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4-H Members Exhibit Livestock In 20th Annual Show Saturday

The 20th Annual 4-H Livestock Show will feature the showing of over 269 animals exhibited by 55 Sutton County 4-H Club members.

Catagories will include fat lambs, fat steers and heifers, and breeding sheep and Angora goats.

Starting time for the show is 9 a.m., January 14, with the breeding sheep and Angora goat show followed by the fat lamb show at 10:30 a.m. and the steer and heifer show at 3 p.m.

A free barbeque will be held

at 6 p.m. followed by an auction sale at 6:30 p.m.

Judges for the annual event will be Stanley Lackey of Roosevelt, Angora goats; W. M. (Dub) Day, Reagan County Agent, fat steers, breeding cattle and fat lambs; Pete Jacoby of Ozona, sifting judge and W. G. Godwin, Schleicher County Agent will judge showmanship.

Auctioneer for the sale will be former 4-H Club member, Don Cooper. Buyers may bid as much as desired on lambs in the auction but the 4-H members will receive a ceiling price of \$75 per head. All money bid above this amount goes to the 4-H Center building fund for maintenance and improve-

ment for the center.

In the "Chinese" auction all money received from bidders will go in the building fund of the 4-H Club.

In all, 19 different classes will be judged within the three divisions. Special prizes of trophies and cash awards will be made in some of the classes.

Committees serving for the event are headed by Jimmy Harris, livestock committee; bookkeeping, E. B. Keng; auction, Herbert Fields; foods, Jane and James Alexander; and Bill Whitehead, weighing.

After the auction sale awards and trophies will be presented for the top animals. Donors of awards

include the Sonora Lions Club, First National Bank, Elliott Butane Co, Sonora Feed and Supply, Nathan's Jewelers of San Angelo, the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association. Stockmen's Feed Co., Sonora Wool and Mohair Co., Foodway Stores, Federal Land Bank Association and Edgar Glasscock. Cash awards will be made in some classes.

County Agricultural Agent, Clint Langford said, "This show promises to be the biggest 4-H show we have ever had". He added that the new 4-H Center was serving the community well and this event would help make needed improvements. He said, "The 4-H Center was used on 100 days in 1966; 68 of those were community meetings of one kind or another".

CINDERS

by Jim Barnett

It's amazing how much larger a big city can get in just four, short months. On my first visit back to Houston since August I was surprised at all of the new things... buildings, homes and businesses that had sprung up.

Many of the old and familiar things there were comforting to give it old "home" flavor though... and the people haven't changed much... just more of them.

You can still meet people that are a little bit on the unusual side, at least by our standards here. For instance there is a cab driver who is supposedly planning to take legal action against the President of the United States and the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court for some imagined personal injustice.

A certain group of Cuban counter-revolutionary refugees are hatching (and re-hatching) a plot to invade Cuba on a strict economic budget.

It all goes to prove that in a big city all one has to do is meet a cab driver as a cure to beat the big city boredom. The only hitch is that, like everything else, it's not free.

Change of Venue Granted Ramos Case

The murder trial of Roberto Hernandez Ramos, 19, has been transferred from Sonora to Ozona. Ramos is charged with murder in the December 4, 1963, slaying of Juan Jose Arebalo. Trial date has been set for April 4.

Ramos was sentenced to Mountain Home School for Boys in Gatesville on a juvenile charge of assault with intent to commit murder. After the slaying of Arebalo, Ramos fired a pistol at Highway Patrolman, Joe Wylie,

then stationed in Sonora. He was indicted for murder when he became 17-years old.

Dixon Mahon, district attorney for the 112th Judicial District, asked District Judge Charles Sherrill to move the case out of Sutton County because he did not feel an impartial jury could be empaneled in Sonora.

On December 20, 1966, the Sutton County grand jury was called to advise Mahon on the Ramos case. He wanted to get the opinions of the jury to help him determine if Ramos should be brought to trial or not. Mahon indicated that two possibilities were open to try Ramos on the murder charge or to release him from Gatesville and place him on probation.

Several members of the Sutton County grand jury indicated Ramos should be tried since his indictment was valid.

Attorney Ed Idar of San Angelo has been appointed to represent Ramos.

WEATHER

Compiled by J. E. Eldridge

	Rain	Hi	Lo
Wednesday, Jan. 4	.00	62	13
Thursday, Jan. 5	.00	65	17
Friday, Jan. 6	.00	72	43
Saturday Jan. 7	.00	57	24
Sunday, Jan. 8	.00	45	14
Monday, Jan. 9	.00	44	17
Tuesday, Jan. 10	.00	52	35
Rain for the month, .00; for the year, .00.			

Jasso Sentenced

District Judge Charles Sherrill sentenced Andres S. Jasso to two years in the penitentiary for the passing of a forged instrument.

He was accused of passing a check made out payable to himself and signed with another person's name.

The offense occurred April 26, 1965. Jasso's trial was held here January 5.

Sonora Business Population Grows

Dun and Bradstreet has released latest statistics on the business population of Sutton County. Figures obtain by a physical count of the Dun and Bradstreet Reference Book for January, 1967, show that there are 61 retailers, wholesalers, and manufacturers in this area.

Angora Performance Testing Program Initiated at Ranch Experiment Station

An annual Angora goat performance test is being initiated at the Ranch Experiment Station beginning February 1 and continuing for 150 days.

"Some type of performance testing or production recording system is being conducted with all species of farm or ranch livestock except Angora goats", said Jim Menzies, assistant animal husbandman at the station.

He added, "From an experimental standpoint, it is desirable to collect data on goats of various genotypes in a common environment to check the validity of using records of performance rather than visual appraisal only, to collect some of the data necessary to design the most efficient breeding systems".

According to Menzies, the genetic progress of large animal species is obtained through sire selection therefore, restricting the test to the male sex. He stresses that the test period can logically be restricted to that period of the animal's life prior to the time breeding selections are normally made, or about 18 months of age in the case of the Angora goat. He said, "Further decisions would be based largely on progeny performance."

Objectives of the testing program are to obtain performance data on young male goats of varied genetic background when managed under uniform conditions; to encourage flock improvement through use of superior performing animals in breeding programs and third, to obtain data for use in developing more efficient breeding and selection procedures.

Eligibility for entry into the testing program is open to both commercial and registered breeders

First Born Honors Go To Perez Child

Honors for being the first born child of 1967 in Sonora goes to Celestino G. Perez, Jr.

He was born to Mr. and Mrs. Celestino G. Perez at 11:28 p.m., January 1.



TIM THORP, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Thorp, shears his entry in the 20th Annual 4-H Livestock Show. The show will be held in the 4-H Center, Saturday, January 14. Over

269 animals will be exhibited in the show. Part of the proceeds from the auction sale will go for improvements to the 4-H Center and for 4-H activities.

Three Broncos Named All-State

Sonora's mighty Broncos put three football players on the Associated Press' All-State Class A team.

Receiving the most votes for a Sonora player from Texas sports writers was end Noe Chavez. The only Class A player in the state polling more votes was Vernon

Marler, White Deer halfback.

Other Broncos winning coveted positions on the All-State team were quarterback Laney Cook and halfback Ed Lee Renfro.

Renfro and Chavez were the only players named to the team of outstanding athletes that were not seniors. Chavez is a junior and Renfro is a sophomore.

Sonora was the only team with three of its members on the All-State team. Two players from For-

ney were named, fullback Larry Bush and guard Gary Whittemore.

County Government Meets January 9

The Sutton County Commissioners Court met Monday, January 9, for their first meeting of 1967.

All newly elected officials of the county were sworn in and had their bonds accepted by County Judge, J. W. Elliott.

Other business in the meeting included voting not to increase the salaries of county officials and employees. Salaries will remain the same as last year, according to Mrs. Erma Lee Turner, county clerk.

The court also contracted with the law firm of McCreary and Huey of Austin to collect delinquent taxes for Sutton County.

Sonorans Attend Directors Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Prugel were in Austin Saturday, January 7. Mrs. Prugel attended the Board of Directors meeting of the Vocational Homemaking Teachers Association of Texas. She is a director of Area II which extends from Sonora to El Paso and north to Tahoka.

Registration Limit Set

Deadline for voter registration under the 1966 Texas Voter Registration Law is January 31, according to the sheriff's office.

Since the elimination of poll tax, it is still necessary for persons desiring to vote to register. No fee is now required for filing or voting.

The authorized method for applying for registration requires the voter to apply in person, by mail or by the appearance of spouse, parent or child of the voter. When the spouse, parent or child acts as another's agent to register, he himself must be a registrant.

Application forms may be obtained from the county tax collector by mail or if the voter appears in person no form is necessary. Applicants must sign on a form, a statement certifying that false in-

formation given is understood to be a felony offense.

Complete lists of laws governing registration can be reviewed in the office of the county tax collector.

Gatesville Services Held for Mrs. Farr

Mrs. Tex Farr of Gatesville died January 5, in Scott and White Hospital in Temple after a long illness. She was born in Sonora, August 4, 1926, and attended Sonora schools. She is the daughter of Mrs. Anna Morris of Oceanside, California, and the late Harvey Morris. Mrs. Farr was a member of the Baptist church.

Funeral services were held at Scott Funeral Home in Gatesville, January 7, with burial in Scott Cemetery.

Other survivors include her husband, Tex of Gatesville; three sons, Dennis of Dallas and Bobby and Frank of Gatesville; two daughters, Mrs. Sherry Griffin of Marlin and Mrs. Regina Hawkins of Hillsboro; a sister, Mrs. Louise Whitley of Fort Worth; a brother, Vernon Morris of El Cajon, California, and three grandchildren.

Sonora's Brother Dies in Junction

Funeral services were held Saturday, December 24 for Alfred Jackson Sykes, 63, in First Methodist Church of Junction. He was the brother of Wesley Sykes.

Pastor of the Methodist Church in Junction, the Rev. Phillip Dill-rell, officiated.

Burial was in the Junction Cemetery under the direction of Hodges Fife Funeral Home.

Sykes died as the result of a heart attack suffered while attending the funeral of an ex-brother-in-law, Emmett Beck Simon, at Copperas Cemetery.

He suffered a heart attack in the past but had reportedly been in good health during the past year. He was a well-known resident of Junction for the past 40 years. Sykes was a member of the Methodist Church, a past master of the Masonic Lodge and a member and past patron of the Order of the Eastern Star of Fort McKavett.

His survivors include his wife, Mattie; three daughters, Mrs. Bennett Boone of Arlington, Mrs. Billy D. Evans of San Angelo and Mrs. Jimmy Watson of Tucuman, N. M.; one brother, Wesley Sykes; five sisters, Mmes. Jim Luckie, Artie Joy, G. T. Rode, C. O. Simon of LaJunta, Colorado, and W. K. Barnes of Uvalde and nine grandchildren.

Active pallbearers were his nephews, John W. Joy, Ilee Simon, Albert Sykes, R. C. Luckie and Vernon Luckie. Jack M. Sykes was junior pallbearer.

Inactive pallbearers were George Smith, George Boucher, Roy L. Taylor, Jim, Cameron, Bob and Don Wright, Bill and Gary Gossney and Jack Jones.

Fling Ding Dance Reset for March 30

A new date and new orchestra has been scheduled for the annual Fling Ding dance, according to Jimmy Harris.

The new date is March 30. Jan Garber and his Orchestra will provide music.

Originally the Guy Lombardo Orchestra had been booked. According to Harris, there was a mistake made by his booking agent making it necessary to cancel several engagements.

Sonoran Dies Jan. 1 In Angelo Hospital

Mrs. Juanita Berrera, 86, died January 1, in a San Angelo hospital. She had lived here for the past 16 years.

Survivors are Felix Artiga of California, Antonio Berrera, Jose Berrera, Oberlin Tobar and Juanita Tobar of Arizona; Marlin Berrera of Colorado City and Mrs. Luis Samaniego and Carolina Chavez of Sonora. Also surviving are 70 grandchildren, 97 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Services were held at St. Ann's Catholic Church, January 2. Mass was conducted by Father Cecil Kleber, O.F.M.



HARVEY PALMER

District Governor Visits Lions Club

In a regular Tuesday meeting of the Downtown Lions Club, District 2A-1 Governor, Harvey Palmer of San Angelo spoke to the Lions of their objectives for the year.

High on his list of topics was world peace. Recently the international club sponsored a youth essay contest based on the subject of world peace. Palmer said, "If we can get the youth of the world believing in, and dedicated to the idea of peace it will be more than a dream; it will be a reality."

Palmer also expressed the need of service to the community by the Lions Club. He said the size of the club did not make much difference, but that its accomplishments were the important factor.

Palmer is currently on a tour of all of the Lions Clubs in District 2A-1. He said he had visited 47 clubs of a total of 61. District 2A-1 is the third largest in the state.

Five Sutton Youths Win Places in Show

Five Sutton County youths were among the winners in the Sand Hills Hereford and Quarterhorse Show in Odessa, January 4.

Local winners included Tony Renfro, placing 6th in medium weight fine wool lambs; Roger Langford, placing 14th in the same class; Mark Jacoby, placing 10th in the heavy weight fine wool class; Joe David Nance, 16th in light weight fine wool and Gene Thompson winning 16th in the light weight fine wool category.

Cleveland Nance, Jr., also exhibited in the show.

The youngsters were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Jacoby Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Nance, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Langford, Pete Thompson and Edgar Glasscock.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Saturday, January 14
2-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open

Sunday, January 15
Services at the church of your choice

Monday, January 16
8 p.m., Elks Lodge meeting

Tuesday, January 17
12 noon., Downtown Lions Club meeting in Fellowship Hall of First Methodist Church
7 p.m., Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meeting in chamber office.

Wednesday, January 18
3-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open

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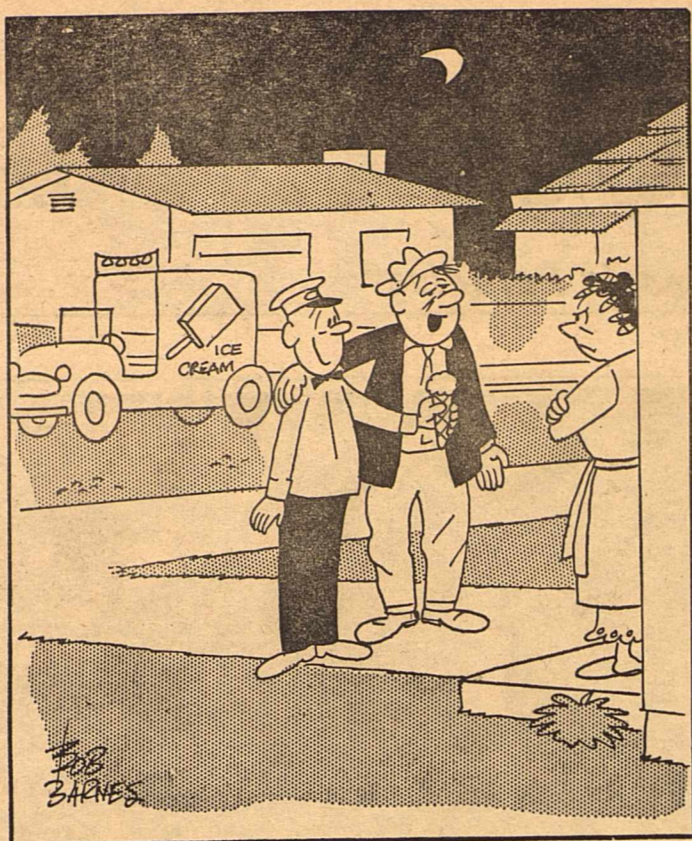
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from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

January 11, 1957
New mercury vapor street lights will be installed soon on Main Street and on a portion of Crockett and Water Streets, according to R. M. McCarver, manager of city utilities.

Tommy Ray Adams and George Johnson were named this week to the Class A All-State schoolboy football team by the Texas Sports Writers Association.

George Johnson was named captain of the All-American Prep football team.

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January 10, 1947
A second prediction of snow for Sonora failed to materialize Tuesday, but an expected Norther blew in Tuesday night bringing rain and to some extent, warmer weather.

B. M. Halbert disclosed that \$41,300 has been allotted to Sutton County to begin the 1947 Agricultural Program.

January 15, 1937
Direction of activities of the Men's Bible Class which meets at La Vista Theater each Sunday was the responsibility given this week to Joe F. Logan, Sutton County rancher and county commissioner.

Sonora basketball players had a tough weekend, losing in Eldorado Tournament play to Lake View in the first round, then losing by a 45-27 score to Mertzon.

66 YEARS AGO
John Bryden, one of our old time friends, was in Sonora from the T-Half Circle ranch.

Herbert Palmer was in Sonora Saturday from his sheep camp on a visit to his family and to get shaved.

-Editorials-Features-Columns-

A Salute to Medical Advances

Hopefully, we can look forward to a year of good health in 1967. As the American Medical Association points out, the past year was one of encouraging developments that may help ensure many of us a longer, more comfortable life.

Here's some of the medical progress of 1966:

—The first successful implantation of artificial devices, popularly but incorrectly called "artificial hearts," into the chests of human beings to aid failing hearts.

—A drug that preliminary investigation indicated may improve memory.

—A dignified scientific study that gives a clearer understanding of the mysteries of human sexual response.

—Adaptation and improvement of Russian-built artificial limbs by Canadian physicians. These devices derive motive power from the electric potential of muscle, eliminating the need for straps and springs.

But our prospects continue to improve for a rich, full life and a meaningful old age. One of the people we can thank for this is the American doctor.

The Devil's River Philosopher sez: See the Super Bowl on Two Sets

Editor's note: The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitterweed ranch on Dry Devil's River discusses football this week. We didn't know he knew anything about it.

Dear editor:
Professional football is a little out of my line, but since nearly everything else is too and I don't let that stop me, I thought I'd make a suggestion to the National Broadcasting Company and the Columbia Broadcasting Company. Surely one of them subscribed to The "Devil".

According to an article I read in a newspaper last night, the two companies couldn't decide who's going to televise the Super Bowl, the game for the world championship between the two professional football leagues about the middle of January. NBC has been televising one league, CBS the other, so they agreed they'd both televise the Super Bowl, and a viewer with two channel choices could take his pick.

This is all right, it shows a fine spirit of compromise and financial shrewdness, but it misses a golden opportunity to boost the rest of the economy by a few billion dollars, plus developing a brand new idea in televised sports.

The idea is, instead of each network televising the game in the usual manner, why couldn't NBC concentrate its camera on the offense, CBS its camera on the defense?

This obviously would require two television sets in your living room, sitting side by side. At the kickoff, one set would show the right half of the field as the kicker approached the ball, the other would show the left half, where the receiving team awaited. As the play got underway, your eyes would move from one set to the other, you'd have a full view of the entire field instead of a close-up of a quarterback, and throughout the game you'd continue to have unlimited vision, the same as if you'd paid \$12 to get in the stands. You could watch the quarterback fade back to pass and at the same time look over to the other set and watch the receivers running their patterns downfield. Only one set of announcers would be needed but that's all right, they talk too much anyway as it is.

Now this would require everybody to have two sets, but since we

still have some time to get them bought, you can imagine what it would do to the economy to have at least 30 million new TV sets bought between now and January 15, even on credit. What's wrong with buying a second set on credit? That's the way the first one was bought.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Snips, Quips, And Lifts

by Lottie Lee Baker

A TYPICAL AMERICAN

Ever watch a typical American? Chances are he's just driven home from an Italian movie in his German car, is sitting on Danish furniture, drinking Brazilian coffee out of an English china cup, writing a letter on Irish linen paper with a Japanese ball point pen—complaining about too much American gold going overseas.

—Small Town: A place where the street lights dim when you plug in an electric razor.

—People are like tea bags. They don't know their own strength until they get into hot water.

—Historian: One who thinks of U. S. Grant as a soldier, not a federal subsidy.

—Isn't it amazing how they can store such big bills in such small envelopes?

—How Come We Say: COLD FEET: One of the chief ailments of European soldiers during the wars of the 19th century was frozen feet. However some soldiers pretended frostbite to avoid battle, so today someone with "cold feet" is afraid of something.

—Paying for airplane trips on the installment plan makes us debt-propelled.

—A lot of folks who never took music lessons is good at fiddling around.

—What a lot of women would like to do with last year's dress is get into it.

—It's hard to teach children the alphabet when they all think that V comes right after T.

—When things go wrong, be calm and strong, for troubles never last very long.

A LIFT FOR THE WEEK
When things go wrong, be calm and strong, for troubles never last very long.

Happy Birthday Calenaar

Thursday, January 12
R. A. McCulloch
Mrs. Robert Lawson
Maxine Davis
Mrs. Neil Roueche
Jack Drennan

Friday, January 13
Ralph P. Mayer
Mrs. D. C. Bruce
Ben F. Meckel
Terry Mathis
Timmie Cole
Mario Duran
Jorge Alberto Sanchez

Saturday, January 14
Ford Allen
Mrs. Jim Perry
Mrs. Bill Morriss
Carole Rose Carpenter
Delma Gandar
Betty Jane Artiega

Sunday, January 15
Joe B. Ross
Jack Henderson
Mrs. T. R. Chenault
Mrs. Henry Greenhill
Gary Hardgrave
Dick Copeland
Mrs. Pat Thompson
Thomas Morriss
Judy Letsinger

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

Tuesday, January 17
Raymond Morgan
Mrs. Francis Jones
Davis Wallace

Mrs. Charles F. Browne
Tom Green
Joel Kent Carpenter
Ruben Noriega

Wednesday, January 18
J. R. Caldwell
Mary Farris

District Office Sets New Office Hours

Ted F. Moellering, Manager of the Social Security District Office located at 300 West Harris in San Angelo, announced a change in office hours.

During the past few months, the office has been open to the public from 8:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. each Monday. According to Moellering, the reason for the extended hours was to take care of callers who could not come in during regular hours.

A need still exists for these extended hours, said Moellering. However, experience has shown that very few persons come in during the last hour. Therefore, the new Monday office hours will be from 8:30 a.m. until 7:30 p.m.

This change will be effective beginning January 9, 1967. Moellering said that there will be no change in the office hours from Tuesday through Friday. These will remain from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. daily.

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Poel's Corner

"My Front Porch Art Gallery"
By W. Gee Smith

Editor's note: The author of the poem is a former Sonoran, now living in Carlsbad, N. M. It was submitted by his niece, Tina Whitehead.

As I sit on my front porch, gazing up at the sky... I watch with awe, as the clouds float by... They look like lakes of silver, beautiful to behold... Suddenly the sun peeps through tinting them all with gold

I watch as they gather, far in the West... Out in front of the sun, as though they were putting it to rest... But the sun is not ready, to call it a day... With a mighty splurge of glory, he puts all the colors of the rainbow on display

You lose your breath, as you watch this painting unfold... You commit its beauty to memory... And will never find it on canvas, to be sold... As the sun sinks, you would think this Master Artist had shown His all

Not so, for as night closes in, and darkness begins to fall... The heavens come to life, with millions of twinkling stars... That dwarf your imagination they seem so close... You feel you could almost touch Mars

Out, of the east, you see a soft, mellow crimson glow... As the moon comes up, to put on its own magic show... The moon, the stars and the galaxy of the milky way are all on parade... Imagine your elation, when you view this color cascade

Complete this picture with a nice cozy porch swing... A pair of lovers, then listen to their hearts sing... They are so enthralled by the magic old moon... That they pledge their troth to a marriage real soon.

Now comes the most spectacular painting of them all... As the sun comes over the horizon, bringing forth another day... The mountain peaks light up first—the shadows

are gradually driven down to the valley and dale... Where even the dew drops look like diamonds

We do not see much beauty here... For we rush inside, sometimes in fear... Maybe our Master Artist is angry, because we failed to watch his beautiful display... And for awhile has hidden all his paintings away

But most of us will surely be looking... For His next astrophotography booking

The flowers, trees and grass, their colors now unveil... Impossible to describe this beauty, with words, brush, or pen... It is meant only for the eyes, the heart and the soul to see... Perhaps it's a hint of the hereafter to be...

A peek into heaven, as it were, to help us comprehend... If you are not convinced about my painting in the sky... Come sit on my porch with me just for one day and night... And watch the sun, the moon and the stars in their flight... I feel sure I will hear you say, I never saw these paintings before

And just think I only live next door... John Glenn saw all these paintings three times in one day... I wonder how he contained himself, and still had words to say... I need not, the learning, or knowledge of a scholar... Nor do I need the observatory of a famous astrologer

All I need is a chair on my front porch for my observations... My eyes to see with, my heart to feel with and my soul to absorb and contain the beauty of these fast changing constellations... Our artists never criticize these paintings and this is why... They all get their inspiration from these paintings in the sky

Now the picture changes, we have a stormy day... An angry cloud approaches, yes it is coming our way... The thunders roar, the lightning flashes... And often destroys beautiful things on earth with which it clashes

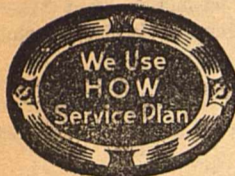
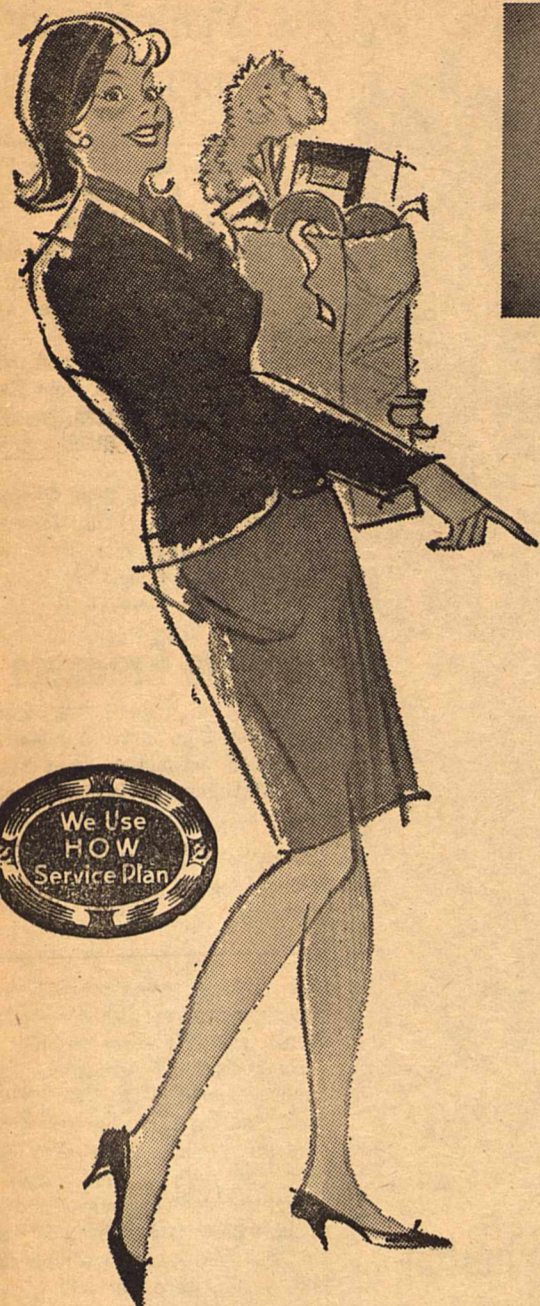


GROWING-UP COMFORT

How times have changed in electric heating—it's growing up! By the time this lad is 15 years old, according to Edison Electric Institute, there will be 19 million electrically heated homes in America. Just as the electric refrigerator replaced the icebox, electric heating is replacing tired, outmoded fuel systems. Electric heat is even from floor to ceiling. It is constant. And, it is safe—a clean break with the past.

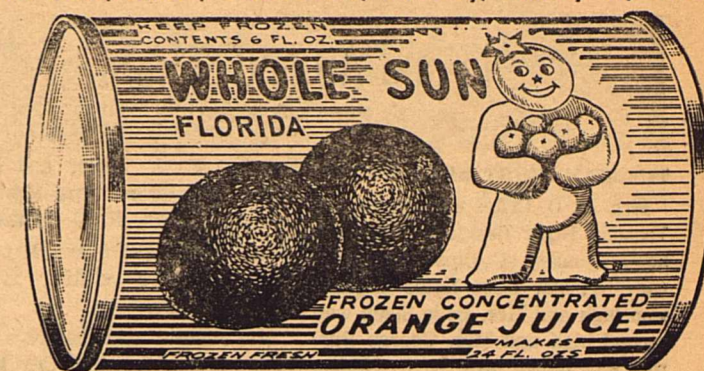
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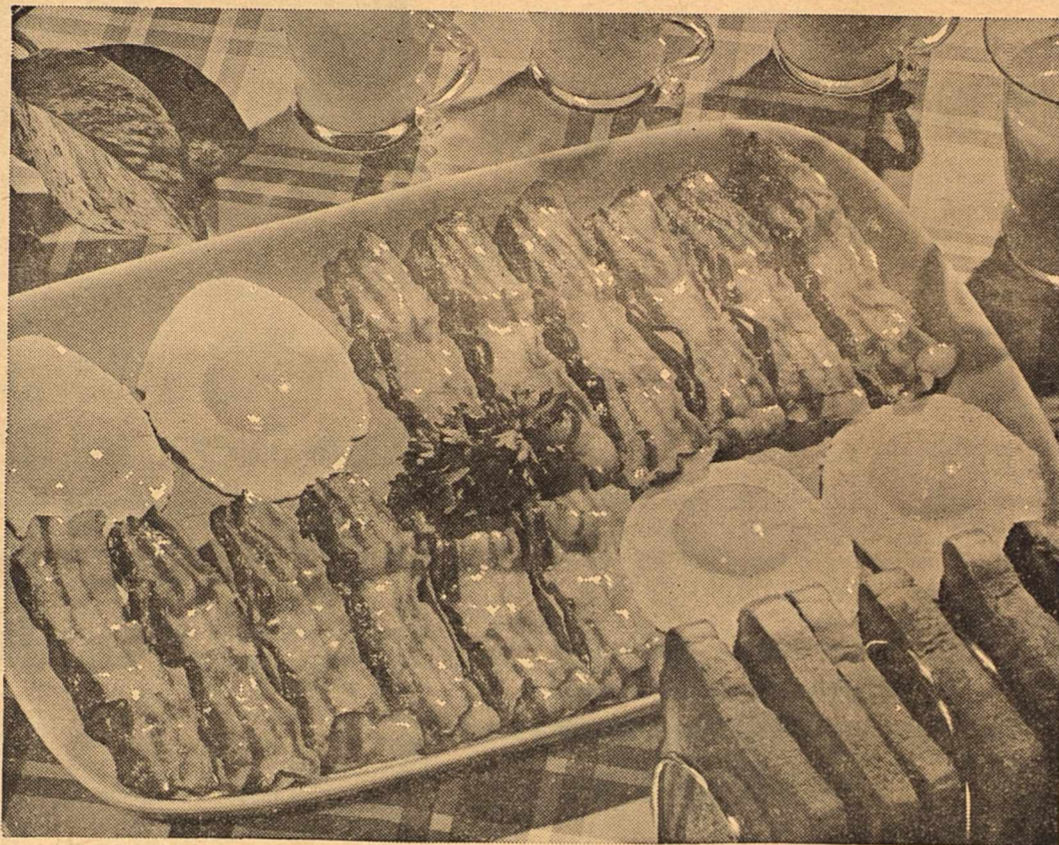
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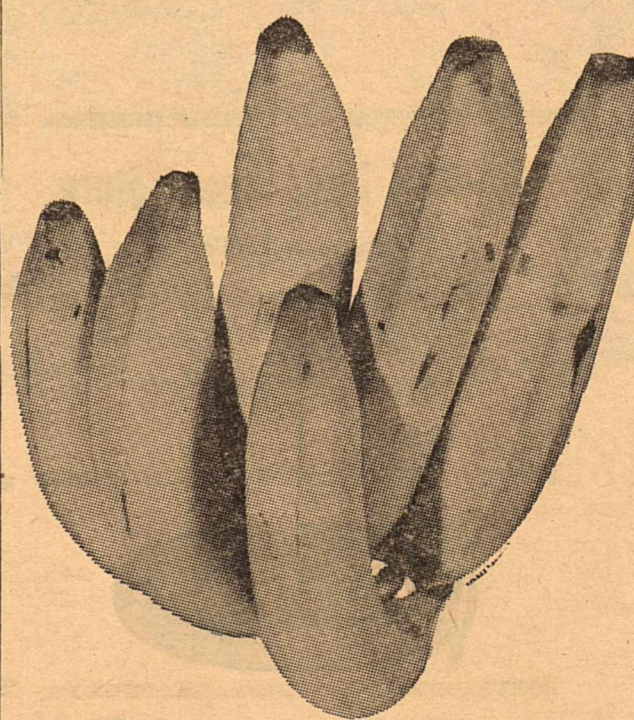
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In and Around Sonora

by Hazel McClelland

TUESDAY NIGHT BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. W. O. Crites entertained the Tuesday Night Bridge Club in her home January 2. Dips and coffee were served. Mrs. Louie Trainer won high and Mrs. Belle Steen won second high and Mrs. George Barrow won bingo. Mrs. R. G. Nance, a former member, now living in San Angelo won high guest. Members were Mmes. E. D. Shurley, Cleve Jones, Jr., Bob Vicars, Earl

Duncan, P. J. Taylor and L. E. Johnson Jr. Guests were Mrs. Leon Neely and Mrs. R. G. Nance.

Mrs. Willie Miers and Mrs. Mac Cauthorn were visiting in San Angelo Friday.

Bob Johnson and the Rev. Rollin Polk were in Colorado City Friday at a West Texas Chamber of Commerce meeting. The Rev. Polk showed slides of "operation sparkle" in Sonora.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. O. G. Babcock entertained the Thursday bridge club in her home January 5. Apple pie and coffee was served. Those present were Mmes. Dona Stites, Maysie Brown, Pearl Welch, Rose Thorp and Karen Peterson. Guests were Mrs. Belle Steen and Mrs. Robert Rees. Mrs. Karen Peterson won high club and Mrs. Belle Steen won high guest.

The Hospital Auxiliary met Monday, January 9, at Mrs. R. A. Halbert's home. There will be a Health Career program at Sonora High School in February. The speaker will be announced later. The next

meeting will be in February. There will be a project work shop February 27, at Mrs. O. G. Babcock's at 10 a.m. There were 18 members and one guest present. Hospital patients names were distributed to the members to be remembered by the Hospital Auxiliary.

JUST US CLUB

Mrs. G. H. Davis entertained the Just Us Club at her home January 6. Members present were Mrs. Cleve Jones, who won high. Mrs. Sim Glasscock, who binged, Mrs. Ed Mayfield, who won the cut prize, Mrs. George Wynn, Mrs. Thomas Morris and Mrs. R. A. Halbert. Guests were Mrs. Eulah

Newell, who won high, and Mrs. Belle Steen who won bingo.

MONDAY NIGHT BRIDGE CLUB

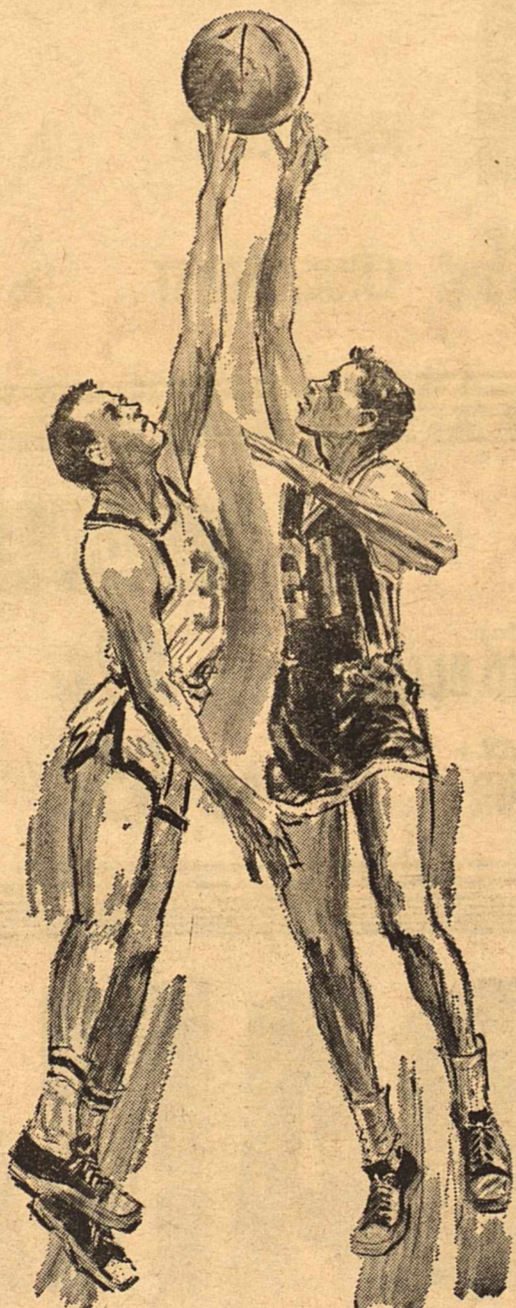
Mrs. Howard Kirby entertained the Monday Night Bridge Club at her home Monday January 9. Pie and coffee was served. Mrs. Duard Archer won high for club, and Mrs. Robert Kelley won second high for club, Mrs. Lossie Kelley binged and Mrs. Ted Letsinger won low. Other members were Mmes. Francis Archer, James Morris, Eulah Newell, L. E. Johnson Jr., Pauline Thompson and Collier Shurley. Guests were Mrs. R. A. Halbert, who won high and Mrs. Ernest McClelland.

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Saturday	Jan. 7		
Friday	Jan. 13	McCamey	There
Tuesday	Jan. 17	Ozona	There
Thursday	Jan. 19		
Friday	Jan. 20	OZONA TOURNAMENT	
Saturday	Jan. 21		
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Tuesday	Feb. 7	*Menard	There
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MRS. RICHARD CARL WHARTON

Melva Shroyer and Richard Wharton Marriage Ceremony in Junction

Miss Melva Ray Shroyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lew Shroyer of Roosevelt, and Richard Carl Wharton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jame Calvin Wharton of Temple, were married in the First Baptist Church in Junction on Saturday, January 7, at p.m. The Rev. E. B. McCowen of Abilene officiated. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

The bride wore a formal length dress of crystal white silk organza featuring lace applique, frosted with iridescent sequins on the bouffant skirt, which flowed into a chapel train. The bodice was highlighted by scalloped neckline and cap sleeves. The bridal bouquet was a white orchid with lily of the valley accents.

Mrs. R. D. Kothmann of Junction was the organist and Miss Shirley Haffowell of Temple, was the soloist. Attendants were the bride's sister-in-law Mrs. Dewey L. Shroyer of Lubbock, matron of honor, and bridesmaids were Miss Jeanette Truelove of Midland, and Miss Joyce Hearn. They wore formal length dresses of gold peau

de soie, featuring scalloped neckline with short sleeves and princess waistline.

William Retzlaff of Temple served as best man. Groomsmen were Joe Moore of Temple and Dewey Shroyer of Lubbock. Ushers were Larry Shroyer of Roosevelt and Roger Daniels of Temple.

The church was decorated with baskets of white gladiolas. The

Mrs. Smith Honored With Surprise Party

Mrs. Joe Neil Smith was honored with a surprise birthday party Friday, January 6, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ward.

The house was decorated with bouquets of mixed flowers and a two-tiered chocolate cake was served.

Guests played bridge and high score was won by Mrs. John Tedford. Mrs. John King won traveling prize and Mrs. W. T. Black won the bingo prize.

Other guests were John Tedford, John King, W. T. Black, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hugh Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lane.

Neely to Graduate

Among the record 774 degree candidates who have applied for mid-term graduation from Texas A & M University is Joe Preston Neely.

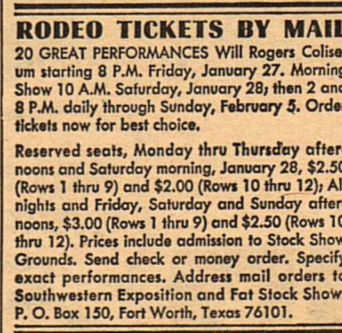
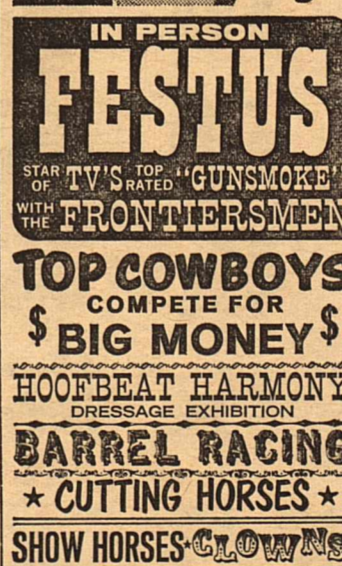
Neely will receive a Bachelor of Science degree in mechanical Engineering.

altar railing was covered with english ivy and candles were spaced evenly along the railing.

The reception following the ceremony was held in the Green Room of the church. The table was covered with a white linen cloth, and decorated with a centerpiece of miniature white carnations and lily of the valley flanked by gold candles. The four-tiered wedding cake and punch were served.

Serving at the reception were Mrs. Melton Flemming of Ft. McKavett, Mrs. Mike Martisan of Austin, Mrs. Dean Davis of Arington, Miss Debbie Low of Junction and Miss Annette Shroyer.

For traveling the bride wore a light blue wool knit suit with white and black accessories. After a wedding trip to San Antonio, the couple will be at home in Temple, where they are both employed by Scott and White Hospital.



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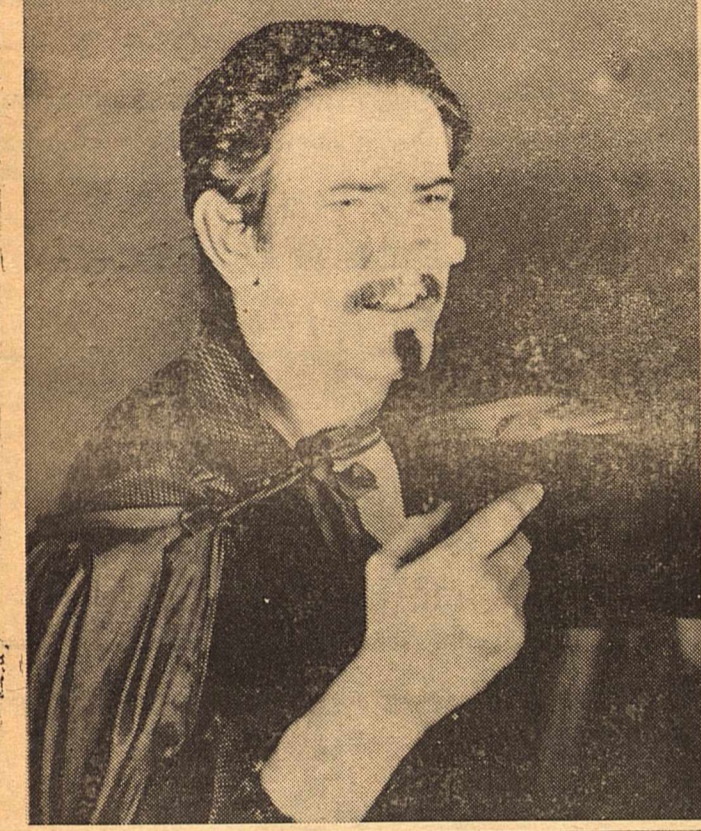
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CLYDE PHILLIPS, troupe director of the Inspiration Players, transforms himself into "Cyrano de Bergerac", to portray the main character in the classic play of the man with the longest nose in literature. "Cyrano" will be performed at First Methodist Church January 31 at 7:30 p.m. Earlier the same group will present the "Cat Princess" at the school auditorium at 2:15 p.m.



Professional Troupe To Perform Jan. 31

Are Court Jesters often really knighted? And is the face, or more accurately, the nose, a mirror of the soul?

The Inspiration Players, a professional touring troupe of performers will answer these questions in two different plays scheduled in Sonora, January 31.

The first, "Cat Princess" is a children's play which is suited to the youthful audience and contains subtle humor enjoyable to the adult. The play, with a mixture of a good princess, a bad witch and a good conspiracy between a jester and magician make the production suitable for all ages.

No sets and a minimum of props will be used.

Cost of admission will be 50 cents for adults, junior and senior high school students and 25 cents for elementary school children. The public is invited.

That night, at 7:30 in First Methodist Church, the group will present the classic story of the man with "the longest nose in classic literature", "Cyrano de Bergerac".

The Inspiration Players have made it their personal inspiration to return drama at its best to Houses of Worship. They perform their plays in the chancel, without sets or props, to ask the audience to accept secular drama and use their imaginations to compensate for lack of settings.

"Cyrano" provides all the elements necessary for a modern story... excitement, humor, beauty and poetry woven around a character whose life is climaxed with self sacrifice and ridicule. Like all the heroes, Cyrano rises above the burden of his ugly nose, saying, "...and tonight when I enter before God, one thing shall be without stain, unspotted from the world, and that is... my white plume."

The part of Cyrano is played by the troupe director, Clyde Phillips, actor-director, who has served in drama in the church for over eight years. Other performers are Steve Camp, Walter Hill, B. J. Gallow and Claudia Lauren. Each will portray two or three roles, a challenging opportunity for the serious actor.

The Inspiration Players are headquartered in Santa Monica, California.

A Parson's Eye View of Sonora

I shall forever hereafter walk the streets of Sonora with a new sense of appreciation for the business people of our community.

Because I had been well pleased with a similar performance in a South Texas church last winter and since residents of small towns seldom get to see professional actors, I had asked permission of my Official Board to sponsor The Inspiration Players at the end of the month.

My Board said, in effect, go ahead, but we prefer not to charge admission to anything given in the church. I promised to try to sell some program advertising to help cover the cost.

My friend, the Rev. D. G. Salter, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Eldorado, agreed to sponsor the performance of "Everyman" on Monday night, January 30. At the school, officials agreed to sponsor the Tuesday afternoon performance of "The Cat Princess", and charge a small admission.

I was faced with the problem of trying to raise the balance of the honorarium for a troupe of actors by a free—will offering in my church.

I decided, with some misgivings, to try to get some sponsors.

I knew the Christmas season had just passed—and how the successful football season had cut into the Christmas buying—and how the merchants get asked for donations at every turn. I really expected a series of, "I'm sorry's."

The task that I had dreaded so much turned into a pleasant experience. The only refusal I had after contacting 37 merchants was expressed in terms of sincere regret. I did not begin to get around, nobody was mean or nasty—many of them handed me generous checks with these words, "If this is not enough, come back again."

Before I knew it, I had enough money to pay the performers and the cost of printing the programs. Since this was not intended to be a money raising venture, I quit at that point.

This means that the school children will be privileged to see the performance at the high school auditorium without a charge. It will also mean that the church will not have to be burdened by the expense.

Now my only regret is that the church sanctuary is not larger than it is. Overwhelmed by your generosity, let me say to all who have supported this enterprise, "My sincerest thanks and come early to get a comfortable seat for the performance of "Cyrano."

Some of the high school seniors will probably want to go to Eldorado for the Monday night performance, since "Everyman" is a classic about which they have studied in English literature classes.

The public is invited to see "Cyrano"—we will bring in every chair possible.

Have you seen the new game called "Twister"? It is played on a tarp covered with bright spots. At command each player is supposed to place a hand or a foot on one of the bright spots as directed. It would be difficult to imagine two human torsos in the positions this game places them after a few plays.

Work started Monday on the installation of tone cabinets behind and above the choir loft in the Methodist Church in preparation for installing the new electric organ purchased recently in San Antonio.

Refinishing the interior of the sanctuary, including wall-to-wall carpeting, respacing the pews and painting the walls and ceiling will not be started until after the spring revival, April 9-16.

The Fellowship (young adult) Sunday School Class has reserved the Bowling Lanes in Ozona for Thursday night, January 26. Child care will be provided at the Methodist Church. Departure time is 6 p.m. and sack lunches are optional.

Youth Enlists In Marine Corps

Samuel Vasquez, son of Mr. Sylvestre Vasquez of Eldorado, was enlisted in the Marine Corps today, his recruiter Gunnery Sgt Val Vasquez has announced.

Prior to joining the Marines, Sammy attended school in Eldorado.

He joined the Marines via the 120 day delay program which enables him to postpone his date of departure for recruit training and active duty up to 120 days. He will begin his active duty April 27.

This program has an added financial benefit because a serviceman's first pay raise is at the end of four months time—active or inactive duty.

He is scheduled for eight weeks of boot camp at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, Calif., followed by advanced training at Camp Pendleton, Calif., before he returns home on leave.

merely a number, and if that social security number by your name gets credited with an income figure it had better show on your return.

I rue the day when we shall cease to be identified by names and are known only as "My dear X-4,000."

In similar vein—The Postmaster tells me that it is increasingly important that you learn and use Zip Code numerals with your mailings. It is practically a must with lower than first class mail already.

With the advent of direct distance dialing on our telephone—if you can keep enough numbers in mind, you can call Joe's Diner in Spokane as easily as in Sonora. The number racket is taking over. Highways are designated by numerals. The day may come when I shall have to say, "Y-983, I baptize thee in the name of the holy One."

For now it is "30."

Youth is the time to be free and relax, Before hands are calloused and there are painful backs; Before little feet start to follow your tracks, And you have to start dreading the income tax. Speaking of income taxes, the computer age has caught up with us. If you have money in a savings account, you had better report it just as the agency reports it to you, because they have so reported it to "Uncle" and it is already down against your name. To "Uclee" you are not a person,

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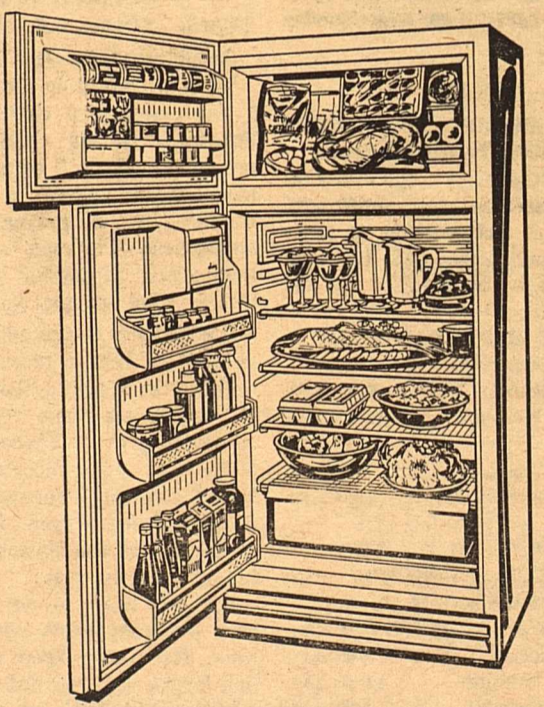
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Shafer-Cahill Engagement Announced

The engagement of Miss Ruth Harper Shafer to Carl James Cahill Jr. has been announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pressly Shafer Jr. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Cahill.

The wedding date has been set for 8 p.m. Saturday, January 28, at the First Presbyterian Church in San Antonio. Miss Shafer is a graduate of Alamo Heights High School in San Antonio and of Stephens Junior College in Columbia, Missouri. She is currently a senior in Texas Technological College in Lubbock. Cahill was graduated from Sonora High School and is a January candidate for graduation in industrial management from Texas Technological College.

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The check-sized income report cards, enclosed with the November pension checks, must be filled out and returned to the VA by January 31 or payment of the pension will be stopped, Mr. Mims reminded. The law requires that payments be stopped if income is not reported.

The income questionnaires are going to all veterans and dependents of deceased veterans on VA's non-service-connected pension rolls, and to parents of deceased veterans who are receiving dependency and indemnity payments.



CHERRIE LEE DAVIS

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Davis Jr. of Mission are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Cherrie Lee, to Leo James Wilson Jr. son of Mrs. James Wilson. Miss Davis attended Sharyland High School and will attend high school in Lubbock. Wilson, a graduate of Sonora High, is a sophomore at Texas Tech in Lubbock. A January wedding is planned at the First Baptist Church in Mission.

Teen Scene

by Margaret Bundy



Hello again! It certainly has been colder this week. Did you all see that poor frozen gold fish in the fish pond at school?

Speaking of cold weather, Robert Brown has a new air-conditioner for his car (and in this weather!) The front door is gone!!

Several kids plan to go to San Angelo Saturday and take their S.A.T. tests. Among these are Chris Berger, Laney Cook, and Bert Bloodworth. Good luck, boys!

The Volleyball girls have started practicing. It was a surprise to see so many Freshmen participate this year. Mrs. Stanley coaches the team and Tonye Smith and Jackie Cargill are the managers. Here's wishing them good luck for this season!

Best-groomed students were announced last week. Selected from the Freshman class were Kathy Morgan and Dick Bundy. From the Sophomore class were Mark Jacoby and Shelley Morris. Chosen from the Junior class were Linda McBride and Mike Gosney.

From the Senior class, Nedra Raye and Jim Fish were selected. These students are picked by the teachers to be honored for being generally well groomed.

Several college kids were home for the weekend. Among these were Mike Wuest, Jack Hearn, Joyce Hearn, Billy Sam Chadwick, Ray Glasscock, Anita Bassham, and Dick Hearn. Keith Nolan, from Uvalde, was here visiting friends.

The Broncos participated in a tournament last weekend. Friday night they lost to Brady. They again lost to the Midland Junior Varsity. The team did, however, win a huge trophy for consolation runner-up.

The 4-H Club will hold a stock show this weekend.

That's all for this week except to wish the Broncos good luck in their game with McCamey, Friday.

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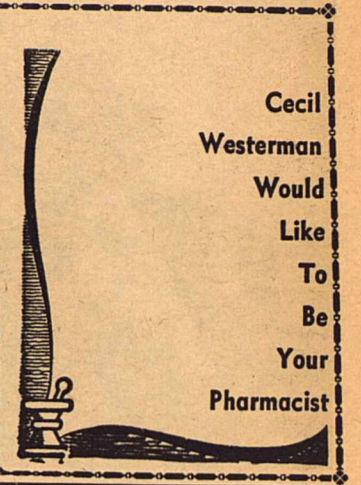
Miss Browne Visits

Miss Brenda Browne, boarding student at Radford School for Girls in El Paso, spent the holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Charles F. Browne. Miss Browne, a sophomore, resumed her classes at Radford January 3.

P.F.C. James Stewart of Fort Sam Houston spent the Christmas holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart Sr. The family visited relatives in Levelland. Stewart returned to base January 3.

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Olson Family Visits

Mr. and Mrs. Myron D. Olson have been visiting with Mrs. Olson's sister, Mrs. Mandy Simmons, for the holidays.

The Olson family has recently returned from a tour of duty with the Air Force in Germany. This was their first visit to Sonora in nine years.

Also visiting with Mrs. Simmons is another sister, Mrs. Bert Potts of Monahans.

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YOUR MINISTER SAYS

by Rev. Rodney C. Dowdy
First Baptist Church
TEACH YOURSELF TO PRAY

Scripture: Luke 11: 1 - ff
While a student in the seminary I was pastor of a church in east Texas and as our church service progressed along I called upon a man in the church to lead the congregation in prayer. To my amazement the man spoke and said aloud, "Preacher you pray, that is what we pay you to do."

The disciples requested that Jesus teach them how to pray, therefore we have the beautiful "Lord's Prayer" which we have repeated in unison many times. There are many prayers of Jesus recorded in the New Testament. Before every great decision Jesus prayed. It is good for us to seek the Master in teaching us how to pray.

But we need to be reminded that we must teach ourselves to pray. Too many expect our heads and hearts to be opened and prayer "poured" into the cavity. A teacher can guide and encourage, but the pupil must exert energy and initiative. Several years ago when I was pastor of a small rural church in that congregation there were two men who wanted

to learn how to play musical instruments. So they purchased violins and guitars with the instructions from a mail order house. Although they never had a formal lesson in music, they were able to teach themselves by following the directions.

If we would follow the instructions of God's word and the examples of Jesus, we too could teach ourselves to pray. Man was created for God, and only in fellowship with God can we find fullness of life.

May we suggest five ways to learn to pray. First you must learn by doing. Jesus said pray in secret and I will reward thee openly. Paderewski, the great musician, made this observation. "If I fail to practice one day I notice it; if I fail two days my family notices it. If I miss the third day friends observe it and if I miss a week the audience knows it." As Christians when we fail to pray we lose power with God and with man.

The second way to learn to pray is to pray with others. Pray with others as prayer teams or as prayer partners. The family should pray together. Attend church wor-

ship and join in the prayers with the congregation and minister. The third suggestion is to learn from the scriptures. Observe the many prayers found both in the Old and New Testament. Take note of the planned time for praying and the times for spontaneous prayers. Analyse the prayers for content and structure.

Another suggestion is to read and study prayers recorded in various books. Those which are written in books are usually constructed in the best grammar and word choice. Also you will find a definite direction of thought in these prayers.

The last suggestion for teaching yourself to pray is for you to seek guidance from the Holy Spirit. One of the reasons why God gives the Holy Spirit to dwell in our hearts is so that He may teach us to pray.

What a friend we have in Jesus, All our sins and griefs to bear! What a privilege to carry everything to God in prayer! O what peace we often forfeit, O what needless pain we bear, All because we do not carry everything to God in prayer!

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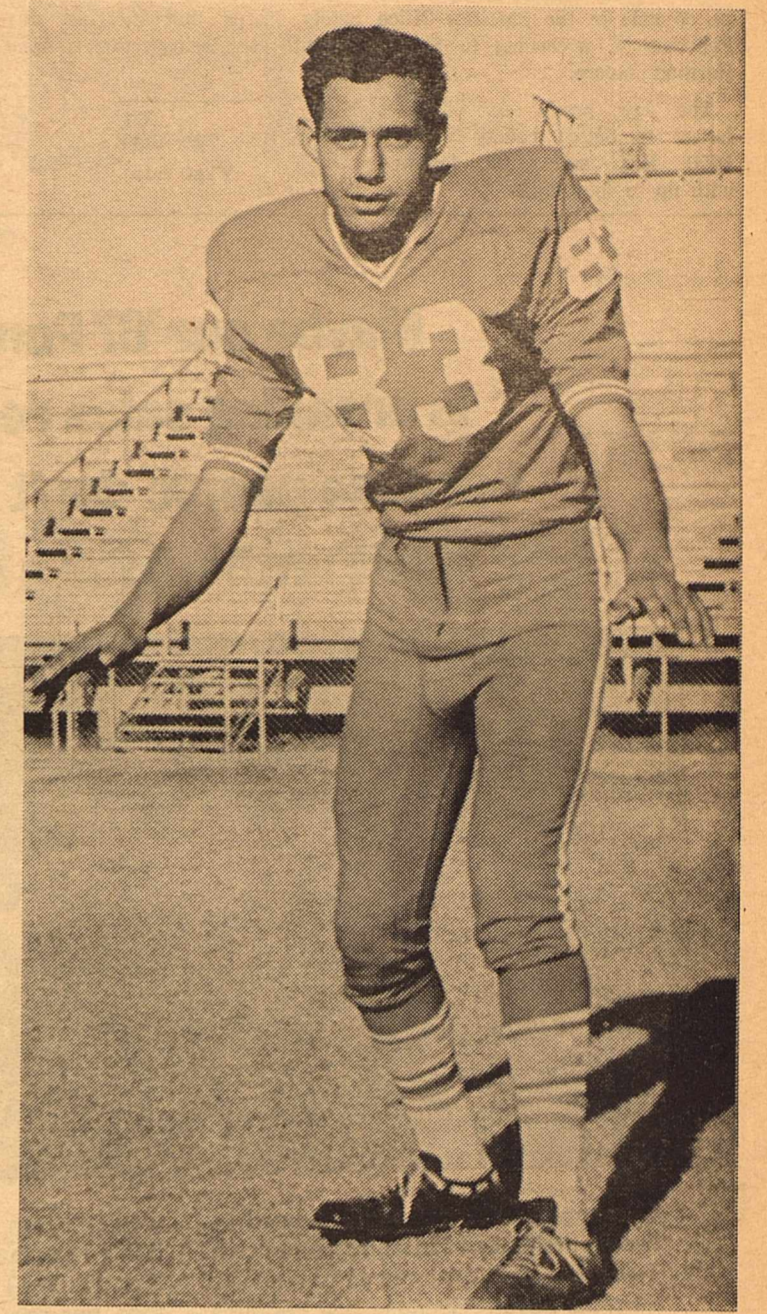
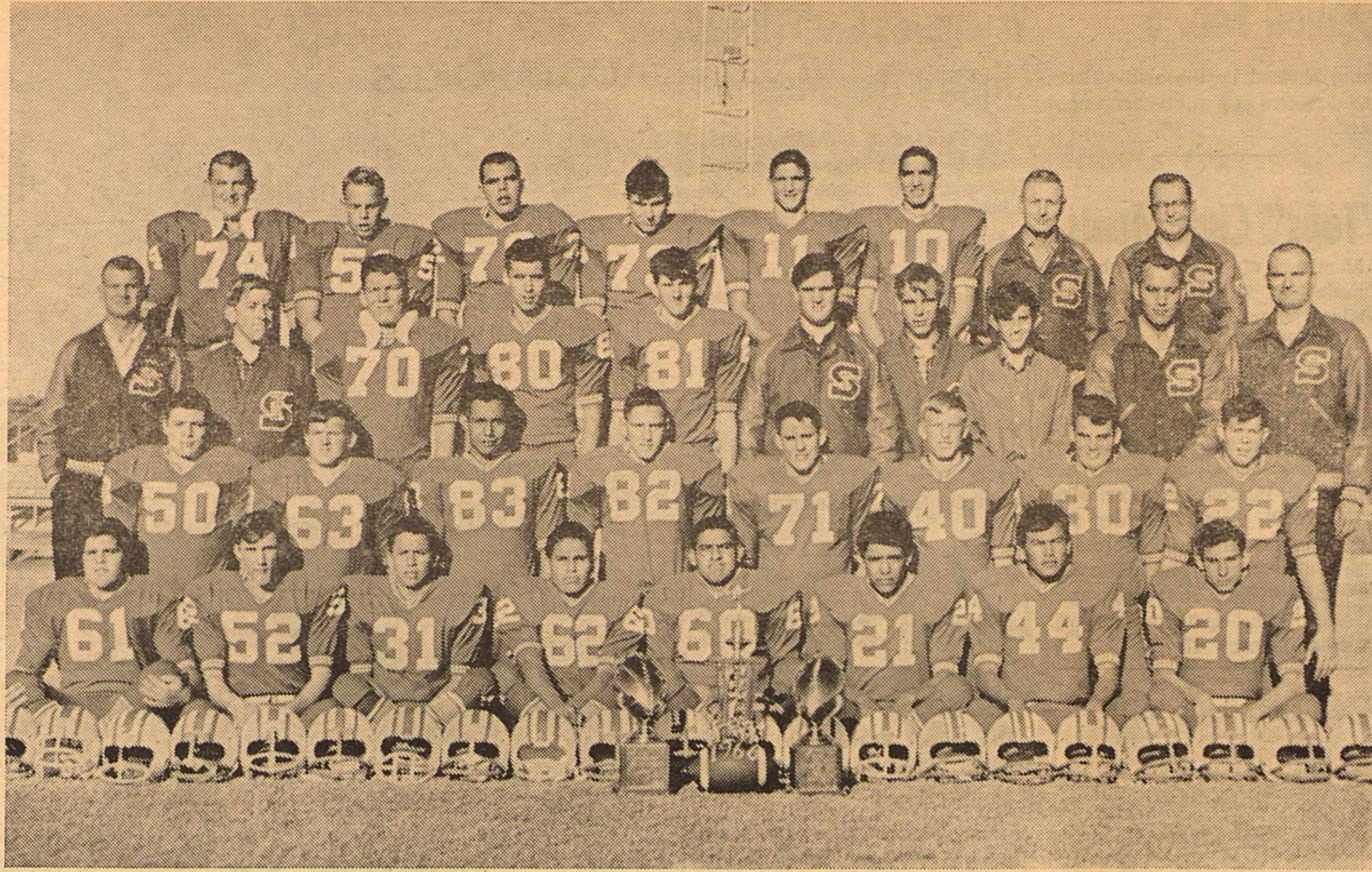
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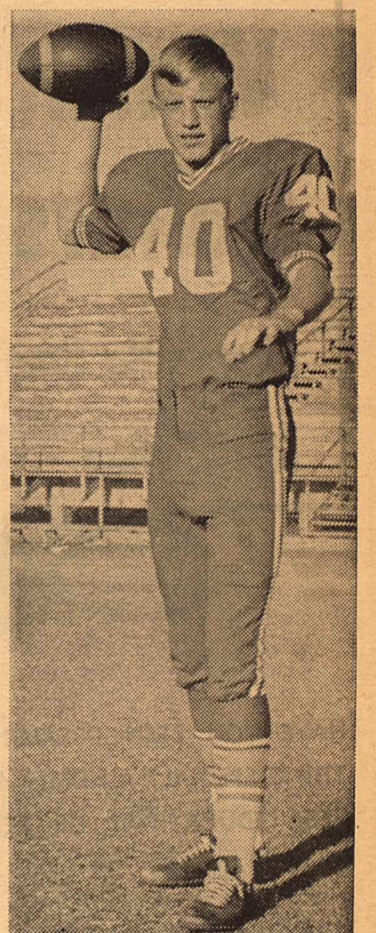
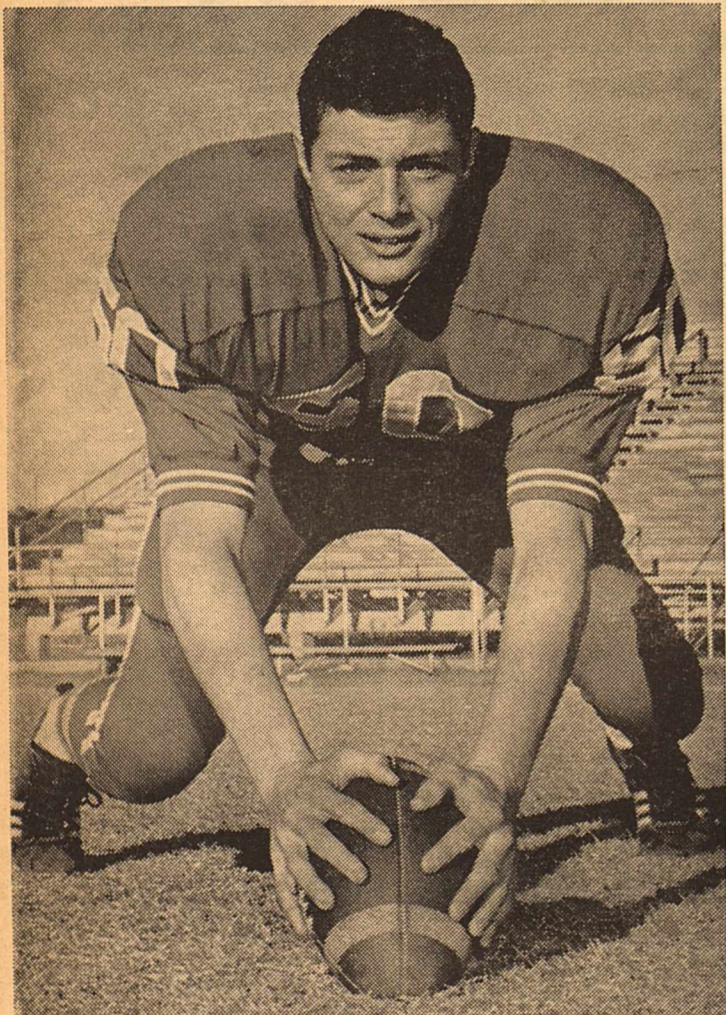
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Automobile license plates will go on sale in the Sheriff's Office February 1, according to Sheriff Herman Moore.

The new prefix for licenses issued to Sutton county will be HKB, HKC and HKD, followed with up to four digits.

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Booster Banquet Scheduled Feb. 6

The annual football banquet sponsored by the Bronco Booster Club has been set for February 6.

Guest speaker for the occasion will be the head football coach of Texas A&M University, Gene Stallings.

Other details of the event are

Woman's Club Holds Library Day Meeting

The Federation and Library Day meeting of the Sonora Woman's Club was held January 5, at the clubhouse.

Guest speaker for the event was Mrs. Lewis Hale of Christoval, president of the Heart of Texas District.

Program hostesses were Mmes. Harold Schwiening, Bill Morriss, Glen Richardson, W. L. Whitehead and Miss Annella Stites.

The devotional was presented by Mrs. Rodney Dowdy and Mrs. Ben Cusenbary lead the Federation collect.

"Tops" Club Meets

Members of "Tops" Club met Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the First National Bank Building.

Gifts were exchanged and secret pals revealed.

Mrs. George Barrows installed newly elected officers. Mrs. Clayton Hamilton was installed as leader, Mrs. Dick Black as co-leader, Mrs. A. C. Hudson, treasurer, Mrs. T. K. Nevill, weight recorder and Mrs. Charles Howard, secretary.

The club meets each Tuesday night and visitors are encouraged to attend. The next meeting will be held January 17.

Sonora School Board Holds Meeting Mon.

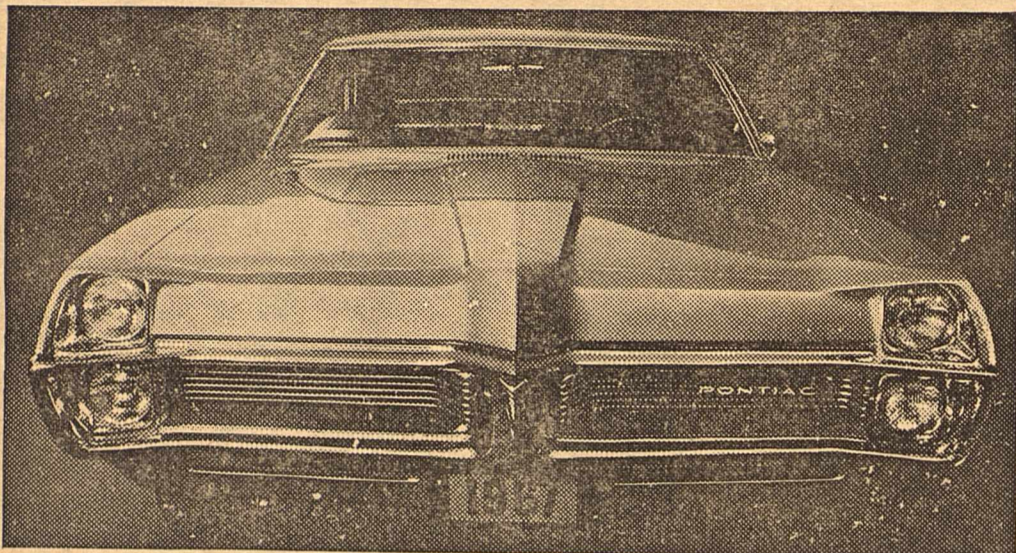
The School Board met Monday January 9, for their regular business meeting.

The architect visited with Board members and their approval was asked and made for final payment for re-modeling the high school.

Ray Dunlap was hired as a clerk of the works in the new building program.

Rex Lowe, superintendent, discussed the minimum wage law and fair labor standard act with the Board members.

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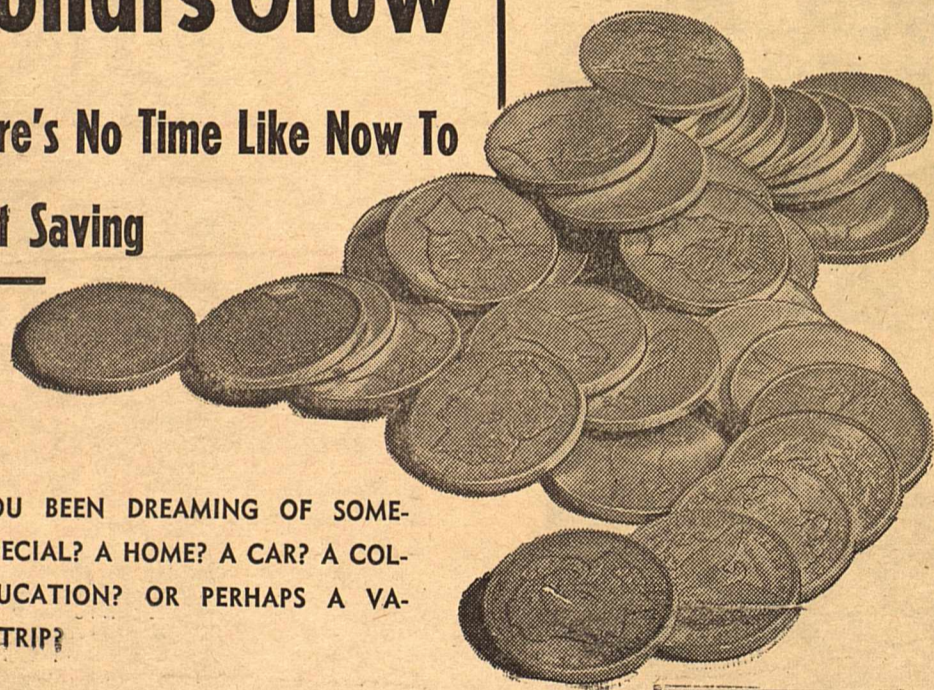


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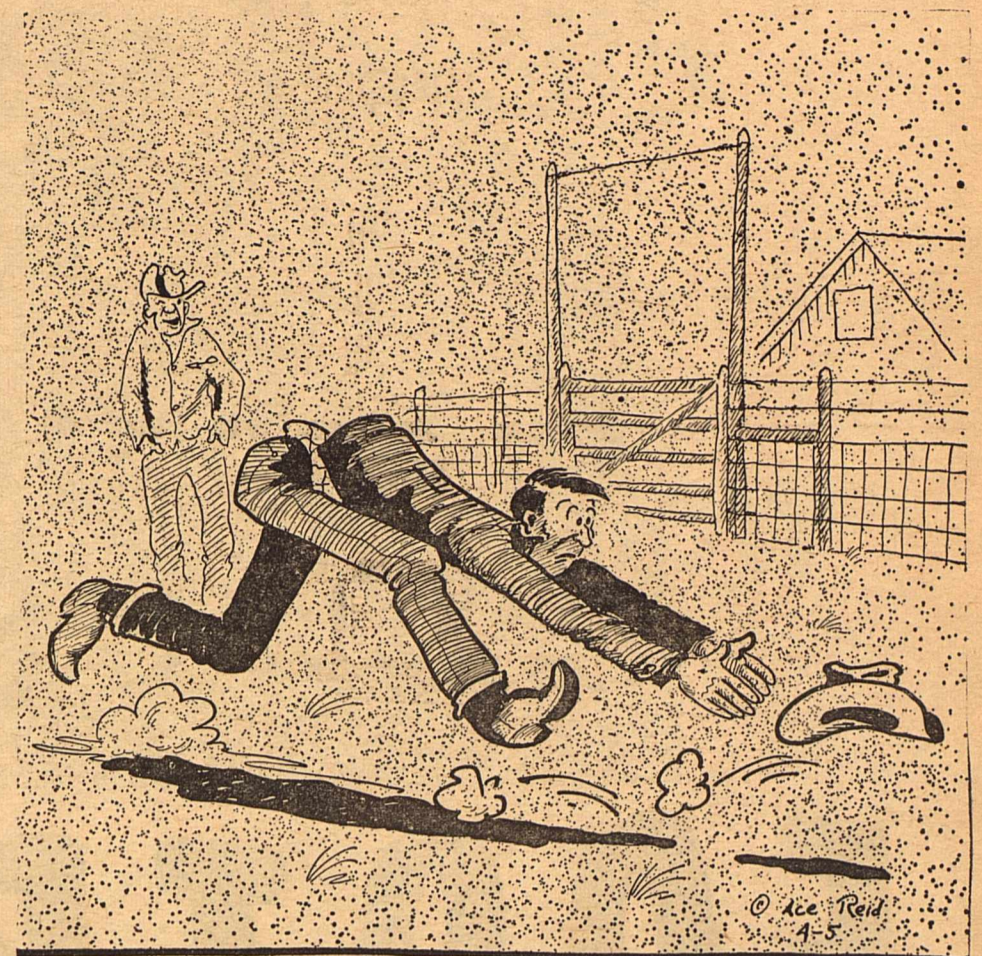
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