

The Devil's River News

Published in Sonora, Texas - "The Capital of the Stockman's Paradise"

SIXTY SIXTH YEAR

Sonora, Texas, Friday, January 13, 1956

FOURTEENTH WEEK



ODDS & ENDS

It's good to see Tom Darrow back home again. If we can get Tom to light' long enough, we hope to have a story, next week, about the Darrow's experiences in Paraguay.

-oan-

The thing for next week is "Smoky Mountain." We had a sneak preview when photographing Maxine Browne and Bill Bradley this week.

Tickets are at a premium according to all reports but they are still available at Sonora Drug or from any of the band youngsters. Personally, we can't imagine a bigger bargain for 75 cents!

-oan-

Conversing with various firemen about the fires this week we have been asked to remind everyone that it is strictly against the law to follow fire trucks and fire fighting equipment. Of course we are all interested in fires, partly out of morbid curiosity and partly out of a genuine concern, however, we should remember that following the fire trucks constitutes a triple danger-first to ourselves and the automobile we are driving, sudden stops or turns can wreak havoc-second, to firemen who are answering a fellow man's call for help-and third, to the person whose property is in danger of being destroyed.

Thoughtlessness and carelessness have led many a man with a sense of guilt he can never get rid of.

We're not saying stay away from fires, just this-don't follow immediately behind the trucks, park at a safe distance from the scene of the fire and keep out of the way of firemen.

-oan-

From Hiram Phillips' "Texas Sheep and Goat Raiser" magazine we take the following:

"One of the ranch industry's best-loved and most widely known pioneer ranchmen will have a birthday January 18. The ranchman is Sol Mayer of San Angelo and Sutton County, who in stacking up quite a pile of birthdays, has served the ranch industry in about every capacity it offers.

"His civic and philanthropic work, while widely recognized, is little understood as to its scope and generosity. His astuteness in choosing worthwhile recipients for his beneficence is quite commendable.

"Mr. Mayer is primarily a ranchman, although his fame as a financier and businessman has been nationally recognized. He is a ranchman who can from the hill look back upon a most productive and useful life and look forward to the enjoyment of many years of happy association with the countless friends he has made.

"So, Mr. Mayer, happy birthday to you."

And that goes for us, too.

-oan-

An owl's wisdom is not due to the fact that he stays out all night.

-oan-

A slap on the back is worth six on the nose-except in extreme cases.

The Junior Choir of the Methodist Church will be entertained with a party in the basement of the Church Friday at 6:30 o'clock. They will bring sack lunches and after the party games a sound film entitled "The Little Angels in Heaven" will be shown.

Johnson, Joy, Adams Named To Class A All State Teams

Three members of the Sonora High Broncos were named to the Texas Sports Writers Association's Class A All-State football teams. Named on the first team's backfield was George Johnson. Guard Ted Bailey Joy was again chosen second-team guard and Tommy Adams gained honorable mention as guard.

The Broncos topped all other 6-A teams in honors with Ozona placing two men and Mason and Menard one each. Ozona's Juan Delgado was named to guard spot on the first team and Lion Mike Clayton won honorable mention in the backfield.

Mason's Melvin Thomas earned the nomination for second-team back and Pete Perry of Menard was another back on the honorable mention list.

Two of the Broncos honor men, Johnson and Adams, will be back with Coach Joe Turner next year. Joy graduates this year.

Mrs. W. C. Joy Buried Sunday Monday Morning

Mrs. W. C. (Dock) Joy, 89, died Saturday in Hudspeth Memorial Hospital. Services were held at 2 o'clock Sunday in the First Methodist Church. Burial was in Cedar Hill Cemetery under direction of Ratliff Funeral Home.

Mrs. Joy was born Alice Sarah Adams, October 18, 1866, in Missouri. She married Mr. Joy in Sutton County May 3, 1889. Her husband preceded her in death, as did four sons and one daughter. She had been a member of the Methodist Church since childhood.

Survivors include five sons, W. C. and Dave Joy, both of Roosevelt, Artie and Meredith Joy, both of Sonora, and Wylie Smith of Burnet; a daughter Mrs. Hattie Adams of Sonora; 11 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren, and 8 great-great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Rena Trainer of Sonora; and a brother, Matt Adams, of Sonora.

Mrs. Joy came to Sutton County in 1892, and lived all her life at the head of the Llano River.

Pallbearers, all grandsons, were Lee and H. O. Joy of Roosevelt, John Wesley Joy, Matt Adams and Ted Bailey Joy, all of Sonora, and Ester Smith of Burnet. Another grandson, A. Z. Joy of Laramie, Wyoming and a great-grandson, Kerry Lynn Joy of Rangely, Colorado could not be present for the funeral.

NEXT WEEK IN SONORA

Friday, January 13, 3:00 Girls Invitational Basketball tournament begins, High School gymnasium.

Saturday, January 14, 9:00 Finals of girls tournament, High School gymnasium.

Sunday, January 15, 10:00 Bible School, Church of Christ. 11:00 Morning services at your Church.

7:00 Evening services at your Church.

Monday, January 16, 3:00 Hospital Auxiliary, Methodist Church.

8:00 Play "Smoky Mountain" High School Auditorium.

Tuesday, January 17, 12:00 Lions Club, Methodist Church.

7:00 O.E.S., Lodge Hall

Wednesday, January 18, 4:00 Junior Choir, Methodist Church.

7:00 Adult Choir, Methodist Church.

7:00 Bible Study and song service, Church of Christ.

Thursday, January 19, 7:00 Dee Ora Lodge, Lodge Hall.

Roles Assigned For Senior Play

The cast for the annual Senior Class play has been named by Director James G. Robbins. This year's production, "Time Out For Ginger," will be presented in the spring.

Members of the cast are: Lizzie, the maid, Martha Mittel; Agnes Carol, Martha Valliant; Howard Carol, Donnie Letsinger; Joan Carol, Nancy Hunt; Jeannie Carol, Cynthia Hall; Ginger Carol, Vicki Savell; Eddie Davis, Jeannie's boy friend, Rus Chalk; Tommy Green, Ginger's boy friend, Dan Eaton; Mr. Wilson, the high school principal, Billy Bob Ellington, and Ed Hoffman, bank president and Howard's boss, Bill Doran.

"Time Out For Ginger" was originally presented in Houston with Melvyn Douglas playing the role of Howard Carol.

FLING DING TO HAVE DANCE MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6

Date for the Fling Ding Club's annual dance has been set for Monday night, February 6. The affair will again be held in the Sonora Wool and Mohair Company Warehouse.

Charlie Spivak's orchestra has been engaged to play for dancing from eight p.m. to midnight.

GOC Meeting Date Still Pending

Date of the next meeting of the Ground Observer Corps has not yet been set although two tentative dates, January 23, and January 20, have been recommended. A definite time for the meeting will be set as soon as Air Defense personnel notify local officials of a date which will conform to their schedule.

9th 4 H Show, Judging Contest To Be Held Saturday

By D. C. Langford

The annual Sutton County 4-H Livestock Show will be held January 21, 1956 at the 4-H barn on the Ozona Highway.

4-H club members will exhibit 150 fat lambs, 23 breeding sheep and five fat steers.

Fat lamb exhibitors will be Herbert Fields, Jr., Johnny Fields, Gene Brodhead, Jo Bess Vander Stucken, Jimmy F. Richardson, Tom Glasscock, Bobby Harris, Mack Mayhew, Roger Fawcett, Randy Fawcett, Claire Jones, Cleve T. Jones, Carlos Loeffler, Dick McMillan, Marion T. Glasscock, Bill Glasscock, Bill Fish, Steve Fish, Wesley Banks, Jerry Baldwin, Dean Locklin, Joe Friess, John Paul Friess, Tommy Love and Preston Love.

Breeding sheep exhibitors will be Daon Locklin, Jan Vander Stocken, Rodney Davis, Carlos Loeffler and Anna Rose Glasscock.

Fat steer exhibitors are Claire Jones, Roylene Patterson, Cleve T. Jones, Carlos Loeffler and Tommy Love.

Herman Carter of Mid-West Feed Yards, San Angelo, Texas, will judge fat lambs and fat steers. Vernon Jones, County Agent at Junction, will judge the breeding sheep and Pete Jacoby, Crockett County Agent, and W. S. Goodwin, Schleicher County Agent, will sift fat lambs and judge showmanship. Buck Jackson of Pecos will be the auctioneer.

The breeding sheep show will begin at nine a.m., the fat lamb show at nine-thirty a.m., the fat steer show at one p.m., and the sale at two p.m. There will be a free barbecue at noon.

4-H Club members will be permitted to sell only one fat lamb in the local sale and there will be a ceiling of 75 cents a pound that 4-H members can receive for their lambs. A bidder may bid over the 75 cents a pound for the lamb but all above 75 cents will go into the 4-H Club fund to pay for insurance and upkeep on 4-H buildings and equipment and to pay for other 4-H activities.

A drawing for the 21-inch "Sylvania" TV set that the club is giving away will be held immediately following the sale. Included with the TV set, is a free local cable tie-on and one month's free rent. See 4-H members for details.

Awards to be given are as follows: Grand Champion Lamb trophy given by the First National Bank; Grand Champion Lamb trophy presented by Nathan's Jewelers, San Angelo; Champion Fine Wool Lamb trophy,

Girls' Invitational Basketball Tourney Begins Today

The Annual Sonora Girls' Invitational Basketball Tournament will get underway this afternoon (Friday) at 3:00 o'clock with a game between Junction and Rankin girls. Lakeview and Bronte will play at 4:30 o'clock. Friday night's games will be between Merton and Leakey at 7:30 o'clock and Menard and Sonora at 9:30 o'clock.

Consolation matches will be played at 8:00 and 9:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Saturday.

Second round matches will take place at 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. Saturday with the final round scheduled for 9:00 Saturday night.

The traveling Championship Trophy now held by Lakeview will be awarded the championship team and trophies will also be awarded for runner-up and consolation.

An all-tournament team of four forwards and four guards will be selected by referees Gene Lumpkins and Bob Russ of San Angelo and John Bell of Sonora. Girls named to the team will receive silver basketballs.

State ASC Comm. Recommends Drouth Relief

Mrs. Marie K. Ellis, office manager for the Sutton County ASC, was advised Wednesday that the State ASC Committee has recommended to the office of Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson that Sutton County be placed on the federal drouth relief program. The Department of Agriculture will act on the recommendation and the local ASC office will be notified by wire within the next two or three days of the decision.

87% Taxes Paid. Poll Taxes Ahead Of Last Year

About 87 percent of Sutton taxpayers have paid their taxes so far, according to Tax Assessor's records. This represents about the same as this time last year. Expectations are that by the end of January about 95 percent of all taxes will have been paid.

As for poll taxes, receipts are running slightly ahead of this time in 1955 with a total of 380 paid as of January 10. On January 10, 1955, 344 poll taxes had been issued.

Home Game Broncoettes Win Over Del Rio 35-33

By Ann Morris

Sonora girls won over Del Rio with a 35 to 33 victory Tuesday night. It was not an easy victory. Sonora's defensive strategy proved to be the deciding factor in the last minutes of the game after Del Rio struck in the fourth quarter, racking up 14 points. The Broncoettes held their own, however, and added eight points to their own score.

June Rose Lyles was high-point man for Sonora, making a total of 11 points.

The Sonora Girls' Invitational Tournament will begin Friday, January 13.

Firemen Answer 3 Calls This Week

Sonora Volunteer Firemen answered three calls during the past week. Firemen were called to the Beam ranch, 35 miles southeast of Sonora, Saturday afternoon to assist in putting out a brush fire which burned off approximately 350 or 400 acres of land.

Sunday, January 8, firemen were called to a vacant lot near the Edward Custer home where a small grass fire had started. There was no damage.

A fire built by employees of Carl J. Cahill to help fend off

Bank Officers, Directors Named

All officers and directors of the First National Bank were re-elected at a meeting this week. L. W. Elliott continues as chairman of the board of directors and other directors are Edwin E. Sawyer, J. M. Vander Stucken, George L. Aldwell, Lea Roy Aldwell, S. H. Allison and George H. Neill.

Neill was also re-elected president of the bank. Other officers are J. M. Vander Stucken, vice-president, Lea Roy Aldwell, vice-president, Clayton Hamilton, cashier and Mrs. Maysie Brown and Harold Scherz, assistant cashiers.

4-H Committees For '56 Show Named

By Alice Jones

At a joint 4-H Club and Parents meeting held January 11, at the Court House, E. B. Keng showed "before and after" pictures of the local Soil Conservation plot on the Fields ranch, which members helped to hand-seed. He also urged all members to enter the annual essay contest on the subject "Why Soil Conservation is Important to Everyone".

S. M. Loeffler named the following show committees: Post and Panels-Jim Hugh Richardson, chairman, and V. J. Glasscock.

Barbecue-(Free to public; 300 attendance expected)-Meat-Harold Friess, chairman, Preston Love, Tom Davis, Dave Locklin.

This committee is to secure the barbecue and serve it with the assistance of Travis Glasscock, Lester Shroyer, Joseph Vander Stucken and Lee Fawcett. Also to be secured are bread, pickles, onions, coffee, cream, sugar, napkins, plastic knives and forks, plates, hot cups, and doughnuts.

Continued to back page

Music Club Play "Smoky Mountain" To Benefit Band

"Smoky Mountain", an American folk opera, will be presented Monday night, January 16 at eight o'clock at the High School auditorium. The musical production, is being presented by the Sonora Music Club with proceeds going to buy new musical instruments for the Sonora Band.

Featured in the cast of the hill-billy musical are Mrs. Maxine Ellington, Mrs. Charles F. Browne, Mrs. Wm. D. Bradley, Jr., Gomer Minnick, Wm. D. Bradley, Jr., S. M. Loeffler and J. T. Ratliff. Cullen Luttrell will present a group of square dancers.

James G. Robbins is director and Mrs. James Wilson, musical director.

Among the songs to be sung are such old favorites as "Way-farin' Stranger", "Look Down That Lonesome Road", "Down In The Valley", "Comin' Round The Mountain", and "Foggy, Foggy Dew."

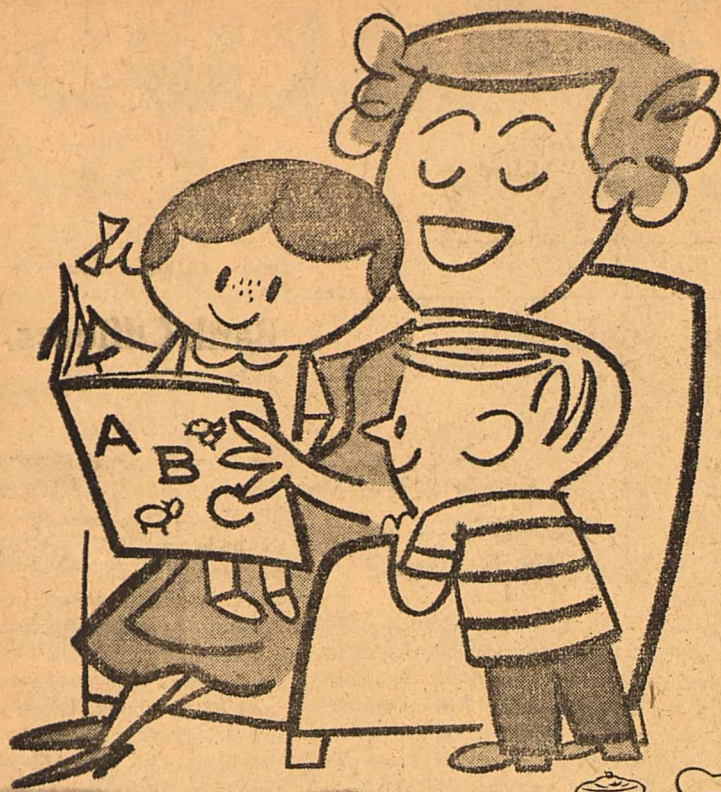
TWO NEW TEACHERS JOIN FACULTY AT L.W. ELLIOTT

Two new teachers, Miss Virginia Feist and Miss Susan Sproule, are joining the faculty of L.W. Elliott School. Both Miss Feist and Miss Sproule are from San Angelo and are receiving their bachelors degrees from Sul Ross College at Alpine at mid-term.

The new faculty members are replacing Mrs. Jewel Sykes, who is resigning, and Jimmy Blake, who is completing work on his degree at Sul Ross.



Maxine Browne as Arabella, the moonshiner's daughter, pours out her sad tale of love unrequited to Bill Bradley who plays the role of Ben. Ben lends comfort and concern though the course of his own true love is running anything but smoothly. All this plus singing, dancing, and high comedy will be on the stage of the high school auditorium Monday night when "Smoky Mountain" will be presented for the benefit of the Band's instrument fund. The play is sponsored by the Sonora Music Club.



This is the way to bake a cake

Let electric servants take over the job. Your automatic electric range cooks without watching — leaves you free to play with the kids or attend a meeting.

All over the house, electric servants are ready to help at the flick of a switch; they give you time for other things. And

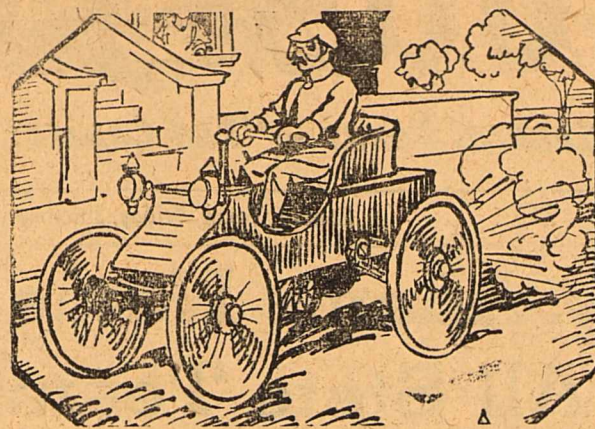
whether it's washing the dishes, doing the laundry, or cleaning a rug, electric servants do the job in half the time.

Electricity works for such low wages that it's today's biggest bargain. And your electric service company is constantly working to keep it that way.

West Texas Utilities Company

The Devil's River News

Published in Sonora, Texas - "The Capital of the Stockman's Paradise" Saturday, January 11, 1913



43 YEARS AGO

Mrs. G. E. Walker and baby visited in San Angelo this week. Mrs. Walker and baby will remain in San Angelo for a few weeks.

Mrs. Jeff Pierson and baby returned last week from a visit to Bosque County.

A young lady arrived at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Martin of this city. She will remain there for a few weeks and then go with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Baker, to their ranch near Owenville, where she will make her future home. Mother and daughter are doing well. -Junction Citizen.

John D. Noguess delivered a bunch of horses at Grandbury last week and on his return took in the New Years hop at Menard.

J. M. Green of Mount Enterprise, has taken a position with the First National Bank.

Miss Ethel Williams of Schleicher County was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Cornell for a few days this week.

Miss Harrell of San Angelo is here on a visit to her sister, Mrs.

Cornelius who is ill.

Rev. J. H. Adams, of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, by request will give his popular illustrated lecture, "The Light of the Cross", at the Methodist Church Sunday at 11:00 a.m. This lecture is calculated to be of interest and profit to both old and young, saved and unsaved, and you should come and here it. Everybody cordially invited.

G. W. Stephenson bought 300 head of mixed cattle from J. L. Davis at private terms. Mr. Stephenson expects to sell this bunch within a few days.

C. B. Wardlaw and Charles Whitehead bought from Fred Wilkens a 66 section ranch 27 miles west of Juno. The ranch is improved with seven wells and the Oppenheimer springs. The individual land has all been bought and the school land proved up. The consideration is in the neighborhood of \$90,000. Wardlaw and Whitehead get possession June 1.

Dock Simmons of Sonora sold cows, fours and up, between 200 and 300 head, to Bartholemew and Barfield, at \$26. This is a nice

THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

ESTABLISHED OCTOBER 18, 1899
PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING
ENTERED AT THE Postoffice at Sonora, Sutton County Texas, as second-class matter under the Act of Congress of 1879.

STANTON BUNDY Editor and Publisher
ROY COOPER Associate Editor
ANY ERRONEOUS REFLECTION upon the character, standing, or reputation of any person, firm or corporation will be gladly corrected if the matter is brought to the attention of the publisher.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES — PAYABLE IN ADVANCE
One Year in Sutton and Adjoining Counties \$3.00
One Year Elsewhere \$3.50

ADVERTISING RATES:-
Local rates for display advertising are 42 and 49 cents per column inch, depending on density of composition.
National rates for display advertising 49 cents.
Classified rates 3 cents per word, 40-cent minimum.

Understanding Service

RATLIFF FUNERAL HOME

Ambulance Service
Dial

23501 — 21871 — 21801



217 S. Chadborne
Phone 5384
SAN ANGELO, TEXAS

Elliott & Elliott

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW

SONORA, TEXAS

Will practice in all state and federal courts

EXPERT

Mattress Repair

RENOVATING

Western Mattress

Leave Call At News Office

POSTED!

No Hunting

Violators Prosecuted

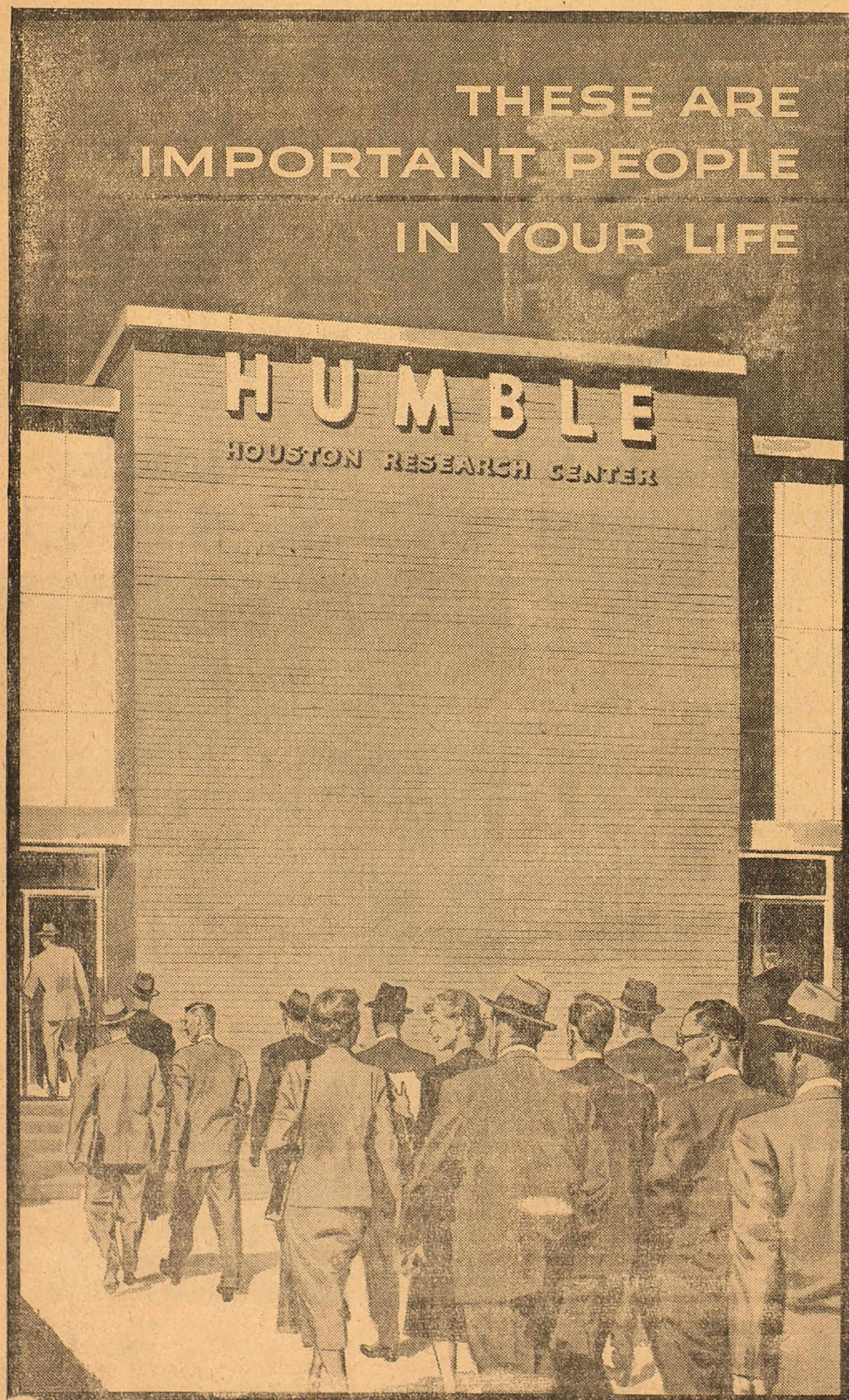
Aldwell Brothers

PAPPY'S DIARY



DON'T PLAY WITH OUR GAS
IT'S HIGH OCTANE
IT'S SO FULL OF PEP
IT'LL FLY A PLANE

WILLMAN'S STATION



THESE ARE IMPORTANT PEOPLE IN YOUR LIFE

HUMBLE HOUSTON RESEARCH CENTER

Dear Friends

The people in the picture in this advertisement are Humble researchers on their way to work in Humble's Houston Research Center.

They are important people in your life, because their studies and their constant experimentation have only one purpose: to supply your increasing needs for oil and natural gas.

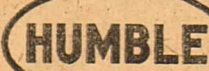
At the Houston Research Center, they pool their efforts to make the finding and production of oil and natural gas more efficient. And since they are top people in their different fields, their work has met with notable success.

It has helped to make the Humble Company not only the largest but also one of the most efficient producing companies in the country.

The new ideas, new methods and new practices developed by Humble researchers have resulted in the discovery of new reservoirs of a valuable natural resource; in making these reservoirs more productive; and in prolonging their life for your future benefit.

Sincerely

HUMBLE OIL & REFINING CO.



..Wise Move



Want Ads

IF YOU HAVE A NEED, A PRODUCT OR A SERVICE TO SELL - BE WISE- USE OUR WANT AD SERVICE FOR QUICK RESULTS, CALL US TODAY!

MORE PROFIT with

Paymaster

CREEP FEEDS

For heavier weight, healthier calves, more economical gains, feed Paymaster Creep Feeds. This advanced method of cattle feeding returns higher profits because . . .

- Creep-feeding produces heavier calves at weaning time;
- Creep-feeding means uniform calf crops, assures calves needed nutrients;
- Creep-feeding affords gains in a short time on little feed.

Paymaster cattle specialists will be glad to help you install your Creep Feed program.

GET FULL DETAILS FROM

Stockmen's Feed Co.

SONORA ABSTRACT CO.

J. D. LOWREY, Mgr.

EFFICIENT LAND TITLE SERVICE ON SUTTON COUNTY LAND

WE REPRESENT SEVERAL OF THE OLD LINE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANIES.

55 Was Busy Year For D. C. Langford

During 1955 the County Agent made 232 individual ranch visits, had 700 office calls, handled 540 telephone calls, wrote 40 news articles relating to extension work and distributed 280 agricultural bulletins. Seventy-eight meetings were attended or conducted concerning some phase of agriculture with 1,795 people taking part in the meetings.

The County Agent worked 12

months during the year devoting 293 full days to Extension work. One hundred thirty-eight days were devoted to adult and 156 days to 4-H and youth work. Work with livestock totaled 223 days, soil and water conservation 34 days, and other types of work totaled 31 days.

Forty-eight boys and girls took part in 4-H Club work in Sutton County during 1955. These 4-H members carried on demonstrations which included 1,700 sheep and goats and seven beef steers. Twenty 4-H boys and girls received special training in livestock judging, wool and mohair judging, plant identification and range judging.

Fourteen thousand miles were driven during the year by the County Agent in the interest of Extension work.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Friday, January 13,

Dee Word

Ralph Mayer

Mrs. J. B. Heflin

Mrs. D. C. Bruce

Saturday, January 14,

Ford Allen

Mrs. Jim Perry

Sunday, January 15,

Mrs. Tommy Chenault

Bill Savell

Joe Brown Ross

Jack Henderson

Mrs. J. R. Traylor

Mrs. Henry Greenhill

Monday, January 16,

Jim Perry

Tommy Bond

Tuesday, January 17,

Raymond Morgan

Mrs. Francis Jones

Wednesday, January 18,

J. R. Caldwell

Thursday, January 19,

Vincent Roueche

Robert Clark

Robert Douglas Drennan

PERSONALS

Frank Reed underwent a tonsillectomy at Shannon Hospital in San Angelo, Monday. He was able to return home Tuesday and his condition is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schwiening and their grandson, Joe Moore, have returned from Fredericksburg where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Otto Brockman and Mrs. Fred Schwiening.

Mrs. Violet K. Swain underwent throat surgery at Seton Hospital in Austin Monday. Reports are that the operation was a success.

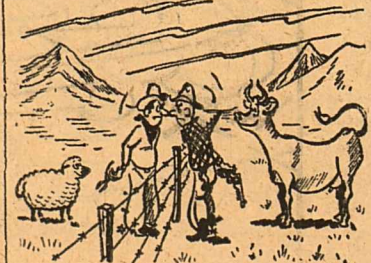
Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Marshall and S. M. Loeffler attended a meeting at the First Methodist Church in San Angelo, Tuesday, concerning the perfecting of plans for the San Angelo district mission, the purpose of which is to assist weaker and smaller churches, to establish new churches and prove existing properties.

This WIDE, WONDERFUL WORLD

By Franklin J. Meine
Editor, The American Peoples Encyclopedia.

Mammals and birds are the only "warm-blooded animals." That means maintaining a relatively constant body temperature. For example, a turtle in an icy pond will have a low body temperature; the same turtle on a hot sunny bank in summer will have a correspondingly higher body temperature. The average temperature among sparrows is about 110 degrees Fahrenheit, regardless of weather.

Barbed wire, invented by J. F. Glidden in 1873, revolutionized cattle ranching. It led to the improvement of stock, keeping it on good range, and marked the end of the free range. It also started wire-

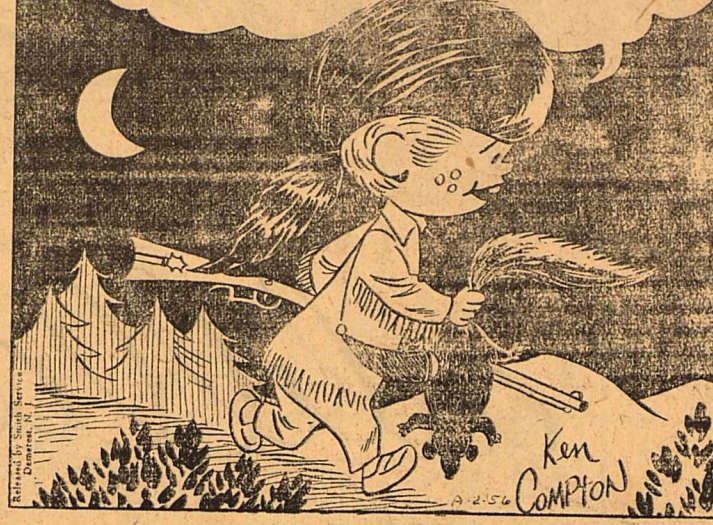


cutting "wars" between ranchers and sheep men who couldn't see eye-to-eye on the advantages of closed (or fenced) range. During the 1930's electrically charged barb wire was introduced on farms.

Don't let insomnia get you down—its home treatment can be lethal. Barbiturates are the most widely used sleeping powders in the civilized world. The indiscriminate use of barbiturates is responsible for one-seventh of all deaths in the United States due to poisoning. It is estimated that about 1,600 pounds of barbiturates are consumed daily in the country—which means that from three to six million doses are being taken every day.

DAVY CROCKETT Jr.

DURN IT ALL, AH THINK AH'M LOST! BUT AT LEAST IT'S DOWN HILL ALL THE WAY!



MARTIN'S PLUMBER



WE MAKE EACH STEP COUNT, AS YOU KNOW—WE'RE OUT TO SAVE OUR PATRONS DOUGH

Martin Plumbing
PLUMBING-HEATING-REFRIGERATION-APPLIANCES
2-5281 SONORA, TEX.

— DEMAND WOOL OR MOHAIR IN YOUR NEW CAR —

THE 7 WONDERS OF WOOL

- MORE DURABLE
- HOLDS ITS COLOR
- BETTER INSULATOR
- MORE ABSORBENT
- DRAPES PERFECTLY
- WRINKLE-RESISTANT
- FLAME-RESISTANT

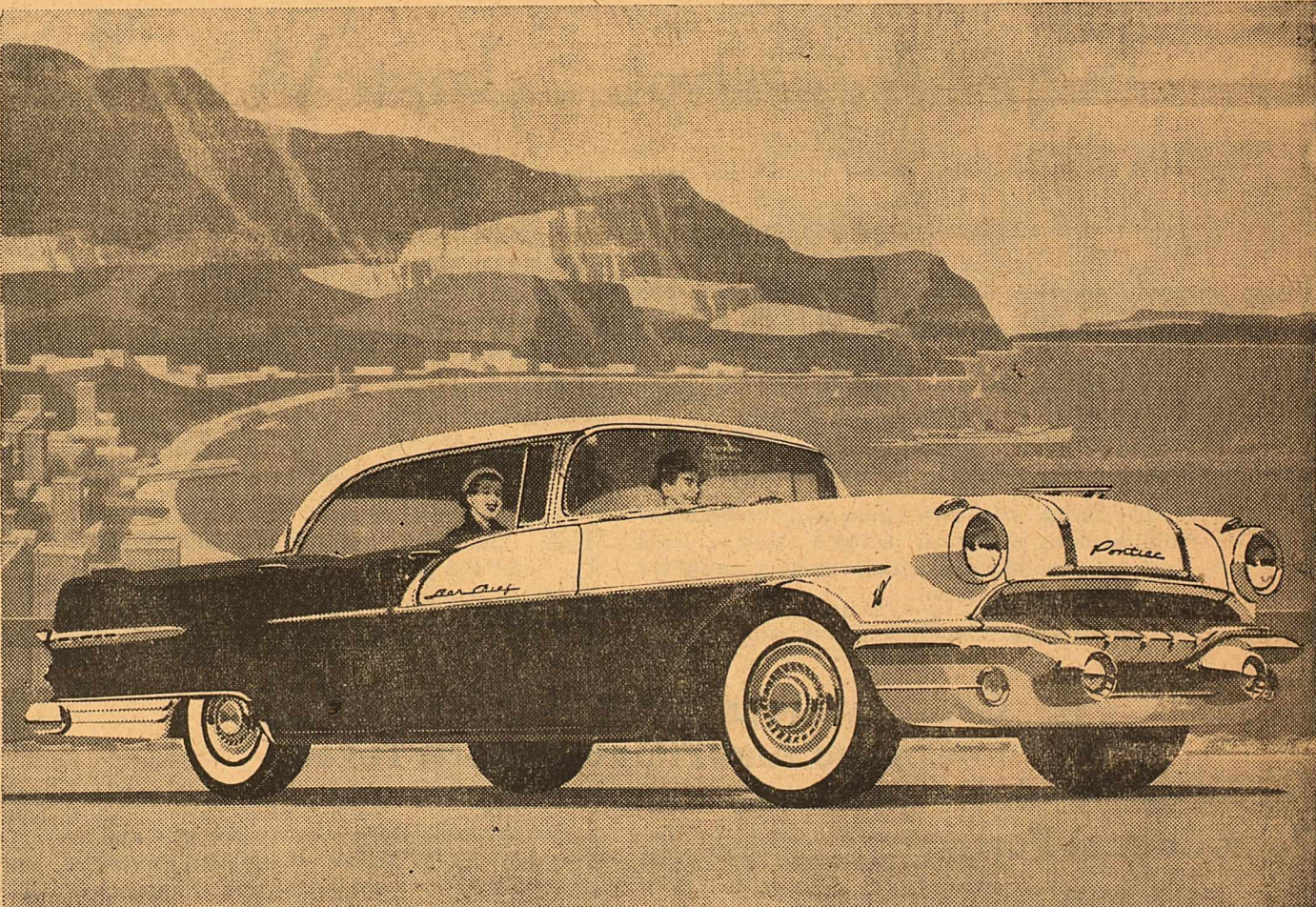
Sonora Wool & Mohair Co.

PHONE 23601

— DEMAND WOOL OR MOHAIR IN YOUR NEW CAR —

— DEMAND WOOL OR MOHAIR IN YOUR NEW CAR —

— DEMAND WOOL OR MOHAIR IN YOUR NEW CAR —



The car says 60 and the price won't stop you!

Invest in Dependability... get a Bonus in Go!

You can buy it on its name alone—this big, high-powered '56 Pontiac—and be safe in the knowledge that you couldn't have made a better investment in years of dependable, carefree motoring.

The good things you've been hearing about Pontiac for years assure you that.

But "go" is the word for '56! Performance so new and dramatic it must be experienced to be believed!

A short spell behind the wheel will nail that statement down as a fact. Come along for a drive and see.

Waiting for the light to change, you can't hear the engine. But touch your toe to the accelerator and in a split second there's a torrent of power, sparked by the most advanced engine of them all—the blazing 227-h.p. Strato-Streak V-8.

Team this terrific power plant with Pontiac's all-new Strato-Flight Hydra-Matic* and you've got the smoothest take-off that ever brightened a highway.

And remember—this easy handling dream is actually among the biggest, huskiest cars built!

Now for the final test—head for the open road and some landmarks you can challenge. Wipe out a hill. Straighten a curve. Smooth out a stretch of rough road that's bothered you for years.

Now see why they're calling this the greatest "go" on wheels?

More than that—it's the greatest buy on wheels! And that too, is easy to prove.

Then take a look at the price tag—a check on our deal.

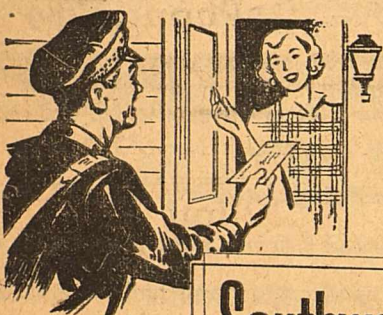
Nothing will stop this powerful beauty from being yours!

*An extra-cost option.

You can actually have a big, glamorous Pontiac 860 for less than you would pay for 44 models of the low-priced three!



Granger & Johnson Pontiac-Cadillac Co.
Concho And Plumb, Sonora, Texas



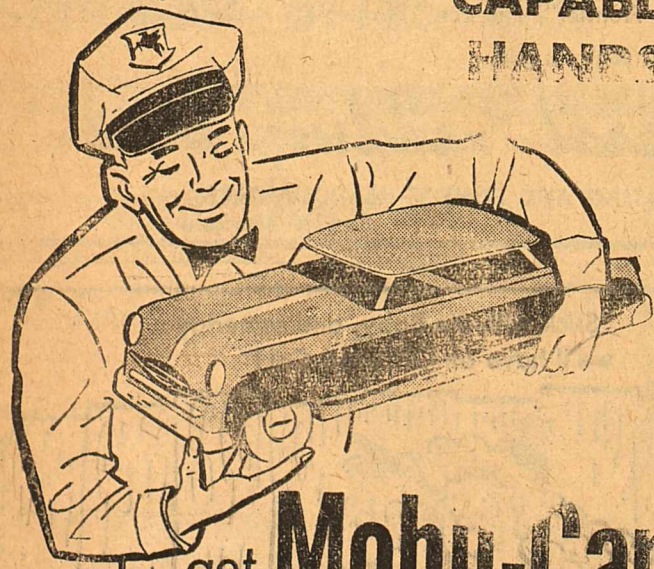
Life Insurance Perpetuates Pay Days

Call your Southwestern Life man

ELLIOTT BROTHERS

Representing SOUTHWESTERN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

put your car in CAPABLE HANDS



get Mobil-Care

with these FAMOUS BRANDS



BILL SMITH'S STATION

"SHORT WAVES"

MERCY ME PERCY HAS BEEN SITTING ALONE FOR HOURS?

HE'S WAITING FOR MID-NIGHT SO HE CAN START BREAKING HIS NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS.

ONE COULD SET UP ALL NIGHT TALKING ABOUT THE WONDERFUL SERVICE AND DEPENDABILITY OF

SONORA ELECTRIC
Phone 2-4791

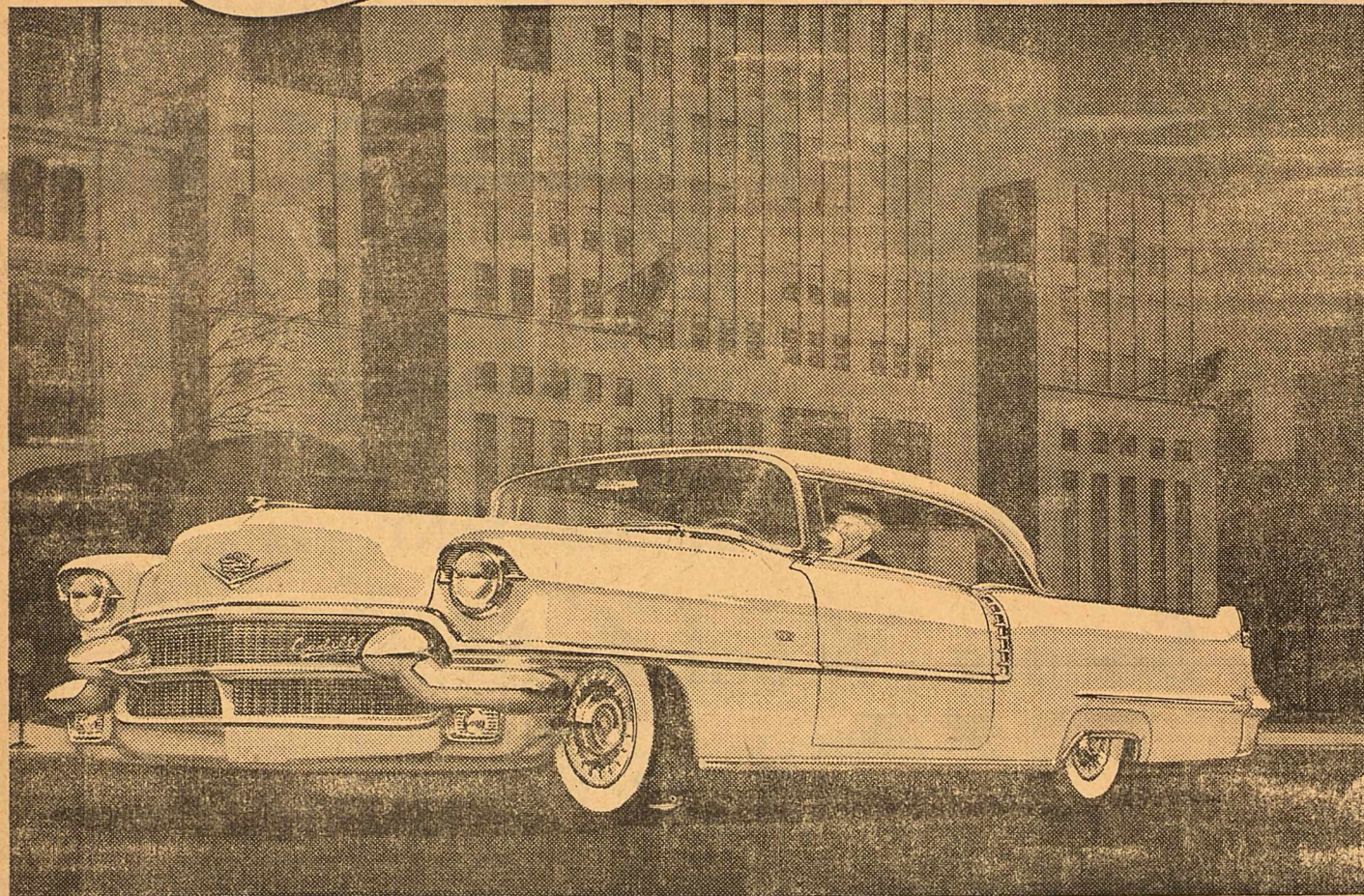
HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Sonora ELECTRIC
PHILCO NELSON STUBBLEFIELD, Owner
Factory-Supervised Service
Sales & Service
APPLIANCES • TV • RADIO • Phonograph RECORDS
Phone 2-4791 • SONORA, TEXAS

DAVIS INSURANCE PHONE 22951



Cadillac



Not Wealthy... Just Wise!

Most people think that the gentleman who owns and drives a new Cadillac must necessarily be blessed with an abundance of this world's goods.

But the truth of the matter is that a great many motorists of relatively modest means—like the happy man you see here—sit at the wheel of the "car of cars."

For wisdom and practicality lead to Cadillac—just as surely as prominence and prosperity!

Listen, for a moment, to this remarkable assembly of facts—and see if you don't agree.

The Series Sixty-Two Coupe . . . the beautiful and inspiring motor car pictured above . . . costs just a few dollars more than many cars in the "medium-price" bracket.

Cadillac's dependability is so extraordinary that

the car is virtually free from all but the purely routine requirements of service.

A Cadillac stretches a gallon of gasoline over so many miles that it is actually the rival of much smaller, lighter cars in this regard.

And a Cadillac will retain its value over the years better than any other automobile in the land.

The conclusion is, we think, self-evident: Cadillac ownership is not only wonderful and thrilling—but sound and sensible as well.

Why not stop in soon for a look and a ride?

You'll discover the most beautiful Cadillac ever built . . . the finest-performing Cadillac of all time . . . and the greatest value in Cadillac history.

That's Cadillac's magical combination for 1956—and it's waiting for you now in our showroom.

Granger & Johnson Pontiac-Cadillac Co.
Concho And Plumb, Sonora, Texas

Flood Control For Crockett County Nears Reality

Citizens of Ozona and Crockett

County moved a step nearer Wednesday to protection against destructive floods on Johnson Draw. The Crockett Soil Conservation District, Crockett County Commissioners Court, and a special Flood Committee accepted a plan

to construct seven detention dams and do 1.6 miles of channel improvement work through Ozona. The plan, developed by the Soil Conservation Service, will give Ozona 86 per cent protection against floods equivalent to the June 1954 flood which took 16 lives and resulted in \$12,000,000 property damage.

Actual construction costs for the seven dams and 1.6 miles of channel enlargement was estimated at \$785,090, of which the Ozona people agreed to pay \$200,000. A bond election on January 10, for \$200,000 to pay the local cost, carried by a majority of 32 to 1, or 383 votes for and 12 against.

Total cost of the project is estimated at \$1,107,185. This total is broken down into \$85,966 for land easements and rights-of-way; \$2,700 for administering contracts; and \$233,429 for installation services such as core testing, sites for dams, inspection during construction, etc. Land treatment, or actual value of conservation needed on the watershed, was estimated at \$268,000.

The plan accepted by the Ozona people will now be sent to the Secretary of Agriculture for approval, then to Congress. If approved by Congress it was estimated that actual construction could start in some 3 to 4 months. Local people must provide land easements and rights-of-ways, administer contracts and agree to

maintain structures. Their \$200,000 construction share, however, is practically all of their actual cash contribution. The land on which dams are built remains in possession of and in complete control of the landowner.

The total average annual cost of the flood prevention program at Ozona is estimated at \$42,849 per year. The total average annual benefits expected are \$58,640 per year, or a benefit-cost ratio of \$1.26 benefit for each \$1.00 spent for protection.

The City of Ozona is interested in a supplemental city water supply, in case of well failure. It was estimated that 2,000 acre feet, or 653,400,000 gallons, of city water could be provided in one of the dams at a cost of \$25,000 to the city. The \$25,000 represents the cost of enlarging the dam to hold the additional 2,000 acre feet of water, and still retain its effectiveness for flood prevention.

The Johnson Draw watershed above Ozona contains 67,840 acres. The Dry Devil's River and Lowrey Draw, above Sonora, contain approximately 175,000 acres.

Joe M. Vander Stucken and E. B. Keng attended the Ozona conference to gain first-hand information on the progress of our neighboring city in obtaining flood protection.

Mrs. W. B. McMillan, who underwent major surgery in a San Angelo hospital last week is expected home Sunday.

LIONS ROAR 6 Day Strike Ends Friday Midnight

At their regular luncheon meeting Tuesday at the basement of the First Methodist Church, Lions saw a film on driver education as a part of a driving safety program presented by Lion Norman S. Davis.

Lion W. R. Cusenbary, chairman of the Flood Control committee, reported on the group's trip to Ozona for the flood control meeting held there earlier this month. In his report Lion Cusenbary expressed the committee's hope that the Army Engineers will see fit to conduct a survey in the Sutton area similar to that made in the Ozona and Crockett County area.

One new member, Cecil West, was added to the rolls. Lion West will serve on the Boy Scout Committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schwenning and their grandson, Joe Moore, have returned from Fredericksburg where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Otto Brockman and Mrs. Fred Schwenning.

Mrs. Violet K. Swain underwent throat surgery at Seton Hospital in Austin Monday. Reports are that the operation was a success.

The seven striking members of Local 6180 Communications Workers of America, AFL-CIO, returned to their posts at General Telephone Company switchboards Friday night, ending the first organized strike in Sonora history.

Local union members took up their jobs following agreement between union and company negotiators on terms of the new labor contract. Wage increases for employees in the five-state area served by the company will amount to about \$175,000 per year. Other contract changes include additional worker benefits. The new contract will run for 15 months with an additional month allowed for bargaining, if needed.

Both union and management claim victory in the bargaining talks, although both say that the new contract is a compromise agreement.

Frank Reed underwent a tonsillectomy at Shannon Hospital in San Angelo, Monday. He was able to return home Tuesday and his condition is improving.

SUBSCRIBE TO THE NEWS

ODDS AND ENDS

Let's hope that none of the honey dealers read this, or the price of honey may go up. It seems that an English investigator has been learning how the busy little bee does its work, and springs some startling statistics.

A pound of honey contains 7,000 grains of sugar, which, he says, represent the concentrated sweetness of 62,000 clover blossoms, each of which comprises 60 florets. To obtain this amount of honey, the bee is blighted to make 2,700,000 visits to and from the flowers, covering a distance of approximately 5,000,000 miles.

In the process of extracting the honey, he inserts his tiny proboscis into each separate floret, which means that he performs the operation 3,720,000 times to get enough nectar for a pound of honey—and that he doesn't always get to eat the honey!

To Solomon's injunction, "Go to the ant, thou sluggard; consider her ways, and be wise," may well be added this: "Observe the bee, thru whiner; compare thy labors with his, and cease complaining."

Hard work. Most of us haven't learned what work it. The Tale End.

RIFLES AND GUNS

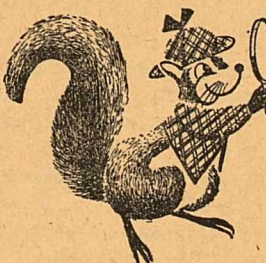
We invite you to come by and look over the latest models in deer and game rifles, recently released by arms manufacturers for the 1955 season.

RIFLES
Winchester Mod. 70 in 243 Cal. \$120.95
Remington Mod. 722 in 244 Cal. \$ 82.80
Marlin Levermatic Mod. 56 in 22 Cal. \$ 48.75

SHOTGUNS
Remington Mod. 48 in 12 and 20 guages
The New Featherweight Ithica
The Winchester Mod. 50 Automatic

CAMPING EQUIPMENT

Select from our camping department; "The Rocky Mountain Outdoors-man" sleeping bags priced from \$15.00 to \$37.50, Hodgman air mattresses from \$13.25, a complete line of Coleman camp products, as well as gas fired camp stoves and lanterns. Also camp cots, cooks sets, stools, cast iron dutch ovens, and many other items you will need in your hunting camp.



Drop by and examine these latest models (over 50 to select from) as well as the "old reliables".

We also have a few good used rifles at bargain prices. See our complete stock of the latest handguns—the 22 Cal. "Sentinel", the "Early Frontier", and the "Duramatic". Liberal trade in allowance given for your old gun.

The Corral Trading Post

YOUR HUNTING AND FISHING HEADQUARTERS
Elmo Johnson Stanley Mayfield

Excel Exterminators

OF SAN ANGELO SINCE 1934
LICENSED BONDED INSURED

FREE INSPECTION AND ESTIMATES

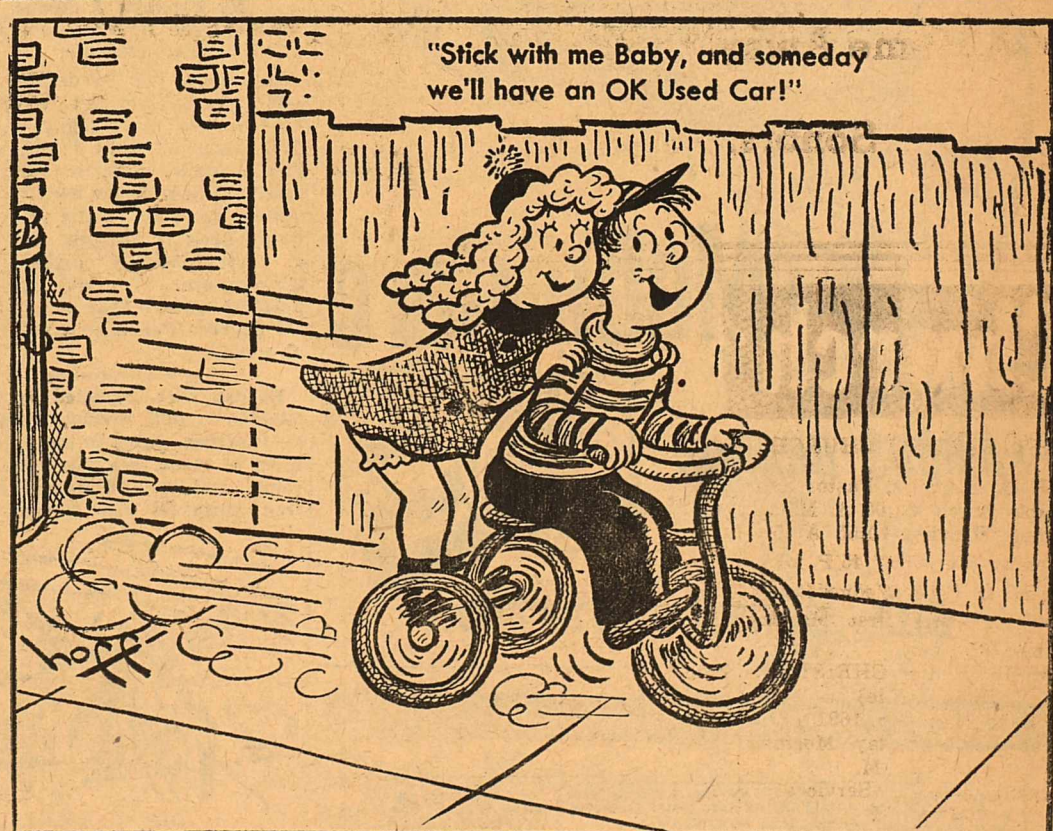
TERMITE CONTROL


ODORLESS, 5 YEAR WARRANTY. TERMS, IF DESIRED

ROACH CONTROL

NO MESS, NO BOTHER—WRITTEN CONTRACT
SPECIALISTS IN MOTHPROOFING FINE CARPETS AND UPHOLSTERED FURNITURE
YOU CAN HAVE PEACE OF MIND WHEN PROFESSIONALS HANDLE YOUR EXTERMINATING PROBLEMS
MEMBER—TEXAS PEST CONTROL ASSOCIATION
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE - CREDIT BUREAU

Contact B. H. Smithson at
21241 or 22131, SONORA, TEXAS






Young fellows out to make an impression prefer OK Used Cars. They can be proud and confident, too, because OK Used Cars are reconditioned and dealer-warranted in writing. Wider choices are always available at Chevrolet dealers. There's always heavy trading for the nation's number-one car—and that means volume savings passed on to you.

LOOK FOR THE OK TRADEMARK!
Sold only by an Authorized Chevrolet Dealer

DICK MCCAULEY CHEVROLET CO.

"SEE DICK! TRADE QUICK!"
Phone 2-1461 SONORA, TEXAS



THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

Sonora, Texas, Friday, January 13, 1956

"The Capital Of The Stockman's Paradise"

COMMUNITY CANASTA CLUB MEETS AT KELLY HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kelley, Jr. were hosts to the Community Club at their ranch home Monday night.

Mrs. Charles Ray Pfluger and J. V. Alley won high score prizes and Terry Baker won the traveling prize.

A salad plate and coffee were served to Messrs and Mesdames Hilton Turney, Sterling Baker, Robert Hardgraves, Charles Ray Pfluger, J. V. Alley and Terry Baker.

WMU MEETS WEDNESDAY FOR ROYAL SERVICES

The W.M.U. met at the Baptist Church Wednesday afternoon for the Royal Service program. Mrs. Frank Potmesil was in charge of the program entitled "We Give Thee but Thine Own". Mrs. Rip Ward, Mrs. Bob Odum and Mrs. Dick McCauley had parts on the program. Mrs. Potmesil, hostess, served refreshments to 11 members.

Want Ads Phone 21241

AUTHER SIMMONS HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mrs. Auther Simmons honored her husband on his 71st birthday with a dinner and 42 party in their home in Sonora, Friday night.

She was assisted by her sons-in-law and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hull and Mr. and Mrs. Hillman Brown and her son, Dick Simmons.

High score prizes were won by Mrs. Maysie Brown and Bailey Renfro. The traveling prize went to Dick Morrison. Mrs. M. C. Scott and S. M. Loeffler received consolation prizes. A gift was presented to Mr. Simmons.

Those attending included were Messrs and Mesdames Joe Berger, W. R. Drennan, A. H. Adkins, Dick Morrison, M. C. Scott, Bailey Renfro, A. W. Awalt, S. M. Loeffler, O. G. Babcock, R. G. Nance, Mrs. Maysie Brown, Mrs. Charles Hull, O. C. Ogden, Robert and Melissa Brown and Hank Hull.

Mrs. Annie Sharp has had as her guest this week Mrs. Carlisle Halbert of Sanderson.

Safety Officer Addresses Woman's Club

The Sonora Woman's Club met January 5 at two-thirty o'clock at the Sonora Woman's Club with Miss Annella Stites, president, presiding.

Joe A. Perry, District Safety Officer of the State Highway Patrol, of San Angelo and Herman Moore, Texas Highway Patrol, were guests. Mr. Perry spoke on community traffic safety.

The club voted to join the Sutton County Welfare Council and gave a donation of \$50. Norman Davis explained the work of the Sutton County Observer Corps and asked that the club co-operate in this work.

Mrs. L. E. Johnson, Sr. and Mrs. C. A. Tyler were hostesses and 23 members and guests attended.

MRS. REES HOSTESS TO THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Robert Rees was hostess to the Thursday Bridge at her home last week.

Mrs. O. G. Babcock and Mrs. Katie Brasher won high score prizes and Mrs. Theresa Friend won the consolation prize. Miss Emma Hamilton won high score 42 prize and Mrs. J. A. Cauthorn won 42 consolation prize.

Apple pie a la mode, coffee and tea were served to the above mentioned and Mesdames Lee Labenske, C. E. Stites, Auther Simmons, R. B. Kelley, Rose Thorp, Karen Peterson, G. G. Bennett and J. P. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mayfield are in San Angelo with Mrs. Mayfield's mother, Mrs. J. W. Cranford, who is ill in a San Angelo hospital.

MARSHALL BEGINS SERIES ON "CHARACTER OF CHRIST"

Sunday morning the Reverend W. H. Marshall delivered the first in a series of sermons on The Character of Jesus. The remaining sermons in the series will be delivered beginning Sunday, January 15.

Titles of the sermons are: The Strength of Jesus; His Sincerity; His Reasonableness; His Poise; His Originality; His Narrowness; His Breath; His Trust; His Brotherliness; His Optimism; His Chivalry; His Firmness; His Candor; His Enthusiasm; His Gladness; His Humility; His Patience; His Courage; His Indignation; His Reverence; His Holiness; His Greatness; His Compassion; His Generosity.

Rev. Marshall invites all those not attending some other church to worship with the congregation of The First Methodist Church.

WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD MEETS MONDAY NIGHT

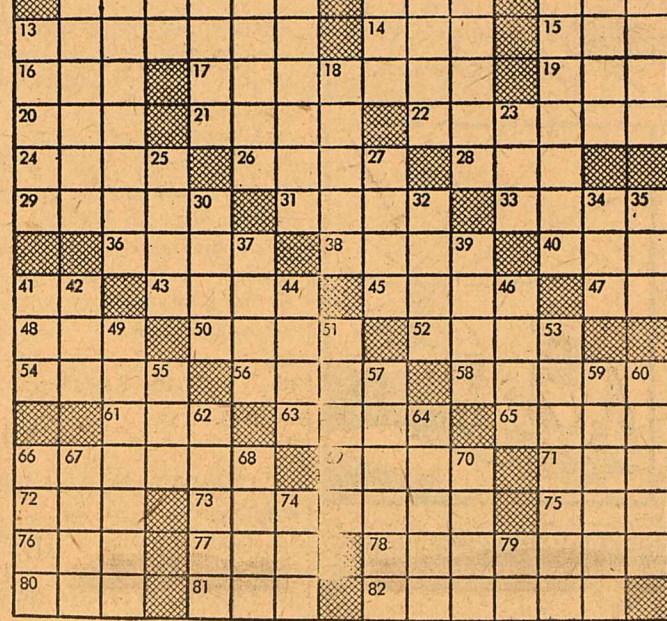
The Wesleyan Service Guild met Monday night in the basement of the Methodist Church with Libby Lowe, Violet Lyles and Esther Loeffler as hostesses.

The topic of the program was "Master of the Walking World" and Nell Wallace was the program leader. Wanda Cahill, Mary Jean Hamilton and Lois Duncan had parts on the program. Special music was rendered by Charlotte Wilson and Erlene Bradley.

Pie and coffee were served to approximately 30 members.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt and Nancy, Senator and Mrs. Dorsey Hardeman of San Angelo attended a dinner in Del Rio Friday night given by the men of the Episcopal Church. Congressman Martin Dies was guest speaker.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



PUZZLE No. 370

ACROSS

1 Bird
7 Sick
10 Rotating piece
13 Kind of shawl
14 Japanese porridge
15 Tree yielding catchelo
16 Vestment
17 The ... street between New York and Staten Island
19 Things in law
20 The gums
21 Tune
22 Looks at fixedly
24 Male fore-bears
25 Places
26 As it stands (mus.)
29 Worker who puts on ends
31 Line of juncture
33 Hindu charitable gift
36 Levantine
37 Thalland
40 Malay pewter coin
41 Perform
43 Perf
45 Prevaricate
47 Man's nickname
48 Sphere
50 Lovelait
52 Let fall

DOWN

1 Measure of capacity
2 Ribbons
3 Bone
4 Elbow
5 Withers
6 Eaters' nests
7 Japanese statesman
8 Regulations
9 Thoroughfare
10 Edible berry
11 Opposed to sweetener

ACROSS

54 Abound
56 Pastons
58 Kind of pastry (pl.)
61 Turmeric
63 Grape juice evaporated to syrupy consistency
65 Business transaction
66 Tortoise
69 Withered
71 ... Fall, Irish crowling stone
72 Silkworm
73 Express disapproval
75 In music: high
76 Years old
77 Norse goddess of healing
78 Gives
80 French plural article
81 Signifying maiden name
82 Trapped

DOWN

12 State of disorder
13 Stop momentarily
18 Estimates
23 Consumed
25 Close securely
27 Cruise
30 Unruly outbreak
32 Domestic
34 Form of "to be"
35 Rabbit
37 Shore bird
39 Place of trade
41 Period
42 Native metal
44 Malay dagger
46 Thoroughfare
48 Small juicy fruit (pl.)
51 Leaving compound
53 Church dignitary
55 Encountered
57 Increases velocity
59 Followed (sung)
60 Narrow boards
62 Pertaining to European mountains
64 Incendiary
66 Duck
67 Inlet
68 A Great Lake
70 Heating vessel
74 Native metal
78 Land measure

Answer to Puzzle No. 375

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reiley and children of Big Spring are the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dante Reiley, on the ranch this week.

Drive carefully observe Stop Signs.

Eagle Drive-in
Eldorado, Texas
OPENING TIME 7:30 P. M.
—Modern Concession Stand—

Saturday
January 14,
Law vs Billy The Kid
Scott Brady - Betta St. John

Wed. Thurs. Fri.
January 11, 12, 13,
Blood Alley
John Wayne - Lauren Bacall

Sun. Mon. Tues.
Love Is A Many Splendored Thing
January 15, 16, 17,
William Holden - Jenifer Jones

Wed. Thurs. Fri.
January 18, 19, 20,
The Left Hand Of God
Humphrey Bogart - Gene Tierney

SALE

One rack dresses, formerly up to \$15.00
NOW \$4.95

One rack dresses, were up to \$25.00.
NOW \$6.95

Discount on all Fall merchandise.

NOW AT
LABENSKE STYLE SHOP

HOTEL McDONALD

"A Home Away From Home"

Sonora, Texas

Church Notices

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
J. E. Eldridge, Pastor
Bible School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 10:55 A. M.
Evening Worship 7:45 P. M.
W. M. S. Each Wednesday
Deacon's meeting first Monday Each month.

CHURCH OF CHRIST (South Side)
Farm Road No. 1691
Services Each Sunday Morning 10:30 A. M.
Sunday Evening Services 7:30 P. M.
"He that hath an ear to hear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the Churches." (Rev. 2:17).
Minister T. R. Chappell
First Mexican Baptist Church
Rev. Esteban L. Flores, pastor
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Worship Service 10:45 A.M.
Training Union 6:45
Worship Service 8:00
Wednesday: 7 P.M.
Prayer Meeting 7:30
W.M.U. Tuesday 7:30
Brotherhood Meeting Tues. 7:30

ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
The Rev. Julian Hartig, O.F.M.
S. Plum St. Phone 21861
Weekdays 7:30 o'clock
Sunday Masses 8 o'clock 10 o'clock

St. John's Episcopal Church
The Rev. Alanson Brown, Rector
Office Hours 9:00-12:00 A.M. Daily
Sunday Worship SUNDAY WORSHIP
Holy Communion 8 a.m.
Family Worship - Church School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Prayer and Sermon 11:00 a.m.
(H C 1st Sunday In Month)

CHURCH OF CHRIST
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.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
W. H. Marshall, Pastor
If you do not worship at some other church we will be very glad to have you worship with us.
Morning Worship 10:50 o'clock
Church School 9:45 o'clock
Youth Fellowship 6 o'clock
Evening Service 7:30 o'clock

DO YOU ALWAYS HAVE enough hot water in your home?

OPERATION WIFE SAVER

you will with a really modern

RUUD-ALCOA automatic gas water-heater

How long do you have to wait for sufficient hot water for laundry, baths, etc.? A new Ruud-Alcoa aluminum gas water heater is correctly laundry-sized for your home so you have plenty of clean hot water. Yet only a small space is needed, since flame-fast gas gives ample really hot water for all your needs. And the Alcoa aluminum tank is rust and corrosion free for lifetime performance.

The perfect Wife-Saver partner in the automatic gas laundry is an automatic gas clothes dryer.

Take Advantage of this SPECIAL PRICE
30 gal. Ruud Laundrymaster \$182.00 includes installation
Only \$1 down—36 months to pay!

RUUD has the DUO-TEMP!

- 180 degree water for clothes-washer, dishwasher!
- 125 degree water for bath, general-use faucets!

You get both from the same tank! Duo-Temp is ideal for every home with a modern laundry. Available at slight additional cost.

LONE STAR GAS COMPANY

"The Best Armour Is To Keep Out Of Gunshot."

—(Author's name below)—

Your body is a miracle of sickness fighting efficiency. Everyone of us has within us the germs of many serious diseases. As long as your resistance is good these troublemakers are kept under control. Any temporary physical weakness invites sickness.

The best defense is to visit your Physician at the very first sign of illness and let him help you to relieve the condition before any disease takes a firm hold.

YOUR PHYSICIAN MAY PHONE 22701 WHEN YOU NEED A MEDICINE

A great many people entrust us with the responsibility of filling their prescriptions. May we compound yours?

*Quotation by R. Palmer (1808-1887)

Westerman Drug

Phone 22701 Day — 22711 Night

Commercial CAFE

Offering you excellent food at moderate prices.

We specialize in Mexican dishes, steaks and chicken.

Try our Nachos and Santos Specials.

Santos Lopez, proprietor



TEXACO
Goodrich Tires & Tubes
"FRIENDLY SERVICE"

GREENHILL'S
Texaco Station

Joy's Cactus Station No. 17
Gasoline - Oil
Tires - Tubes - accessories

REAL ESTATE
SEE US FOR CITY-PROPERTY
INSURANCE
Every kind of protection known to Standard insurance Companies
RANCH LOANS
THE BIGGER THE BETTER
TAX CONSULTANTS
ELLIOTT BROTHERS CO

SMITTY'S WELDING SHOP
EXPERT WELDING
Anything - Anytime - Anywhere
OIL FIELD WELDING RADIATORS REPAIRED
DIAL 24681
Lawn Mower Repair

EXPERT Stock Drenching
Prompt, Dependable Service
We drench your stock and get it back on the range in the shortest time possible.
ALSO WE CARRY A FULL LINE OF STOCK MEDICINES AND VACCINES
Dial 23431 or 21581 Sonora, Texas
TAYLOR & MOORE
STOCK MEDICINE CO.

CHARTER NO 5466 RESERVE DISTRICT 11
REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE
FIRST NATIONAL BANK
SONORA, TEXAS

In the State of Texas, at the close of business on December 31, 1955.
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, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection | \$1,032,321.02 |
| 2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed | 926,595.00 |
| 3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions | 749,067.18 |
| 4. Other bonds, notes, and debentures | 314,100.00 |
| 5. Corporate stocks (including \$9,750.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank) | 9,750.00 |
| 6. Loans and discounts (including \$14,122.97 overdrafts) | 2,064,896.26 |
| 7. Bank premises owned, None, furniture and fixtures \$2,000.00 | 2,000.00 |
| 12. Total Assets | \$5,098,729.46 |
| LIABILITIES | |
| 13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations | \$3,869,319.24 |
| 14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations | 4,218.10 |
| 15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) | 48,293.95 |
| 16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions | 627,112.96 |
| 18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.) | 66,146.27 |
| 19. Total Deposits | \$4,615,090.52 |
| 24. Total Liabilities | \$4,615,090.52 |
| CAPITAL ACCOUNTS | |
| 25. Capital Stock: | |
| (c) Common stock, total par \$150,000.00 | 150,000.00 |
| 26. Surplus | 175,000.00 |
| 27. Undivided profits | 88,638.94 |
| 28. Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock) | 70,000.00 |
| 29. Total Capital Accounts | 483,638.94 |
| 30. Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts | \$5,098,729.46 |

MEMORANDA
31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$ 657,000.00
32. (a) Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of 19,175.21
33. (a) (1) Loans to farmers directly guaranteed and redeemable on demand by the Commodity Credit Corporation, and certificates of interest representing ownership thereof None
(2) Real estate loans insured under Titles II, VI, and VIII of the National Housing Act 26,009.00
(3) Loans insured or guaranteed by Veterans' Administration—insured or guaranteed portions only 22,289.55
(7) Notes of Federal National Mortgage Assn. 50,000.00
(8) Total Amount of Loans, Certificates of Interest and Obligations, or portions thereof (listed above), which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States Government (other than "United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed") 48,298.55
33. (b) Total amount of loans, certificates of interest and obligations, or portions thereof, which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States Government (other than "United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed") 48,298.55
I, Geo. H. Neill, President of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Geo. H. Neill, President
Correct—Attest: L. W. Elliott, Edwin E. Sawyer, Joe M. Vander Stucken, Directors.
STATE OF TEXAS
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of January, 1956, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
(SEAL) Dorothy Baker, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 1, 1957
COUNTY OF SUTTON, ss

REPORT OF AN AFFILIATE OF A NATIONAL BANK
Published In Accordance With Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes
Report as of December 31, 1955, of First Loan Company, Sonora, Texas, which is affiliated with First National Bank, Sonora, Texas. (Charter number) 5466 (Federal Reserve district number) 11
Kind of business of this affiliate: Mortgage Company

Manner in which above-named organization is affiliated with national bank, and degree of control:
Officers and Directors of Bank are Officers and Directors of First Loan Company.
Borrowings from affiliated bank, including acceptances executed by affiliated bank for account of affiliate and securities sold to affiliated bank under repurchase agreement \$21,500.00
I, Maysie Brown, Secretary of First Loan Company, Sonora, Texas, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Maysie Brown
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of January, 1956.
(SEAL) Dorothy Baker, Notary Public.

Exchanging News

FIRST 1956 BABY—
The first baby born in your Sid Peterson Memorial Hospital in 1956 was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hobralsch. The young lady arrived at 3:21 a.m., and her parents live on the Take It Easy Ranch in the Cypress Creek community.
There were seven births at the hospital during the week, according to Administrator, Royce Ashcraft. -Kerrville Mountain Sun.

NINTH ANNUAL SHOW—
Crockett County 4-H Club members were burning midnight oil this week getting ready for one of the outstanding events of the club year, the Ninth Annual Crockett County 4-H Livestock Show and Sale scheduled all day Saturday at the Ozona Wool and Mohair Co. warehouse. -The Ozona Stockman.

MRS. WINN TO CELEBRATE—
Mrs. R. A. Winn, mother of Mrs. J. N. Whitworth, Sr., celebrated her 103rd birthday on January 10th at the home of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Anna H. Winn, 203 North Park Street, Uvalde.
A letter from Mrs. Anna Winn states that her mother-in-law will be pleased to see any of her friends who are in the vicinity. -The Texas Mohair Weekly.

VANDALISM IN SCHLEICHER—
Vandalism seems to have hit Schleicher County Sunday night, according to reports filed with the Sheriff. Window glasses were broken out in the Bob Hill and Olsak (Gillispie) places and damage done to the interior of both houses.
The houses are in the southwest part of the county, and are not occupied part of the time. Ray Willoughby leases the Hill place, and Olsak batches on the Gillispie place only when he is here to work on the place.
The sheriff is investigating the extent of the damage and possible clues. -Eldorado Success.

SHE SEZ—
This year, firmly, I resolved To check my list with care, And cancel all the promises That looked suspicious there. The total reformation That the promises could be, Sounded mighty noble, but They didn't sound like me. And so each resolution Got a frank and final "Nix", Which means I stay a stinker All thru' nineteen fifty-six. -The Menard News.

FIRST 1956 BABY—
Pablo Alberto Ridrigues, Jr. arrived at Dimmit Memorial Hospital at 6:30 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 1, to become the first baby born at the hospital in 1956. He weighed in at seven pounds and nine ounces.
Second baby born at the hospital in 1956 was a six pound, four ounce daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Williams, Jr. of Crystal City, on Jan 2. The Carrizo Springs Javelin.

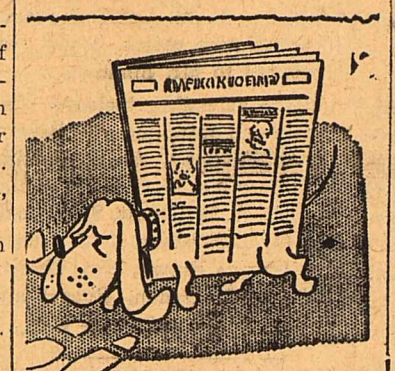
SMALL TALK—
A new excitement at the editor's house is the discovery of a roadrunner nesting not more than 100 feet from our front door. The bird established her nest in the forks of a small mesquite about six feet above the ground. We presume there are eggs, but have not wished to disturb the mother bird to find out. An unusual time of year for nesting, but these roadrunners are peculiar characters anyway. -Robert Lee Observer.

RURAL PHONE PROJECT—
A rural dial telephone system for the Big Lake area is a project that is being sponsored by the Reagan County Lions Club. The system will be financed through funds obtained from the Rural Electrification Administration. -The Big Lake Wildcat.

TRAINS HELD UP—
Rail traffic on the Southern Pacific railroad was held up here some 15 hours Sunday night and Monday following derailment of 32 freight cars at Lobo, west of

Valentine, about 5:30 p.m. Sunday. Cause of the derailment, in which the cars were said to have been badly damaged, was not learned here, nor was it known whether they were empty or loaded cars.
Work crews were brought in immediately to lay tracks around the wreckage, and by 10:30 a.m. Monday the 7 p.m. Sunday passenger train going east was able to get through. -The Big Bend Sentinel.

SCHOOL ALMOST COMPLETE—
Supt. Garland Black said this week that the work on the new Elementary school here should be completed in the next few weeks. Sanders Construction Co. of Sherman lacks only a few small finishing jobs having the building ready to turn over to school officials. All the classrooms are complete, Supt. Black said. -The Bronte Enterprise.



HARD TO FIND?
WHEN IT COMES TO LOCATING THOSE HARD TO FIND ITEMS. AN AD IN THIS NEWSPAPER IS A REAL BLOODHOUND. QUICK RESULTS EVERY TIME.

WATER WELL DRILLING
FULLY INSURED
All Work Guaranteed
WESLEY C. YOUNG
Call 24661, Sonora, Texas

EYES EXAMINED
GLASSES FITTED
Dr. C. L. Baskett
Optometrist
DEL RIO, TEXAS

Remodeling LOANS
NOTHING DOWN
TERMS TO SUIT
3 Years To Pay
Foxworth Galbraith Lumber Co.

TRAPPERS!

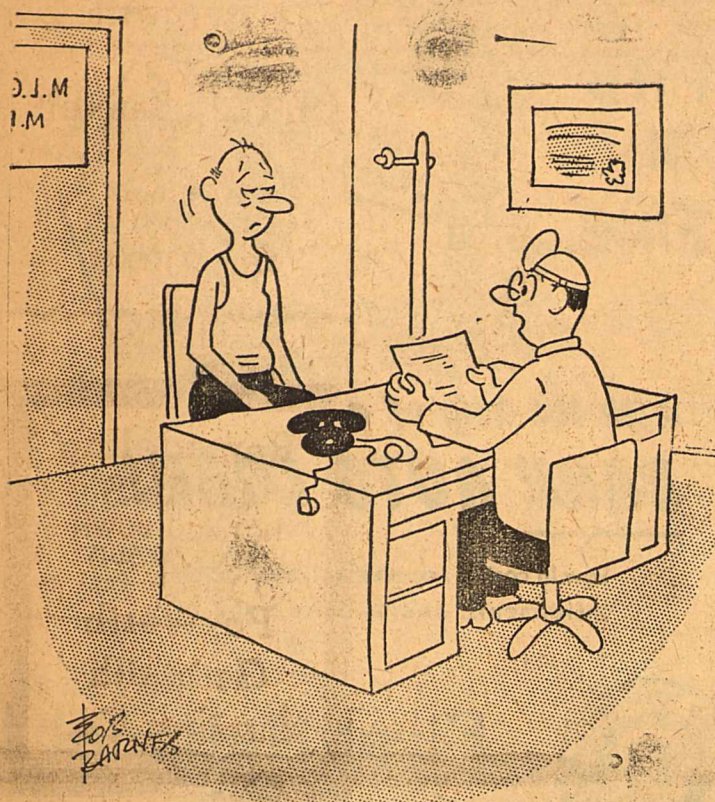
Beginning Saturday, December 17, we will be open every day in the Victor Castillo Building to give you top prices on your pelts.
Leonard Sutton

WHEN WINTER WINDS BLOW

When old-times squint at the sky when cattle start milling and bowling it means just one thing... the first "norther" of the year is blowin' in. It's the beginning of winter... a critical time for the brood cows. They're building next spring's calf and maintaining their own bodies, too!
Cows need help to stay in shape and drop strong calves next spring. They need carbohydrates for heat and energy, bodybuilding protein, vitamins and minerals. Purina Range Checkers are a welcome sight to cattle braving winter's cold. See us next time you're in town for more information about easy-to-feed Range Checkers... they have what cows need for health and reproduction.
SONORA FEED & SUPPLY

Roueche Grocery & Station
OPEN EVERY DAY FREE DELIVERY SERVICE DIAL 25171
NEW, MODERN GROCERY AND MARKET
Cosden Products Wholesale & Retail Oil - Gasoline Grease
Exclusive Distributors For Cosden Products In Sutton, Schleicher And Edwards Counties

LAFF OF THE WEEK



"We won't make definite appointment—but if you're still around next week drop in and see me."

Looking Through The Windows Of Life

By W. H. Marshall



People Aren't Perfect. What is ours, we are disposed to defend even our own faults. We sometimes seem to feel about our faults somewhat as we feel about our children. We may defend them against all outside criticism, and yet reserve the right to criticize them ourselves.

But I want to say something I feel is very true. I believe that when we honestly try to see the good and the best that is in people, we become better ourselves. Of course MAN was not created perfect; he never will be perfect as long as he lives on the face of the earth.

All of us can have a lot of fun trying to see the best in one another. It is not easy to do at all times. I grant you. But at the same time I still believe as I have said, that we can have a lot of fun at it and in doing it, become better persons ourselves.

To tell the truth about it, there is more good in everybody than we find. Why? Simply because we have not trained our eyes and our hearts to look for the good in people. The people Jesus saw so much good in are the same kind of people that live here in Sonora. You and me, for instance. I am sure it is not always easy for people to love you and me at all time. Then why should we not be interested in finding the best in others? It is there if we want to find it. It is easy to be destructive in our association with people when we never see anything good in them. It is also easy to be constructive when we set our eyes and hearts to find the good that is in every person.

We call Jesus, "MASTER" and He is just that because He looks for the good in us, finds it, and brings it out to expression in life beautifully lived.

The loveliest person you have ever met is the person who spends part of his time looking for the best in people. That was what Jesus did with a great deal of His time. And because He did He took captive many hearts that He otherwise would have never won.

Oh no, you never met a person in your life that did not have some ways about him you would like to change. In saying that, you and I are among those who have ways others would like to change. But you know, I have so many ways of my own that need to be looked after, changed for the better, that I am afraid I will be late calling on you to see what ways you have that I would like to change. So, don't look for me at least for another twenty or thirty years. By that time, every bet is that you will be a better person than I am. That is, unless I mean to be honest enough with myself to put the finger where the blame is.

Yes, when you go out after people's hearts, you will find that they have hearts that will respond. That is the thing that marked Jesus as the world's first Citizen. He is Master because He has a masterful heart. His eyes are kindly. He always looks for

- KTXL - TV

Friday, January 13,
 2:00 Test Pattern
 2:10 Previews and Music
 2:15 Movie Matinee
 3:30 Love Of Life CBS
 3:45 Musical Mailbox
 4:00 The Big Picture
 4:30 Roy Rogers
 5:00 Small Fry Time
 5:30 Your Land and Mine
 6:00 World News
 6:05 Sports At A Glance
 6:10 Your TV Weatherman
 6:15 To Be Announced
 6:30 Industry on Parade
 6:45 Patti Page Show
 7:00 Life of Riley NBC
 7:30 Rin Tin Tin ABC
 8:00 Eddy Cantor
 8:30 Playhouse of Stars CBS
 9:00 The Lineup
 9:30 Heart of the City
 10:00 World News
 10:05 Sports Hi Lites
 10:10 Weathercast
 10:15 Over The Garden Gate
 10:20 Frisco Waterfront
 Saturday, January 14,
 2:25 Previews and Music

4:30 Movie Matinee
 5:30 Sagebrush Theatre
 6:30 World We Live In
 6:45 Church of Christ
 7:00 Chicago Wrestling
 8:00 This Is The Life
 8:30 Ford Star Jubilee CBS
 10:00 Harry Wismer Sports Show
 10:15 News, Weather, Sports
 10:20 Cavalry
 Sunday, January 15,
 3:25 Previews and Music
 3:30 Half Hour Theatre
 4:00 Healing Waters
 4:30 Facts Forum
 5:00 Church of Christ
 5:15 Industrial Review
 5:30 You Are There CBS
 6:00 Lets Have A Talk
 6:30 Jack Benny
 7:00 Stars over Hollywood
 7:30 Kings Crossroads
 8:00 Mayor of the Town
 8:30 Mr. and Mrs. North
 9:00 Appt. with Adventure CBS
 9:30 Break The Bank ABC
 10:00 Tomorrows Headlines
 10:05 Sports Hi Lites
 10:10 Weathercast
 10:15 Channel 8 Theatre

HOSPITAL NOTES

ADMISSIONS
 Vance Eubank, Roosevelt
 Eulalia Castro, Eldorado
 Vincente Tafolla
 Mrs. Ruth Shurley
 J. D. Ashmore, Eldorado
 Mack D. Beall, Kilgore
 Miss Wanda Grubbs
 Mrs. Avis Carroll
 Curt Schwiening, Jr.
 Shirley Crawford
 Dr. Charles Browne
 Mrs. Gertrude Johnson, Eldorado
 Miss Emma Hamilton
 Celia Gonzales
 Frank Perkins
 Santos Perez, Ozona
 Mrs. Emma Campbell, Eldorado
 Mrs. Mary Thompson, Eldorado
 Mrs. Maria Guana, Eldorado
 James Wilson
 DISMISSALS
 Dr. Charles Browne
 Mrs. Eulalia Castro
 J. D. Ashmore
 Mrs. Avis Carroll
 Miss Shirley Crawford
 Curt Schwiening, Jr.
 Miss Wanda Grubbs
 Vance Eubanks
 Mack Beall
 Mrs. Clara Pharris
 Mrs. Ruth Shurley
 Vincente Tafolla
 Miss Jennie Murray
 Mrs. Belle Steen
 Mrs. Belda Paveo

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hallum are in San Antonio this week, guests of Mrs. Della Hallum. They were accompanied to San Antonio by Mrs. Ellen Ray who is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Jeff Smith and Mrs. James Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Fambrough of McCamey were in Sonora last week on business. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Archer.

"I REMEMBER"
 BY THE OLD TIMERS

From Mrs. Myrtle Grogan, Terra Haute, Indiana: I remember an emigrant train coming to the end of the line in a little prairie town in North Dakota after coming miles and miles by team and wagon over land dotted only here and there by a house or barn made of prairie sod.

It was a hot, dry day when we arrived at the little one-room tap paper shack made by my father before we came. It was sixteen miles to the store and post office, six miles to the nearest neighbor.

I remember the prairie fires—when my mother and we children were put on a plot of plowed ground amid a sea of flaming grass.

Five years later there was a little country school several miles from our home. We kids would ride horses in spring and fall, drive a sled in the winter.

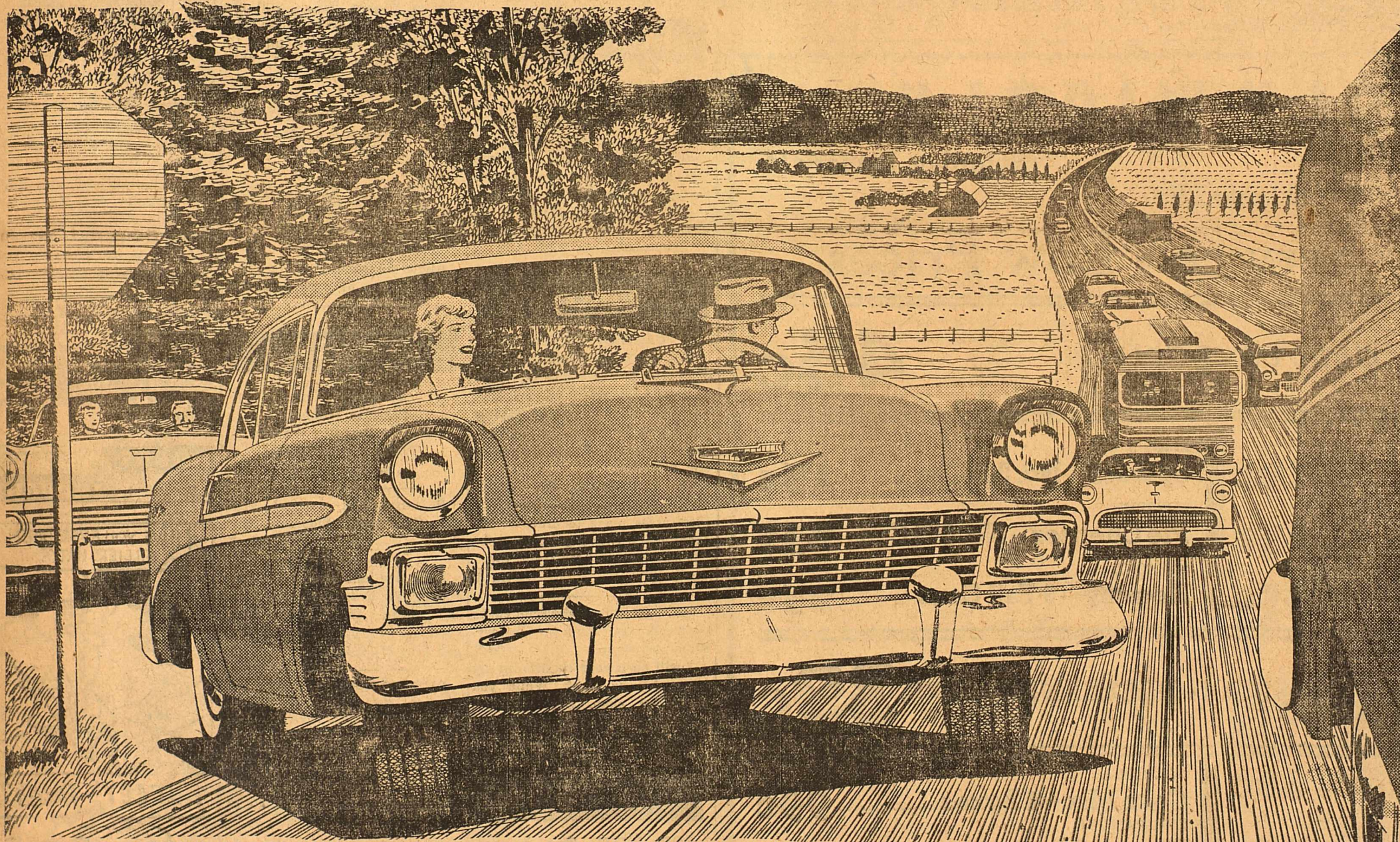
There were no phones, no power, no lights, no radio, no cars, and no TV's.

The other day my daughter saw a coal oil range in a camp. She called "Oh, Mom, come see this stove—a fire in one end and water in the other."

Are our children happier with it all? I say "no."

From Mrs. Rhodes Ingerton, Center, Texas: When we were old enough to go to the grades and high school, did we have fine dresses of the latest style like the children must have today or else be shunned by the ones who do have them? We had our blue-serve skirts and middie blouses and a "sunday" dress. That was the extent of our wardrobe but we always had a good time . . . Will you explain to me why the children of yesteryear were contented and the modern child does not seem happy, no matter how much is spent on them?

Speaks softly and packs a powerful wallop!



THE BEL AIR SPORT COUPE—one of 19 high-priced-looking Chevrolets, all with Body by Fisher.

Hardly ever speaks above a whisper, this new Chevrolet. But when you do the "talking" . . . when you want a hill flattened or a quick sprint for safer passing . . . its action gives you all the right answers!

Soft-spoken, yes! (One reason is the hydraulic-hushed valve lifters now in all Chevrolet engines—V8 or 6.) And this handsome traveler packs a horsepower wallop that ranges up to 205! It's charged with sheer concentrated action!

Action that can save you precious seconds for safer passing on the highway! Action that lets you take steep hills in effortless stride! Action that helps

you zoom out of trouble spots! And Chevy holds the road like part of the pavement! You feel added assurance in the solid way it clings to curves.

Of course, Chevrolet brings you the security of safety door latches. And you can have instrument panel padding and seat belts, with or without shoulder harness, at extra cost.

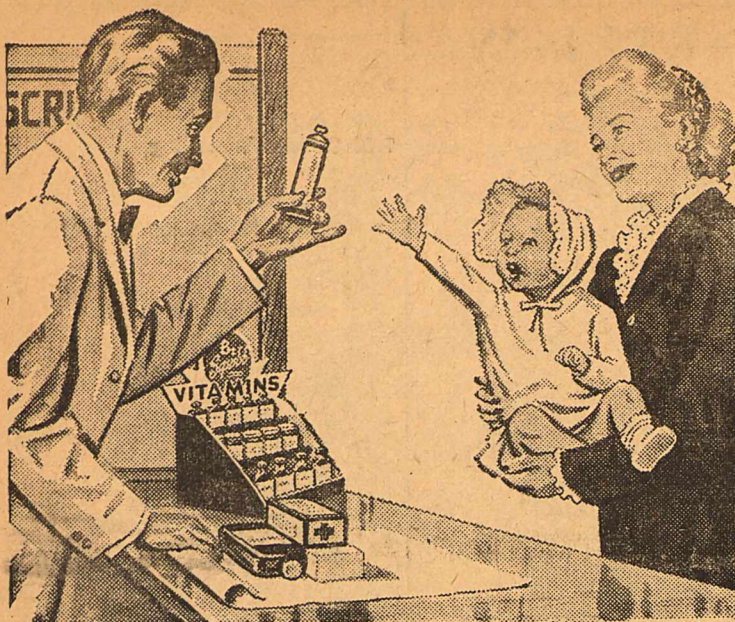
Drop in and drive a record-breaking new Chevrolet.

THE HOT ONE'S EVEN HOTTER



DICK McCAULEY CHEVROLET CO.
 "SEE DICK! TRADE QUICK!"
 Phone 2-1461 SONORA, TEXAS





Your Reliable DRUGGIST
...Your Friend - Your Neighbor

Sonora Drug Co.

CANOE KIT
HAVE IT READY FOR OPENING LAUNCHING!
SPECIAL TOOLS FREE!
only **29.95**
ORDER NOW!
Authentic Design
QUICK DELIVERY!

Continued From Front Page
Beans and Salad-Mrs. Wess Hill, chairman. Beans to be cooked by E. A. Brodhead.
Concession Stand to be given to organization by Brodhead.
Cleanup for Stand-Wess Hill, chairman, Matt Adams, Frank Fish, Carl Harris.
Public Speaking System-Norman S. Davis.
Bleachers-Brodhead.
Cleanup at Barn-D. C. Langford, chairman; Bill Patterson, Herbert Fields, Harold Friess, V. J. Glascock, and Edgar Glascock.
Auctioneer-Buck Jackson, Pecos. Herbert Fields and Pat Cooper.
Weighing Committee-V. J. Glascock, Jim Hugh Richardson, Preston Love, Harold Friess, Edgar Glascock; lambs to be weighed between one and four p.m. Friday, January 20.
The sale will be conducted as last year. Each member may sell one lamb at auction; per pound sales of over 75 cents will go to the Club.
Trimming will play an important part in the placing of lambs. Langford said, for there are more top quality lambs this year than ever before.
In the drawing for the T.V. set should the lucky winner wish to dispose of the set without the free installation and one month's rent, he will be given \$200.00 cash by the Club.
Make this year's 4-H Club Show and Free Barbecue a great success-back your local boys and girls with your presence. You are not expected to buy anything.

Mrs. Ella Adams has had as her guests during the past week Mrs. Glen Reeves of Mansfield, Arkansas, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Crawford of Belton, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Russell of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Howard and Johnny of McCamey.

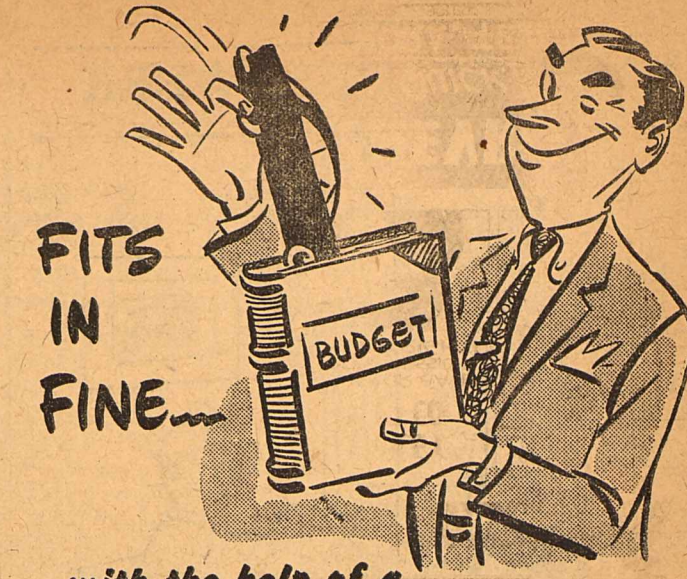
Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District News
By E. B. Keng
Soil Conservation Service

During the past year, 1955, with only 12 inches of rainfall during the growing season, most ranchmen cooperating with the Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District made good gains in the application of conservation practices.
Range pitting and net wire diversions are new practices in the District, but quite a lot of interest in these two practices has been shown by local ranchmen. During 1955, 1,569 acres of pitting was done, including old fields and rangeland, and 2.3 miles of net wire diversions were constructed. Some 458 acres were seeded to range grasses and brush control in the District amounted to 17,054 acres. Deferred grazing was applied to 32,298 acres.
It is hoped that 1956 will bring more rain and be an even better year for the application of conservation practices.

Proper utilization of range forage is an important problem in range management and this can best be solved by proper distribution of livestock to reduce areas of over and under utilization. Water has long been the most important means of achievement.
Mrs. Annie Sharp returned Sunday from Monahans where she visited her son, Jack Sharp.
Mr. and Mrs. Les Malmstrom have returned from a visit to his mother, Mrs. Helen Malmstrom in Moline, Ill.
Mr. and Mrs. Arch Crosby of Eldorado were in Sonora this week on business.



ing livestock distribution. Today pipelines are a most popular and practical way of putting water where it will best bring about the desired protection of the vegetation cover through proper distribution of livestock, rotation grazing, or better grassland management.
Pipelines can often be installed far cheaper than the development of a new well and storage facilities. Federal cost sharing assistance on installation of pipelines is available, varying with the size of pipe required.
Rates of cost sharing assistance available to Sutton County ranchmen is as follows:
Size of Pipe — Cost per ft.
3/4 inch .09 cents
1 inch .15 cents
1 1/4 inch .17 cents
1 1/2 inch .20 cents
2 inch .30 cents
Ranchmen who need pipelines should make application to the Sutton County ASC Committee and receive prior approval before buying pipe or starting construction.



with the help of a **BANK AUTO LOAN!**

Low in cost . . . convenient once-a-month instalments. See us before you buy.



First National Bank

Serving Sutton County Over 54 Years

Classified Section

CLASSIFIED RATES - Classified ads are three cents per word per insertion, payable before publication. No charge is made for cards of thanks pertaining to funerals. All other cards of thanks are fifty cents for the complete message for one insertion.

FOR SALE
FOR SALE- 1 metal Simmons double bed, springs and mattress, \$30. 1 three-quarter Hollywood bed, box springs and mattress in good condition, \$30. 1 Frigidare refrigerator with 8.7 foot freezer across top in very good condition, priced right. Call 27402. P. S. Justus. 11 tp 8.

ANNOUNCEMENTS
CARD OF THANKS
We are truly grateful to the good friends who did so much for us during our recent sorrow. May we take this means of saying thank you for the many comforting expressions of your friendship and affection.
The W. C. Joy family.
Mattresses made to order or re-conditioned. Leave order at News Office. Western Mattress Co. tfn 3.
Delicious home-made fruit cakes available at Sonora Grocery. \$1.00 per pound. tfn 8.
I will keep your children in my home day or night. While you Christmas shop. Best of care. Mrs. T. R. Chappell. Call 26081. tfn 8.

FOR RENT
FOR RENT- Two bedroom house, furnished. \$40.00. Call 26081. tfn 8.
Bedroom for rent with private entrance, near town. Call 21731. Mrs. Clyde Gardner. 1 tp 14.
FOR RENT: Two bedroom furnished house. Also furnished apartments. See Mrs. Maysie Brown or Hillman Brown. Phone 21141 days or 25101 nights. 1 to 13, weekend.

LEGAL NOTICES
NOTICE TO BIDDERS
NOTICE IS HEREBY given that the City Commission of the City of Sonora, Texas, will receive bids at the office of the City Secretary of said City, until 10 o'clock A. M. on January 21, 1956, for furnishing said City with the following:
1,250 ft. 24" Standard Reinforced Concrete Pipe, Item 412, Standard State Highway Specifications.
Delivered at Sonora, Texas payable cash on delivery.
Dated at Sonora, Texas, this 4th day of January, 1956.
Alfred Schwiening, Mayor, city of Sonora, Texas.

Too LATE TO CLASSIFY
I am now local demonstrator for Fashion Frocks, Inc., a beautiful line of women's and children's dresses. Mrs. A. M. Cunningham. Call 24151. 2 tp 14.

WANTED
Steaming Service
Paraffin Scraping
Rankin Paraffin Service
Phone Myrtle 3-2202
Rankin, Texas
Beautiful and unusual gifts for Christmas. Eldorado Gift Shop. tfn 8.
Exclusive hair styling and hair cutting at Beauty Clinic, Eldorado, Texas, Phone 22261. Open evenings by appointment. Please call Cleo McMullan. 2 to 11

GIRLS AUXILIARY MEETS, ELECTS OFFICERS MONDAY
The G. A.'s of the Baptist Church met Monday afternoon at the Church for the election of officers.
Lou Anna Smith was elected president, Janice McKenzie, vice-president, Ava Jeanne Robbins, secretary-treasurer, Alta Lee McKenzie, program chairman, Ellen Bolt, library chairman and Linda Joyce Harris publishing chairman. Eight members were present.

WORDS
THOUGHTS
Mr. and Mrs. Les Fambrough of McCamey were in Sonora last week on business. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Archer.

HAVE YOU EVER SEEN A SILLIER HAT?
WOW! WOWEE! WOWEE!
BUT LET'S FACE IT...

PIGGLY WIGGLY
Friday, January 13, Saturday, January 14, Phone 22261

Quality - Service - Low Prices

| | | |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|------------|
| Milk | GANDY'S - 1/2 GALLON | 45c |
| WOLF BRAND | LIBBY'S | |
| Tamales - Can | Spinach - No. 303 Can | 15c |
| FRANCO - AMERICAN | SUNSPUN | |
| Spaghetti - Tall Can | Pie Cherries - No. 303 Can | 23c |
| HORMEL'S | DIAMOND | |
| Vienna Sausage - 2 Cans | Hominy - 3 Tall Cans | 25c |

Pinto Beans NO. 1 - RECLEANED - 5 LBS. **39c**

| | | | |
|---------------------------|-------------|--------------------|-----|
| Tide or Cheer - Giant Box | GLADIOLA | Cake Mix - 4 Boxes | 99c |
| 80 COUNT | LIGHT CRUST | Flour - 5 lb. Box | 49c |
| Napkins - 2 Boxes | | | |

Pork Sausage HOME MADE - LB. **29c**

| | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| FINE PRODUCE | CHOICE MEATS |
| Turnips & Tops - Bunch | Roast - baby beef - lb. |
| Mustard Greens - Bunch | Chuck Steak - baby beef - lb. |
| Fresh Onions - Bunch | Short Ribs - baby beef - lb. |
| Radishes - Fresh - Bunch | Mexican Hot Sausage - lb. |
| Cello Carrots - Bag | Fryers - Purina - lb. |
| Full Line of Fruits & Vegetables | Boneless Beef Barbecue |

SPEEDY by **DICK MCCAULEY**

DICK MCCAULEY CHEVROLET CO.
"SEE DICK! TRADE QUICK!"
Phone 2-1461 SONORA, TEXAS