

Y'All Come! Attend The Lions Club Auction October 22

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CINDERS

by John T. King

Rod Varney, secretary-treasurer of the Texas Transportation Museum in San Antonio, came in recently to ask what I knew about a paragraph in "History of Texas Railroads," by Reed.

The F.W.&R.G. was never a paying road. The country traversed was devoted largely to stock, especially the southern end. Even as to traffic, it had a strong competitor along the line in the Santa Fe and T.&P. and Katy. South of Brady there was an immense territory, without a railroad, devoted to livestock, in the counties of Sutton, Kerr, Edwards, Mason, Kimble, and Schleicher.

The competition for this traffic was keen between the Southern Pacific, the Santa Fe, and the Stock Agent of the Frisco was E. F. Tillman. After it was apparent that the line was not to be extended from Menard to Kerrville, he conceived the idea of fencing in a lane to be used for driving cattle from Sonora County to Brady and persuaded Yoakum to approve it.

Mr. Tillman, who recently retired, has written the author a detailed and most interesting account of this unique enterprise. The lane was about a 100 miles in length and generally 250 feet wide. It was necessary to purchase much of the right of way which cost from \$2.00 to \$7.00 per acre. Among the ranchers through whose property it ran were Davidson, White, Espey, Murchison, Russell, Allison, Field, Ogden, and Bevans.

The cost of the land was about \$30,000. Land was also secured for holding pastures, wells dug, and windmills erected. These facilities and fencing cost about \$30,000 more. Mr. Tillman says that it was very profitable especially during the first ten years of its operation.

He recalls that several different times in the Spring there were as many as 50,000 cattle en route to Brady in this lane. The land is still owned by the Frisco and is leased to various ranchmen at 50 cents an acre and could be sold at not less than \$15.00 an acre.

I referred Varney to John Eaton, our local historian, and the two plan to get together soon and look over the trail and talk over details of the rail(less) road. But I'm sure John would like to hear from anyone who knows anything about the line, perhaps from someone who worked for the F.W.&G.

Funeral Services Held Saturday For J. L. King

Funeral services were held Saturday, October 12, 1968, in the Roy Ackers Funeral Chapel in San Antonio for James Leander King. He was born in Georgia November 4, 1886 and died October 11. He had lived in San Antonio for the past thirty years.

Burial was in San Jose Burial Park. Survivors include two sons, James L. King of Dallas and John T. King of Sonora; one daughter, Mrs. Glen W. Bond of Burleson; one brother, Charlie King of Abilene; and four grandchildren.

ABSENTEE VOTING STARTS

Wednesday was the first day for absentee voting, according to Erma Lee Turner, county clerk. She also reminded voters that sample ballots were available for voters to inspect.



ROBERT HARRIS kicks the football in Saturday's Punt, Pass and Kick competition. Robert was a second place winner in the 8 year-olds division. Looking on is Bill Stewart and

in the background are other boys who competed in the contest. Robert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy H. Harris. Seventy three boys took part in the event.

Winners Named in PPK Competition

Seventy-three boys entered the Sonora Motor Company's annual Punt Pass and Kick Contest held in Bronco Stadium Saturday. Three

winners were picked from each of 6 age groups. First place winners will go to San Angelo Saturday, October 20, to compete in zone competition to be held in the YM-CA Park.

Boys who placed in Saturday's contest are as follows:

Age 8 — John Kenna, Ozona, first place with a score of 131; second place, Robert Harris, and William Carroll, third.

Age 9 — Blake Moody, Ozona, first place with a score of 196; second place, Lawrence Wilson and third, Melse Lawler.

Age 10 — Mike Mosley, Ozona, first place with a score of 225; second place, John D. Cook and third place, Anselmo Cooper.

Age 11 — Alan Harris, first place with a score of 233; second place,

Keith Kniffen and third place, Hector Perez.

Age 12 — Randy Hill, first place with a score of 243; second place,

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Fred Trainer Jr. Killed In LaGrange In Plane Crash

Mr. Fred Trainer Jr., 38, was killed when his plane crashed in a field near LaGrange, October 12, 1968.

Mr. Trainer attended Sonora High School for one year and was a graduate of St. Louis, Missouri High School. He was a graduate of Purdue University with a degree in accounting. He was associated with his father and his brother in Fred Trainer & Sons Equipment Company and drive inn restaurants in the Houston area.

Survivors include his wife, Evelyn; three daughters, Susie, Lora Lynn, and Kathy; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Trainer Sr., and a brother, D. C. Trainer all of Pasadena.

He has an uncle, Jack Trainer, and an aunt, Mrs. Tom Nevill here, who attended the services at the First Methodist Church in Pasadena October 14, at 3:30 p.m.

Masonic services were also held at Grandview Cemetery, near LaPorte, where Mr. Trainer was buried.

Water Pump Among Items To Be Auctioned

Ranchers will have a chance to buy a Jacuzzi submersible water well pump and see the auction price go toward Lions Club projects if they successfully bid on the \$250 water well pump being donated to the Annual Lions Auction Sale by Billy Green Water Service and Jacuzzi manufacturers. Green says that he hopes ranchers will anticipate pump needs and make the bidding lively on this valuable item to be offered Tuesday evening at the auction. Green says he'd also like to have the job of installing the pump.

Football Tickets Now Available For Sonora-Mason

Reserve tickets for the Sonora-Mason football game are on sale in the school superintendent's office. These seats will be on the east side of the Mason stadium and are selling for \$1.50, according to Ralph Finklea.

Finklea says general admission tickets at the game will be \$1.25.

Kick-off time for the Sonora-Mason game will be 8 p.m., October 25 in Mason.

Sonora's Weather

Compiled by Pat Brown

	Rain.	Hi.	Lo.
Wednesday, Oct. 9	Tr.	84	67
Thursday, Oct. 10	.00	83	59
Friday, Oct. 11	.00	81	64
Saturday, Oct. 12	.00	87	67
Sunday, Oct. 13	.00	90	67
Monday, Oct. 14	.00	84	68
Tuesday, Oct. 15	.00	86	70

Rainfall for the month, .04; Rain for the year, 21.76.

Rise Continues In Screwworm Cases Reported In County

Heavy case outbreaks of screwworms are being reported in the Edwards-Plateau and Hill Country, particularly in the counties of Sutton, Schleicher, and Edwards. Each week finds additional cases being reported here in parts of the country where cases had not been previously reported.

The current epidemic of costly screwworm cases in Texas is expected to reach its peak during the next two to three weeks, and all livestock owners are urged to

be on the alert for cases during this critical period.

This warning comes from Dr. Marion E. Meadows, veterinarian in charge of field operations at the Mission Screwworm Eradication Program Laboratory.

Livestock pest cases have zoomed alarmingly this fall, and all producers are urged to practice preventive measures in order to help stamp out the fall epidemic, worse since the fall of 1962, when the eradication program was in

its infancy.

Last week 650 cases were confirmed in Texas, topping the record of the week before when there were 646 cases.

Continuing rains in much of the state this past week provided ideal conditions for fly increase, unless a sustained cold front arrives to de-activate the flies, reminds Dr. Meadows.

County Agent D. C. Langford, again reminds all ranchmen to re-

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Lions Hope To Boost Funds At Auction Sale Oct. 22

Lem Jones, auctioneer, will again wield the gavel in the Lions auction sale Tuesday night, October 22. This is the only major fund-raising project of the Lions. Club funds are used for the fire department, aid to the blind, 4-H program, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, the Little League program, the wool show, West Texas Boys Ranch and other projects for the benefit of the community.

The night's activities will begin with a free barbeque supper which starts at 6 p.m., with the auction following immediately. Noon lunch will not be held that day.

Items sold are contributed by ranchmen, businessmen, and individuals. There are no "bargains". A chili petine bush contributed by Mrs. Joseph VanderStucken last year was purchased by G. H. Davis for \$62.50.

If you like homemade bread and fig preserves, these items can be bought cheaply at the auction. A jar contributed by Mrs. Jack Hite last year brought \$20 from Lin Hicks, and Mary Bolin bought the bread made by Mrs. Oliver Wuest for a mere ten-dollar bill!

Another feature of the fund-raising

fun each year is the mystery package, which has been sold and re-contributed again and again over the past thirty years. The package has never been opened and has brought in close to \$2000 to the auction. Robert Halbert purchased the package last year for \$140. It will be auctioned again this year.

John T. King is chairman of the solicitation committee working with Bob Teaff, Jo Hardgrave, E. B. Keng, Earl Johnson, Buddy Brown, (Continued on Back Page)

Last Rites Held October 5 For William T. Jarvis

William Tate Jarvis, 75, died in Hudspeh Memorial Hospital October 4, 1968, after a long illness. Services were held in Hodges-Fife Chapel with burial in Junction Cemetery.

Mr. Jarvis was born December 15, 1892, in Gonzales, but had lived in Kimble County most of his life where he ranched.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Jack of Uvalde; three daughters, Mrs. C. F. Grobe of Andrews, Mrs. Birden Waters of Illinois, and Mrs. Dorothy Baker.

Also surviving are three brothers, Henry Jarvis of San Benito, Doug Jarvis of Brownwood, and Murray Jarvis of Junction; three sisters, Mrs. J. O. Wright and Mrs. W. M. Gove of Junction and Mrs. Frances Kidd of Menard; eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Historical Group Plans Supper For Wednesday

The Sutton County Historical Society will hold a supper in the basement of the First Methodist Church Wednesday, October 23, at 6:30 p.m.

Purpose of the gathering is to create interest in the future of the historical society in Sutton County, and adults of the community are invited to attend. John Eaton will speak.

Mrs. James Hunt is food committee chairman, and Mrs. Collier Shurley is chairman of the telephone committee.

Sonora Feed Co. Sets Open House For October 17-26

Sonora Feed Company will hold open house beginning October 17 and continuing through October 26.

Favors will be given to children and drawings will be held for door prizes. Items to be given away include a G. E. Transceiver, Weber barbeque grille, Presto Teflon electric fry pan, tackle box, 2 water coolers, Kodak Hawkeye camera, cutlery set, and a garden set.

Sonora Feed Store has added Purina Products to its line of feed. Owner, Walter Pope, and manager, Bill Fish, invite everyone to come by and sign up for the prizes to be given away and to see the full line of Purina products to be offered.

Broncos Enter Conference Tilts After Rebuffing Rankin 30-6

The Sonora Broncos overran the Rankin Red Devils Friday night in an explosive 30-6 football game. This win gave the Broncos a 3-2 season mark.

Sonora's opening kick-off was run back 90 yards by Rankin quarterback Adam Pina. The Bronco defense held the Devil's conversion try and the score became 6-0 only 30 seconds after the game began. Sonora came storming back in the second quarter, exploding with 21 points.

The first score came when Erasmo Lumberas punched over from the two after a long Bronco drive. Ed Lee Renfro's extra point made the score 7-6 in Sonora's favor, a lead they never lost.

Sonora "B" Team Whips Ozona 37-8

In a startling contrast with the "B" teams opening game with the Ozona Lions "B" team, the Sonora boys romped over the Lions in a surprising 37-8 upset Thursday.

Starting the action early in the first quarter was James Noel as he went in for six behind good blocking in the lines.

Sonora scored again and again to knock the Lions off their feet, and even the touchdown run of fullback Gregory Stewart failed to start a Lion comeback.

The "B" team found itself with a 3 win and 1 loss season.

This week the "B" team takes on the Junction Eagles on the Eagles home ground.

Renfro raced down the field for a 69 yard touchdown utilizing the style of running that earned him all-state for the past two years. His conversion try was good and the score became 14-6.

A Bronco drive late in the second period was climaxed by a 20 yard plunge by sophomore fullback Kerry Joy. Again Renfro's conversion was good and the Bronco's took a safe 21-6 margin to the field house.

Early in the third quarter, Red Devil Booker T. Dixon found himself trapped in the end zone on the receiving end of a David Wuest punt. The safety gave the Bronco team a 23-6 edge.

The final score of the game was chalked up when Renfro pounced over from the one and added the extra point to make it 30-6.

The fourth quarter was scoreless for both teams.

The tough Bronco defense led by Monte Dillard, Jim Elliott, and Erasmo Lumberas. Other stand-outs were Thurston McCutchen and Papo Sanchez.

Behind quarterback Wuest, Renfro, Joy, Robert Mata, and Lumberas were offensive linemen.

The Broncos play their first conference game against the Menard Yellowjackets in Bronco Stadium tomorrow night. The game is scheduled to begin at 8 p.m.



BRONCO JAMES NOEL (25) of the Sonora "B" team, is brought down by an Ozona "B" team tackler in Thursday night's game

in Bronco stadium. Sonora went on to win the game by a score of 37-6. The "B" team has now won 3 games and lost 1 to Ozona.

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Grassroots Opinions

POMONA, CALIF., Progress-Bulletin: "How many governments do Americans live under? Most people, thinking of the federal, state and city or village governments would answer three. Others, remembering counties and townships, would say four or five. The fact is, it takes seven 'governments' to administer the affairs of the United States and they add up to more than 80,000 separate units, reports Commerce Clearing House. In addition to the federal, state, county, township and municipal governments, there are school districts and special governing units, such as highway and housing authorities. The grand total is 81,299...."

JOHN DAY, ORE., Blue Mountain Eagle: "The turbulence on American college campuses has upset a lot of people, but it seems fashionable today to attribute it to Communists... a speaker at a political convention in New York said there are communists in most of the major campuses in this country and that these communists had been involved in the student protests. The speaker? Gus Hall, general secretary of the American Communist Party."

ROSHOLT, S. D., Review: "Our flag has a glorious tradition of which all can be proud, and all should be proud. This is the flag Francis Scott Key saw that morning in 1814 flying above Fort McHenry after a long day and night

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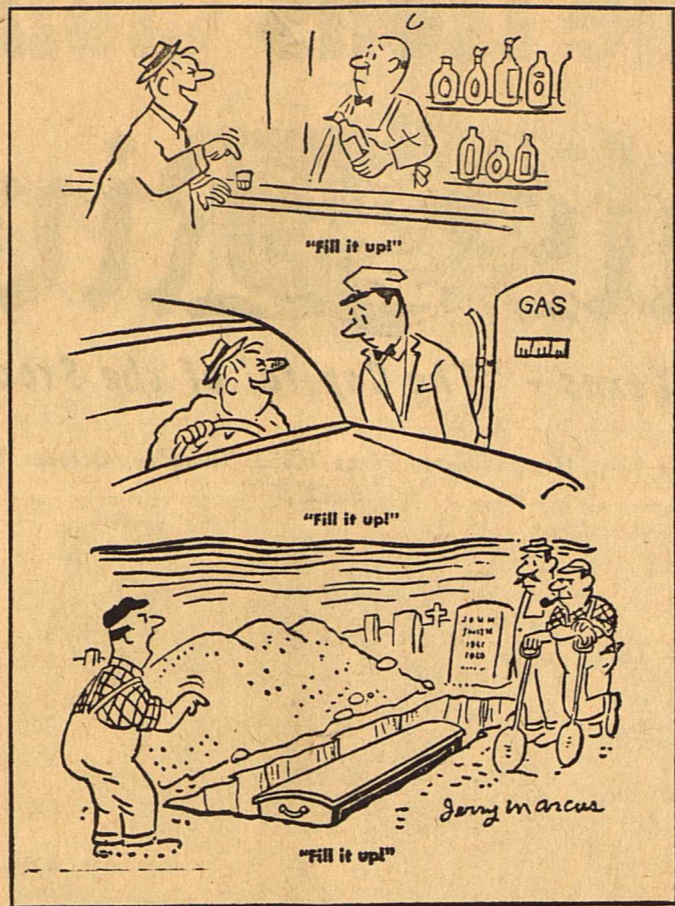
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from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

October 16, 1958
The P-TA members will serve a chicken spaghetti supper before the Ozona game Friday night.

Tommy Love was named president of the 4-H club and Preston Love was named president of the 4-H parents Club for the coming year.

The official opening and dedication of the airport has been rescheduled for October 14, after favorable weather forecasts made postponement of the event from last Sunday necessary.

If you think you have been having bad luck lately, just look at Charlie Howell. Charlie got himself bungled up pretty good in a football game early this year and

spent several weeks in the hospital. Well, Friday, Charlie had to have his appendix removed. (From Odds and Ends column)

Mr. and Mrs. Darcy Carroll, UT students, spent last weekend in Sonora, visiting their parents.

Condition of Aurelia Lira of Sonora, who was hospitalized two weeks ago with infantile paralysis, bulbar type, is reported as good this week. She has been brought back to Sonora to the home of her parents here and will suffer no permanent damage it is reported.

The R. A. Halbert ranch entered ten animals in the State Hereford Show in Waco and walked off with 16 blue ribbons.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Duncan over the weekend were his sisters, Mrs. Herbert Thomas of Detroit, and Mrs. Walter Haynes of Idalou and Mrs. Truett Cocanougher of Lubbock.

Bob Vickers returned from a vacation to find himself ousted from the Roughneck Table at the Lions Club. Also ousted from their seats there, because of an improvement in table manners were Boyd Lovelace, John Eaton, and Bud Smith. All of them kept in touch with the table via a biscuit barrage, however.

October 14, 1958
75,000 pounds of wool was sold at 26 cents a pound—a peak price for this year.

Schooling of 793 children living in the Sonora Independent School District last year cost taxpayers, and the state, \$52,808, or slightly more than \$66.59 for each pupil.

After attending a football game in Eldorado Saturday members of the Step-In-Fetchit Club enjoyed a dance at the Scout Hall.

"A Favorite Recipe of Mine"—Pecan Wafers, by Miss Ada Steen: 2 Tbls. shortening, 1 egg (beaten), 1 tsp. baking powder, ½ tsp. lemon juice, ¼ cup sugar, 2 Tbls. milk, ½ tsp. salt, 18 pecan halves, ¼ cup flour. Cream shortening and sugar. Add eggs, pecans and lemon juice. Sift flour, baking powder and salt, add alternately with milk to first mixture. Mix well, drop from teaspoon. Press flat, put pecan half on each. Bake in moderate oven 10 to 15 mins. (Makes 18 wafers) 65 Years Ago

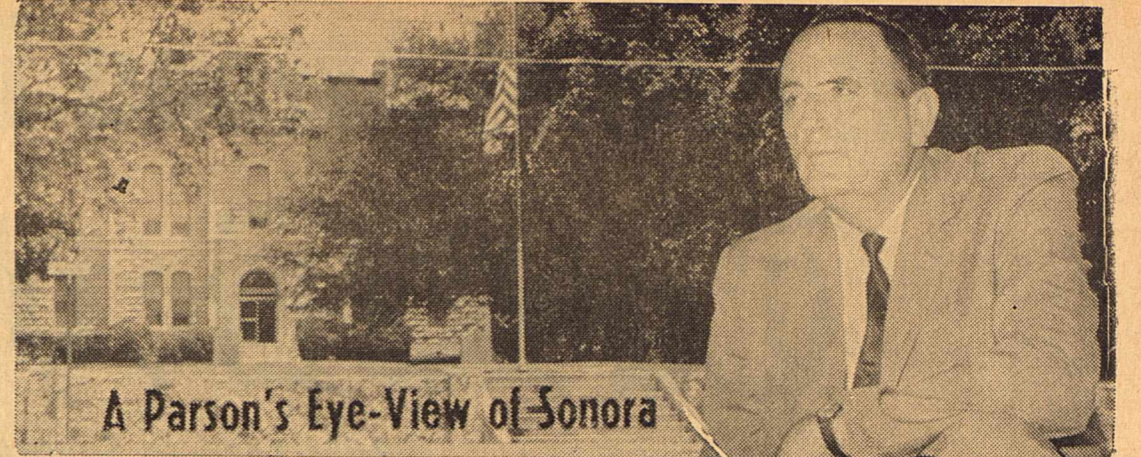
W. A. Anderson of Temple is in Sonora this week prospecting. Mr. Anderson is recommended as an able lawyer of ten years standing and is here with a view of locating. Mr. Anderson is pleased with Sonora and the people.

E. A. Earwood and sons, T. C. and Floyd, were in from their ranches in the Juno country with 8,000 pounds of mohair.

Mrs. J. C. Bridge sold her property in west Sonora to Tom Clements for \$1,400. There are four lots, good house and well.

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A Parson's Eye-View of Sonora

BY THE REV. ROSS T. WELCH

The other day near Eldorado I saw a few cotton patches ready to be picked and my back began to ache. With only one exception that I recall, it has been about forty years since I put the strap of cotton sack across my shoulder, but my dislike for this form of labor has not diminished.

When I think of my mis-spent youth, I think of the months I spent in my father's cotton patch. Part of it, I am sure, was laziness. But I knew I had to work. I operated a chopping hoe from the day school dismissed in mid-May until it was time to start harvesting the crops. I cannot truly say I liked that type of farm work, but I knew I had it to do, and tried to get the work done as quickly as possible.

When my father's field was clean, we started working for some of the neighbors who needed help. If there was no work to be done in the fields, there was always fences to be built, or concrete to be mixed and poured for new tanks or troughs. If we made any crops, there were maize heads to be cut and bundled sorghum to be shocked and later stacked or put in ditch silos.

I am not trying to imply that I worked any harder than other boys my age did, I only mean to say that my father thought a working boy would give him no trouble and he tried to keep us busy. I do not remember resenting any of it except picking cotton.

I was tall and skinny and when I doubled up for a long period of time, my back hurt excruciatingly. Furthermore, I could work from sun to sun, stopping only to eat the lunch that my mother prepared and brought to the field, and not get over 150 pounds of cotton.

Another reason I resented picking cotton, and the kids will not believe this, was that I had to miss about two weeks of school every month from September to January. By the time I entered primary school, I had resolved that I was not going to make my living as a dry-land farmer. God being my helper.

Therefore, going to school was a joy and a privilege, because it represented the only leverage I

could see to lift the cotton sack off my back. Maybe it was good discipline and I might be a better person for having mis-spent my youth dragging a not-too-heavy cotton sack, but my back still aches when I see cotton ready to be picked.

The only time I recall picking cotton after I was out of high school and on my own was when we lived at Robert Lee and I took my children to the fields to see what it was like. Seems strange that with all this built-in resentment, I should have picked for my wife a girl named Cotton.

It started to look like a disastrous evening at Rankin last Friday night. The Red Devils received the first kick-off and ran it back for a touchdown. We received the next kick-off and the first play from scrimmage we passed into the arms of a maroon-clad Devil. That was just about where the game ended so far as Rankin was concerned.

The Broncos came back with the spirit and the drive that fans have come to look for in Sonora football teams and the remainder of the ball game was theirs. That 30 to 6 score against Rankin, top rated team in their district, should put Sonora back into the ratings as a top contender in A competition.

Looking from our grandstand, it was a thrilling and exciting game. Here's hoping we do as well against the highly touted Mason team whom we meet in district competition this year.

On behalf of the members of the Wesleyan Service Guild, who hosted the District Youth Rally last weekend; on behalf of Mrs. Welch and Jane Sawyer, who served as housing chairmen; and on my own behalf, as host pastor, I want to express sincere thanks to all the people of Sonora who opened their homes to these weekend guests.

Some seventy young people and a few sponsors from this area got a very favorable impression of Sonora because of your gracious hospitality. Many of the visitors expressed a feeling of envy concerning our 4-H barn, wishing they had

similar facilities.

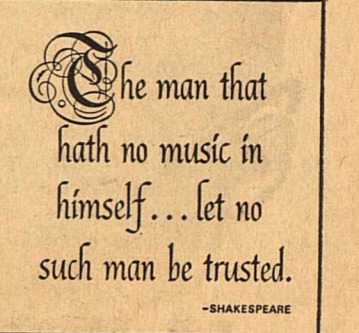
The latest word we have heard from Temple is that A. W. "Big A" Awalt is making a very nice recovery from his recent surgery.

One of the big events of the year in Sonora is the Lions Club Auction scheduled for next Tuesday night. People from all over Sutton County donate generously, then they come and bid spiritedly; because they realize that many worthwhile community programs and projects are supported through the Lions Club with the funds raised at this annual event.

This is the season for stained hands and finger nails—and mine are no exception. If one works with pecans very much, he will almost surely come up with some discolored fingers, and the stain is hard to remove.

The First National Bank staff had a nice party for President Jack Neill celebrating fifty years of service in this bank. The employees presented their boss with a lovely oil painting by Porfirio Salinas, a well known San Antonio artist.

CLASSIC GUIDELINES



This appears to be a hard saying at first blush, more poetic than practical. But it is a fact that loss of taste for music is probably injurious to the moral character, by enfeebling the emotional part of our nature. It was Darwin who said that.

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- Bobby G. Prater, V-A; Cecil L. Brown, V-A; Lionel Sanchez, V-A; Jerry E. Potmesil, I-A; and Herman E. Moore, Jr., I-C Ind.; Samuel D. Caldwell, IV-A; Jack Baker, IV-A; Iseal Esquivel, IV-A; John E. Morris, I-C, Enl.; and

Manuel B. Sanchez Jr., III-A; Jimmy Frank Richardson, I-Y; Reginald G. Trainer, I-A; James R. Taylor, IV-A; and

Larry B. Moore, I-A; Bob E. Nevill, I-A; Maxie Delrie, I-A; Guadalupe G. Torres, IV-A; and William C. Glasscock, I-C Ind.; Jose A. San Miguel, III-A; Pedro G. Romero, I-A; Tommy R. Glasscock, I-S-H; Sam Juan Luna Borrego, I-S-H; and

Eddie Paul Long, I-A, and Luis R. Riva, I-Y.

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The Devil's River News is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the action of the General Election Tuesday, November 5, 1968: FOR STATE SENATE, 25th Senatorial District—W. E. (Pete) Snelson (Democrat) Ernest Angelo (Republican)

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be insurmountable."

WINTHROP, MINN., News: "Fulfilling a need is one of the compelling forces of the private enterprise system, a system under which U. S. business has excelled in finding ways to bring products, services and customers together."

EVERETT, WASH., Herald: "Although more than 500,000 students now are recorded as high school dropouts each year, a sizeable number of them return to some form of formal education later. Some enroll in other schools, others go on to adult education programs—a significant number of whom graduate. Others earn their high school diploma during military service. This one finding alone indicates the shallowness of previous studies. Dropouts do not necessarily remain dropouts."

GRANGEVILLE, IDAHO, Free Press: "Competition, the good American democratic way of life, keeps people alert, on their toes and interested in what is going on."

TOWER CITY, PA., West Schuyler Herald: "Savings must be set aside before spending begins, or there will never be any savings. And wouldn't we appreciate it if our federal and state governments were to observe the law! Today everything seems to be under federal control except its budget. As a result, as someone has so aptly put it, 'Our government has now reached the place where the only additional source of revenue it can think of is taxes.'"

THE DEVIL'S RIVER PHILOSOPHER SEZ . . .

He Thinks It Best To Defend Young People, More Or Less, And Maybe

Editor's note: The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitterweed ranch on Dry Devil's River examines the youth problem this week, in his own peculiar way.

Dear editor:
I don't know what I'd have done for reading matter if it hadn't turned up, I was completely out of newspapers for the time being, but there it was, a copy of a high-brow monthly magazine stuck to the underside of a big fall and winter mail order catalog I found in my mail box. I don't know who it belongs to but if I did I'd forward it on to him at once as I know that without it he won't know what to think for the month of October.

Anyway, I was flipping through it and ran into an article on the generation gap, a phase I've never understood because as soon as the young people close the gap on adults they're no longer young.

Anyway, this article was arguing that young people these days are smarter than previous generations of young people, citing as one ex-

ample the fact that despite the fact college entrance requirements are said to be stiffer than ever before, there are more and more kids going to college. Why some colleges are so crowded now the football stadium isn't half big enough. College degrees are becoming so common you'd never guess which kids have one unless you saw their diplomas.

The article also cited the fact kids are becoming more alert these days, they're more interested in politics, they're asking more questions, some of them so fast that if you don't hurry they'll answer before you do. Some of them want us to end the Viet Nam war in one week when we're just now ending the Civil War.

I have thought this article over, while still hoping a good newspaper would turn up, and have decided it's not altogether accurate.

Kids aren't smarter these days, they've just found out us adults aren't as smart as they thought and we pretended. It happens every generation. We try to keep it a secret but no group ever has. When they're older, the next younger generation will find them out too.

There's nothing wrong with youth. It's like the colic, you grow out of it.

Yours faithfully
J. A.

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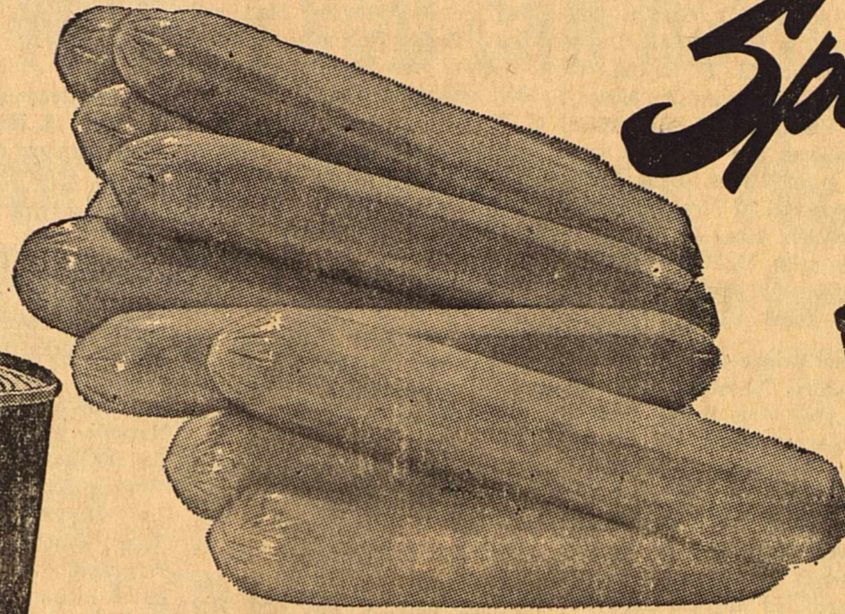
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Various activities were held by the Sonora Fire Department October 8 and 9, as part of Fire Prevention Week.

On Tuesday, a movie was shown to the Downtown Lions Club, L. W. Elliott School, Central Elementary school, the staff of Hudspeth Memorial Hospital, and to the West Side Lions Club.

On Wednesday, open house was held at the fire station, with a supper and program for the firemen and their families held later that night.

387-2424

Mrs. Bill Morris and her troop of Brownies visited the fire station Wednesday and went for a ride on the fire truck.

Mrs. Bill Wade and her cub scout den visited the station on Thursday and were treated to a ride.

387-2424

The Hill Country Firemen's Association semi-annual convention was hosted by Brownwood October 12. Approximately 300 firemen and their wives from 21 cities attended the session. The meeting was held in the Brownwood Coliseum with the business meeting and reports held in the morning session. Darcy Carroll, president, presided over the meeting. Speaker for the morning session was Brownwood Mayor pro tem W. W. Jamar.

After the afternoon business session, the meeting was adjourned for the pumper races. Winners of the events were:

Men's pumper race (six-man team)

—1. Eldorado, 2. Sonora, 3. Eden.
Men's pumper race (three man)
—1. Del Rio, 2. Winters, 3. Brady.
Men's pumper race (one man)
—1. Ballinger, 2. Eldorado, 3. Eden.
Men's Water polo—1. Santa Anna, 2. Brady.

Women's pumper race—1. Santa Anna, 2. Eldorado, 3. Coleman.
Women's water polo—1. Eldorado, 2. Eden.

Women's nozzle race—1. Mrs. Vernon Humphrys, Sonora; 2. Mrs. Belle Harris, Eldorado.

Sonora won the award for man miles traveled. Cash prizes were presented winners of all races after a barbeque supper.

Attending the convention from Sonora were Mr. and Mrs. Gene West, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Olenick, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Byer, Keith and Lee Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Radle, Norma and Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Humphrey, Horace, Bobby, Johnny, and Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Darcy Carroll, Julie Ann and Darci Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Donaldson, Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Luttrell, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Rogers, Jess Ann McCutchen, Mrs. Wayne Bryant, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hearn.

Spec. 5 Harris Re-enlists

Spec. 5 Jeff S. Harris, son of Mae Harris and Pete Harris of Big Lake has re-enlisted in the Army for six years. Harris has recently been sent to Germany where he was joined by his wife and daughter.



Phone News to Hazel McClelland, 387-2513

Just Us Bridge Club

Mrs. R. A. Halbert entertained the Just Us Bridge Club at her home October 7. A dessert plate was served to Mmes. G. H. Davis, Sim Glasscock, J. F. Howell, Ed Mayfield, Cleve Jones Jr., Howard Kirby, Paul Turney, Rip Ward, George Wynn and Bob Vicars. Guests were Mmes. Belle Steen, and Lottie Kelley. Mrs. Davis won high for club, Mrs. Ward won the traveling prize, Mrs. Kirby won the bingo prize and Mrs. Kelley won high for guests.

Idle Hour Bridge Club

Mrs. Rex Cusenbary was hostess to Idle Hour Bridge Club at her home, October 8. Pie and coffee were served to Mmes. R. A. Halbert, Bob Vicars, G. H. Davis, Sterling Baker, Ben Cusenbary, J. F. Howell, Ed Mayer of San Angelo, Joe B. Ross, Frankie Gibson, Belle Steen, Ed Mayfield and Frank Bond. Mrs. Baker won high for club, Mrs. Cusenbary won second high for club, and Mrs. Steen won high for guests, and Mrs. Bond binged.

Thursday Night Bridge Club

Mrs. Howard Kirby entertained with bridge at her home October 8. A dessert plate was served. Members present were Mmes. Lottie Kelley, Robert Kelley, James Morris, Collier Shurley, Pauline Thompson, L. E. Johnson Jr., Ruby Dameron, Frankie Gibson, Eulah Newell. Guests were Mmes. R. A. Halbert, Louie Trainer, and Ernest McClelland. Mrs. Johnson won high for club, Mrs. Gibson won the slam prize, and Mrs. Lottie Kelley won the bingo prize. Mrs. Trainer won high for guests.

I had a nice long letter from Mrs. Evelyn Russell of Grapevine. She is a former Sonoran and she wanted to tell us how she enjoyed the Devil's River News. It was good to hear from you Evelyn, do it again soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vicars were in Mason Sunday for a family reunion of the Awalt family.

Zane Teutsch of Pasadena has been visiting his grandmother and aunt, Mrs. Libbye Lowe and Evelyn Jane. They took Zane home Saturday.

Four Teachers Attend Meeting In Hondo Saturday

Local teachers attended a Regional meeting of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society in Hondo Saturday. Mrs. Edgar Glasscock, president of the local chapter, conducted a discussion group on the subject "Status Quo or Status Grow".

Others from Sonora who participated were Mrs. Mary Ruth McGilvray, Mrs. James Wilson, and Mrs. Autrey Bridges.

Mrs. Sadie Ray Powell, past state president, gave the luncheon address entitled "Today, Not Tomorrow!"

Those attending the meeting were reminded of their responsibilities as teachers and citizens of the community.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients receiving treatment during the period from Tuesday, October 8 to Monday, October 14, include the following:

- Marjorie Wallace *
 - Thomas Love, Roosevelt
 - Maurice Gentry, Rocksprings
 - Jim Caldwell
 - Robert Emerson
 - Victoria Chavez, Eldorado
 - Alma Romero *
 - G. A. Browne
 - E. T. Davis, Eldorado
 - Ella Lu Hollmig
 - Elsa Torres *
 - Belle Thiers, Roosevelt *
 - Emma Harris *
 - Bernice Sweat, Eldorado *
 - Herman Perez *
 - Anna Rose Gillet *
 - Rachel Fawcett, Eldorado *
 - James T. Hunt *
 - Irene Duran *
 - Angelita Blanco *
 - Margie Moran, Ozona *
 - Fenna Whitten, Eldorado *
 - Maria Mendoza
- * Patients released during the same period.



THIS YEAR'S OFFICERS for Future Homemakers of America made their uniforms, consisting of red jackets and white skirts, and emblems of red and white. Mrs. A. E. Prugel is sponsor for the group. Their theme for the year is "Jobs, Careers, and You." Reading

form left to right the FHA officers are Isabel Chavarria, parliamentarian; Norma Jean Gonzales, secretary; Marie Espinosa, vice-president; Letty Martinez, president; Gloria Gonzales, treasurer, and Letticia Galindo, game chairman.

WMU Meets Oct. 9 At Burton Home

The Women's Missionary Union of First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. B. E. Burton, new president of the organization, October 9 at 9:30 a.m.

Taking part in the program were Mrs. Bill Williams, Mrs. A. C. Elliott, and Mrs. Rip Ward who presented a gift to Mrs. Williams past president, from the members of WMU in appreciation of the work done by Mrs. Williams.

Study topic was "New Patterns for Changing Times" presented by Mrs. Jim Baldwin. The Mission Action for the month of October will be clothing for the welfare, and Mrs. Vernon Cook told of the present needs.

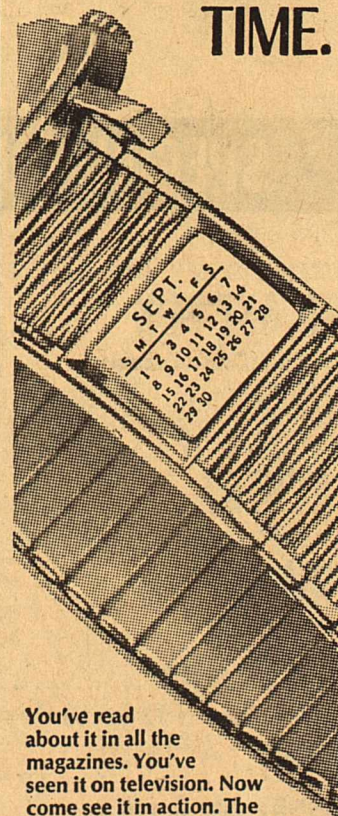
Mrs. Joe Lane will be in charge of the meeting October 23 at the church at 7:30 p.m.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Williams, Cook, Elliott, Ward, Baldwin, Lane, Jerry Hopkins, Jessie Conger, Doyle L. Morgan, Travis Morgan, Eddie Rus-

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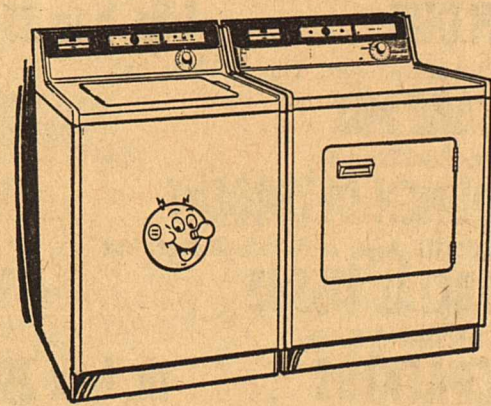
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Teen Scene

by Kay Kerbow



Class favorites were chosen last week. These elections are held by the separate classes and not by the whole student body.

The freshmen honored Rick Street and Marilyn Morgan with the sophomores choosing Scott Jacoby and Trouba Teaff. The juniors elected Gayle Hamilton and Barry Black. Seniors favored Vera Beth Wade and Mark Jacoby.

The Halloween carnival is to be held Thursday, October 31. The spook parade is scheduled to begin at 5 p.m. with the queen's proclamation of the carnival's opening immediately afterward. The

queen's platform will be located in front of Morrison's Variety Store. The spook parade may be entered by any child up to and including sixth grade. The student body extends to all spooks an invitation to attend. Just bring yourself—and your money.

After the carnival there will be trick and treating by some of the younger spooks. Some of these younger spooks sure are big for their age! Oh, you'd better watch out for the teenage spooks who would much rather trick than to treat!

The Sonora Broncos added another win to their credit Friday night when they demolished the Rankin Red Devils 30-6. The first district game will be played against the Menard Yellowjackets in Bronco Stadium Friday night.

The "B" team Broncos got revenge on the Ozona "B" team by handing them a 38-7 defeat last Thursday night. The Jr. High Colts were less fortunate and suffered a 38-16 decision to the Ozona Cubs. There will be a seventh grade, eight, and "B" team game in Junction tonight. The seventh grade game is to begin at 5 p.m. and the "B" team game at 7:30 p.m.

The twirlers are practicing hard for their performance Friday night which includes a special fire baton routine. The twirlers aren't the only ones who are practicing hard. The band has attended several extra practices to insure an entertaining half time performance.

The band will attend an Inter-scholastic League marching contest November 23.

Methodist Guild, WSCS Schedule Two Observances

Members of the Women's Society of Christian Service and the Wesleyan Service Guild of First Methodist Church will participate in one of the most important annual observances of United Methodist women throughout the United States.

The two major events of the observance are the Program Meeting for interpretation of mission projects for which a special offering will be made, and the Quiet Day, a service of prayer, meditation, and a silent meal.

The Program Meeting and Quiet Day with meditation and silent meal will be combined at 6:30 o'clock October 21 at the Fellowship Hall. All women are asked to participate. Mrs. Tom Davis and Mrs. Autrey Bridges are in charge of arrangements.

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VETERANS LAND BOARD SALE

The Veterans Land Board will receive sealed bids at the General Land Office, Austin, Texas, until 11:00 o'clock A.M., November 19, 1968, for the sale of 65 tracts of land. There will be 32 tracts offered to eligible Texas veterans only in Brown, Callahan, Cameron, Clay, Dickens, Gaines, Guadalupe, Hidalgo, Hunt, Jasper, La Salle, Liberty, Milam, Potter, Rains, Randall, Reeves, Yoakum and Zavalla Counties. There will be 33 tracts offered to non-veterans and eligible Texas veterans in Cameron, Dimmit, Hidalgo, Maverick and Newton Counties.

Tracts may be financed through the Veterans Land Board. For information and listing of tracts write to:

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Commissioner of the General Land Office
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Austin, Texas 78701

District Convocation of Methodist Youth Meets Here Saturday and Sunday

"Hide or Go Seek" was the theme of the 1968 district Methodist Youth Fellowship convocation held at Sonora's First Methodist Church Saturday and Sunday.

The meeting began Saturday with registration and a pre-discussion



RANDY ROUNTREE, president of the San Angelo District Methodist Youth Fellowship, headed the convocation meeting at First Methodist Church Saturday and Sunday.

gabfest followed by the first assembly.

The Reverend Norman Roe, associate pastor of the University Methodist Church of Austin, delivered the convocation address, "Hide or Go Seek."

Saturday afternoon after entertainment and discussion the group toured the Caverns of Sonora. That night members were entertained with a western barbeque and program at the 4-H Center.

Sunday morning the convocation met in the church auditorium for Sunday school and the worship service. A luncheon and afternoon assembly followed the services.

New officers elected for the coming year include Rodney Miller, president, Big Lake Methodist Church; John Fluth, vice president, Angelo Heights Methodist; Nettie Lewis, secretary, Del Rio Methodist; and Carolyn Luckenbach, treasurer, McCamey Methodist.

Sonora youth participating in the convocation arrangements included Kathy Morgan, Jane Sawyer, Lesa Whitehead, Sharleen Hann, and Susan Prugel.

Rehabilitation Representative Sets Sonora Visit

Mrs. Sara A. Schwiening, counselor for the Texas Education Agency Division of Vocational Rehabilitation located in Del Rio, will be in Sonora on Wednesday, October 23. She will be at the Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital from 9 to 11 a.m.

Gift Tea Honors Mrs. R. D. Johnson

Mrs. Robert D. Johnson, Jr. was honored with an informal gift tea in the Espy home October 15.

Hostesses were Mesdames Sammie Espy, R. L. Teaff, Nolan Johnson, Dick Black, and J. F. Howell. Punch and cookies were served to about fifty guests.

Mrs. Mickey Powers, Mrs. B. B. Ingham III, Miss Susan Prugel, and Miss Kari Eustace were at the serving table. Mr. Jimmy Cahill was at the guest book.

Out of town guests included Mrs.

Card of Thanks

The cards, flowers, food, and kindness shown by friends during my stay in the Hudspeth Memorial Hospital mean more to me than words can express. My sincere thanks to you and to the staff and doctors whose work sped my recovery.

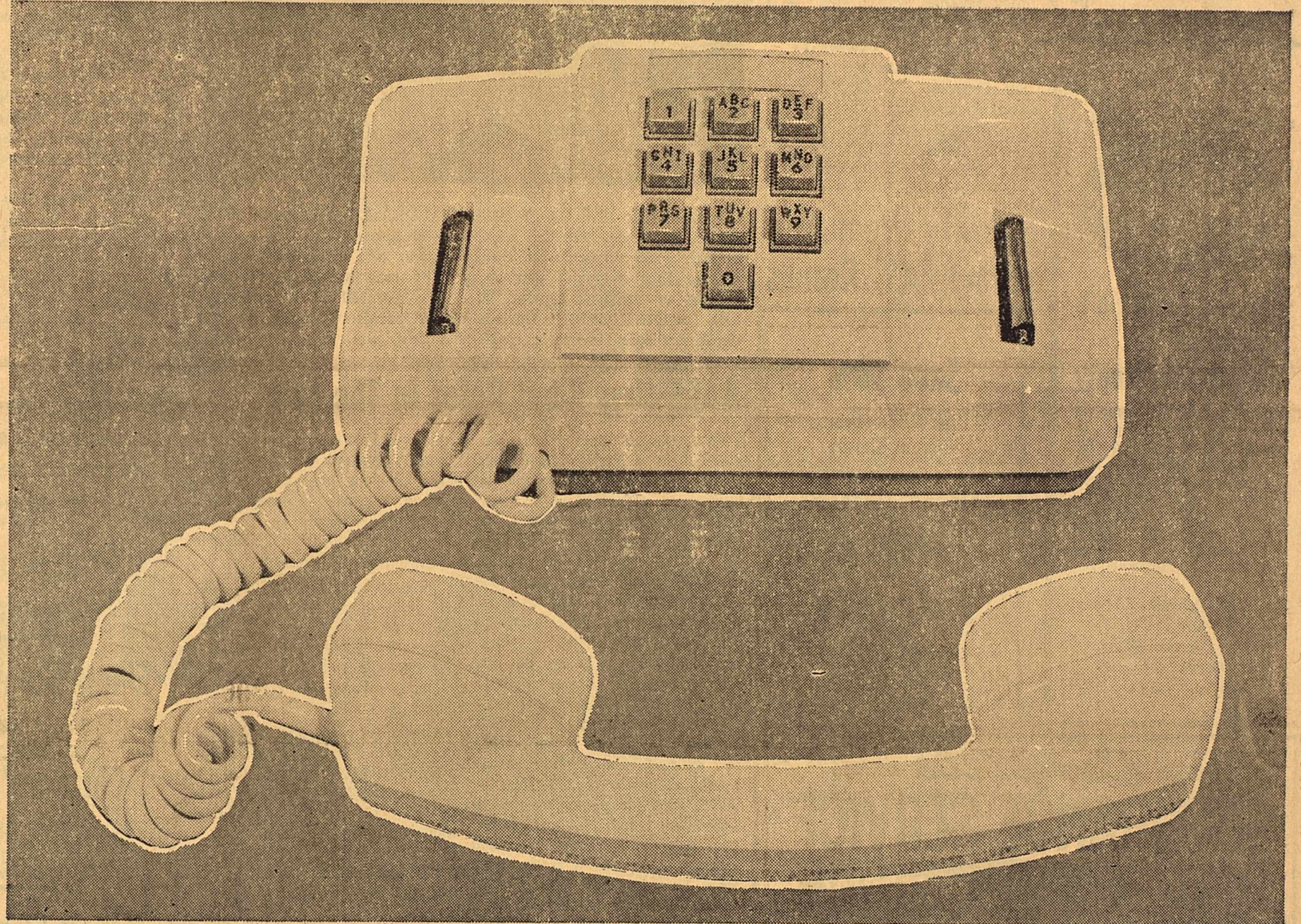
Mrs. Belle Thiers 1c6

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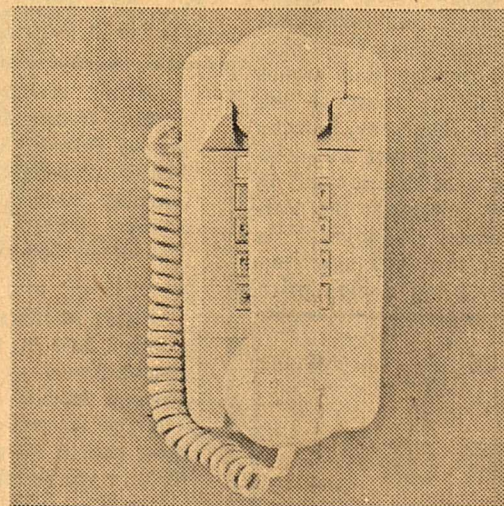
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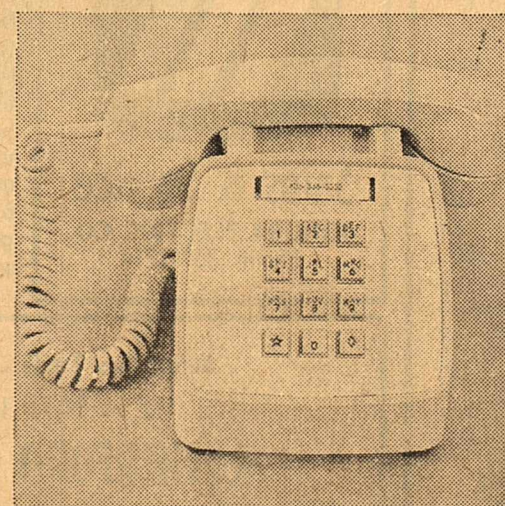
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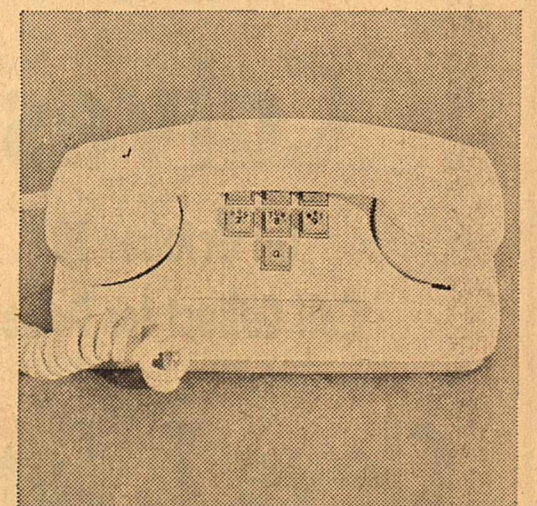
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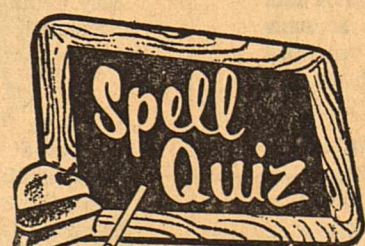
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 Charles Ray Bennett
 Theresa Mittel
 Mrs. Joe Friess
 Mrs. Jack Hite
 Delia Duran
 Mickey Powers

Friday, October 18
 Mrs. Jack H. Sharp
 Johnny Merck
 H. B. Smith
 Calvin Berry
 Charles Lee Cusenbary

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Saturday, October 19
 Mrs. T. L. Harrison
 T. C. Thiers
 Pamela Truden
 Thad Decker
 Michael Lee Vasquez
 April Lea Finklea
 Karen Gillespie

Sunday, October 20
 Mrs. Curtis Nicholas
 Foster Shurley
 Becky Cavaness

Monday, October 21
 Mrs. James L. Powell
 Gary Wuest
 Lacy Steed
 Mrs. Hillman Brown
 Mrs. Bill Barker

Tuesday, October 22
 Jack Adkins
 Mrs. John Murray
 Mrs. G. H. Davis
 Mrs. Clarence Scott
 Ruben Mendez
 Elizabeth Avila
 Alex Castro
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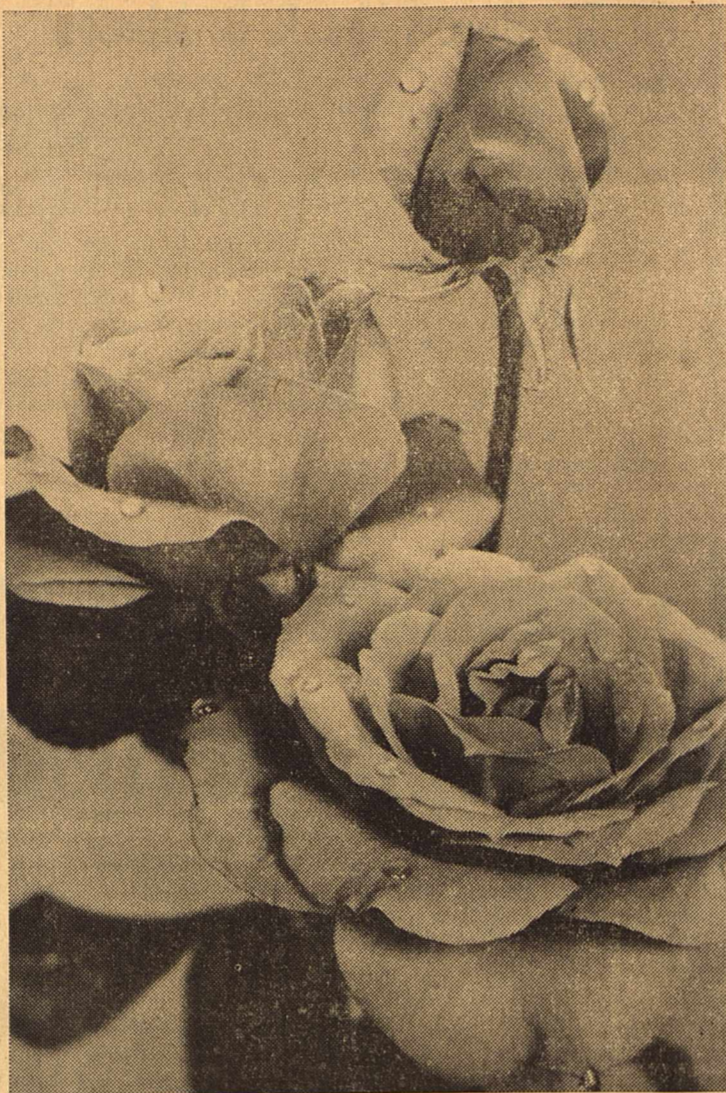
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AARS Says Plant Roses In The Fall

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Recommendations by AARS for planting are as follows:
 1. Prepare and fertilize bed. Dig hole 15 to 18 inches wide and as deep. Add quart of peat moss mixed with one-half cup of fertilizer. Mix well with soil. Form a mound in center and position rose on the mound.

2. See that roots are spread out naturally and that bud union (the swelling at base of stems) is level with ground. Scatter several inches loose soil over roots and firm well with foot.
 3. Fill remainder of hole with water and allow to drain. See that the bud union remains at ground level.
 4. Fill remainder of hole with soil and tamp. The plant is now ready for the mound of soil which will protect it against rapid freezing and thawing during the winter.
 5. Mound soil around and over plant to a height of 12 inches. Remove protective mound in spring after growth starts.

Ben Cusenbarys Tour Hawaii

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cusenbary left from Midland by plane September 27, in a group of ninety people on a guided tour of Hawaii. Mrs. Cusenbary said they were the only Texans on the tour and were spotted immediately as such by "Ben's boots and Texas-sized hat!"

They toured the islands in the vicinity and spent four days in Honolulu, before returning here October 6.

The failure of many teen-age marriages usually is based on three factors,—incompatibility, personality failures and immaturity. Teenagers often do not have a sense of responsibility, the ability to adapt to an adult role, the unselfishness and the stability required for a successful marriage.



DOYLE MORGAN, president of the Downtown Lions Club, said items were now being received from businesses and individuals for the annual Lions Club auction sale. Although four groups plan to call on most of the businesses by Thursday, Morgan urged individuals and businessmen who were overlooked to bring saleable items to the Morgan & Hunt building. He pointed out that a unique item consistently bring a high price.

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Eldorado To Host Make-It-With-Wool District Contest

Mrs. A. E. Prugel, county chairman for the District "Make It With Wool Contest", said the contest will be held in Eldorado December 7. She added that those who are eligible to enter are any home seamstresses beginning with age 10, and that those who sew professionally are not eligible.

The fabric must be 100 percent American loomed wool. "If you are in doubt, ask the store where you purchase your fabric", said Mrs. Prugel.

She may be contacted for further information regarding the contest.

Card of Thanks

We deeply appreciated the many acts of your thoughtfulness and the kindness shown to us in various christian ways during our recent loss.

The family of J. C. Harris

Pastor Stuart Firnhaber To Lead CROP Youth Project October 31

The Ministerial Alliance has recently announced the appointment of Pastor Stuart F. Firnhaber of Hope Lutheran Church as general chairman of the local annual CROP Youth project in Sonora. Uniting in the project will be the youth groups of six churches in the community; and it is expected that thirty-five Junior and Senior High School Students will take part.

CROP is the Hunger Appeal of Church World Service which collects farm commodities and cash, through volunteer workers, for the overseas relief and rehabilitation programs of the churches. Gifts to CROP are put to use under church supervision strictly on the basis of need.

Halloween has come to mean CROP and a time of Christian sharing to the young people of Texas. It has come to be a time of collecting for others in a Christian ministry of compassion when hunger threatens over two-thirds of the world's population.

Contributions received through this youth effort of concern will be used to help provide for the handling and distribution of govern-

ment-donated foods of the Food for Peace program as well as to provide other assistance—high protein foods, emergency supplies, agricultural tools, seeds—not otherwise available to the overseas programs of the churches.

Last year the local youth collected \$147.13 for CROP and helped Texas to collect over \$65,000 for the program. These amounts helped CROP to provide almost ten million pounds of food and self-help materials. They also helped CROP provide food under the Food for Peace Program, and to turn over almost one-quarter million dollars to church overseas agencies other than Church World Service for their relief ministries.



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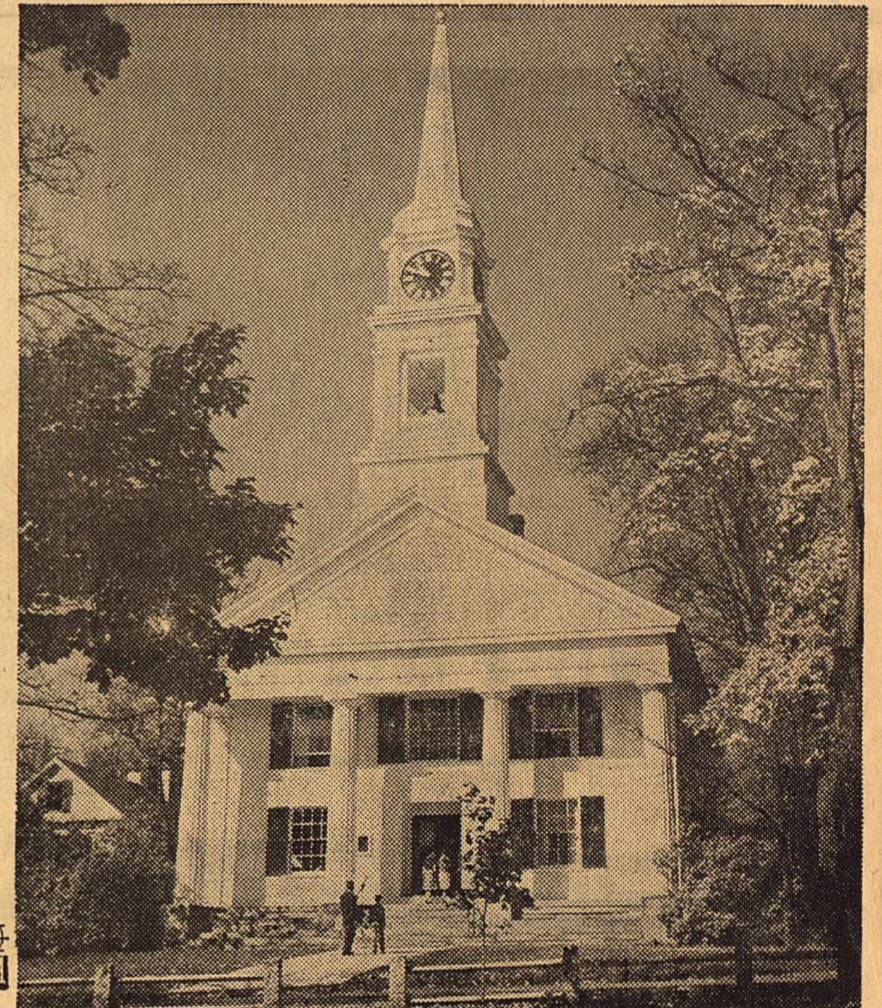
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"Everything else can wait . . . but your search for God cannot wait." There is still time. Come to church this Sunday and share in the bounty of His strengthening love. It is yours for the asking.

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Sunday Proverbs 10:20-32	Monday Ecclesiastes 9:11-18	Tuesday Isaiah 32:15-20	Wednesday Jeremiah 9:23-26	Thursday Matthew 11:25-30	Friday Mark 6:30-44	Saturday James 2:1-7
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The Devil's River News

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Rev. Rodney Dowdy, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
 Training Union 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Services 7:00 p.m.

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 Rev. Stuart Firnhaber, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Church Services 11:00 a.m.
 "The Lutheran Hour" 6:30 p.m.
 Sundays on Radio KGKL, 950
 "This Is the Life" 7:30 a.m.
 Sundays on KCTV, Channel 8

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 Rev. Ross T. Welch, Pastor
 Church School 9:45 a.m.
 Worship Service 10:50 a.m.
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 Rev. Norman Griffith, Rector
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 Holy Communion First Sunday 11 a.m.

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 Rev. Toney McMillan, Minister
 Morning Worship 8:30 a.m.
 Church School 9:30 a.m.

FIRST LATIN AMERICAN BAPTIST CHURCH
 Rev. Porfirio Perez, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Worship Services 11:00 a.m.
 Training Union 6:30 p.m.
 Worship Services 7:30 p.m.
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 Ralph Weinholt, Minister
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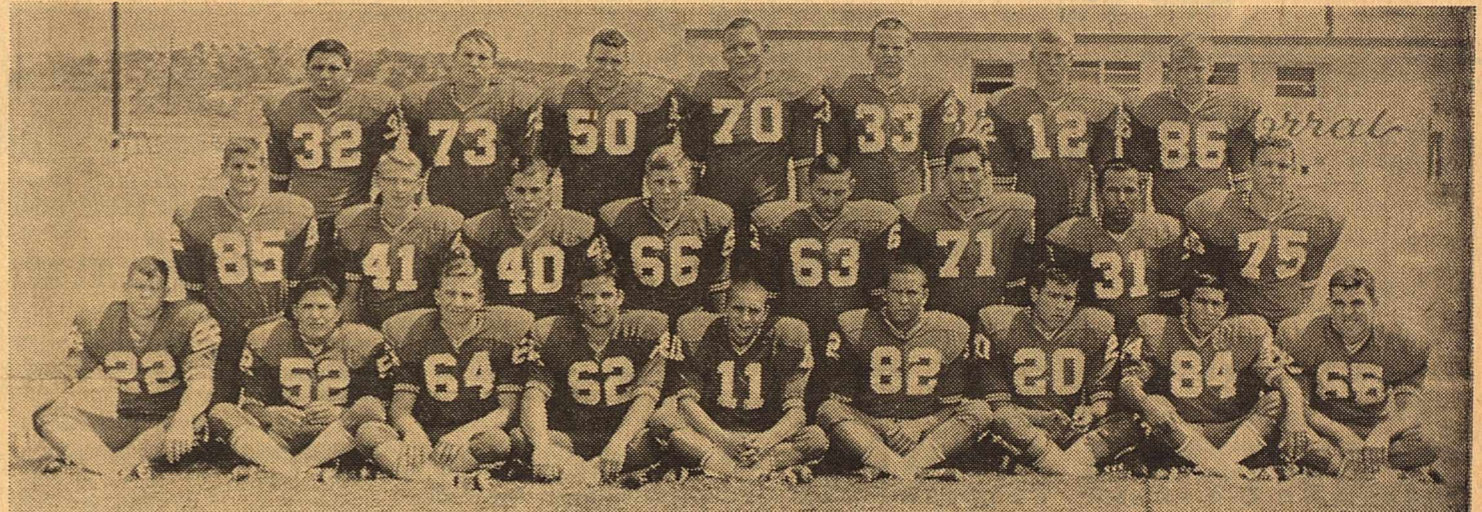
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THE 1968 SONORA HIGH SCHOOL football team members include left to right, (First row) Ed Lee Renfro, Israel Sanchez, Mark Jacoby, Scott Shurley, Thurston McCutchen, Richard Perez, Robert Mata, Herman Perez, and Charlie Goodson.

(Second row) Jesso Cook, Scott Jacoby, Dick Bundy, Ted Fish, Marty Martinez, Ruben Chavez, Lupe Espinosa, and Jim Elliott. (Third row) Erasmo Lumberras, Barry Black, Bill Green, Monte Dillard, Kerry Joy, David Wuest, and Larry Everett. Not shown is Mitch Trainer.

1968 Football Schedule

Varsity Football Schedule		8th Grade Football Schedule	
Sept. 13, Sonora 24; Winters 0		Sept. 19, Sonora 20, Ozona 42	
Sept. 20, Sonora 6, Big Lake 15		Sept. 26, Sonora 8, Big Lake 28	
Sept. 27, Sonora 21, Ballinger 23		October 3, Sonora 14, Eldorado 8	
October 4, Sonora 21, Ozona 20		October 10, Sonora 16, Ozona 38	
October 11, Sonora 30, Rankin 6		October 17, Junction, There	
October 18, Menard, Here		October 24, Mason, There	
October 25, Mason, There		November 7, Eldorado, Here	
November 1, Eden, Here		November 14, Junction, Here	
November 8, Eldorado, There			
November 15, Junction, There			

All games will start at 8 p.m. except for the last three games which will begin at 7:30 p.m.

B-Team Football Schedule		Football Schedule—7th Grade	
Sept. 19, Sonora 0, Ozona 26		September 19, Cancelled	
Sept. 26, Sonora 26, Big Lake 0		Sept. 26, Sonora 14, Big Lake 8	
Sept. 26, Sonora 28, Big Lake 8		October 24, Mason, There	
October 10, Sonora 38, Ozona 7			
October 17, Junction, There			
October 24, Mason, Here			
November 7, Eldorado, Here			
November 14, Junction, Here			

Games scheduled for 5 p.m. except for final game which will begin at 5:30 p.m.

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Antlerless Deer Permits Available

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department announced that antlerless deer permits will be issued for Sutton County on Friday and

Saturday, October 18 and 19, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., in Sonora at the County Courthouse. Landowners or their agents are urged to be present to obtain their permits during the period scheduled for permit issuance. A map of the county showing compartments and rate issuance will be posted in the courthouse. Permits must be drawn in the county where they are to be used.

McMinn Names Junior High Honor Roll

The Junior High School has announced the honor roll for the first six-week period, according to Robert McMinn, principal.

In the eighth grade Wade and Wesley Richardson, Jimmy Galindo, Mark Rousselot, Steve Street, Bruce Baldwin, Jerry Johns, and Sarah Allison made the necessary grades. Those from the seventh grade on the honor roll were Ruthie Wallace, and Jim Firnhaber.

Richardsons Visit Grandson
Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Richardson Sr., were at College Station this weekend attending the Texas A&M—Texas Tech game, and visited their grandson, Michael, who is a freshman at Texas A&M University. Mike is playing with the Texas A&M 264-piece marching band.

Wildlife Party Set For November 5

Directors of the Chamber of Commerce, the Downtown Lions Club, and the Edwards Plateau Wildlife Association met last week to discuss final plans for the annual pre-hunt party to be held November 5 at 6 p.m. at the 4-H Center.

Hunters, ranchers, and Chamber of Commerce and Lions club members have met for the pre-hunt party since 1961.

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Gwin Kring, 20 Dies In Korea

Sgt. Marshall Gwin Kring, 20, grandson of Mrs. Sadie Archer, died October 7, 1968, at 121st Evacuation Hospital in Escon, South Korea of injuries suffered in a football game October 6.

Kring was a player for the Frontiersmen football team in South Korea.

Sgt. Kring was born June 27, 1948 in Sonora and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gwin (Brother) Kring of Alpine. His family moved to Alpine in September, 1962. He attended Alpine schools.

He was an outstanding football player for Alpine High School and graduated in May, 1967. He enlisted in the Army July 22, 1967. He was married to Elaine Babcock December 16, 1967, in Alpine and went overseas in February. He came home on furlough in May and returned to Korea in June. Military graveside services were held at 3 p.m. Wednesday, with burial in Elm Grove Cemetery under the direction of Geeslin Funeral Home.

Other survivors include his wife; his parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Turner of Menard, and an aunt, Mrs. Lester Archer.



JUNIOR HIGH cheerleaders are shown here, reading from left to right, (first row) Elsa Torres, Karen Hemphill, Connie Hodges, and (second row) Sandra Trevino, Alice Cook and

Sarah Allison. The girls were elected by their classmates and in order to represent the school as cheerleaders, it is necessary for them to maintain a B average in their studies.

Lions Hope ...

Continued from Page 1
Bud Smith, Louis Davis, and Darcy Carroll.

Local businessmen, ranchmen and individuals also generously "buy" merchandise, besides contributing. San Angelo merchants are also generous in their buying, and some of the purchasers last year included General Telephone Company, Hemphill-Wells, Nathan's Jewelers, Ancor Serum Company, Robert Massie Furniture Company, and

Ace Builders, Bill's Man Shop, Cleveland Motors, Producers Livestock, Jack & Jill Shop, and Monarch & Bes-Tex. The first contribution to the auction this year came from Billy Green Water Service. The firm has given a \$250 Jacuzzi submersible water pump.

Morgan-Hunt Insurance Office will be headquarters for storage of items, and the goods may be left there for delivery to the auction arena.

George Wallace, chairman for the livestock solicitation, said livestock was coming in rather slowly. He said 8 goats had been brought into Branding Iron Smokehouse, as of last Friday. He added, "We will need at least 20 or 30 more goats. If for some reason you are unable to bring in the animal, call and arrangements will be made to pick it up."

Morgan Urges Auction Bidding Authorizations

"If you can't be at the Annual Downtown Lions Club Auction we'd appreciate your authorizing someone to make a specified amount of purchases in your name," said Doyle Morgan, president of the club.

"This is an arrangement that has stood for many years," says Morgan. He welcomed calls from bidders who can not be present at the auction Tuesday. "We always have some late cash donations," Morgan said. "But we'd like to be able to bid for you at the sale and surprise you with the item you purchased in absentia."

Winners ...

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Paul Browne and third place, Romero Chavez.

Age 13 — Chuck Browne, first place with a score of 299; second place, John Martin Beckham and third place, Eddie Noriega.

First place winners in San Angelo will go to division competitions held in NFL Stadiums. Division winners will then travel to Miami, Florida, with their parents for the national finals during the NFL play-off game in the Orange Bowl, January 5.

All national finalists and their parents will also go on a "Tour of Champions" in Washington D.C., on January 6 and 7.

Joe Hull, local Ford dealer, gave trophies to local winners Saturday morning after the contest. First place winners received gold trophies, second place winners received silver trophies and bronze trophies went to third place winners.

County Commissioners Meet Monday

The County Commissioners met Monday for their regular meeting. Present at the meeting were Bob Hardgrave, Collier Shurley, Preston Love, and Estes Adams. County Judge Web Elliott presided over the meeting.

Plans were discussed to pay expenses for a three day course in first-aid for ambulance operators Darcy Carroll and Louis Olenick. Discussion of the OEO program ended in a vote to set up a meet-

Rise Continues ...

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port suspected cases as soon as possible.

Mission's latest report, for the week ending October 11, showed Sutton with another 8 screwworm cases. Two of these were on the Annella Stites ranch and others were reported on ranches of P. E. Adams, Velma Hunt, Alice S. Jones, Joe F. Logan, R. L. Street, and Gene Wallace. Terrell County had 22 cases, and Schleicher County reported 6 cases.

A record-breaking 784 additional cases were confirmed in Texas during the week. One case in Jack County, near the Oklahoma line, was reported, and the eastern line of infestation is reported to be near Austin.

Thus far in 1968, Texas has had 4,883 cases confirmed; Arizona, 290; California, 94; and New Mexico, 62; for an overall total of 5,329 cases.

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O. C. Fisher Raps Opponents Tactics

U. S. Representative O. C. Fisher has refuted what he termed as "false statements" and the "mud slinging" tactics of his Odessa opponent.

Fisher said he would not allow himself to be drawn into a fuss with an opponent who engages in such tactics.

"For several months," Fisher explained, "my opponent has been criss-crossing this district issuing false statements and slinging mud. Frankly, I'm getting a little tired of it."

I will cite an example or two of what I mean in order to keep the record straight and let the people know what is going on.

"In the August 22 issue of the San Antonio Light, my opponent said: 'Fisher served 20 years in Congress before being named to a committee, the House Armed Services Committee.' Any school child can go to a library and read the Congressional Directory and learn that I was put on 6 committees immediately after being elected, and I have been on the Armed Services Committee continuously for 20 years."

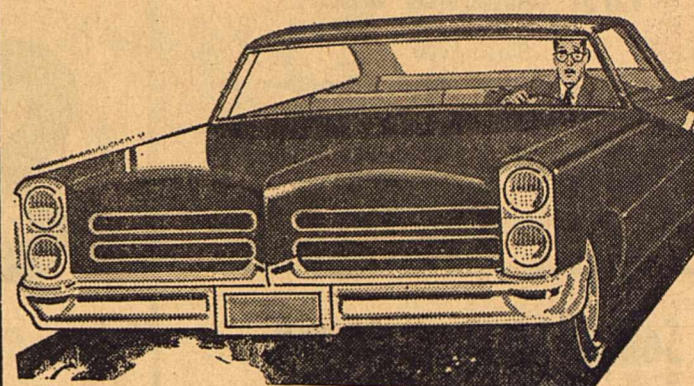
The Congressman cited another statement, which he said was "totally false," also in the August 22 issue of The Light, and in other papers, wherein his opponent noted that after Ecto County was added to the 21st District, and prior to 1968, Fisher visited that county "but once." "My opponent would not dare make this statement in Odessa because too many residents there know I visited that city at least six times during that period."

"I can cite and document the falsity of a number of other statements this man has issued," Fisher added. "But when a candidate deliberately falsifies on one point, how can the public rely upon anything he says?"

His conduct is a flagrant violation of the national Code of Fair Campaign Practices.

"And he now has the temerity to issue a release criticizing me for returning to the district during the closing weeks of the campaign. Obviously he would like for me to stay away while he peddles this stuff."

—Pd. Pol. Adv., Sutton County Committee for O. C. Fisher
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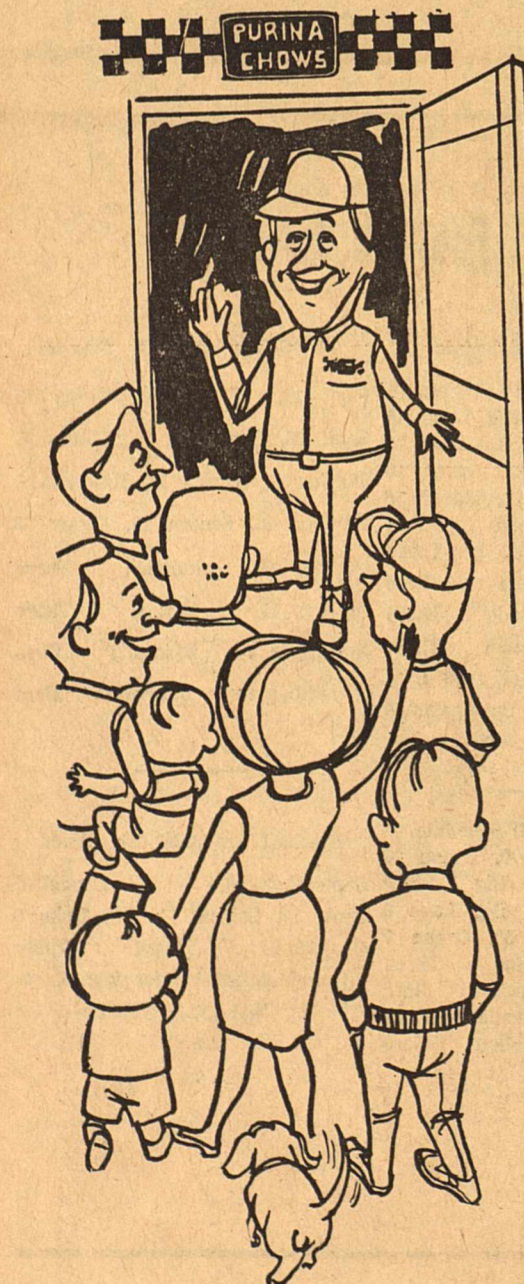
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