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The Devil's River News

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SIXTY FOURTH YEAR Sonora, Texas, Friday, September 3, 1954 FIFTIETH WEEK

Lions Auction Sale September 21

The Sonora Lions Club's first auction sale since 1951 will be held Tuesday night, September 21, at the racetrack. The sale will begin at 7 o'clock. Lem Jones will be the auctioneer.

George H. Neill, Joe M. Vander Stucken and S. M. Kerbow are members of the soliciting committee this year. George E. Smith is in charge of the pens and grounds, and Dr. W. T. Hardy will be in charge of receiving livestock and merchandise.

The auction sale was first inaugurated as a means of raising all the funds the club would need for a year at one time. Money received by the club through this sale is used to assist the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, 4-H Club work, and occasionally such things as the fogging machine and new fire fighting equipment.

290 Association To Erect Sign Near Houston

The National Old Spanish Trail U. S. 290 Association board of directors met Friday night at the First National Bank and voted to erect a large sign near Houston. The sign will be in the form of a map showing the shortest and coolest route from Oranger, Texas to Las Cruces, New Mexico.

Brochures containing scenes from each town on this route, and application blanks and membership cards for the 290 Association are being printed. The directors also voted to meet the second Monday of each month at the Renroc Club.

Officers are Pat Lyles, president; J. Wray Campbell, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Maxine Ellingson, recording secretary. Directors include Henry Greenhill, Alton Hightower, Granville Barker and G. H. Hall.

LEAVES FOR SERVICE

Ensign Wayne Ogden, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Ogden, left Monday for San Francisco, where he will attend a Navy school on harbor defense. After 15 weeks training he will be sent to a U. S. Naval Station for 15-month duty.

HAPPY - BIRTHDAY

Friday, September 3, Tyree Hardy, Mrs. Perry Mittel, Mrs. J. F. Howell
Saturday, September 4, Mrs. G. H. Hall
Sunday, September 5, Mrs. Jessie F. Bricker
Monday, September 6, Mrs. Walter Anthony, W. R. Cusenbary
Tuesday, September 7, Mrs. J. S. Holman, Mrs. Curt Schwiening, Mrs. Sam Floyd, Mrs. Jack Turney, Martha Mittel
Wednesday, September 8, Shannon Ratliff, Lynn Stuart, H. C. Saunders, James T. Hunt, Randy Fawcett
Thursday, September 9, Mrs. Duane Practer, Gil Trainer, Roy Glasscock, Mrs. Bennie Babb, Harold Scherz

Mr. and Mrs. David Shurley are here as guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Collier Shurley. Shurley, who recently completed his Army basic training in El Paso, will report to an Army intelligence school for his next assignment.

charged with drunkenness. Both indicate they will plead guilty. 12:40 A. M. - 4 miles east of Sonora on US 290 going west. Cadillac sedan passes us going east, inside headlight is not burning. Moore stops car, tries to fix light and suggests driver return to Sonora to have light replaced. Driver agrees to this and is given warning ticket.

During this patrol Moore has checked on traffic on US 277 north and south, but this is a Friday night and traffic is light. Most of the Del Rio traffic comes Saturday and Sunday, as does San Angelo traffic. We return at 1 A. M.

The city and property owners in Lomax addition are cooperating in paving 2,000 feet of 40-foot wide streets. . . . Jim Ray Baker and E. A. Brodhead were recently initiated into the Order of the Arrow, an honor campers organization within the Boy Scout movement. The ceremony resembles an Indian initiation and took place at Camp Fawcett.

Services Sunday For Mrs. Kelly

Funeral services were held here Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock from St. John's Episcopal Church for Mrs. Sol Kelly, 59, who died Saturday morning in a San Angelo hospital. The Rev. Alanson Brown officiated and burial was in Sonora Cemetery.

Pallbearers were George Wynn, Dan Cauthorn, Cashes Taylor, Alfred Cooper, Alton Hightower and Louie Trainer.

Mrs. Kelly, members of a prominent West Texas ranching family, was born in Sutton County September 7, 1894. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Word, pioneer ranching couple whose holdings were in the western part of the county.

In 1911 Mrs. Kelly was married to Sol Kelly, a prominent ranchman in this section with interests near Sonora, Llano, Christoval, Mason and in Colorado.

Mrs. Kelly is survived by her husband, two sisters, Mrs. J. A. McGonagill of Marathon, and Mrs. Nancy B. Wilson of Sonora. Two other sisters preceded her in death. Several neices and nephews also survive.

BREAKS ARM IN FALL

Mrs. H. H. Suggs, 65, suffered a compound fracture of the left arm and a sprained hip last Thursday when she fell while descending the steps at the Morrison Variety Store. Mrs. Suggs was taken to Hudspeth Memorial Hospital for treatment and is reported recovering.

Lottery Case Filed Here By Texas Ranger

D. W. Tudor of Shiner, Texas paid a fine of \$50 and \$14.50 costs after pleading guilty in justice of the Peace Court to charge of operating a lottery. Charges were filed by Texas Ranger Clarence Nordike Monday.

Tudor was charged with selling chances on an automobile in front of the Post Office. He claimed to represent a veteran's organization.

45 YEARS AGO

Ira L. Wheat and daughters, Misses Zena, Edna, and Stella left for San Antonio Wednesday on a visit. The trip was made in the Wheat auto.

J. W. Mayfield accompanied Mrs. Lewis Mayfield and children, and Miss Emma Palmer to the S. J. Palmer ranch in Edwards County last Thursday where the ladies will visit a few days.

Miss Lela Wyatt will leave next week for the Arthur Stewart ranch where she will teach this season.

Miss Jessie Smith who taught successfully last session at Owensville will teach at B. C. Earwoods in Edwards County this year.

Walter Davis and daughter, Miss Winnie, were in Sonora Tuesday visiting relatives.

D. B. Cusenbary has been in and out of town the past week being busy delivering 1000 head of cows to J. L. Sheen of Christoval. The rumor has it that these cows brought \$5.00 a head.

W. L. Aldwell reports that E. R. Jackson sold 15,000 pounds of spring clip 6 month mohair in Boston at 24 cents.

Mrs. Sim White has had an addition built to her home this week. Al Purcell had the contract.

Miss Tora Smith will leave for the J. N. Ross ranch where she will again teach the Ross children.

G. W. Sofge and J. W. Trainer have taken charge of the Sonora Restaurant and will run it in first class order. Try them.

W. E. Dunbar was in Sonora from his ranch twelve miles south of town. His intentions and business were perfectly legitimate, but the rain cloud finding him not at home had to turn the extra wetting on the Monroe Kirkland range.

Captain Lea Roy Aldwell is spending two weeks on active duty at Fort Sam Houston.

Hill Wins Race For Sheriff

Wess Hill, Sutton County ranchman, was elected sheriff, tax assessor and collector in the second primary Saturday, defeating Clyde Henderson by a vote of 506 to 286.

Voters turned out here in record numbers for a runoff election, casting 815 ballots Saturday as compared to 884 in the first primary July 24. Returns here were complete 11 minutes after the polls closed.

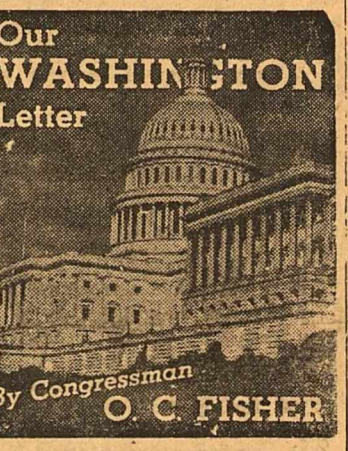
Sutton County voters continued to back Governor Allan Shivers, giving him 554 votes to 252 for Ralph Yarborough.

Judge Few Brewster was returned to his post as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, place 1, with 424 votes here. His opponent, Alfred M. Scott, received 162.

Lloyd W. Davidson, running for Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals, received 689 votes. No opponent was listed on the ballot with Judge Davidson, since the other candidate in the runoff withdrew before the ballots were printed. It was necessary for Judge Davidson to run, however, because he did not receive a majority in the first primary.

GRASS FIRE MONDAY

Approximately 20 acres of pasture was burned off the Clyde Hill ranch Monday afternoon when lightning started a blaze. The Sonora Volunteer Fire Department answered the call to the ranch, 27 miles west of Sonora.



The 83rd Congress ended its two-year session on Friday evening. It was an historic session featuring the controversial McCarthy issue, the first tax revision in 60 years, a new farm program, a half dozen bills designed to deal more effectively with domestic Communists and scores of other major legislative items.

The first tax relief in years was voted, with the major benefits going to rank-and-file individual taxpayers. The budget came within \$3.5 billion of being balanced. Foreign aid was cut considerably, and social security was expanded.

A NEW WOOL PROGRAM, different from anything heretofore undertaken, was approved. Under this new plan, the Secretary of Agriculture will, in the Autumn, announce an incentive price for wool during the following year. The price will be one designed to encourage the production of more wool until a goal of 300 million pounds annually is achieved. The grower will sell his wool on the free market and retain his sales slip. At the end of the marketing season the average price received by growers will be compared with the incentive price previously announced by the Secretary.

A payment will be made to the grower in an amount that will insure him an approximation of the incentive price level. The formula will be applied in a way that will give advantage of those who get higher prices on the market and encourage all growers to improve their quality of wool and its preparation for market.

The money to pay for this program will come exclusively from revenue derived from tariff collected on imported wool. There will be no direct appropriation of funds by Congress.

MOHAIR will be included in the program. We were able, with the assistance of Rep. Bob Poage, to get a formula written into the law which guarantees mohair growers an incentive level of 15% of the parity accorded wool. In other words, if wool is allowed 100% of parity as an incentive price, mohair must be allowed at least 85%.

While the wool program was not the solution many of us preferred to the wool growers' dilemma, it was the Administration's program. We undertook to make it as workable as possible, after it became apparent that we must live with it and adjust ourselves to its terms. In practice it may

RETURN OF THE SECOND DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ELECTION AUGUST 28, 1954

	1	2	3	4	5	AB	Total
For Sheriff							
Tax Assessor Collector							
Wess Hill	218	196	10	37	8	37	506
Clyde Henderson	171	80	3	2	0	30	286
For Governor							
Allan Shivers	261	193	7	30	6	57	554
Ralph Yarborough	144	80	6	9	2	11	252
For Associate Justice Of The Supreme Court, Place 1							
Few Brewster	251	88	8	28	5	44	424
Alfred M. Scott	87	49	4	6	3	13	162
For Judge Of The Court Of Criminal Appeals							
Lloyd W. Davidson	325	266	5	33	7	53	689

Broncos To Work Out With Mason

The Mason Cowpunchers and the Sonora Broncos will hold a scrimmage session here Saturday night at 7 o'clock, according to Coach Joe Turner. Last Saturday Sonora scrimmaged with Del Rio, a Class AA team and showed up fairly well.

There will be no admission charge and the public is invited to attend.

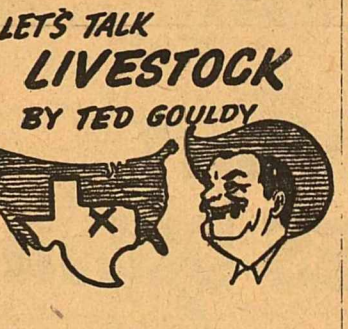
ATTEND CONVENTION

Dr. W. T. Hardy and Dr. D. A. Price returned this week from Seattle, Washington, where they attended the convention of the National Veterinary Medical Association. Dr. Price delivered a paper on bluetongue.

Tom Davis New A. S. C. Chairman

W. L. (Tom) Davis, Sutton County ranchman, has been elected chairman of the Sutton County A. S. C. Committee. He succeeds W. B. McMillan who served as chairman the past three years.

Other members of the committee are Herbert Fields, vice-chairman; Lea Roy Aldwell, regular member; and George Brockman and Robert Pfluger, alternate members.



Fort Worth - A stocker and feeder calf show and sale sponsored by the Texas Aberdeen-Angus Ass'n., will be held at the stockyards at Fort Worth Friday, September 3, but when the sale starts there will be no auctioneer chanting the sing-song-cri of the bids. All of the calves and yearlings in the sale will be sold at private treaty in the same way stock is sold each day at the big market.

The sale will be unique in many other ways. It will be the first breed association sale of stockers and feeders to be held on the huge stockyards at the Fall season of the year. The show will be devoted to loads and half loads, but larger or smaller lots will be seen.

The "blacks" have become increasingly popular with many Southwestern cattlemen and this is the first gathering of its kind at a major market in this part of the country.

Slaughter cows were lower at Fort Worth Monday, with fat cows showing the most decline. Bulls held steady. Grassy slaughter steers and yearlings also slipped in price. Slaughter calves were around 50 cents a hundred and more lower.

The buyers offered much lower bids on the opening rounds and salesmen made a long tough day of it by resisting the lower bids stoutly. Over 132,000 cattle and calves were reported Monday at the nation's major markets and this was the heaviest run in several weeks.

Stocker cattle and calves enjoyed a fairly reliable market at steady prices at Fort Worth, despite the pressure from the huge runs over the nation.

Yearlings and older sheep sold fully steady to strong with fat yearlings \$10 to \$12, and slaughter ewes drew \$4.50 to \$6.

Very good demand for breeding ewes of good ages and quality was work out very well. Time will tell.



Soil Conservation District News

Prepared by Local SCS Personnel
News of Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District

Fall Term Of District Court Opens Monday

District Court of the 112th district, Judge Jim C. Langdon presiding, will open here Monday morning at 10 o'clock. Grand jurors and petit jurors are to report at that hour.

Members of the grand jury are Lea Roy Aldwell, Lea Allison, Wilfred Berger, Hillman D. Brown, Ford Allen, George D. Chalk, Gay Copeland, W. L. Davis, Jim Decker, John Easton, Lee B. Fawcett, Herbert Fields, H. L. Brown, Hub Hale, Clyde Hill, and Bryan Hunt.

Members of the petit jury panel are Boyd Moore, T. R. Chenualt, Albin Kubish, L. D. Holmig, Alfred Bermea, Pat Carroll, J. F. Hamby, G. T. Rode, P. W. Doran, Joseph E. Anderson, A. H. Adkins, Dave Locklin, Robert F. Mayer, Jack Mackey, Lamar Fugua, Francis Archer, Wesley Sawyer, C. G. Teitsch, S. M. Loeffler, W. P. McConnell, Jr., Lewis Spraggins, Boyd Loveace, J. Wray Campbell, B. W. Emert, Duard Archer, Wallace Johnson, Leslie Almhurst, Thomas Morris, Mike Moore, Harold Schwiening, Jeff Harris, Sam T. Logan, Rex Merriman, Cleveland Nance.

In order to leave dead residue on the surface, tillage must be done below the surface. This may best be done with the use of sweeps, running under the soil surface 2 to 6 inches. Ranchers having one-way plows can get fair results by reducing the cutting angle. Used in this manner, the one-way plow may cover some of the residue but will leave a good portion of it on the surface.

Stubble mulch has proved highly profitable in low rainfall areas during dry years. Tests have shown as much as 60% increase in crop production over that obtained with the usual method of grazing or plowing under all crop residues. In wet years there is little or no increase in crop production. The gain obtained from stubble mulching in wet years come from protection against erosion and increase in soil fertility.

Stubble mulching is most effective when used with other good soil conservation practices such as contour farming and terracing.

Personal Notes

M-Sgt. and Mrs. W. C. Brenton of Connley Airfield, Waco, were the guests of Mrs. Tom Driskell last weekend.

Jon Dungan returned to his home in Odessa last week, after spending the summer with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hallum.

Mrs. J. F. Hamby and Mrs. Clyde Gardner spent Monday in Mertzon visiting Mrs. R. S. Williams.

Mrs. E. E. Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sawyer and children, Sarah, Eddie and Jane, and Mrs. C. T. Jones, Jr., and children Alice Claire and Cleve T., have returned from Sebos, Maine, where they spent the summer. They were joined there later in the summer by Wesley Sawyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Farris and daughter have returned from a week's trip to Shreveport and Texarkana.

Personal Notes

Mrs. Beulah Pfeister and grandson, Rostien L. Pfeister, Jr., returned Tuesday from Fort Stockton, where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pfeister, and Hobbs, N. M., where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pfeister.

Mrs. Pfeister was honored with a surprise party in Fort Stockton by Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pfeister.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Loeffler have as their guests, their son and family, the Rev. and Mrs. Aubrey Loeffler and children of Dallas. Rev. and Mrs. Loeffler are enroute to Lawton, Oklahoma, where he will be assistant pastor of the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Frank Reed and daughter, Nancy, spent several days in San Angelo last week. Nancy received medical treatment.

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Personals

Lt. Robert Allen, Enid Oklahoma, was here this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Allen. Lt. Allen is a pilot in the Air Force.

Miss Nita Smith of San Antonio is here this week visiting her father, E. T. Smith and Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Askins and children of Snyder were here this week visiting friends.

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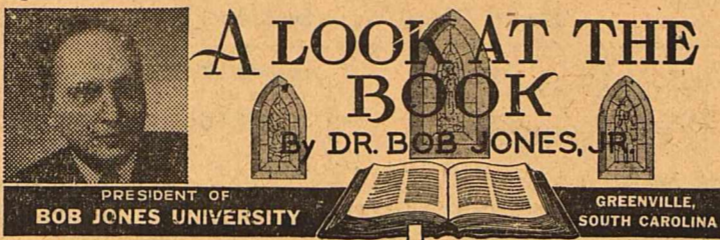
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A LOOK AT THE BOOK

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A man who commits a wrong act—who lies, or steals, or murders—is guilty of sin. There is another kind of sin, however, which most of us commit and of which we are rarely conscious. This is not the sin of doing something wrong, but the sin of failing to do something which is right—the sin of omission. Some sin is a thing we "don't"! This sin often springs from carelessness, selfishness or indifference, and the child of God is as frequently guilty of this kind of sin as is the unconverted man. We have an opportunity to say a word which will bring comfort into a heart heavy with grief, and we fail to take the time to help another who is burdened and perplexed. We fail to be generous to those who are in need. Oftentimes we fail in these things because we are self-centered and unconcerned and fail to notice the need.

The Bible says, "To him that knoweth to do good, and doeth it not, to him it is sin" (James 4:17). We do wrong often, but we fail to do right more often. Those are guilty of the sin of omission to whom the King when He comes in His glory shall say, "For I was an hungred, and ye gave Me no meat; naked and ye clothed Me not; sick and in prison, and ye visited Me not. Then shall they also answer Him, saying, Lord, when saw we Thee an hungred, or athirst, or a stranger, or naked, or sick, or in prison, and did not minister unto Thee? Then shall He answer them saying, "Verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye did it not to one of the least of these, ye did it not to Me" (Matthew 25:42-45). The Word does not record their having added to the load or increased the burden of those in sickness and in sorrow and in prison. Their sin was the sin of failing to lift the Lord and ease the burden. There are very few of us who do not need to pray with honest hearts, "We have left undone those things which we ought to have done, and we have done those things which we ought not have done. And

there is no health in us."



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RIGHT OF WAY VARIES AT INTERSECTIONS

Misunderstanding of simple driving rules by numerous motorists is one factor which places Texas right at the top in number of traffic deaths. Possibly the most mystifying of all traffic rules to the average driver are those relating to "Right of Way" at an intersection.

In trying to understand the laws regarding intersecting traffic, it is best to start off with the premise that all streets are of equal dignity, legally speaking. Traffic signs and signals may vary this rule somewhat, but when in doubt it is safest to assume that all drivers crossing your path have a claim to the right of way equal to your own.

Obviously, however, in many cases one driver or the other will be legally entitled to the right of way. When it becomes necessary to determine right of way in a particular situation, the driver who reaches the intersection first, or who is going to get there first is ordinarily favored.

But when two automobiles are an equal distance from the intersection, that one approaching from the other driver's right normally has the right of way.

Some intersections are known as "courtesy corners," having a stop sign or a flashing red signal facing each direction of approach. The first driver reaching the corner and coming to a complete stop will normally have the right of way over other vehicles not already in the intersection. However, don't depend too much on the other fellow's courtesy, and be sure to keep a "proper look-out" and your car under "proper control," as explained in a preceding column.

At intersections involving one through street and another street having a stop sign, a driver approaching the stop sign and coming to a full stop is ordinarily said to have the right of way over vehicles approaching on the through street but not already in the intersection.

However, this last rule must be qualified by saying that you should not proceed, cross or turn onto the through street until you can do so without interfering with oncoming traffic. In other words, if an approaching car will arrive within the intersection before you are completely clear, wait just a little longer. The same rules apply to entering a highway from a side road contain-

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ing a stop sign. Many drivers violate the rules of right of way covering left-hand turns at intersections. When turning left, you should always be on the inside (or center) lane, displaying the proper hand signal. You must allow all cars coming from the opposite direction, already in the intersection, to pass through before completing your turn. Even when the intersection is cleared, do not proceed unless other oncoming traffic is far enough away to be able to see your signal and slow down to allow you to turn with safety to all concerned.

Stay in the inside lane until your left-hand turn is entirely completed, and only then more gradually over to the right-hand lane if you wish. When turning right, stay in the right-hand lane at all times. Do not swing wide into the center lane, as to do so is unnecessary, unlawful and dangerous.

Many detailed rules and suggestions for safe driving are included in the official "Texas Driving Handbook" which is available to any person requesting same from the Texas Department of Public Safety, Drivers License Division, Austin, Texas. (This column, based on Texas

law, is written to inform-not to advise. No persons should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law.)

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitley and son Jeff of Austin, are spending this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitley of Ozona, and Mrs. H. V. Morris.



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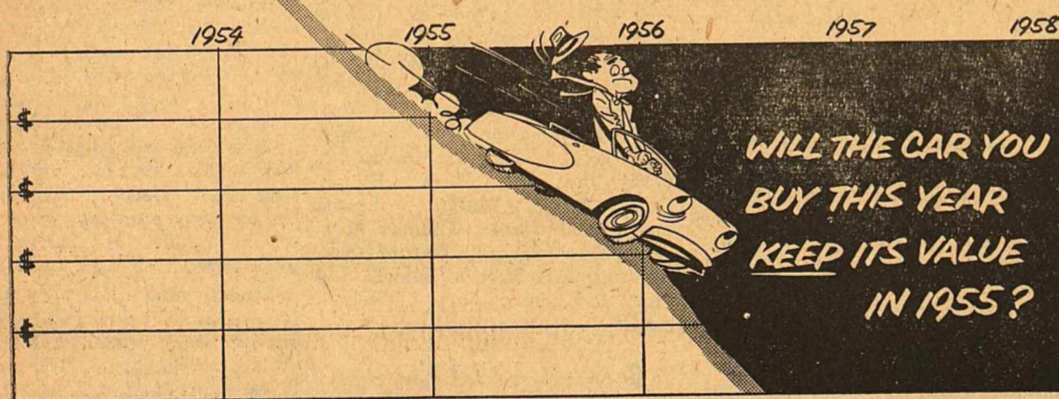


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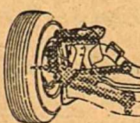
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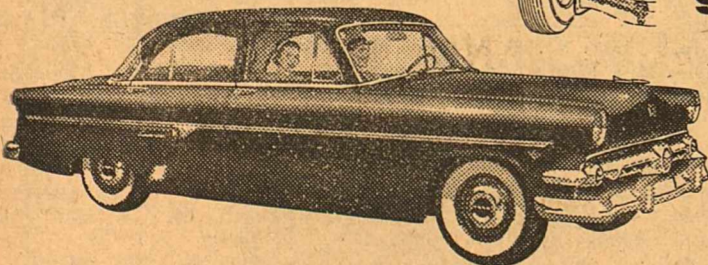
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P-T. A. To Hold Meeting Tuesday

The Parent-Teacher Association will hold its first meeting of the year Tuesday afternoon at 2:20 o'clock in the Elementary School auditorium.

Purpose of this opening meeting is to welcome the faculty and conduct a business session.

Mrs. Annie Sharp attended the funeral of Mrs. George Cardwell, Sr. in Lockhart last Saturday.

HAROLD FRIESSES HOSTS SATURDAY NIGHT CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Friesse were hosts to the Saturday Night Dinner Club at their home last week. Arrangements of late summer flowers were used in decorating the party rooms.

High score was won by Mrs. E. B. Keng. Bingo prizes were won by Mrs. Edgar Shurley and A. E. Prugel.

Present were Messrs. and Mesdames Rip Ward, E. B. Keng, Edwin Sawyer, A. E. Prugel and Paul Turney.

LUNCHEON CLUB MEETS AT VANDER STUCKEN HOME

Mrs. Joe M. Vander Stucken was hostess to the Thursday Luncheon Club at her home last week. Mrs. J. A. Ward, Jr. was winner of high club score and Mrs. Bill Fields was winner of second high. High guest score was won by Mrs. George Brockman and Mrs. Rip Ward won bingo.

Luncheon was served to Mesdames Lee B. Fawcett, Clay Puckett, Bill Fields, J. A. Ward, Jr., George Brockman, E. A. Brodhead, Rex Lowe, J. F. Hamby, Belle Steen, R. C. Vicars and Rip Ward.

Arrangements of summer flowers decorated the party rooms.

Mrs. Bill Moss and children, Lu Nance and Bobby, were guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Nance, over the weekend.

WOMEN'S ADULT CLASS MEETS WITH MRS. BABCOCK

The Methodist Women's Adult Class held its monthly social meeting last week at the home of Mrs. O. G. Babcock.

Mrs. B. W. Hutcherson used the topic, "Speaking God's Language" in the devotional, and Mrs. Maysie Brown spoke on the World Council of Churches.

A covered dish supper was served to Mesdames Ella Wallace, C. E. Stites, Tom Sandherr, Robert Rees, Carrie Petersen, J. W. Trainer, Jane Hamilton, Rose Thorp, and J. T. Sellman; and Carol Tipton.

Potted plants were used in decorating the meeting room.

W. S. C. S. Plans Dinner Sunday

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church will sponsor a covered dish dinner Sunday morning following services at the church.

Members and friends of the church are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Joyce Johnson will show slides of Scarritt College, Nashville, Tenn., illustrating types of missionary work done by the Methodist Church. The slides will be shown after dinner and members of the Sonora faculty are especially invited.

MRS. MORRIS HOSTESS TO PASTIME CLUB

Mrs. H. V. Morris was hostess to the Pastime '42' Club at her home Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Berger won high club score, and Mrs. Robert Rees won second high.

A sandwich plate was served to Mesdames O. G. Babcock, Joe Berger, R. V. Cook, J. A. Caut-horn, Lottie Kelley, Lee Labenske, Robert Rees, Tom Sandherr, C. E. Stites, Rose Thorp, Laura Trainer, and Ella Wallace.

Potted plants decorated the party rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Elliott returned Wednesday from a visit to Livingston. They have as their guest, Mrs. Elliott's mother, Mrs. Emma Matthews.

DR. BOUGHTON HONOR GUEST AT DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Cusenbary honored Dr. I. B. Boughton Wednesday evening with a supper at their ranch home. Dr. Boughton was here to lecture to a group of Turkish veterinarians.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cusenbary, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Rip Ward, Mrs. Ella Wallace, Mrs. W. T. Hardy and son, Tyree, and daughter, Sarah Lu, and Stanley Davis of College Station.

Miss Joyce Johnson, student at Scarritt College, Memphis, Tenn., is here visiting her father, Cliff Johnson. She has as her guest, Miss Mary Alice Oliver, also a student at Scarritt.

E. A. BRODHEADS HOSTS TO FACULTY MONDAY

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Brodhead were hosts at a lawn party Monday night at their home honoring members of the faculty and school board.

About fifty guests were present.

THREE COUPLES HOSTS TO RANCHERO DANCE CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shurley, and Mr. and Mrs. Cash Taylor were hosts to the Rancho Square Dance Club last week at the Joe M. Vander Stucken home. M. R. Petty of Ozona was the caller.

A covered dish supper was served to approximately fifty guests.

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MY TOWN
By W. H. Marshall

Luther Burbank said every weed can be made a flower. In a song I heard over the radio the singer said I believe for every drop of rain that falls a flower will bloom. Wonderful, you say. How about my town and your town? Sonora is a good town with fine people living in it. We have good churches and good schools. We have a good business town and good business men. We have good doctors and a good hospital with good nurses. Beautiful hills look down on our town to remind us of the Eternal God.

Many times we forget the many little things that one can do to add to the beauty and progress of one's town. There is the opportunity of picking up that little bit of trash on the lot, the weed that can be pulled up where a flower should bloom.

And there is something else, greatest of all. And that is that you and I here in Sonora, if we have the chance, let the tourists, when they are in our town, know that we welcome them. That we are interested in them, really interested, not for what they spend with us, but for they leave with us their good will and blessing.

And then too, no town can succeed without good schools and good churches. The question is this: As a citizen of Sonora, what more can I do to make our schools finer and our churches better? Give them your wholehearted sup-

Congratulations To These NEW PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Joe Granger are parents of a daughter, born Tuesday at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital. The baby has been named Barbara Ann and weighed six pounds, eleven ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Crites of Grayford and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Granger of Sonora.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Henderson announce the birth of a son, Christopher Denton, born last Friday at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds, eleven ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carnie Wyatt and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Henderson.

Let us not receive from a good town its blessings and withhold our support of our town's schools and churches.

If you believe in your town, if you are in business in Sonora, why not give God a chance with your life. To do so would put you in partnership with one who can do more to make you a success than any other one.

Men who really give God a chance find that God never fails them.

There are many things that go into making a town a good town where people want to live. And of course that makes good business. But the town whose churches are filled on Sunday is the town where people will want to live, and it takes people to make a good town.

Sonora is my town. Sonora needs you. When all of her citizens move together with determination to make our town even a better town, we shall succeed. We do have a fine town with gracious people. For that reason we can hold our heads high, and at the same time keep keen and on the lookout for the thing we can do to make our town a better town.

If you see a stranger in Sonora, give him your hand and your name. Take a moment to let him know that you are glad he is in town, that you are really interested in him. To do that will give our town another booster. When you give people a joyful cause to talk about your town, your town is a success and is growing. Sonora can and does meet that test.

So, speak to the stranger, pick up that trash, plant that flower. And then you can say with pride, "Sonora is MY TOWN."

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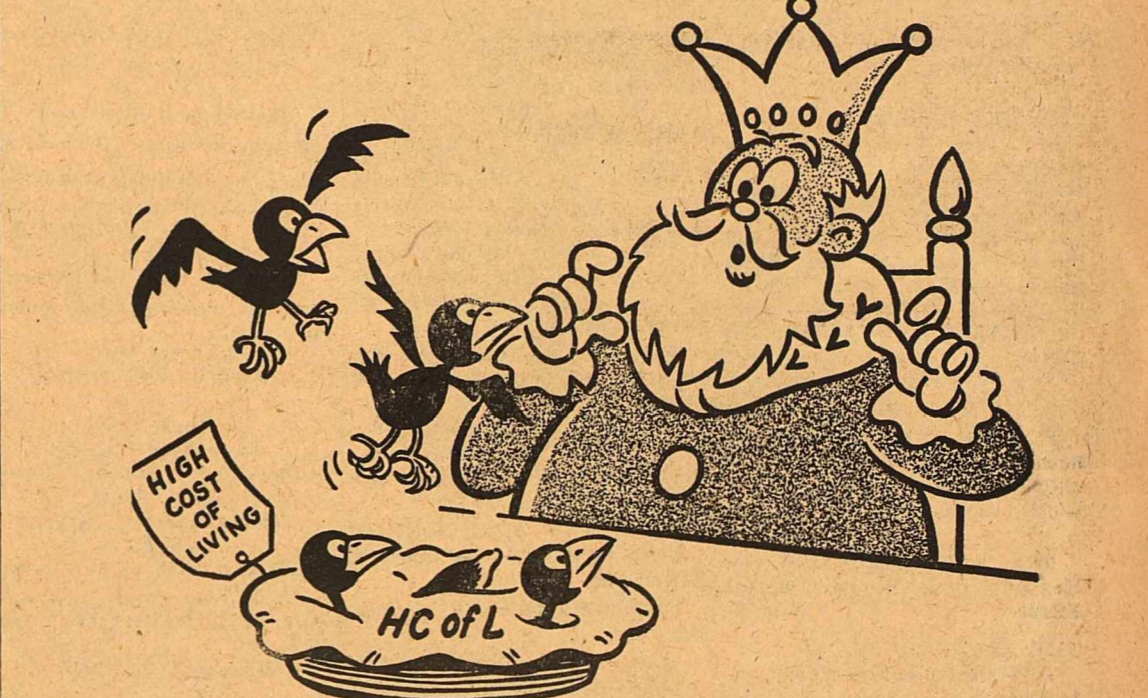
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Church School 9:45 o'clock
Youth Fellowship 6 o'clock
Evening Service 7:30 o'clock

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH
Episcopal
The Rev. Alanson Brown, rector
Office hours- 9-12 daily
Schedule of Services
SUNDAY
8 A. M. Holy Communion
9:45 A. M. Church School, Morning Prayer, Sermon
WEDNESDAY
10 A. M. Holy Communion
NOTE- Beginning Sunday, September 5, Sunday services will include Holy Communion 8 A. M.; Church School 9:30 A. M.; Morning Prayer and Sermon 11 A. M.; Holy Communion also at 11 A. M. on first Sunday of each month. ***

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
J. E. Eldridge, Pastor
Bible School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 10:55 A. M.
G. A.'s Jr. Monday at 3 P. M.
G. A.'s Int. Wednesday 4 P. M.
R. A.'s Tuesday at 7:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:45 P. M.
W. M. S. Each Wednesday
Deacon's meeting first Monday Each month. ***

CHURCH OF CHRIST
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Sunday Evening Services 7:30 P. M.
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Minister T. R. Chappell ***

First Mexican Baptist Church
Sunday School 9:30 A. M.
Worship Service 10:45 A. M.
Training Union 6:45 P. M.
Worship Service 7:30 P. M.

Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7 P. M.
W. M. U. Tuesday 7 P. M.
Brotherhood Meeting Sunday 8 P. M.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Pat Stephenson, Minister
Sunday- Bible Study 10:00 a. m.
Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Service 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday- Bible Study 7:30 p. m.
Thursday- Ladies' Bible Class 7:30 p. m. ***

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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith returned this week from Menard and Kerrville, where they spent their vacation.

Mrs. Lucille Raymond and children of San Antonio are here this week visiting her father, Jim Brown.

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To Malcolm Hiram Moody, defendant in the hereinafter styled and numbered cause;
You are hereby commanded to appear before the District Court of Sutton County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse of said county in the City of Sonora,

Sutton County, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance hereof; that is to say, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of Monday the 11th day of October, 1954, and answer the petition of Frances Madeline Moody, Plaintiff, in Cause Number 1168, styled Frances Madeline Moody vs Malcolm Hiram Moody, in which Frances Madeline Moody is the Plaintiff and Malcolm Hiram Moody is the defendant, which petition was filed in said Court on the 30th day of July, 1954, and the nature of which said suit is as follows: A Suit for Divorce.
If this citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Witness F. L. McKinney, Clerk of the District Court of Sutton County, Texas.
Given under my hand and the seal of said Court at office in the City of Sonora, Texas, this 24th day of August, 1954.
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Clerk of the District Court of Sutton County, Texas.
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