

The Devil's River News
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Argument for Strict Enforcement

The Texas Legislature has taken several giant steps to combat the ever increasing number of deaths on the highways. Laws can be made with fearful penalties but mean little if not enforced adequately. Enforcement is the element of the problem which needs to be attacked. Will a powerful penalty be enough if the law is not enforced? For speeders, the law should be applied to those who only slightly exceed the limits set as it is for the grossest of violators. Even a mild penalty can be a deterrent when it is assessed unyieldingly.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

- Saturday, September 2**
2-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open
- Sunday, September 3**
Services at the church of your choice
- Monday, September 4**
8:30 a.m., City Commissioners meeting at City Hall
7:30 p.m., Booster Club meeting in school cafeteria
8 p.m., Elks Club meeting at Elks Lodge
- Tuesday, September 5**
First day of school
12 noon, Downtown Lions Club meeting in Fellowship Hall of First Methodist Church
- Wednesday, September 6**
3-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open
10 a.m.-4 p.m., Open House at the West Texas Utilities office

A Public Museum

The mania to legislate out of existence every known hazard to life presents a depressing spectacle. In such an atmosphere, daily existence becomes an endless routine of small issues fomented by small men. Instances of inspiration are rare, so when one comes along it is received with open arms. Such an instance was the announcement, a short time ago, of the opening of the Chester W. Nimitz Memorial Naval Museum at Fredericksburg.

Fleet Admiral Chester Nimitz, the great Naval leader of World War II, was born in Fredericksburg. His grandfather had come to the United States seeking the freedom and opportunity that Europe with its kings denied.

The Museum that bears Admiral Nimitz's name was started by a group of public spirited citizens. They hope that it will help bring home to Americans how much those who went before them sacrificed that we might live in freedom.

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Legal Notice

Notice is hereby given that the Budget for 1968 will be considered by the Commissioners Court at the Court House on September 11, 1967, at 9:00 o'clock A.M.

J. W. Elliott, County Judge 1c51

MCGILVRAY ON HONOR ROLL

Gary McGilvray, University of Texas engineering student, was on the second semester honor roll of the College of Engineering. A former "Devil" employee, McGilvray will return to Austin this fall as a sophomore.

First Lt. Frank L. Bond, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond, left Monday for a tour of duty in Korea with the Army Medical Corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Finklea have returned from a month-long visit in Europe. They toured Eng-

CANDY
BY TOM DORR

from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

August 29, 1957
Miss Ethel Alley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Alley, left Wednesday for Saudi Arabia, where she will spend two years teaching school.

September 3, 1937
More than 1,200 soldiers of the U. S. Army's 7th Cavalry will stop in Sonora next week enroute from Fort Bliss in El Paso to Fort Sam Houston. They will camp on a portion of the athletic field.

Five Sutton County ranchers have purchased 820 pounds of Italian rye grass seed and will plant it on their ranches as an experiment in securing grass for winter grazing.

Five hundred kids bought by R. A. Halbert from Sol Mayer and Son, were delivered last week at a price of four dollars a head.

65 Years Ago
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fields and children were in from the ranch Saturday and had their photos taken.

William Adams, millionaire sheep man, was in Sonora several days this week and paid the devil his dues.

Take your buckets to the Sonora Restaurant for hot chili for family use.

A PARSON'S EYE-VIEW OF SONORA

BY THE REV. ROSS T. WELCH

Maybe I got carried away with the idea of writing about our European tour. The boss suggested I had better return to the local scene. After all most people are primarily interested in what has happened to them and their friends.

So—you will be happy to hear that Libbye Jo Lowe was making good recovery Monday following surgery last week. She hopes to be able to return to Sonora pronto. And we all sincerely hope for her a quick and complete restoration to health.

Also we can report Wesley Granger in mighty good spirits as he waits for bones to mend in the local hospital.

The only disappointing word we heard about the Bosch-Shurley wedding last Saturday night came from one of my good Methodist members. And that had to do only with the ice water in the champagne fountain.

We thought the church lawn made a beautiful spot for the reception.

It must have been a rather frightening experience when a flash of lightning in a recent electrical storm blew out the panel board at the utilities office.

The Bill Tittles returned Monday from a fishing weekend trip to the Devil's River where they had disappointing results.

Had a nice visit with a friend whom we knew at both New Braunfels and Devine, Jimmy Pentacost, who is here to install the watering system for the golf course. He does lawn sprinkling systems also.

One sunny afternoon in New York City we were riding a slow lumbering bus out to the cloisters on the tip of Manhattan Island. The bus was half loaded with drowsy commuters returning to their homes, when the driver suddenly shouted, "Up with the windows!" The men aboard sprang into action and none too soon.

Some street urchins had succeeded in getting the plug loose on the fire hydrant by the sidewalk. They had an empty can with both ends cut out and were giving every passing vehicle a good shower as they directed the stream of water toward the passing traffic. At least the boys were sporting enough not to ask for a tip for washing your car.

Most of the motorists took it good naturedly and the half naked

The Devil's River Philosopher sez: People Are Better Off Than They Think

Editor's note: The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitterweed ranch on Dry Devil's River gets into some high finance, his letter this week reveals.

Dear editor:

According to a copy of a newspaper I found in the same ditch alongside the road out here near this bitterweed ranch yesterday with a note on it saying "I'm temporarily out of tin cans and bottles but will try to bring you some more next week," the cost of living index has gone up a few more points.

Talking about this, a neighbor of mine said he just didn't see how he was going to make it, every time he turns around things have gone up.

I agreed with him, to save an argument, but didn't tell him his trouble is he doesn't read the newspapers thoroughly enough.

For example, in the same issue was an article reporting that space suits astronauts will wear when they land on the moon will cost \$60,000 apiece.

I got to thinking about this and decided my neighbor doesn't know how well off he is.

What if he was living on the moon with a wife and two kids? Did you know it would cost him \$240,000 just to outfit his family in one suit apiece? And that just covers standard suits. Women's moon suits naturally will cost more, when you figure in the sequins and the lace. And think what it would cost Bobby Kennedy.

When you get down to figuring the other costs, say imported oxygen for the average family at \$15,000 a month, rocket-delivered water at \$500 a gallon, a 200-pound kitchen stove delivered from earth at a cost of \$30,000, plus installation and possible moon sales tax, not to mention the weekly grocery bill which, considering how many food-laden rockets from earth will mis-fire and splatter on Venus or sail off into space indefinitely, will run I'd say around \$20,000 for each trip to the store, provided you use lots of meat substitutes or buy the cheaper cuts, you can begin to see what the high cost of living really means.

All in all, I figure anybody making less than five million dollars a year can't afford to live on the moon, and that doesn't include deductions for Social Security and Withholding.

Me and my neighbor may be a lot better off down here on earth than we figured.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Some spectators expressed disappointment with the Big Lake scrimmage session, but a great many things have to be taken into consideration. We trust the boys will give it their best and when the season is ended Coach Hopkins will not be sorry he stayed here, when he must have had some attractive offers from other schools.

Miss Marie Watkins, formerly choir director at the Methodist Church, served as pianist for the Sunday morning service.

If Jimmy Harris had to pay for all the advice he is getting free of charge since he was named city manager, he could hardly afford to take the job.

When I asked School Superintendent Ralph Finklea about the progress on the new school buildings, he replied off the cuff, "We hope to get into them by November."

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Capital NEWS
By VERN SANFORD

Texas Department of Public Safety has issued a grim warning that 45 people will die in state traffic accidents during the Labor Day weekend.

DPS will make an all-out effort to curb wrecks and to stop reckless and illegal driving on the highways, says Col. Homer Garrison Jr., veteran director of the law enforcement agency.

Approximately 150 uniformed officers from other services will supplement the regular highway patrol force for the long holiday period Friday, September 1 through Monday, September 4.

SMITH IS RUNNING—Lt. Gov. Preston Smith broke open the 1968 political season by telling reporters he will run for governor next year regardless of whether Gov. John Connally plans to try for a fourth term.

"I want to make it clear once and for all that I am running," Smith said. "I have absolutely no idea what Governor Connally will do, and it doesn't make one iota of difference."

However, the Lieutenant Governor insisted that he would not make a formal announcement of his candidacy, complete with definition of issues, until Connally returns around Labor Day from his African Safari.

House Speaker Ben Barnes has indicated he will run for lieutenant governor if Connally seeks a fourth term.

Former Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr also expressed some interest in the lieutenant governor's race. But he emphasized that he had not made a definite decision.

Another prospective candidate for lieutenant governor is State Sen. Murray Watson of Waco.

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Frontier Festival Planned in Harper

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The show will feature events in bull riding, calf roping, bareback bronco riding, barrel racing and team tying. A calf scramble for children through age 12 will also be featured.

First place winners in each contest will win gold and silver belt buckles.

The event will begin each night with a barbeque at 6 p.m., followed by the rodeo at 8 p.m. A dance at the open air pavilion will be held each night at 10 p.m.

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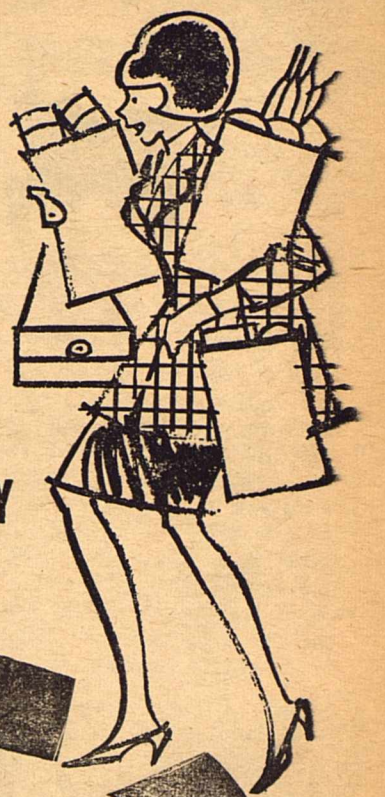
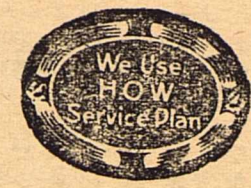
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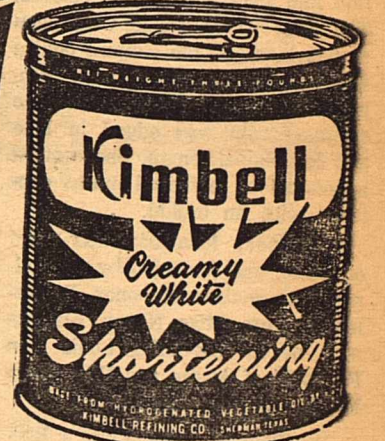


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Judith Ann McWhorter, John Paul Friess Married in Austin Methodist Ceremony

Miss Judith Ann McWhorter became the bride of John Paul Friess Saturday evening, August 26, in Memorial Methodist Church, Austin, with the Rev. Milton Dare, officiating.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. M. L. McWhorter of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Friess.

The bride wore a formal length gown of white silk organza and lace, designed with a scoop neckline and long pedal point sleeves. The skirt was overlaid with pearl tulle and the Empire bodice was emphasized with a pearl trimmed lace motif. The detachable circular train was edged in lace and fell chapel length. She carried a bouquet of feathered mums centered with an orchid.

Miss Mary Moorman was maid of honor and Mrs. Bobby D. Palmer was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Nancy Blasingame of Claude, Miss Louis Ann Franzetti of Austin and Mrs. Charles E. King of Lubbock.

The maid of honor wore a floor length gown of maise silk chiffon styled with a rounded neckline, short puffed sleeves and a slim skirt. A band of mimosa satin and a back bow and streamers emphasized the empire bodice. The bridesmaids and matron of honor wore identical styled gowns in mimosa chiffon and satin. Their headpieces were a Dior bow of mimosa satin and they carried bouquets of yellow and bronze pom mums backed with green leaves.

Franciel Friess of San Angelo and Paula Friess were flower girls and wore dresses identical to the one worn by the maid of honor.

Methodist Candlelight Services Unite Derry Kay Shurley, Lt. John V. Bosch Jr.

Miss Derry Kay Shurley and Lt. John V. Bosch Jr., were married Saturday, August 26, in the First Methodist Church by the Rev. Ross T. Welch, pastor, in a candlelight ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Mrs. Edgar Derry Shurley and the late Mr. Shurley. The bridegroom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. John V. Bosch of Fulton, Missouri.

The bridegroom was graduated from Fulton High School and Westminister College. He received a B. A. degree in business administration at Westminister where he was a member of Kappa Alpha social fraternity. He is presently serving in the U. S. Army as an Air Defense Artillery Director in the 20th NORAD Division at Truax Field in Madison, Wisconsin.

Mrs. Bosch is 1963 graduate of Sonora High School and is a senior student at the University of Texas at El Paso where she is majoring in elementary education. She is a member of the Student Senate and Delta Delta Delta social sorority. She attended William Woods Junior College in Fulton, where she was a member of the Student Senate and secretary and president of the Aquaquetts.

Musicians for the ceremony were Miss Marie Watkins of San Angelo, organist, and Warren C. Hemphill, soloist.

Miss Karen Kimball of El Paso served as maid of honor with junior bridesmaid, Rachael Shurley of Marfa, niece of the bride.

Bridesmaids were Miss Nancy Cottle of El Paso, Mrs. Jack Graves of Austin and Miss Patricia Shurley of Marfa. The bridesmaids wore identical dresses of willow green linen and carried a single yellow rosebud with velvet streamers.

Kelly Ward was flower girl and Gus Ward was ring bearer.

Attending his brother as best man was Larry Gordon Bosch of Fulton. Groomsmen and ushers were Marshall Medlin of Tulsa, Oklahoma, William F. Weaver Jr. of Waxahachie, Michael B. Shurley of Marfa, Harold A. Robb of Dallas, Jack Graves of Austin and Wesley Sawyer.

Lighting the candles were Richard K. Bosch brother of the bridegroom, of Fulton, and Scott Shurley, cousin of the bride.

The reception following the ceremony was in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church. Members of the house party were Mrs. Turney Friess, Mrs. Joe Friess of San Angelo, Waco, Mrs. Louis Franzetti, Mrs. Joe C. Franzetti, Miss Debbie Boyd, Miss Christy Hobbs, all of Austin and Miss Kim Kochanek of Waco.

The bride is a graduate of Lamesa High School and is a senior elementary education major at Texas Technological College.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Sonora High School and is a senior geophysics major at Texas Technological College.

After a wedding trip to Colorado, the couple will be at home at 2105 8th street in Lubbock.

Guests were registered from Sonora, Waco, Lamesa, Uvalde, San Antonio, Georgetown, San Angelo and Quemado.

arrangement of stephanotis and English ivy.

The church was decorated with bouquets of white stock and baby's breath. Fern palm trees were also used in the decorations.

For the reception on the church lawn the bride's table featured the four-tiered wedding cake.

Coffee and cake were served at the bridegroom's table. Red roses were used as the floral centerpiece.

Members of the house party for the reception were Mrs. Billy R. Shurley of Marfa, Mrs. W. F. Weaver Sr., of Snyder, Mrs. E. B. Tipton Jr. of Houston, Mrs. M. G. Shurley of Christoval, Mrs. David Shurley of Presidio, Miss Hilde Tipton of Houston, Mrs. W. F. Weaver Jr. of Waxahachie, Miss Linda Bosch of Huntington Valley, Pa., Mrs. Ronald J. Cox of Austin, Miss Shannon Smyrl and Miss Susan Smyrl of Jacksonville, Mrs. Jack David Wardlaw of San Angelo, and Mrs. Collier Shurley, Mrs. Edwin Sawyer, Mrs. Cleve T. Jones, Mrs. Pat Cooper, Mrs. Vestel Askew, Mrs. J. A. Ward Jr., Mrs. Belle Steen, Mrs. Dantes Reiley, Mrs. Nolan Johnson, Mrs. Ervin Willman, Mrs. Earl Duncan, Mrs. James T. Hunt, Mrs. A. E. Prugel, Mrs. O. G. Babcock, Mrs. Bryan Hunt, Mrs. Carl J. Cahill, Mrs. Jimmy Cahill, Mrs. L. E. Johnson Jr., Mrs. Mickey Powers, Miss Linda McBride and Miss Betty Jack Cooper.

Out of town guests included the bride's grandmother, Mrs. E. B. Tipton, Sr., of Jacksonville and Mr. and Mrs. George J. Klink of Cranston, Rhode Island, grandparents of the bridegroom. Other guests attending were from Waco, Midland, Wewoka, Oklahoma, Fort McKavett, Uvalde, Montgomery, Alabama, and San Angelo.

Dr. and Mrs. John V. Bosch parents of the bridegroom, hosted the rehearsal dinner in the home of Mrs. L. E. Johnson Jr., on Friday, August 25.

The couple left for a wedding trip to points in Texas and Colorado, and after September 7 will be at home in Madison, Wisconsin.

Chicago Housewife "Wins Texas"

Mrs. Betty Raymond, wife of a Chicago dentist, has "Won Texas." She and her family will be guests of the state for a 12-day, all expenses paid tour to scenic, historic and resort areas of Texas.

Mrs. Raymond, who has never visited Texas, was named winner in the state's first sweepstakes vacation contest, sponsored by the Texas Tourist development agency.

The "Win Texas" ad appeared in the June 13 issue of Look magazine. The contest was open to residents of Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Louisiana, Missouri, New Mexico and Oklahoma.

Mrs. Raymond's name was drawn from thousands of entries by Charles L. Davis and George McNeil, Auditor's office.

The Chicago winner wrote: "We do accept the wonderful sounding tour of the State of Texas with much enthusiasm."

She indicated the family would wait until next spring to visit the state. Dr. and Mrs. George Raymond and their 13-year-old daughter, Janice, reside in a suburb of Chicago.

For the sweepstakes winners, the trip will be a series of first. It will be the family's first airline flight, its first visit to any of the cities on the vacation itinerary and the first contest Mrs. Raymond has ever won.

She said she mailed the coupon to the development agency without realizing she had entered the sweepstakes contest.

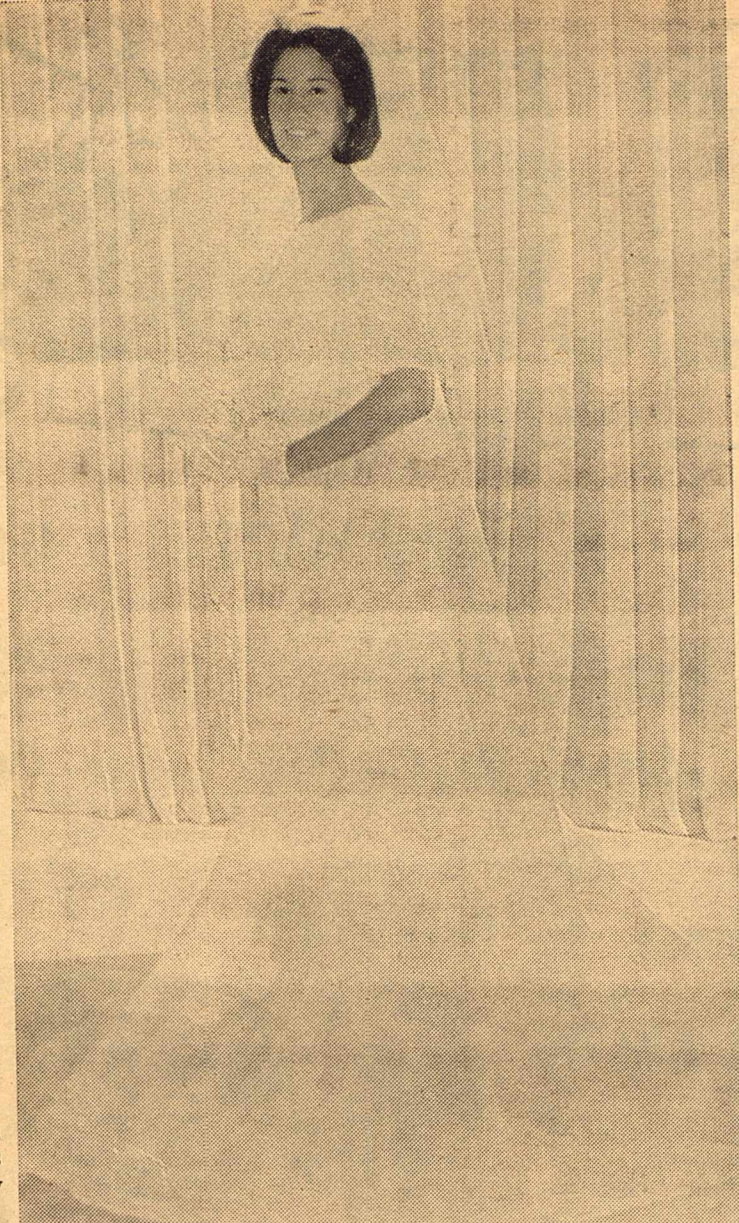
Mrs. Raymond pointed out that her family had been contemplating a trip to Texas and she was merely seeking literature describing vacation attractions in the state.

Dr. Raymond's only previous contact with Texas was a stint at Reese Air Force Base in Lubbock during World War II.

The statewide tour will range from Padre Island at Corpus Christi to Juarez, Mexico, across the border from El Paso.

The family will visit the capitol and governor's mansion in Austin, the Alamo, the San Jacinto Monument, the Battleship Texas and NASA's Manned Spacecraft Center at Houston.

They will tour Natural Bridge Caverns and Bandera's Whispering Winds Guest Ranch. And the Raymonds will be guests of Six Flags Over Texas, Aquarena Springs, HemisFair '68 and the Astrodome.



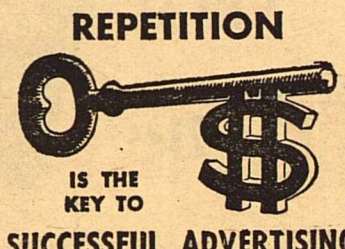
MRS. JOHN V. BOSCH JR.

In and Around Sonora

Miss Janet Morrison returned Sunday from a three week tour. She traveled with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Morrison and family from Denton. They left Dallas August 10 and went by jet to Pittsburg, Pa., then by car to New York, Niagara Falls, Montreal and Quebec, where they visited Expo 67. They returned by plane to Sonora, Texas, and back to Pittsburg and by plane to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shurley, of Marfa, were hosts for a buffet dinner at the San Angelo Country Club August 24, honoring Miss Derry Kay Shurley and her fiance Lt. John V. Bosch Jr.

About 30 persons attended.



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GREEN NEWS

Thanks to who ever found a No. 9 iron and turned it in to the club house last week.

Libbye Lowe is recovering from surgery in the Shannon Hospital. We all hope that she is feeling better, and will soon be home and back on her feet.

Peggy Elliott has had some trouble with her arm. We all hope that she is doing better and will soon be back with us.

Everyone keep in mind the September 5th and 6th tournament. The women will play in the morning, while the men will tee off in the afternoon.

Any further information will be placed on the bulletin board at the club house.

—GN—

Bridal Party Feted With Luncheon

Miss Derry Kay Shurley and her bridesmaids were honored with a luncheon Friday, August 25.

Mrs. Carl J. Cahill, Mrs. L. E. Johnson Jr. and Mrs. Jack Graves of Austin, were hostesses for the occasion in the Johnson home.

A yellow rose centerpiece was used on the serving table.

Twenty-six persons attended the luncheon and Miss Shurley presented gifts to her bridal attendants.

Wedding Tips

A few nights before the wedding—certainly not the night before—it is still customary for the groom to give a bachelor dinner to his best man and ushers and as many other men friends as he cares to have present.

This is usually hosted in the private dining room of a restaurant or club. Since he, too, probably enters marriage with some trepidation, it no doubt serves to bolster his courage, but rather than a "final fling," today it is likely to be a quiet stag affair, distinguished at the end by the traditional toast to the bride.

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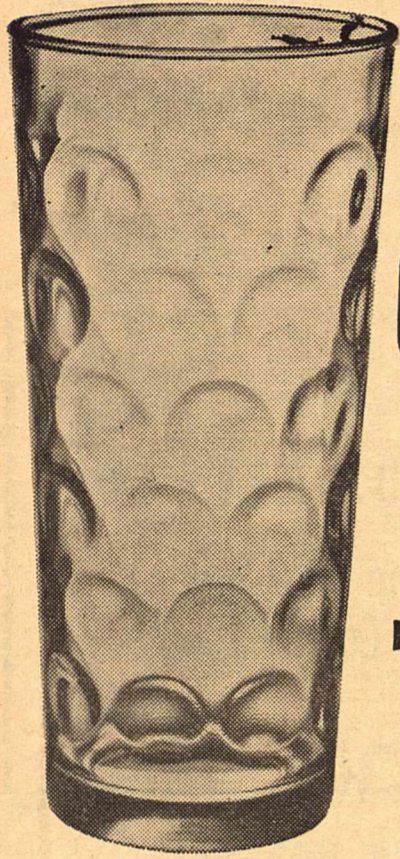
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Fashion Snobbery Put in Its Place

In the world of fashion where snobbery has long held court, democracy is quietly, and effectively gaining control.

According to Miss Rhea Boyles, Texas A&M University, fashion in its best sense is no longer limited to French rooms, with watered-down imitations trickling down to the lower-priced levels. Fashion is happening at every level, with the greatest strides being made in the middle brackets.

Since the birth of the American ready-to-wear industry, the traditional source of design has been in Paris. Recently, however, the tide has been turning, as the Paris couture keeps a discerning eye on what is happening here.

This has encouraged American designers to develop their own point of view. In dresses that sell for \$25 to \$50, in coats and suits for \$100 and under, the feeling of originality and experimentation fre-

quently over-shadows the work by women at all economic levels. Fashion is no longer the exclusive province of the rich, as American ready-to-wear takes over style leadership.

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Parents Due Double Tax Deductions

Summer jobs for son or daughter hold double deductions when income tax time rolls around.

Be sure you cash in on the extra break, says Mrs. Doris Myer Extension specialist in home management at Texas A&M University. For example, parents may still take the \$600 dependency deduction, no matter how much their youngster earns, provided the following conditions exist.

The young worker is a full-time student during at least five months of the year, or he is 18-years-old or less.

The parents continue to furnish more than half the cost of his support.

In addition to parents' claiming a deduction, the young wage earner can claim his own \$600 exemption when he files his tax return. And it is now possible for him to earn as much as \$899 tax free.

So take advantage of this double deduction, says Mrs. Myers. When claiming your deduction, also make sure junior files a return to claim a refund on taxes withheld by his employer.

Neither Catholic, Protestant Nor Jew . . .

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Today many people ask about churches of Christ. The rapid growth in the past few years, coupled with extensive preaching in America and Europe, has brought to the attention of the public those of us who call ourselves only Christians—members of the church of Christ. To dismiss this more than one and a half million people with a label is to miss our uniqueness. In fact, such a procedure is to follow those of Jesus' day who had ears to hear but would not hear (Matthew 13:15).

Our heritage in Western Civilization has been a great one. The contributions of men of genius and the sacrifices of countless millions have brought us to our present state of civilization or culture. As thankful as we are for our past, we must recognize the mental ruts which have been cut by the past. Which is to say, we must be conscious of the convenient labels we invent to paste upon movements and ideas which are new to us.

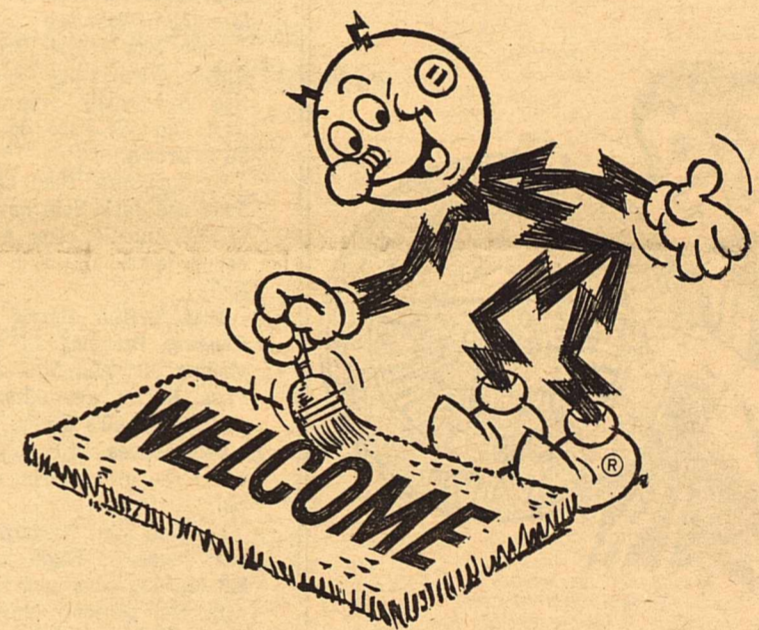
There is a tendency to classify churches by putting them into these same familiar pigeonholes. It is a common practice of people of our day to classify the church of Christ as just another denomination of the Protestant group. We would like to convey to them that the category does not fit.

As Jesus was neither John the Baptist, Elias, nor Jeremias, so the Church of Christ is neither Catholic, Protestant, nor Jewish. We are unique and different for we are endeavoring to go all the way back to the original New Testament church.

(Next week . . . "A hard saying—and ideas which are new to us. Who can hear it?")

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In and Around Sonora
by Hazel McClelland

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Logan, Linda, Jane and Sammie, of Addis Ababa, Ethiopia are visiting Sam's father and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Logan. The Sam Logans will return soon to Ethiopia.

TUESDAY NIGHT BRIDGE CLUB
Mrs. Cleve Jones Jr. entertained the Tuesday Night Bridge Club at her home August 22. A salad plate was served. Members present were Mmes. P. J. Taylor, Bob Vicars, Belle Steen, Earl Duncan, Arthur Carroll, Louie Trainer, W. O. Crites, L. E. Johnson Jr., George Barrow, Ernest McClelland and R. A. Halbert. Gues's were Mmes. Frankie Gibson, A. E. Prugel, Nolan Johnson and A. C. Elliott. Mrs. P. J. Taylor won high for club and Mrs. Frankie Gibson won high for guests. Mrs. L. E. Johnson Jr. won slam prize; Mrs. R. A. Halbert won bingo for club and Mrs. Nolan Johnson won bingo for guests.

TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB
Mrs. R. A. Halbert entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club at her home August 22 with a breakfast. Members present were Mmes. Sterling Baker, Ben Cusenbary, Rex Cusenbary, Frankie Gibson, J. F.



MISS OLIVIA RAMOS

Olivia Ramos, Domingo Gutierrez Jr. Announce Plans for September Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Refugio Ramos of El Paso announce the engagement of their daughter, Olivia Ramos, to Domingo Gutierrez Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Gutierrez.

Srips, Quips, And Lifts
by Lottie Lee Baker

—Everybody except Dad asks where the summer went. He knows. He has the bills and check stubs to show where it went.

—Memory is what reminds you that you've forgotten something you can't recall.

—It is easier to be critical than be correct.

—Where there's a will—get out of the way.

—The more patience you have the more folks make you use it.

—Each year it takes less time to fly around the world and more time to drive to work.

—Mama's passed her driver's test, mama's feeling regal; she can dent a fender now, and everything is legal!

—They say that chess is the only game known in which there is no element of chance whatsoever.

—Hardening of the heart ages people faster than hardening of the arteries.

—Talking comes by nature, but silence comes by wisdom.

—A man does not grow old through working—but through rusting.

—You learn more by letting the other fellow tell you all he knows than you learn by telling him all you know.

—The most lost day of all is the day we do not laugh.

—A miser and a fat pig will only be of use when they are dead.

—Ask God's blessing on your work but do not also ask Him to do it.

—Tact is the ability to see other people as they want you to see them.

A LIFT FOR THE WEEK
When things go wrong—don't go with them.

El Paso Gas Co. Acquires Northern Wire Making Firm

El Paso Natural Gas Company and the stockholders of Narragansett Wire Co. of Pawtucket, R. I., have entered into an agreement under which El Paso will acquire 100 percent of the stock of Narragansett, it was announced today by Howard Boyd, Chairman of the Board of El Paso, and William H. Morley, President of Narragansett.

Narragansett Wire Co., a closely held firm, is a fabricator of electrical wire for the residential, commercial and industrial building industry.

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September 23
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Greenhill

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Mr. and Mrs. James Whiddon

September 28
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Olenick

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients receiving treatment at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, August 22, to Monday, August 28, include the following:

Jim Merck
Selma Wyatt
Fela Perez*
Ernest Hill, Eldorado
Annie Clark, Eldorado
Wesley Granger
Adele Carpenter*
Myrtle Overstreet, Eldorado*
Lola Fern Parrent, Eldorado*
Dorothy Bowman, Ozona*
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Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7:00 p.m.

THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD PRESBYTERIAN U. S.
Rev. George R. Stewart, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
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CHURCH OF CHRIST (South Side)
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1st Sunday Otis Fowler, Sabinal
2nd Sunday Ray Keel, Eola
3rd Sunday Bro. Dobson, Austin
4th Sunday Reed Chapel, Austin
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CHURCH OF CHRIST (Ralph Winehold, Minister)
Sunday Bible Classes 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Youth Training 5 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7:00 p.m.

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Worship Services 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:30 p.m.
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The People's Choice . . . Six New Proposed Amendments to the Texas Constitution for Your Vote on November 11

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 9, Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows: "Section 9. The State tax on property, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed Thirty-five Cents (35¢) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation; and no county, city or town shall levy a tax rate in excess of Eighty Cents (80¢) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation in any one (1) year for general fund, permanent improvement fund, road and bridge fund and jury fund purposes; provided further that at the time the Commissioners Court meets to levy the annual tax rate for each county it shall levy whatever tax rate may be needed for the four (4) constitutional purposes; namely, general fund, permanent improvement fund, road and bridge fund and jury fund so long as the Court does not impair any outstanding bonds or other obligations and so long as the total amount of going tax levies does not exceed Eighty Cents (80¢) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation in any one (1) year. Once the Court has levied the annual tax rate, the same shall remain in force and effect during that taxable year; and the Legislature may also author-

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new Section 13 thereto to read as follows: "Section 13. Notwithstanding any other section of this article, the Legislature in providing for the creation, establishment, maintenance, and operation of a hospital district, shall not be required to provide that such district shall assume full responsibility for the establishment, maintenance, support, or operation of mental health services or mental retardation services including the operation of any community mental health centers, community mental retardation centers or community mental health and mental retardation centers which may exist or be thereafter established within the boundaries of such district; nor shall the Legislature be required to provide that such district shall assume full responsibility of public health department units and clinics and related public health activities or services, and the Legislature shall not be required to restrict the power of any municipality or political subdivision to levy taxes or issue bonds or other obligations or to expend public moneys for the establishment, maintenance, support, or operation of mental health services, mental retardation services, public health units or clinics or related public health activities or services or the operation of such community mental health or mental retardation centers within the boundaries of the hospital districts; and unless a statute creating a hospital district shall expressly prohibit participation by any entity

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new Section in Article III to be known as Section 52a, reading as follows: "Section 52a. Each county in the State of Texas is hereby authorized to pay all medical expenses, all doctor bills and all hospital bills for Sheriffs, Deputy Sheriffs, Constables, Deputy Constables and other county and precinct law enforcement officials who are injured in the course of their official duties; providing that the county shall continue to pay the maximum salary of these officials while they are incapacitated, but such salary payment shall not continue beyond the terms of office to which they were elected or appointed." "AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution authorizing each county in this state to pay the medical bills, doctor bills and hospital bills for all Sheriffs, Deputy Sheriffs, Constables, Deputy Constables and other county and precinct law enforcement officials who are injured in the course of their official duties; providing that the county shall continue to pay the maximum salary of these officials while they are incapacitated, but such salary payment shall not continue beyond the terms of office to which they were elected or appointed."

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 33, Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows: "Section 33. The Accounting Officers of this State shall neither draw nor pay a warrant upon the Treasury in favor of any person for salary or compensation as agent, officer or appointee, who holds at the same time any other office or position of honor, trust, or profit, under this State except as prescribed in this Constitution. Provided, that this restriction as to the drawing and paying of warrants upon the Treasury shall not apply to officers of the National Guard or Air National Guard Reserve, the Air Force Reserve, the Air Force Reserve Corps of the United States, nor to enlisted men of the National Guard, the Air National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, the Air Force Reserve, and the Organized Reserve of the United States, nor to retired officers of the United States Army, Air Force, Navy, and Marine Corps, and retired warrant officers and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Air Force, Navy, and Marine Corps. It is further provided, until September 1, 1969, and thereafter only if authorized by the Legislature by general law under such restrictions and limitations as the Legislature may prescribe, that a non-elective State officer or employee may hold other non-elective offices or positions of honor, trust, or profit under this State or the United States, if the other offices or positions are of benefit to the State of Texas or are required by State or federal law, and there is no conflict of interest with the original office or position; prohibiting elected officers under this state or the United States from holding any other office or position under this state; and adding members of the Air National Guard, Air Force Reserve, and Air Force Reserve, and retired members of the Air Force to the list of persons exempted."

Special Election Set November 11 Cast Your Vote

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 17 proposing an amendment to Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, so as to authorize an increase in the total amount of bonds or obligations that may be issued by the Veterans' Land Board to Four Hundred Million Dollars (\$400,000,000); providing for the issuance of said bonds or obligations and the conditions relating thereto and the use of the Veterans' Land Fund; and providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation therefor. BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, be amended so that the same will hereafter read as follows: "Section 49-b. By virtue of prior Amendments to this Constitution, there has been created a governmental agency of the State of Texas performing governmental duties which has been designated the Veterans' Land Board. Said Board shall continue to function for the purposes specified in all of the prior Constitutional Amendments except as modified herein. Said Board shall be composed of the Commissioner of the General Land Office and two (2) citizens of the State of Texas, one (1) of whom shall be well versed in veterans' affairs and one (1) of whom shall be well versed in finances. One (1) such citizen member shall, with the advice and consent of the Senate, be appointed biennially by the Governor to serve for a term of four (4) years; but the members serving on said Board on the date of adoption hereof shall complete the terms to which they were appointed. In the event of the resignation or death of any such citizen member, the Governor shall appoint a replacement to serve for the unexpired portion of the term to which the deceased or resigning member had been appointed. The compensation for said citizen members shall be as is now or may hereafter be fixed by the Legislature; and each shall make bond in such amount as is now or may hereafter be prescribed by the Legislature. "The Commissioner of the General Land Office shall act as Chairman of said Board and shall be the administrator of the Veterans' Land Program under such terms and restrictions as are now or may hereafter be provided by law. In the absence or illness of said Commissioner, the Chief Clerk of the General Land Office shall be the Acting Chairman of said Board with the same duties and powers that said Commissioner would have if present. "The Veterans' Land Board may provide for issue and sell not to exceed Four Hundred Million Dollars (\$400,000,000) in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the purpose of creating a fund to be known as the Veterans' Land Fund, Two Hundred Million Dollars (\$200,000,000) of which have heretofore been issued and sold. Such bonds or obligations shall be sold for not less than

interest on the bonds heretofore and hereafter issued by said Board shall be paid out of the moneys of said Fund in accordance with the Constitutional provisions authorizing such bonds; but the moneys of said Fund which are not immediately committed to the payment of principal and interest on such bonds, the purchase of lands as herein provided, or the payment of expenses as herein provided may be invested in bonds or obligations of the United States until such funds are needed for such purposes. "All moneys comprising a part of said Fund and not expended for the purposes herein provided shall be a part of said Fund until there are sufficient moneys therein to retire fully all of the bonds heretofore or hereafter issued and sold by said Board, at which time all such moneys remaining in said Fund, except such portion thereof as may be necessary to retire all such bonds which portion shall be set aside and retained in said Fund for the purpose of retiring all such bonds, shall be deposited to the credit of the General Revenue Fund to be appropriated to such purposes as may be prescribed by law. "When a Division of said Fund (each Division consisting of the moneys attributable to the bonds issued and sold pursuant to a single Constitutional authorization and the lands purchased therewith) contains sufficient moneys to retire all of the bonds secured by such Division, the moneys thereof, except such portion as may be needed to retire all of the bonds secured by such Division which portion shall be set aside and remain a part of such Division for the purpose of retiring all such bonds, may be used for the purpose of paying the principal and the interest thereon, together with the expenses herein authorized, of any other bonds heretofore or hereafter issued and sold by said Board. Such use shall be a matter for the discretion and direction of said Board; but there may be no such use of any such moneys contrary to the rights of any holder of any of the bonds issued and sold by said Board or violative of any contract to which said Board is a party. "The Veterans' Land Fund shall be used by said Board for the purpose of purchasing lands situated in the State of Texas owned by the United States or any governmental agency thereof, owned by the Texas Prison System or any other governmental agency of the State of Texas, or owned by any person, firm, or corporation. All lands thus purchased shall be acquired at the lowest price obtainable, to be paid for in cash, and shall be a part of said Fund. Such lands heretofore or hereafter purchased and comprising a part of said Fund are hereby declared to be held for a governmental purpose, although the individual purchasers thereof shall be subject to taxation in the same manner as are purchasers of lands dedicated to the Permanent Free Public School

ment of any bonds hereafter issued and sold to pay interest thereon, together with any expenses as provided herein, in accordance with the resolution or resolutions authorizing the issuance and sale of such additional bonds, until there are sufficient moneys to retire all of the bonds hereafter issued and sold, at which time all such moneys then remaining a part of said Veterans' Land Fund and thereafter becoming a part of said Fund shall be governed as elsewhere provided herein. "This Amendment being intended only to establish a basic framework and not to be a comprehensive treatment of the Veterans' Land Program, there is hereby reposed in the Legislature full power to implement and effectuate the design and objects of this Amendment, including the power to delegate such duties, responsibilities, functions, and authority to the Veterans' Land Board as it believes necessary. "Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of this Amendment, no such law shall be void by reason of its anticipatory nature. "This Amendment shall become effective upon its adoption." "Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on November 11, 1967, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following: "FOR the amendment to extend the Veterans' Land Program by authorizing the sale of bonds to increase the Veterans' Land Fund for the purpose of purchasing land in Texas to be sold to Texas veterans who served in the Armed Services of the United States between September 16, 1940, and the date of formal withdrawal of United States troops from the present armed conflict in Viet Nam, which amendment would amend Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, and provide for an additional \$200,000,000 in bonds, such funds to be expended in accordance with instructions and requirements that may be provided by law." "AGAINST the amendment to extend the Veterans' Land Program by authorizing the sale of bonds to increase the Veterans' Land Fund for the purpose of purchasing land in Texas to be sold to Texas veterans who served in the Armed Services of the United States between September 16, 1940, and the date of formal withdrawal of United States troops from the present armed conflict in Viet Nam, which amendment would amend Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, and provide for an additional \$200,000,000 in bonds, such funds to be expended in accordance with instructions and requirements that may be provided by law." "Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time as required by the Constitution and laws of this state.

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of Texas be amended by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 49-e, as follows: "Section 49-e. The Parks and Wildlife Department, or its successor vested with the powers, duties, and authority which deals with the operation, maintenance, and improvement of State Parks, shall have the authority to provide for, issue and sell general obligation bonds of the State of Texas in an amount not to exceed Seventy-Five Million Dollars (\$75,000,000). The bonds authorized herein shall be called "Texas Park Development Bonds," shall be executed in such form, denominations, and upon such terms as may be prescribed by law, provided, however, that the bonds shall bear a rate or rates of interest as may be fixed by the Parks and Wildlife Department or its successor, but the weighted average annual interest rate, as that phrase is commonly and ordinarily used and understood in the municipal bond market, of all the bonds issued and sold in any installment of any bonds, shall not exceed four and one-half percent (4½%) interest per annum; they may be issued in such installments as said Parks and Wildlife Department, or its said successor, finds feasible and practical in accomplishing the purpose set forth herein. "All moneys received from the sale of said bonds shall be deposited in a fund hereby created with the State Treasurer to be known as the Texas Park Development Fund to be administered (without further appropriation) by the said Parks and Wildlife Department, or its said successor, in such manner as prescribed by law. "Such fund shall be used by said Parks and Wildlife Department, or its said successor, under such provisions as the Legislature may prescribe by general law, for the purposes of acquiring lands from the United States, any governmental agency thereof, from any governmental agency of the State of Texas, or from any person, firm, or corporation, for State Park Sites and for developing said sites as State Parks. "While any of the bonds authorized by this provision, or any interest on any such bonds is outstanding and unpaid, there is hereby appropriated out of the first moneys coming into the Treasury in each fiscal year, not otherwise appropriated by this Constitution, an amount which is sufficient to pay the principal and interest on such bonds that mature or become due during such fiscal year, less the amount in the interest and sinking fund at the close of the prior fiscal year, which includes any receipts derived during the prior fiscal year by said Parks and Wildlife Department, or its said successor, from admission charges to State Parks, as the Legislature may prescribe by general law. "The Legislature may provide for the investment of moneys available in the Texas Park Development Fund and the interest and sinking fund established for the payment of bonds issued by said Parks and Wildlife Department, or its said successor. Income from such investment shall be used for the purposes prescribed by the Legislature. "From the moneys received by said Parks and Wildlife Department, or its said successor, from the sale of the bonds issued hereunder, there shall be deposited in the interest and sinking fund for the bonds authorized by this section sufficient moneys to pay the interest to become due during the State fiscal year in which the bonds were issued. After

all bonds have been fully paid with interest, or after there are on deposit in the interest and sinking fund sufficient moneys to pay all future maturities of principal and interest, additional moneys received from admission charges to State Parks shall be deposited to the State Parks Fund, or any successor fund which may be established by the Legislature as a depository for Park revenue earned by said Parks and Wildlife Department, or its said successor. "All bonds issued hereunder shall after approval by the Attorney General, registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, and delivery to the purchasers, be incontestable and shall constitute general obligations of the State of Texas under the Constitution of Texas. "Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment, such Acts shall not be void by reason of their anticipatory nature." "Section 2. The foregoing amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on November 11, 1967, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon, the following words: "FOR the amendment to the Constitution of Texas adding a new section to be known as Section 49-e of Article III, authorizing the issuance and sale of Seventy-Five Million Dollars (\$75,000,000) in bonds by the State of Texas to create the Texas Park Development Fund to acquire lands for State Park sites and to develop State Parks." "AGAINST the amendment to the Constitution of Texas adding a new section to be known as Section 49-e of Article III, authorizing the issuance and sale of Seventy-Five Million Dollars (\$75,000,000) in bonds by the State of Texas to create the Texas Park Development Fund to acquire lands for State Park sites and to develop State Parks."

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Army Offers New Enlistment Plan

The Army's new 120-day delayed entry program is becoming one of the most popular enlistment options offered by the Army recruiting service according to SFC Felipe Rodriguez, Del Rio army recruiter.

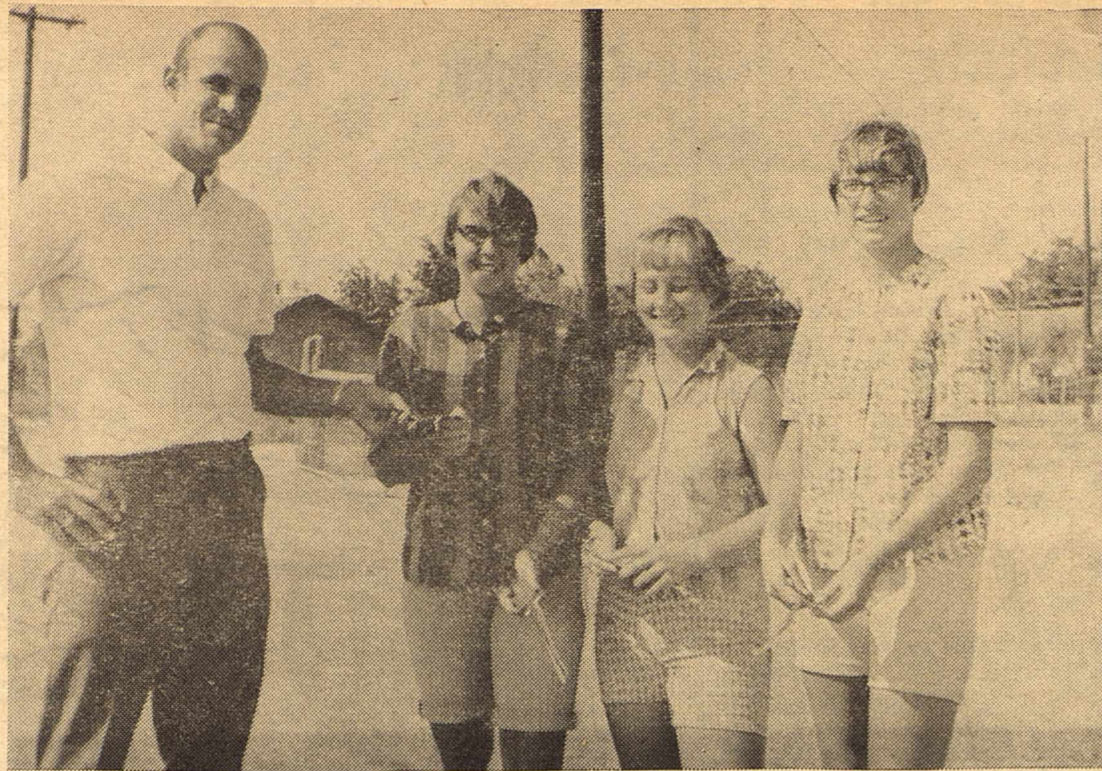
He explained that a young man may enlist one day and not have to go on active duty for up to 120 days. Once he enters this program he is draft exempt. On the other hand if he has been ordered by Selective Service to report for induction he is not eligible for the 120-day program.

Men who enlist under this program serve in a reserve status until called to active duty. They do not participate in reserve training or make meeting or drills while waiting to report for active duty. The time they spend in a delayed status is creditable toward their total military obligation but not against their active duty commitment.

In order to qualify for this enlistment option men must meet Regular Army enlistment standards and any special standards required for a school or other special training which they may select.

Young men desiring more information on this new program are urged to contact their Army Recruiting office at 211 S. Main St. in Del Rio, or telephone 775-6767.

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SONORA'S SUMMER RECREATION PROGRAM DIRECTOR, Harlan Hinds, makes awards at the closing of the program to the winners of several of the events of the recent contests. They include Kay Kerbow, who won three first

places and two thirds. Patsy Baker won one first, two seconds and two fourth places. Vicki Hardgrave won two firsts and one fourth place. Hinds said that he felt the groundwork had been laid for a good program next summer.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY CALENDAR

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George D. Chalk, Jr.
Ernest Kiser
Mrs. Ed Grobe
Cody Savell
Scott Alley
Greg Everett
Neria Galindo
Ronnie Cox

Friday, September 1
Mrs. Joe Hull
Mrs. James R. Cusenbary
Mollie Morriss
Smith Neal
Michelle Fields
Herman Smith
Mrs. David Shurley
Mary Virgen
Walter Espy Whitehead

Saturday, September 2
J. T. Evans III
Susan Valliant
Mrs. Charles Ray Shelton
Mrs. Kenneth Teutsch

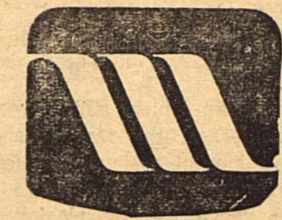
Sunday, September 3
Tyree Hardy
Mrs. Perry Mittel
Mrs. J. F. Howell
Henry Greenhill
L. E. Holland

Monday, September 4
Gene West
Paula Friess

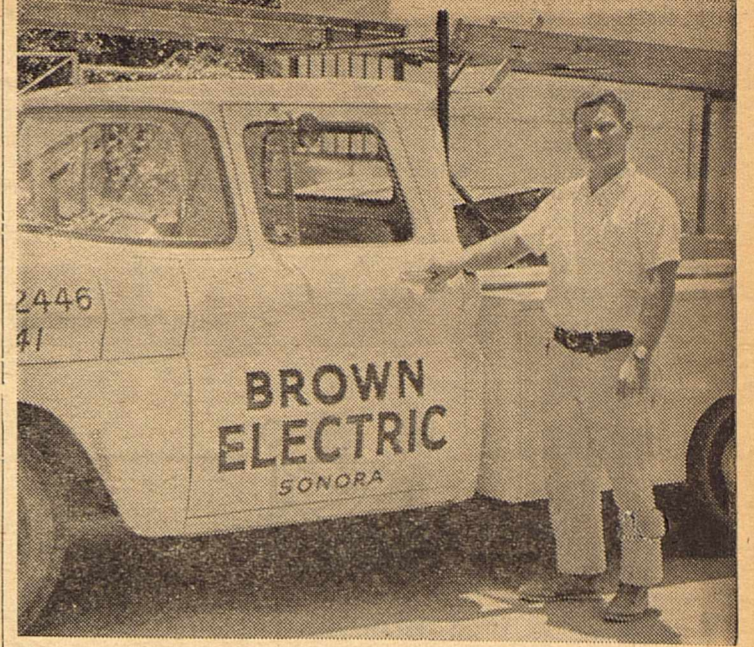
Tuesday, September 5
Mrs. Jessie F. Bricker
Melissa Gay Gibbs
Walter C. Pope IV
Ronnie Baltazar
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Wednesday, September 6
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Debbie Strawn
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New Texas Vehicle Inspection Laws Now Cover Additional Requirements

Inspection of seat belt accessories, steering mechanisms and wheels and rims are added to the items to be inspected on all Texas vehicles beginning August 28, along with an increased minimum fee of \$1.75 for inspections.

The new items were added to the inspection law by the legislature and the Department of Public Safety has instructed all vehicle inspection stations in regard to the type of inspection to be made on each item.

The amendment becomes effective August 28, thus accounting for the early inspection date. Inspections for the 1968 sticker will continue until April 15, the usual deadline.

Under the new law, front seat belts are required on every motor vehicle in which seat belt anchorages are a part of the manufacturer's original equipment. For most American-made vehicles, the anchorages are standard beginning with 1962 models. The vehicles may be rejected during the inspection if: (1) the seat belts are not installed, (2) the belts are unsafe or unserviceable from wear or damage, (3) the attachment fittings are damaged or loose, or (4) the buckles are loose or inoperative.

Steering will be checked on all vehicles, including those with power steering. Vehicles are to be rejected if: (1) the steering wheel has more than two inches of lash measured on the outside periphery of the rim (lash is defined as the condition in which the steering control can be turned through some part of a revolution without front wheel motion), (2) if it is impossible to turn the wheel from full right to full left without jamming, or (3) if the fluid in the power steering is below the recommended level. Vehicles with power steering are to be checked with the power on.

Wheels and rims are to be inspected without being removed from the vehicle. The vehicle will be rejected if: (1) the wheel has defective or bent rim flanges, or loose or missing bolts, nuts or lugs, or (2) rims have defects and cracks to the extent that they might impair the safe mounting and proper retention of tires.

There are approximately 5500 vehicle inspection stations in Texas, and each displays the official vehicle inspection station sign. Motorists are urged to have their vehicles inspected during the routine visits to garages and stations for ordinary maintenance, thus insuring that their vehicle is mechanically safe to operate over the streets and highways.



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Mrs. Welch Attends Teachers Meeting

Mrs. Ross T. Welch president of the Sonora unit of Texas State Teachers Association took part in TSTA's 8th annual statewide meeting of local unit presidents in San Antonio August 14-15.

Mrs. Welch represented the approximately 50 members of her unit at the major TSTA planning session.

The conference is held each year to provide the state's 390 TSTA unit presidents with up-to-date information on association activities and to draw out their thinking on future TSTA programs and services to its statewide membership of more than 118,000 members.

Sam M. Anderson of Big Spring, TSTA president, presided.

Range Specialist Suggests Methods For Combating Drouth

With drouth conditions over most of the state, ranchers are faced by two decisions, culling of the herd to conserve pasture or putting the herd into feedlots until the drouth breaks.

B. J. Ragsdale, associate range specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at Texas A&M University, says that in many critical areas of the state stockmen must follow both of these routes in order to insure pasture lands for the winter and spring.

"Many areas have been so hard hit that even increased moisture cannot insure winter or spring forage to support full herds," Ragsdale said.

If the pastures are beginning to

look overgrazed, then the rancher should take into consideration the fact that unless he reduces the strain on the grasses they will not be able to seed next year and when the rains do come there will be erosion damage.

All unnecessary horses, steers, goats and cows should be culled and feeding concentrated in one area to reduce trampling, trailing and further grazing, says Ragsdale.

For those cattle left after culling, they will be facing a vitamin A deficiency. Green roughage such as grass or weeds, two pounds of alfalfa or one-half pound of alfalfa leaf meal per day will provide the needed vitamin A.

In areas which still have reserve forage, the rancher should use a careful system of deferred grazing and encourage more uniform range use by placing salt away from water in areas not usually grazed. Herding and random distribution of supplemental feed will also aid in spreading animals over the range.

Although Texas is presently experiencing a shortage of moisture, it is also true, says Ragsdale, that over a period of years the state as a whole has below average rainfall more often than above. Stockmen should take into consideration the condition of their lands at this time, the cost of feed to sustain the herd and the expected rate of return if the drouth continues and make the decision now on culling or maintaining the normal breeding herd.

New Provisions of Driving Laws Give Greater Motorist Safety

The Department of Public Safety reminded Texans that August 28 marks the effective date of several amendments to the drivers license law which are designed to benefit Texas motorists from the standpoint of providing added protection.

The law sets new minimum age limits for acquiring a license, provides for issuing a provisional license to any person under the age of 21, and increases the penalties for driving without a license and violations calling for automatic suspension.

It also sets penalties for counterfeiting or forging a license, or for possessing such a license.

The age limits were raised to a minimum of 16 years for obtaining a license when a person has satisfactorily completed an approved driver education course, and to 18 years for persons who have not had such a course.

The minimum age for operating a five-brake horsepower motor scooter was raised to 15 years. A special examination will be required after January 1 for applicants desiring a license to operate a motorcycle which includes an "off-street phase" and an "on-street phase." The applicant must provide the motorcycle and a passenger vehicle and licensed driver to convey the License Examiner during the road test.

Licenses issued to persons under 21 years of age will be stamped "Provisional" and may be suspended if the operator is convicted of two traffic law violations in a twelve months period. This be-

comes effective January 1. Upon conviction of driving without a license, a motorist is subject to a fine of up to \$200 for the first offense and increasingly stiffer penalties for each successive conviction.

Persons convicted of driving while intoxicated (or a similar offense) are subject to a first suspension of twelve months. Any subsequent suspension on the basis of this type of conviction will be for a period of 18 months. In addition, any driver whose license has been suspended or revoked may be required to attend a program of rehabilitation for problem drivers.

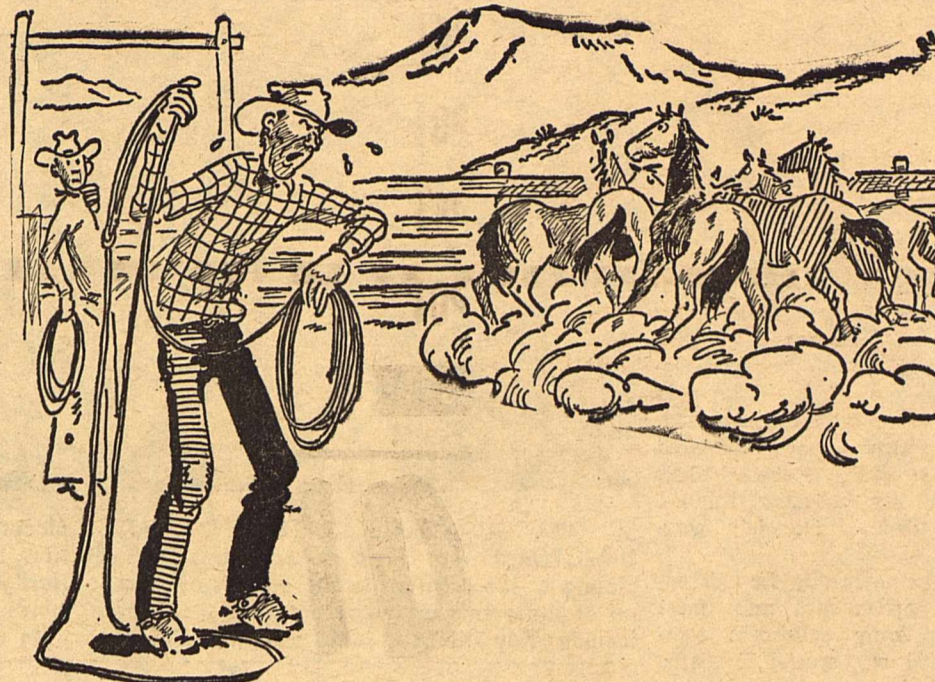
Any person applying for an original license must furnish the Department with certified copy of the applicant's birth certificate or other documentary evidence deemed satisfactory by the Department for proof of age. The Department is also authorized to require any other information necessary to determine the applicant's identity, competency and eligibility for licensing. Thumb prints will be required on all original applications after August 28.

Among other provisions designed to ban unsafe drivers from the highways is the requirement that the Department of Public Welfare furnish the DPS with a list of the persons who apply for or receive assistance to the needy blind. The license of such persons must be revoked to comply with the law.

Also, any person who is convicted of driving while his license is suspended or revoked shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$500, and shall be imprisoned not less than 72 hours nor more than six months.

Cow Pokes

By Ace Reid



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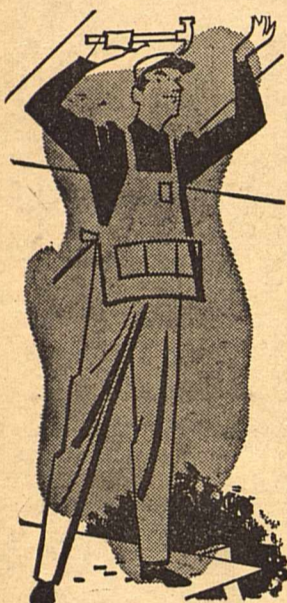
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Businesses Close For Labor Day

Labor Day in Sonora will mark the last fling of the summer vacation season over the September 1-4 weekend.

Most local businesses will close on Monday, September 4. Sonora's schools will observe the holiday and not begin until Tuesday, September 5.

The Department of Public Safety has estimated that 45 persons will be killed in traffic accidents during the long weekend.

Director Homer Garrison said, "The estimate of 45 traffic deaths could be a high estimate, but only if all drivers put forth every effort toward avoiding accidents." The most dangerous time during the period is estimated by the DPS to be from 6 p.m., Friday, until midnight, Monday.

Game Laws Change For Deer, Turkey

According to game warden Nolan Johnson, some significant changes have been made in the hunting seasons for Sutton County.

Deer season will begin this year on November 11 and extend to January 1. Last year's season began on November 16. The new date will add an additional weekend of hunting at the first of the season.

Bag limit on deer will be three, of which no more than two may be bucks. The third deer must be antlerless and taken by permit only. Permits are obtainable through landowners and are based on acreage.

Turkey season will run concurrent with deer season and two turkey gobblers or bearded hens are the legal limit.

Sutton's quail season will be from November 11 to January 31, and will allow 12 birds per day with 36 in possession.

No changes were made in squirrel or javelina hunting laws for this season. There is no closed season or bag limit on either species.

Dr. L. D. Haske of The University of Texas will leave his post as vice-chancellor for special projects Sept. 1 to return to full-time teaching. A professor of education administration, he was College of Education dean from 1947 to 1962. Well known for his contributions to the public schools of Texas, Dr. Haske is newly elected president of the Association of Texas Colleges and Universities.

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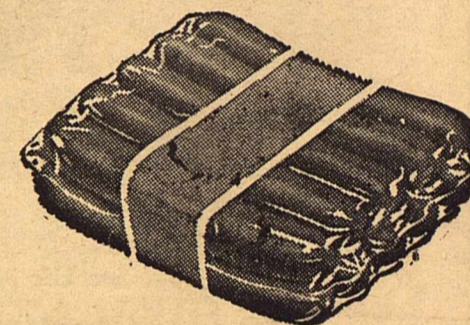


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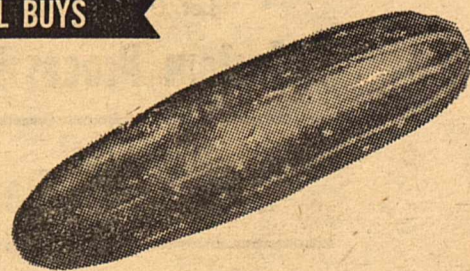


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