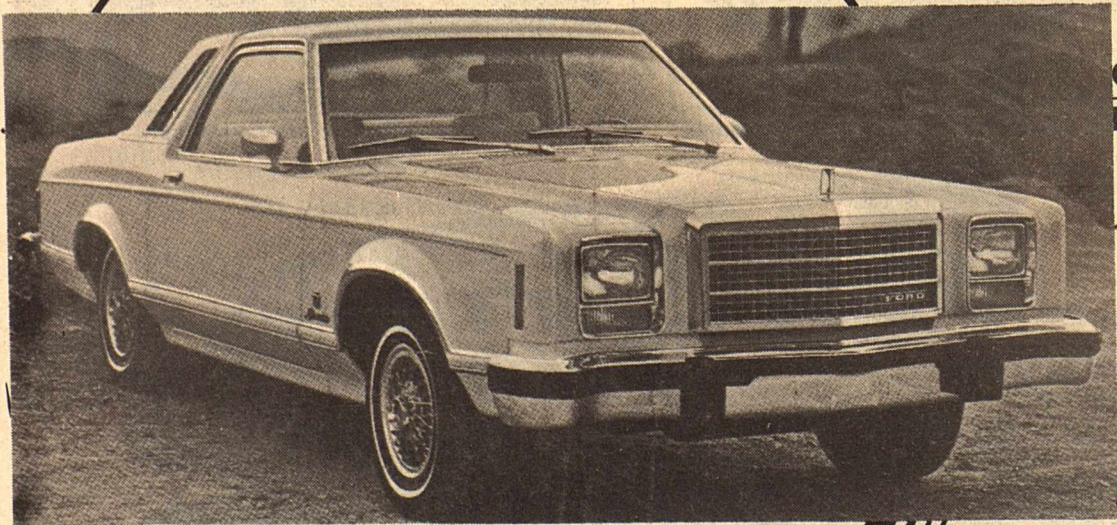


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Dr. Owensby Presented Golden Heart Award

Dr. David Owensby was presented with the Golden Heart Award when the Sonora branch of the American Heart Association met September 26.

Making the presentation to Dr. Owensby was Kirk Christianson, Area 5 Director. The Golden Heart Award is given to those who leave the heart association in their will.

Mr. Christianson told the organization of guidelines for goals and went over project goals for Sutton County. He also told those present of the workshop to be held in Kerrville October 10 at 5:30 p.m., and encouraged attendance.

Dr. Owensby announced that the local association will continue to meet on the 4th Monday at 7 p.m., at the Sutton County Steakhouse. All are encouraged to attend.

Attending the meeting were Rev. Ray Nations, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Shurley, W.B. McMillan, Harold Miller, Ada Perez, Joan Cusenbary, Sam Perez, Rev. Paul Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Clint

Junior High News

By K. Holdridge

The National Jr. Honor Society held elections for class officers last week. Scott Savell will serve as president of the honorary group with Gina Thompson vice president.

Delma Reyna was elected secretary and Cathy Polocsek will serve as treasurer. Members are chosen from the student body eighth and seventh grade classes. Students must have a 90 average to be considered. Those maintaining this average are then judged by the faculty on character, service, scholarship leadership, and citizenship. Mrs. Carol Parker sponsors the Society.

Members of the NJHS are selling light bulbs to raise money. These gift packs contain 5 light bulbs consisting of 2 100 WATS, 1-75 WAT and 2-60 WATS. The set sells for \$5.00, 50c cheaper than buying the same in the store. If you have not been contacted and wish to purchase some bulbs, call Mrs. Parker at the Jr. High and she will arrange for delivery. Members may reorder and sell more bulbs if the demand is there.

The Spanish Club will leave at 6 a.m., Saturday for San Antonio. The group will view the Alamo, the Mexican Market, the Lone Star Wax Museum, the Institute of Texas Culture, and Hemisphere Plaza. The club held a bake sale and raised over \$200. to pay expenses. Sponsors for the trip will include Mrs. Kay Holdridge; club sponsor, and Miss Melinda Brandon and Miss Anne Cowley, busdrivers.

Pictures were taken Wednesday for annual purposes. The standard student picture pack will cost \$4 this year.

The 7th grade Colts will host Mertzton, Thursday, at 6 p.m. The 8th grade is idle.

Report cards went out Wednesday to signify the end of the first six weeks of school.

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Receiving 25 year pins at a recent ceremony of the local Masonic Lodge were (left to right) Carlos Welch, Walter Pope, T.C. McCutchen and Cullen Luttrell. Pictured with the recipients are their wives. Other lodge members awarded 25 year pins, but not pictured, were Phillip Cooper, George S. Schwienting, David Shurley and Louie Smith.

4-H Programs Conducted At School

Students in grades 3-8 participated in 2 special programs Monday at school. Both programs focused on 4-H at the county, state, and national level. County Extension Agent Sarah Mahon showed the slide set, "4-H Is Something To Sing About".

Following the slide set the students were able to ask any questions they might have concerning 4-H projects. Answering the questions were 4-H'ers that had participated in these projects. Some 16 students answered questions at the elementary program. They were:

Clothing and Child Care project-Trudy Dell Taylor; Angora Goats-Joe Will Ross; Market Lamb-Glen Love and Tammy Martin; Market Rabbits-Debbie Shannon; Wool and Mohair Judging-Heath Belk and Wayford Tyler; Range and Grass Judging-Cathy Doran; Livestock Judging-Mike Friess and Lea Whitehead; Record Book-Jeff Kimbrel and Tessa Joy; Foods and Nutrition-Susan Moore and Bonnie Jackson; Horse Project-Mike Benson & Becca Powers.

Students answering questions at the junior high program were: Clothing-Sherri Threadgill and Kelly Cooper; Angora Goats-Julie Stewart; Market Lamb-Bernardo Solis and Drew Wallace; Market Rabbits-Joe Shannon and David Willis; Range and Grass Judging-Marla Van Hoozer; Rifle-Mike Polocsek, Rick Powers, and Laura Preston; Livestock

Judging-Esby Whitehead, David Love; Record Book-Lora Lea Kordzik; Foods and Nutrition-Clare Stewart and Clara Arredondo; and Horse Project-Debra Zapata, Nancy Benson, and Robert Mittel.

At the end of each program Allison Powers helped distribute enroll-

ment blanks and newsletters to those that were interested.

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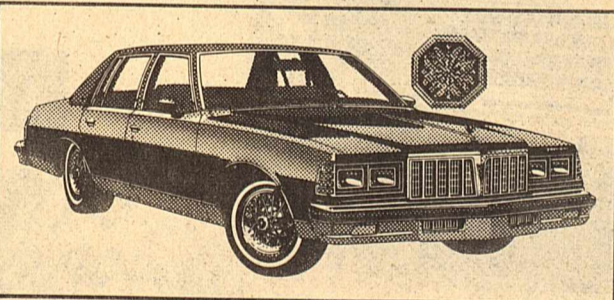
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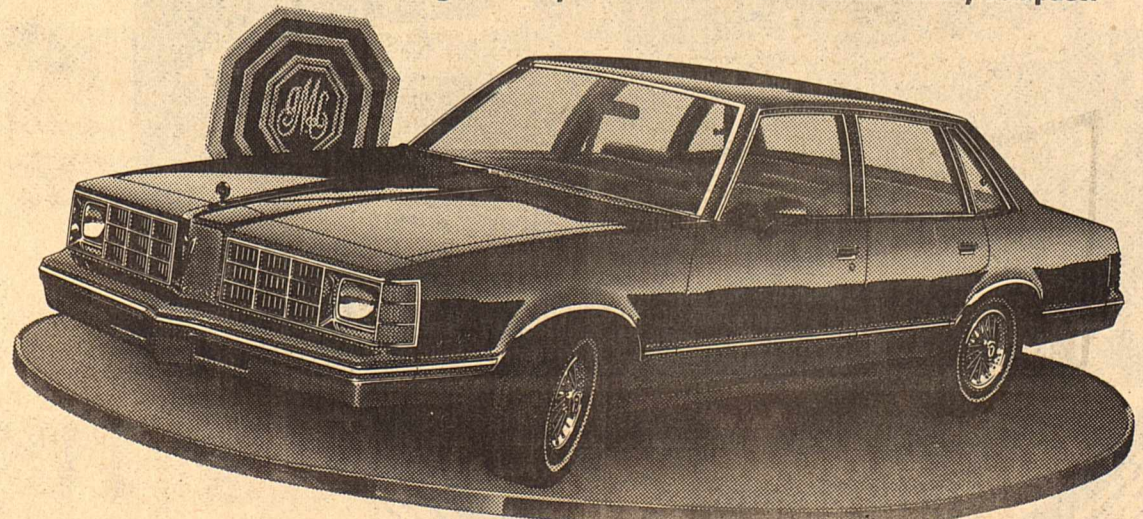
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Wallace Blames Federal Government Controls For Gas Supply Crisis

The chairman of the Texas Railroad Commission said cost—not supply—is the cause of the nation's energy dilemma.

"Our crisis in energy, which I know to be real, is not one of supply, but of supply at a price," Commissioner Mack Wallace said in a talk before the Diamond Shamrock Management Association at the Marriott Motor Hotel last week.

"And we must produce, because the alternative is to place the destiny of America in the hands of OPEC," he stressed.

Wallace said all indicators point to a near-term inability of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) to meet the petroleum needs of the United States, western Europe and Japan.

The Texas official's remarks to the technical and administrative employee group were an assessment of the Carter Administration's national energy plan and congressional action and reaction. He said the plan, which the lower house of Congress has generally adopted, would lead to a "no growth" policy "with all its dangerous political and economic consequences."

Wallace maintained that the Carter Administration and the Congress have not recognized the energy problem or are evading the necessary political decisions to resolve it.

"You can only conclude that the Administration which proposed the national energy plan and the House which has now

essentially ratified the plan have failed to recognize the dimensions of our energy problem, or having recognized them, have shrunk from the inevitable, but politically unpopular solutions, or have knowingly or unknowingly led us toward a future of markedly reduced energy consumption and production, controlled, managed and allocated by an all-powerful central government," he observed.

The Commission chairman said he is irked by continuing arguments that the nation is running out of energy, especially oil and gas. Facts do not sustain such claims and the arguments need to be refuted, he declared and cited:

"Over the past six years we have seen a progressive rise in the value of produced oil and gas," Wallace cited.

"If one charts that rise—either as marginal or average unit price—against the amount of total oil and gas drilling, one sees a parallel—an excellent statistical correlation.

"The obvious conclusion, based on the facts, is that increased exploration follows from increased price."

Sharpening his refutation of Washington depreciation of the nation's energy posture, Wallace said that the nation in the past half-century has produced and consumed barely a fifth of its known proven reserves of all energy fuels.

"There remains a proven reserve of about 30 billion barrels of oil and an inferred reserve base of a like amount," he said. "Together they constitute a volume 17 times our production last year."

Estimates of yet-to-be discovered reserves and recoveries from enhanced recovery at higher prices amount to some 150 billion barrels of oil, Wallace cited.

Proven gas reserves and an estimated reserve base of 1,000 trillion cubic feet are 50 times last year's consumption in the U.S., he added.

"The energy reserve exists—in oil and gas as well as coal and uranium—but it can only be found, produced and made available at costs and prices greater than in the past," Wallace said.

The Commission chairman described the debate over energy policy as "one of the greatest tests American democracy has ever experienced." He said House-passed legislation embracing the Carter energy plan has placed the nation "in bad trouble" that is now being realized in every quarter of the country.

"But win or lose this year, we simply cannot give up, throw in our hand and put our destiny in the hands of no-growth Washington bureaucrats," said Wallace in pointing to Senate action on the plan. "The fate of the nation we love—and the stability of a dangerous nuclear world—is at stake," he concluded.

★ Petroleum News

Firemen's News

Sept. 27 - Firemen answered a call at 8:45 a.m. to the John Childress Ranch in Ozona. Units responding carried firemen Thorp, Olenick, Flores, West, Huffstutler, and Luttrell. Also on that day a call to the Robert Halbert ranch was answered. One unit responded with Robert Taylor manning the truck.

Sept. 28 - no fires
Sept. 29 - A fire call to the Dick Street ranch was answered as was one to B&H Welding. Units 20 and 60 responded to a grass fire started by welding. Firemen answering the call were McLaughlin, Huffstutler, Thompson, Odom, Luttrell, Teaff, Zech and Humphreys.

Sept. 30 - A grass fire was reported by Eldorado about 4 miles north of Brushy Top. Units 30, 60 and 70 responded. Units were manned by Blackman, Davis, Flores, Guerra, Jolly, Luttrell, Teaff, Stokes, McLaughlin, Olenick, Taylor, Thorp, West, Zech, and Huffstutler. One unit from Sonora, Unit 30, caught fire and Zech, Jolly and a rancher extinguished the fire.

A call was answered to the Mayfield Ranch that day with the same men and units responding. Drinks were supplied by Robert Stokes, Bob Ted-

well and Dave Donaho. The fire department wants to extend a special thanks to the Dairy Queen for the kindness they extended in the hamburgers that were prepared for the firemen. Thanks again Sandy!

Oct. 1-3 - no fire calls. The fire department would like to remind the community of National Fire Prevention Week which is October 9-15.

Elementary News

Safety has been the topic discussion for the first grade this six weeks. We have seen films, made a safety booklet and taken walks to various safety signs to stress safety to and from school.

Children have been instructed by Police Chief Jerry Kemp that they are to get into and out of cars only when parked at the curb and to cross only at corners. The first grade children ask that you help them in obeying all their safety rules.

Hanging by his feet 40 feet above the ground, Harry Houdini was able to free himself from a straitjacket!

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Drilling Applications

Applications have been filed with the Texas Railroad Commission on the following drilling sites:

CROCKETT
Gulf Oil Corp., Ozona (Canyon), V.I. Pierce NCT-B no. 3, 16 miles southwest of Ozona, 7,200'.

James L. Lamb, Jr., Howard Draw, University "35" no. 2, 16 miles northwest of Ozona, 1,600'.

C.F. Lawrence, Ponlaw (Queen), Pond no. 2, 16 miles east of Iraan, 2,300'.

Lifestyle Energy Corp., Shannon (San And), A.C. Hoover no. 7, 36 miles northwest of Ozona, 2,500'.

Crain Oil Co., Farmer (San And), University "23" no. 2, 21 miles northwest of Ozona, un-stated depth.

SCHLEICHER
Wedgeo, Inc., Wildcat, Bray no. 1, 10 miles southwest of Eldorado, 8,000'.

Cadasco, Inc., Wildcat, Enochs no. 1, seven miles west of Eldorado, 8,000'.

Jay-Bo, Inc., Wildcat, Coupe-Jackson "2" no. 1,

12 miles southeast of Eldorado, 8,000'.

Wedgeo, Inc., Wildcat, Faul no. 1, nine miles southwest of Eldorado, 8,000'.

Jay-Bo, Inc., Wildcat, Coupe-Jackson "1" no. 2, 12 miles southwest of Eldorado, 8,000'.

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Jay-Bo, Inc., Wildcat, Coupe-Jackson "1" no. 1, 12 miles southwest of Eldorado, 8,000'.

Cadasco, Inc., Wildcat, Bush-Thompson no. 1, five miles southwest of Eldorado, 8,000'.

Cadasco, Inc., Wildcat, Donald Cox no. 1, five miles southwest of Eldorado, 8,000'.

Wedgeo, Inc., Wildcat, Parker Foods "A" no. 1, nine miles southwest of Eldorado, 8,000'.

Wedgeo, Inc., Wildcat, W.T. Parker "A" no. 1, nine miles southwest of Eldorado, 8,000'.

Wedgeo, Inc., Wildcat, E.C. Parker Estate no. 2, 10 miles southwest of Eldorado, 8,000'.

Wedgeo, Inc., Wildcat, E.C. Parker Estate no. 1, 10 miles southwest of Eldorado, 8,000'.

SUTTON
Cotton Petroleum Corp., Sawyer (Canyon), Whitehead no. 10, 16 miles west of Sonora, 9,300'.

HNG Oil Co., Sawyer (Canyon), Brown "78" no. 4, 16 miles southeast of Sonora, 5,050'.

HNG Oil Co., Sawyer (Canyon), Wallace "77" no. 2, 15 miles southeast of Sonora, 5,000'.

VAL VERDE
Texland-Rector and Schumacher, Wildcat, Lela Bunker no. 1, five miles north of Pandale, 4,500'.

Police Reports

Sept. 26
4:45 p.m., An unknown female reported a child abuse case.

5 p.m., A resident at 310 Plum reported a break-in at her home the previous night. Money and some other items were stolen. Investigation continues in that case.

11:02 p.m., A prowler report was investigated on Taylor Street.

12:22 a.m., A prowler report was investigated at a Rock Avenue address.

Sept. 27
7:36 p.m., A Tayloe Street resident requested close patrol due to vandalism of residences in that vicinity.

7:48 p.m., A domestic disturbance was reported. Caller said man involved held a gun.

Sept. 28
10:20 a.m., An accident at 3rd Street and 290 involved a 1974 Chevrolet driven by Jack Pfeister and a truck driven by Frank M. Shuptrine of Rusk. There were no injuries in the accident.

3 p.m., Police answered a disturbance call at a Main Street business.

2:48 a.m., Prowler report was investigated at Del Rio Street residence.

Sept. 29
3:33 p.m., A minor accident was reported near a local food store.

8:40 p.m., A call from

the local hospital alerted police that a child had been bitten by a dog. Police located the owner of the dog and it was placed under quarantine.

2:44 a.m., A disturbance call was reported at a local motel. Two units responded.

Sept. 30
8:46 p.m., Complaints of speeders on Rock Avenue were investigated.

11:53 p.m., A minor accident at 910 Glasscock was reported and subject left the scene.

October 2
6:05 p.m., A report of speeding vehicles on 2nd Street in Sinaloa was reported.

7:38 p.m., More speeding vehicles were reported on Rock Avenue.

4:30 a.m., A family disturbance was reported

7:30 p.m., Brent Gesch, local police officer, reported a stolen vehicle recovered abandoned one mile east on old Highway 290.

Industrial Arts Club To Meet

The Industrial Arts Club will hold their first meeting October 18 at 7:30 p.m., in the shop class. Carnival committees were named Tuesday with Eric Olson and Eddie Favila named heads of the sling shot committee. R.B. Alexander and Steve King

Menu

Monday, October 10

Enchiladas
Pinto Beans
Spanish Rice
Raspberry Jello/Fruit
Cinnamon Rolls
Milk

Tuesday, October 11

Beef Stew
Spinach
Corn Bread
Butterscotch Squares
Milk

Wednesday, October 12

Fried Fish
Tater Tots
English Peas
Lettuce/Pineapple Salad
Hot Rolls
Brownies
Milk

Thursday, October 13

Chicken Loaf
Blackeye Peas
Orange Halves
Hot Rolls
Yellow Cake / Pineapple
Icing
Milk

Friday, October 14

Bar-B-Q Franks
Potato Salad
Pork 'n Beans
Hot Rolls
Apple Cobbler
Milk

Hospital News

Patients receiving treatment at Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, September 20 thru Monday, September 26 include the following:

Mary Bruton
Walter Stubbs*
Billy Green*
Melba Stokes*
Mary Lawson
Ruth Gonzales*
Cecelia Chavez*
Bertha Holmes
Emery Harris*
Joyce White*
Jean Davenport*
Rafaela Martinez
Lois Dean
Mary Agnew*
Patricia Ponsetti*
Dolores Chico
Johnny Creek
Jo Reo Owens
Phyllis Bond
Lee Fawcett

*Patients dismissed during the same period.

Comptroller Representative Sets Visit

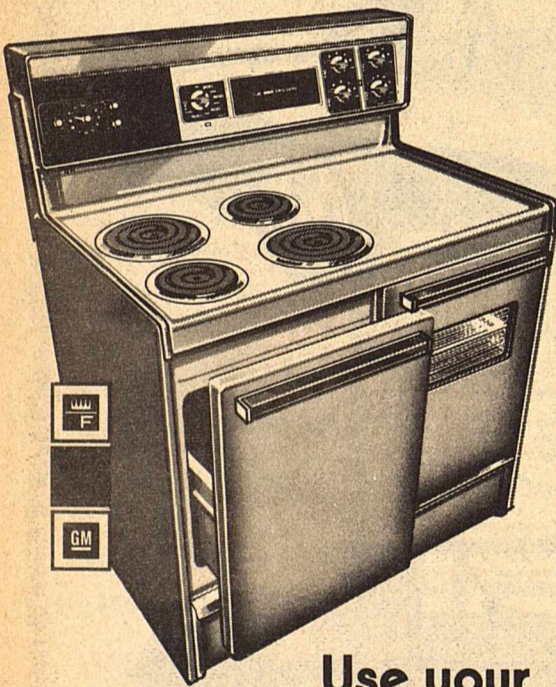
Comptroller Bob Bullock will have a representative in Sonora October 11 to meet with local taxpayers beginning at 1:30 p.m. in the County Judge's Office in the Sutton County Courthouse in Sonora.

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GOV. BRISCOE AT POWELL RANCH



"I see a great future for Texas," Gov. Dolph Briscoe told an audience of 1,132 at Ft. McKavett last week during the Powell Ranch Tour. Governor Briscoe was among several state ranching industry leaders discussing range management.

1977 RAMBOUILLET RAM TEST OPENS AT STATION

The official 1977 Rambouillet Performance Test got underway last week as 242 rams were weighed at Sonora's Texas A&M Experiment Station.

The rams are on a special feed with 10 percent crude protein and alfalfa in pellet form. They are fed every morning and checked twice a day.

They have been drenched for internal parasites, sprayed for lice and ticks and vaccinated for overeating.

The next weighing is scheduled for Oct. 26, with regular weighing every 28 days.

Don Spiller is supervising the test under the jurisdiction of Dr. Maurice Shelton, Texas A&M Research Center in San Angelo.

MEADOWS SAYS SCREWORM ERADICATION LOOKS GOOD

"It looks good," Dr. M.E. (Cotton) Meadows, Jr., director of the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Screwworm Eradication Program.

Meadows' comment is based on the fact no screwworm cases have been reported in Texas animals since July 20.

The 35 cases so far this year were collected in 14 Texas counties. Just a year ago the count through September was 19,975 cases.

Texas has now gone ten consecutive screwworm free weeks. This has been matched only four other times in history of the 15-year-old Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) program.

Longest screwworm free time in Texas was a 17-week-period that started in December 1969 and ended in April of 1970.

"We can't afford complacency, though," says Meadows. He explains that a screwworm case was

found just 60 miles south of McAllen at San Fernando in Mexico's State of Tamaulipas on Sept. 26.

"We continue to find cases in Coahuila within 100-150 miles of the Texas border, and in Chihuahua 18 September cases were within 100 miles of the Big Bend."

Screwworms have been known to fly 180 miles or more in search of a suitable wound in animals or pets on which they can deposit their eggs. Another threat to Texas

animals comes from the two September cases treated in dogs at Las Cruces, N.M., a short distance up the Rio Grande from El Paso.

Just one untreated and unreported case can lead to 100 or more cases within a three week period," observes the APHIS veterinarian.

"This makes it extremely important that ranchers continue watching their animals, and promptly send samples of any worms found in wounds to the lab for identification.

RANGE CONDITIONS TERMED POOR

Know any good rain dancers? Hunters in West Texas may need one if we don't get some precipitation soon.

Range conditions at the moment are poor and their ability to sustain wildlife without rain in the next three to four months is questionable.

Already deer southwest of San Angelo are dying from pure and simple starvation on the parched rangeland.

"If we don't get a sizeable rain (and I don't mean heat showers we've been getting, but a rain of two to three inches) before the first of November, we could lose over half our deer herd in the more densely populated deer areas," said Herb Kothmann, game biologist for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

"At present, north of San Angelo, the deer are still in pretty good shape," he said. "We had a good spring this year and have produced deer with some fine antler growth. But if this dry weather continues, hunters may find themselves harvesting deer with big racks but not much meat on their bones."

Deer aren't the only game which could be affected by a prolonged drought. Turkey and quail could be hit as well.

Quail and turkey are holding their own right now, mainly because of their ability to switch to insects as a good source. Biologists in the field have noticed a lot of turkeys chasing grasshoppers lately and have observed quail feeding on insects as well.

"But I don't know how long they will be able to sustain themselves under the present conditions," Kothmann said. "A sudden dry cold spell could spell disaster for all the wildlife in this area."

This threat of a prolonged drought comes at a time when the deer population is relatively stable after the deer herd southeast of San Angelo jumped back after crashing last year, when quail populations are at an 11-year high and when turkey numbers are up.

Game biologists point out, however, that this dry spell will be taken into account when they compile their data for issuance of antlerless deer permits. The biologists have just completed eight continuous weeks of census work and are compiling that data now.

"In essence this will mean that there will be more surplus animals for the hunter to harvest," he said.

Early indications are that more antlerless permits will be issued in this area this year and in areas where they weren't issued last year.

"The hunter should have the opportunity to harvest these excess deer which would otherwise die of starvation," Kothmann said. "And at present, that's what we'll recommend."

Fred Campbell's Wool and Mohair Report

Overseas wool markets have improved slightly the past few days. In Australian auctions prices have increased slightly due to greater demand coming from European countries. Continued talk of devaluation of Australian currency is a threat to us of cheaper Australian wool.

Very little activity occurred in the U.S. wool market this past week.

Clean up selling has been taking place at various centers around the U.S. as 80-90 percent of our domestic clip is now sold.

The mohair market has awakened. Increasing inquiries have been noted the past 10 days after a 25 percent decline in prices in South African auctions. During this period very little mohair has moved in

Texas. The exception has been the states accumulation of kid mohair which has largely been sold at \$4.00 and \$4.05. Prices offered for adult has increased from \$2.10 to \$2.25 within 10 days. The third sale of the season in South Africa is set for Tuesday October 11. About 1/2 of the Texas clip is now sold with perhaps just short of 2 million pounds still for sale.

NO PREDATOR CONTROL IS TOTALLY EFFECTIVE, ALL EXPENSIVE

No predator control method is totally effective and even the moderately effective ones are expensive, so it's refreshing to hear of a control method that's apparently more than moderately successful and in some cases even saves money.

On top of all that, it might just be acceptable to all but the most zealous predator protectionists. Shocking? Well, yes, as a matter of fact, it is -- intentionally.

The "new method" is electric fencing. Actually, it's not new, of course, just improved. Unlike "new" or "improved" versions of laundry detergent and/or shampoos, this product's advances have been basic rather than cosmetic.

The major drawbacks to electric fencing in the past have centered around limited carrying power and a disturbing tendency to ground out too easily. More powerful charging units have come out of New Zealand during the last couple of years, however, some reportedly

capable of carrying voltage 20-50 miles. Ground-out resistance has also improved.

Cost? Naturally, it varies according to fence design and construction, but one Texas enclosure built in lieu of a bull-proof fence ran nearly 50 miles at a cost of less than \$775 per mile. The traditional fence it replaced was priced at \$5000 per mile.

A two-mile stretch of the new fence cost one West Texan \$600 a mile including labor. He had been asked \$2500 a mile for a traditional netwire enclosure.

Obviously, this could effect a considerable savings where new or replacement fencing is being planned.

Does it work? Anyone who has ever blundered into even the unimproved version of electric fence will testify that it has its merits for turning livestock. Predators, however, particularly coyotes, don't turn as easily, or they might, if you could be certain

of their exposure to the intended educational material.

Therein lies the rub, and Extension Service researchers as well as individual sheep and goat producers have been working diligently to devise and test methods of application.

As might be expected, the most effective predator control versions of electric fence are expensive, going far beyond the types of design most ranchers would want to spring for. Other plans with varying degrees of effectiveness range from single trip wires to five, seven or nine-wire versions. Some tests have even shown success with altered versions of existing barbed wire fences.

The barbed wire applications, however, could be safety hazards; people or livestock have been known to snag on the barbs, and a failure to get loose quickly could prove fatal.

No reasonably economical fence will turn every coyote, particularly one wanting to escape an enclosure, but tests on three wire electric fences have shown much promise. When unprotected goats and lambs were lost more frequently than once every other day, such barriers prevented all predation for almost three months. Resumption of predation in one test came when lightning knocked out the charger; in another, a coyoted managed to dig under a fence in sandy soil.



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Bulldogs Hand Broncos 34-10 Defeat Friday

★ Sports ★

By Don Holdridge
Several years ago a popular bumper sticker read "Speed Kills."



Reserve Bronco quarterback Kent Cagle gets set to fire a pass during fourth quarter action in Brady last Friday night. Joey Kirby [40], fullback substitute for injured Johnny Creek, provides pass protection.

Sonora found out how true the message was Friday night as the blazing Brady bulldogs turned on their afterburners in the second half to scorch the Broncos, 34-10.

Actually the Broncos probably played their best ball of the season through the first half, shutting out the vaunted Bulldog offense 10-0.

The second half was an entirely different game as Brady unleashed speedy Chris Jones on offense and headhunting linebackers Tim Lambs and James Timms on defense.

Jones broke the game open on Brady's first two plays of the second half with touchdown runs of 38 and 51 yards.

The elusive sprinter also set up Brady's third score on their next possession with a 34-yard jaunt to the Bronco nine-yard line.

Quarterback Ira Rount found the end zone, when with a fourth down and goal at the 12 he found his receivers covered and scrambled in just inside the flag.

The Broncos got their first tally late in the second quarter when Mike Jones booted a 32-yard field goal to a 64-yard line drive.

The scoreboard lit up again seconds later as Bruce Phillips picked off a Rount pichout and loped 11 yards to the goal line. Jones' PAT was good, and the Red Hosses took a shortlived 10-0 lead into the second half.

The first of Brady's fourth quarter insurance TD's came when Danny Barrera got behind the Bronco secondary to pull in a 23-yard Rount aerial.

Rount kept on an option play late in the game to record the game's final touchdown, a 48-yard dash.

Scoring By Quarters

Sonora	0	10	0	0-10
Brady	0	0	20	14-34

Sonora

Rushing- Lopez, 23 carries, 96 yds; Creek, 9 carries, 30 yds.; Kirby, 1 carry, 26 yds.; Granger, 6 carries, 13 yds.; Galbreath, 3 carries, 10 yds.
 Passing- Cagle, 4-8-2, 30 yds.; Granger, 2-10-1, 16 yds.
 Receiving- Phillips, 3 receptions, 34 yds.; Creek, 1 reception, 7 yds.; Kirby, 1 reception, 7 yds.; Reyna, 1 reception, 3 yds.

Brady
Rushing- Jones, 17 carries, 245 yds.; Rount, 8 carries, 70 yds.; Cross, 6 carries, 27 yds.
 Passing- Rount, 3-12-0, 34 yds.

Receiving- Barrera, 1 reception, 23 yds.; Bierman, 1 reception, 10 yds.; Jones, 1 reception, 1 yd.

Sonora	11	176	6-18-3	3-1	8-27.5	5-34
1st Dwns.	12	342	34	3-12-0	3-3	5-32.8
Rush. Yds.	34	3-12-0	3-3	5-32.8	4-37	
Pass. Yds.	3-12-0	3-3	5-32.8	4-37		
Fumb.-Lost	3-12-0	3-3	5-32.8	4-37		
Punts-Avg.	3-12-0	3-3	5-32.8	4-37		
Penal.	3-12-0	3-3	5-32.8	4-37		



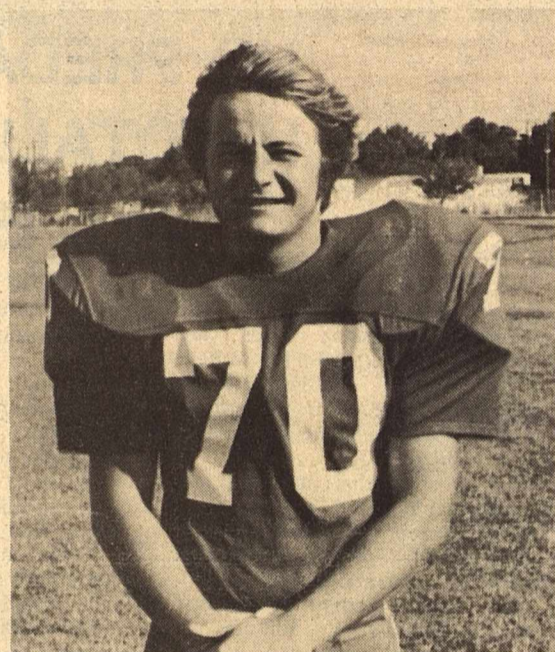
Bronco quarterback Benny Granger turns the corner in an option play during the first half of the Brady game last Friday. Chase Snodgrass [65] and teammates led the way for Granger.

BRONCOS PREPARE FOR BURNET



MIKE JONES

Mike Jones, 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jones, plays defensive end, offensive tight end and is the Bronco field goal kicker. Standing 6'0", he weighs 184 lbs. Mike is a 2 year junior letterman and has lived in Sonora 5 years. He is also interested in track.



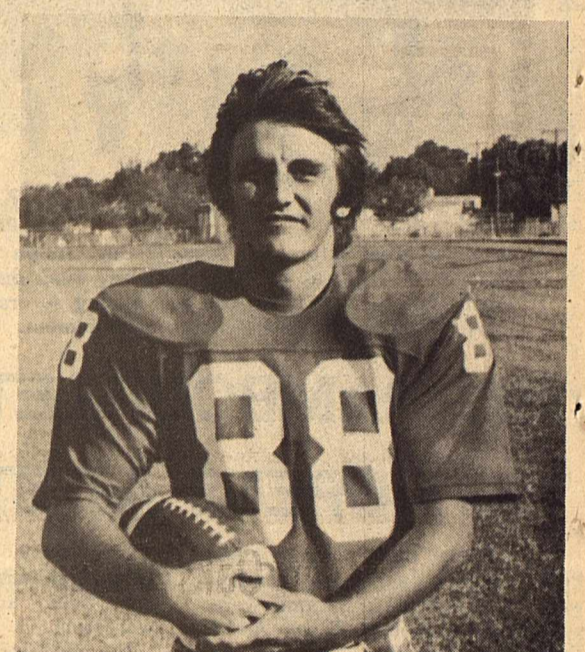
DAN LAWSON

Dan Lawson is 16 years old, standing 6'0" he weighs 170 lbs. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Lawson. He is a one year junior letterman, and plays defensive linebacker and offensive center and quick tackle. Dan has lived in Sonora 5 years and is interested also in basketball.



MANUEL LOPEZ

Manuel Lopez, 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Evelio Lopez, stands 5'7" and weighs 150 lbs. The defensive safety and offensive tailback is a 2 year junior letterman. He has lived 4 years in Sonora and lists football as his only sport.



BRUCE PHILLIPS

Defensive end and offensive tight end, Bruce Phillips is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Phillips. The 16 year old stands 6'1" and weighs 165 lbs. Bruce is a junior and has lived in Sonora 1 year. He is also interested in basketball.

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Broncos Host Burnet

By Don Holdridge

After two rough weeks of playing on the road, the Sonora Broncos will at last return to the friendly confines of Bronco Stadium for a Friday, 8 p.m. clash with Burnet.

Revenge may be in the air as the Bulldogs handed Sonora its only non-district loss in a 7-6 defensive battle.

Burnet fields a young but talented squad. However, injuries to key

players and the mistakes often associated with young teams, have left the Bulldogs saddled with a 1-3 record.

Bronco coach Bill Bundy leaves no doubt the talent is there, though. The team, mostly juniors, had never lost a game up through the ranks in junior high and junior varsity ball.

The quality of the Burnet squad plus the

fact that the Dogs have had a week off for injuries to heal, should prove them a force to be reckoned with.

The Broncos should be healthy for the contest. Johnny Creek, who suffered a concussion in the Brady game, was expected to be released from the hospital Monday and should be at full strength by Friday.

Bundy, though not thrilled with the score at

Brady, was optimistic. He seemed to feel the effort, except for breakdowns at two defensive positions, was the best of the season.

The Bronco mentor felt more consistency was still needed on offense, but noted a marked improvement in the offensive line, especially Steve Chandler.

Others Bundy mentioned favorably were Bruce Phillips, Manuel Lopez and Johnny Creek.



Manuel Lopez [33] breaks over left tackle for extra yards during the fourth quarter at Brady. Steve

Chandler [64], David Reyna [81] and Cody Savell [20] provide blocks.



Sonora's Cody Savell [20] sacks Brady quarterback Ira Routt, as the Brady option-minded back was pitching

out...the swift Brady backfield blitzed Sonora's defense in the second half to win 34-10 last Friday. [Photo courtesy Scott Campbell]

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8th Grade Colts Lose Close 13-12 Decision

By K. Holdridge

The 8th grade Colt's bid for another win was stolen by the Ozona Cubs in a thrilling final 3 minutes of play. Sonora lost a hard-fought heartbreaking 13-12 decision. Two touchdowns were scored in the final three minutes and an apparent Sonora score was called back by a clipping penalty.

The Cubs struck first as Varyl Aldridge hit Larry Payne for a 39 yard scoring pass with 4:35 left in the first quarter. Hector Leal kicked the PAT and Ozona led 7-0. The Colt defense led by Frisby Bible, Ponciano Castillo, Charley Carroll, and Hector Samaniego held the Cubs from other scores.

The offense couldn't break any scores as Allen Stewart's passes were dropped and Castillo and Longoria were consistently stopped at about the line of scrimmage. The half ended with Ozona ahead 7-0.

The second half was action-packed as Allen Stewart rambled around the left end for 45 yards and a TD. The 2 point PAT was unsuccessful and Sonora pulled within 1, 7-6.

The third quarter saw Sonora denied twice as Scott Savell hauled in a Stewart fourth down pass but fell on the 1 inch line and the Cubs took over on downs. John Blankenship caught a Stewart pass for an apparent score during the next Sonora drive, but was ruled out of the endzone and another Sonora attempt to take the lead was thwarted.

Joe Longoria scooted around right end to score from 80 yards out to apparently end Sonora's frustrations and the Colts finally led 12-7. Again the PAT was no good. However, Ozona wasn't satisfied to leave the score 12-7 and scored with 2:28 left. The Cubs again led 13-12. Sonora scored a TD that wasn't allowed because of a clipping penalty and couldn't manage to put together a scoring combination.

The second half offense was much better for the Colts. Savell and Stewart led the team and Castillo and Longoria strengthened their running abilities for added yardage. The second half defensive efforts were strengthened by Bible, Savell, Paxton, Pete Lira, and Castillo.

The 8th grade Reds are now 3-2 for the season.



8th Grade Colt Ponciano Castillo takes the ball on a play from quarterback John Blankenship [15] as Charley Carroll [70] gets in the action.

7th Grade Battle 0-0 Standoff

By K. Holdridge

The Ozona Cubs put a slight blot on the Colt record as the teams battled to a 0-0 standoff. The seventh grade record now stands 4-0-1.

The game was a defensive battle as neither team could push over the goaline. Sonora had an apparent touchdown called back because of a clipping penalty. Ozona managed six first downs during the contest and Sonora made only three. Ozona had one third down conversion for a first down while Sonora was completely unsuccessful on third down situations.



7th Grade Chris Reynolds [82] just barely misses catching a pass during the Ozona contest last week. Center Phillip Kemp [50] watches the incompleted pass after protecting the quarterback.

The Colt's deepest penetration came at the end of the first half where the Colts pushed to the Ozona 4 after Ozona's Harvey Huereca fumbled a punt. Ozona managed to get to the Sonora 4 before

running out of downs. Ozona was frequently in Sonora's end of the field but a non-breakable Colt defense led by David Buitron, Pascual Castillo, Joe Rodriguez, and Mar-

ney Sorenson stifled Ozona's attempt.

Offensive standouts were Castillo, Eddie Vallejo, and Sorenson.

Seniors Lead Attendance

Dr. Elroy Otte, principal of Sonora High School said Tuesday that the attendance percentage for the first six weeks of school was 97.435 with the seniors taking the highest percentage of attendance at 98.313.

Overall the senior girls lead percentage attendance with 98.321 and senior boys were in second with 98.303.

The junior class girls were in third with 98.246 percent attendance and the junior boys in fifth with a 97.515 attendance,

giving the junior class second place with an average of 97.981.

Freshman girls were in fourth place with 97.889 and freshman boys were in seventh place with 96.446 average attendance.

The sophomore class placed last percentage wise in attendance with the girls having a 97.082 percentage and the boys 96.287.

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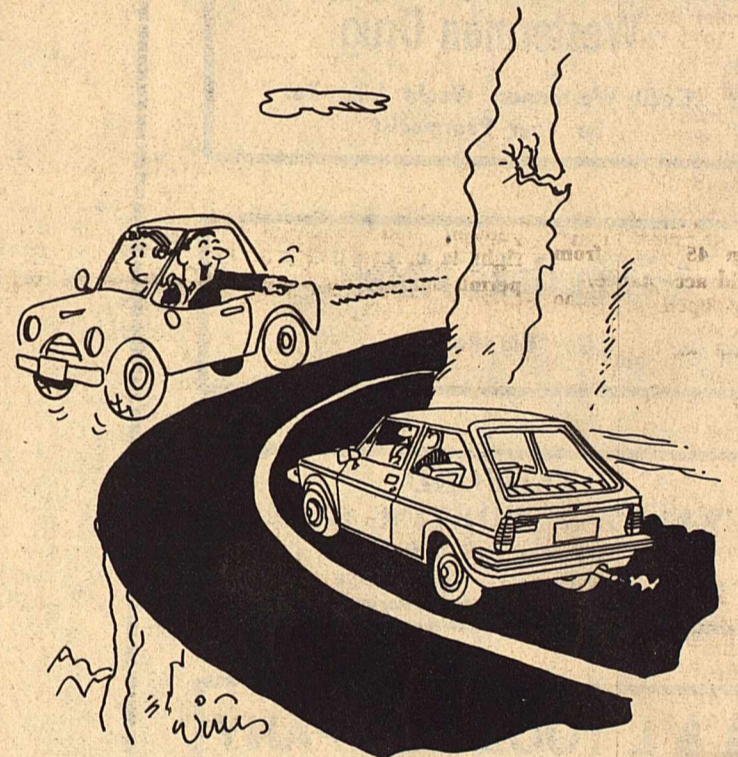
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Bronco fullback Johnny Creek [44] blasts through a hole in the Brady defense during first half action in Brady Friday night. Tackle Ross Roberts [75] helped open the hole. Creek was later

suffered a concussion during a kick-off return. He has since recovered from the injury and is reported to be ready for the Burnet contest this Friday. [Photo courtesy Scott Campbell]

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Advisor council member are Charles Graves, president; and Ben Solis, Sam Perez and Sam Stewart.

Members of the DE and pre-employment lab are now selling ruby red grapefruit and navel oranges. This fruit is tree ripened and comes in 20 and 40 pound boxes. It will be delivered a few days before school is out for the Christmas holidays.

Members of the DE

program this year are Thomas Adkins, Eugene Reyna, Lupe Gamez, Becky Boyd, Wilma Castro, Gregg Roberts, Lynn Virgen, Bobby Wills, Randy Favila, Lydia San Miguel, Marcos Perez, Bob Fry, Quincy Garmon, Nato Hinijosa, Edna Ramirez, Mike Kinard, Gerald Kreutzer, Darrell Mobley, Kevin Snyder, Jimmy Short, John Mormon, Mendy Holt, Susan King, Eddie Noriega and Pat Wade.

Those students in the pre-employment lab are Irene Castilleja, Sheila Doucet, Jesse Gamez, Christi Gonzales, Billy Jernigan, Debbie Perez, David Sanchez and Brenda Swyter.

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Community Calendar

Thursday, October 6
 3-5 p.m., Sutton Senior Center open
 6 p.m., Colts vs Kerrville here
 7 p.m., Bronco Junior Varsity, here
 Friday, October 7
 8 p.m., Sonora Broncos vs Burnet, here
 Sunday, October 9
 Services at the church of your choice
 Monday, October 10
 9 a.m., County Commissioners meeting in County Judge's office, courtroom
 3 p.m., Hudspeth Auxiliary meeting, Conference Room, Hospital
 Tuesday, October 11
 12 noon, Downtown Lions Club luncheon in fellowship hall of First Methodist Church
 1 p.m., School Board meeting, Superintendent's office, Central Administration Building
 2:30-4:30 p.m., Miers Home Museum open
 7:30 p.m., West Side Lions Club meeting, Commercial Restaurant
 7:30 p.m., Broncos Booster Club meeting, School Cafeteria
 7:30 p.m., Firemen's Auxiliary meeting, Fire Hall

Legal Notice

NOTICE TO BIDDERS:
 Effective October 14, 1977, at 10:00 A.M., The City of Sonora will commence to accept bids for two (2) vehicles to be used as police patrol units by The Sonora Police Department.
 These vehicles are to meet the specifications and consist of the equipment as described herein:
 Engine no less than 350 CID V8, 4 bbl., wheel base no less than 116.0", automatic transmission-heavy duty, heavy duty power front disc brakes, 15" heavy duty wheels with Police Special Tires, heavy duty frame, front & rear stabilizer bars, heavy duty suspension, heavy duty front seat, heavy duty cooling system, calibrated Police speedometer, power steering, heavy duty alternator and battery, gauge cluster consisting of Oil Ammeter and Water Temperature, air conditioner and heater, A/M pushbutton radio, tinted glass-all windows, spotlight-door post mounted, brown paint.
 Vehicles should be accompanied by a warranty of no less than 12 months or 12,000 miles.
 Bidders will be required to accept as trade-in, one 1973 Chevrolet Biscayne 4 dr and one 1973 Chevrolet Impala 4 dr. These vehicles will be traded on an "as is" basis for their fair market trade-in value.
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 The City of Sonora shall have the right to reject any and all bids. 2e6

Notice

NOTICE
 THE STATE OF TEXAS
 COUNTY OF SUTTON,
 TO ALL PERSONS
 INTERESTED:
 Aureliano R. Luna has filed a petition with the County Judge of Sutton County, on the 21st day of September 1977, for a WINE AND BEER RETAILER'S OFF-PREMISE PERMIT and makes, under oath, the following representation:
 1. The name under which the business is to be operated is LUNA'S GROCERY.
 2. Address or location 201 San Francisco Street, City: Sonora, State: Sutton.
 3. Mailing address 201 San Francisco Street, Sonora, Texas 76950.
 4. That the business is owned by an INDIVIDUAL.
 5. That reference is hereby made to the original application of applicant now in file for further information.
 6. OWNER: Aureliano R. Luna
 Wherefore applicant prays that lawful notice of this application be given and that on hearing hereof the Court authorizes the issuance of a license or permit as herein set out.
 Said application will be heard by the County Judge on the 7th day of October 1977, at 10:00 o'clock A.M. at the courthouse of said county in Sonora, Texas.
 Any citizen shall be permitted to contest the facts stated in the said petition and applicant's right to secure a license-permit upon giving security for all costs which will be incurred in such suit, should the same be decided in favor of the applicant.
 Witness my hand and official seal at Sonora, Texas, this 21st day of September, 1977.
 Erma Lee Turner
 Clerk of County Court,
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CLASSIFIED ADS

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 1965 Ply Fury NKP 987 [Tex] P95220819
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Notice
 CAUSE NO. 689
 Estate of B.E. Cartwright, Deceased.
 In The County Court Of Sutton County, Texas Sitting In Matters Probate
 Notice To All Persons Having Claims Against Estate Of B.E. Cartwright, Deceased
 Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the estate of B.E. Cartwright, Deceased, were issued to me, the undersigned, on the 27th day of September, 1977, in the proceeding indicated below my signature hereto, which is still pending, and that I now hold such letters. All persons having claims against said estate, which is being administered, in the County of Sutton, are hereby required to present the same to me respectively, at the address below given, before suit upon same are barred by the general statutes of limitation, before such estate is closed, and within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address is 1101 Harrison Lane, Hurst, Tarrant, County, Texas.
 DATED this 30th day of September, A.D., 1977.
 /s/ Billie Smith
 BILLIE SMITH, Individually and as Independent Executrix and as Trustee of the Will and Estate of B.E. Cartwright, Deceased 1c6

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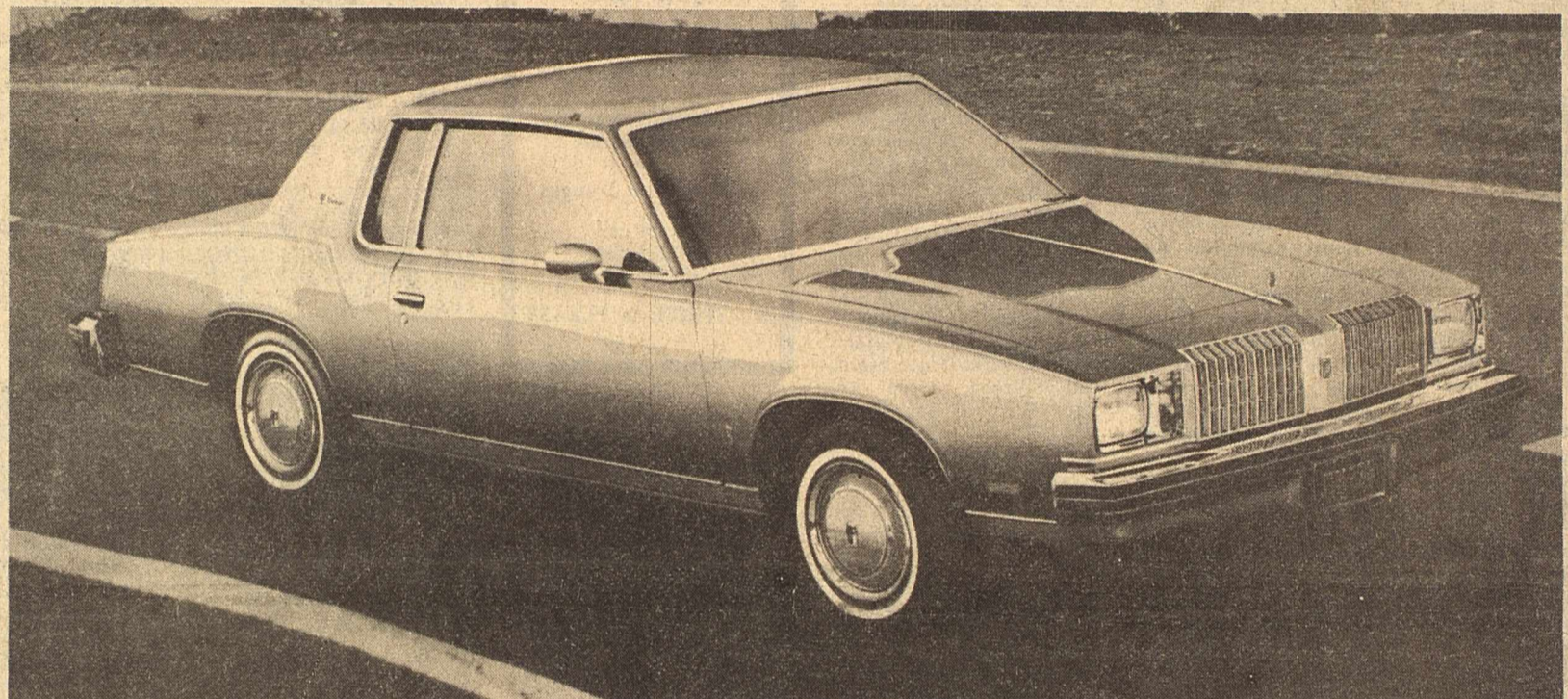
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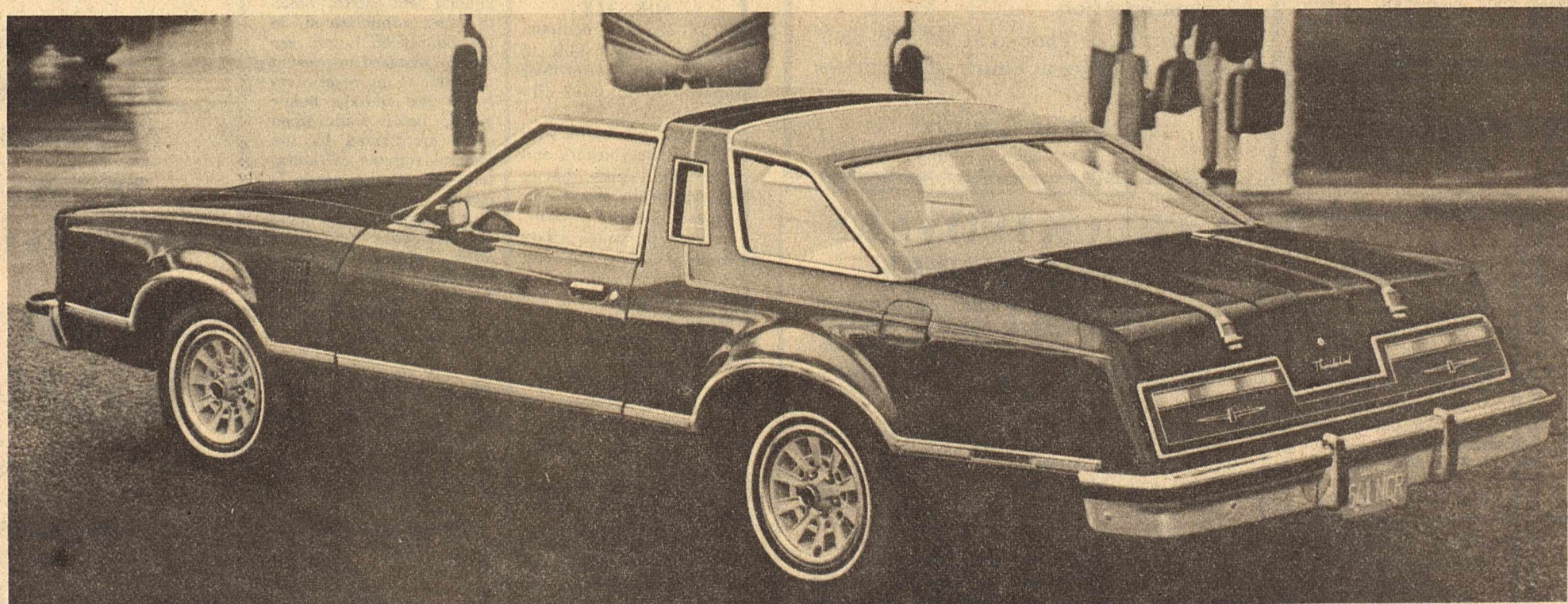
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