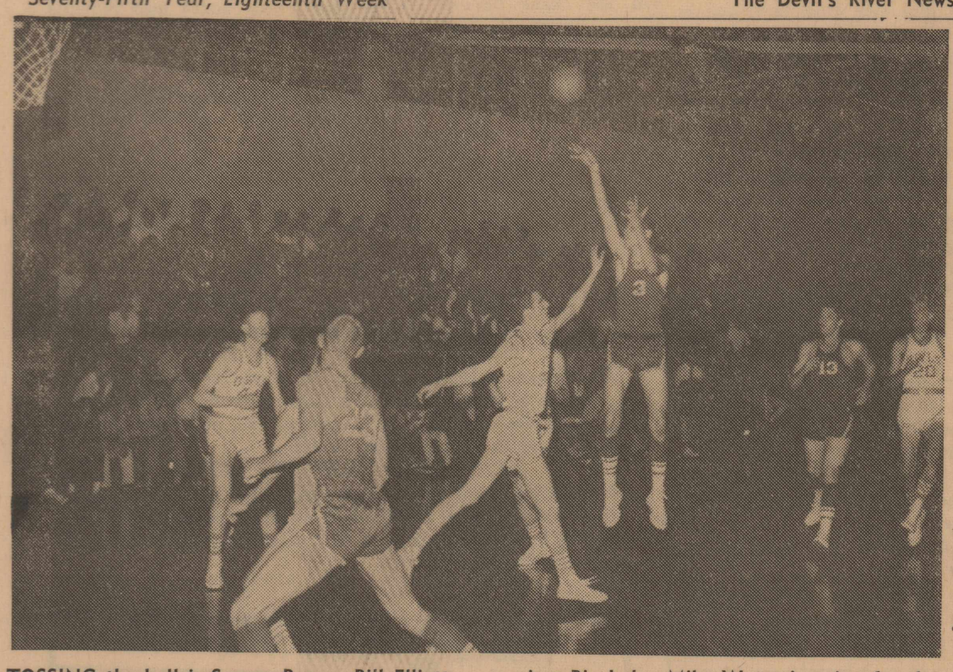
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TOSSING the ball is Sonora Bronco Bill Elliott in the Big Lake Tournament during the game against Big Lake. Mike Wuest is going for the rebound. Number 13 is Maxie Delrie.

Livestock Will Be Exhibited In 18th 4-H Show Saturday

Fat lambs, breeding heifers, breeding sheep, and Angora goats will be exhibited Saturday, January 16, by 4-H Club members at the 18th annual Sutton County 4-H Livestock Show.

Thirty-seven 4-H members will be exhibiting fat lambs, while breeding heifers will be shown by three, breeding sheep by one, and Angora goats by one.

Judge of the livestock will be J. A. Gray, Extension animal husbandman from San Angelo, and Ray Siegmund, district agricultural agent of Fort Stockton, will judge showmanship. Pete Jacoby, Crockett County agent, will be in charge of sifting.

The show will get underway at the 4-H Center at 9:30 a.m. when breeding sheep and Angora goats will be shown. Fat lambs will be exhibited at 10:30 a.m., and the breeding heifer show is scheduled to start at 3 p.m.

Climax of the day's activities will be the fat lamb sale at 6:30 p.m. and the presentation of awards at 7 p.m.

Club members receive up to $.75 per pound for the one animal they may sell in the lamb auction, and all money raised over that amount goes to the 4-H fund for other 4-H activities. Auctioneer will be Willard Jordan of Mason.

A free barbecue supper will be served at 6 p.m.

Another feature will be the annual Chinese auction to raise money for 4-H activities and for improving the 4-H Center. It will be held after the lamb sale.

Cash awards, trophies, and medallions will be presented to winning exhibitors.

Lamb exhibitors will include Cleveland, Joe David, and Janice Sue Nance, Mark and Scott Jacoby, Ray Glasscock, Sam, Gene, and Bill Thompson, Mitch Trainer, Evelyn Jane and Jo Ann Lowe, Roger Langford, Tim and Steve Thorp, Mickey Harris, and Jim and Ted Fish.

Also, Libb Mills Wallace, Martha Love, Joe and David Wallace, Tony Renfro, Bobby Granger, Wesley and Wade Richardson, Patti Richardson, Jerry Shurley Jr., Tom and Bill Green, Kerry Joy, Chris and Larry Berger, Lee and Bert Bloodworth, Jim Wright, and Tryon Fields.

Michael and Randal Boatright and Elba Adams Jr. will be showing breeding heifers, Chris Berger will exhibit breeding sheep, and John Martin Beckham will show Angora goats.

Sportsmanship Trophy Presented to Broncos

By Gary McGilvray

The Sonora Broncos were awarded the Spormanship trophy by officials at the Big Lake Basketball Tournament, and Bill Elliott was named a member of the all-tournament team.

The Broncos won a spot in the championship bracket of the tournament held January 7-9 when they copped a 58-54 victory over the Alpine Bucks.

When the third quarter ended, the score was tied 42 all, but a fourth-quarter 16-point surge by the Sonora team carried them to victory.

Maxie Delrie led the Broncos' scoring by earning 15 points, and Mike Wuest and Bill Elliott were not far behind with 12 each.

Score by quarters:

	1	2	3	4	Total
Sonora	12	11	19	16	58
Alpine	12	15	15	12	54

Big Lake Cuts Win Streak

The Big Lake Owls then chopped off the Broncos' six-in-a-row winning streak in a close game. The Owls toppled the Broncos with a four-point margin, 41-37.

Bill Elliott netted 12 points to pace the Sonora team, and Mike Wuest garnered 10. Johnny Howard of Big Lake was top scorer with 19 points.

Score by quarters:

	1	2	3	4	Total
Sonora	7	8	9	13	37
Big Lake	6	12	11	12	41

The Denver City Mustangs were the tournament champions with a 50-47 victory over the Balmorhea Bears. Big Lake was third, and Crane took the consolation finals.

CINDERS

By John King

Do forecasters sometimes make you feel that doom is inevitable and just around the corner?

Do the statistics they trumpet barrage you until you feel that your number will surely be among those Humpty Dumptys that fall off the wall in 1965?

Then here are comforting words from Changing Times, the Kiplinger Magazine, concerning the new year:

About 7,233,000 children will stop outgrowing their shoes every couple of months.

About 194,100,127 Americans will not be hurt or killed in an auto acident.

Nearly 13,199,000 will outgrow the Beatles.

About 750,000,000 acres of forestland will not burn up.

About 44,503,000 couples will stay married.

About 55,503,000 citizens will file tax returns on which the arithmetic is absolutely correct.

About 11,000,000 teen-agers will not drop out of high school, and over 600,000 of those who go on to college in 1965 will stay there four years.

One out of every 4.3 golf balls hooked or sliced into a tree will bounce back onto the fairway.

Over 20 billion dolars' worth of auto loans will be paid off.

And all year long there will be only one Friday the thirteenth.

There you are. Help yourself. No charge.

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Sun bathers will still get wet if they go to the new Sonora swimming pool next year. Following state sanitation laws, builders have constructed the entrance to the pool to include a running shower and foot bath. There's no other way in, unless you leap the turnstiles.

Health officials should have no complaints about the baby wading pool. It has a fountain in the middle spraying water up for aeration as well as the regular filter system.

Broncs Cop 5th Victory

By Gary McGilvray

The Sonora Broncos breezed to their ninth victory of the 1964-65 basketball season—and their fifth success in a row—when they defeated the Rocksprings Angoras by a score of 72-38 Tuesday, January 5, in Rocksprings.

The Broncos piled up their largest score of the season as they tallied 25 points in the first and fourth quarters.

Bill Elliott and Mike Wuest led the Broncos in scoring with 15 points each. Mickey Warren netted 13 for the losers.

Score by quarters:

	1	2	3	4	Total
Sonora	25	14	8	25	72
Rocksprings	11	1	11	15	38

Through 11 games in the current basketball season, Sonora has a fine record of nine victories and two losses. The Broncos have averaged 56.7 points per ball game, while they have held their opponents to only 43.4.

"B" TEAM VICTORY

In the "B" team game with Rocksprings, the Sonora team also won. The final score was Sonora, 56, and Rocksprings, 44.

Nino Perez and Jimmy Trainer led the "B" teamers with 15 points each.

The team's record is now even with four victories and four losses.

Fling Ding Club To Meet Monday

A meeting of the Fling Ding Club members will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday, January 18, at the Sonora Golf Club.

All members are urged to be there for the election of officers and preliminary planning of the annual dance.

WEATHER

Compiled by J. E. Eldridge

	Rain	Hi	Lo
Wednesday, Jan. 6	0	68	50
Thursday, Jan. 7	0	72	50
Friday, Jan. 8	0	72	51
Saturday, Jan. 9	0	70	34
Sunday, Jan. 10	0	51	26
Monday, Jan. 11	0	55	23
Tuesday, Jan. 12	0	62	28

Rain for the month 1.44; for the year 1.44.

Junior High Tournament Set Jan. 28-30

The Eighth Annual Junior High Basketball Tournament will be held here on January 28, 29, and 30. Teams that are thus far scheduled for the tournament include Junction, Lamar (San Felipe), Ozona, Barnhart, Menard, Big Lake, and Sonora.

Two games will be played both Thursday and Friday nights. The second round games and the finals will be played Saturday.

Eldorado, last year's first place winer, will not return this year. Junction was second place winner and Sonora won consolation in the 1964 tournament.

Coach Oliver Wuest says that tickets will go on sale this weekend and may be purchased from members of the seventh and eighth grades. Tickets will be $2 for all the games and $.50 per session.

Coffee, cake and pie will be on sale during the tournament at the concession stand.

Steed Asks Return Of MOD Envelopes

J. L. Steed, local mailing chairman of the March of Dimes, has appealed for the prompt return of the March of Dimes envelopes sent to all county homes this week.

"The contributions which come back in these envelopes," said Steed, "will enable the March of Dimes to expand its fight against birth defects, the great killer and crippler of children.

"Most people just don't realize that birth defects can mean years of physical and mental anguish for at least one out of 16 newborn American babies, and the tragic disruption of family life," he stated.

He emphasized that the goal of the March of Dimes in birth defects, just as in polio, is to find the means of prevention. Scientists supported by March of Dimes grants, he said, have already uncovered clues which may lead to the elimination of certain types of birth defects.

Meanwhile, Steed added, the March of Dimes through special medical centers and clinics in every section of the country, is now providing expert medical care for the children who are already victims of birth defects.

SWIM POOL PROGRESSES

Finishing touches are being added to the new swimming pool west of Sonora on the Ozona highway. The pool and filter system are almost complete with finishing work continuing on the bath house. Tile is presently being added to the overflow surrounding the pool.

Adams, Love, Wynn Take Oath of Office

Estes Adams and Preston Love took the oath of office of county commissioner and George Wynn was sworn in as county attorney at the meeting of the county commission Monday, January 11. They were elected to the posts in the November general election.

In other business the commissioners approved a contract with Jerry Shurley, attorney, for the collection of taxes.

MRS. CRITES APPOINTED DEPUTY COUNTY CLERK

Mrs. W. O. Crites has been named deputy county and district clerk by Mrs. Erma Lee Turner, county and district clerk.

Bank Officers and Directors Elected

Mrs. T. A. Williams of San Antonio was elected a director of the First National Bank at the annual stockholders meeting Tuesday.

Re-elected to the board of directors were Lea Roy Aldwell, S. H. Allison, Clayton Hamilton, George H. "Jack" Neill, Edwin Sawyer, and Joseph VanderStucken.

A vacancy had existed on the board since the death November 14 of Mrs. William's brother, George Lea Aldwell.

Hamilton is also a relatively new board member. He was appointed in November to fill the vacancy caused by the death of L. W. Elliott. He serves as vice-president at the bank, where he has been employed for almost 18 years.

Bank officers elected were as follows: Neill, president; Hamilton, vice-president and cashier; Lea Roy Aldwell, vice-president; VanderStucken, vice president; and Mrs. Nelson Stubblefield, assistant cashier.

Harold Scherz, who had been cashier, has resigned as of January 14 to accept a position as vice-president of the Bank of Austin.

Allison Espy Wins Pole Bending Event

Allison Espy took honors in two contests at the rodeo of the Sand Hills Hereford and Quarter Horse Show at Odessa Friday.

Riding Dixie Star Bert, she won first place in pole bending and second place in barrel racing.

Junior Hi Wins Tourney

The Sonora Junior High basketball team defeated Junction, Mason, and Menard to win the championship of the Junction Tournament held January 8-9. Two Sonora players, Ed Lee Renfro and Thurston McCutchen, were listed on the all-tournament team.

In their first game of tournament the Sonora players netted 33 points for a victory over the Menard team, which tallied 15. Renfro led the scoring with 13 points, and Mitch Trainer had 8.

The Sonora team stayed in the winners' column in their second game when they were matched against a competitive team from Mason. Final score was 28 to 26. Leading his team again was Renfro with 14 points, and McCutchen earned 6.

In the final game the Sonora players, pitted against Junction, won the tournament by garnering 27 points to their opponents' 13. Trainer with 10 points and Renfro with 8 led their team's scoring.

Poll Tax Receipt Needed for Voting In School Election

With the January 31 deadline drawing near, only 242 Sutton Countians have paid their poll taxes. Residents must have a poll tax receipt or exemption to vote in the school board election April 3—when three members of the board of trustees of the Sonora Independent School District will be chosen.

Mrs. Erma Lee Turner, county clerk, says that although no county elections are scheduled this year, there always exists the possibility that a special election might be called.

By mid-January last year 360 poll-tax receipts had been issued.

The poll tax amount is $1.75.

New Firm To Manage Stockpens

A newly formed company has signed a contract with the Sonora Stockpens Inc. for the management of the stockpens here.

Members of the new company, the Sonora Livestock Exchange, are Sam E. Jones, Bill Whitehead, Sears Sentell, and Gerald Hartgraves of Eldorado.

Jones says that in addition to helping ranchers with drenching, weighing, and working livestock in the pens, the company also plans a number of special sales of lamb, goats, and calves this summer.

He also stated that plans for other activities, which will be announced later, are now being formed.

Teacher Employed By School Board

A new teacher was added to the faculty of the Sonora school system, and the resignation of another teacher was accepted at the meeting of the school board Monday.

Mrs. Claire Powers was named as a new member of the faculty, and the resignation of Miss Cynthia Porter was accepted. Miss Porter, who has taught at L. W. Elliott School for two years, plans to be married this month.

In other business the board extended the contract of Rex Lowe, superintendent of schools, for three years.

Ten Sonora Boys To Scramble for Calves

Ten Sonora boys have been accepted as participants in the San Antonio Livestock Exposition and Rodeo to be held at the Joe Freeman Coliseum February 12-21.

These youths, who will participate in the calf scramble event Saturday and Sunday, February 13 and 14, are Ted Fish, Lee C. Bloodworth, Randal Boatright Michael Boatright, Tim Thorp, Mark Jacoby, Jim Fish, Bill Green, Mitch Trainer, and Bert Bloodworth.

The event features 20 boys, either FFA or 4-H members, who 'scramble' to catch ten calves which are released in the Colisem arena.

Ten winners at each performance wil be awarded livestock purchase certificates by Handy Andy Supermarkets. The purchase certificates will range from the top award of $50 down to $15.

The certificates are then used by the winners for the purchase of livestock to be used as 4-H or FFA projects. Title to the livestock does not pass to the winner until he has demonstrated his interest in caring for the animal and his ability to follow competent instructions in raising livestock.

Headlining the 1965 Stock Show will be the Judy Lynn Show featuring her eight-piece band direct from Las Vegas.

St. John's To Have Rector from Dallas

The Rev. Rollin S. Polk Jr. of Dallas will assume the duties of rector of St. John's Episcopal Church in February. He will hold services here February 7.

Mr. Polk is now serving at the Church of the Incarnation in Dallas.

The former rector, the Rev. Jake Billingsley, moved to Austin in July to attend the University of Texas.

'64 Hunting Said Good

"A good hunting season," was Nolan Johnson's assessment of the 1964 deer and turkey hunting season in Sutton County. Although fewer deer were killed during the 1964 season, he said, there were more hunters and more land was leased, and the deer were in much better condition.

The game warden's first estimates of the wildlife harvest are 4,500 deer and 600 turkeys killed. Some 5,100 deer and 850 turkeys were bagged in 1963.

In 1964 760,000 acres were leased for hunting, while in 1963 some 650,000 were leased.

Johnson said that better range conditions and lower deer population accounted for the higher quality of the animals.

A number of Sonora businesses awarded prizes to hunters.

Bob Teaff won a camp stove for the deer with the most points, and Mike Stewart won five boxes of shells for the deer with the best horn spread from Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Company.

Young Stewart also won a free head mount for his deer head from Sonora Food Locker.

Two trophies are being awarded this week by Lambert's Drive In.

A 30.06 rifle was presented by the Gulf Restaurant to Bill Childress of Odessa for the best deer head.

Boyd Lovelace received a trophy for the champion turkey, and Ray Holland of San Angelo received a trophy for the best deer from Barrow Jewelry and Sporting Goods store.

Barrow has also awarded the annual bass trophy. Winner of the prize was Tommy Farris of Menard, who caught a black bass weighing 8½ pounds and measuring 24 inches.

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

Exaggerating Profits

We are often told that the American people, by and large, are woefully deficient in their knowledge of economics. And that seems to accurately apply to just about every area where an economic question is involved.

Take, for instance, a question which comes home to every family and which was asked in a recent survey: "For every one hundred dollars spent at your food store, about how much profit do you think the store makes after paying all expenses?" The answers ran a wide gamut—the peak figure being 60 per cent and the lowest, provided by 9 per cent of the people answering, being less than 3 per cent. A quarter of the respondents, which made up the largest single group, guessed that profit in this case ran from 21 to 40 per cent.

This survey indicates that "...most people have a vague and often distorted idea about food store profits." A major food chain reprinted these findings in its house organ adding that its own profit on each dollar of sales runs to 1.21 cents. That figure just about fits all the other food chains and numbers of independent food stores as well. And stores selling goods other than foods commonly earn only three or four per cent on the sales dollar. The fact is that the great part of any sales dollar, no matter what it is spent for, goes for stocks of goods, for rents and taxes, for wages and other payroll costs, and the other expenses that are a necessary part of doing business. The share that winds up as profit, it is clear, is vastly exaggerated in the minds of most of us.

—Industrial News Review

THE FAMILY LAWYER

Fore!

Golfers, long accustomed to sand traps and doglegs and water holes, must now reckon with a new kind of hazard: the damage suit. According to the Institute for Safer Living, flying golf balls inflict 10,000 disabling injuries every year. And a substantial number of these injuries result in claims.

When are you legally liable for such an accident? On the whole, the law is pretty tolerant. The bare fact that you caused an injury is not enough, in itself, to spell liability. Nor is the fact that you hooked or sliced your shot.

"To hold that a golf player was negligent merely because the ball did not travel in a straight line," commented a sympathetic court, "would be imposing upon him a greater duty of care than the Creator endowed him with faculties to carry out.

But the law does insist that you give fair warning to others in the zone of danger.

In one case, a golfer, disgruntled by two bad shots off the tee, decided to try a third. Although a fellow player had already started walking ahead, he failed to cry "Fore." This time he really connected. The ball slammed into his companion's head, putting him out of action for weeks. Verdict: $5,000.

How wide, and how far ahead, is the zone of danger? Obviously, there is room for a difference of opinion on a particular shot. But don't count on getting the benefit of the doubt in the courtroom. There is too much chance that the judge or jury, faced with the harsh reality of harm done, will not see things your way.

Of course, you shouldn't let the fear of a lawsuit scare you out of playing golf. But here are a few suggestions:

(1) Think of liability insurance as an integral part of your golfing equipment. Your insurance man can guide you as to the coverage you need.

(2) Keep a healthy respect for the destructive power of a golf ball. Well hit, it may travel faster than 250 miles an hour.

(3) Cry "Fore!" just a little more often than seems to be necessary. No one has ever been sued for that.

A public service feature of the American Bar Association and the State Bar of Texas. Written by Will Bernard.

The Texas Safety Association reminds boat owners to slow down when towing boats on trailers to and from launching sites. You need to slow down well in advance of turning corners—it's safer and easier on your brakes. Avoid unnecessary passing. When you do pass, make certain the highway is clear. Your added load requires more highway passing area.

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JANUARY 12, 1945

Pfc. Roy Cooper, who has been serving with the Marine Corps in the Pacific, and Lt. Walter L. Davis, who had served with the Army in the Pacific, arrived home this week for a visit with their families.

JANUARY 14, 1955

George Wright, Sonora's all-star quarterback, was picked last week by the Texas Sport Writers Association for the No. 1 all-state Class A team.

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The radar test conducted here last week by State Highway Patrolmen Herman Moore and Bob Brookshire proved conclusively that people are becoming aware of the dangers of high speed.

65 YEARS AGO

Miss Goldwire, who has been teaching school at the Holland and Glasscock ranches, left for home at Christoval for Christmas holidays.

Dr. T. J. Dodson left for San Angelo Saturday to meet Mrs. Dodson and the children. They returned home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Mayer were in from the ranch Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobe O'Neal and children were in Sonora for Christmas from Franks Defeat country

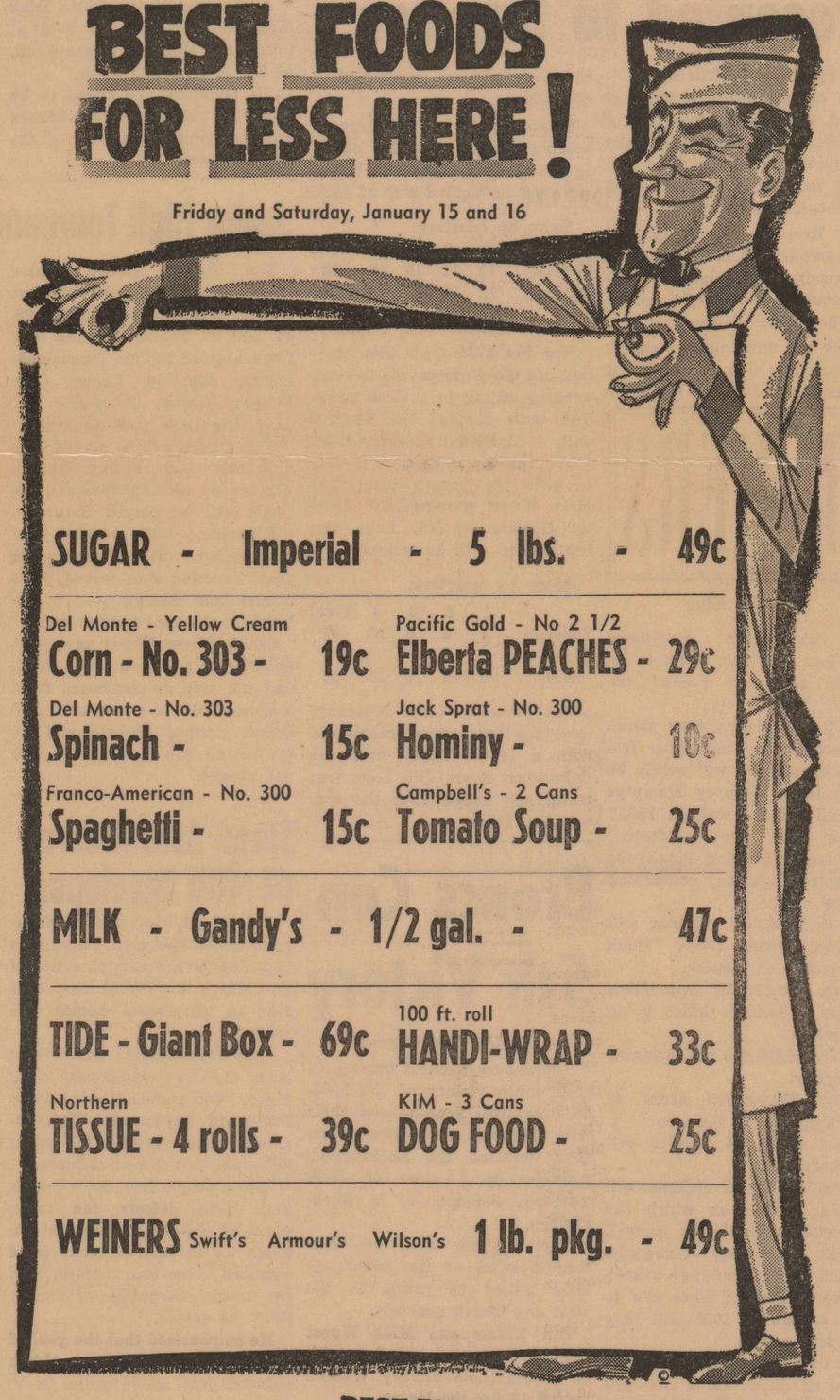
M. R. Calhoun of Sheffield arrived in Sonora Saturday and was warmly received by his old friends. Mr. Calhoun sold his interest in his business at Sheffield and will move back to Sonora as soon as possible.

The Christmas ball was pronounced a success. The attendance was the largest seen in Sonora in more than a year. Everyone was there and the merry dance continued till eary in the morning.

Jess, Hanie, Lon and Tom Barksdale were in Sonora this week.

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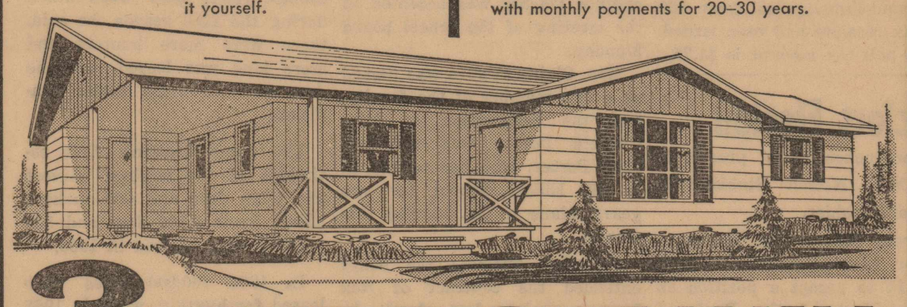


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YOUR MINISTER SAYS

By the Rev. Rodney Dowdy
Pastor, First Baptist Church

This season of the year emphasizes our responsibilities as citizens of our nation, state, and community. In a few days the governor will be inaugurated for the second time to the highest office of our state. Next week Mr. Johnson will take the oath of office as president of the United States. This month our government requires several million people to register as aliens. Also many will be required to fill out income tax returns for the past year. Only two more weeks are allowed for citizens to pay their Poll Taxes.

We speak loud and long about our privileges as citizens, but do we make certain that we also accept responsibilities? Mr. Red Skelton plays many characters on his television program for which he has made famous "Freddie The Freeloader". It is very entertaining to watch "Freddie The Freeloader", but in true life there are too many people who "Hobo" when it comes to responsibility as a citizen. A large number of the people want to "Thumb Their Way" through life and do not help in community and civic activities.

Jesus recognized the responsibility of being a citizen when he said "Render therefore unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's; and unto God the things that are God's."(Matt 22:21). On another experience Jesus performed a miracle by acquiring a coin from the fish's mouth in order that the tax should be paid.

Everyone who lives in Sonora and Sutton County has a peculiar responsibility to make our community a better place in which to live. Each one carrying a part of the load will make the task much easier. Working together will develop a better spirit among friends and neighbors. Let us not be shirkers—but workers.

"DEAD WEIGHT"

"I've been a dead weight many years,
Around the community's neck.
I've let the others carry me,
And always pay the check.
I've had my name upon the rolls,
For years and years gone by;
I've criticized and grumbled too;
Nothing could satisfy."

"I've been a dead weight long enough,
Upon the community's back.
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Hospital News

Patients receiving treatment at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital during the period from Monday, January 4, through Monday, January 11, included the following:

Mae B. Sawyer*
W. J. Haines*
Eda Johnson, Fort Terrett
Margaret Schwiening
Santos Guerra
Ernestine Perez*
Lula Sims, Ozona*
Margurite Turney*
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Joe Albert Bruton Jr., Eldorado*
Dana Stewart*
Jean Haynes, Ozona*
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Delia Galvan, Ozona*
Joe Espinosa Jr.*
Louise Rowan, Ozona
Carmine Trevino
Francisco Mendez
Estella Loya
Nellie McKinney, Eldorado
Albert Thigpen, Eldorado*
Hattie Epps

* Patients dismissed during the same period.

Mrs. Bridges Leads Program at Guild

"A Look at Ourselves as Christian Women" was the topic of the program at the meeting of the Wesleyan Service Guild at the First Methodist Church Monday night.

Mrs. Autrey Bridges, program leader, was assisted by Mrs. Bill Gosney and Mrs. J. L. Steed. Song leader was Mrs. Allen Roe, accompanied by Mrs. James Wilson. Mrs. A. H. Hanzen read the scripture and the Rev. Allen Roe led the group in prayer.

In the business session Mrs. J. Wray Campbell, president, announced that Mrs. Steed had been appointed recording secretary, succeding Mrs. G. A. Farr, who has moved to Louisiana.

A new member of the group is Mrs. Tommy Love.

Mrs. W. I. Joy announced that the annual meeting of the Southwest Texas Conference Wesleyan Service Guild will be held at Mount Wesley, Kerrville, on February 20-21.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service served supper to the group, honoring them in recognition of February as Guild month.

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AUGUST, COND.

Gene McCarver, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McCarver, received two fractured arms and a back injury in a fall from a utility pole.

Bandtime T, owned by Andrew Moore, won first place in an 870-yard race at Riudoso Downs to extend his winning streak to four in a row.

Lynn Spurgeon of Uvalde and Howard Evetts of LaCoste came in first with a score of 136, four under par, in the Sonora Invitational Partnership Golf Tournament.

D. C. Langford, Sutton County agent, was re-elected a director of the County Agents' Association.

Widespread but spotty rains again frequented the Sonora area August 15-16. The heaviest rains of the year were recorded over a wide area, with a 6.25-inch downpour recorded on the Jo Hardgrave ranch.

Mrs. Hubert Baker of Ozona announced the opening of the Retail Merchants Association of Sonora.

Mrs. Tommy Love, Larry Behrens, Mrs. Robert Boyd, and Mrs. David Shurley were new teachers in the Sonora school system as classes resumed August 31.

SEPTEMBER

Open house wes held by Buster's and George's Package Store in their new building.

John Paul Friess won first place in district competition in the Danford Achievement program, and Ray Glasscock won the district Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association Award. In the junior division Mark and Scott Jacoby won blue ribbons.

Chosen president of the Bronco Booster Club for the 1964-65 year was Jimmy Hugh Harris.

Peck's Bar, owned by R. W. Wallace, qualified to run in the All American Quarter Horse Futurity at Ruidoso Downs.

D. A. Bowers, formerly of Eldorado, assumed operation of the Bowers Texaco Station.

Three new classrooms for Junior High School students were added to the Sonora school system with remodeling of upstairs rooms and halls in the old main building.

Jerry Hopkins won the club championship, and J. W. Neville was medalist winner in the annual Labor Day Club Tournament at Sonora Golf Club.

W. L. Morriss was elected chairman of the ASCS Committee.

The Sonora Ministerial Alliance elected the Rev. George Stewart president.

The Mason Punchers moved to a hard-earned victory over the Sonora Broncos, winning by a score of 24-0.

In a speech at the annual Lions-P-TA banquet Everett J. Grindstaff, governor of Lions District 2A-1, urged parents and teachers to teach children to love learning, liberty, law, and life.

W. B. McMillan was elected chairman of the County Building Program Committee.

The heaviest general rains in many years drenched West Texas—and the Sonora area—September 20-22. E. B. Keng of the Soil Conservation Service reported that rainfall totals of 5 to 7 inches were usual, with some ranchmen measuring over 9 inches for the three-day total.

Libb Mills Wallace was chosen president of the 4-H senior group and Scott Jacoby was elected president of the junior group by 4-H Club members. Re-elected head of the adult division of 4-H was George Wallace.

The Sonora Fire Department staged a barbecue supper to allow people to see the triple-combination fire truck recently added to the department's equipment.

The Sonora Broncos, led by Bill Elliott, crushed the Rocksprings Angoras by a score of 34-0.

Because of drouth conditions, the Secretary of Agriculture declared Sutton County as an emergency area eligible for assistance under the emergency livestock feed program.

Construction began on the new swimming pool being built here by the City, the County, and the Downtown Lions Club.

A new field house at Bronco Stadium replaced the barracks type building used in the past. The cement block building contains two dressing rooms, an equipment room, and a shower room.

Mrs. Hubert Baker was appointed a director at the meeting of the West Texas Region of the Retail Merchants Association of Texas.

The Sonora Broncos went to Iraan to meet their first opponent in District 8-A football competition and came away victorious, defeating the Braves by a score of 18-14.

Rainfall in the Edwards Plateau soil conservation district for the September 20-27 period varied from about 7 to over 15 inches. Southwest Sutton County recorded the heaviest rainfall with over 15 inches falling. E. B. Keng reported that the heaviest concentration of rain was 1.75 inches in 50 minutes.

The Hays County Gravel Company of San Marcos leased two lots from the City of Sonora for the location of a concrete mixing plant.

Bidders, happy after recent soaking rains, bought more than 300 items to send $5,496 into the Downtown Lions Club's treasury at the 30th annual Lions Club Auction. The funds are used for numerous welfare and community improvement projects.

Major Alan W. Saunders was presented a third Bronze Star for heroism in Viet Nam.

OCTOBER

The Sonora Chapter of the Eastern Star observed its 50th Anniversary with a buffet supper in the fellowship hall of the First Methodist Church.

D. C. Langford, Sutton County agricultural agent since 1949, was presented a distinguished service award during the meeting of the National Association of County Agricultural Agents in New Orleans. He was one of six Texans to receive the award, the highest honor of the association.

The Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church installed Mrs. A. C. Elliott as president.

Dr. Charles Browne was awarded a certificate for 15 years' service to the American Cancer Society at a district meeting. Recognized for ten years' service were Dr. J. F. Howell, Mrs. George Barrow, Mrs Myrtle Sellman, and Mrs. W. L. Davis. Re-elected a district director was Mrs. Alvis Johnson.

Fred T. Earwood was unanimously re-elected as a district supervisor for Zone 1 of the Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District.

The Sonora maintenance and engineering departments of the Texas Highway Department held an open house October 9 observing Highway Week.

A number of Sutton County people joined in the search for several show dogs which were lost after an automobile accident 14 miles east of Sonora on U.S. Highway 290. Eight of the dogs were soon accounted for, and then three more—Manchester terriers—were found, but no trace was reported of the gold and white Chihuahua, Honeyboy.

A new truck for the collection of garbage was purchased by the City.

The Sonora Broncos picked up their third srtaight victory of the 1964 football season with a 23 to 14 win over the Rankin Red Devils.

The Texas Highway Commission approved expenditure of $111,500 for highway safety and betterment in Sutton County during 1965.

A certificate of merit was presented to Cullen Luttrell of the Texas Highway Department and the men working under his supervision, who have completed 1,062 days without a lost-time accident.

First-place winners in the Sonora Punt, Pass, and Kick competition were Paul Browne, Ricky McKee, Tom Green, Bobby Wayne Granger, Kerry Lynn Joy, and Mitch Trainer.

C. W. West Sr. was awarded a pin and certificate recognizing his 30 years' service with the Texas Highway Department.

The Methodist Youth Fellowship chose Grady Roe as president.

The Sonora Broncos came from behind in Sanderson to defeat the Sanderson Eagles by a score of 20 to 12 for their third victory in district football play.

Chris Berger exhibited the champion ram and reserve champion ewe in the junior Delaine Merino sheep division of the Pan-American Livestock Exposition.

The Sonora Broncos suffered their first defeat in district football play at the hands of the Eldorado Eagles. The final score was Eldorado 6, Sonora 3.

A count by the Parks and Wildlife Department showed a decrease in the number of deer in Sutton County. The 1964 tally showed one deer for each 17.6 acres, while the count last year showed one deer for each 9.7 acres.

Plans for construction of a 40-bed nursing home in Sonora were announced by Albert M. Everett.

Sulema Martinez was crowned Halloween queen at a program at L. W. Elliott School.

The Sonora Broncos dewinged the Junction Eagles by a score of 33-14 to wrap up their fourth victory in district play and their fifth of the season.

Gary Hardgrave and Jimmy Trainer were awarded the Eagle Badge at the Scout Court of Honor held October 27.

High jinks were the order of the day when the Bronco Booster Club staged a benefit intra-club gridiron battle at Bronco Stadium. The farcical football game was considered a success as over $300 were raised.

Karen Davis was chosen sweetheart of the Sonora High School Band.

Crowned queen of the High School Halloween carnival was Jo Ann Lowe.

The Sonora Broncos played one of their best games of the 1964 season October 30, although they lost to a tough Ozona team by a score of 21 to 17.

NOVEMBER

Highlights of the fourth annual Pre-season Hunting Party included speeches by Charles Schreiner, owner of the Y-O Ranch near Mountain Home, and Norrel Wallace of the Parks and Wildlife Department. Robert Halbert was presented the Outstanding Conservationist award, and Walter Pope was re-elected president of the Edwards Plateau Game and Wildlife Association.

Prissy Howell was elected moderator of the Presbyterian youth group.

Projects of the Sutton County Christian Rural Overseas Program have raised $143.54 for aid for needy persons overseas.

O. L. Richardson Jr., livestock advisor for the Agency for International Development in Asuncion, Paraguay, received an award for ten years' service with the United States government.

The Sonora Broncos proved to be too strong for an injury-prone Menard team in a game which resulted in a 31 to 14 victory for Sonora.

Sam Perez was installed as chairman of the G. I. Forum.

The West Side Lions held open house in the club's new building, the Lions' Cage.

George Wallace was appointed a member of the Sonora School Board, filling the unexpired term of Harold Friess, who resigned for medical reasons.

Mrs. R. B. Kelley was elected president of the Pastime 42 Club.

Miss Elaine Miears was named reporter for the Texas Home Economics Chapters, a statewide organization.

The District 8-A champions, the Big Lake Owls, toppled the Sonora Broncos 36-14 in the final football game of the 1964 season.

Chosen for local offices in the general elections were Herman Moore, sheriff; Mrs. Erma Turner, county clerk; Preston Love, county commissioner, precinct 1; Estes Adams, county commissioner, precinct 3; the late J. F. Hamby, constable; and George Wynn, county attorney.

A new Boy Scout Troop, No. 325, was organized November 19.

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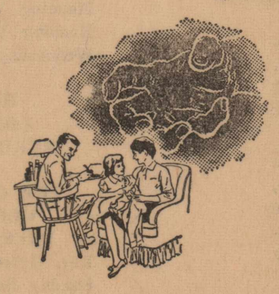
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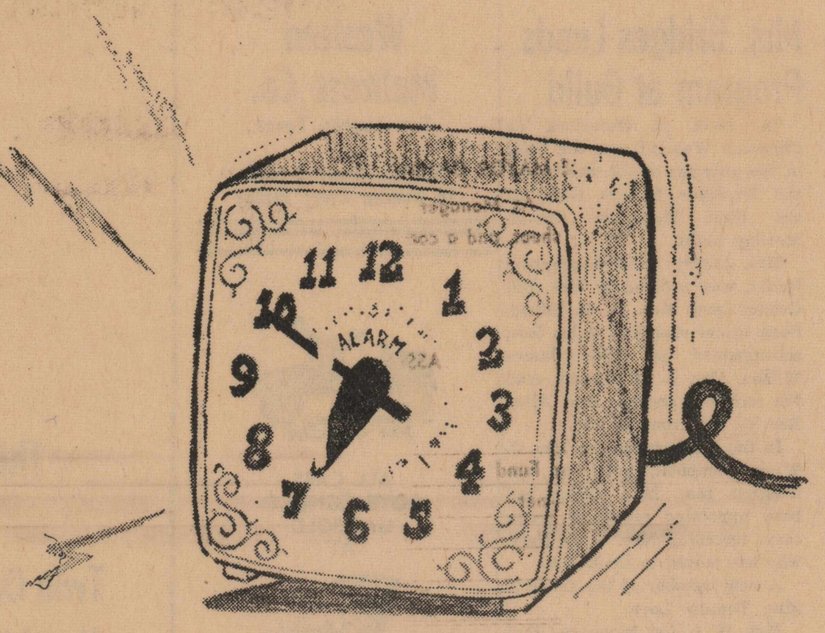
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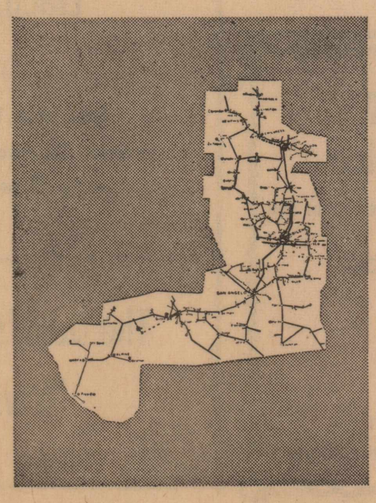
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Luttrell Reviews Value of Safety For Woman's Club

"Persons trained in first aid have had fewer accidents than untrained persons," J. C. Luttrell of the Texas Highway Department told the Sonora Woman's Club Thursday. He said that persons with first-aid training are more aware of the causes of accidents. In urging safety-consciousness, he said that accidents are the leading cause of death.

Luttrell also showed a film, "Texas Fun-Tiers," at the meeting at the clubhouse. The film depicted the state's tourist attractions, including the Caverns of Sonora.

Another feature of the program was a reading of an Ogden Nash poem, "Are We There Yet, Daddy?" by Mrs. Albert Ward.

In the business session conducted by Mrs. Armer Earwood, president, Mrs. Bob Johnson Sr. was elected a new member of the club.

Mrs. Earwood reminded members that the Heart of Texas District convention will be held in Sonora March 22 and 23. Preparations have begun for the two-day meeting. Some 200 women from across the district are expected to attend.

Hostesses for the meeting Thursday were Mmes. Harold Schwiening, Joe Brown Ross, and Duke Wilson.

Mrs. Howell Reviews Article for Auxiliary

Mrs. J. F. Howell reviewed an article giving ideas to help the aged at the meeting of the Hudspeth Memorial Hospital Auxiliary Monday in the home of Mrs. W. J. Fields Jr.

Mrs. J. E. Eldridge led the Auxiliary prayer.

During the business session Mrs. Howell announced that January 24-30 has been designated as Health Career Week. She suggested that the group might display posters in the local schools and downtown during that period.

It was reported that 70 magazines had been taken to the hospital, and a number of visits were reported.

Mrs. Doc Rape of the sewing committee told that 86 dressings had been prepared and used locally.

Balances of $796 in the memorial fund and $451.64 in the general fund were reported.

Mrs. Howell said that the automatic hospital bed purchased by the Auxiliary as a memorial has arrived and is in use at the hospital. A memorial plaque is to be placed on it.

MYF Hears Ricker At Sub-district Meet

The Rev. George Ricker of St. Luke Methodist Church in San Angelo discussed responses to the pressures of life and to hostilitity at the sub-district meeting of Methodist Youth Fellowship held Sunday afternoon. The discussion followed a showing of a movie, "Pressure."

The meeting held at the First Methodist Church was hosted by the Sonora MYF. Some 50 young people from McCamey, Big Lake, Mertzon, Barnhart, Ozona, and Sonora attended.

A supper was served by the Woman's Society of Christian Service.

Teen Scene

By Carol Hopf



Last weekend was really buzzing according to the results of TEEN SCENE "spies." Everyone had to get in some final fun before going to semester exams this week. Odd-period classes exams are scheduled for Wednesday; even-period classes will take exams on Thursday.

Allison and Gail Espy went to Odessa over the weekend for a horse show. Allison did real well and placed first in her pole-bending contest and second in the barrel race.

On Saturday Mr. Steed took a group of band members to Abilene to the regional contest. Those who went were Barbara Holland, Janie Letsinger, Mickey Hardegree, and Franklin Neely. Mickey made the finals. Janie, who plays the clarinet, made eighth chair. Congratulations to these musicians.

Diana Black went to San Marcos to compete in the State competition of the "Make It Yourself With Wool" contest. She reports having a wonderful time.

Sonora's varsity basketball team received the Sportsmanship award at the Big Lake tournament. Bil Elliott was honored by making All-Tournament.

Robert Brown, Kaye Ellis, and Guy Aslew attended a youth meeting at Camp Capers during the weekend. They represented the Episcopal Church from Sonora.

We welcome Mrs. Leon Neely, the new secretary.

Cindy lambert is driving her own car to school these days.

Margaret Bundy went to Mexico for the Christmas holidays with her fmily. Meanwhile, back at the ranch, Stan stayed here for basketball practice and the game. Margaret had a wonderful time. I hope she thought of us when she went swimming!

Gary McGilvray is a real sport—he is faithful to his golf game even in the cold weather. Great exercise.

Dorr Scherz will be leaving Sonora shortly. We shall miss you after you go to Austin, Dorr.

The assembly should prove to be good entertainment. It was scheduled for last week, but the thoughtful people offered to spare us their unpolished performance for a week in order to make it presentable.

Help! The Driver's Education Class has moved from the safety of the classroom to the perilous streets and highways of Sonora. (Perilous refers to the condition for the other drivers and pedestrians.) Really watch out for Gail Espy, Kathy Grelle, Maxine Davis, Janis Sutton, Georganne Schwiening, Ann Caldwell, Debbie Galbreath, Mike Redman, Tim Thorp, David and Steve Whitworth, and Royce Miears.

Friday the Broncos will go to McCamey in search of another win to add to the victory list.

Mrs. Crites Hosts Night Bridge Club

Mrs. R. G. Nance won high score for members and Mrs. R. A. Halbert held high score for guests when the Tuesday Night Bridge Club was entertained by Mrs. W. O. Crites at the Holiday Host Restaurant last week.

Winning the slam prize was Mrs. Ernest McClelland, and Mrs. Bob Vicars won the bingo prize.

Also present were Mmes. Belle Steen, Earl Duncan, Arthur Carroll, Louie Trainer, P. J. Taylor, Ted Letsinger, and Thomas Morriss.

Pie and coffee were served.

Mrs. Kelley Hosts Monday Night Club

Mrs. R. B. Kelley was hostess for the meeting of the Monday Night Bridge Club this week.

Winning high scores were Mrs. Norma Potter for club members and Mrs. Eva Baker for guests. Mrs. Lee Patrick won the slam prize, and Mrs. Belle Steen was bingo winner.

Others at the party included Mmes. Ted Letsinger, Robert Kelley, Collier Shurley, Duard Archer, Francis Archer, Miers Savell, Eulah Newell, and George Barrow.

A dessert and coffee were served.

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Peggy Lynn Grobe was elected 1964 Football Sweetheart.

Fifty-year certificates were awarded by the Sonora Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star to Mr. and Mrs. Auther Simmons, Mrs. Rose Thorp, Mrs. Paul Turney, and Mrs. Roy Aldwell.

David D. Shurley and Mrs. B. F. Turney were appointed enumerators for the 1964 Census of Agriculture.

Tim Alderson, formerly of Ballinger, was named assistant manager at Wm. Cameron and Company.

The Sonora Broncos kicked off the '64-'65 basketball season by defeating the Ozona Lions to the tune of 47 to 32.

Jo Ann Lowe and Jerry Shurley Jr. were announced as Gold Star winners at the 4-H Achievement party November 21. Honored as outstanding 4-H parents were Mrs. Lea Roy Aldwell and Frank Fish, and Dr. Joe David Ross was presented a plaque for being the outstanding contributor to 4-H work in Sutton County in 1964. Susan Allison and Libb Mills Wallace were introduced as the 4-H Sweetheart and Beau.

Herb Petry, vice-president of the Concho Valley Council of Boy Scouts, presented a plaque to the Downtown Lions Club in recognition of its sponsorship of Boy Scout Troop 19 for 35 years.

The Sonora Broncos eased their way to a 66 to 39 victory over Rocksprings in basketball competition.

Maxie Delrie, Roy Glasscock, Arturo "Square" Sanchez, and Bill Elliott were selected for the 1964 District 8-A all-star football team.

Mrs. Santos Hernandez was installed as president of the Womans' Auxiliary of the G. I. Forum.

Jerry N. Shurley, worshipful master of Dee Ora Lodge, was installed as District Deputy Grand High Priest for District 35 of the Masonic Lodge.

DECEMBER

The Sonora Broncos slipped by Miles in basketball play by a score of 51 to 46.

Jack Kerbow was appointed a member of the local draft board, succeeding Thomas A. Morriss.

Appointed to the Board of Trustees of the Sonora Independent School District was Mrs. Vestel Askew, succeeding Mrs. Cleve Jones Jr.

Herman Smith was announced as the leader of the 1965 March of Dimes campaign here.

Construction of a new Parish Hall for St. Ann's Catholic Church was scheduled to begin the last of January.

Gaylord Hankins of Rocksprings was chosen president of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association and 16 Sutton County ranchmen were elected to the board of directors. Hankins succeeds Vestel Askew of Sonora.

Cy Taillon, widely known rodeo announcer from Colorado, was the guest speaker at the District 6 4-H Gold Star Banquet held here.

Diana Black qualified for the state Make It Yourself With Wool Contest by placing in district competition here.

Mrs. Jack Kerbow was appointed chairman of the Sutton County Mother's March on Birth Defects, and Mrs. Carl Cahill was named co-chairman.

The Sonora Broncos grabbed their seventh victory of the 1964-65 basketball season when they defeated Mason 68 to 48.

In the Eldorado Basketball Tournament the Broncos earned the consolation title, and Bill Elliott was listed on the all-tournament team.

Winners of the Christmas decorating contest were Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt, first; the Rev. and Mrs. Rodney Dowdy, second; and the Rev. and Mrs. Arno Melz, third.

Maxie Delrie was selected as a member of the All West Texas football squad.

Elected president of the Sonora Park Association was Gene Shurley.

The Sonora Broncos swept by McCamey in basketball play by a score of 50 to 33.

Lee Patrick was elected chief of the Sonora Fire Department for the 20th year, and Frank Adkins was chosen president.

Harold Scherz, cashier of the First National Bank, announced plans to move to Austin, where he will be vice-president of the Bank of Austin.

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Annual Report of Manager of Utilities

FISCAL YEAR
OCTOBER 1, 1963, TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1964

TO THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF SONORA, TEXAS:

As Manager of the General Department, and the Light, Water and Sewer Systems, of the City of Sonora, Texas, I hereby file with you a condensed balance sheet, and a combined report of the operations of the departments, plants and systems, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1964, as follows:

CONDENSED BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS	TOTAL	FUND: GENERAL AND SOCIAL SECURITY	ELECTRIC	WATER	SEWER
Current assets	$ 181,211.97	$ 13,104.32	$ 71,649.09	$ 52,042.20	$ 44,416.36
Investments: Sinking Fund	6,191.25	—0—	—0—	—0—	6,191.25
Property & Equipment—net	1,548,836.24	249,442.81	691,615.75	285,860.34	321,917.34
Deferred charges	44,969.91	—0—	44,969.91	—0—	—0—
Other Assets	940.68	226.96	449.76	208.75	55.21
TOTALS	$1,782,150.05	$262,774.09	$808,684.51	$338,111.29	$372,580.16
LIABILITIES					
Current Liabilities	$ 91,346.23	$ 9,637.98	$ 60,860.83	$ 10,842.71	$ 10,004.71
Long Term Indebtedness	592,831.24	15,726.33	266,104.91	119,000.00	192,000.00
Surplus	1,097,972.58	237,409.78	481,718.77	208,268.58	170,575.45
TOTALS	$1,782,150.05	$262,774.09	$808,684.51	$338,111.29	$372,580.16

OPERATIONS

	TOTAL	FUND: GENERAL	ELECTRIC	WATER	SEWER
Operating revenue	$300,451.26	$75,659.77	$149,926.79	$52,340.20	$22,524.50
Operating expenses excluding depreciation	168,120.74	55,205.63	$ 73,133.32	$30,497.12	$ 9,284.67
Operating income before depreciation	$132,330.52	$20,454.14	$ 76,793.47	$21,843.08	$13,239.83
Other income	22,679.00	—0—	25.54	248.25	22,405.21
Net income before depreciation and debt service	$155,009.52	$20,454.14	$ 76,819.01	$22,091.33	$32,645.04
Depreciation	43,223.04	—0—	28,237.77	11,159.11	3,826.16
Debt Service	28,641.84	579.11	15,492.50	4,971.47	7,598.76
Contributions to other City Funds	9,020.87	—0—	3,610.44	5,410.43	—0—
	$ 80,885.75	$ 579.11	$ 47,340.71	$21,541.01	$11,424.92
Net Income	$ 74,123.77	$19,875.03	$ 29,478.30	$ 550.32	$24,220.12

The foregoing is taken from the Audit Reports of the City, copies of which are on file with the City Secretary, and reference is made thereto for a complete itemization of revenues and expenses.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,
R. M. McCARVER
MANAGER OF UTILITIES
1-4-65

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

FRIDAY, JANUARY 15
6:30 p.m., Sonora "B" team vs. McCamey basketball game there
8 p.m., Sonora varsity vs. McCamey basketball game there

SATURDAY, JANUARY 16
9:30 a.m., Sutton County 4-H Livestock Show at 4-H center
2-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open

SUNDAY, JANUARY 17
Services at the church of your choice

MONDAY, JANUARY 18
5:30 p.m., Sonora seventh grade vs. Junction basketball game here
6:45 p.m., Sonora eighth grade vs. Junction basketball game here

TUESDAY, JANUARY 19
12 noon, Downtown Lions Club meeting at First Methodist Church

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20
3-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open

THURSDAY, JANUARY 21
Sonora Broncos participate in Ozona basketball tournament

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SEERITE magnifying glass with square lens lets you see more. High power. $3.40 at the Devil's River News. 5n17

THREE BEDROOM, 1½ bath home for sale at 519 E. 2nd. Damon Davis, 2-7781. 4c17

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NEW THURON 100 gallon sprayer. 10 gallons per minute. Starter, generator, battery. Reg. $1,050 for $885. Sonora Feed and Supply. 4c17

STUDENTS — Get pressboard binders for 8½x11 typewritten papers at the Devil's River News. 8n17

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FURNISHED HOUSE for rent. Call Mrs. Maysie Brown, 2-5101. tf18

Lost & Found

SPUR PIN found at Methodist Church. Owner may identify and claim at News Office. 2nc15

Special Services

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Coffee Compliments Mrs. Harold Scherz

Mrs. Harold Scherz was honored with a coffee Saturday morning, January 9, by Mrs. Rex Lowe and Mrs. Bill Morriss at the Morriss home.

Decorative candles were used on the serving table, which was covered with an ecru cloth.

Hot spiced punch, coffee, sausage and ham squares, fruits, and sweet rolls were served.

Mrs. Carl Cahill and Mrs. Robert Hardgrave assisted in serving.

The Scherz family is moving to Austin this month.

Happy Birthday Calendar

(Is your name included on the birthday calendar? If you or members of your family are not listed, please call or write us, telling us the names and dates. There is no charge.)

Friday, January 15
Bill Savell
Mrs. Joe B. Ross
Jack Henderson
Mrs. T. R. Chenault
Mrs. Henry Greenhill
Gary Hardgrave
Dick Copeland
Mrs. Pat Thompson

Saturday, January 16
Jim Perry
Sara Stewart
Mason Shurley
Bill Stewart
Peter Finklea

Sunday, January 17
Raymond Morgan
Mrs. Francis Jones
David Wallace
Mrs. Charles F. Browne
Tom Green
Joel Kent Carpenter
Ruben Noriega

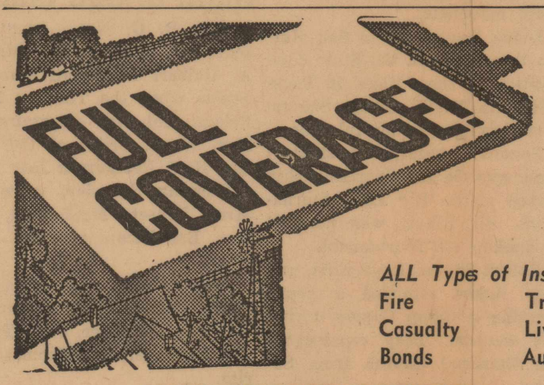
Monday, January 18
J. R. Caldwell
Karen Kemper
Mary Farris

Tuesday, January 19
Vincent Roueche
Robert Clark
Robert Douglas Drennan
Bob Nevill
Mrs. John Mittel

Wednesday, January 20
Mrs. L. P. Bloodworth
Leon Neely

Thursday, January 21
Cecil Westerman
Joe Gail Willman
Carl Teaff
Anne Elizabeth Ward
Mary Oma Mathis
Tim Turner

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NOTICE

TO CITY TAXPAYERS,,,

ALL CITY TAXES ARE DUE AND PAYABLE ON OCTOBER 1, AND IF NOT PAID BY THE LAST DAY OF JANUARY, WILL BE DELINQUENT

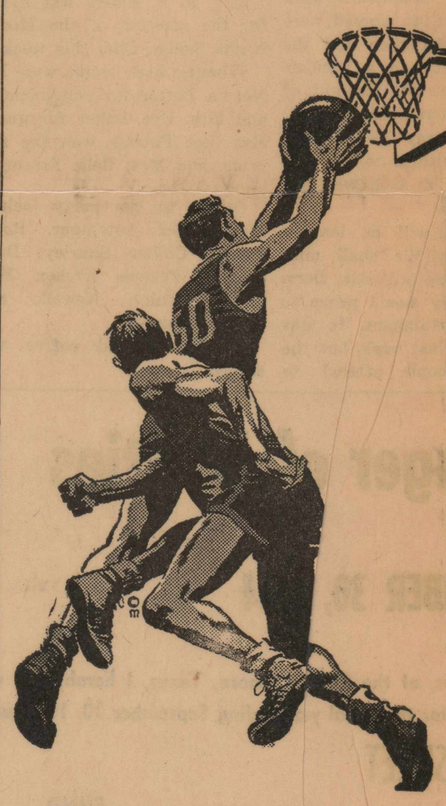
Delinquent taxes are subject to penalty and interest, and it it is greatly to your interest to take care of taxes BEFORE THE FEBRUARY 1st DEADLINE.

DELINQUENT TAXES

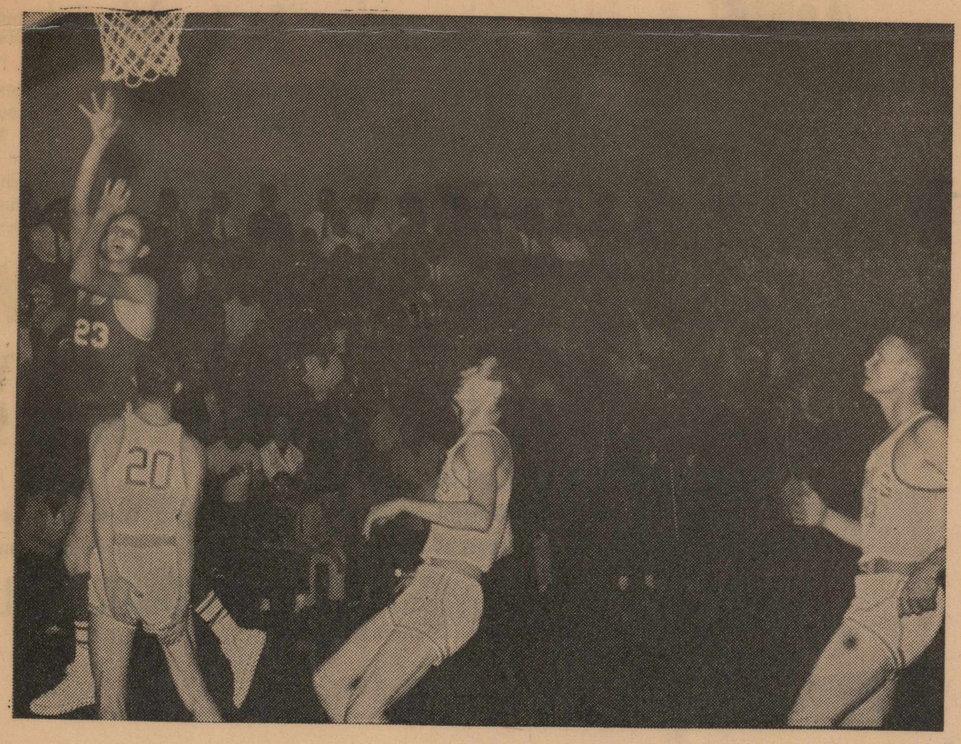
We still have some delinquent taxes on our books and those owing such taxes are urged to come in and see about them.

According to law, delinquent taxes are a valid lien against any real estate property and in case of a sale of property, must be satisified. In other words, you could not give valid title to your place if there were any unpaid taxes against it.

CITY OF SONORA



Bronco Basketball



HIT | Friday, Jan. 15, McCamey, There
Thurs., Fri., Sat., Jan. 21, 22, 23, Ozona Tournament | **HARDER**

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF SONORA, IN THE STATE OF TEXAS
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DECEMBER 31, 1964

Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under section 5211, U.S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS

1.	Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	$ 856,800.15
2.	United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed (Net of any reserves)	909,757.00
3.	Obligations of States and political subdivisions (Net of any reserves)	1,704,432.14
4.	Other bonds, notes, and debentures	23,380.45
5.	Loans and discounts (Net of any reserves)	3,008,353.13
8.	Fixed assets	21,000.00
10.	Other assets	15,000.00
11.	Total Assets	$6,538,722.87

LIABILITIES

12.	Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		$4,720,368.06
13.	Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		113,330.36
14.	Deposits of United States Government		40,033.16
15.	Deposits of States and political subdivsions		808,877.79
17.	Certified and officers' checks, etc.		46,566.61
18.	Total Deposits	$5,729,175.98	
	(a) Total demand deposits	$5,351,134.54	
	(b) Total time and savings deposits	$ 378,041.44	
23.	Total Liabilities		$5,729,175.98

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

26.	Common stock—par value per share $100.00 No. shares authorized 2,000, No. shares outstanding 2,000, Total par value	$ 200,000.00
27.	Surplus	300,000.00
28.	Undivided profits	169,546.89
29.	Reserves	140,000.00
30.	Total Capital Accounts	$ 809,546.89
31.	Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	$6,538,722.87

I, Harold Scherz, Cashier, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(s) Harold Scherz

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

(s) Geo. H. Neill
(s) Lea Roy Aldwell — Directors
(s) Joe M. VanderStucken

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		14.95 COATS	9.99

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4.95 VALUES	3.77
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14.95 to 17.95 VALUES	10.80	12.95 Values	8.90

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2.98 Sweater	1.99
3.98 Sweater	2.99
4.98 Sweater	3.49
5.95 Sweater	3.99
6.95 Sweater	4.99
7.95 & 8.95 Sweaters	5.99

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6.95 BAGS	3.49

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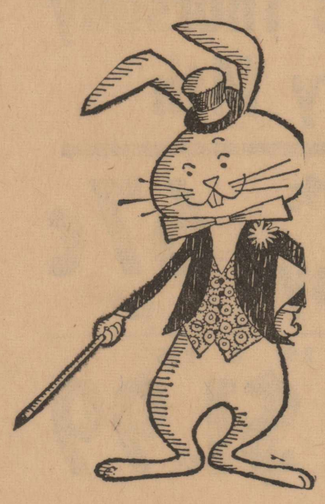
Court of Honor Set By Scout Troop 325

Boy Scout Troop 325 will hold a Court of Honor and present a charter to its sponsor, the West Side Lions Club, at the L. W. Elliott School at 7 p.m., Monday, January 18.

The public is invited to attend.

Pete Samaniego is Scout Master of the troop. Other troop committeemen are Richard Perez, Felipe Flores, Eulalio Gonzales, Robert G. Duran, Raul Favila, Arthur Trevino, Alex Gonzales, Claud Flores, and Billy Gonzales.

Members of Troop 325 are Sonny Favila, Willie Gutierrez, Ramiro Martinez, Edward Gonzales, Richard Gonzales, Aldo Flores, Hector Garcia, Ramiro Perez, Lupe Espinosa, Bobby Duran, Freddie Gonzales, Arnold Samaniego, Raul Arredondo, Richard Bernal, and Pete Samaniego.



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George Wynn
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Two 4-H'ers Place In Show at Odessa

Two members of Sutton County 4-H Club placed in the Sand Hills Hereford and Quarter Horse Show in Odessa January 6.

Mark Jacoby received 12th and 19th places and Chris Berger received a 15th place for fat lambs exhibited.

Also exhibiting lambs were Ray Glasscock, Martha Love, Larry Berger, and Joe David Nance.

Adults from Sonora accompanying the club members were Edgar Glasscock, Cleveland Nance, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Jacoby, Mrs. Preston Love, D. C. Langford, and W. F. Berger.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Luckie during the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Luckie, Lenora, and Vance of Eunice, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Luckie, Larry, Gwen, and Hilton of Goldsmith; Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Simon of La Junta, Colorado; Sidney and Lowell Luckie of Kerrville; and Mrs. George Smith and Eddy.

Mrs. Mary Smith of San Angelo has been visiting Mr. and Mrs George Smith and Eddy.

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The Devil's Workshop

An Idle Mind Column

By Della King

There are a number of things that make newspaper work rewarding. We are grateful when someone compliments the paper, and we are pleased when we can provide a needed service.

Last week we received a letter from Mr. A. J. Harris in Burkburnett. He is a new subscriber, and I am not acquainted with him, but his letter was so heartwarming that I wanted to share it:

"Dear friends,

"Just a few lines to say I like and enjoy the Devil's River News a lot, having to stay indoors all this bad weather.

"I read an article in the Wichita Falls Times yesterday, and am sending it to you all.

"I was rather amused at Sonora being built on the wrong section of land, but am glad it's all straightened out now.

"I plan to come to Sonora in early spring to spend the summer there. I had a paralytic stroke in 1951 and am not over it completely yet. I still use a cane to walk with but in warm weather I can get around pretty well. I eat at cafes and live in motels about all the time. I am never sick any. I try to keep everybody happy where I go. I am a veteran of World War One.

"Yours truly, A. J. Harris"

The Column by Jack Maguire from the Wichita Falls newspaper contained a number of interesting facts about Texas, including the following:

"TRAVELING TEXAS—Tourists can stand in Texas and look at hell.

"At least, visitors to Presidio, in the Big Bend, can look across the Rio Grande at "The City of the Devil." It's the Mexican village of Ojinaga where, legend has it, the Devil lived until he was chased off by a priest.

"Today Ojinaga is the terminal where hundreds of Texans board the train for the scenic trip to Mexico's Pacific Coast."

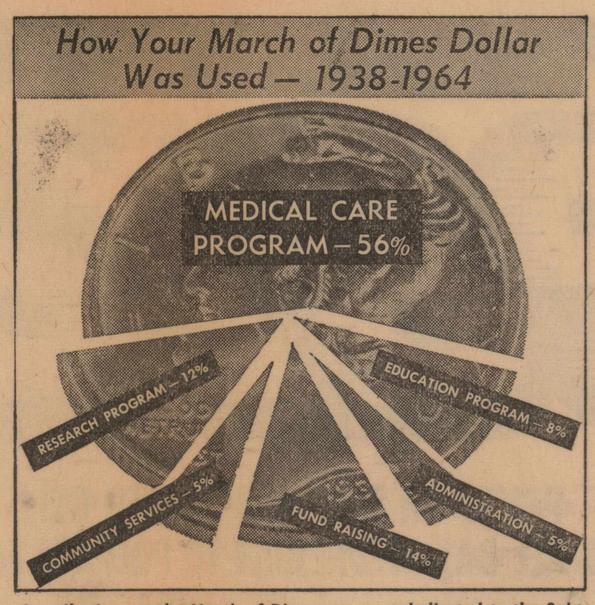
SOUTH SIDE GREENERY

Green oat fields on the Rip Ward and Sam Allison places provide a contrast to surrounding land as motorists approach Sonora from the south.

Both ranchers have coastal bermuda and oats under irrigation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Simon have returned to their home in La Junta, Colorado, after visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Artie Joy were in Odessa Saturday on business.



Contributions to the March of Dimes are now dedicated to the fight against birth defects in support of scientific programs that proved their worth by eliminating polio as a public health problem in the United States. With birth defects striking down more of our children than polio ever did, public support of the March of Dimes is needed now as never before.

CEDAR HILL NEWS

By Mrs. L. D. Hollmig

Mrs. L. D. Hollmig entertained the Twice Monthly 42 Club in the home of Mrs. D. Q. Adams Wednesday, January 6.

Cookies, homemade candy, soft drinks, and coffee were served.

Mrs. Jamie Parker von high score, and Mrs. Maurice Sorrels held low. Winner of the traveling prize was Mrs. B F. Turney.

Members present included Mmes. D. Q. Adams Lester Garrett, Elba Adams, Estes Adams, Fred Maxey, Lester Shroyer, B. F. Turney, M. E. Joy, Jamie Parker, and Maurice Sorrells. Guests were Mrs. W. J. Warren and Mrs. Bud Greenage.

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Belated News: Mrs. Margurite Turney had as guests during the holidays her sister and brother-in law, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Caldwell of Del Rio.

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Visiting Mrs. D. Q. Adams and Oscar this wekend were Mrs. Willie Andrews and Mrs. Bill Gorman and children of Sonora.

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Guests of Mr and Mrs. Jamie Parker recently were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Parker of Odessa.

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Preston Adams of Odessa visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elba Adams, and Elba Jr. recently.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Mr King:

We continue to receive requests for copies of the special edition of your newspaper which you published to commemorate the District 4-H Gold Star Banquet recently held in Sonora. Parents and interested friends of these youngsters feel that it is one of the finest tributes seen. We agree.

The agents of this district join us in thanking you for putting into print what we know to be true—boys and girls who are busy working toward better personal and community betterment are the real news stories of today.

Again, thank you for giving these outstanding youth public recognition for positive achievement.

Sincerely yours,
Mrs. Roberta Johnson
District Home Demonstration Agent-6

Sincerely yours,
Mr. Ray D. Siegmund
District Agricultural Agent-6

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Junior High Wins Two Cage Matches

Sonora took two basketball games from Menard. Both the seventh and the eighth grades won their games played against Menard here Monday.

The score of the seventh grade game was Sonora 35, Menard 9. High scorers were Erasmo Lumbreras with 14 points and David Wuest with 8 points.

The outcome of the eighth grade game was just as satisfying. The eighth grade team outscored Menard 39 to 14. High point men of this game were Mitch Trainer with 14 points and Ed Lee Renfro with 6 points.

SHURLEY HOME STARTED

Work has begun on the Gene Shurley home on East College near the hospital. Ernest McClelland is the builder.

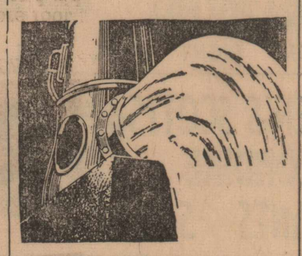
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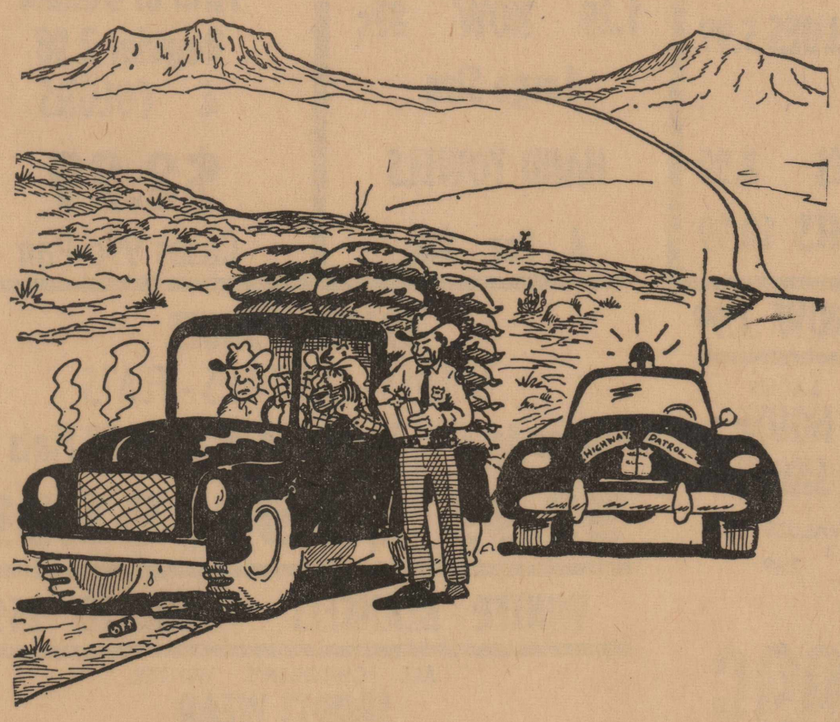
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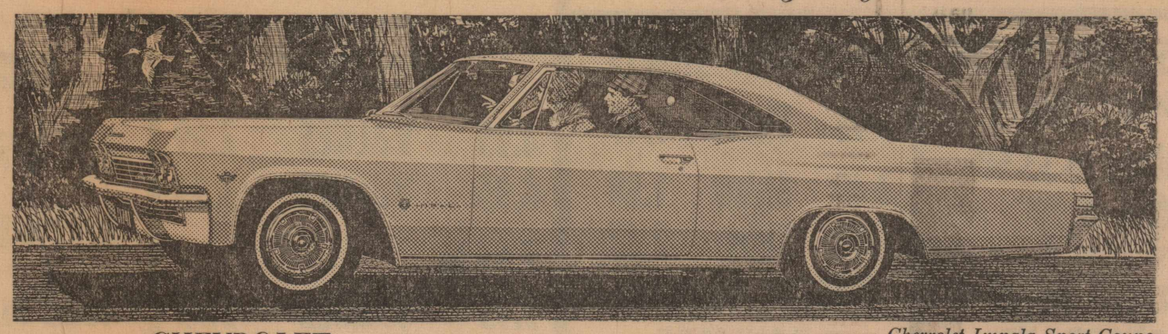
COW POKES By Ace Reid



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