

# The Devil's River News

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## CINDERS

By John King

A tiny silver Devil charm now graces the clip on my Paper-Mate pen. Della, my wife, has a twin on a charm bracelet. Originally the figures were to be surprise Christmas stocking stuffers, an idea thought up by Clarence and Marie Key and Helen Johnson of the Ruth Shurley Jewelry when they spotted the horned devils in a catalogue.

Ordering difficulties held up delivery and so Marie, Clarence and Helen brought the devils Monday as a sort of Easter present, boxed complete with a tiny Easter chick on top.

Since Della's and my work deals with the "Devil" we will find these charms quite meaningful.

And while on the subject, the Ruth Shurley Jewelry is having an island sale this week; merchandise on center display islands is marked down for clearance. None of the ladies, however, went along with Clarence Key's suggestion that the sales ladies dress appropriately in grass skirts.

Martin Dyche, editor of the London Sentinel-Echo, observes:

If you're interested in death, and you travel by any means whatsoever, it is good to know what our chances are in the various means of conveyance. Most people might think that travel by commercial airliner is the most dangerous form of getting from one place to the other.

But the commercial airliner rate is 0.70 per hundred million passenger miles. If you use the per-mile yardstick, this compares with 2.3 per hundred million passenger miles in automobiles and taxis. (These figures represent the 1958-60 average.)

If you, however, compare commercial airliners with passenger trains and buses, the result is quite different. The death rate on both trains and buses was only 0.16 per hundred million passenger miles. Thus traveling by train or bus is almost five times safer than by commercial airliner.

And traveling by airliner is about three times as safe as traveling by automobile or taxi! So you can determine your chances pretty accurately before you travel if you know the percentages.

Non-essential spending is when the money is going to some other section of the country.

Joseph VanderStucken leads thus far in the Big Bass contest for 1964. His 6-pound catch at Clear Creek near Menard is the biggest for the year recorded by George Barrow.

The days of the year fall exactly the same as they did in 1908 and some companies who use calendars for advertising purposes are causing their customers to look twice at the calendar.

One such calendar hangs in Foxworth Lumber Company, complete with 1908 date and notes under each date about things to come in the future and recognized historical events that were important way back when.

The Electric Times offers this bit for your information:

A survey by Lloyd's Bank of England company publication on the fate of 100,000 paper clips showed that:

14,163 were twisted or broken during phone calls.

17,200 were used as makeshift bra and suspender hooks.

5,434 became toothpicks.

5,308 were used as nail cleaners.

3,196 became pipe cleaners.

19,143 were pressed into service as chips in cards games.

Thousands were dropped on the floor and swept away, and only

## Recognition Awarded to Boyd Lovelace, WTU Manager, for 25 Years of Service

Special recognition was recently given to Boyd W. Lovelace, manager for West Texas Utilities Company in Sonora, by his Company when his name was added to the Quarter of a Century Club in January. He has been serving as manager in Sonora since 1942.

His long period of service began in January, 1939, when he was employed in San Angelo as a merchandise salesman of electrical appliances in the towns of Ozona, Eldorado and Sonora.

The Lovelace family moved to Sonora in November, 1942, when he assumed his present duties as manager for the company.

Born in Plainview in 1902,



Boyd Lovelace

## Lions Roar

John Paul Friess, Jim Billingsley and Carla Whitworth debated the extension of social security to include medical care of the aged at the Downtown Lions Club luncheon Tuesday at the First Methodist Church.

The subject was the same as that used at the recent speech meet here. Friess and Billingsley will debate the subject in a district meet at McCamey April 11. Miss Whitworth will participate in informative extemporaneous speaking.

Jimmy Harris, Lion tail twister, reminded Lions that Tuesday afternoon was Broom Sale Day and that those who failed to show up would be fined.

## Wool House Sells Spring Mohair Clip

More than a half million pounds of mohair were purchased from the Sonora Wool and Mohair Company last week. The major portion of the spring accumulation was sold with prices at \$1.1650 per pound for the adult hair and \$1.3650 for the kid hair. Previous high price of the season for grown hair was \$1.1150.

Bids were taken last week on the Reick wool clip from the Roosevelt area. Fred T. Earwood, manager of the company, said Wednesday that the selling price has not been released.

## WEST SIDE LIONS CLUB WELCOMES NEW MEMBER

The West Side Lions welcomed a new member, Polo Cervantes, at their regular bi-weekly meeting Tuesday night, March 10, at St. John's parish house.

President Ernest Castro presided, and an open discussion was held concerning the building project planned by the club.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Howell visited in San Antonio with Dr. and Mrs. Frank Howell Jr., Jack, Clem, and Lesley last weekend. While there, they attended the opera, "The Love of Three Kings."

20,000 were used to clip papers together.

Lovelace attended high school in San Angelo and San Antonio. His early life was spent in San Angelo, Lubbock, and towns on the South Plains where his father, Chas. D. Lovelace, engaged in the colonization of some of the towns in that area. The elder Lovelace, now 91 years of age, resides in Bandera.

Before starting his long career with WTU, Lovelace worked as a salesman for the Alamo Lumber Company in Jourdan, as a salesman in Pleasanton, and later as a salesman for the Ferd Staffel Feed Company in San Antonio.

Lovelace moved to Uvalde in 1935 where he worked as a salesman for Central Power and Light Company in Uvalde and Crystal City. He resigned in 1939 and returned to San Angelo to join West Texas Utilities Company.

Active in civic affairs, Lovelace has been a member of the Lions Club for more than 25 years and is a past secretary of the Sonora Club. He is a past master of the Masonic Lodge, Dee Ora No. 715, and has served as an elder in the Church of Christ. He is a former scoutmaster of the Sea Scouts in Del Rio and former scoutmaster of Troop 19 in Sonora.

His hobbies are people, animals and photography, and he has always enjoyed working with boys. For several years he taught a class in photography during the summer youth program, instructing the members of the class in the basic principles of photography. In 1957 Lovelace was presented an award by the Photographic Society of America for "exceptional services and value to photography."

For many years Sonora has been an "unofficial collection point" for native West Texas animal and reptile life. Many live specimens have been brought to Lovelace for transfer to zoos in the Southwest. Many of them have been transferred to the San Antonio Zoo in Brackenridge Park.

Several years ago Lovelace secured a collection of the Texas Diamond Back Rattlesnakes for the St. Louis Zoo.

Mrs. Lovelace is the former Bonnie Walter of San Angelo. They were married in 1923 and have two daughters and one son. Darlene, now Mrs. Joe Seale, lives in Gainesville where her husband is manager of the Garyne Lumber Company. They have sons, Jim Bob, 10 and Gregory, 3.

The other daughter, Mrs. Donald McGara, lives in San Angelo. Mr. and Mrs. McGara have three children, Bonnie, 17; Mike, 15; and Paul Wayne, 10.

The son, Robert W. Lovelace, resides in San Angelo where he is associated with Laminated Products Company. The Robert Lovelaces have two sons, Bobby, 4 and Charley, 5.

## WEATHER

Compiled by J. E. Eldridge

Date	Rain	Hi	Lo
Wednesday, March 11	0	70	37
Thursday, March 12	0	72	38
Friday, March 13	0	79	53
Saturday, March 14	0	77	50
Sunday, March 15	0	72	31
Monday, March 16	0	75	43
Tuesday, March 17	0	75	44

Rain for the month .75; for the year 5.42.

## CONFIRMATION SERVICES SCHEDULED SUNDAY AT LUTHERAN CHURCH

Confirmation services will be held at Hope Lutheran Church this Sunday, announces the Rev. Arno Melz, pastor.

A class of four people who have completed two years of instruction in the teachings of the Bible will be presented. Two of the candidates are from Ozona, one from Eldorado, and one from Sonora.



Mrs. L. N. Stevens

## Mrs. L. N. Stevens, Sonoran's Mother, Buried in Bandera

Funeral services for Mrs. L. N. Stevens, mother of Mrs. C. O. Ridley, were held Wednesday, March 11, at 2 p.m. in Plummer Funeral Home Chapel in Bandera. The Rev. Travis McNair officiated.

Mrs. Stevens, 98, died Monday morning in Bandera at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rhea Mansfield.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Jones, she was born Lottie Inez Jones at the old Jones Ranch in Bandera County on October 24, 1865. She was married to L. N. Stevens November 29, 1883. Mr. Stevens died November 9, 1933.

Mrs. Stevens was a life-long member of the Methodist Church. Survivors include one son, Vio Stevens of Bandera, and seven daughters: Mrs. Mansfield, Mrs. Len Rayfield, and Mrs. Effie Davenport, all of Bandera, Mrs. L. H. Davenport of Austin, Mrs. Alton Ridley and Mrs. Lola Saul, both of San Antonio, and Mrs. C. O. Ridley; 14 grandchildren; 28 great grandchildren; and 9 great-great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were A. V. Saul, Donald Davenport, Maurice Stevens, Earle Eckhart, Floyd Ridley, and R. W. Shough.

Burial was in Bandera Cemetery.

## Funeral Rites Held For Silas M. Self, Sonoran's Father

Funeral services for Silas M. Self, 83, father of Clarence Self, were held Tuesday afternoon, March 17, in Junction. Mr. Self, a retired ranchman and a resident of Kimble County 61 years, died Monday morning in Kimble Hospital in Junction after an extended illness.

Mr. Self had ranched near San Angelo and in the Knoxville community near Junction. After his retirement several years ago, he moved to Junction.

Services were held at Plummer-Smith Funeral Home, and burial was in Junction Cemetery.

Survivors include two sons, Clarence Self and John Self of San Antonio; two daughters, Mrs. Frank Watson and Mrs. Ponton Kellogg, both of Junction; a brother; three grandchildren; and five great grandchildren.

## Neville Wins Golf Low-Putt Trophy

Carroll Cochran, Cleveland Nance, Tommy Thorp, and Jackie Sharp were members of the first-place team at the Sonora Golf Club men's tournament Sunday, and J. W. Neville won the trophy for least number of putts.

Second-place team was composed of Wallas Renfro, John Bell, Wilfred Berger, and Bud Smith, and third-place winners were Jerry Hopkins, Lea Roy Aldwell, Tommy Smith, and Jimmy Harris.

## Lions Broom Sale Sweeps Sonora Tuesday Afternoon

Plans have been completed for the annual Lions Club broom sale to be held next Tuesday afternoon, announces D. C. Langford, chairman of the Downtown Club sale. "A variety of household items will be offered at reasonable prices," states Pedro Galindo, chairman for the West Side Club sale, "and we hope that housewives will inspect their supplies and be ready to make purchases from Lions Club members."

All articles to be sold are made by blind workers, who share one-fourth of all proceeds with the local Lions. The sale will begin at 1 p.m. Articles may be purchased from a truck parked in front of the bank, and pickup trucks will transport volunteers all over town in a door-to-door campaign.

Assisting Langford in the Downtown Club sale is Herbert Fields, vice-chairman. Zone chairmen are Leon Neely, Zone I,

E. B. Keng, Zone II, Birl Dillard, Zone III, H. L. Stanley, Zone IV, Bobby Joe Granger, Zone V, Nolan Johnson, Zone VI, and Jimmy Harris, Zone VII.

Workers in Zone I include Lester Byer, Clarence Key, Shelley Lowe, Ralph Finkles, Bill Smith and John T. King. In Zone II Jimmy Menzies, Leo Merrill, Tom Davis, Buster Shroyer, Bill Tittle, and F. L. McKinney will be selling.

Zone III workers will be Albert Ward, John Tedford, Cleveland Nance, Don West, Darcy Carroll, and A. E. Prugel. In Zone IV will be Richard Sellman, R. S. Teaff, W. J. Thompson, J. W. Neville, John McClelland, and Jack Mackey.

Workers for Zone V will be Tommy Smith, Rev. George Stewart, J. C. Luttrell, Herman Smith, Norman Rousselot, and E. R. Ohnick. In Zone VI Gene Wallace, Joe Nance, Jack Kerbow, Jo Hardgrave, Bill Stewart, and Hillman Brown will be selling. Harold Scherz, Rev. J. C. Billingsley, Frank Bond, Bill Morriss, Jerry N. Shurley, and W. F. Berger will assist Harris in Zone VII.

Working with chairman Galindo in the West Side Lions Club sale will be Ernest Castro, Billy Gonzales, Abelino Sanchez Jr., Robert Duran, Raul Favila, Lupo Espinoza, and Santos Lopez.

## Special Services Planned For Holy Week, Easter

Special services and observance during Holy Week and on Easter Day are scheduled at most of the local churches.

The Rev. Allen G. Roe announces special features at the regular Sunday morning services on both Palm Sunday and Easter Day. On Palm Sunday at the 10:50 worship hour the class of boys and girls who have been receiving training under the pastor's guidance during Lent will be received into full membership in the church. On Easter Sunday there will be infant baptisms and a special anthem.

St. Ann's Catholic Church plans a full week of services beginning on Palm Sunday, according to Father Joel Byrne. At 7:45 a.m. on Palm Sunday there will be the Blessing of Palms, followed by Distribution of Palms, procession, and Mass including the reading of the Passion as found in St. Matthew. On Holy Thursday there will be a Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7 p.m., with Transfer of Blessed Sacrament and stripping of the Altars and Adoration until midnight.

On Good Friday the service of our Lord's Passion and Death is scheduled for 3 p.m., with the Way of the Cross to follow. On Holy Saturday the Easter Vigil begins at 10:45 p.m. with the Blessing of New Fire, followed by the Blessing of the Paschal candle, Procession, Blessing of Baptismal water, Renewal of Baptismal promises, Litany of Saints and the Easter Vigil midnight mass. Mass will be said at 9:30 a.m. on Easter Sunday.

St. John's Episcopal Church also has scheduled a full week of services during Holy Week. The Rev. J. C. Billingsley says on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday mornings there will be a service of Holy Communion at 9:30 a.m. On Maundy Thursday at 7:30 p.m. Holy Communion will be celebrated, followed by Stripping of the Altar. At noon on Good Friday there will be prayers and meditation, and a service of Evening Prayer and Lighting of the Paschal Candle is planned for Saturday at 7:30 p.m. On Easter Day the regular hours for services will be changed. There will be Holy Communion at 7 a.m. and Flowering of the Cross, Holy Baptism and Morning Prayer at 10 a.m. Young Churchmen will not meet Easter afternoon.

Three churches plan one special service during Holy Week and on Easter Day. The Rev. Arno Melz announces that Hope Lutheran Church will have a special communion service at 7:30 p.m. on Maundy Thursday, with a sermon on "Jesus on the Cross" by the pastor. The Rev. George Stewart says the Church of the Good Shepherd, Presbyterian, has scheduled an observance of the sacrament of the Lord's Supper at 7 p.m. on Maundy Thursday and will have baptisms on Easter Sunday. A sunrise service at 6 a.m. Easter morning will be held at First Latin American Baptist Church,

according to the Rev. C. S. Pena.

No special observances are planned at First Baptist Church, Church of Christ, or Church of Christ Southside.

## Gulf Restaurant Ownership Changes

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Dotson Jr. have moved to Sonora and will be the new owners of the Gulf Restaurant and the bus station.

In assuming management of the bus station, Dotson will service customers on as many as 46 buses a day. The number of buses stopping here varies seasonally from 15 a day to as many as 46. Almost all of the buses schedule their meal stops in Sonora.

Before moving here the Dotsons lived in Lubbock for about 10 years, where he was a driver for the Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma Bus Lines. They have three children, Pamela, 10; Arthur III, 8; and David, 7. They are living on College Street.

"We think we will enjoy living in a small town, and we plan to make this our permanent home," says Dotson.

## City Will Receive Fire Insurance Cut

Sonora will receive a one per cent reduction in the fire insurance key rate, according to an announcement from the State Board of Insurance. This will mean a \$199 savings if the present amount of insurance is kept in force.

The key rate is based on a system of charges and credits. Charges totaled 38 cents mainly because the fire department is a volunteer unit. Credits were given for having booster trucks, night watch service, arson rewards, firemen's training school and for teaching methods of fire prevention and principles of fire insurance in the schools.

John A. Martin Jr., city fire marshal, states that he will be glad to furnish programs on fire prevention for any interested groups.

## Baptists Remodel Church Buildings

Remodelling is underway at both the parsonage and church plant of First Baptist Church. The parsonage is being moved to a vacant lot immediately to the west of its present location. It will be bricked on the exterior and the interior will be remodelled.

The church plant is being remodelled downstairs and will be painted on the outside.

## Sara Stewart Wins Woodrow Wilson Fellowship Grant

Sara Su Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James N. Stewart, has received a Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation grant for graduate study next fall in the school of her choice.

Miss Stewart, a senior at Southern Methodist University in Dallas, is a geology major. She is a member of Phi Beta Kappa; Pi Delta Phi, honorary French organization; and Beta Kappa Gamma, comparative literature honorary society. She served as historian of Alpha Lambda Delta, freshman women's honorary organization, and as vice-president of the Geology Club. She was the recipient of the Dorothy Amann award her sophomore year, for scholarship, and is a member of the Methodist Student Movement.

A Woodrow Wilson Fellow is granted full tuition and fees for his first year at graduate school, as well as a stipend of \$1,800. Since 1957, Woodrow Wilson Fellowships have been made possible through grants totalling \$52 million from the Ford Foundation.

Winners in this year's competition number 1,507 and were chosen from over 11,000 college seniors. They make a total of 10,000 receiving Woodrow Wilson Fellowships since the program began.

## Church of Christ Building Underway

Property on the north side of the Church of Christ has been bulldozed in preparation for the erection of an 18 by 40 foot building which will be used for classrooms. The new structure will be connected to the present church building by an open hallway.

According to Clifford Fehl, minister, some of the labor will be furnished by members of the church. Mr. Fehl expects the building to be completed in time for Vacation Bible School, which will be held about the first week in August.

## Editorials... Features... Columns...

### Uh-Oh, Mr. Tax Man

The Internal Revenue Service knows that taxpayers are people and that people make mistakes, so it doesn't expect perfection in all the income tax returns filed each year. The IRS has noted rather snidely, however, that by some odd coincidence the majority of errors made by taxpayers favor the taxpayer, instead of Uncle Sam.

Well, the IRS, despite its imposing image and its trend toward computerized operations, is composed largely of people, too. And like taxpayers, IRS people can make mistakes.

This was proven recently in the tax guide "Your Federal Income Tax," which the IRS

publishes in order to help taxpayers avoid making mistakes. It had a mistake in the sample tax return it suggested that taxpayers follow. Someone copied the wrong figure in the space where wages were listed, putting down \$1,375 instead of \$1,025. The error threw the whole return out of kilter.

And, incidentally, the result was a reduction from \$114 to \$33 in the refund for the fictitious couple, Frank and Evelyn Jones—an \$81 error in favor of the IRS.

—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

### Executive Play Period

Business organizations have been hard put lately to find new status symbols to show the distance each man has climbed up the executive ladder. Such things as the width of carpeting or the number of windows in the office or the proximity of the desk to the elevator have been used as the rank insignia of the lieutenants, colonels and generals of industry. If a European psychiatrist gets his way, a new symbol will soon bow in: The amount of time the executive is allowed to play with his toys.

Dr. Max Ramseyer advises executives to play with children's toys, according to a story in a Geneva newspaper. They should do this, he says, to relieve their mental tensions. His patients are told to keep a good supply of toy tractors, airplanes and whatnot in their offices to relax with after a hard day of decision-making.

Dr. Ramseyer declares that the key men in the organization should be allotted one hour a day for "creative play," whatever that is. Those familiar with the psychology of the organization chart can see that the 1-hour play period could very easily replace the key to the executive washroom, at least as a status symbol. It soon may be that a boss who tells an employee to go fly a kite may not be firing him but promoting him.

However, the play period would have been a lot more satisfactory as a mark of executive prestige if Dr. Ramseyer had left off the last part of his advice. He suggests that the toys chosen should be in the 8-to-12-year-old mental level. "Below that level," the doctor explains, "they are too simple. Above that, they are too cerebral."

—The Dallas Morning News

## Brucellosis Tests, Politics, Tourists In Capital News

By Vern Sanford  
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN, Texas—For the first time in history, Texas Republicans will have an opportunity to express their preference for the GOP presidential nomination in a statewide straw poll.

Republican Executive Committee voted to hold the presidential referendum on the May 2 primary ballot. The opinion sampling has no binding effect.

Leaders of both parties, in simultaneous meetings in Austin, declined to submit requested referendums on sale of liquor by the drink and curtailment of Mexican nationals' commuting to jobs in Texas.

Names of Barry Goldwater, Nelson Rockefeller, Margaret Chase Smith and Harold Stassen will appear on the GOP ballot. Originally the names of

Richard Nixon, William Scranton, George Romney and Henry Cabot Lodge were included, but they were asked to be omitted. Rockefeller wanted off. He was told he had to stay since he already had announced.

Democrats responded warmly to Gov. John Connally's call for all-out support of President Johnson in party conventions. But they squabbled at length before accepting Dallas as the site of their September 15 state convention. Dallas finally won, 33-18 over Corpus Christi.

Connally made clear in a speech urging Johnson support that as governor he plans to keep control of the state party.

"It is important . . . to choose people (as convention delegates) who will be as strong for Connally in September as they are for Johnson in June," the Govern-

nor stated.

Without dissent the Democrats agreed on Houston as the site of their June 16 state convention to pick national presidential nominating convention delegates. The state party platform will be written and a new SDEC selected at the September meeting.

Republicans will hold their June convention in Dallas and their September convention in Austin.

Republicans adopted a resolution calling for a special legislative session on congressional redistricting, and decided to admit registered voters who did not pay their poll taxes (under new federal constitutional authority) to party conventions.

Both committees also got around to their required business: certifying statewide candidates for the primary ballot and selection of a place (Austin) for their May 12 meeting to canvass May 2 election returns.

**HOSPITALS LOSING DOCTORS**—Texas salaries aren't good enough to keep top doctors on the job at state hospital, Dr. James M. Schless, director of tuberculosis hospitals, told the hospital board at a recent meeting here.

He cited resignations of doctors at Harlingen State Hospital, East Texas Tuberculosis Hospital, and San Antonio State Hospital and possibility of the McKnight State Hospital clinical director's taking a job in another state.

Key medical jobs in the state institutions pay \$14,000 to \$15,000 a year, plus housing. Schless said the next Legislature will be asked to raise that to \$19,500.

Executive Director Raymond W. Vowell offered the Board for Hospitals and Special Schools a more cheering note: with completion of new facilities for the mentally retarded (which now house 9,813), the present waiting list of 1,800 may be trimmed to 500 by fall.

Schless also had an encouraging report: average hospitalization period of tuberculosis patients is shorter, and fewer are leaving the hospitals against medical advice. New and improved drugs are offering better hope of quick cure.

**STUDY HEARING PLAN**—The Governor's Committee on Education Beyond the High School will take its preliminary recommendations before college officials and state legislative groups during late May and June.

Chairman H. B. Zachry, still fighting a running battle with the capitol press over secret sessions of the 26-member committee announced the hearings. He said members will reach a tentative decision on recommendations at a meeting here April 17-18. Committee has balked at telling

### Years Ago

MARCH 16, 1934

The members of the Epworth League of the Methodist Church were guests of the Ozona League Sunday night.

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Mrs. A. W. Awalt was hostess to the Young Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church at her home Wednesday of last week.

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Graduation invitations have been ordered by the 17 members of the senior class, which will have commencement exercises on Friday night, May 19, with the baccalaureate service to be on the preceding Sunday, May 14.

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Mrs. Ervin Willman was hostess when the Junior Music Club met in her home Saturday afternoon, March 18.

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The Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star was host to chapters from Rocksprings, Eldorado, and Christoval at their meeting Tuesday night at the Masonic Hall.

### IRS Issues Rules On Travel Expense

Two important rules affecting claims for travel expense have been issued by the Internal Revenue Service since January 1.

For 1963 the taxpayer can claim ten cent a mile for each mile traveled on official business that was not reimbursed by the employer without regard to the over-all automobile expense and without prorating the personal and business expenses of automobile use.

Taxpayers who itemize personal deductions may also claim five cents a mile for medical and charitable travel during 1963.

reporters anything it has agreed on to date except a coordinating committee for all colleges and junior colleges.

A sub-committee on junior colleges reported a list of specific proposals, however, including a recommendation that no more junior colleges be elevated to four-year status. They also recommended that the state pay all instructional costs of the 33 existing and future publicly-supported junior colleges.

Zachry indicated the Committee will propose a "stair-step" or easy-stages approach to achieving a first class system colleges and universities. He hinted the committee will make specific recommendations for financing the proposed upgrading program.

**TOURIST PROGRAM IN HIGH GEAR**—The Texas Tourist Development Agency reports that national advertising is scheduled for summer issues of the New York Times and Chicago Tribune travel sections and for issues of Sunset, Redbook and Reader's Digest magazines. Some 36 travel writers from other states and Canada are due to take a week-long tour of the state in April to gather material for their columns.

**BACKTAGGING**—The "backtagging" of culls and dry cows may be used to solve the growing problem of certifying all Texas counties for brucellosis eradication. Dr. R. G. Garrett, executive director of the Texas Animal Health Commission, and Dr. John Wilbur, Veterinarian in charge of the U. S. animal disease eradication division in Texas, say the backtagging market testing program is in force in several northwestern states.

Under this program, culls and dry cows headed through concentration points on their way to slaughter are marked so that the state, county and herd from which the cow came can be identified.

When the cow goes to slaughter, a blood sample is taken and the results of a brucellosis test is recorded.

As Dr. Wilbur says, "Brucellosis being what it is, if older female animals are free of the disease, it is pretty certain the herd is free. In this way, about 97 to 98 per cent of the testing could be eliminated."

Dr. Garrett says backtagging could eliminate "down-the-road" testing by between 90 and 97 per cent in a given county.

The animal health officials announced that Texas has entered its third month without a reported case of screwworms.

### Aircraft Control Of Eagles Called Effective, Humane

Senator John Tower said last week that an investigation conducted by a bureau of the Fish and Wildlife Service supports his contention that changes should be made in the laws protecting the golden eagle.

In his report to constituents, Tower quoted from the "Report of Investigations of the Eagle Problem in Southwest Texas and New Mexico," conducted by employees of the Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife, Fish and Wildlife Service, of the Department of Interior.

The report noted that "there is some basis for the complaints that ranchers are suffering considerable loss of their livestock by eagles." The report continued that "it does not seem feasible that the livestock owner can adequately protect his flocks from eagle depredations by the presently permitted methods."

The investigating team was unanimous in the belief "that properly regulated aircraft control is the most selective, effective and humane method of eagle control."

Tower also noted that Texas Governor John Connally has written Secretary of the Interior Udall requesting that he permit eagles to be killed from aircraft as a means of protecting livestock herds and flocks.

Tower is author of an amendment to the pending farm bill that would give governors of the various States authority to designate the eagle a predator when it becomes destructive of livestock. The Secretary of the Interior would then be required to permit killing of the eagles in designated places. Under present law, the eagle is protected until the Secretary determines it a predator.

Australians were not the only aborigines to use boomerangs. They have also been found in India, Africa and North America, as well as Egypt and Europe.



WHAT IS THE WHATZIT? This time we are not sure. Neither is Jack Kerbow, whose father brought it to him from the Corpus Christi area about 12 years ago. It is two and a half feet long and has a one-inch muzzle bore. Jack says it is some kind of naval armament, but we wonder if some of gun enthusiasts might be able to identify it more precisely.

Elect

**Jerry Shurley**  
State Representative

66th District

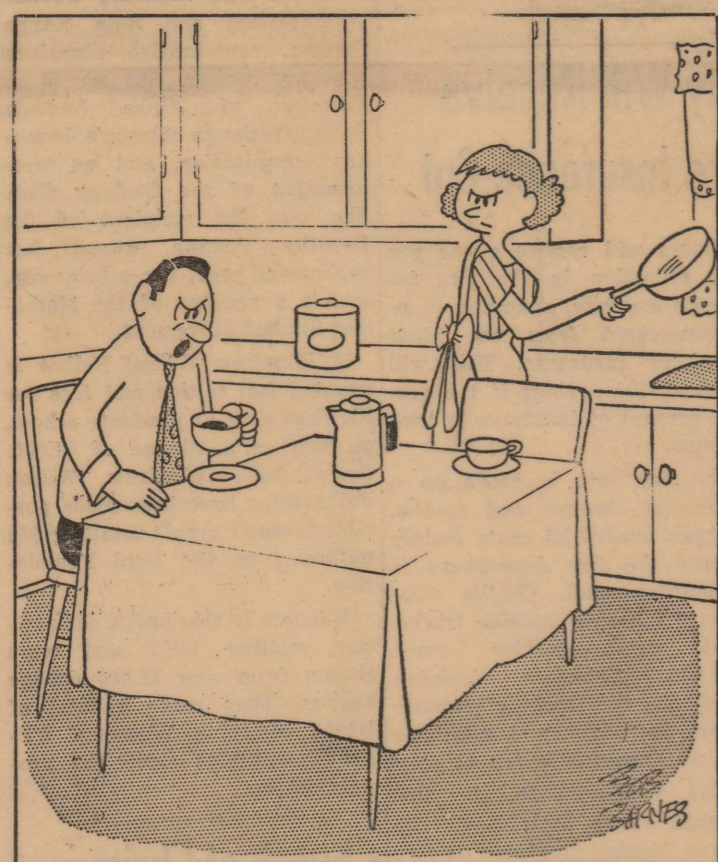
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In ceremonies, he leads when the justices walk in a procession. As a rule, he gives the oath to the President at his inauguration. Should a President be impeached, he presides at the Senate hearings.

Of the associate justices, only one, Samuel Chase (1796 to 1811) has been impeached, that is, accused of a wrong for which the Senate could remove him. Chase did lack "judicial temperament," he made political speeches and denounced the President from the bench. But such things are not crimes. His impeachment failed. The Senate would not remove him from office.

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Membership of the U. S. Supreme Court changes quite often. Justices take office for life, but a fair number retire from time to time for health reasons. For as

a rule, such honors came late in life.

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## THE TEEN SCENE

BY MARY DAVIS

The track meet was certainly exciting, wasn't it? Quite a few kids were home to enjoy the proceedings. Denzel Fisher was here, and Mary Baker, Alice Smith and Cleve T. Jones were here, too. It was nice seeing them again.

Another nice thing is seeing the familiar faces of Bob Nevill, Jimmy Cahill, and Johnny Fields around town. We are glad to see these boys out and around.

Corky Fields is back at school again this week after having a little eye trouble. He realizes, now, what it is like not to see for a while.

Gilda Ingram visited here over the weekend, and on Monday she went to school with some of her old classmates. She says that she misses the kids around here and that living in Eunice, New Mexico, is quite different from living in Sonora. The schools are about the same size, but the kids are different. Here everything is Western, there it is more "Cat daddy type".

Don't forget to take your money to school for admission to the assembly, Thursday. Stu Scott and his puppets should be very entertaining.

Tom Ed Glascock brought a visitor to school last Friday. His cousin, Dick Stevens of San Antonio, was visiting here. Dick didn't have to attend school because the teachers in that area had to go to a teachers' meeting.

## Happy Birthday Calendar

Friday, March 20

Leon Morris  
H. C. Kiser  
J. T. Ratiiff  
Mrs. Jim Pharis

Saturday, March 21

**Domingo Gutierrez  
Receives Training  
In Signal School**

Private Domingo I. Gutierrez Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Gutierrez, has enrolled in the U. S. Army Signal School at Fort Monmouth for intensive technical training. He is a 1962 graduate of Sonora High School.

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Saturday, some of the band students will go to Brownwood to solo and ensemble contest. Those from the high school band who will be going are Barbara Holland, Janie Letsinger, Bonnie McKinney, Dick Hardgrave and Robert Kelley. Lots of luck to these kids. Let's hope they come back with some firsts.

Everyone go over to Eldorado and back the track team Saturday. These boys are doing real well this year, especially when you take into consideration the fact that this is the first year for quite a few of the boys.

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George Barrow  
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Tommy Smith  
Connie Pharis  
Walter H. Kokernot  
Mrs. Leo B. Merrill  
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Collier Shurley  
John Paul Friess  
Dan Richardson  
Georgeanne Schwiening  
Monday, March 23

Mrs. Rena Trainer  
Mrs. Preston Prater  
O. L. Richardson  
Maggie Galbreath  
Mrs. Bill Stewart  
Regina Trainer  
Tuesday, March 24  
Mrs. Hub Hale  
Mrs. Robert Rees  
Sherryl Rutherford  
Wednesday, March 25  
Bobby Hal Rees  
Mrs. W. O. Crites  
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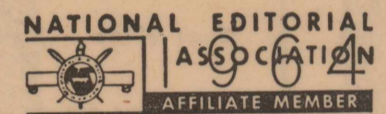
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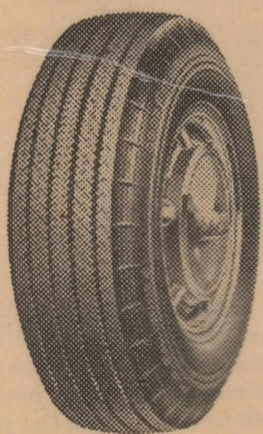
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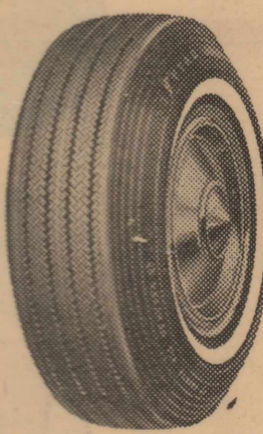
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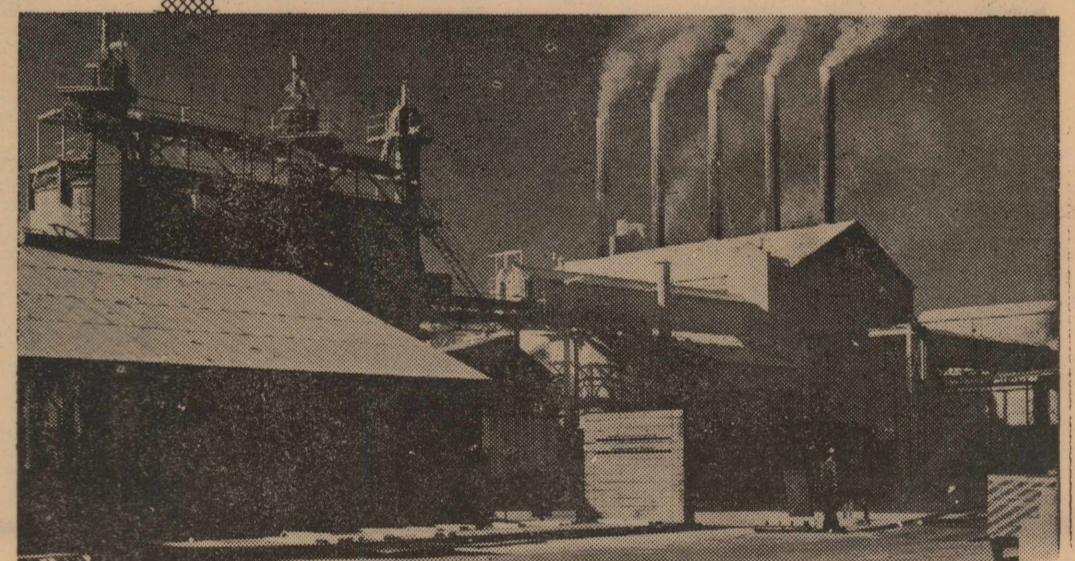
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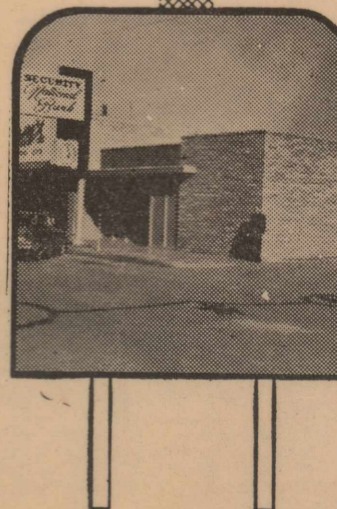
Many industries are established close to natural resources. One is pictured above — the Bestwall Gypsum Company near Quanah, where gypsum wall board and allied products are made. It is near Quanah because of large gypsum deposits there, and is a perfect illustration of the economic value of a natural resource to a community.

Employing 200 people, it adds payrolls, increases consumer sales, builds deposits in banks such as the one pictured left, and is a major factor in the Quanah economy.

This is a PATTERN FOR PROGRESS.

It is because here is a manufacturer using a natural resource. National studies show that each 100 new factory workers in a community increase local personal income by \$660,000, bank deposits by \$229,000, and create 65 new nonmanufacturing jobs, besides increasing all types of consumer sales.

The manufacture of natural resources pays big profits to a community, and almost every community has natural resources subject to development. WTU urges every community to assess and evaluate its own natural resources as a basic step in economic development.



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### Woman's Club Tells Style Show Plans

Plans for an all-cotton style show, featuring the latest patterns and fabric finishes, have been announced by Mrs. Armer Earwood, program chairman of the Sonora Woman's Club. The "Cavalcade of Cottons" loan wardrobe will be provided by the National Cotton Council and McCalls' Patterns to demonstrate

the practicality of home sewing of garments ranging from swimsuits to formals. The style show will be preceded by the regular monthly luncheon of the Woman's Club at 12:30 p.m. The public is invited, and those wishing to attend are asked to make reservations with Mrs. Albert Ward or Mrs. R. L. Hardgrave by Monday, March 30. The luncheon and fashion showing will be held at St. John's Parish House.

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### Mrs. McClelland Has Bridge Club

Mrs. Ernest McClelland entertained the Tuesday Night bridge club last week at the Holiday Host restaurant. High score for members was won by Mrs. Louie Trainer, and Mrs. Belle Steen won at bingo. Guest high was won by Mrs. W. J. Fields, slam by Mrs. J. W. Neville, and guest bingo by Mrs. Anna Morris.

Other members present were Mmes. Bob Vicars, P. J. Taylor, L. E. Johnson, R. G. Nance, Lois Duncan, W. O. Crites, and John Bell.

Other guests included Mmes. Eulah Newell, Miers Savell, Joe Berger, Libb Wallace, Shelley Lowe, Duard Archer, Collier Shurley, and Johnny Hamby. A dessert plate was served.



### Diana Krueger, Gerald Ray Nolen To Wed in April

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kruger of Marion announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Diana, to Gerald Ray Nolen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billie Wright Taylor. The wedding will take place on April 11 at the First Lutheran Church in Marion.

Nolen was formerly employed by an electronics firm in San Antonio and is now serving in the U. S. Army at Fort Leonardwood, Missouri.

### Diamond Appraisal Course Completed By Clarence Key

"Until I attended the class I never knew the importance of the old adage 'If you don't know your diamonds know your jeweler,'" said Clarence Key of the Ruth Shurley Jewelry. Key recently attended a special one-week diamond-appraising class held at San Antonio, conducted by the Gemological Institute of America.

"There are so many ways to upgrade diamonds and so many variables affecting the value of diamonds that the amateur hasn't a chance," said Key.

"Color, proportion, clarity, cut and finish are things closely related to the value of a diamond. Carat weight has no meaning unless it is related to these other variables. For instance, a large carat diamond may be offered at a 'bargain' price because it lacks a good finish. This finishing would diminish the size of the diamond, yet add to the value," said Key.

The major portion of the class-work was aimed at training jewelers in diamond appraisal. Supervised practice in color, clarity, proportion and finish grading and pricing was stressed. Students had the opportunity to examine quantities of cut diamonds with microscopes, gauges and other specialized instruments for developing grading and evaluation skill.

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### Hospital Auxiliary Continues Project Of Stuffing Toys

Members of the Hospital Auxiliary continued work on making stuffed toys for children at the hospital at their meeting last Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. F. Howell. The devotional was given by Mrs. W. L. Davis.

Mrs. Bailey Renfro, vice-president, presided at the business meeting during which a nominating committee composed of Mrs. Dan Cauthorn, chairman, Mrs. W. L. Davis, and Mrs. Alvis Johnson, was elected. Committee reports showed that three dozen magazines had been taken to the hospital, and it was announced that a state meeting will be held in Austin in late May.

Mrs. Bill Fields and Mrs. Arno Melz were introduced as new members, and Mrs. J. B. Wright was a visitor. A salad plate was served to members and guests, and yellow and white jonquils were used in decorating.

ATTEND CHURCH SUNDAY

### The Devil's Workshop

An Idle Mind Column

By Della King

Friday morning at 8:10 a.m. spring officially begins, and it seems to me that it is high time. E. B. Keng says that this will be a "yellow spring" with an abundance of yellow flowers. A blanket of them is already beginning to appear along the highway east of town.

The Fling Ding decorating committee is an enthusiastic, hard working crew. The word is that the decorations are especially beautiful this year.

Cynthia Ward was giving last-minute instructions to her three youngsters, Cathy, Gus, and Kelly, before leaving them with the sitter. "Now then, I want you to play nicely. If you do, there is some chocolate pudding you may have. Then I want you to be in bed by 8:30 and go right to sleep. Is that clear?" "Yes, Mommy," came the three prompt replies. And then a sweet little voice, "Is it clear to you, Mommy?"

### Gift Party Honors Mr. and Mrs. Sykes At School House

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sykes were honored at a gift party Saturday night by Messrs. and Mmes. Estes Adams, Elby Adams, Curt Schwiening, Billy Frank Turney, Lester Garrett, Bill Shroyer, and Fred Maxey. The event was held at the old Cedar Hill school house on the Llano River.

Guests were registered at a table lighted by small red candle cups on tall stem holders behind an arrangement of red carnations and driftwood. A large bowl of mixed flowers centered the gift table.

The serving table was covered with a yellow cloth, and the centerpiece was yellow daffodils in a native rock setting flanked by hurricane lamps. An earthenware dish held cookies, and punch was served from a brown stone-ware crock.

About thirty guests played 42 and dominoes.

Mrs. R. V. Cook of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cook and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Roberts of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lomax in Tipton, Oklahoma, last weekend.



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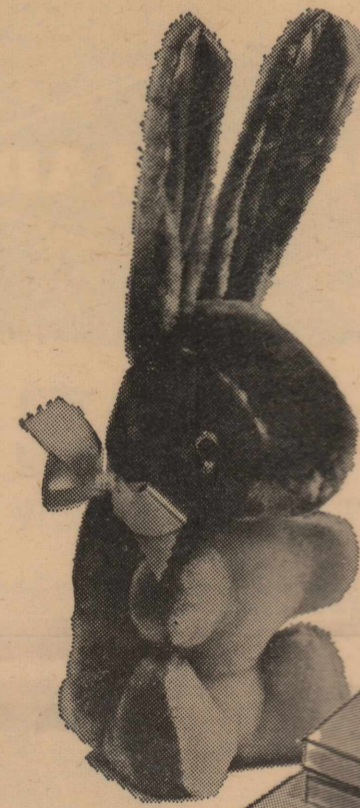
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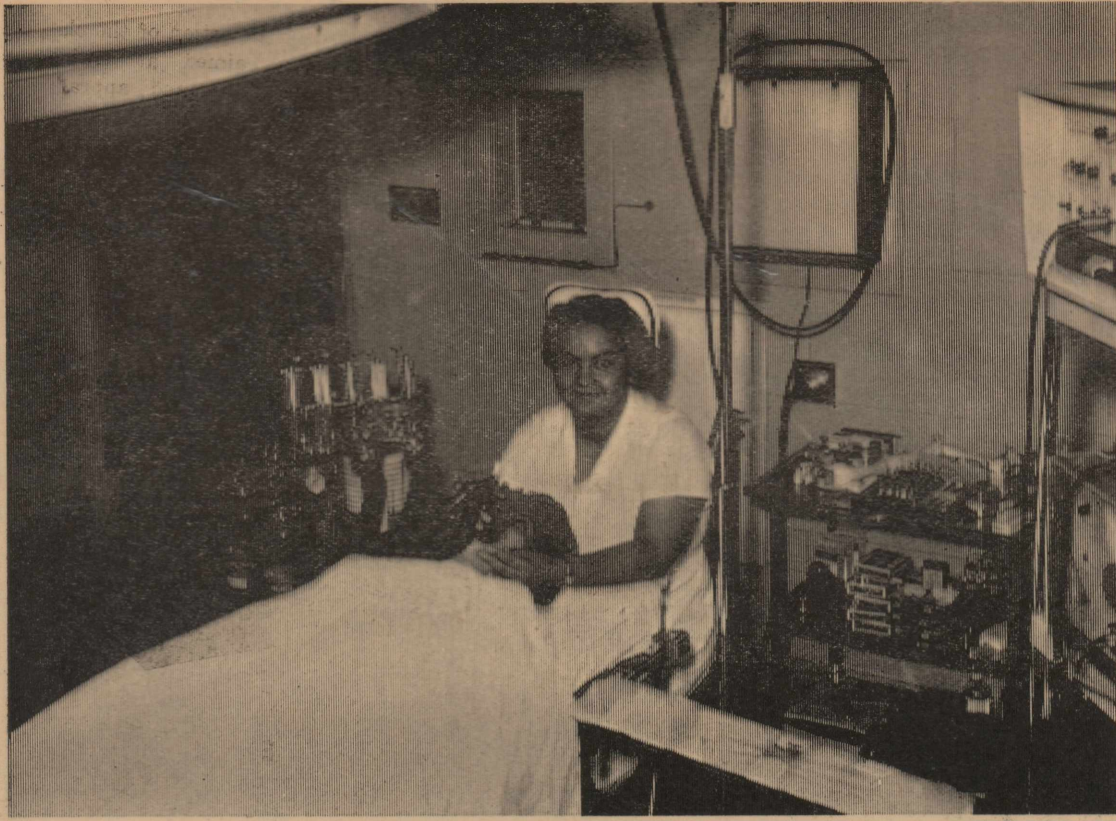
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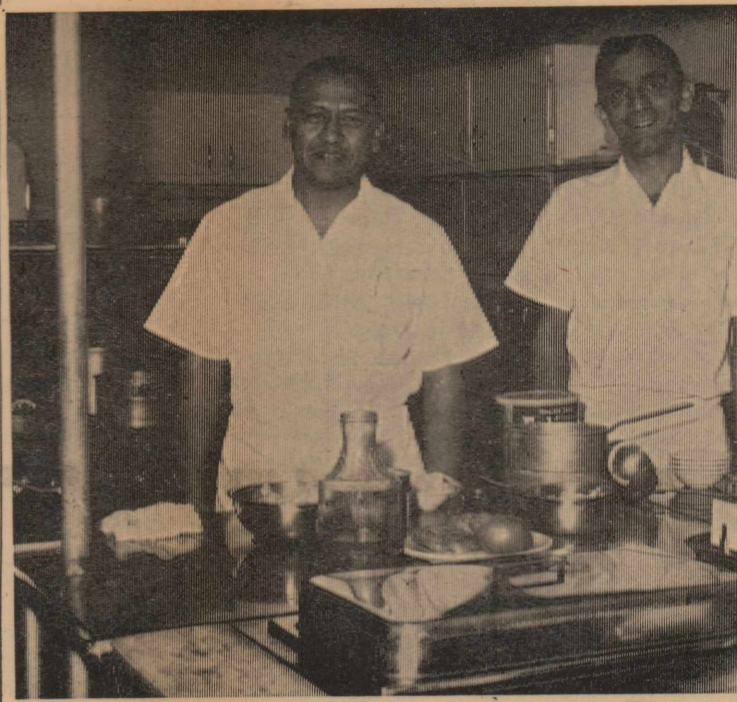
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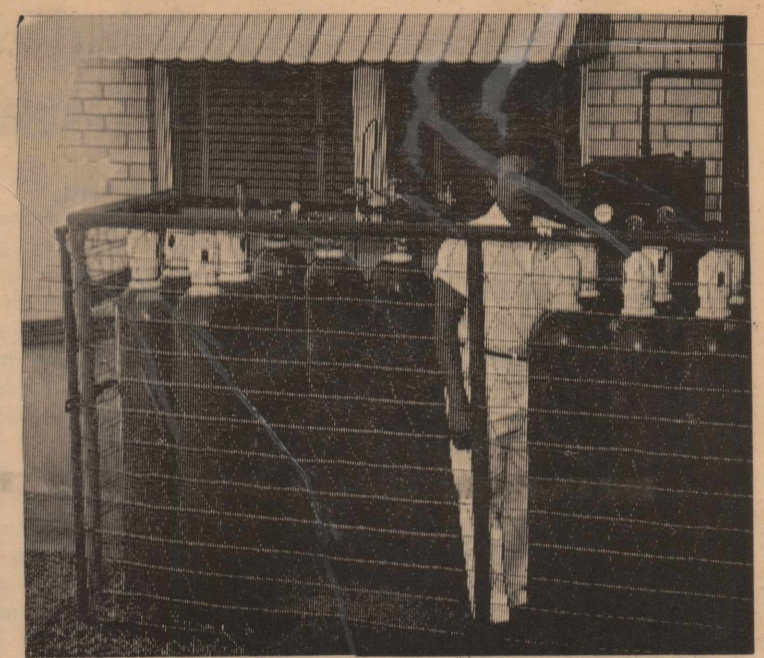


Our current series about Hudspeth Memorial Hospital is completed with these pictures of facilities and equipment to serve patients.

Above, Mrs. Delia Pina, supervisor of nurses, demonstrates the administration of oxygen.



KITCHEN EMPLOYEES Ralph Gonzales and Arturo Trevino are shown above in the kitchen at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital. Meals for patients are prepared in strict accordance with the doctor's orders and are part of the treatment.



TANK FARM—Pictured above are oxygen tanks used for piping oxygen into each room at the hospital. The tanks are located at the south end of the building.

LOCAL WOMEN ATTEND WSCS CONFERENCE MEET

Mrs. Ben Cusenbary and Mrs. Allen Roe attended the annual meeting of the Southwest Texas Conference of the Woman's Society of Christian Service held in Kerrville last week. About 500 women attended the three-day meeting which was held at Mount Wesley Methodist Encampment. Mrs. Roe was elected secretary for children's work for the Con-

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ferene. Mrs. Cusenbary, treasurer for the District WSCS, reports that the District meeting will be held in Sonora on April 9.

A round-cut diamond has 58 facets.

Bill McClelland, a student at North Texas State University at Denton, was here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McClelland, last weekend. With him was George Robertson, formerly of Sonora. Robertson is now in San Antonio receiving basic training in the U. S. Air Force.

ATTEND CHURCH SUNDAY

Injured Man's Wife Voices Gratitude To Doctors, Hospital Staff, Residents

By Pat Billingsley

Claire Alley was about to wind up a morning's teaching at Pecos High School when word was brought to her that her husband, Les, had been critically injured in an automobile accident near Sonora early that morning of February 24. Her main problem in getting to her husband's bedside was finding someone to care for their two children, Janet, 10, and Ann, 8. But this was soon solved—a good friend, a doctor's wife in Pecos, assured Claire she would care for the girls as long as necessary—and by 1:30 in the afternoon she was on her way.

When she arrived at Hudspeth Hospital, Claire found that her husband was unconscious due to brain concussion, and also had a bad break in his arm and a punctured eye. "For the first few days I felt pretty hopeless," says Claire. "But on Thursday morning after the accident on Monday, he attained a semi-conscious state, and somehow he just looked better, and I began to feel encouraged about him."

For ten days after arriving here, Claire and Les's mother, who came from Humble to be with her son, stayed in a local motel. After that, arrangements were made for them to room in the nurse's quarters. Until this past Sunday Claire had stayed at her husband's bedside almost continuously during the day, and sometimes up until midnight. Sunday she went to church and spent part of the day visiting with one of her new-found friends. "I probably would have gone stir-crazy, had it not been for the kindness of so many of the local people," says Claire very gratefully. In fact, she has nothing but praise for everything about Sonora, particularly, of course, the hospital and doctors and all its employees. "Since it had to happen, I'm glad it happened here," she volunteered. One weekend a friend brought the two children to visit, and after she had been here about two hours Janet, the older girl, said, "Mama, I would sure like to live here."

The long vigil at her husband's bedside has not been without its lighter moments. Claire laughed as she recounted how she evoked the first words Les spoke to her after the accident. Using her pet nickname, she said to him, "All right, Magoo, you have talked to everybody in this hospital but me, and I'm getting jealous! Do you love me?" The only answer to this was an "uh-huh" spoken in a deep voice. Claire laughed and continued her probing, saying to the nurse standing nearby, "Pretty soon he'll be singing soprano in the choir." Les couldn't stand this insult, and he spoke his first words to his wife rather indignantly, "I sing bass."

As of Monday morning, Claire thought that in the next day or two her husband would be moved to the Veteran's Hospital in Houston, where he can receive therapy that he seems ready for now. (He served over seven years with the Marines before and during World War II.) "I'll go back to Pecos and resume my teaching and also try to take care of Les's business," Claire states. Alley has his B. S. Degree from

Texas A&M, and his Master's from Ohio State in horticulture, and is a registered plant breeder. He is the owner of a seed business in Pecos, and this is the business Claire hopes to keep going. "It'll be hard, because he kept so much in his head," she says.

Claire Alley's clear, direct blue eyes express both confidence and realism about the future. She says she realizes that her husband may never be completely well, that he may not remember some of the things about his business—that he may not even be able to continue in the same business. But somehow, from talking to her you get the feeling that they will manage, whatever the outcome of Les's treatment.

"And one thing that's certain," says Claire, "is that we'll be back to visit, and we'll never forget the kindness of the people in Sonora."



HIGH-POWERED microscope is used by Dr. J. F. Howell in the Hudspeth Hospital laboratory. The lab work at the hospital is done by Albert Everett, who in addition to being administrator is also a registered technician.

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**40% Off Island**

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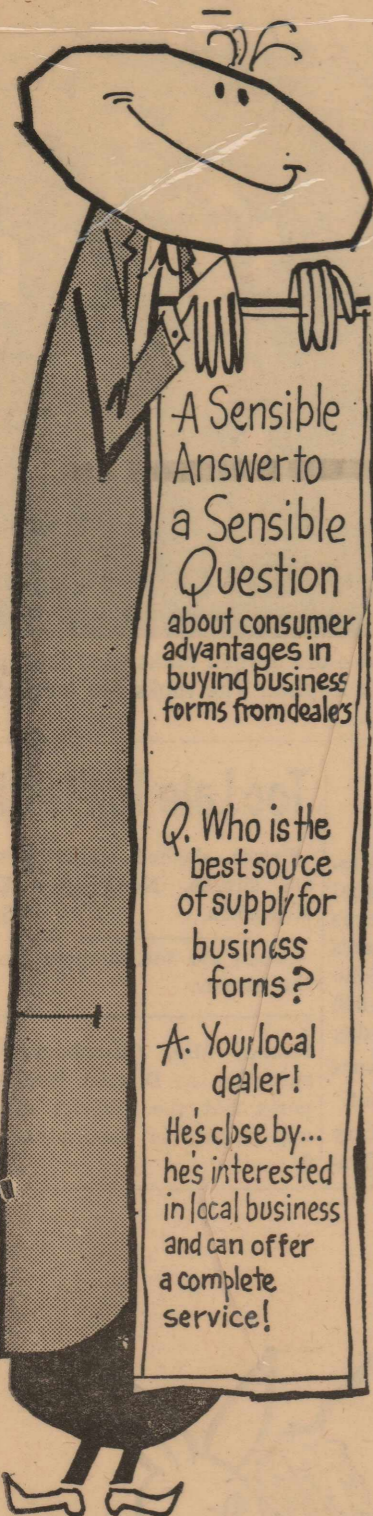
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Devil's River News

Yellow Spring Flowers To Be Abundant As Plants of Mustard Family Flourish

By E. B. Keng  
Soil Conservation Service

Warm March days and good soil moisture are combining to herald the rapid approach of Spring. Cool season plants, suppressed by a winter with more than normal below-freezing days, are now making rapid strides to make up for lost time.

Annual weeds seem to take turns in dominating the scene— influenced by temperature, moisture and perhaps many other unknown factors. This is a "mustard" spring. Several species of yellow-flowered plants of the mustard family are unusually abundant this spring. These include pepperweed, tansy mustard, golden corydalis or scrambled eggs, bladderpod and hedge mustard.

The bladderpod, often called cloth-of-gold, is beginning to bloom extensively at the present time. It makes a yellow carpet on thin soils along roadsides, or in lightly grazed pastures. It is relished by sheep and goats. Hedge mustard is a tall growing, dark green plant which resembles tame mustard and grows primarily on waste areas.

Golden corydalis grows in small patches on deep, fertile areas and resembles "scrambled eggs". This plant is poisonous, but losses to livestock are very light.

Pepperweed—so called because of its peppery taste—is just starting to bloom. The flower is very inconspicuous. This plant is grazed to some extent by sheep and goats but is not considered very important.

Following this first wave of spring-bloomers, other plants will dominate the countryside, providing both livestock feed and beauty.

Though grasses are the "bread and butter" plants for livestock, forbs are also very important in

adding variety, quality and quantity to the diet. Ranch management should be designed to maintain a good grass cover for maximum livestock feed, soil protection and water conservation. Good forbs will then be available when moisture conditions are favorable.

With continued spring moisture this will also be a "record" bitterweed year. Several dry summers have thinned out the grass competition, and the January rains were ideal for bitterweed production. Good summer moisture and moderate grazing pressure will be necessary to restore adequate grass production.

Proper Nutrition Of Cows Follows Productive Cycle

"Cows raising a 450-pound calf each year will need an average of 10 pounds total digestible nutrients (TDN) per day," said Dr. K. S. Eng Jr., assistant animal husbandman, Gulf Coast Pasture-Beef Cattle Research Station, Angleton.

However, the 10 pounds of TDN per day is only an average, the husbandman said. During the four months following calving when a cow is scheduled to be rebred and at the same time is nursing a calf, she needs 16 to 18 pounds of TDN per day.

Forage is about 50% TDN, he pointed out.

From the time the cow's calf reaches four-months age until weaning, the cow's TDN requirement lessens until she needs only about nine pounds TDN at weaning. "After weaning she's on vacation," Eng said. "During this period her TDN requirement remains low."

In his remarks, Eng emphasized that good stockmen feed their cows according to need during the annual production cycle. He suggested planning calving dates for periods when forage is most plentiful so cows will have necessary energy for good milk flow and for fertility.

"If cows don't get enough to eat during the critical period after calving, they may be in such poor condition they won't breed back. When this happens, there's no calf the following year and this is infinitely inefficient," he said.

ACCENT ON HEALTH

500,000 Children Poisoned Each Year

"Children act fast, and so can poisons."

That's the theme of National Poison Prevention Week this year.

The same child who won't drink his fruit juice will cheerfully and quickly gulp such unappetizing things as detergent, insect spray or kerosene. In recognition of the more than 500,000 U. S. children who swallow such unlikely things as household sprays, lye, gasoline, aspirin, bleach, rat poison and furniture polish, NPPW will be observed March 15-21, throughout the nation.

One review of 2,133 cases of accidental poisoning, conducted by the National Clearinghouse for Poison Control Centers, found that in 63 percent of the cases the offending substance had not been returned to its customary storage place after use.

The problem of accidental poisoning is becoming so acute that the American Academy of Pediatrics lists it as the most common medical emergency among youngsters.

National Clearinghouse authorities say prime poisoners of children are not the bug killers or insect sprays which are clearly stamped with the skull and crossbones, but the headache pills, the caustics used to clean drains, the fluid used to fill lighters.

"Skeptics must be convinced of this fact," says the Clearinghouse.

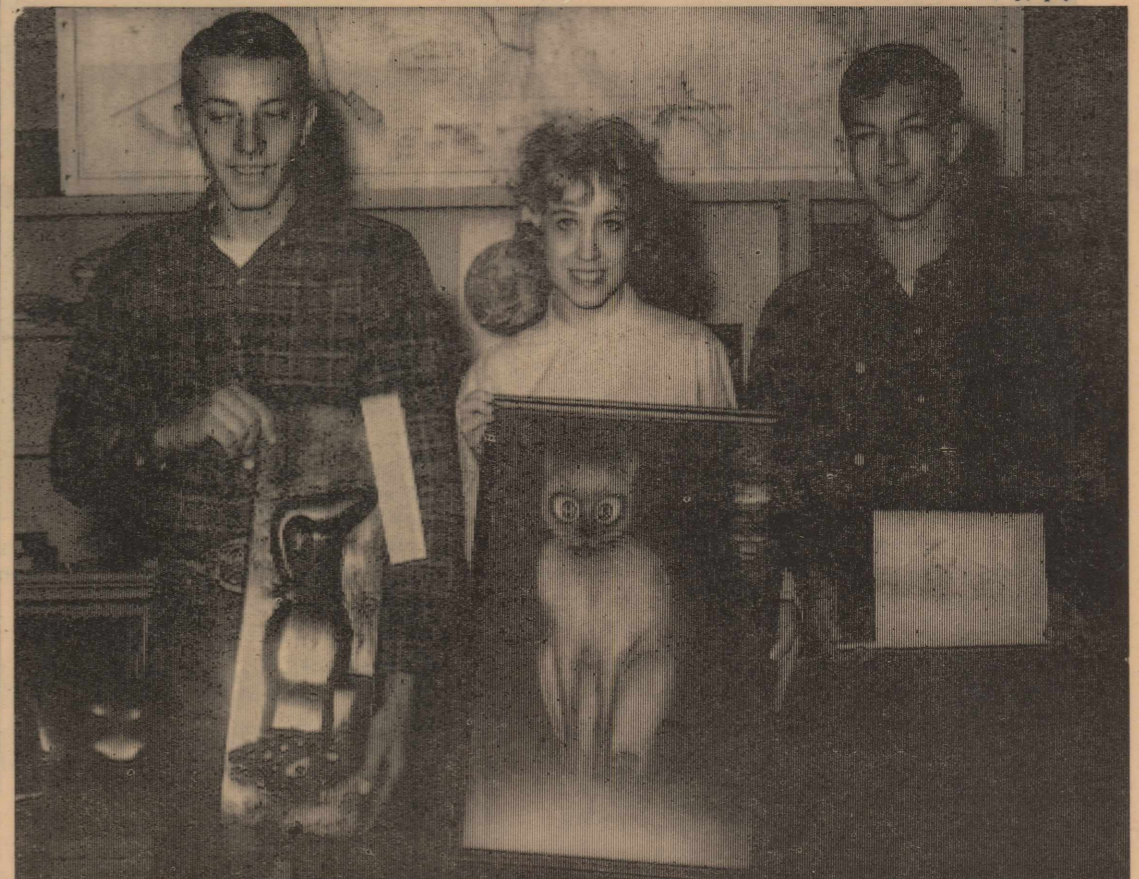
If you're convinced, the Clearinghouse recommends a clear course of action: clean out the medicine cabinet, keep toxic materials under proper storage, keep them labeled and in their proper containers, and when dealing with children refer to medicine as medicine rather than as "candy."

Meanwhile, it is well to understand that 23 poison control centers (PCC's) are in operation

in Texas to help physicians handle poisoning emergencies. PCC's work like this: Operating under local physician's guidance, they

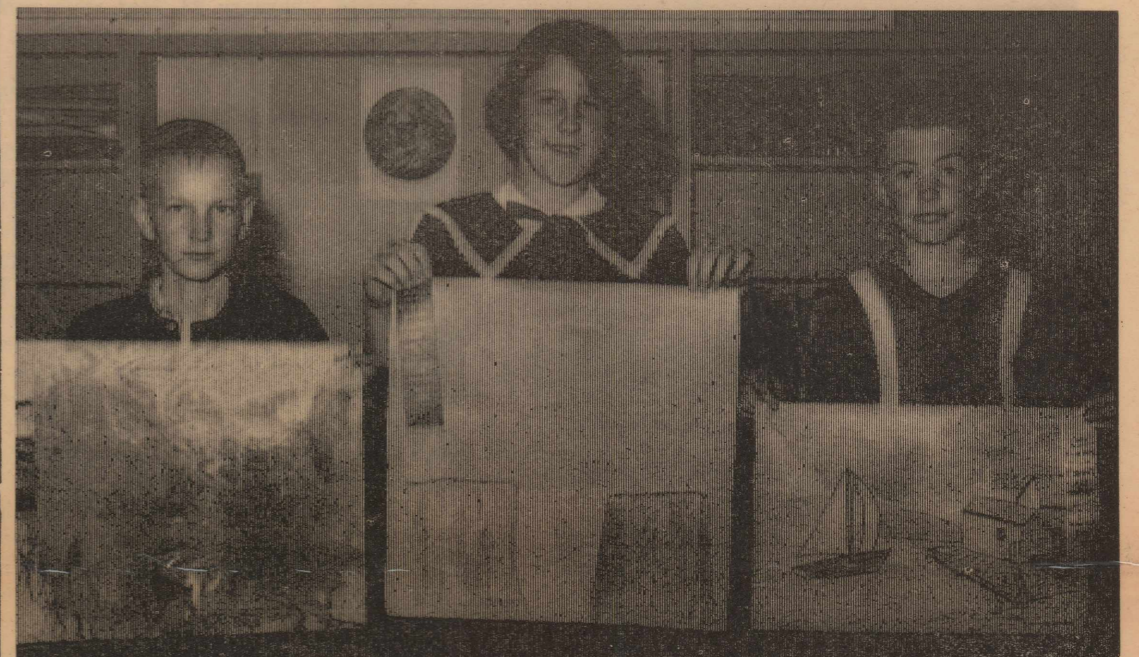
never close, and answer questions of an index card file and the physician attending the patient, not from the patients. Assume a child drank some skin lotion. His mother calls the family's physician, who immediately calls the nearest PCC and reports the lotion by brand name. A quick check is made

From 1,500 to 2,000 calls are handled each month in PCC's. The volume will undoubtedly increase as potentially hazardous compounds are marketed for use.



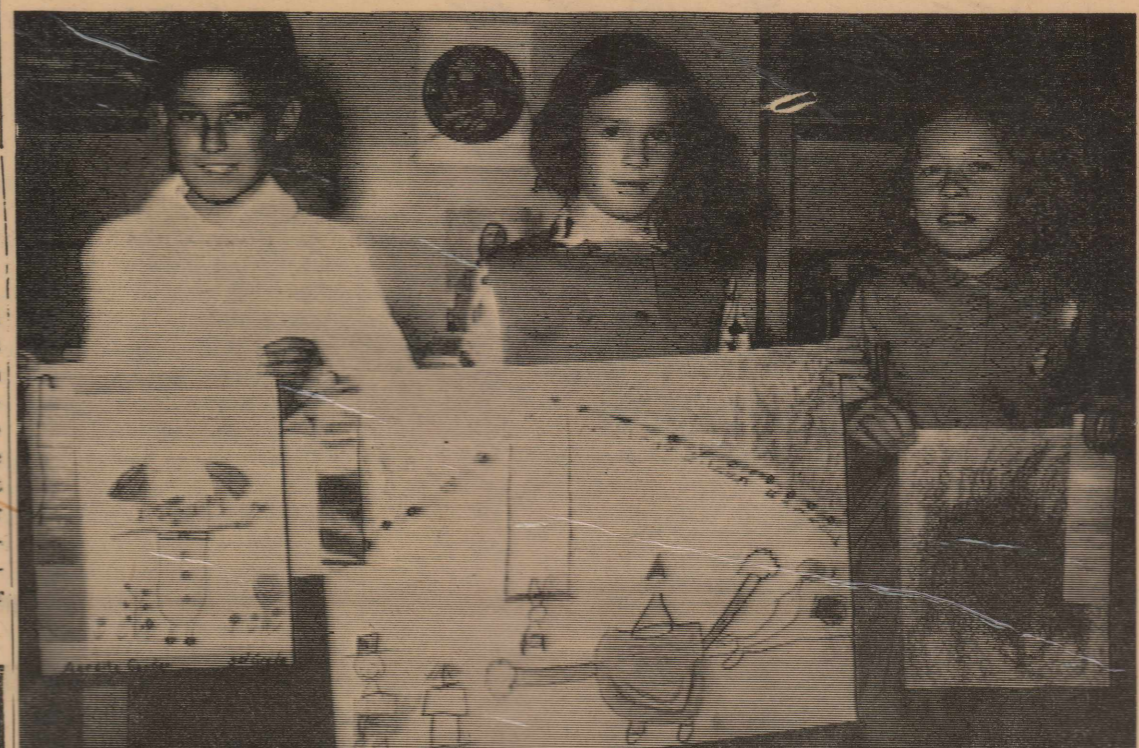
HIGH SCHOOL WINNERS of the Student Art Show sponsored by the Sonora Woman's Club recently were (left to right) Wayne Dietz with his wood carving which won third place, Cathy

Moffitt with her first place painting of a white cat on a red background, and Weldon Pentecost, who won second place with his drawing of hunters being "bucked" from a jeep.



RECEIVING RIBBONS in the junior high division of the Student Art Show were (left to right) Bill Thompson, whose abstract painting was awarded first place, Kay Kerbow with her

second-place scene drawn with pastel chalk, and Lindal Griffith, whose third-place pencil drawing is held here by Larry Cox.



ELEMENTARY DIVISION ARTISTS in the Student Art Show included (left to right) Agedita Gandor, who was awarded second place for her crayon drawing, Melinda Earwood with her

first-place drawing of a circus, and Leslie Johnson, who won third place with her pastel-chalk picture.



YOUNGEST ARTISTS in the show were in the pre-school division. Kim Steed (left) won first place with her brown and orange picture of a teddy bear, Vann Scott took second place

with his drawing of a girl and a window, and Marsha Finklea was awarded third place for her picture of an outdoor scene.

Give Tax Return Thorough Review, IRS Director Says

District Director of Internal Revenue, Ellis Campbell Jr., said that the percentage of correctly prepared returns has increased sharply in the past few years, but numerous simple mistakes continue to show up.

Campbell said: "The best advice we can give on filing a return is when you complete it, resist the temptation to put it in the mail right away. Set it aside for a day or two, then give it a thorough review for omitted income or deductions, errors in arithmetic, printed name and current address, social security number, correct copies of W-2's, sign atures."

Quite often, Campbell pointed out, the taxpayer will find that a review of his return will turn up mistakes he did not notice previously. "It's human nature to want to put the return in the mail immediately," he said, "but a careful review by the taxpayer now may present delays in processing your return or the issuance of a tax refund check or savings bond."



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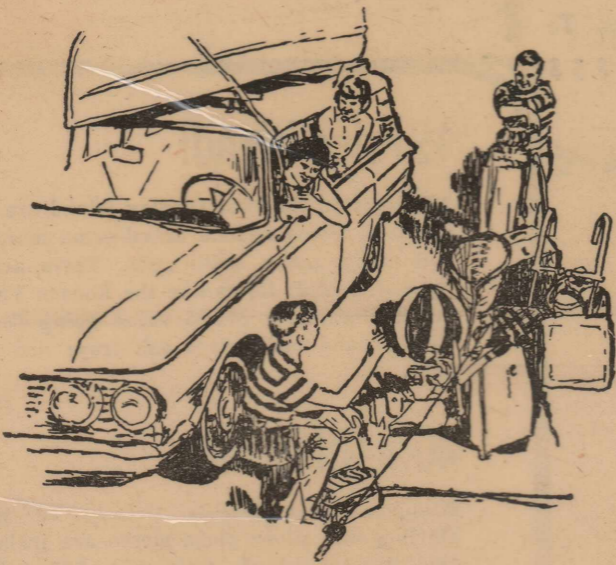
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**Political**  
**Announcements**

The Devil's River News is authorized to announce the following names of candidates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary on May 2, 1964:

State Senator, 25th District  
Dorsey B. Hardeman  
(re-election)

For Sheriff,  
Tax Assessor-Collector:  
Herman E. Moore (re-election)

For District Judge,  
112th Judicial District:  
Charles Sherrill

For State Representative  
James E. Nugent (re-election)  
Jerry N. Shurley

Commissioner, Precinct 1  
Travis E. Glasscock  
(re-election)  
Preston Love

**Legal Notices**

Notice is hereby given that the City of Sonora, P. O. Box 837, Sonora, Texas, has filed an application with the Texas Water Pollution Control Board, 1100 West 49th Street, Austin, Texas, pursuant to the State Water Pollution Control Act (Article 7621d of Vernon's Civil Statutes), to amend permit No. 10545 to discharge municipal wastes from a municipal sewage treatment plant located in Section 54, Block B, HE&WT Ry. Co. Survey, Southeast of U. S. Highway 277 and Santa Fe Railway stock pens, said wastes to be discarded into the East Fork of Devil's Draw at the plant site. 1 tc 27.

**Notices**

The Sonora Gas Company has a complete line of coin supplies. Coins bought and sold. tfn 2.

**For Rent**

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**WANTED TO RENT:** Almost every week a potential renter comes in asking about rent houses. If you have a vacant house it should be listed in our want ads. The cost is small compared to a month's rent. tfn 11.

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WORK WANTED— Am looking for work. Jim Turman  
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**Personal**

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to thank everyone who sent cards, flowers, and visited me while I was recovering from surgery in Methodist Hospital in Houston. I sincerely appreciate your kindness.  
Mrs. Sim Glasscock 1 tp 27.

**Seniors May Apply**  
**For Scholarship**

The West Texas Press Association has announced it will receive applications until April 15 for its 1964 journalism scholarship which will be worth \$600 to some West Texas high school graduate for studying newspaper journalism for four years in college.

Students who desire to apply for the scholarship should talk with John King at the Devil's River News, who will help them with necessary application details.

The scholarship winner receives \$150 per year (\$75 per semester) for each of the four years of his or her college career, providing satisfactory academic requirements are met.

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**YOUR**  
**MINISTER**  
**SAYS**

By Everett H. Jones, Bishop of The Episcopal Diocese of West Texas

**SEEING THE CROSS**

No symbol of Christianity is used so universally as the cross or the crucifix. For that very reason it is easy to look at the cross without seeing it. One value of keeping Holy Week, and especially Good Friday, is that we may discover truths and meanings we have missed by over-familiarity.

We do not see the cross until we see our own part in it. It is not just a reminder of a tragic event which happened in the first century A.D. It is a profound and moving revelation of our human situation here and now. We have in us the same evil forces that put Christ there, and we might do it again if we had the chance.

If you read the record, it is clear that no one group or individual was responsible for His death. (It is so much easier when we can find a scapegoat and point a finger at him!) There was the religious intolerance of the Pharisees; there was the self-interest of the Sadducees; there was the political ambition of Pilate; there was the pleasure-loving irresponsibility of Herod; there was the blind unfaithfulness of Judas; there was the violence of a mob which could cry "Hosanna" on Palm Sunday and then cry "Crucify him" before the week was over; and there was the indifference of all those who passed by on the other side.

No one who really looks at the cross can do other than kneel before it in penitence and humility.

Furthermore, we do not see the cross until we are lifted from our knees by God's forgiveness. If the cross is our eternal reminder of our sin and need, it is equally a reminder of God's

readiness to cleanse and heal. Christ is praying for us, as well as for those who put him there, "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do." (St. Luke 23:34).

It is said that when the funeral cortege of Abraham Lincoln was passing through the streets of Washington, a Negro mother held her child high and said, "Take a long look, honey, 'cause he died for you." At the cross we take a long and reverent look at a greater than Lincoln in whose self-giving we see the infinite love of God in action.

Americans are growing taller.

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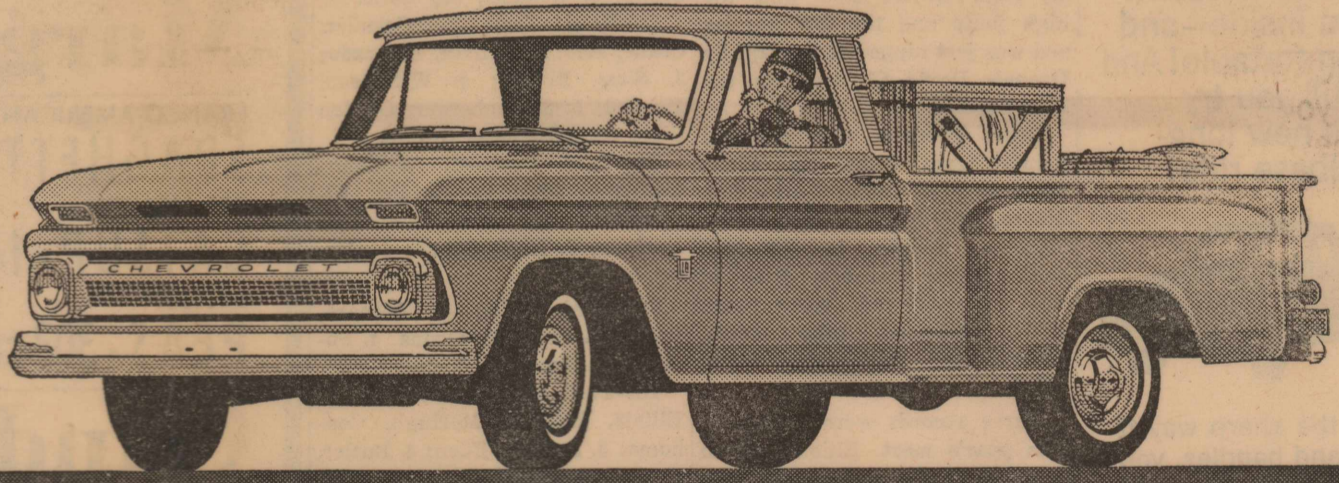
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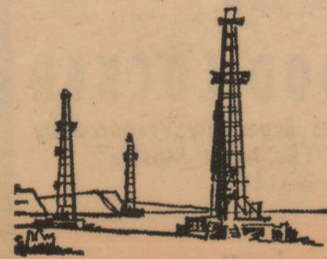
By Ace Reid



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**Elliott High Point Man At Bronco Track Meet**

By Dick McMillan

Riding the flying feet of their fine relay teams and sprinters, the Eldorado Eagles with 90 points coasted to the team championship of the Sonora Relays Saturday night. Lynn Meador, Ronnie Griffin, and Gary Turner were all instrumental in the Eagle victory. Crane with 77½ points finished second, and Sonora was a close third with 76. Overshadowing the Eagle victory, at least in the eyes of the home town partisans, was another tremendous performance by the Bronco's Bill Elliott. By himself, Elliott accounted for half of Sonora's points, winning 38 points to cop the individual trophy. He won the broad jump with a record leap of 22 feet 1 inch. On his first jump, however, he uncorked a prodigious leap of 23 feet 5 inches, only to scratch by about an inch. Elliott also won the high jump and the low hurdles and was just nipped at the tape by Ozona's David Childress in the high hurdles.

Other Broncos who garnered points were Mike St. Clair, third in high jump; Larry Bob Moore, fifth in broad jump; Tino Noriega, fourth in 440-yard dash; Mario Sanchez, fifth in mile run; 440-yard relay team, fifth; 880-yard relay team, fourth; and mile relay team, third.

Three records were broken in this year's meet. Elliott's broad jump of 22 feet 1 inch broke the old record of 21 feet 1 inch set by Caveness of Junction in 1958. Gerald Penny of Crane pole vaulted 12 feet 6 inches to break the second oldest record of the meet. Pete Badillo of Sonora set the old record of 12 feet 3 inches in 1956.

The Eldorado quartet of David Childress, Gary Turner, Lynn Meador, and Ronnie Griffin flashed to a 44.8 clocking to break the record of 44.9 set by Eldorado last year. Among records still standing is the mile relay of 3:33.1 set by Jim Brown, Primo Gonzales, Danny Rutherford, and Buck Bloodworth in 1963.

A complete summary of the events follows:

Pole vault—1. Penny, Crane, 12-6; 2. Bailey, Junction City, 11-6; 3. Xandle, Junction, 10-9; 4. (tie) Smith, Crane, and Carson, Ozona, 10-6; 6. Mahon, Ozona.

High jump—1. Bill Elliott; 2. Morrow, Bronte; 3. Mike St. Clair; 4. Sawyer, Eden; 5. Cooper, Ozona; 6. Ward, Crane, (all cleared 5-10 but places based on fewer misses.)

Shot put—1. Lee, Crane, 5' 3 3/4; 2. Pagan, Garden City, 45-5; 3. Childs, Big Lake, 44-8; 4. Phillips, Eldorado, 44-3 3/4

5. Amphor, Ozona; 6. McDougal, Crane.

Broad jump—1. Bill Elliott 22-1; 2. Nevills, Big Lake, 21-5½; 3. (tie) Lee, Bronte, and Williams, Eldorado, 20-8 3/4; 5. Larry Moore, 20-5; 6. Morrow, Bronte, 19-11.

Discus—1. Lee, Crane, 126-3½; 2. Stewart, Ozona, 124-11; 3. Childs, Big Lake, 124-2 3/4; 4. Mackey, Eldorado, 121-9 3/4; 5. Pagan, Garden City, 121-4¼; 6. Amphor, Ozona, 118-1.

440-Yard Relay—1. Eldorado, 44.8; 2. Menard; 3. Bronte, 4. Crane; 5. Sonora; 6. Big Lake.

880-Yard Run—1. Mosely, Coahoma, 2:02.5; 2. Gomez, Junction; 3. Bungler, Eden; 4. Coats, Big Lake; 5. Barnes, Big Lake; 6. Sanchez, Junction.

120-Yard High Hurdles—1. Childress, Ozona, 15.8; 2. Bill Elliott, 3. Williams, Eldorado; 4. Sawyer, Eden; 5. Nowland, Crane; 6. Wilburn, Big Lake.

110-Yard Dash—1. Comler, Crane, 10.3; 2. Griffin, Eldorado; 3. Sims, Bronte; 4. Wilkinson, Menard; 5. Seidenberger, Garden City; 6. McDaniels, Bronte.

440-Yard Dash—1. Williams, Coahoma, 53.1; 2. Meador, Eldorado; 3. Lee, Bronte; 4. Tino Noriega; 5. Huff, Ozona; 6. Corley, Eden.

880-Yard Relay—1. Menard, 1:34.6; 2. Crane, 3. Ozona, 4. Sonora, 5. Eldorado, 6. Junction. 180-Yard Low Hurdles—1. Bill Elliott, 22.2; 2. McHugh, Coahoma; 3. Sawyer, Eden; 4. Butler, Coahoma; 5. Wood, Menard; 6. Wells, Bronte.

220-Yard Dash—1. Turner, Eldorado 23.4; 2. Wood, Menard; 3. Pullen, Menard; 4. Henderson, Crane; 5. Lee, Bronte; 6. Boseman, Eldorado.

Mile Run—1. Saldibar, Eden, 4:57.3; 2. John Murr, Junction; 3. Uraquidez, Big Lake; 4. Dias, Ozona; 5. Mario Sanchez; 6. Hall, Eden.

Mile Relay—1. Eldorado, 3:33.4; 2. Ozona, 3. Sonora, 4. Eden, 5. Crane, 6. Big Lake.

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**Phillips Receives Two-Year Sentence In Car Theft Case**

Charles W. Phillips of Odessa pled guilty to car theft and was sentenced to two years in the state penitentiary by District Judge Charles E. Sherrill in Monday's court session. Indictments were also returned against two other defendants, Curtis W. Dunstan of Orla and Alfred D. Schafer of San Angelo.

Dunstan was charged with auto theft involving a vehicle belonging to Lea Allison, the same car which Phillips pleaded guilty to stealing. Schafer was charged with driving while intoxicated. Both Dunstan and Schafer are out of jail on bond, and their hearing will be set at a later date.

The newly empaneled grand jury selected Monday morning is made up of the following citizens: Philip Jacoby, John R. Tedford, S. M. Loeffler, Vestel Askew, L. P. Bloodworth, Mrs. Joe Berger, Mrs. G. H. Davis, Boyd Lovelace, Joe Nance, Gus Flores, Pedro Galindo Sr., Norman Rousset.

**Invitation to Join Heart Group Given**

"Sonorans are welcome to join the Southwest Texas Heart Association," Mrs. Georgia Jordan, Executive Secretary for the association, said recently.

Mrs. Jordan points out that becoming a member of the association entitles a person to receive the national, state and local news publications and to vote in local, state and national heart organization meetings.

The lay membership fee is \$1.00, and it may be paid to Mrs. Marie Ellis or mailed to Southwest Texas Heart Assn., 115 West First Street, San Angelo. A doctor's membership may be obtained for \$3.00.

Yokut Indians of California leached the tannin from acorns to prepare a flour which was their principal food.



CHRIS BERGER looks over 11 of the trophies he has won exhibiting his Delaine sheep. The son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Berger, Chris has retired all five of the Premier Exhibitor trophies awarded in Texas.

**Berger Captures Numerous Trophies In Stock Shows**

By Pat Billingsley

Chris Berger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Berger, has scored a first in the annals of Delaine sheep showing. When he won the Premier Exhibitor's trophy at the Houston Fat Stock show this year, he became the first youth ever to retire all five Premier Exhibitor's trophies.

Beginning in 1961, Chris won four Premier trophies three years in a row, thus retiring all four. These were won at the West Texas Fair, the State Fair at Dallas, the San Antonio Livestock Exposition, and the San Angelo Fat Stock Show.

This year at the Houston Fat Stock Show he won the Premier Exhibitor's trophy for the third time in four years. When a trophy is won three times by the same exhibitor, it is retired and given to the youth permanently.

Chris, who is 14, started showing the Delaine sheep as soon as he reached the minimum age for entering the shows four years ago. He still has three years left in which to participate, and that could mean three more trophies, as the rules have been changed to award one Premier Exhibitor's trophy permanently each year from now on.

In addition to the Premier trophies, Chris has captured top awards at the San Antonio Wool Show for the grand champion junior fleece two years in succession, grand champion fleece of the show at the San Antonio show for the first time this year, and many other top awards.

When Chris had his picture taken with his trophies, he had no comment to make about his accomplishments. Probably he has been too busy with the sheep, his school-work and golf, which seems to rank right behind the sheep on his list of favorite activities.

Primitive Filipinos lit fires by striking sparks from a hard bamboo cane with a fragment of porcelain.

**Companies Receive Safety Recognition**

Winners of the Texas Safety Association's annual safety contest were named Tuesday during the 25th Annual Texas Safety Conference and Governor's Highway Safety Conference being held in Dallas.

General Telephone Company of the Southwest won a fleet safety award in recognition of its fleet safety record and accident prevention programs. The company also won an award for industrial off-the-job safety.

The Southwestern Division of Atlantic Pipe Line Company received a first place award in recognition of its 340 employees working almost three-quarter million man-hours without a disabling injury. The company was also cited for safe operations in almost two million miles of over-the-road operations in Texas.

**Cancer Unit Sees "The Million Club"**

A newly released film, "The Million Club," was shown at the meeting Monday afternoon of the Sutton County Unit of the American Cancer Society. The title of the film refers to the more than one million people who are believed to be cured of cancer. Interviews with such people and with doctors are depicted in the movie.

A nominating committee was appointed at the business meeting conducted by Mrs. Alvis Johnson. Committee members are Mrs. Myrtle Sellman, chairman, Albert Everett, and Doyle Morgan.

The unit met at the First Methodist Church.

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