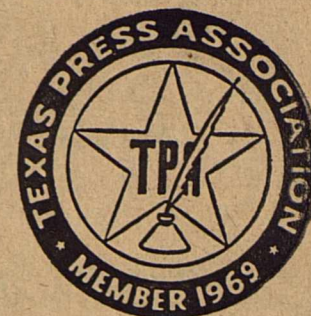


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CINDERS

By John T. King

Hoarhound, originally brought to this country by early settlers for medicinal purposes, lives on to torment ranchers with its burs, which get into wool and mohair, lowering their value. This, according to John Eaton.

Patients at the Hudspeth Memorial Hospital never had it so good. I was there last week visiting with Al Everett, the administrator, and I got a demonstration of the recently-installed communication system.

With a push of a button a patient is in instant communication with the nursing station and can tell a nurse what he wants. This procedure saves the nurse a trip to the room to see what the patient needs, and also speeds service.

Everett also said all the patients could be addressed from one point, and doctors or nurses could be paged.

Has Eldorado's hospital cut in to the Sonora hospital? No, Everett said admissions were consistently above last year. He attributed this to the fact that there was now a choice of four doctors and two hospitals immediately available and therefore less emphasis on the medical facilities of San Angelo.

Bud Halbert, speaking of the recent rains, said he thought he'd sell his goats and buy alligators.

Dr. J. F. Howell Has Light Stroke

Dr. J. F. Howell is in Shannon Hospital, Room 351, recovering from a light stroke. He woke up Saturday morning unable to speak, but was able to walk to the car for the drive to San Angelo. Mrs. Earl Duncan said that he had complete use of his extremities and had spoken to a nurse Tuesday. She said that although he had a restless night Monday, he was eating and resting Tuesday.

Indians Lead Little Leaguers in Wins As Season Gets Off to Fast Start

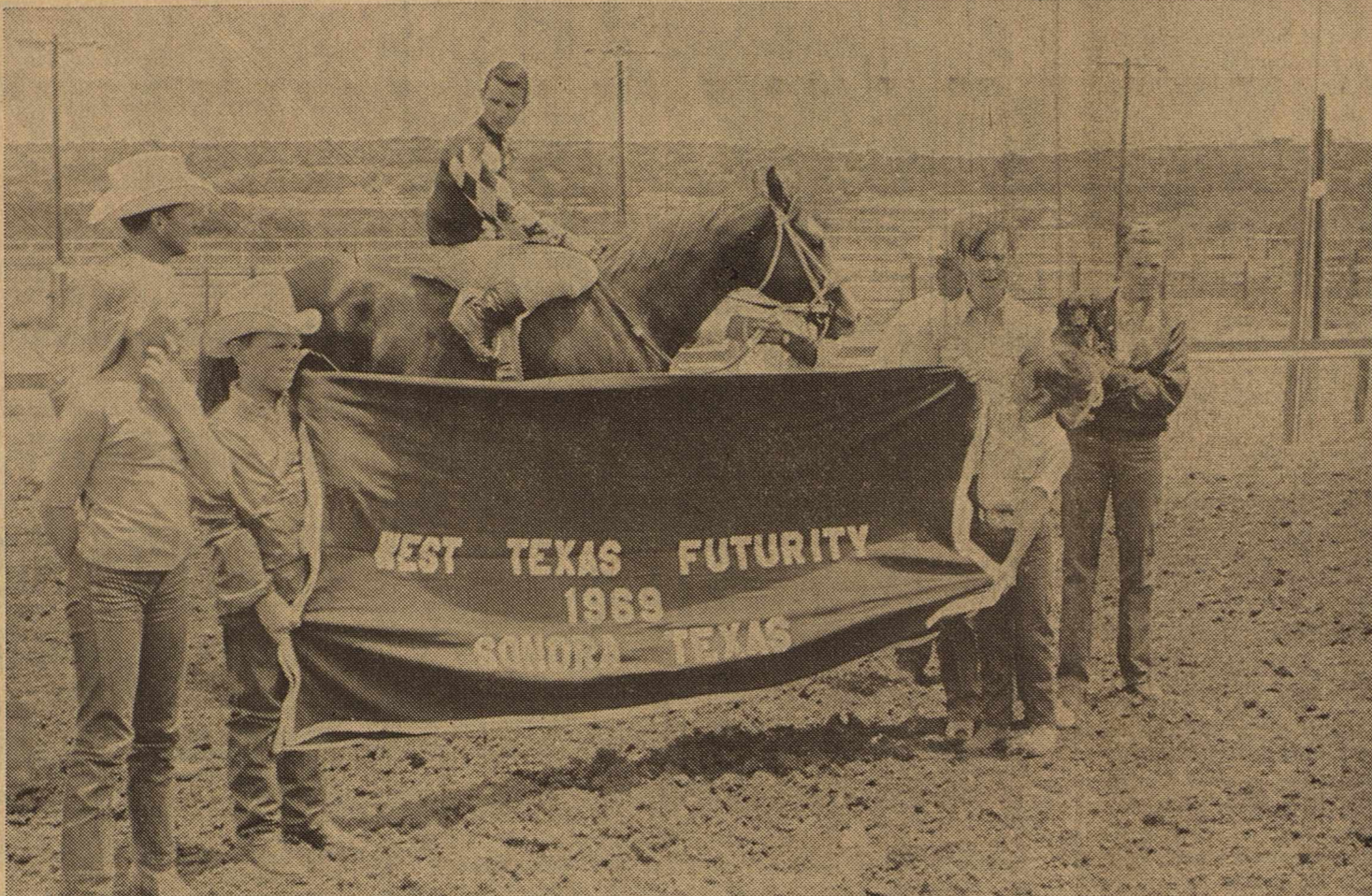
Indians vs Dodgers

In the first little league game of the season April 29, the Indians defeated the Dodgers 15 to 0 at the end of four innings to end the game. Pitching for the Indians was Paul Browne and Paul Favila. Browne also hit one home run in the game.

Dodger pitchers were E. Gomez and J. D. Cook. Acosta got the only hit of the night for the Dodger team, while Favila, Leija, Mark Parker and Browne scored for the Indians.

Cardinals vs Colts

Second game of the Tuesday night double header was a close battle between the Cardinals and Colts, with the Colts winning by 3 to 1. Winning pitcher was Cooper for the Colts. Pitching for the Cards was Kniffen and Harris. Allen Thorn made the Cardinal score when he hit a home run in



JOCKEY JOHNNY COX sits atop Top Divi, winner of the 1969 West Texas Quarter Horse Futurity race run Sunday. Lukin Gilliland is owner of the horse which finished with a

18.26 time for the 330 yards. This year's muddy track was slower than last year's. Then, Nolan, owned by Louis Brooks, ran the distance in 17.45.

Top Divi Takes First Place

One of Sonora's richest futurity quarter horse races was run Sunday for a gross purse of \$25,587.75. Top Divi, owned by Lukin Gilliland, took first spot with a time of 18.26 on the 330 yards and \$9,831.50 of the purse. Jockey was J. Cox, and trainer was H. C. Werner. (Figures are gross.)

Second place and \$3,932.60 went to Royal Regal Bar, who had an 18.29 time. His owner is Arthur A. Sluder.

Art Pippin, owned by W. L. Miers, took third and \$3,441.03 with an 18.32 time, while Like Francis, owned by Wallace and Hunt, took fourth and \$1,966.30 with 18.61.

Jet Seeker took fifth place and \$1,474.73 while sixth and \$1,228.94 went to Call Me John. Rightful came in seventh followed by Miss

King James, Miss Talent and The Devil.

SECOND RACE

In the day's second race, the West Texas Quarter Horse Derby, Hank's Dial Doll took first with 18.41. Owner was Harold Saversing. Evant's Top took second, and Scoop Charge took third. Others, in order, were Easter Bid, Cuidado Chick, Prince Eagle Top, Art's Anchor and Bar Face Bay.

CONSOLATION RACE

The West Texas Quarter Horse Futurity Consolation saw Speckled Hen take first with 18.57, followed by Fleet Bar Sunday with 18.60 and Missy Win with 18.65. Others in order, were Etop Gates, Casse Cor Bar, Miss Anchor Bar (Wallace & Hunt), Bete Mae, Pops Sugar Top, Spavanaugh Sport and Pace's Olympia.

Fourth race, for three year olds and up rates B and under, saw Roan Devil take first with 18.83. Others were Tol's Bid, Zula Bar, Hy Dandy Speed, Baby Bee Prince, Black Bar Bert and Foster Reed Bar.

FIFTH RACE

Sugar Bud Reed took first in the fifth race for three year olds and up rated B and under. Following were Meou's Folly, Go Big Man, Red Cat Bars, Mike La Segundo, Danty's Vine and Far Lock.

In race 6 Mighty Majorette placed first with 18.49 while Priddy April Sis and Run Walt Run followed. Three year olds and up rated A and under and unclassified were running.

Race 7, among 2 year olds rated B and under, was won by Major's Charge with a 19.27 time. Shan's Man, War Art, Market State, Garcia Hank, Counting Gold and Good Glory Bars followed.

RACE EIGHT

Winners of race 8 for 2 year olds rated B and under were

Black Mood, Chubby T 67, and Margo Meyers, followed by Lady Bar Top and La Bon.

Two year old, non starters running in race 9 saw Miss Arrived Bar take first followed by Matt 3, Patricia 67, Choc Raffles, Mike's Gato and Unnamed.

Easy Socks Bar took the tenth race for 2 year old non starters. Toscaman, Imaradgetoo, Jymalta Ryder, Spanish Saint, Royal Levan, and Band Time McCue followed.

Horses in race 11 for 3 year olds and up rated B and under placed Gandy Corsair, first; and Black Art, second.

Three year olds and up maidens or non starters in the twelfth race placed in the following order: Osage Barb, Cobra Jim, Bonus Package, The Bell Star, Bill Wilson, Sugar Bar's Jr. and My Fancy Jacket.

Winning race 13 for 3 year olds and up rated B and under was Chickador, followed by Dainty's Vine, Formula No. 9, My Dandy and Oho.

Code O' Glory took first in race 14 for 3 year olds and up rated A and under and unclassified. Bin Deck, Priddy April Sis, El

Prieto and Tiny Gem followed.

Specka Bar, Band Streak, Clover Royal, Melody Three, Mint Mista and Black Pan placed in that order in race 15 for 2 year old maidens and non-starters.

Taking race 16 for 2 year olds, non-winners of 2 races, were Annie's Big Buck, Trackmaster Bar, He's A Go Man, Direct Bar None,

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Sonora Schools Said In Non-Compliance With Civil Rights

A team of 3 investigating officers for the education branch of the Office of Civil Rights ended its study of Sonora schools Friday with a report to the Sonora school board that Sonora schools were in violation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

The group, headed by Carlos Veda of Dallas, had made a tentative study of Sonora schools in February of this year and informed the school that they were in probable non compliance with the law.

A group from the Department of Health, Education and Welfare, Dallas Regional Office, will now meet with the board Thursday and recommended steps deemed necessary to bring the schools in possible compliance.

Ralph J. Finklea, superintendent, said that the board could accept the recommendations, alter them, come up with a solution of its own or reject it. Failure to initiate a program eliminating the violations could result in withholding of federal funds which amount to about \$31,000 per year. Even if this choice were made, the school would still be in violation of the law. Bob Teaff, school board member, said the board would do what they felt best for Sonora, but would hear the recommendations before deciding.

The investigating team found that while the Civil Rights Act of 1964 forbids separate schools based on race, L. W. Elliott is such a school. The team did, however, note that the unnamed Negro school had been eliminated.

Also noted was that while 52 percent of the total school enrollment is Mexican American, none of the 45 teachers employ-

ed by the district is a Mexican American.

In examining the educational opportunities of students in Elliott and Central, the team found lower achievement levels in Elliott, racially isolated remedial classes, differences in library facilities, gym facilities, and principal's offices.

The full text of the letter sent to Finklea is as follows:

May 5, 1969

Superintendent Ralph J. Finklea
Sonora Independent School District
Post Office Box 648
Sonora, Texas 76950

Dear Superintendent Finklea:

Thank you for the many courtesies extended to the members of our staff during their recent visit with you on May 2, 1969. We appreciate having had the opportunity to review with you and your board the status of your school system complying with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

Our review of your district was concentrated in three areas; student assignment, faculty recruitment and assignment and equal educational opportunities. At a meeting with you and your board on May 2, 1969, the staff indicated that although your district was in compliance with the law, additional progress should be achieved in the areas indicated below in order to assure your district's continued eligibility for Federal financial assistance.

Student Assignment — Section II of the Policies on Elementary and Secondary School Compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 states that a school system which has maintained a system of separate school facilities for students based on their race, color, or national origin has the affirmative duty under law to take prompt and effective action to eliminate such a dual school structure and bring about an integrated unitary school system.

Compliance with the law requires integration of faculties, facilities, and activities, as well as students, so that there are no Negro or other minority group schools and no white schools — just schools. Where the steps are taken by a school system under a voluntary desegregation plan to eliminate

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NINA MATA SUFFERS FOOT INJURIES

Nina Mata, 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Mata Jr., was involved in an accident Friday in which a trailer tongue fell on her foot after it was unhitched from the ball. She was taken to Shannon Hospital in San Angelo and on Monday the lower part of her foot was amputated. She is expected to be able to walk normally without the aid of an artificial foot. Dr. Glen Henderson was the surgeon.

Arts and Crafts Set for Showing in Rocksprings

The Rocksprings Community Arts and Crafts Show has been set for this Sunday and Monday afternoon on the town square in Rocksprings.

Area artists and craftsmen are invited to bring entries for the non-competitive exhibit, and children and youth are invited to participate.

Artists are encouraged to place prices on their works to sell. Art work should be suitably framed and have a wire attached to the back for hanging.

Members of the Arts and Crafts show committee are Mrs. Bill Taylor, Mrs. Alton Miller and Mrs. Lowell Hankins.

Regularity of Area Rainfall Renewing County's Rangelands

by E. B. Keng

Four consecutive weekends with good rainfall have combined to give the Sonora countryside a new look.

General rains covered a large area of West Texas early Saturday morning. Rains of over 3 inches fell southwest of Sonora near the Dan Cauthorn ranch and southeast of Sonora in the area of the VanderStucken ranch.

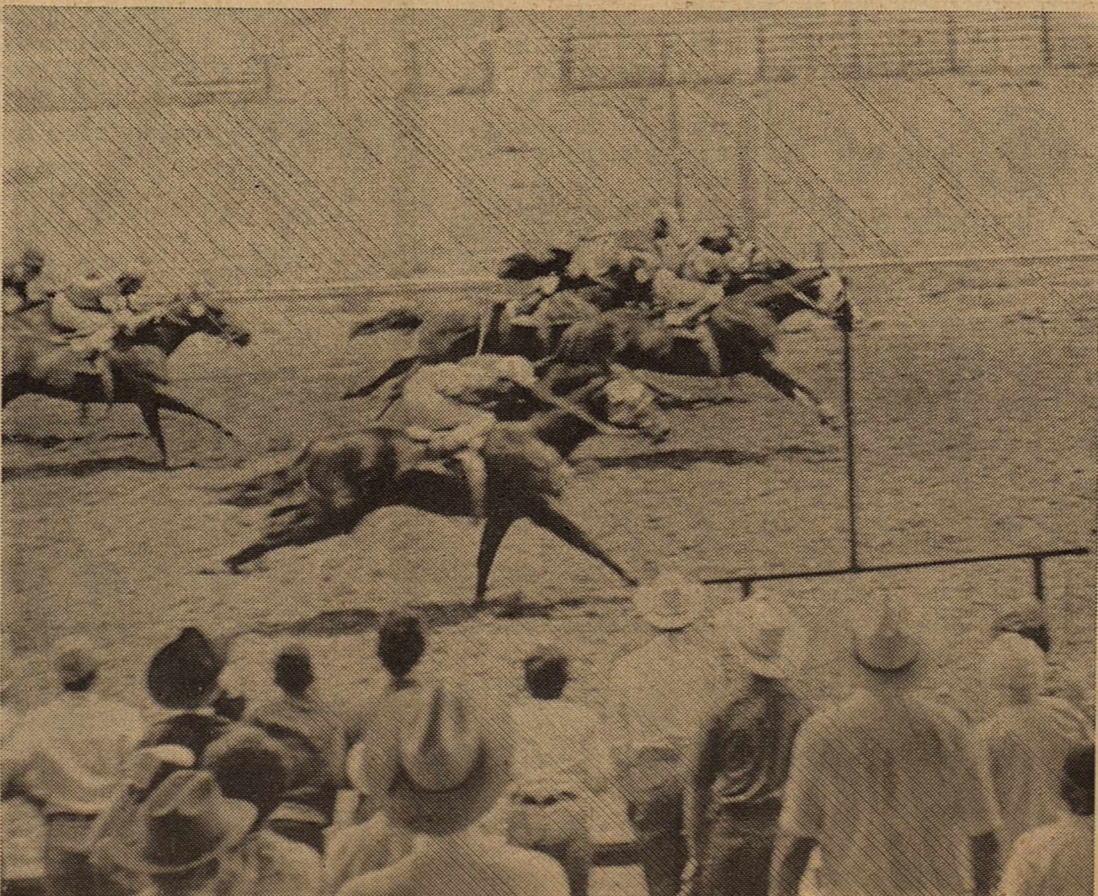
Heavy runoff accompanied the downpours, and the main Devils River Draw was on a small rise where it crosses US 277 south of Sonora.

The rainfall was erratic and seemed to be generally lighter on the north edge of Sutton County. About 7 a.m. Monday 1.20 inches of torrential rain fell in Sonora, but it was much lighter over most of the area.

The continuous moisture is producing a lush growth of grasses and weeds and prospects for many fat lambs and calves are good. Broomweed will again be a major problem on many deep soil areas if normal moisture continues.

Two small, annual grasses are appearing in abnormal numbers, especially on the divides. These are Ozark grass and trisetum, both weak, single stemmed annual grasses. A small white-flowered, milky juice plant called rock lettuce is also very abundant. It is a good forb for livestock and is also relished by turkeys. False dandelion, Indian painbrush, and phlox are also quite abundant this spring.

It is during these extra-rainfall periods that rangelands have their best opportunity to recuperate from the last drought and prepare for the next one. Ranchmen should give as many pastures as possible a 90 day rest to encourage seed production and deeper root development. Early marketing of lambs and calves can greatly lighten the grazing pressure on the range.



NUMBER SEVEN BY A NOSE, Speckled Hen, owned by Will Whitehead and jockeyed by Frank Henning, takes the West Texas Futurity Consolation in Sunday's races. Fleet Bar

Sunday, owned by Jess Hankins, was the horse edged out by .03 seconds when Speckled Hen ran the 330 in 18.57. seconds. This was Sunday's third race.

Sonora's Weather

Compiled by Pat Brown

	Rain	Hi	Lo
Wednesday, April 30	.00	80	60
Thursday, May 1	.00	80	58
Friday, May 2	.00	80	64
Saturday, May 3	.67	80	54
Sunday, May 4	.00	79	64
Monday, May 5	1.53	84	50
Tuesday, May 6	.03	83	65
Rainfall for the month, 2.23;			
Rain for the year, 9.30			

The Sonora Little League Park now has a public address system, according to president, Dr. Ron Williamson.

Standings as of May 5

Team	W	L
Indians	2	0
Dodgers		2
Cardinals	1	1
Colts	1	1

Tuesday night's game was called off because rain has soaked the field. It will be made up after the end of the regular schedule.

WTU Open House Set for Today

Free refreshments, free door prizes, and free favors as well as demonstrations of Frigidaire appliances are scheduled for today between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. when Sonora West Texas Utilities observes open house. Earl Johnson, appointed local manager two years ago when Boyd Lovelace retired, invited the public to attend.

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AUSTIN REPORT

By Hilary Doran Jr.

Members of the House of Representatives met in a special session April 23, to honor Speaker G. F. "Gus" Mutscher from Brenham. During each session, a certain day is set aside to honor the present Speaker of the House and all former Speakers.

It is evident that there is another movement underway for a one-year tax appropriation bill instead of the constitutionally and historically correct two-year appropriation bill. One of the great arguments for this bill is that it would postpone the imposition of a tax this year.

I am strongly opposed to this approach as I was two years before because I feel this is truly an abdication of legislative responsibility and is not conducive to fiscal economy or responsibility in government. Many of the advocates of the teacher pay raise bill are favoring the one-year appropriations approach.

My only answer to them is that if they are claiming the credit for being on record for teacher pay raise, then they ought to have the "Guts" to consider and pass a tax bill that will take care of this item as well as the other operations of our State government.

Oh yes, one other argument advanced is there is a possibility of a cut in the Federal surtax and a more favorable "view" of Federal-State revenue sharing by the Federal government. In my opinion, there is about as much chance for this to happen as there is for the lion to lie down with the lamb.

HALF-PAST TEEN



THE DEVIL'S RIVER PHILOSOPHER SEZ . . .

Philosopher Devotes Attention To His Own Problems This Week

Editor's note: The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitterweed ranch on Dry Devil's River devotes his attention, in a manner of speaking, to his own ranch this week.

Dear editor: A man can spend just so much time settling national and international problems, occasionally he has to turn to his own immediate problems, and that's what I've been doing after I read an article in a newspaper yesterday on a new proposal for a new ranch program being discussed in Washington to avoid surpluses.

According to it, a rancher could sell his grazing rights to the government but still hold onto his land. He continues to use it, but could not raise sheep.

This is exactly the type of program I've been wanting for all these years.

There is a myth abroad that if you own some land you're supposed to be out there with your pickup going up one pasture and down the other and if you aren't you're hard put to explain to your neighbors, not to mention your household, why you aren't. Shiftless of a word you hear in this connection frequently, which has always puzzled me. If you're a rancher and stand still you are shiftless, but if you're a politician who won't stand still, you're shifty. The word is too hard to please.

But if we can get this new proposal enacted, where it's against the law for me to shear, it'll be a pleasure to say, "Don't look at me, those sheep belong to Washington. I've sold my shearing and grazing rights."

Ranching will come into its own when I can sell my grazing rights and retain my mineral rights.

I haven't seen the latest details of the proposal, but I hope you'll use your influence to see that when the government buys my grazing rights, it won't be in one lump sum, good for now on. Payments ought to be made every year.

Ranching this Sutton County bitterweed ranch will reach the dignity it deserves when, if the government should ever get tired of the program and decide not to pay me. I could foreclose on Washington for failing to pay me for not working.

I don't know what a lien against Washington would be worth on the open market, but it ought to be worth as much as one against this ranch.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Safeguard? Yes!

By O. C. Fisher
Should we or should we not deploy anti-ballistic missiles, designed to intercept and destroy nuclear-laden hostile missiles?

President Nixon has called for such deployment, known as Safeguard, initially limited to protection of our great Minutemen long range missile sites, at a cost of some five or six billion dollars. I support the President's recommendation.

Naturally, the ABM proposal is nothing new. During some 15 years we have spent \$3 billion dollars on research and development in an effort to perfect a weapon which with sophisticated radar and advanced electronic de-

percent successful, many enemy missiles could be destroyed. Repeated tests have demonstrated this fact.

The Russians are now deploying their third generation ABM, and are sparing no expense in further research and development. Can we afford to do less? In addition, it is now known the Soviets are pushing a 25-megaton long range missile, which experts insist would lend itself primarily to the sole mission of hopefully knocking out our missile sites and our capacity to retaliate following a first strike—if one should come.

It would seem, therefore, that we can ill afford to relax, sit back and in this respect risk becoming a second rate power, while the Soviets—and later the Chinese—might succeed in developing an effective defense against our missile striking capability. Wouldn't it be better to have and not need it than to need it and not have it?

If you have a lavender tree, save a jar of the seed. From time to time place a few in a frying pan and heat—you'll be delighted with the fragrance.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

- Thursday, May 8
6:15 p.m., Little League game at Little League Field
- Saturday, May 10
2-5 p.m., Women's Club Library open
- Sunday, May 11
Services at the church of your choice
- Monday, May 12
9 a.m., County Commissioners meet at Courthouse
12:30 p.m., School Board meets
8 p.m., Elks Lodge meeting at Elks Lodge
- Tuesday, May 13
12 noon, Downtown Lions meeting in fellowship hall of First United Methodist Church
6:15 p.m., Little League Game at Little League Field
- Wednesday, May 14
3-5 p.m., Women's Club Library open.

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The family of Henry Decker Bill and Sonja Decker Sam and Jewel Walk John and Faye McClelland Ernest and Hazel McClelland

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DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

May 5, 1939
Seventy guests, friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Joy, gathered at the home near Camp Allison Sunday to pay homage to one of Sutton County's oldest couples. The occasion was the fifty-first wedding anniversary. A barbeque dinner was served.

The city's new carry-all scraper is to be delivered here next week according to W. C. Gilmore, mayor.

Cedar Hill School: On May 1 Mrs. Adams took up thirty minutes earlier at noon and turned out at 3:30 because of all wanting to go fishing. The Ahrens boys reported the biggest catch—a four and a half pound catfish, besides all the others.

A purple and green color motif was used throughout the house by Mrs. J. A. Cauthorn when she was hostess to the Just-Us Club at her ranch home, Monday.

May 6, 1949
Sonora and Sutton County got its usual quota of rain this week but most of it fell in one bundle. Early Wednesday morning rainfall measured 2.2 inches at the Sonora Climatological Station.

The board of supervisors of the Edwards Soil Conservation District held its monthly meeting Wednesday. Present were Fred T. Earwood, Frank Bond, and chairman J. M. VanderStucken. Also pres-

ent were E. E. Keng and Clint Langford.

Boy Scout Troop 19, of Sonora walked away with the honors at the West Texas District Camporee, held at Camp Sol Mayer. They arrived at the scene in time to pitch camp and cook supper Friday night. Accompanying the scouts were Scoutmaster, Clint Langford, District Commissioner, John Eaton, Clarence Valliant, Gene Gray, Don Valliant, and Dan Eaton.

Work on the new barn for Sutton County 4-H is going right a-long, and it should be ready for the local show, which is held in June.

May 7, 1959
Harold Schertz was installed as president of the local Lions Club at its regular Tuesday luncheon. Schertz is assistant cashier of First National Bank.

Barbara Wilson was honored with a gift tea at the Sonora Women's Clubhouse. Miss Wilson is the bride-elect of Reed Jennings.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Howell Jr., announce the arrival of a son, Clemens Alfred, who was born Monday, May 4. Grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Howell of Sonora and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Smith of Big Spring.

71 Years Ago
T. D. Nevill, proprietor of the Water Works, has completed the new reservoir on the hill which affords 235,000 gallons additional water capacity. The total water storage capacity is now 330,000 gallons. Few, if any towns of similar size can make such a showing.

W. P. Pue, a young man arrested a few weeks ago for stealing a gun from W. W. Wellmaker, now has a charge of jailbreaking against him. The man stole a horse belonging to John Ford and a new cattle queen saddle. Sheriff McConnell offered \$25 reward for the man and \$25 for the horse and saddle.

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Spell Quiz

Which of the Following is Spelled Correctly?
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(Meaning: Sleight of hand.)

See Classified Page for Correct Answer.

Governor Designates May 11 - 19 Soil Stewardship Week in Texas

In recognition of the importance of our natural resources of soil and water, Governor Preston Smith has designated the week of May 11-19 as Soil Stewardship Week in Texas.

In many of Texas' Soil Conservation Districts, observances will be held in cooperation with local churches to recognize the duty man has toward preserving the life giving land.

Soil Stewardship Week gives the individual an opportunity to stop and evaluate his duty to the land, said Clarence Carter, Extension soil and water conservation specialist at Texas A&M University.

"The earth is the Lord's and all things therein. All people are dependent upon our soil and water for their livelihood," said Governor Smith.

"The conservation and development of Texas soil and water resources are essential in the maintenance of the economy of the State. We cannot afford the loss of land, waste and pollution of

water and other abuses to our natural resources.

"Soil and Water Conservation Districts are committed to improving our State through the wise use and development of our soil and water resources and are sponsoring Soil Stewardship Week."

Carter said tours, special meetings and other events in addition to the local church observances would be held. Too, he noted that 4-H Clubs in some conservation districts would have a part in the local programs.

All citizens have a special invitation to attend the Stewardship Week event in their area, Carter said.

SCIENCE DEMONSTRATION

Members of Sonora High School science classes recently gave a demonstration program for the Downtown Lions Club. David Wuest and Ted Fish demonstrated chemistry and Monte Dillard and Mark Jacoby gave physics demonstrations.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

LAST WEEKS ANSWER

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CHEVROLET

Piano Pupils of Mrs. A. C. Elliott Present Spring Recital Monday Night

Piano pupils of Mrs. A. C. Elliott helped initiate National Music Week in Sonora when they presented their spring recital Monday evening at First Methodist Church fellowship hall.

A capacity audience heard students play selections from the Bach era to the present time with John Elliott as announcer.

GUILD AWARDS
Fifteen pupils received medals and certificates for excellent performance in the National Piano Guild Auditions held in San Angelo recently. They also qualify for the special Guild Founders Medal by successfully playing four or more selections recommended by Guild Founder, Dr. Irl Allison.

MOLLY MORRIS HIGHEST
Molly Morriss made the highest grade of the senior group at the auditions from the adjudicator, Mrs. Wallace Gates of Artesia, N. M. and was presented the special award by Mrs. Elliott.

RECEIVED TWO MEDALS
Janice Nance received two gold medal first ratings awards for successful competition in the guild recording festival of last February. Her recorded selections were singled out among hundreds of entries judged.

Also receiving silver star awards were Lisa Joy, Lucy and Molly Morriss, and Denise Neal.

In addition to these performers, others were Mona Doran, Tammy Bell, Edward Earwood, Debbie Howard, Claire Lane, Marsha Finklea, Lee Ann Byer, Pattie Merrill, Roy Lisa Cooper, Mary Ann Pettiet, Martha Elliott and Ruthie Wallace.

A reception was held following the recital with Mrs. Marion Elliott and Mrs. Lawrence Finklea as hostesses.

NEW MANAGER
The new manager of C. G. Morrison Co. in Sonora is Tracey Metcalfe, formerly of Pecos.



BONNIE GLASSCOCK

Glasscock-Womack Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Andrew Glasscock announce the engagement of their daughter, Bonnie, to David Paul Womack, son of Mrs. R. C. Womack and the late Mr. Womack.

The wedding will be in the First Methodist Church youth chapel in McAllen on Saturday, May 17, 1969, at 6 p.m.

The bride-elect will graduate in July from the Pan American College School of Nursing, and the prospective bridegroom has attended Pan American College and is presently enrolled in the Extension Program of the University of Texas.

Schwiening-Smith Wedding Plans Told

Mr. and Mrs. George Sutton Schwiening are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Georganne, to Hoy Wilburn Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Smith of Junction.

The bride-elect is a 1968 graduate of Sonora High School and presently is a student at Angelo State College. Her fiancé is a graduate of Junction High School, holds an Associate Arts degree from Southwest Texas Junior College, and is presently a biology major at Sul Ross State College in Alpine.

The couple will be married May 24 at St. John's Episcopal Church.

MORRIS VISITORS

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Morriss Monday and Tuesday were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ulbrich of San Antonio and a niece and husband of Mrs. Morriss, Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Sheffield of Palestine.



Miss Georganne Schwiening

Division II Taken By Bronco Band

The Sonora High Bronco Band took division II in both sightreading and playing recently at Cisco Junior College.

Three songs played were Citadel, Prelude from King Manfred, and Aria and Fugue. Other bands in the area scored as follows: Menard, 4 and 4; Eldorado, 1 and 1 and Junction, 3 and 3.

Camp of Champs Drill Instructor Is Debbie Worley

Mrs. Bill (Debbie) Worley of Houston, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper, is among the 12-member drill team staff of the Houston Camp of Champs to be offering instruction to junior and senior high school girls and college drill teams July 6-11 at Houston Baptist College.

Mrs. Worley is a director of the newly formed Houston Oilers' all-girl dance team and director of the Alief High School dance team.

Bridge Club Meets With John Tedfords

The Saturday Night Bridge Club met recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Tedford. High score was won by Mr. and Mrs. John T. King, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kerbow won second high, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Street won bingo. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Langford and Mr. and Mrs. Dennie Hays.



MRS. MATILDA ADA EATON today, and ninety-one years ago.



Monday Marks Ninety-Ninth Birthday For Spry Mrs. Matilda Ada Eaton

The mother of John Eaton, Mrs. Matilda Ada Eaton of San Angelo, will celebrate her ninety-ninth birthday May 12.

Mrs. Eaton, the daughter of Ben and Cynthia White Ellis, was born May 12, 1870, in Youngsfort, Bell County. The family moved to Llano County when Mrs. Eaton was 9 and located at Six Mile. Later they moved to the Big Sandy Creek area, near Oxford, south of the town of Llano. There she walked a distance of 5 miles to and from school.

She met John D. Eaton when they attended school together 1 year at Six Mile and married him on December 24, 1886, after the group of settlers had moved to Leakey Canyon earlier in that year.

After their marriage, the couple lived at Ash Creek, then Exile, where Eaton was postmaster in 1892. They moved from Exile back to Ash Creek, then to the Joy Hollow Ranch in about 1895 and moved to Rocksprings in September of 1902.

Eaton traded his ranching interests for a water and ice plant there so that his children could attend school. They moved to Sonora in 1913 to establish the same type of business here. He settled on Eaton Hill, where his son, John, still lives.

In 1934 the family went to San Angelo and later moved to a Tom Green County farm in February, 1940. Eaton died in March of 1942.

Children include Miss Bertha Eaton, Frank Eaton, Mrs. Sibyl Otts, Mrs. Lois Chapman, and twins, Mrs. Jewel Rigney and John Eaton.

The oldest son, William Edward, died in 1935. Mrs. Eaton has 7 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Card of Thanks

We are truly grateful to the good friends whose loving expressions of sympathy helped us so much during our recent sorrow. May we offer our thanks for your comfort and love.

The family of Mrs. Elva Rape in

Jimenez Enlists In U. S. Navy

Oscar Noriega Jimenez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guadalupe Jimenez, enlisted into the United States Navy on April 14 and is currently undergoing nine weeks of basic training at San Diego, California.

During basic training Seaman Recruit Jimenez will receive instruction in Naval orientation, Naval history, citizenship and current events, naval ships, aircraft and armament, Navy jobs and training, self improvement, first aid, physical training and military bearing and drill.

The Sonora sailor enlisted at the Navy Recruiting Branch Station, 15 E. Concho Street, San Angelo, Texas for two years and was sworn in at the U. S. Navy Recruiting Sub-Station, San Antonio.

Card of Thanks

Words cannot express our appreciation for the prayers offered and the many cards and visits and flowers sent. A special thanks to Brother Hancock, Mrs. Joe Hull, Dr. Browne, Ella Archer, and Mrs. Mayhew.

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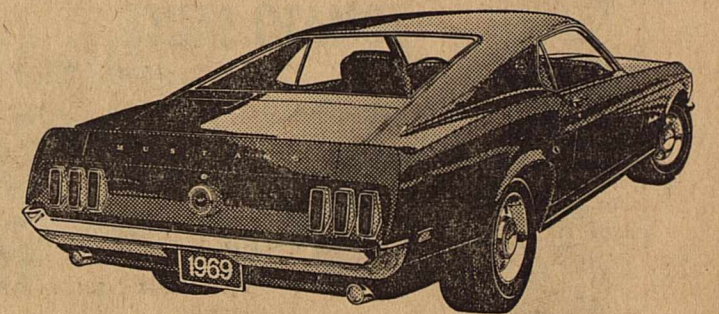
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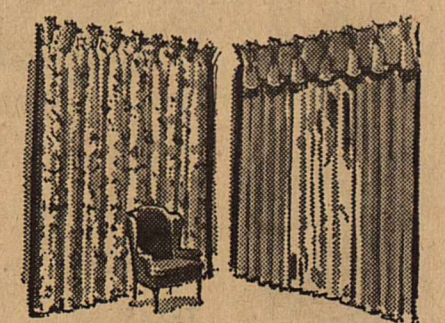
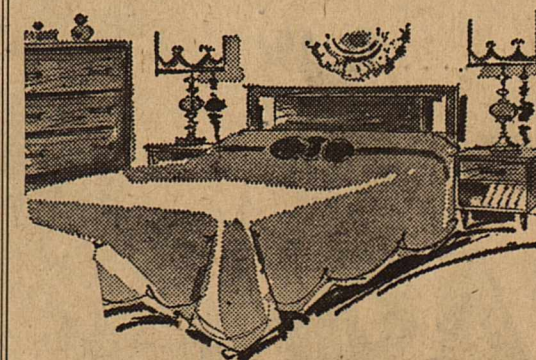
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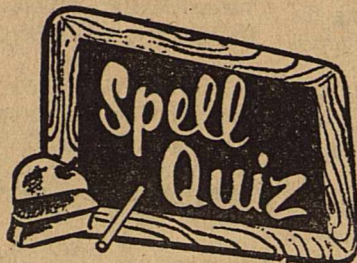
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TODAY!

Hospital News

Patients receiving treatment at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, April 29 to Monday, April 5, include the following:

- Evelyn Minter, Rocksprings *
 - Lillian Fisher *
 - James Greer, Rocksprings *
 - Felipe Galindo
 - Rafael Valencia
 - L. D. Hollmig *
 - Juana Lara Barrera
 - Carter Neel *
 - Sylvia Garcia, Ozona *
 - Virginia Moore, Eldorado *
 - Elizabeth Morrison, Bangs
 - Rose Buck *
 - John D. Cook *
 - Susan Reed, Ozona
 - J. C. Luttrell *
 - Sue Powers, Ozona *
 - Alfred Cooper *
 - Patsy Schwiening *
 - Odelia Parades
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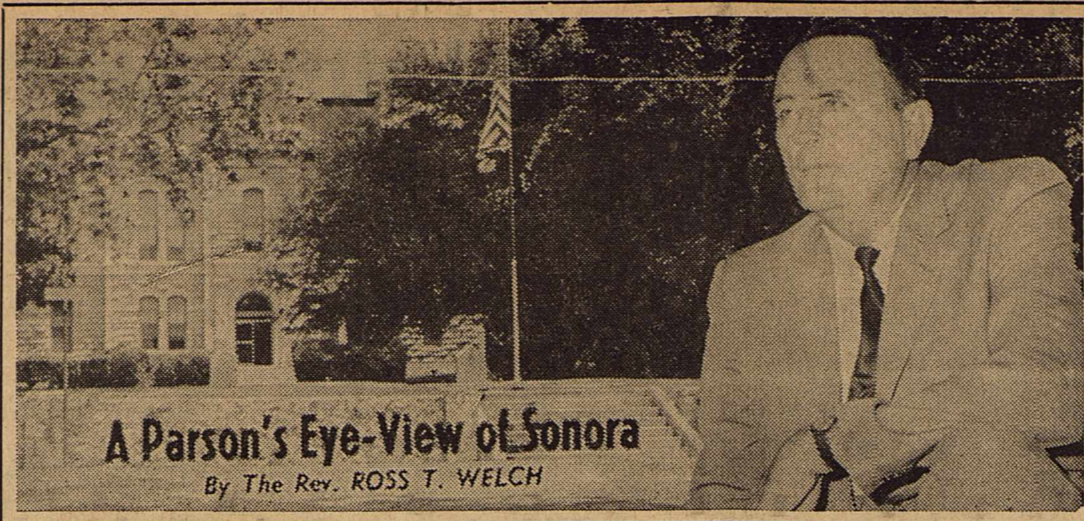
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A Parson's Eye-View of Sonora
By The Rev. ROSS T. WELCH

Have you been to El Paso lately? I had never had the privilege of visiting this area until last week. But I had entertained a very erroneous idea of what El Paso would be like.

I had pictured it as a very old, dirty border town with not much to commend it to the casual visitor. To my surprise, I found a beautiful city of almost half a million people, mingled with more than half a million from Juarez, across the River.

There are beautiful homes, well kept lawns and the city as a whole does not at all give the appearance of a dirty mining town. Sky-scrapers are being built in the downtown area.

El Paso has become quite an important clothing manufacturing center, and city appears prosperous and the economy well established.

I visited three families while

in El Paso. The heads of the three households are engaged in contrasting types of businesses, but all were prospering and all were enthusiastic about El Paso. I visited the campus of The University of Texas in El Paso (UTEP) and was really impressed. I was surprised to hear they now have 10,000 students. That is as large as the mother University of Texas when I went there.

The Sun Bowl, set in a natural arena, was an impressive sight. And the skyline drive at midnight was an experience to remember.

It is true I went with Bob and Orlene Hardgrave, but anything that Bob may tell you of what happened to me in El Paso beyond that, please take with a pinch of salt.

We enjoyed shopping and eating on both sides of the Rio Grande. El Paso gets hot in the daylight hours of summer, but with a 4,000 feet elevation, it cools quickly after sundown. I am glad I got a chance to go.

It was an impressive sight last Sunday to see a choir loft filled with teenagers who had come all the way from Fredericksburg to engage in a song service. Their singing, under the direction of their high school basketball coach, Jerry Jenkins, was very impressive.

But even if they had not been able to sing impressively, it would have been worth a lot to see that many nicely dressed, properly groomed young people willing to give time and dedicate their talents to praising God in song.

Coach Jenkins, his wife—the organist, and a number of other adults encourage and support this community youth choir, representing four churches. But the wonderful and amazing thing is that so many young people have responded.

The country-side is about as pretty as I have ever seen it. Pastures are lush. Below Kerrville the grain fields are a sight to behold. Livestock are rolling fat.

So far we have escaped with very light wind and hail damage. Electrical and thunder storms

have been a bit frightening, but the rains have been wonderful. Imagine what the countryside would have looked like before it was so heavily stocked, given a spring like this.

But it is not all wild life, the roses are indescribably beautiful.

Sunday is Mother's Day. There is nothing more appropriate for this occasion than that children worship with their mothers in the churches of their choice.

We let many things prevent our church attendance, but this is one time we should honor our mothers or their memories by worship in God's house.

It is piano recital time again. Mrs. Elliott presented her pupils in recital and gave them awards last Monday night at the Methodist Church.

John Tedford has tentatively set his recital for May 20, in the Methodist Church sanctuary.

I never listen to a recital without recalling the years our children took piano lessons. From experience, I know that every well-played piano number represents many hours of practice. And, unless memory fails me, it is very difficult for busy boys and girls to find time enough to really master a piece of music.

All three of our children were exposed to music lessons, but the one who got the most from her music was the one for whom playing was most difficult. What she lacked in talent, she made up in hard work, and it paid off.

We are reminded by E. B. Keng that next week is Soil Stewardship Week. Many of the churches will no doubt take account of the fact that conservation of natural resources is not only an important economic factor but is also a moral issue.

If we do not do something to conserve the wild life and natural beauties and resources of our land, it will not be long until we are a race of human cockroaches—fighting each other for our very existence.

When the natural beauties are taken out of life, it is pretty drab affair.

**Directors Guide Broad Policies
Of Hudspeth Memorial Hospital**

Who directs Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital and takes credit for the broad policies that have kept the hospital a progressive medical institution that is a credit to our community?

Al M. Everett, administrator, recently pointed out that the board of directors of the hospital was made up of the following people: Joseph M. VanderStucken, president; George H. Neill, first vice president; Edwin Sawyer, second vice president; Clayton Hamilton, secretary-treasurer; J. W. Elliott, Hillman Brown, Mrs. Rex Cusenbary, Mrs. G. H. Davis, Herbert Fields, Bryan Hunt, Ben Meckel, Lea Allison, Dan Cauthorn, Mrs. R. A. Halbert and Armer Earwood.

The hospital is the culmination of a desire of Roy Hudspeth. In the fall of 1947 he proposed that he would donate a sum of money to the establishment of a hospital in Sonora, as a memorial to his deceased wife, Mrs. Lillian M. Hudspeth, provided the citizens of Sutton County would donate a like amount. In response to such proposal, Sutton County citizens subscribed generously.

The hospital was then incorporated as a benevolent, charitable, scientific and educational hospital, under the laws of the State of Texas, the charter being filed in the office of the Secretary of State on the 24th day of November, 1947.

During the time of the organization of this hospital corporation Roy Hudspeth confided to

**Officers Election, Plans for Year
To Be Discussed by 4-H's May 13**

The Sutton County 4-H and 4-H parents club will meet at the 4-H Center Tuesday, May 13, at 7:30 p.m.

Officers for the 4-H parents club and senior 4-H club will be elected for the 1969-70 year at this meeting.

Plans will be made for remaining 4-H activities for the year, which will include

- Sonora Junior Quarter Horse Show, Saturday, May 17
- Sonora Wool & Mohair Show, June 10-12
- County 4-H camp, June 16-19
- State 4-H Round-up, June 3-5
- Coming judging events

D. C. Langford, county agent, urged all members and parents to be present.

**Quarter Horse Show
Scheduled May 17**

The Sonora Junior Quarter Horse Show, sponsored by the Sutton County 4-H Club, will be held at the Sonora Park grounds Saturday, May 17. The show is open to all Texas 4-H club and FFA members. Halter classes will begin at 8:30 a.m. and will be followed by performance classes.

Jack Turney, of Quemado, will be judge, and awards will be presented by Deborah Wardlaw.

**Lone Star Gas
Seeks Rate Hike**

Lone Star Gas Company filed with the Texas Railroad Commission an application for an increase in the intracompany gate charge for residential, commercial and distribution unaccounted-for gas on May 2.

The company asked an increase from the present gate charge of 35.4 cents per thousand cubic feet of gas to 44.8 cents per thousand cubic feet.

When the Railroad Commission establishes the new intracompany gate charge, specific computations will be made for each Texas town. In those towns where earnings are deemed inadequate, individual rate action will be pursued with each town's ruling body.

BRUSH CONTROL DONATIONS

By Tuesday the number of ranchers contributing to the brush control fund had risen to 65, with the amount totaling \$5,500.

**QUEEN CONTESTANTS
WILL PERFORM TUESDAY**

Kathy Morgan, Lesa Whitehead, Susan Stewart, Becca Keath and Kay Archer are tentatively scheduled to vie for sponsorship of the Downtown Lions Club as queen. The girls will present next Tuesday's program at the noon meeting, and members will vote on their performance.

McMINN TO RUN POOL

Operation of the Sonora swimming pool will be under the direction of Bob McMinn this summer. The pool is usually open from June 1 through Labor Day.

MRS. WARTENBACH HOME

Mrs. Wallace Wartenbach has returned home from a San Angelo hospital. She is reported to be having company for short periods, eating better, and in good spirits.



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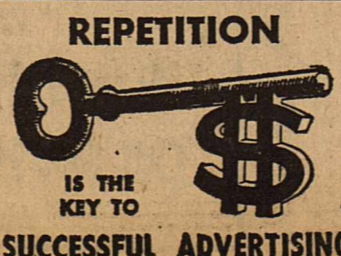
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**Just
Arrived**

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hearn are parents of a son, Robert Shane, born April 22 in the Clinic Hospital in San Angelo. He weighed 8 pounds 8 ounces.

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 —Amos: Do you use toothpaste?
 —Andy: No suh, my teeth ain't loose.
 —If you can't hear a pin drop, ten to one there's something a-miss with your bowling.
 —Most folks that slap us on the back, expect us to cough up something.
 —The typewriter makes it eas-

ier to write, but it's just as hard to think as ever.
 —The advantage in buying some of this weird modern music records, is that when they wear out you can't tell the difference.
 —By the time a man gets experience enough to watch his step, he isn't going anywhere.
 —Civil service: That kind you get if your tip is big enough.
 —"Footprints on the sands of time" were not made by folks who stood still.
 —In this battle for existence, ability is the punch, but tact is the footwork.
 —Be kind to dumb animals, and give small birds a crumb. Be kind to human beings too—sometimes they're pretty dumb.
 —A philosopher who said work well done never needs doing over, certainly never weeded a garden.
 —Tolerance is the ability to laugh when someone steps on your mental corns.
A LIFT FOR THE WEEK
 Always expect something excitingly pleasant just around the corner.

Earwood Memorial Becomes Larger, Passes \$6,500 Mark

Officers of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association announced today that contributions to the Fred Earwood Memorial Fund have reached over \$6,500. The fund will be invested in such a manner that revenue produced will make possible an annual award to some individual whose goals or efforts exemplify those of the late Mr. Earwood.

The Earwood award was one of many topics discussed at the Association spring quarterly meeting in Brownwood, April 18. The directors recommended that the membership drop the spring quarterly meeting in the future, as it interferes with attendance at district meeting and creates added hardships on officers and staff.

Recommendations were made that pending legislation concerning commodity check-off be supported. Also, predatory animal problems were discussed in detail. Lynn Nabers, state representative from the 64th District, was keynote speaker for the meeting. He briefed the assembly on current legislation which could affect the industry.

Gene Whitehead, TS&GRA president, has invited any interested person to submit nominations to the Association for the 1969 Earwood Memorial Award. "We wish to recognize and honor some outstanding individual each year who has contributed to our industry in those fields which Mr. Earwood worked so successfully," said Whitehead.

Nominations for the Earwood Memorial Award should be forwarded to the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association, Box 1486, San Angelo, Texas 76901.

SS Number Required For Summer Job

Summer vacation means summer jobs for many Sonora area high school students. When you get that summer job, you will need a social security number so that your employer can report your earnings. He's required by law to do this so that you are properly credited with your earnings during the summer. Many employers don't give a pay check until they have the number.

With only a few more weeks of school before summer vacation, now is the time to go by the social security office and get your social security card. So don't wait until after you start to work. Do it now and get that first pay check on time.

The Social Security Office is located at 3000 West Harris Avenue in San Angelo, or see the representative when he is in your area. Applications are also available at your local post office.

BOND SALES FOR MARCH

According to a report today from Mr. George H. Neill, Chairman of the Sutton County Savings Bonds Committee, the sale of United States Savings Bonds and Freedom Shares in Sutton County during the month of March totaled \$723. Quarterly sales totaled \$3,833 or 19 percent of the 1969 goal of \$20,000.

During the first quarter of 1969 sales in Texas totaled \$46,756,377, an increase of 1.7 percent over sales during the same period of 1968. March sales were \$13,684,597 as compared to \$14,174,187 during 1968.

THOMAS FUNERAL HELD

Mrs. Pearl Welch flew to Washington, Ill., last week for the funeral of Mrs. John D. (Dotty) Thomas. Mrs. Welch had been visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Caldwell of San Angelo, when she received word of the death.

Before using a cloth to apply floor wax, first dip it in water and wring out. This saves a lot of wax which otherwise would be absorbed by the cloth.

Brush Control Fund Grows \$4,145 Now in Coffers

Fifty-six ranchers have contributed \$4,145 so far to the Sutton County Brush Control Committee to use for research to find economical means of controlling undesirable brush infesting county range land.

Clint Langford, county agent, said one cent per acre of range land was being asked of ranchmen to help the voluntary program. Money may be left at the First National Bank or given to a committee member.

Langford stated, "There's no magic formula handy when it comes to brush control on Texas rangelands. On the contrary, you may create two problems while solving one. Undesirable plant growth, which robs productive grasses of moisture, light and food nutrients, is becoming more difficult to check all the time."

The objective of brush and weed control is to obtain the longest control for the least cost with the largest increase of forage and livestock production and to maintain a good grass cover. Brush and weed control is only one important phase of the overall ranch management program. To be most beneficial, brush and weed work should be combined with proper stocking and deferred rotating grazing.

All kinds of biological, mechanical and chemical methods have their place in brush control programs. Consideration should be given to the cost of various methods to obtain the most control for the cheapest cost, how long they will last and the pounds of livestock products resulting from increased grass production.

Returns from brush and weed control are much more than just

increased grass production. Additional benefits are:

1. Ease of working and caring for livestock with less cost for labor
2. Increased off-spring numbers
3. Less parasite damages
4. Livestock more tame or docile
5. Increased food for deer and increased food and cover for quail
6. Less breeding males required
7. Increased off-spring weights

WTU To Sponsor Student To Attend Texas Nuclear Science Symposium

Roff W. Hardy, president of West Texas Utilities Company announced that an outstanding high school student from Sonora High School will be sponsored by West Texas Utilities to attend the ninth annual Texas Nuclear Science Symposium for High Schools to be held in Austin June 3-6.

A teacher will accompany the student, also under the sponsorship of W. T. U.

The four-day symposium is held on the campus of the University of Texas and is co-sponsored by the university and the Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation. West Texas Utilities and nine other investor-owned electric utility companies in Texas compose the foundation, which is supporting research at the university in controlling nuclear fusion

reactions as a future source of energy supply for generation of electric power.

Some 500 students and teachers from throughout Texas will attend the symposium. The program will include a number of outstanding speakers from science, industry and education. The delegates will spend two afternoons touring the science laboratories at the university.

"We believe that those students selected by their schools will find participation in the symposium a most educational, interesting and eventful experience, and we are pleased to be able to offer them this opportunity," Mr. Hardy said.

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Dedicatory Rites Held To Place Marker At Paul Turney Grave

A dedicatory ceremony for a marker placed at the grave of Paul Turney, Past Grand Master of Texas Masons, was held at the Sonora Cemetery April 23. Hal Burnett, Alpine ranchman and Deputy Grand Master of the Lodge of Texas conducted the ceremony. He was assisted by Harvey C. Byrd, Grand Secretary, from Waco.

The Turney family, friends, and members of Dee Ora Lodge heard Burnett review the outstanding record of leadership of Paul Turney to Texas Masons. Paul Turney served as Grand Master in 1957, after serving for many years in other important Grand Lodge offices.

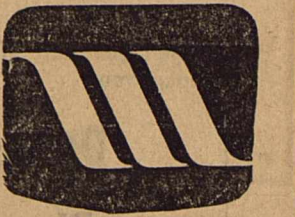
Out of town members of the Turney family who were present included Mr. and Mrs. Jack Turney of Quemado, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Friess of Big Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Brown, and Mrs. Elsie Brown of Rocksprings.

The marking stone, reads "Grand Master of Texas Masons December 6, 1956 - December 5, 1957."

Local Dee Ora Lodge officers assisting with the ceremony included J. C. Luttrell, District Deputy Grand Master of the 53th Ma-

sonic District, Jerry G. Hopkins, Worshipful Master, and E. B. Keng, secretary.

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This is a suit for Divorce as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Sonora, Texas, this 29th day of April A.D., 1969.
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Whose Voice On The Telephone?

Rare is the person who has never gotten a playful telephone call asking him to "Guess who this is." But all too often, identifying the caller on the other end of the line is no joking matter. For example: Who was it that

telephoned the parents of a kidnapped child about the ransom money? Who made those obscene calls to a terrified widow? Which bank employee, questioned by telephone, okayed a check that was no good?

Generally speaking, the law puts considerable faith in a listener's ability to recognize the voice he hears on the telephone. The modern instrument works well enough to reveal distinctive vocal characteristics.

Thus, a blackmail victim was allowed to testify that he recognized, from prior acquaintance, the voice that had threatened him on the telephone. As one judge commented:

"The recognition of persons by their voices is a common occurrence, and is often the only means of identification."

Suppose you don't recognize the voice at the time of the call. May you still identify it later on? Consider this situation:

The father of a kidnapped child received several ransom calls from someone whose voice was not familiar. Later, when a suspect was arrested, the father talked with him face to face—and decided the man had the same voice he had heard on the telephone. Here too, the court held the identification was sufficiently reliable to be accepted into evidence.

What if you don't remember what the voice sounded like but do remember what it said? A case like that arose when a lumber dealer tried to collect for merchandise which a customer said he had never ordered.

"I can't remember what the caller sounded like," said the dealer in a court hearing, "but I do recall that he used this customer's name. I had no reason at all to suspect that he wasn't telling the truth."

But the court ruled that this kind of identification of a caller was not adequate as legal evidence. The judge felt that, with no voice recognition or other corroborating circumstances, it was all too possible that the call was indeed a hoax.

A public service feature of the American Bar Association and the State Bar of Texas. Written by Will Bernard.

Happy Birthday

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Friday, May 9
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When walleyes become prevalent enough in Texas for lifting restrictions on catching them, they will be ideal for night fishermen. They like to chase minnows into the shallow water in the cool of the evening.

No antlered animal, like the Texas white-tailed deer, is native to Africa.

Porcupines occasionally appear beside the road, or in the dwarf timber, of West Texas. These little animals have more than 20,000 quills to protect their body.

Rabbit reproduction is joked about, but a healthy pair of rabbits, where plenty of food is available, can produce as many as 20 offspring per year.

A red fox can attain a speed of 30 miles an hour. But a rabbit can run as fast as 50 miles an hour. This gives it the edge when it comes to being chased by a fox.

One of the most interesting birds of Texas, or any other land, is the oriole. These birds have a pendant shaped nest that is a marvel of weaving. It is strong enough to support many times their weight.

Webster says the word goose sometimes means silly. But many times geese will show unusual intelligence in the face of danger.

If you are fighting cutworms on tomato plants, keep in mind that they are not worms at all, but the larvae or caterpillar of various moths. Also, lady bugs do not die at the end of the season.

like many other insects. They hibernates through the winter.

East Texas meadows and golf courses are continually fighting gophers. These animals can burrow at the rate of 12 to 15 feet per hour, using their forefeet that extend sideways.

Migratory birds are smarter than the weather man. They usually are aware of changing weather conditions at least 12 hours in advance. This instinct is the chief reason for their safe arrival at destination points.

If it stays out of gun reach,



HEAD CHEER LEADER for Sonora High School next year will be Trouba Teaff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Teaff. Trouba, a junior, was also a cheerleader this year.



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the wild goose can become an old head at traveling between Canada and Texas. Some are known to live to the ripe old age of three score and 10.

skunks are born blind and hairless. They develop that black and white pattern of the fur as they grow older.

Only animal of its species that climbs trees is the gray fox.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (SJR31)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 24, Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 24. The Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall each receive from the Public Treasury an annual salary in an amount to be fixed by the Legislature, not to exceed one-half the annual salary of the Governor. Each other member of the Legislature shall receive from the Public Treasury an annual salary to be fixed by the Legislature, not to exceed the annual salary paid to a district judge from state funds. Members of the Legislature shall also receive a per diem of not exceeding Twelve Dollars (\$12) per day during each Regular and Special Session of the Legis-

lature. No Regular Session shall be of longer duration than one hundred and forty (140) days.

Sec. 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 August 5, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment providing that the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall receive a salary to be fixed by the Legislature, not to exceed one-half the salary of the Governor; providing that the Legislature shall fix the salary of the other members, not to exceed that received by a district judge from state funds; and removing the 120-day limitation on per diem for regular sessions."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE ON THE BALLOT (HJR8)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 5, Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended, be amended to read as follows:

may be then pending and upon such emergency matters as may be submitted by the Governor in special messages to the Legislature; provided, however, either House may otherwise determine its order of business during this session by an affirmative vote of four-fifths of its membership.

Sec. 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 August 5, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment to provide for annual legislative sessions."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT ON THE BALLOT (HJR50)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding a new Section 50b-1 to read as follows:

Constitution and the laws enacted pursuant thereto.

"(c) The said bonds shall be general obligations of the state and shall be payable in the same manner and from the same sources as bonds heretofore authorized pursuant to Section 50b.

"(d) 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 this Constitution.

"(e) Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of the adoption of this Amendment such acts shall not be void because of their anticipatory nature."

Sec. 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 the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The Constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for additional loans to students at institutions of higher education under the Texas Opportunity Plan."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (HJR3)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Sections 42, 46, and 48 of Article III, Sections 3a and 7 of Article VII, Section 12 of Article VIII, Section 3 of Article IX, Sections 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9 of Article X, Section 10 of Article XI, Sections 3, 4, 5, and 7 of Article XII, Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article XIII, Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 of Article XIV, Sections 3, 4, 7, 13, 29, 32, 34, 35, 36, 38, 42, 45, 46, 54, 55, 57, 58, and 60 of Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas, be repealed, it being specifically

understood that the repeal of these sections shall not in any way make any substantive change in our present constitution.

Sec. 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 the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment to repeal the obsolete, superfluous and unnecessary sections of the Constitution."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT (HJR7)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding a new Section 64 to read as follows:

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 the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment to remove the constitutional interest rate limitations, subject to limits imposed by the Legislature, for bonds issued pursuant to constitutional authority."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR4)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 51-d, Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

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 the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for payment of assistance to surviving spouses and minor children of governmental officers, employees, and agents, including members of organized volunteer fire departments and members of organized police reserve or auxiliary units with authority to make an arrest, of the state or of any city, county, district, or other political subdivision who, because of the hazardous nature of their duties, suffer death in the course of the performance of those official duties. Should the Legislature

enact any enabling laws in anticipation of this amendment, no such law shall be void by reason of its anticipatory nature."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (SJR6)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 2, Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

such church or religious society; provided that such exemption shall not extend to more property than is reasonably necessary for a dwelling place and in no event more than one acre of land; places of burial not held for private or corporate profit; all buildings used exclusively and owned by persons or associations of persons for school purposes and the necessary furniture of all schools and property used exclusively and reasonably necessary in conducting any association engaged in promoting the religious, educational and physical development of boys, girls, young men or young women operating under a state or national organization of like character; also the endowment funds of such institutions of learning and religion not used with a view to profit; and when the same are invested in bonds or mortgages, or in land or other property which has been and shall hereafter be bought in by such institutions under foreclosure sales made to satisfy or protect such

bonds or mortgages, that such exemption of such land and property shall continue only for two years after the purchase of the same at such sale by such institutions and no longer, and institutions of purely public charity; and all laws exempting property from taxation other than the property above mentioned shall be null and void."

Sec. 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 the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August, 1969, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the Constitutional amendment to exempt non-profit water supply corporations from taxation;" and "AGAINST the Constitutional amendment to exempt nonprofit water supply corporations from taxation."

Sec. 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 required by the Constitution and laws of this state.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (HJR9)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section 49-d to read as follows:

State of Texas. Provided, however, that financial assistance may be made pursuant to the provisions of such Sections 49-b and 49-c subject only to the availability of funds and without regard to the provisions in Section 49-c that such financial assistance shall terminate after December 31, 1982.

"(c) Under such provisions as the Legislature may prescribe, the Texas Water Development Board may receive grants and, in addition, execute contracts with the United States or any state, territory, other states of the United States, foreign governments and others, for the acquisition and development of such water resources and facilities for the State of Texas, which contracts when executed may be secured by the general credit of the state, and if so secured shall constitute general obligations of the State of Texas in the same manner and with the same effect as Texas Water Development Bonds. If facilities are acquired for a term of years, such contracts shall contain provisions for renewal of the interest limitations on Texas Water Development Bonds; raising the authorized amount of Texas Water Development Bonds by \$5,500,000,000; extending the maturity schedule of Texas Water Development Bonds; eliminating the procedures for curtailment and the curtailment date of financial assistance to be provided by the Texas Water Development Board."

"(d) The Texas Water Development Fund shall be used for the purposes heretofore permitted by and subject to the limitations in said Sections 49-c and 49-d, in addition thereto for the purposes of developing water resources and facilities for the State of Texas, both within the State and without the State and both the

State of Texas. Provided, however, that financial assistance may be made pursuant to the provisions of such Sections 49-b and 49-c subject only to the availability of funds and without regard to the provisions in Section 49-c that such financial assistance shall terminate after December 31, 1982.

"(e) The bonds herein authorized and all bonds authorized by such Sections 49-c and 49-d of Article III shall bear such interest and mature as the Texas Water Development Board shall prescribe subject to the limitations and restrictions imposed by the Legislature.

"(f) The Texas Water Development Fund shall be used for the purposes heretofore permitted by and subject to the limitations in said Sections 49-c and 49-d, in addition thereto for the purposes of developing water resources and facilities for the State of Texas, both within the State and without the State and both the

Water Development Board to execute contracts or issue revenue bonds when such contracts or bonds are not secured by the general credit of the state.

"(f) Texas Water Development Bonds and such contracts secured by the general credit of the state 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.

"(g) 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 character."

Sec. 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 Tuesday, August 5, 1969, at which election all ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment broadening the powers of the Texas Water Development Board and the purposes of the Texas Water Development Fund; eliminating the interest limitations on Texas Water Development Bonds; raising the authorized amount of Texas Water Development Bonds by \$5,500,000,000; extending the maturity schedule of Texas Water Development Bonds; eliminating the procedures for curtailment and the curtailment date of financial assistance to be provided by the Texas Water Development Board."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (SJR8)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 51-a of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended, and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

making matching funds available to help such families and children attain or retain capability for independence or self-care, to accept and expend funds from the Government of the United States for such purposes in accordance with the laws of the United States they now are or as they may hereafter be amended, and to make appropriations out of state funds for such purposes; provided that the maximum amount paid out of state funds to or on behalf of any needy person shall not exceed the amount that is matchable out of federal funds; provided that the total amount of such assistance payments only out of state funds on behalf of such individuals shall not exceed the amount of Eighty Million Dollars (\$80,000,000) during any fiscal year.

"(2) Needy individuals who are totally and permanently disabled by reason of a mental or physical handicap or a combination of physical and mental handicaps;

"(3) Needy blind persons;

"(4) Needy dependent children and the caretakers of such children.

"The Legislature may prescribe such other eligibility requirements for participation in these programs as it deems appropriate.

"The Legislature shall have authority to enact appropriate legislation which will enable the State of Texas to cooperate with the Government of the United States in providing assistance to and/or medical care on behalf of needy persons, in providing rehabilitation and any other services included in the federal laws

the state for these purposes, then and in that event the Legislature is specifically authorized and empowered to prescribe such limitations and restrictions and enact such laws as may be necessary in order that such federal matching money will be available for assistance and/or medical care for or on behalf of needy persons.

"Nothing in this Section shall be construed to amend, modify or repeal Section 31 of Article XVI of this Constitution; provided further, however, that such medical care, services or assistance shall also include the employment of objective or subjective means, without the use of drugs, for the purpose of ascertaining and measuring the powers of vision of the human eye, and fitting lenses or prisms to correct or remedy any defect or abnormal condition of vision. Nothing herein shall be construed to permit optometrists to treat the eyes for any defect or abnormal condition in any manner nor to administer or to prescribe any drug or physical treatment whatsoever, unless such optometrist is a regularly licensed physician or surgeon under the laws of this state."

Sec. 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 the first Tuesday in August, 1969. At the election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting "FOR" or "AGAINST" the proposition: "The Constitutional Amendment providing for assistance grants; and authorizing the Legislature to enact such laws as may be necessary in order that federal matching money will be available for assistance and/or medical care."

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Awards Presented By Heart Assoc. At Annual Meeting

Special awards were presented when the Sutton County Division of the Heart Association held its annual meeting in the First Methodist Church.

Cited for special awards were Mrs. John Eaton, Mrs. H. T. Esby, Mrs. Lea Roy Aldwell, Ralph Finklea, Mrs. Alvis Johnson, L. W. Elliott School, Central Elementary School, Sonora Junior High and Sonora High School.

For collecting funds in their neighborhood other awards were given to Mrs. Sam Allison, Anita Urias, Mrs. Dick Black, Mrs. J. D. Cook, Mrs. W. O. Crites, Mrs. Maudie Doran, Bill Doran, Gina Gomez, Mrs. Al Everett, Mrs. Jimmy Hugh Harris, Mrs. Jimmy R. Harris, Mrs. Bob Hardgrave, Joyce Jimenez, Mrs. John T. King,

Also Josefina Hernandez, Mrs. D. C. Langford, Mrs. Bill Morris, Mrs. Tom Nevill, Alda Duran, Mrs. C. W. Taylor, Mrs. Pauline Thompson, Antonio Castro, Mrs. Bob Vicars, Mrs. Louis Wardlaw, Mrs. James Wilson, Susan Prugel, Shelley Morriss, Jane Sawyer, Marilyn Morgan, Lupe Noriega, Frances Mendez, Margarita Martinez, and Elodia Flores.

Mrs. E. D. Shurley is president of the local division, Mrs. Lea Roy Aldwell is treasurer and chairman of heart memorials, and Mrs. John Eaton is secretary.



Phone News to Hazel McClelland, 387-2513

Tuesday Night Bridge Club
Mrs. L. E. Johnson Jr. entertained the Tuesday Night Bridge Club at her home March 29. A salad plate was served to Mmes. Vestel Askew, Leo Merrill, Ed Shurley, Edwin Sawyer, George Barrow, Cleve T. Jones Jr., Louie Trainer, R. A. Halbert, and Ernest McClelland.

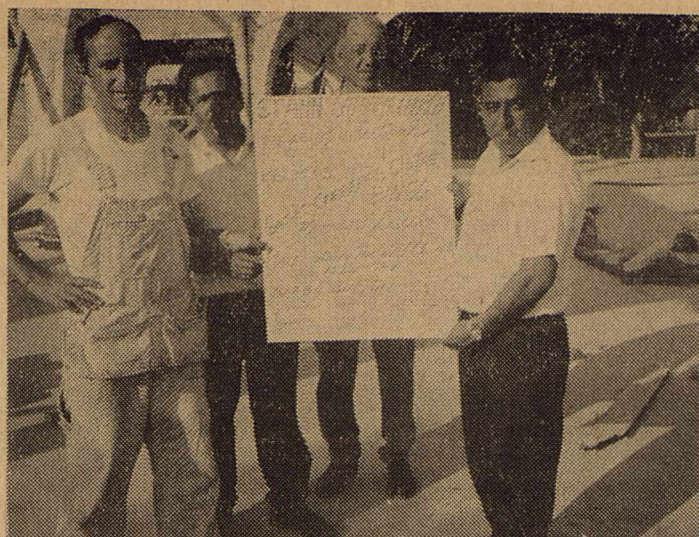
Guests were Mmes. Belle Steen, Herbert Fields and Earl Duncan. Mrs. Dantes Reiley and Mrs. Jack Graves of Austin were dinner guests. Mrs. Askew won high score prize, Mrs. Merrill won second high and Mrs. Sawyer binged. Mrs. Steen won high for guests. Prizes were straw purses brought from the Caribbean Islands by Mrs. Johnson.

Idle Hour Club
Mrs. Ben Cusenbary entertained the Idle Hour Bridge Club at her ranch home March 30. Luncheon was served to Mmes. R. A. Halbert, Belle Steen, Sterling Baker and Frankie Gibson, members, and Mmes. Edwin Sawyer,

Cancer Society Elects Officers

New officers for the 1969-70 year were elected when the Sutton County chapter of the American Cancer Society met Monday night in the office of Dr. C. F. Browne.

Mrs. Alvis Johnson will serve as president; Mrs. Ben Cusenbary, vice president; Mrs. Dorothy Baker, treasurer; Mrs. Alice Jones, secretary and Dr. C. F. Browne, medical chairman. Mrs. Joe Hull is chairman of memorial funds, and donations may be sent to her at 305 East Second Street.



DISPLAYING SIGNS for the Saint Ann's Festival are Father Michael Fernandez, Antonio Navarro, Ortiz, (builder of the new church), and Chapo Samaniego.

FIVE ATTEND BANQUET

The Rev. and Mrs. Norman Griffith and Robert, George Brockman and E. B. Keng attended a conservation awards banquet at Fredericksburg Tuesday night. Robert won a medal in the Ft. Worth Press conservation essay contest.

Sonora Schools From Front Page

its dual structure have not proven effective, compliance with the law requires the school system to adopt and carry out the effective plan. Generally school systems should be able to complete the reorganization necessary for compliance with the law by the 1969-70 school year.

Our review revealed that until 1965-66, your district maintained, at the elementary level, an unnamed school for Negro-Americans, the Elliott Elementary for Mexican-Americans, and the Central Elementary School for Anglo-Americans. As of today, the Negro School has been closed, however, the Elliott School has an enrollment of 283 Mexican-Americans and 5 Negro-Americans and is thus identifiable as a school for Mexican-Americans.

Faculty Recruitment and Assignment—Section 10 of the Policies state that school systems are responsible for recruiting, hiring, assigning, promoting, paying, demoting and dismissing their professional staff without discrimination on the ground of race, color, or national origin. Where there has been discrimination in professional staffing policies or practices, school systems are responsible for taking whatever action may be necessary to correct the effects of the discrimination.

It would appear that your district is in noncompliance in this area in that of the forty-five (45) teachers employed by your district, none are Mexican-American. Our study further revealed that no Mexican - American teachers have ever been employed by your district, even though 52 percent of the total school enrollment is Mexican-American.

Equal Educational Opportunities - Section 9 of the Policies states that where there are students of a particular race, color, or national origin concentrated in certain schools or classes, school systems are responsible for assuring that these students are not denied equal educational opportunities by practices which are less favorable for educational advancement than the practices at schools or classes attended primarily by students of any other race, color, or national origin.

We found violations in this area as follows:

1. SRA Test Scores reveal that students at the Elliott School have lower achievement levels in all areas — Social Studies, Science, Language Arts, Reading and Comprehension—than students at the Central School.
2. The district's Method of providing remedial help to students tends to promote racially isolated classes. Approximately 50 percent of all Mexican-American 7th and 8th grade students are assigned to racially isolated sections during the entire school day.
3. The separate library room for the 288 students at the Elliott School consists of one table whereas the separate library room for the 239 students at the Central School contains four tables and is utilized as a research room. Further, the Central School contains 6.8 books per student, whereas the Elliott School has only 4.1 books per student.
4. Students at the Central School have access to a gymnasium for three afternoon periods whereas at the Elliott School have no gymnasium.
5. Students at the Central School

St. Ann's Festival Starts Saturday

Saturday and Sunday are the days set by Saint Ann's Catholic Church for the annual spring festival.

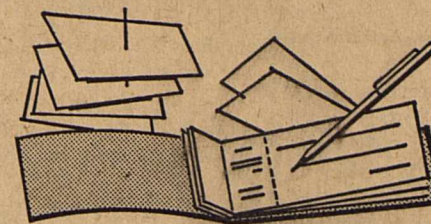
Rain has caused most of the big events to be held at Liberty City Park, and construction of booths is underway. A barbeque and Mexican dinner will be served starting at noon on Saturday.

The crowning of the queen and the forming of the parade will start at 4 p.m. Saturday.

Mrs. Louis Davis explained that the whole community was invited and expressed hopes that the festival would be the biggest ever for the church.

Sunday the children will make their first holy communion at the 10 a.m. mass.

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Final event of the day, race 17 for 3 year olds and up rated A and under and unclassified, had these horses: Pace's Sugar Bar, Willow Belle, Star Turn, Royal Levan, Time Ryder and Candy's Corsair.

RAINS CUT RACES

Rains which originally caused the cancellation of races on Sunday, April 27, came again to cause delay of the featured race of the meet, the West Texas Quarter Horse Futurity. Originally set for Saturday, May 3, the \$25,000 purse race was run as the first event on Sunday's program. Because the track still had heavy mud, only 330-yard quarter horse races were run so that the starting gate would not have to be moved, resulting in a torn up track.

Cancellations in the thoroughbred races which would have been run Monday caused officials to call off the event before Sunday's races had been finished. Had this not happened, a cloudburst which dumped close to 1½ inches of rain between 7 and 7:30 a.m. Monday would have killed any hopes of races that day.

James Hunt said gate receipts were high, and he felt that had races been run all 4 days receipts would have surpassed those in previous years. He said he thought the association would still break even this year, despite the fact that horses were not able to race for 2 days. Ranchers, he said, would be far ahead because of the rains.

HUNTS TO SEE EUROPE

Mr. and Mrs. James Hunt plan to leave in June for a vacation in Europe.

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Legal Notices

Notice is hereby given by the Parks and Wildlife Department that a public hearing will be held at 10 AM on June 3, 1969 at the 4-H Center at Sonora, Texas for the purpose of gathering information concerning proposed hunting, fishing and trapping regulations for the above-named county. As the result of action by the Texas Legislature, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission is responsible for the setting of seasons, bag limits, and means and methods of taking the wildlife resources in Sutton County. All interested persons are urged to attend and comment upon the proposed regulations.

Perez Gets Award At Angelo State

Ben Perez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Perez, was among those students honored at Angelo State College's second annual Academic Excellence and Leadership Honors Program May 1. He received an award for leadership in the Department of Modern Languages. Perez will be a junior next fall.