

DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

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TWENTIETH WEEK



Anna Rose Gillit examines a porcupine which her husband, Billy D. Gillit, killed recently on the Edgar Glasscock ranch. The animal normally lives in wooded or mountainous areas. To the best of anyone's knowledge it is the first and only porcupine to take up residence in Sutton County.

San Angelo Physician Speaks To Lions As Part Of Heart Month Observation

Dr. Dwaine Dodson of San Angelo, director of the district Heart Fund drive, was guest speaker at the Lions Club at their regular Tuesday luncheon meeting this week. Dr. Dodson was introduced by David Shurley, heart fund chairman for Sutton County.

The speaker reported that 53 percent of the deaths in America are directly attributable to heart disease while cancer is responsible for 15 percent of deaths and accidents six percent. Heart disease, Dr. Dodson said, is responsible for 40 percent of all deaths of persons aged 35 to 55 years. In addition, some 500,000 children are suffering from some form of heart disease.

The San Angelo Heart Clinic

is a function of this district of the American Heart Association and funds collected in the district are applied toward its maintenance and operation.

Contributions may be made to David Shurley.

Guests present at the meeting were Jack Russell of Midland; Lion Belcher, a transfer from the Quemado Lions Club; C. M. Chamberlain, Cullen Luttrell, Mrs. E. D. Shurley and David Shurley all of Sonora; Dr. Dodson and Mrs. Jordan of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adams returned home Saturday after spending the weekend in Odessa the guests of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Lee Stone and children.

Lutherans Holding Mid-Week Services

A special series of mid-week Lenten services is being held by Hope Lutheran Church at 7:30 each Wednesday evening at St. John's Episcopal Church. The sermon for these services will treat the recorded accounts in the Scriptures of men who walked the pages of Bible history with Christ.

In the remaining weeks of Lent the Rev. William Mitschke, pastor, will bring the stories of John, the beloved disciple; Caiaphas, High Priest at Jesus's trial; Simon who was compelled to carry the cross; the Centurion in charge of the crucifixion; and the Thief who asked to be remembered.

New Referendum Due This Fall On Wool Incentive

Sutton County wool and lamb producers will help carry out sales promotion and advertising programs for wool through deductions from payments for the 1958-59 wool marketing year. The program operates under the National Wool Act and is carried out under an agreement between the Secretary of Agriculture and the American Sheep Producers Council. The current program of deductions to finance sales promotion was approved by more than a two-thirds majority vote in a referendum held in 1955.

Rates of deduction will continue at one cent per pound from shorn wool payments and five cents per 100 pounds of live weight from unshorn lamb payments. These are the same as the rates prevailing during the past three years.

The wool incentive payment program as originally authorized was to run for four years through March 31, 1959 and the 1955 referendum covered those four years. Another referendum will be held in the fall of this year to determine whether the promotion program should continue three more years under the extended wool program authorized in the Agricultural Act of 1958.

Tomorrow Deadline For Receipt Of Bids On New Postoffice

March 2 Through 6 Designated Public School Week In Texas

By E. B. Keng

March 2-6 has been designated Texas Public Schools week. This week has been set aside to emphasize the tremendous importance of our public schools in our democracy. Every citizen is urged to visit a public school during the week of March 2-6.

Public schools were created by law in 1854, 105 years ago. With the rapid increase in our population, public schools are becoming even more important each year. In the 1956-57 school year, 1,598,869 pupils attended public schools in Texas each day, of this number 71,116 pupils were seniors in high school, while 228,825 were first grade pupils. The heavy enrollment in the first grade partially reflects the increasing population, but it also indicates that many pupils drop out before completing high school. Increased interest among all citizens is necessary to make our school system more efficient.

In designating Public Schools Week the Texas House of Representatives and the Senate adopted the following resolution:

WHEREAS, Texas Public Schools Week, since its inauguration by the Texas Citizens' Committee for Public Schools Week in 1951, has become an outstanding observance which attracts well over a million visitors to Texas Schools during the first week of March each year; and WHEREAS, Since the administration and operation of the public

schools of Texas constitute a public trust which has been delegated largely to local boards of education, it is desirable that citizens who elect the local boards be well informed concerning their schools; and

WHEREAS, The provision of planned opportunities for citizens to visit in the schools offer a means of encouraging their participation in the continued growth and progress of education in Texas; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By the Senate of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, that the Legislature join with the State Board of Education in urging the citizens of Texas to participate in the annual visitation programs of our public schools, and that visitors in the schools be reminded of each citizens' obligations and responsibilities as a contributing member of a self-governing society; and, be it further,

RESOLVED, That all citizens be urged to offer such advice, assistance, and support to school board members, school administrators, and teachers as may be needed by them to perform their work efficiently and effectively; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the week of March 2 through 6, 1959, be hereby designated as the dates for the official Public Schools Week in Texas for the years of the ensuing biennium.

Friday, February 20, is the final date for bids to be received in the office of V. E. Bell, real Estate Office, at P. O. Box 1386, Lubbock, Texas, to furnish

Semester Honors Go To Six Students At Sonora High

Six Sonora High School students were named on the honor roll for the first semester of work at the school this year. According to Principal A. T. Barrett, the junior class lead in number of honor roll students with three. The freshman, sophomore and senior classes had one qualifying student each.

Those named on the honor roll were: Shirley Crawford, freshman; Jo Bess Vander Stucken, sophomore; Nova Crawford, Peggy Hart and Sara Su Steward, juniors; and Barbara Wilson, senior.

Grocery Stores To Be Closed Thursday P.M.'s

Managers of four Sonora grocery stores have announced that their establishments will observe a half-day schedule Thursday of each week, with groceries remaining open Thursday mornings. The stores will close each Thursday afternoon.

This practice will begin Thursday, February 26. This announcement is being made this week in advertisements by Piggly Wiggly, Modern Way Grocery, Lucky Dollar Store and Evans Foodway.

Roswell Wardlaw Dies In Fort Worth

Services for Roswell Lewis Wardlaw, 51, were held Monday, February 16, at Crowder-Brooks Funeral Home in Fort Worth and burial was in Greenwood Cemetery.

Mr. Wardlaw, who was born in Sonora, was a rancher and oilman. He had lived in Waco several years prior to his death. He died Saturday at St. Joseph's Hospital in Fort Worth.

Survivors include his wife; his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Wardlaw of Fort Worth; one son, Roswell G. Wardlaw of Waco; one daughter, Miss Shonkin Wardlaw of Waco; three brothers, Ariel Wardlaw; N. J. Wardlaw and Jack Wardlaw, all of Fort Worth.

1959 School Census Shows Increase In Schoolagers Living In Sutton County

The 1959 school census for the Sonora Public Schools shows an increase of some 46 in the number of schoolage children living in the county. According to Mrs. O. L. Carpenter who compiled the figures from the census blanks, some 895 children of school age are registered in Sutton County. Of these, 882 will attend Sonora High School, Central Elementary School or L. W. Elliott School and 13 are registered for the colored school.

In 1958, 827 white students were registered and 22 colored. This was a slight decrease from 1957 when 852 white students were registered and 25 colored. Among the six-year-olds who will start school in 1959 are 27 boys and 36 girls, a total of 63 first-graders, a decrease of four from last year.

The annual school census which is taken early in the year includes all children between the ages of 6 and 18 residing in the county at the time of the census.

Sonoran's Brother Buried Sunday

Services for John Lewis Freeman, 80, were held Sunday, February 15, at Hodges Funeral Home Chapel in Junction with burial in Gentry Creek Cemetery.

Born March 12, 1878, in Bastrop County, Mr. Freeman was reared in Kimble County. He died late Friday in a Junction rest home.

He is survived by 3 brothers, including Beal Breeman of Sonora and two sisters.

leased space suitable for postal purposes in Sonora for a rental with renewal options as the bidder shall offer.

The Postmaster General holds an assignable land option of 9,000 square feet, located at the southwest corner of Water and Oak Streets; it is requested that all bidding be confined to this site. All of Lots 18, 19, 20 and 21, Block E, Original Town, being a rectangular tract of land 100 feet wide by 90 feet deep. The price of the land will be \$5,750.00 and it is owned by two different parties.

The lease will be for a term of ten years with two consecutive five year renewal options.

School Board Vote Scheduled For Saturday, April 4

An election will be held Saturday, April 4, to elect three members of the board of the Sonora Independent Schools. Members of the board whose terms expire this year are George D. Chalk, Armer Earwood and Mrs. W. R. Cusenbary.

The deadline for filing as a candidate for election to the board is Wednesday, March 4. Names should be filed with Lea Allison, board secretary.

Members of the board whose terms do not expire this year are Frank P. Bond, president; Lea Allison, secretary; Mrs. J. M. Vander Stucken, and R. S. Teaff.

Sonoran's Father Honored Saturday On 103rd Birthday

Charles Wesley Lewis of Marble Falls celebrated his 103rd birthday Saturday, with the congratulations of the Texas House of Representatives as his first birthday present.

The pioneer Texan was born in Rush County February 14, 1856. In a resolution sponsored by Rep. James T. Townsend of Brady, the House of Representatives wished him a happy birthday and sent him "the heart of Texas" cake for this special 103rd Valentine Day.

Mr. Lewis has eleven children, including Mrs. L. O. Biggs of Sonora; twenty-three grandchildren, including Mrs. Sam Odum of Sonora; fifty-six great-grandchildren including Joe Allen Gatlin and Sammy Odum, both of Sonora; seventeen great-great-grandchildren and three step children.

An Editorial

How To Build A Ghost Town

(Contributed by the Chamber of Commerce Office)

A recent report from the Colorado Springs (Colo.) Chamber of Commerce tells how to have a ghost town. It is an interesting tongue-in-cheek report that will hold just as true in our town as it does in that town.

It went as follows:

Results are certain for those working to create more "Ghost Towns" if these simple directions are followed either by accident or design. Hundreds of former thriving communities which are now silent towns prove there is more truth than poetry to the simple statement "It Could Happen Here."

Here are the methods proved by experience to guarantee bankruptcy, insanity, disappointment, suicides—all by-products of ghost towns.

1. Tell everyone you meet that you never buy anything at home; the merchants are a bunch of crooks, robbers and cheats.
2. Belittle all efforts for community betterment—the people trying to do these things are secretly making a lot of money, want to "run things" and their way of doing things is all wrong anyway.
3. Never waste money by advertising or waste time trying to attract trade to the town—nobody reads the ads, here is never anything in the paper, it's always late, and why should anyone want to come to town—it's a dead place.
4. Turn down all appeals for contributions; and do it in a nasty way so you won't be bothered again, because the money collected is eventually stolen by some "higher-ups" anyway.
5. Refuse to serve on all committees, have nothing to do with civic organizations—the Chamber of Commerce never does anything and is run by a bunch of dimwits who want only to get their names before the public. All the city officials are in office to get a share of the graft.

There you have it—five simple directions for producing a ghost town. It's hard for one person to do it, but if you keep at it, eventually you'll get some converts, and a Ghost Town. —The Stockman Magazine.

(Ed. Note: Join the Chamber of Commerce and become a Live Town builder.)



Heading for the San Antonio Stock Show, the Bronco Band paused long enough for a picture before boarding this bus. The band was one of 23 out-of-town bands marching in the parade through downtown San Antonio on the opening day of the Stock show.

Devil's River Philosopher Claims Car Manufacturers Mixed Up On Why People Want Smaller Cars

Editor's Note: The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitter-weed ranch on Devil's River is talking about new cars this week, in a theoretical sort of way.

Dear editor:

I have always contended that American business must know what the American public wants, as it always manages to keep

the latter's income tied down in installment payments for months and years ahead, but I read an article in a newspaper last night that makes me wonder.



According to it, car manufacturers, waking up to the fact more and more of those little foreign cars are showing up on the streets of this county, have decided to go into the small-car business themselves.

But, the article pointed out, while the cars will be shorter and generally smaller, their price won't be a lot less than present cars.

This is what I'm talking about. I don't think anybody really objects to a long car, it's the long payments that hurt. It's not the fact that riding around in a tail-finned, chrome-plated automobile is embarrassing, it's just that it's sometimes embar-

assing to pay the gasoline bill to keep the thing going.

I know it's hard to park one of the long models, but if you cut it half in two and sold it to two people instead of one, both of 'em would still be contending for the same parking space. I know some people say in horse and buggy days we didn't have any parking problems, but if we had as many horses and buggies as we have cars, the problem would be worse, or have you ever measured the distance from the head of the horse to the tail end of the buggy? And have you ever tried to parallel park a buggy?

What appeals to a lot of people when it comes to foreign cars

isn't the fact they're foreign, it's not that they're easier to park, it's simply that they're easier to pay for and cheaper to drive. People don't mind how much car they get for their money, what stumps them is how much money they give for their car.

Of course though I could be wrong. I don't own any automobile-manufacturing plant and advice is cheap. Most of the advice I've had on ranching has come from people who don't own a ranch. Everywhere you look, you see new cars. And it's a good idea too. If you don't look, one of 'em will hit you.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS

Billy Paul Prater
Joshua Hastings, Eldorado
Myrtle Wagley, Eldorado
Muriel Brown
Julio Arredondo
Lillian Brown
Edith Lowe
Fletcher Pratt, Houston
Mittie Avery
Adam Fay, Eldorado
Chloe Glasscock
Alfred Schwiening
Mike Ellis
Claudia Williams
Muriel Brown
Suzie Linthicum
Richard Noriega
Edgar Shurley
L. E. Johnson, Sr.
Arnulfo Virgen
Alfred Virgen
Emerald Smith
Irene Glasscock
Ramona Dillard
Mary Belle Stubblefield
Leolar Komar
Lucy Ramos
Paula Romero
Mary Elliott
Leonila Robledo
Harley Cunniff
Joe Orena
James Nicks
Mike Ellis
Mary Martin
Loise Fields
Tryon Fields
Charlene Sears, Eldorado

DISMISSALS

Julio Arredondo
Jose Orena
Muriel Brown
Willie Mae Wilson
Billy Paul Prater
James Nicks
Charlene Sears
Emerald Smith
Loise Fields
Tryon Fields
Harley Cunniff
Alma Brockman
Paula Romero
Mike Ellis
Ramona Dillard
Alfred Schwiening
Leola Komar
Joe Turner Logan
Myrtle Wagley
Lucy Ramos
Mary Belle Stubblefield
Irene Glasscock
Hoyt Boothe
Arnulfo Virgen
Leonila Robledo
Sanford Trainer
Claudia Williams
Muriel Brown
Lawrence Rittenhouse
Edgar Shurley
Suzie Linthicum
Mike Ellis
L. E. Johnson, Sr.
Richard Noriega
Dorothy Ratliff
Alfred Virgen
Libby Cleveland

NOTAS DE LA COLONIA

LATIN AMERICANA Por Elpidio Torres

El jueves de la semana pasada, se efectuó una junta especial de la PTA. Como principio en primer lugar a las siete y media un corto programa Escolar entre los grados Primero, segundo, tercero, cuarto y quinto respectivamente. A cargo de las profesoras Mrs. Parrisher, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Trainer, Miss Smith, Mrs. McGilvray, Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Whitfield, Mrs. Evans y Mrs. Glasscock.

Terminando el programa nuestra invitada de honor la Mrs. Howell quien por conducto del principal de la Escuela, Mr. Carl Jones, y la mesa directiva de la PTA fue invitada para tal objeto, paso a dar detalladamente una idea de los muchos beneficios que acarrea para toda la nines escolar esta gran Organización de padres y maestros, que actualmente pasa de tres millones de miembros en toda la Nacion. Al terminar fue felicitada por el Presidente de la PTA, Sr. Rafael Gonzales. En nombre de todos los presentes, y muy especialmente en honor a la presencia de un grupo de personas que estuvieron con invitación especial por haber sido Presidentas en diversas épocas pasadas de la PTA las personas que estuvieron presentes fueron Sra. Trinidad Ramirez, Leocadia Urias, Eudelia Sosa, Frank Morales, Ray Valadez, Santos Hernandez, Sr. Jesus Gomez y Rafael Gonzales, recibiendo cada una de estas personas una ovacion de manos por parte del publico que de esta manera demostraba su agradecimiento a cada una de ellas por sus servicios en pro del adelanto Escolar de la Comunidad Latino Americana. La Srta. Profesora Moore con la ayuda de Mrs. Evans, Mrs. Ofelia Bautista, Mrs. Fela Perez y Mane Urias fue la encargada de obsequiar con cake y cafe.

A toda las concurrencia pasando de esta manera un tiempo muy agradable de charla con todos nuestros profesores. Lamentando no haber tenido entre nosotros las personas siguientes que tambien sirvieron como miembros de la PTA y que con gusto hubieramos felicitado, Mrs. Luis Brown, Mrs. Amador Castillo, Mrs. Tita Almaguir, Mrs. Abelino Sanchez, Mrs. Ben Castillo, a quienes por este conducto les damos nuestros respetos y el mas sincero agradecimiento por sus servicios en la PTA y ojala su experiencia en este particular nos sirva de norma para seguir adelante con su cooperacion en provecho de todo el elemento estudiantil de nuestra Colonia.

REG. 54c SIZE
JERGENS LOTION
PLUS TAX
39c

MENS DEODORANT
TRIG
REG. 73c SIZE PLUS TAX
59c

PONDS
COLD CREAM
REG. 75c SIZE PLUS TAX
59c

VICKS VAPORUB
REG. 45c
SIZE
39c

COLGATE
TOOTH PASTE
REG. 69c
49c

LIBBY'S
TOMATO SAUCE
8 OZ. CAN
3 for 25c

HEINZ
BABY FOOD
STRAINED
10c

DOESKIN
PAPER NAPKINS
ASSORTED
29c

KRECHNER
WHEAT GERM
12 OZ.
39c

RED HEART
DOG FOOD
1 LB. CAN
2 for 29c

PLANTERS
PEANUTS
7 1/2 OZ. CAN
39c

GOLDCRAFT
PEANUT BUTTER
20 OZ. JAR
59c

OCEAN SPRAY
SAUCE
CRANBERRY - 303 CAN
19c



Crisco 3 lb. can **69c**

Oleo SUN SPUN 1 lb. **15c**

Salmon CAMPUS CHUM **49c**

Biscuits Your Choice can **7 1/2c**

Milk RED & WHITE Tall Cans **2 FOR 25c**

Kleenex 400 Count Box **25c**

Sugar 10 lb. bag **89c**

Pure Lard WILSON'S 3 lb. box **49c**

CORN OUR DARLING 303 CAN **2 FOR 29c** **CATSUP** HEINZ 14 OZ. BTL. **19c**

MAZOLA OIL QT. BOTTLE 59c	REYNOLDS ALUMUM FOIL 25 FT. ROLL 29c	ALABAMA GIRL PICKLES 55 OZ. JAR - SOUR or DILL 49c	STEELES PORK & BEANS 303 CAN 10c
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Fruits & Vegetables

U.S. NO. 1 POTATOES - 10 lb. bag	39c
FIRM RIPE SLICERS TOMATOES - lb.	25c
CENTRAL AMERICAN GOLDEN RIPE BANANAS - lb.	15c
WASHINGTON DELICIOUS APPLES - lb.	13c
CALIFORNIA SUN KIST ORANGES - lb.	15c
LARGE SIZE SALAD AVOCADOS - each	9c
NICE ORANGES - bag	39c
FIRM LETTUCE - head	9c

Choice Heavy Beef

CHOICE BEEF ROUND STEAK - lb.	99c
CHOICE BEEF SIRLOIN STEAK - lb.	89c
CHOICE BEEF T-BONE STEAK - lb.	89c
CHOICE BEEF RIB STEAK - lb.	79c
CHOICE BEEF CHUCK STEAK - lb.	69c
CHOICE BEEF GROUND BEEF - lb.	49c
ARMOUR'S STAR BACON - 2 lbs.	\$1.05
ARMOUR'S SAUSAGE - 2 lb. bag	89c

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FRIDAY & SATURDAY

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Entire Remaining Stock Sold To The Walls!

Hurry Some Items Limited In Number!

Lace & Ribbon SPECIAL LOT FT. 1c

Foam Pillows REG. \$5.98 \$2.49

Diapers DOZEN \$1.77

Scarves 18 X 18 INCH PURE SILK REG. 29c 8 FOR \$1

NOTHING SOLD AFTER 6:00 SATURDAY NIGHT

Near Below
WHOLESALE
Prices! HURRY! HURRY! HURRY! TAKE YOUR PICK!

REGULAR \$2.49 WASHABLE
Throw Rugs **25c**
LIMITED QUANTITY
REGULAR 50c PACKAGE
NOTEBOOK Paper **3 FOR 97c**

Bargain
Riot
NEW LOT! LADIES AND KIDDIES
Shoes **99c**
VALUES TO \$7.95

STOCK MUST BE SOLD

BARGAIN!
NEW GROUP FINAL - HURRY
PIECE GOODS
17c
YD.

BARGAIN!
LADIES NYLONIZED
PANTIES
4 FOR \$1
GRAB SEVERAL

BARGAIN!
VALUES TO \$14.95
ONE GROUP MENS
SHOES
\$3.99
MUST BE SOLD

BARGAIN!
VALUES TO \$12.95
MENS
SLACKS
\$4.44
YOU WIN - WE LOSE

BARGAIN!
FINAL - HURRY
VALUES TO 29c EACH
DISH TOWELS
10 FOR 99c
BE HERE EARLY

Friday & Saturday Only
ABSOLUTE FINAL CLOSE-OUT
VALUES TO \$12.95 EACH - LADIES ALL FAMOUS BRANDS YOU KNOW
Dresses **2 FOR \$4.99**
INCLUDES SPRING AND SUMMER

SELLING OUT CHEAP!

OUT THEY GO
SHOES **\$1.66**
NEW GROUP LADIES
VALUES TO \$7.95
BLANKETS **99c**
VALUES TO \$2.98

Rush FOR THESE Ladies Blouses **66c**

VALUES TO \$6.95
SPORTSWEAR
BERMUDA SHORTS
SLIM JIMS
TOREA DORS
\$2.66
URGENT! Close-Out Prices
VALUES TO \$1.35 SEAMLESS
NYLON HOSE **2 Pair 97c**
VALUES TO \$4.00
LADIES BRAS **87c**

KIDDIES SIZE 2 TO 6
Boxer Jeans PAIR **39c**
Shoe Bags REG. \$1.49 PLASTIC **66c**
Khaki Pants MEN'S **\$1.94**
Sport Shirts UP TO \$2.49 BOYS **77c**
Hats ENTIRE STOCK VALUES TO \$8.95 LADIES **99c**

Fabrics Dumped

VALUES TO \$1.00 A YD.
INCLUDES
ONE GROUP PIECE GOODS
2 Yds. 55c
DRIPE DRIES,
DENIMS,
SOLIDS,
GINGHAMS,
PRINTS,
GOLD TONES, ETC.
NYLON NET - 5 yds. **\$1.00**

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Every Thursday After 1 P.M.
Starting
February, 26



Lenten Menus

Pure Lard
SWIFT'S
3 LB. CTN. **49c**

Salmon HONEY BOY 1 LB. CAN **49c**
Tuna KIMBELL'S GRATED FLAT CAN **2 FOR 49c**
Spaghetti DIAMOND 300 CAN **2 FOR 25c**

Dressing
MORTON'S SALAD QUART JAR **39c**

PRE-TRIMMED MEATS

Bacon PACE 2 LB. PKG. **89c**
Sausage PACE 1 LB. PKG. **29c**
Pork Chops LEAN MEATY LB. **49c**
Pork Roast TENDER LEAN LB. **39c**
Beef Ribs LEAN LB. **39c**
Fryers HOLMES PEERLESS CUT-UP - PAN READY LB. **39c**

Biscuits
KIMBELL'S CANNED **3 FOR 25c**

Chili WOLF NO. 2 CAN **69c**
Tamales PATIO 300 CAN **19c**
Rice KIMBELL'S SPANISH 300 CAN **17c**

Snowdrift
THE WESSON OIL SHORTENING 3 LB. CAN **63c**

FROZEN FOODS
Fish Sticks BLUEWATER 10 OZ. PKG. **39c**
Shrimp GULF PRINCESS BREADED 10 OZ. PKG. **59c**
Perch BLUEWATER BONELESS FILLETS 1 LB. PKG. **39c**
Rolls FROZEN RITE PKG. OF 24 **29c**
Orange Juice SUNSHINE STATE 6 OZ. CAN **19c**
Peaches GLACIER 10 OZ. PKG. **19c**

TEA Bags LIPTON'S 100 CT. BOX **98c**
PRESERVES KIMBELL'S 20 OZ. JAR **3 FOR 99c**
JELLO ALL FLAVORS BOXES **3 FOR 25c**
MILK KIMBELL'S TALL CANS **2 FOR 25c**
COFFEE KIMBELL'S 1 LB. CAN **65c**
DOG FOOD KIM 1 LB. CAN **3 FOR 25c**

SUMMER produce PARADE
Cabbage CRISP GREEN LB. **3 1/2c**
Celery GIANT PASCAL STALK **12 1/2c**
Onions BUNCH **5c**
Radishes BUNCH **5c**
Lemons SUN KIST LB. **12 1/2c**
Bananas CENTRAL AMERICA LB. **12 1/2c**

Pears DEL MONTE 303 CAN **29c**
Cherries KIMBELL'S R.S.P. 303 CAN **2 FOR 49c**
Boysenberries DEL MONTE 303 GLASS **33c**
Fruit Cocktail DEL MONTE 303 CAN **27c**

Crackers SUPREME 1 LB. BOX **27c**

Velveeta
KRAFT'S CHEESE FOOD 2 LB. BOX **79c**

Peas MISSION 303 CAN **2 FOR 29c**
Corn KOUNTY KIST 12 OZ. CAN **2 FOR 29c**
Green Beans KIMBELL'S CUT 303 CAN **19c**
Tomatoes KIMBELL'S NO. 2 1/2 CAN **25c**

OLEO BANNER 1 LB. CTN. **2 FOR 29c** | **FLOUR** KIMBELL'S 25 LB. BAG **\$1.79**



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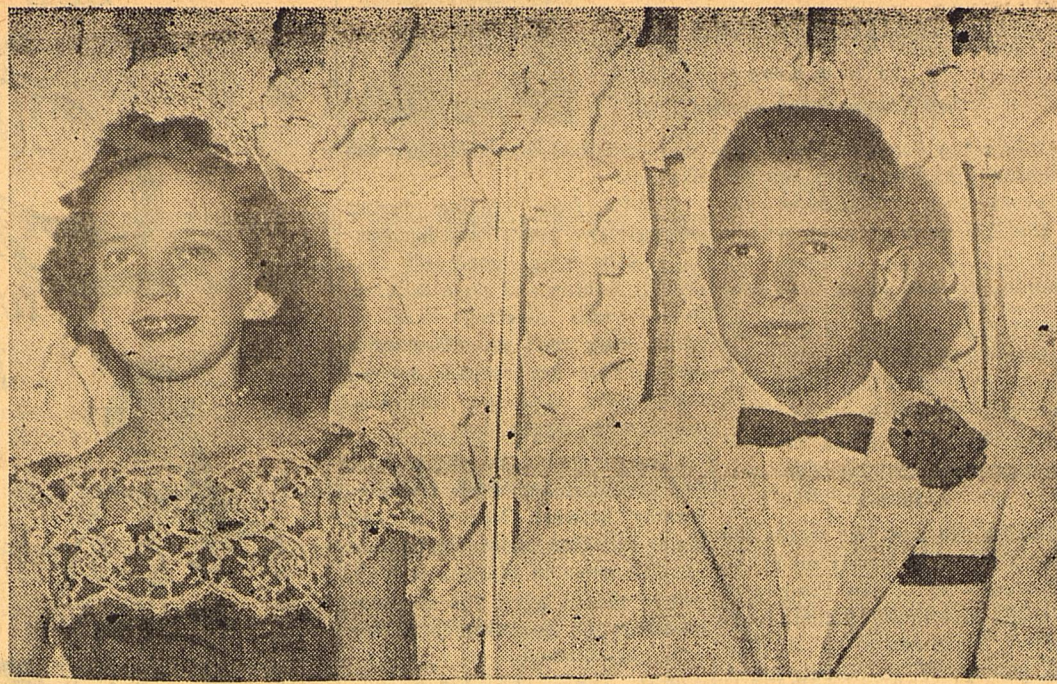
I AM NOW

ASSOCIATED WITH THE

Rich Plan Corp.

For Your Convenience I Will Be In Sonora
One Day Each Week.

BOBBY JOE GRANGER



This year's Valentine Queen and her escort were Mary Davis and Dick McMillan. Mary was crowned at Central Elementary School's annual Valentine Party. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Davis. Dick is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McMillan.

Lydia Gonzales,
Doroteo Castro, Jr.
To Wed February 28

Mrs. Mike Gonzales announces the engagement of her daughter, Lydia, to D. Castro, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Castro, Sr. The marriage will take place Saturday, February 28, in St. Ann's Catholic Church in Sonora. The couple, both high school seniors, plan to complete the year's work.

ART CLUB MEETS MONDAY
FOR STUDY ON OIL WORK

The Sonora Art Club met in the Art Room. Mrs. R. M. McLaughlin presided during the brief business session and the program consisted of a study in painting with oils. Mrs. Robert Hardgrave, Mrs. John A. Martin, Jr., and Mrs. G. M. Owens displayed their work in various types of oil painting.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. John A. Martin, Jr.

CLUB 13 MEETS SATURDAY
AT J. W. NEVILLE HOME

Members and guests of Club 13 met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Neville Saturday night for a no-host dinner and bridge. The Valentine theme was featured in the room decorations and table appointments.

Prizes went to Mrs. James Trainer, Mrs. Rex Lowe, and Mrs. Ed Grobe and Carl Cahill, Harold Scherz and Rex Lowe.

Attending were Messrs and Mmes. R. W. Wallace, Glen Richardson, Robert Mayer, Gene Wallace, Shelly Lowe, Leroy Whitworth, James Trainer, Rex Lowe, Ed Grobe, Carl Cahill and Harold Scherz.

Engagement Announced

MRS. JOHNSON ENTERTAINS
TUESDAY NIGHT CLUB

Mrs. L. E. Johnson, Sr., was hostess to the Tuesday Night Bridge Club in her home Wednesday night. The Valentine theme was carried out in room decorations and table appointments. She served supper from a table centered with an arrangement of gladioli.

Mrs. L. E. Johnson, Jr. won the high score prize and Mrs. Louie Trainer won the slam prize. Mrs. R. A. Halbert won the guest prize and Mrs. Arthur Carroll won at bingo.

Also attending were Mmes. R. C. Vickers, Henry Decker, R. G. Nance, Earl Duncan, Ernest McClelland, W. O. Critch, John Bell and Belle Steen.



Miss Janice Glasscock

Mr. and Mrs. Travis E. Glasscock announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Janice, to Billy Bob Ellington, son of Mrs. Maxine Ellington of San Angelo and Jack Ellington of Rhine Lander, Wisconsin.

The wedding will take place in the First Baptist Church in Sonora, Wednesday, June 13.

PASTIME CLUB MEETS
AT THORP HOME THURSDAY

Mrs. Rose Thorp entertained the Pastime Club Thursday afternoon, in her home. Potted plants decorated the party rooms and a dessert plate was served.

High scores were made by Mrs. Joe Berger and Mrs. R. B. Kelley.

Those who attended included Mmes. Ella Wallace, J. A. Cauthorn, J. W. Trainer, Robert Rees, Lee Labenske, Tom Sandherr, Berger and Kelley.

MRS. WALLACE HOSTESS
TO JUST US CLUB MONDAY

Mrs. Libb Wallace entertained members and guests of Just Us Bridge Club in her home Monday afternoon. Arrangements of mixed flowers were featured in the decorating scheme and a dessert course was served.

High score prizes went to Mrs. Ed Mayfield and Mrs. Harold Scherz. Bingo prizes went to Mrs. Thomas Morriss and Mrs. R. W. Wallace and Mrs. Shelly Lowe won the slam prize.

Others who attended included Mmes. G. H. Davis, C. A. Tyler, Rip Ward, Paul Turney, J. F. Howell, George Wynn, Leo Merrill, Carl Cahill, Tom Sandherr, Ed Grobe, Belle Steen, Cecil Westerman, Susie Blanton, Glen Richardson and James D. Trainer.

WSCS MEETS WEDNESDAY

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. R. V. Cook with Mrs. Tom Davis as cohostess. Mrs. Alvis Johnson presided during the business session and Mrs. J. F. Howell conducted the program.

Mrs. Doyle Morton gave the devotional and Mrs. Dan Cauthorn spoke on "A New Frontier, Literacy and Christian Literature." Mrs. Morton demonstrated the work of Dr. Frank Lauback in his teachings of the silent billion illiterates in the world today. Mrs. Howell talked on "How Literate is this World?" and Mrs. Cauthorn spoke on "The Lauback Method Introduced in Korea." Mrs. Howell led the dismissal prayer and refreshments were served to 17 members.

Congratulations

The Rev. and Mrs. Alanson Brown announce the arrival of a son, Frank Duvall, who was born at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, February 15, in Hudspeth Memorial Hospital. His weight was 6 pounds and 10 ounces.

To welcome the new baby are his brothers, Dick, who is six and Mark, three. Grandparents are Commodore and Mrs. B. W. Fink of Oakton, Va. and Mrs. John W. Brown of Austin. Frank M. Duvall of St. Margaret's, Md., for whom he was named, is his great-grandfather.

Mr. and Mrs. Byerl Dillard are the parents of a daughter, who was born in Hudspeth Memorial Hospital Thursday, February 5, at 8:50 a.m. She has been named Suzanne and her weight was 8 pounds and 4 ounces.

Suzanne has two brothers, Monte, who is eight and Mike is four. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dillard of Ranger and Mr. and Mrs. Luell Holton of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Minnick of Midland are the parents of a son Robert Jodie 11, born Tuesday, February 10. His weight was 8 pounds.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Belk of Eldorado and Mr. and Mrs. Gomer Minnick of Sonora. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Belk of Miles and Mrs. Eastman of Sonora are his great-grandparents.

Mrs. Susie Blanton of Sanderson arrived Saturday for a two week's visit. She is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mayfield.

Reed Jennings, who is attending school in Uvalde, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Jennings, during the weekend.

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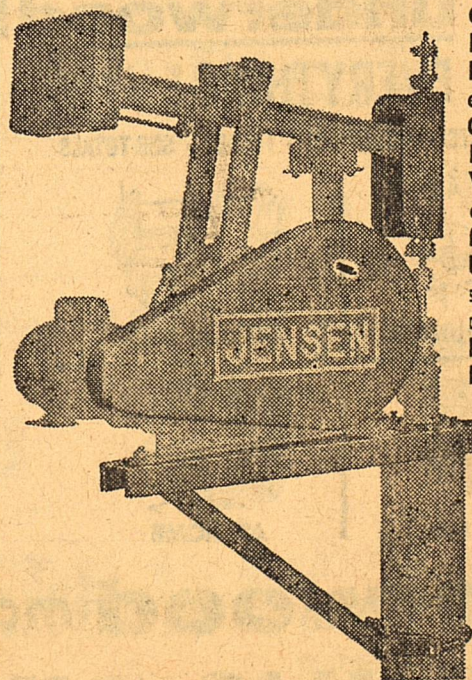
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YOUR MINISTER SAYS

By Rev. Doyle W. Morton
 "Beyond the call of duty" is a well known phrase, usually applied to the military. Jesus applied it to spiritual living. "For I say unto you, that except your righteousness shall exceed the righteousness of the scribes and Pharisees, ye shall in no case enter into the kingdom of heaven." It has been called "adventurous righteousness." Righteousness that exceeds is one that ranches out to those in need. It sees more in "need" than the matter of giving alms. It finds the true need of people and seeks to minister. It is broad enough to be a positive way of life, not simply a negative approach of "thou shalt not." This does not deny the necessity of discipline, but makes creative discipline more important than negative discipline. It gives depth to experience, helping us see the value of God's great love to all. It helps us see the high hopes and vision that God has for all of us. Only as we go beyond the call of duty in religion do we "enter the kingdom of heaven" now or in eternity.

—1932—
 Mrs. Nettie Marion, of Greenville, left Saturday for her home, after a three month's visit here with Mrs. George B. Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Marion.

28 YEARS AGO

February 19, 1932
 The girl's basketball team of the Cedar Hill school showed Eldorado's sextette how to win a ball game here Friday. The Cedar Hill girls, with a wide reputation for sinning contests by a big margin, trounced the Eldorado girls 24-12. The work of the entire team was excellent.

The lineup of Cedar Hill girls follows:
 Forwards, Essie and Bessie Rege; centers, Fay and Dora Shroyer; guards, Nell Adams and Hazel Thiers; substitute, Mary Al Adams.

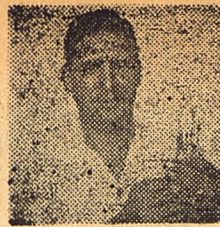
—1932—
 Mr. and Mrs. Vlada Vehle and baby son, Oscar, will sail on March 6 from Galveston, for their home in Olomouc, Czechoslovakia, after a sojourn of one year in Texas, as guests of Mr. Vehle's brothers, Oscar and Frank of Menard, and Richard of Sonora.

The Misses Dorothy Petmecky, Lone Reagan and Lucille Dubois will spend the weekend and holiday at their homes in Austin, Marquez and Jewett, respectively, and will drive through in Miss Reagan's car.

Mrs. Clara Murphy entertained the Contract Club at her home Monday, with the following mem-

Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District News

By E. B. Keag
 Soil Conservation Service



Only a few days remain before planting time for native grasses. Approximately 900 acres of land in the Soil Bank program will be planted, and some ranchmen are planning to seed areas that have

not grassed over since the drought.

Results from seeding during the past two years have been erratic, with some remarkably successful seeding and some failures. Since grass seedlings are so small, they tend to suffer more quickly from dry weather or weed competition than do cultivated crops with larger seeds.

Grasses should be planted not over one half inch deep, and preferably between March 15 and May 15. Our most dependable rainfall come in April and May, which should give young grass seedlings an opportunity to become established.

With abnormal rainfall during the past two years, weeds offered terrific competition. Grass should be seeded in a clean seedbed and weeds controlled with a 2-4-d spray. Best control from spraying is obtained when weeds are young and tender.

During the past two weeks the Sonora Motor Company made the following sales of new Ford cars:
 O. E. Merriman, tudor; J. T. Barton, sport coupe; T. P. Russell, pickup; W. R. Nisbet, tudor, and Cauthorn Brothers, a truck.

Mr. and Mrs. Hi Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Newby, and little son, Hi Eastland, of Brackettville, were Del Rio visitors Friday.

—1932—
 Mrs. M. A. Valliant spent the weekend visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Kelley, at the Kelley ranch.

With the high cost of grass seed, ranchmen should take every precaution to prepare a clean seed bed, seed early, and control the weeds.
 Grass seed are more plentiful this year than in the past, and considerable latitude is possible in choosing grasses to plant. Sideoats grama, KR bluestem, blue panic and blue grama have given the best results to date. Buffelgrass grows well, but is easily winterkilled. Through sorghum deserves a fair trial, it appears very doubtful that it will stay alive over one year.



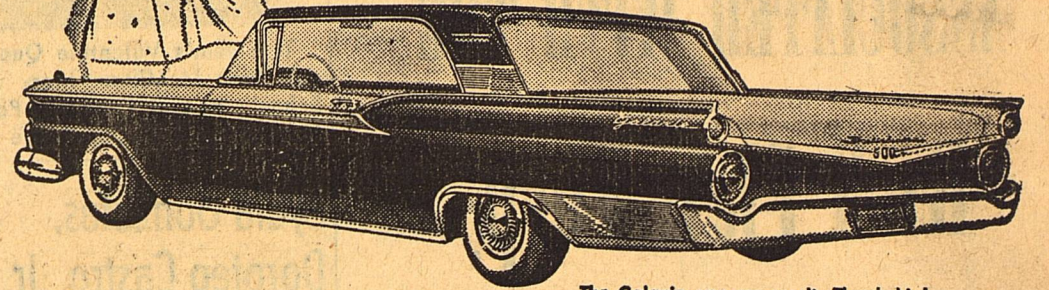
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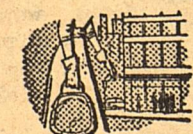
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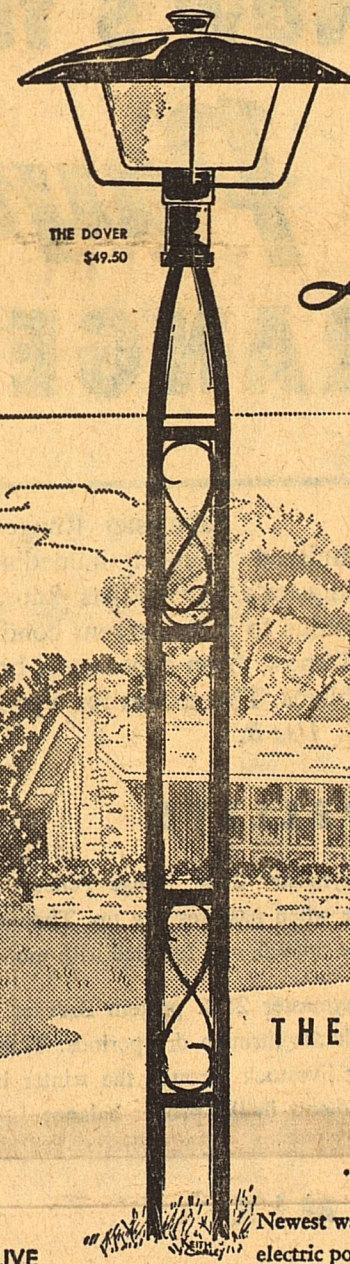
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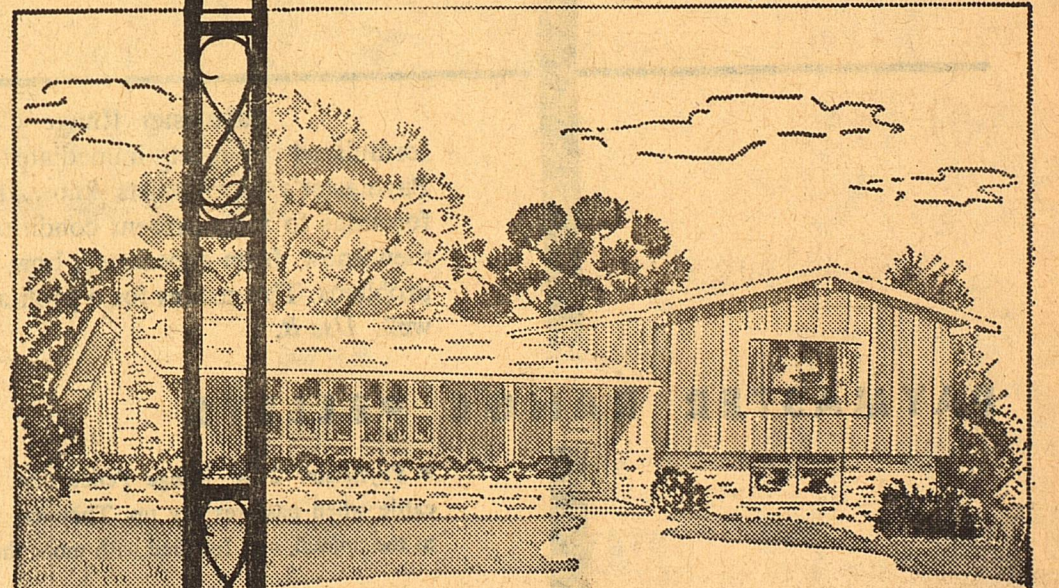
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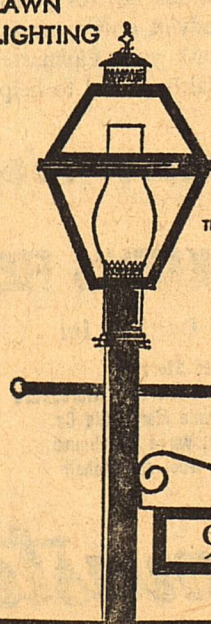
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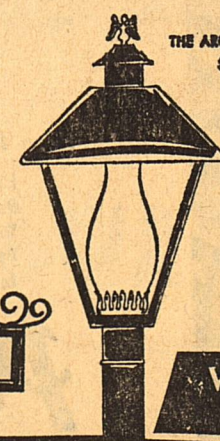
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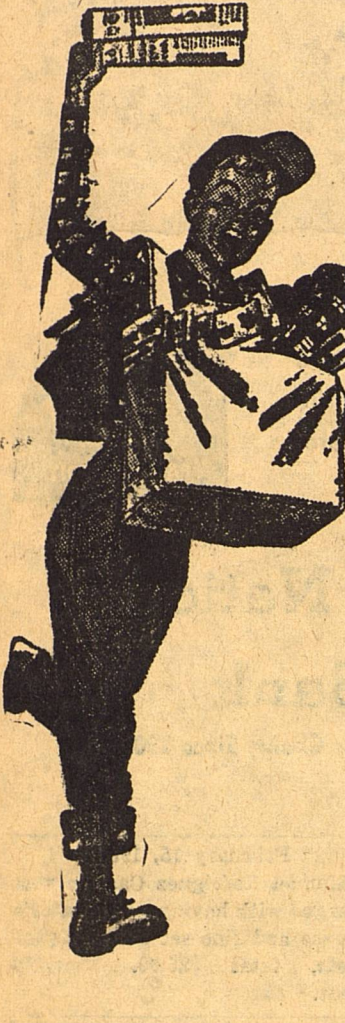
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MRS. ANNA CROWELL. 2 to 20.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Sutton County, Texas, will receive bids at the office of the County Judge of Sutton County, Texas, in the Court House until 10 o'clock A. M. on March 9, 1959, for furnishing said County with the following:

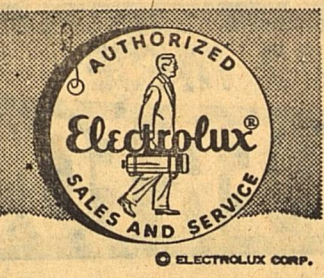
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The Court shall have the right to reject any and all bids.

Notice is also given that it is the intention of said County to issue time warrants for the payment of all or a part of the contract price of said equipment, said time warrants not to exceed \$3,000.00 in total amount, to bear interest at the rate of four per centum per annum and to be due and payable on or before one to three years after date.

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County Judge, Sutton County, Texas. 2 to 19.



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Driver Education - Frivripery Or Essential!

By J. O. Musick
General Manager
Texas Safety Association

What is Driver Education? Does it really have a place in the Texas high school curricula?

The strongest arguments used against adopting state supported DE courses for public schools are: such courses waste student and teacher time, because they are, in actuality, frill or snap courses whereby the lazy student can pick up an easy grade; they are too expensive; parents, or other older members of the family can and should fill this gap in a young person's training.

Are these arguments valid? Numerous persons and groups of persons think they are not.

The proponents of DE courses answer these two charges in reverse order with:

1. For the most part, even the best intentioned and educated parents today are not qualified driver-training teachers. This argument is drawn from the obvious fact that it has been the

overall incompetent driving habits of adults which has brought about our present high toll of traffic deaths and injuries.

(Since January 1, 1950, nearly 23,000 persons have been killed in Texas traffic accidents and more than 925,000 injured, according to TSA records.)

Too, when a parent teaches a son or daughter to drive, all faulty habits as well as good habits are acquired by the youngster. This includes the all-important development of proper attitudes, which is as necessary as skill in training a safe driver. Also, someone less than a trained, objective teacher is seldom capable of instilling the attitudes needed for survival in our increasingly complex traffic.

2. As for costs, aside from humane values, DE advocates say that such courses are justified on this basis alone, because they provide the best long range hope, in traffic accident prevention, to lower the staggering economic costs to Texans which now exceeds \$270 million each year.

In addition, pro-DEers say that Texas insurance companies have found the accident rate of school-

trained drivers is so much below that of non-school-trained drivers as to make it possible to give them a ten to 15 percent reduction in premium rates.

3. The cry of "frill" course is answered with the questions: Is it a frill to attempt to save the life or limb of every second pre-school child now in Texas? If the present trend is unchecked we can expect fifty percent of this age group to be involved in a traffic accident before he or she has had a chance to mature fully.

Is it a frill to reduce a statewide cost that runs to more than a billion dollars every four years?

Is it a frill to ask the only state institution we have (our schools), which has the capacity to undertake this program for survival and give it its proper place and emphasis in a youngster's training?

Advocates look on driver education as being basically a modern science for keeping alive. One that should provide a young boy or girl with the knowledge, attitude and skill with which they can hope to compete with what is, at best, a hazardous environment. This is citizenship training of the highest order.

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Enclosed net space of 3,189 square feet is desired.

Platform space of 216 square feet is desired.

Driveway, parking, and maneuvering area of 4,074 square feet is desired.

Area of 1,200 square feet is desired for off-street parking.

Important factors include location, good daylight and ventilation, accessibility to rear or side entrance for mails, service considerations, economic factors, and overall operating costs.

Construction Requirements For Leased Post Office Facilities, and form of Bid (Agreement To Lease), form of Post Office Department Lease, and additional information may be obtained from the undersigned or the local post-

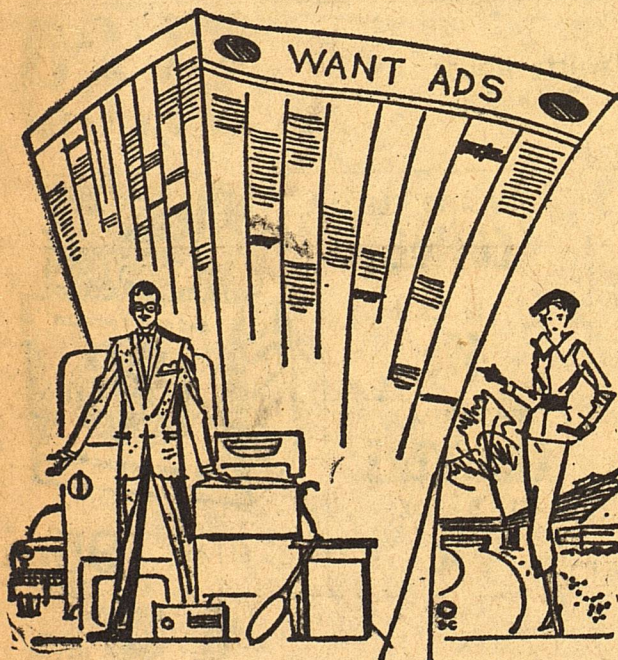
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Bidders must submit with the bid a plot plan showing location, land dimensions, and location of buildings hereon, adjoining ground, if any, for light areas, driveways and parking areas, abutting streets and alleys and widths thereof together with a diagram of the interior space offered, showing dimensions, offsets, doors, windows, etc.

A correct legal description of the entire ground area to be leased must accompany the bid. Bidders may also submit photographs of their property and its surroundings if they so desire. If new construction or major remodeling is proposed, a drawing of the front elevation shall accompany the bid. If an existing building, photographs of the front elevation shall accompany the bid.

The Postmaster General holds an assignable land option of 9,000 square feet, located at Southwest corner of Water and Oak Streets; it is requested

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Devil's River News



Happy birthday and a Happy Valentine wishes were incorporated in a cake with 103 candles and a Heart of Texas design presented to C. W. Lewis of Marble Falls February 14 on the occasion of his 103rd birthday. Lewis is the father of Mrs. L. O. Biggs, Mr. and Mrs. Biggs, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Odom, Joe Gatlin and Sammy Odom were on hand for the event.

Mrs. Dorothy Baker and son, Jack, were among Sonorans who attended the stock show in San Antonio last weekend.

Mrs. W. A. Ezell of Barnhart spent several days in Sonora this week visiting friends and relatives. She was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McClelland.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Chappell and daughters, Joyce and Jean, of Austin were in Sonora last weekend visiting friends.

Mrs. Leonard Dunbar of Junction is confined to the local hospital there suffering second degree burns.

Jack Sykes is a patient in the Junction hospital suffering an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Annie Meacham of Portland, Oregon is the guest of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sykes.

Albert and Alfred Sykes spent last weekend in San Antonio attending the Stock show.

Janis Sykes of Lubbock arrived last Friday for a weekend visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sykes.

Mrs. Birdie Rutledge of El Paso is in Sonora this week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wardlaw and children.

Juanice Cox, a student at Abilene Christian College, spent last weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cox.

CARD OF THANKS

I take this means of expressing my heartfelt thanks to those of you who were so kind to me during my illness and while I was in the hospital. I will always remember every expression of kindness and thoughtfulness with a grateful heart. May God bless you all.

Coen Sutherland. 1 tp 20.

Happy Birthday

Friday, February 20,
Mrs. Rostien Pfeister
Bonnie McKinney
W. P. McConnell
Nancy Jane Reed
Betty Jo Blalock

Saturday, February 21,
Mrs. Robert Kokernot
Mrs. Pearl Crites
Debra Babette Wheatley

Sunday, February 22,
Mrs. J. W. Trainer

Monday, February 23,
Mrs. Robert Hardgrave

Tuesday, February 24,
Gene Schultz
Mrs. Arch Crosby
Mrs. Charlie W. West

Wednesday, February 25,
Mrs. Maxine Ellingson
Henry Wyatt
Mrs. Tommy Seals
Mrs. Tommy Thorp
Jan Keng

Thursday, February 26,
Mrs. O. L. Carpenter
Charles Lee Cusenbary
Edward Archer
Bobby White
Craig Douglas Johnson

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank each of the many friends for the kindness, help and sympathy shown us during the illness and at the death of our loved one.

The Ben Meckel Family.

**SIXTO CHAVEZ ELECTED
TO MEN'S COUNCIL AT SWT**

Sexto Chavez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Chavez of Sonora, was recently elected to the house council of Speck Hall, men's dormitory at Southwest Texas State College, San Marcos.

Speck Hall, one of six men's dormitories on the SWT campus, houses about 240 men students. Chavez is a senior industrial arts major.

Mr. and Mrs. Duard Archer went to Austin last weekend for a visit with Capt. and Mrs. Don Byrnes and children. Archer returned after a short visit but Mrs. Archer remained for a month's stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Watson spent last weekend in Menard the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cam Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tisdell and baby Curtis, of Lubbock arrived last weekend for a visit with Mrs. Tisdell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Schwiening.

**OFFICIAL
RECORDS**

Justice Court
Alfred Cooper presiding

February 19, 1959

John O. Porter was charged with speeding and fine set at \$15.50 plus costs, total \$31.00. Highway Patrol.

Leslie Martin Hoffman was charged with having no inspection sticker and fine set at \$5.50

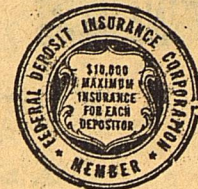
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plus costs, total \$21.00. Highway Patrol.

Owen Fay was charged with having no operator's license and fine set at \$10.50 plus costs, total \$26.00. Highway Patrol.

February 15, 1959
Manuel Rodriguez Castillo was charged with having no operator's license and fine set at \$5.50 plus costs, total \$25.00. Sheriff's Dept.

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SUGAR	IMPERIAL (Limited) 5 lbs.	39c	
DEL MONTE SPINACH - 303 can	14c	DURANDS YAMS - no. 2 1/2 can	29c
MUSTARD OR TURNIP GREENS - 303 can	13c	MISSION PEAS - 303 can	15c
DEL MONTE PEARS - 303 can	29c	GOLD COAST SPICED PEACHES - no. 2 1/2 can	33c

Milk	GANDY'S 1/2 GAL.	45c	
TIDE or CHEER - giant box	69c	FLEECY WHITE BLEACH - quart	15c
REYNOLDS FOIL - roll	29c	"BUD" WAFFLE SYRUP - 24 oz. jar	39c

Margarine **KIMBELL'S lb. 15c**

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CARROTS - cello bag	10c	BACON - Swift's Sliced - lb.	49c
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AVOCADOS - large - each	15c	BEEF RIBS - Choice - lb.	39c
CABBAGE - green - lb.	5c	SAUSAGE - Armour's - lb.	39c
LEMONS - Sun Kist - lb.	12 1/2c	SALT BACON - No. 1 - lb.	29c
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