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Signs of a fast approaching spring are plentiful around Sonora in these early days of March. Fruit trees about town are now producing delicate blossoms such as those that encompass

Cyndy Hopkins, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hopkins. Cyndy and most other Sonorans are optimistic that no late frosts will damage the welcome blossoms.

Honor Society Initiates Eighteen New Members

In an impressive candlelighting ceremony, eighteen young men and women of Sonora High School were initiated into the local chapter of the National Honor Society, in a general assembly held February 24 in the local high school auditorium.

Lighting the four candles, which symbolized character, scholarship, leadership, and service, were National Honor Society members Kathy Morgan, Susan Stewart, Scott Jacoby and David Wuest.

High School Principal, James Pollard led the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Smith Neal, high school English teacher, in giving background information for qualifications for election to the society, noted that a grade average of 85 or above is essential for membership. Students are selected by a teacher committee Neal added, and are judged on their willingness to serve in the school, participation in extracurricular activities and general good character habits in addition to the four above requirements. Neal said the society is

allowed 20 new members yearly here and of those eligible, forty percent can be chosen from the sophomore class; sixty percent from the Junior class; and eighty percent from the graduating Senior class.

Neal introduced the speaker, Hilary B. Doran, Jr., member of the House of Representatives, who in his address to the initiates emphasized that we are a nation of laws, nation of individualism and most particularly a nation of opportunity.

Superintendent Ken McAllister presented the certificates of membership to the candidates and they were Carol Hardgrave, Eddie Sutton, Linda Hill, Paul Firnhaber, Regina Trainer, Jessie McCutchen, Mar Davenport, Rick Street, Joe Nance, Gene Trainer, Kathy Hardegree, Mary Gallegos, June Alexander, Bill

Campbell, Sandra Mounce, Pam Hancock and Dottie Holmig.

Fred Carr Rites Held In California

Mr. Fred Carr, Jr., 40, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Fred Wendall Carr of Gulfport, Miss., died in Orange, Calif., February 24 from injuries sustained in a fall from a tree.

The Rev. Mr. Carr, pastor of the First Christian Church in Gulfport, and his family were Sonora residents during the 1930's.

Services were held for Mr. Carr in Calif., February 27. Among his survivors are his wife, two children, and three sisters. An aunt, Mrs. C. W. West, lives here.



POLO CERVANTES

Cervantes Seeks School Board Job

Leopoldo (Polo) Cervantes, 44, has announced as a candidate for school board trustee of the Sonora Independent School District.

A native of Sutton County, Cervantes attended the Sonora Schools and has worked on the Ed C. Mayfield ranch for the past 34 years. He served three years in the service in WWII, attaining the rank of Sergeant, and has served as president of the West Side Lions Club and the Sonora Roping Club. He is also active on the St. Ann's Church Council.

Mr. and Mrs. Cervantes have six children; Polo Jr., a student at Texas A&M; Anna, a student at Sul Ross; Gloria Miller, now finishing school at SMU; Yolanda Ramos, who attended TWU and a San Angelo business college; and two children at home, attending Rock-springs elementary and junior high schools.

Cervantes said, "I want to make clear that I am in no way connected with the group that has brought suit against those directing the school system. I honestly feel that I can contribute toward keeping the Sutton County Schools the excellent system they are today and I earnestly seek the support of the voters."

State Historical Markers Purchased by Museum

Two historical markers were ordered when members of the Sutton County Historical Society met at the Miers Home Museum Sunday, March 1.

Coots Services Held In Ozona

Ira Emory Coots, 69, died Wednesday, February 25 on the W. J. Fields ranch, from an apparent heart attack. He had been a resident of Sonora three years.

Funeral services for Mr. Coots were held at 2 p. m. Saturday in the Calvary Baptist Church in Ozona.

He was born May 1, 1900 in Brady and married Golda Estep September 6, 1919 in Brady. Mr. Coots was a longtime resident of Ozona before moving to Sonora.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Mrs. L. D. Long of Burnet and Mrs. Milton Wagner; two sisters, Mrs. Oscar Floyd of San Angelo and Mrs. Ethel Floyd of Brady; four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

ize the "Frisco Trailway", a 100-mile cattle lane from Sonora to Brady, and the other will mark the museum site.

A museum board and committees were voted on and approved at the meeting.

Mrs. Joe Brown Ross was elected chairman of the miscellaneous room of the museum, with Mrs. Vestel Askew and Mrs. Edwin Sawyer serving as committee members.

The newly elected museum board, consisting of Mrs. Ben Cusenbary, Mrs. Norman Rousselot and Mrs. Bob Vicars, will have charge of entries to the museum and to bring to light any repairs and recommendations that need attention.

Dr. W. T. Hardy was recently appointed as chairman of the survey committee, a position which is assigned by the Governor of the State.

Others in charge of particular rooms of the museum and any entries made to the rooms, are Mrs. Joseph VanderStucken, Mrs. James Hunt, Mrs. Joe Brown Ross, Mrs. Bryan Hunt, and John Eaton, who is in charge of the museum grounds.

The board passed the following recommendations: Those items given to the museum must be of historical value; membership dues in the amount of \$5 per year for adult couples and \$1 per year for any child through high school age, should be paid annually; and that the regular meeting time of the historical society be changed from the first Sunday in each month to the first Tuesday from 5-6 p. m.

Money left over from Sonora's 75th anniversary celebration, in the amount of \$3,000, and donated to the Miers Home Museum, has been invested in certificates of deposit at the First National Bank in Sonora.

According to Mrs. Ben Cusenbary, no definite plans have been made as to the opening date of the museum.

Tests Set Today For Census Takers

A representative of the U. S. Census Bureau will be in Sonora Thursday, March 5, to conduct qualifying tests for persons interested in assisting in the 1970 census. The tests will be held at the Junior High School at 2 p. m.

Applicants must be 18 years of age or older and U. S. citizens. Anyone desiring further information may see John Tedford or call 387-3308.

Wesley Young Rites Held March 3

Funeral services were held March 3 at St. John's Episcopal Church for Wesley Cecil Young, 50, who died in an automobile accident March 1. The accident occurred 21 miles south of Sonora at the Rocksprings and Del Rio "Y".

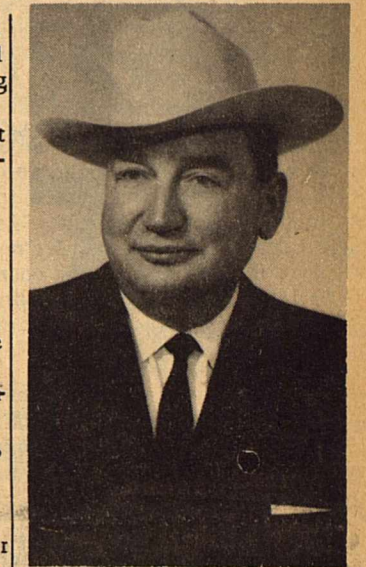
Mr. Young was born August 3, 1919 in Mountain Park, Okla., to Mr. and Mrs. Daner Young. He had been a resident of Sonora since 1945, where he was a drilling contractor and one-time sheriff of Sutton County.

He was a veteran of WWII, a member of the Elks Lodge of Del Rio, National water well association and past president and member of Lone Star Water Well Association, and a member of St. John's Episcopal Church.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Bob Nevill and Mrs. Birl Davis of Arlington, and Mrs. Edward Ramires of San Antonio; three grandchildren; his father of Phoenix, Ariz.; one brother, D. W. Young of Oklahoma City; and his grandmother, Mrs. Della Young of Mountain Park.

The Rev. Norman Griffith, pastor of St. John's, officiated at the services. Burial was in Sonora Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Carl Cahill, Willie Miers, Herman Moore, Bob Teaff, Duke Wilson, and Henry Crim, Donnie Mills and M. H. Adams of San Antonio.



WESLEY C. YOUNG

Noriega Awarded Bronze Star

Army Private First Class Armando Noriega, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Noriega Jr., received the Bronze Star in Vietnam in a presentation held January 9.

Pfc. Noriega earned the award for heroism in action while engaged in military operations against a hostile force in Vietnam.

The private is a rifleman in Company B, 2d Battalion of the 25th Infantry Division's 27th Infantry near Cu Chi.

Last Rites Held For Lester Hill

Funeral services for Lester Floyd Hill, 52, were held February 28 in Roswell, N. M., under the direction of Ballard Funeral Home.

Mr. Hill died February 25 in West Texas Hospital in Lubbock. He was employed by Western Pavers of Lubbock.

He is survived by his wife; one son, Floyd Wayne, a daughter, Linda Kay, both of the home; three brothers, Tom Hill and Louis Hill of Roswell, N. M. and Chester Hill of Pottersville, Calif.; and a sister, Mrs. Alice Ackerman of Portales, N. M.

Soaking Rains Fall On County

by E. B. Keng

Three days of slow soaking rain brought smiles to the faces of local ranchmen last week. Rains of one to 1.5 inches covered the Edwards Plateau soil conservation district and adjoining areas.

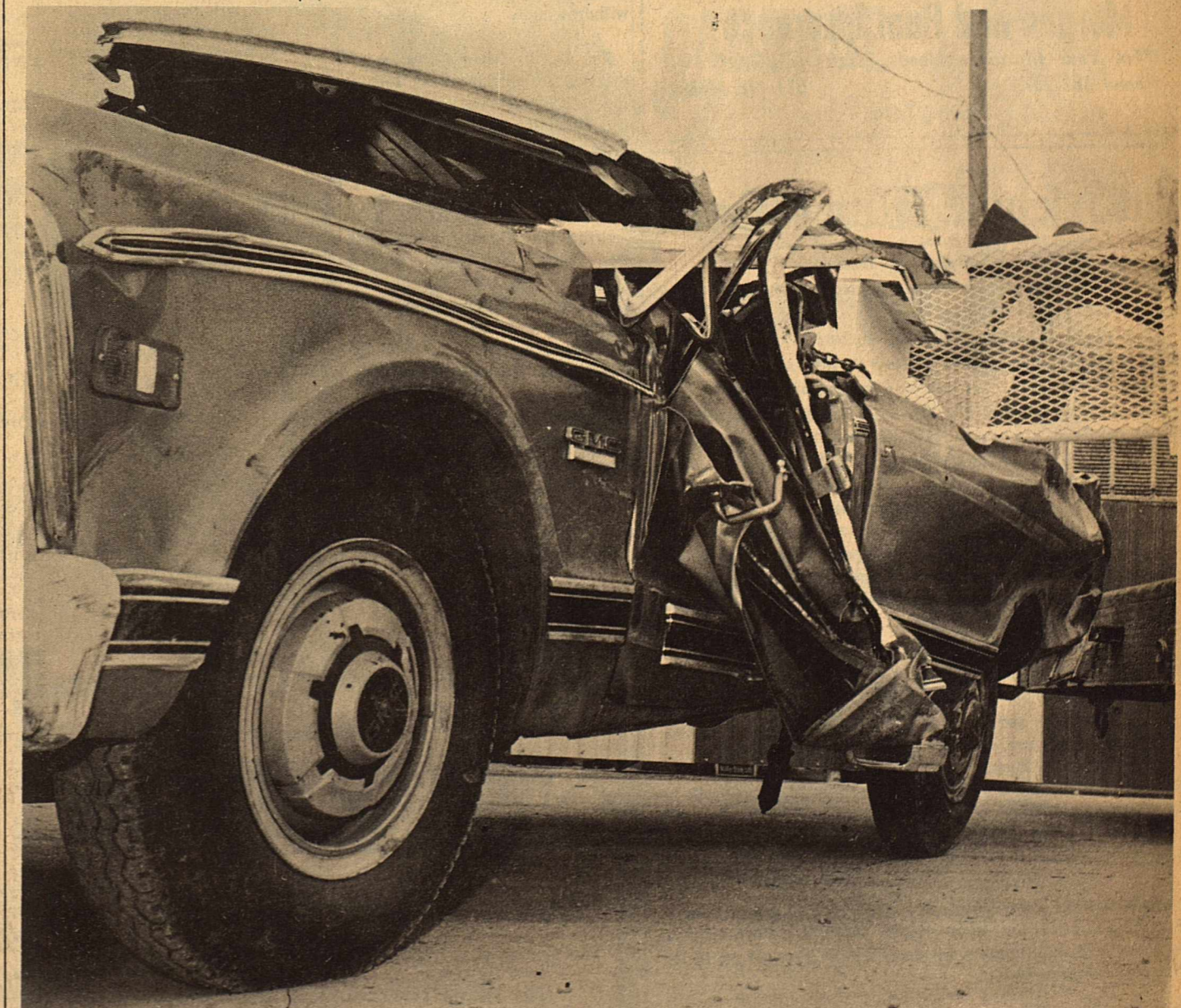
Rainfall was heavier on the east side of Sutton County. Bill Stewart reported 1.60 Monday night. Tuesday noon reports included George Wallace, 1.35 W. L. Davis, 1.0; Frank Bond, 1.00 and Preston Love (Mayer) 1.00.

The moisture will give a quick boost to the heavy stand of winter weeds on rangeland and make good grazing for sheep and goats. With the last expected frost only a few days away, warm weather should supplement the rainfall to produce ideal growing conditions.

Sonora's Weather

Compiled By Pat Brown

	Rain	Hi	Lo
Wed., Feb. 25	55	40	
Thurs., Feb. 26	63	28	
Fri., Feb. 27	08	63	43
Sat., Feb. 28	68	53	
Sun., Mar. 1	73	57	
Mon., Mar. 2	75	58	
Tues., Mar. 3	75	48	
Rainfall for the month, 0;			
Rain for the year, 2.08.			



WESLEY C. YOUNG, 50, prominent drilling company owner, died Sunday morning after being thrown from this pickup. He lost control of the truck after it hit a wet place in the road on

U.S. 277 about 21 miles south of Sonora and was thrown about 60 feet when the truck overturned. P. C. Perner of Ozona, a passenger, was not seriously injured in the wreck.

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Editorials-Features-Columns

The most effective single force in building a good community is a good newspaper.

Masons Feel Personal Duty To Sponsor Public School Week

If it is fashionable today to proclaim the demise of some of the more conservative principles of this country, let it be known that Texas Masonic Lodges are not in fashion.

For the last five years, Freemasonry has sponsored and promoted Public Schools Week in Texas. There are reasons Masons have felt it a personal, as well as organizational duty to do so. Those reasons are the basic beliefs of Freemasonry itself.

- The Fatherhood of God
- The Brotherhood of man

-The supreme worth of the individual
-The conviction that man can reach a higher state of perfection on earth as well as in heaven.

For 116 years, the public school system in Texas has been growing and progressing. But, with 1970 comes even greater progress—and the need for more progress in the years after this.

Visit a Public School March 2nd through 6th. It's a duty—but, a pleasant one. Encourage your child in his class work,

and join with others in the community to discover one of the finest educational systems in the country.

The Masons have known long what a great resource we have in our Texas schools.

March 2nd through 6th is Public Schools Week. Visit a public school near you. Support our Texas schools, their facilities, and student bodies.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

THURSDAY, MARCH 5
12:30 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club meeting at Clubhouse

FRIDAY, MARCH 6
Last day of Public Schools week

SATURDAY, MARCH 7
2-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open

SUNDAY, MARCH 8
Services at the church of your choice

MONDAY, MARCH 9
9 a.m., County commissioners meeting in judge's office in courthouse

1 p.m., School Board meeting
3 p.m., Hospital Auxiliary
7 p.m., Wesleyan Service Guild in fellowship hall of First United Methodist Church

TUESDAY, MARCH 10
12 noon, Downtown Lions Club luncheon in fellowship hall of First United Methodist Church
7:30 p.m., West Side Lions Club meet in Lions' Cage

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11
3-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open
3 p.m., WSCS meeting
3:45 p.m., Youth organizations meet at First Baptist Church

1970 Political Announcements

Listing Fees:
Commissioners \$15.00
Other County Offices \$20.00
State and Federal Offices \$25.00
(The above prices include one write-up of not more than 250 words and the publication of candidate's name weekly in this column.) No refund to candidates withdrawing.

The Devil's River News is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to action of the Democratic primary of Saturday, May 2, 1970:
For County Judge
J. W. Elliott (re-election)
For District and County Clerk
Erma Lee Turner (re-election)
For County Treasurer
Mrs. Lucille Hutcherson
For County Commissioner, Precinct 2
Collier Shurley
For State Representative, District 65
Hilary B. Doran Jr.
For County Commissioner, Precinct 4
R. L. Hardgrave
For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1
Mat Adams
Buddy Brown
Bob Teaff
John Eaton
L. D. (Big Boy) Martinez

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Spell Quiz

Which of the Following is Spelled Correctly?

Rhy them Rhythm Rythm
(Meaning the regular recurrence, as in music)

See Classified Page for Correct Answer.

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from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

MARCH 1, 1940
Bids were opened Saturday for construction of the new Mayfield home, rumors of which have been heard during the past few weeks.
Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Company is furnishing the materials for the new home that is being built in east Sonora for Howard Kirby.
The high school typing team composed of Patsy Gilmore, Doris Meckel, Margorie Davis and Odell Odom, went to Ozona to type against the Ozona team.
Two freshmen students from Sonora, Miss Grace Thomas and Miss Wanda Rape, have been named on the honor roll of Sul Ross State College for the past semester.

MARCH 3, 1950
Roberto Duran, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Duran, and a senior high school student, has been named first prize winner in the essay contest sponsored by the Soil Conservation District.
Dedication ceremonies and services, marking the beginning of a project to build a \$20,000 Mexican Baptist Church, were held Sunday afternoon.
Mrs. W. R. Cusenbary and Mrs. Rip Ward will appear as models in the style show sponsored by the Girl Scouts of Troop 80 in the Cactus Hotel Ballroom Saturday morning.
Russell Davis, assistant manager of Wm. Cameron Lumber Company, has been transferred to Rogers where he will become manager of the store there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Graner left Friday for Crestline, Ohio where they will visit his brother and other relatives.

MARCH 3, 1960
The Fling Ding Club of Sonora will hold its annual dance at the warehouse of the Sonora Wool & Mohair Company March 4. Music will be provided by Jan Gerber and his orchestra.
C. W. West has been awarded a 25-year certificate of service and a gold pin for his service with the state highway department.

Thomas A. Morriss was informed Wednesday that he has been appointed a member of the local draft board.

Mrs. Pearl Crites observed her 80th birthday February 21 with several of her children and grandchildren present to help.
The marriage of Miss Nancy Bryan Hunt and James Powell was solemnized in the garden at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt, February 27.

Only two candidates have filed for election to the school board. Bob Teaff filed for re-election and Harold Friess filed for the position formerly held by Lea Allison, who did not seek re-election.

65 YEARS AGO
Orville and Cal Word were in from the ranch Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. Glass Sharp and daughter, Dulcie of Del Rio

Our Newsletter

By O. C. Fisher

Both the House and Senate battled last week over compulsory busing and the rights of parents to send their children to local neighborhood schools. The Senate did the unexpected; it voted to require HEW to apply the same desegregation rules in the north as in the south. This was done over the bitter opposition of the northern liberals diehards, who opposed applying the compulsory busing concept to northern schools.

In the House the pro-busing crowd was soundly defeated in efforts to knock out anti-busing provisions written into the annual HEW appropriation bill.

Spelled out in clear language, the bill includes three provisions designed to remove any remote doubt about the intention of Congress. One item contained this: "No part of the funds contained in this Act shall be used to provide, formulate, carry out, or implement, any plan which would deny to any student the right or privilege of attending any public school of his or her choice as selected by his or her parent or guardian."

The bill is now in the Senate where the extremists, probably including the HEW, are expected to fight to delete or to water that language down to make it meaningless.

The annual HEW appropriation (which replaces the one vetoed by the President), as approved by the House includes about \$400-million more than the President had preferred—which, unless the Senate changes it, might precipitate a second veto.

A few days following the veto the President changed his mind about the government's mid-school-year commitment to provide funds for federally impacted school districts. On second thought, he urged the Congress to substantially comply with the government's commitment, and requested that the new bill include \$440-million for that purpose. At the time of the veto he had asked for only \$200-million.

Emerging as a national hero is Judge Julius J. Hoffman who presided over the trial of the 7 Chicago hoodlums whose courtroom criminal outbursts and revolutionary antics sought to obstruct their trial for inciting violence during the 1968 Democratic convention. There appears to be compelling reasons for disbarment proceedings against the lawyers who conducted the defense. The Judge deserves the plaudits of every law abiding and decent thinking American citizen.

Public Records

DEATHS
VanNess Rigby Mitchell, February 9, 1970

BIRTHS
Delma M. Fierro, daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond D. Fierro, February 1, 1970. Weight 6 pounds 3 1/2 ounces.
Jose Montalvo, son born to Mr. and Mrs. Arnulfo Gonzalez Montalvo, February 4, 1970. Weight 8 pounds and 2 ounces.
Phillip Roland Valadez, son born to Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Ray Valadez, February 17, 1970. Weight 6 pounds and 15 ounces.
Isreal Zapata Esquivel, son born to Mr. and Mrs. Manuel B. Esquivel, February 17, 1970. Weight 6 pounds and 10 ounces.
Charlene Denise Whitten, daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Whitten February 17, 1970. Weight 7 pounds and 3 ounces.
Samuel R. Mata Jr., son born to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel R. Mata, Sr., February 18, 1970. Weight 7 pounds and 12 ounces.
Eduardo G. Guana, son born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Perez Guana February 18, 1970. Weight 7 pounds.
Javier Galvan, son born to Mr. and Mrs. Felix Galvan, February 19, 1970. Weight 8 pounds and 6 ounces.
Shari Jo Quinn, daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gerald Quinn, February 21, 1970. Weight 6 pounds and 10 ounces.

Armstrong Names Campaign Head

State Representative Bob Armstrong has named former Texas Jaycees Executive Director Bill Green of Grand Prairie state chairman of his campaign for Land Commissioner.

Green, 31, resigned his post with the Jaycees after four years as the organization's top administrator.

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THE DEVIL'S RIVER PHILOSOPHER SEZ... Why Licensing Reporters Will Cut down On Crime And Violence

Editor's note: The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitter-wood ranch on Dry Devil's River comes up with an idea which up to now we hadn't thought much about.

Dear editor:
I had planned to start up my tractor yesterday morning in preparation for the coming of spring but caught myself just in time—not going to catch me polluting the air unnecessarily with a gasoline engine, it's bad enough with people smoking cigarettes and eating onions—so instead I came inside the house and looked over a newspaper I'd been saving, although what I'm going to do with it when I get through reading it I don't know. You can't burn it without polluting the air or throw it away without littering the ground. Understand I'm not suggesting that publishing a newspaper is a prime cause of littering in this country, but if you can't find something wrong about whatever anybody is doing these days, you're behind the times.

Anyway, in this newspaper which I don't know what to do with when I'm through with, I ran across an article by a psychiatrist who is a member of the National Commission of the Causes and Prevention of Violence who says, and I'm sure you and I may have trouble following him on this line of thinking, that one way to cut down on crime and violence is to license newspaper reporters and writers.

That's right. He wants the government to license you newspaper people to assure the public, he says, "that the practitioners of the art are qualified practitioners."

As you know, psychiatrists are licensed and therefore qualified, which is the reason why in nearly any murder trial the prosecutor can find a psychiatrist qualified to say the murder-

er is sane and the defense can find one to say he's insane. In a really big trial, you can get two or three or even four on each side with exactly the opposite diagnosis of the same guy. Where would psychiatry be today without licenses? Where would the country be? Probably filled with crime and violence.

I'll tell you, if we want to put a stop to crime and violence, we ought to have every newspaper and radio and television reporter in this country psycho-analyzed in the morning.

But be sure to see two, so the verdict will be a toss-up.

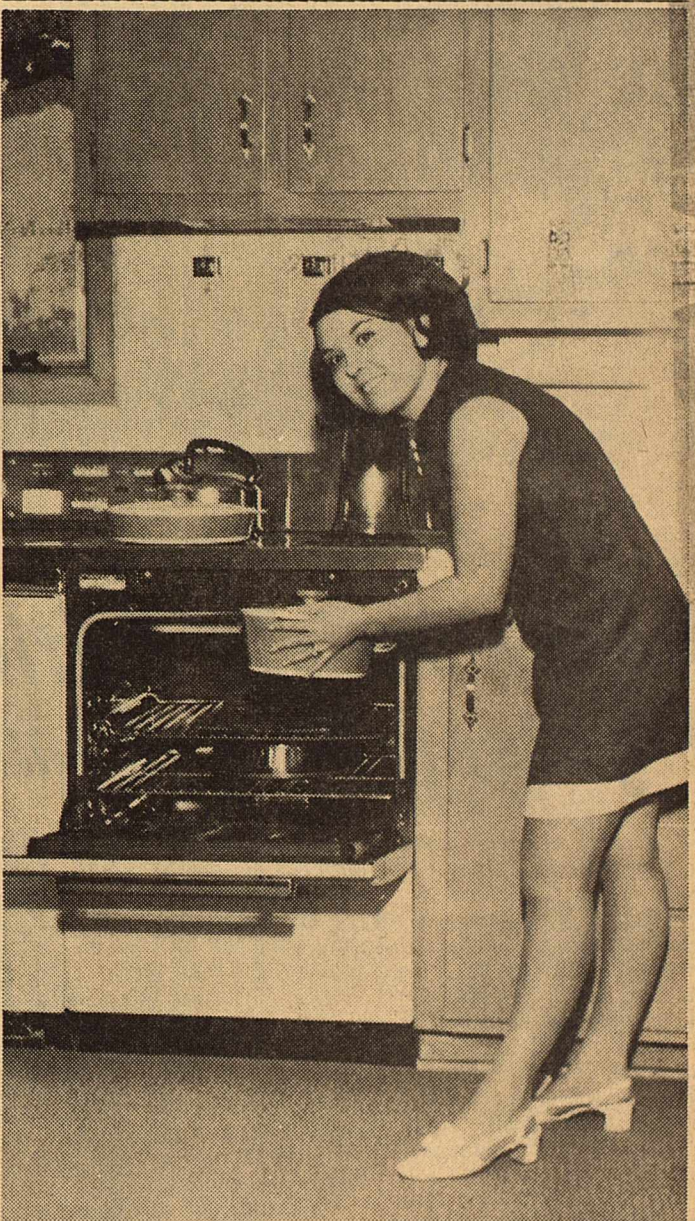
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Jack Martin Sykes
Barbara Gatlin
Victor Castillo, Jr.
Alex Gonzales, Jr.

SATURDAY, MARCH 7
Mrs. H. V. Stokes
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MONDAY, MARCH 9
M. C. Scott
Donna Cooper

TUESDAY, MARCH 10
Jane Wallace
Mrs. Aubrey Miller
Mrs. Elsie Berry
Jolene Davis
Jennie Mata

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11
John K. Wilson

Snips, Quips, And Lifts

By Lottie Lee Baker

The "Flu Bug" got me and laid me low
For weeks - no "Snips, Quips, And Lifts" -
But I hope I've got it whipped at last -
And there'll be no further rifts.

-Life's necessities have increased to four; food, clothing, shelter and endurance.

-It is the dull man who is always sure, and the sure man that is always dull.

-The only thing that gives you more for your money today than 10 years ago is the penny put in the scale at the drug store.

-It is easier to suffer in silence if you are sure someone is watching.

A charming mid-eightyish lady we know received two ducks from her neighbor who had been hunting. Later he asked her how she had liked them, and she gave him a very candid answer: "Well, I didn't know how to pick them, or clean them or cook them, so I just took them out in the backyard and buried them."

-Have you tried Beatle soap? It is in the tub and watch the Ring-go!

Hospital News

Patients receiving treatment at Hudsph Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, February 24 through Monday, March 2 include the following:
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Jesse Penick
R. C. Vicars*
Margaurite Turney*
Lillie Garrett, Roosevelt*
Juana Noriega*
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Carol Murph, Rocksprings*
Dorothy Gardner
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Teen-agers are like airplanes. You only hear about the ones that crash.

A TERSE VERSE
I marvel at the strength of stitches that bind the seams of Capri britches.

-An unimpeachable source: The one who started the rumor.
-Too bad people can't switch to winter-weight oil to make it easier to get started in the morning.

Teacher: "What is Geometry?"
Student: "The little acorn just grew and grew and one day it said: "Ge-om-atry!"

A LIFT FOR THE WEEK
We could take a lesson from the pin: It's head keeps it from going too far.

Parkers Host 7 at 7 Club

Strawberry cheesecake, coffee and tea were served to club members when Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Parker hosted the 7 at 7 Bridge Club at their home Saturday night.

Those attending the party were Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Savell, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy H. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Neil Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hopkins.

High score was won by the Alexanders; traveling prize, Joe Lane; men's bingo, Jerry Hopkins; and ladies bingo, Mrs. Smith.

Club trophy went to the Joe Lanes.

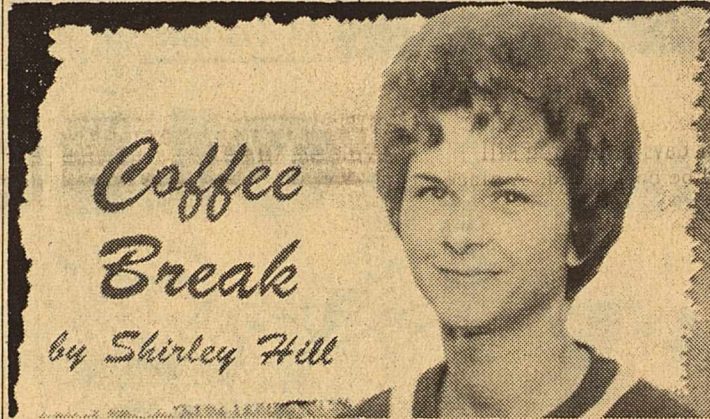
Green News

By Chicken McMillan

Nine teams played in a scotch foursome March 1.

First place team players with seven under, were Tommy Thorp, Lea Roy Aldwell, James Alexander and Jodie Finklea. A play-off for second place with five under, was won by Dennie Hays, Patch Cochran, Nolan Johnson, and Chicken McMillan.

-GN-
There will be another scotch foursome Sunday, March 15.



Coffee Break
by Shirley Hill

After many months of writing the outcome of the 7 at 7 Bridge Club gatherings, I must say I wonder what this club trophy is the Joe Lanes are always winning. I understand from their reporter, Mrs. Joe Neil Smith, that after winning it six months in a row, permanent ownership is aquired. It started out as a rotating trophy but the Lanes just seem to go home with it in their possession every month. And according to all the poop I can get from other club members, it's a dog??

-SKH-
Have any of you dabblers in superstition noticed that Friday the 13th comes again this month? Second month in succession. Looking at the calendar I notice that you won't have to worry again until November.
-SKH-

This is public schools week in Texas. Try to make it a point to go by and see the wonderful work our faculty is doing.
-SKH-

Honor guest at a surprise birthday party February 24 was Mrs. G. W. Robinson, 84, of Teague. Hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nevill. Guests included Mrs. Robinson's sisters, Mrs. C. P. Allen and Miss Winnie Kennedy of Dallas. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Hoot Nix, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stewart, Dr. Leo B. Merrill, Mrs. Mattie Morris, and Miss Robbie Morris.

Mr. Lee Hart stopped by the office Monday and subscribed to the Devil. He is a former Sonora resident. His mother, Mrs. Amanda Hart, who died in December 1968, lived here until 1964. Mr. and Mrs. Hart were here visiting Mrs. Lottie Rode and Ben Rode. Mr. Hart, who is retired from the armed services, is now working with the mentally retarded in Austin.

The Rev. Norman Griffith has accepted a position at a church in Beaumont, effective April 15. Mrs. Griffith and Robert will remain until school is out in May.



MR. AND MRS. HENRY WYATT

Henry Wyatts Observe Fiftieth Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wyatt, married February 28, 1920, observed their fiftieth wedding anniversary Saturday.

Members of pioneer ranching families, the couple married in Menard but moved to Sutton County to begin ranching and later added Uvalde County ranching interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt have one daughter, Mrs. Gwen Wyatt Stafford of Dallas; and two grandchildren, Guy Wyatt Askew of Sonora and Mary Gayle Glimp of Dallas.

A party celebrating the anniversary is planned in the near future.

The octopus, contrary to his bad reputation, is a rather shy creature, leaving his lair only to seek food.

A Bishop Looks at Life America Needs Lent

By Everett H. Jones, Retired Bishop of the Episcopal Church

Some of the clearest writing on religious subjects is in the secular press rather than in technical theological books. The best explanation of why America needs a real experience of self-examination, repentance and a new beginning (the historical emphases of the Lenten season) was contained in a recent essay in TIME MAGAZINE entitled "On Evil - An Inescapable Fact."

"It is the particular heresy of Americans," the essay states, "that they see themselves as potential saints more than as real-life sinners. Seen in the transfiguring mirror of patriotism, the history of America is a record of triumph over adversity, and of moral earnestness and accomplishment. America's libertarian achievements and idealism certainly justify great pride and the nation's technological record in taming nature is one of the world's wonders. But Americans have insufficiently considered the possibility that this record is also tared with betrayals of the nation's democratic ideals, and that no nation has a solitary, superior claim to virtues."

Traditionally, evil has been something distant, wholly Other, rather than an enemy within," the writer continues. "When Rap Brown complained that 'violence is as American as cherry pie,' most Americans dismissed the charge as the aberrant nastiness of a Black Panther fanatic. When the Kerner Commission proposed that America was a racist nation, the U. S. public reacted with 'Who, me?'"

"My Lai is a warning to America that it, like other nations,

is capable of evil acts, and that its idealistic goals do not always correspond to its deeds.... According to Christian moral theology, the self-awareness of sin and guilt is a necessary prologue to sanctify; in the prism of psychoanalysis, self-discovery is seen as the first step towards sanity.

"Individuals are not identical with nations, but sometimes they are analogous. And thus it can be argued that only the nation that has faced up to its own failings and acknowledged its capacities for evil and ill-doing has any real claim to greatness."

Crippling strikes one family in five, according to the Texas Easter Seal Society. The society, which carries forward a year-round program of direct services, education and research, conducts its annual Easter seal campaign February 23 to March 29, 1970.

Three Students Make Honor Roll

Three Sonora students earned places on the Dean's Honor Roll at Angelo State University during the fall semester.

Receiving the academic honors were Austin Stockton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stockton; Randee F. Caruthers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee B. Fawcett and wife of Bob Caruthers, who is a senior majoring in elementary education, and Martha Black, wife of Wesley Black, a sophomore elementary education student.

Mrs. Dennie Hays accompanied by Mrs. Leo James Wilson at the piano, sang "He" at the beginning of the National Honor Society installation and at the conclusion of the ceremony sang "My Best to You."

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As grass, trees, and streams are fettered by winter, so some lives are bound by doubt, unbelief, lack of faith, and false ideas. When they come in contact with the Church, the love of God sets them free. They see new beauty in everything about them, and others see new beauty in their lives. As spring brings all nature to new life, so God's love makes human beings happier, gives them life more abundant.

No matter how strong the fetters which bind you, freedom can be yours through the Church and the message it brings to all. Why not accept that freedom today?



Sunday Amos 5:14-24
Monday Micho 6:1-8
Tuesday Matthew 5:13-20
Wednesday Esther 4:9-16
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State Training Center Planned For Texas Little Leaguers

Plans for a Texas State operational and training center, increased league enrollment to accommodate upward of 100,000 youngsters and an attractive new tournament program spanning the Lone Star State are now taking shape, according to P. J. McGovern, president and chairman of the board of directors of Little League baseball.

In noting the growth of Little League movement in Texas to almost 500 chartered leagues, McGovern said the board envisioned the establishment of

a centrally located training center and headquarters to provide facilities and services for an expanding corps of adult volunteers who operate Little League in hundreds of Texas communities. He declared the tremendous potential for increased enrollment of leagues and additional thousands of youngsters now coming of Little League age, has underscored the necessity to create a central facility in the State. A series of important meetings across the State will be kicked off with a major meeting in El Paso, March 3, 1970.

Mr. McGovern said field directors throughout the State as well as the staff of international headquarters at Williamsport, Pennsylvania, will now furnish assistance to local leagues as well as to new groups in advance of the 1970 season. They will help formulate plans for a series of new and important tournaments to determine a State champion which might advance to the annual Little League World Series, which brings together national entries from all over the world.

To those communities that presently have Little League baseball—the only sports activity in the United States to hold Congressional Charter—McGovern directed an invitation to communicate with headquarters at Williamsport. He said the field organization of experienced volunteers would be pleased to provide any assistance. Many communities, McGovern noted, now have active baseball programs for children of Little League age and the opportunity to enroll for the 1970 season could be reviewed with Little League representatives.

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Senators Named To Committee

Lieutenant Governor Ben Barnes has announced the appointment of three senators to the Committee on marketing and branding of livestock.

Named by Barnes were Senators Jack Hightower of Vernon; W. E. (Pete) Snelson of Midland; and, Murray Watson of Mart.

Created by Senate Concurrent Resolution 74, the committee will study laws regarding the marketing and branding of livestock, with the view of modifying and updating the present law in Texas to give the state a more modern and uniform branding and marketing system.

"Because Texas has almost 11 percent of all beef cattle in the United States, our farmers and ranchers must work under the most up-to-date laws possible. I consider this a very important committee and I know the appointees will do an expert job," said Barnes.

The three members to be ap-

pointed by the Speaker and the Governor have not yet been announced.

Local Girls Make All District

Sonora placed two girls on the All District 8-A basketball team for the 1969-70 season, it was announced last week.

According to girls' basketball coach, Bob McMinn, District 8-A is represented by more than 100 girls and the selections are comprised of girls from all 8-A schools who show outstanding ability in basketball.

Trouba Teaff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Teaff was chosen as a second team guard, and Kaye Kerbow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kerbow, was chosen as a second team forward.

Coarse builders' sand with a bit of peat moss is a fine medium for rotting cuttings.

TEEN SCENE

This week was one of frenzied activities. The always-dreaded six week's tests are over and a calm atmosphere has prevailed throughout the week. The schedule was interrupted numerous times for various activities.

There was a southern assembly program on physical fitness and rhythmic Tuesday at the end of third period. A reading comprehension test interrupted classes Wednesday. Most students like these tests because they get out of class and no study is necessary.

The track boys were busy preparing for their first track meet to be held in Ozona Saturday. The boys have several track meets before their district meet in Eldorado.

The girl's track team has been working hard and long to improve on timings. Sixth period finds them trotting along to the football field meditating the races they must run in the hour ahead.

Three track meets are scheduled in the future for the girls. These are two meets in Eldorado and the Bluebonnet Bell to be held in San Angelo.

Mike Taylor was the lone Bronco to be voted to the district's first team in basketball last week. David Wuest made the second team as did Trouba Teaff and Kay Kerbow on the girl's team.

The western dance held Friday night seemed to be a high success. Billy Bounds and his group were greeted with enthusiasm by a receptive crowd.

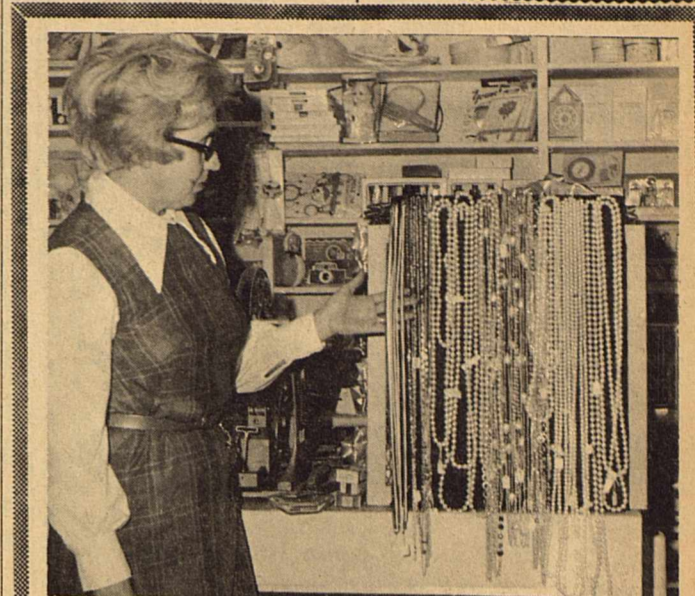
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Mat Davenport took over the drums during intermission and added a flair to things by playing "In A Gadda Da Vida." Things were fine until a cracked drum head split while Mat was playing. He sweated it out until the group's drummer assured him that it would have broken soon anyway.

Report cards came out yesterday bringing the close of the fourth six-weeks. Only two more to go!

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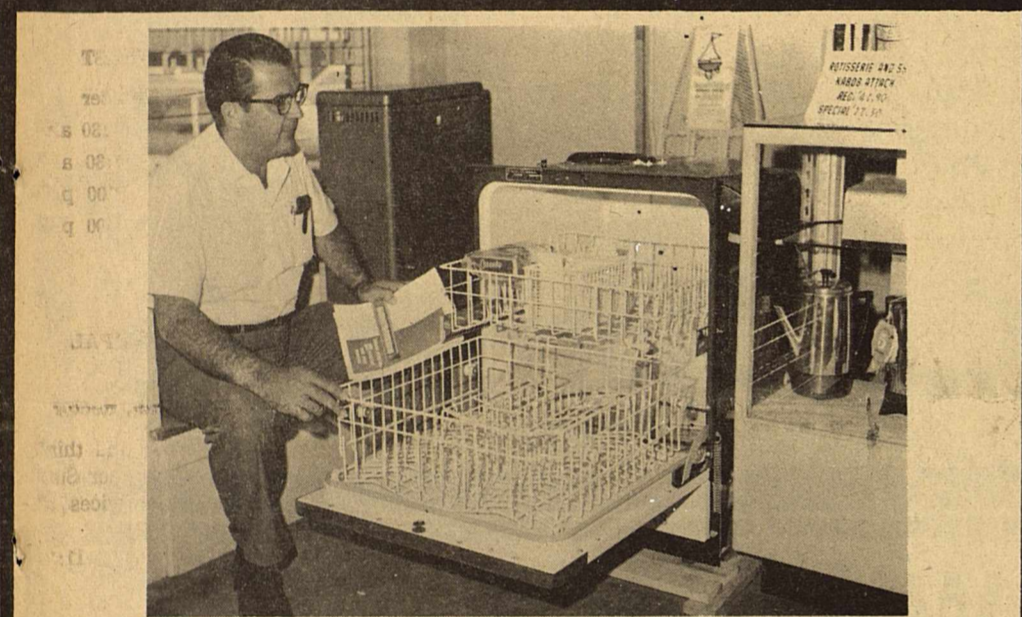
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Purple Martins Looking For Home
 By E. B. Keng
 The purple martins returned to Sonora last Thursday, February 26 and they are looking for homes!
 This attractive and useful bird seems to nest only in man-

made houses. The martins return every year— as early as February 22 and as late as March 19, based on 10 year records at Sonora.
 If you want a colony of martins in your back yard for you and your children to enjoy, put up a martin box within the next few days. Martin houses should have several rooms, each about 6x6x6 inches. The opening for each room should be two inches in diameter. The house should be made of lumber and preferably be erected on a pipe or other cat-proof pole 10 to 15 feet above the ground.

Do not be discouraged if sparrows immediately begin to occupy the house and start building nests. When the martins come they will claim some of the rooms. They seem to appreciate the fact that sparrows have performed some of the nest building chores. One Sonora martin lover cleaned out the sparrow nests daily, and almost failed to find martin tenants who were willing to move into the empty house.

Martins are quite tame and are very interesting for both children and adults to watch. They feed entirely on the wing, and are beneficial in controlling mosquitos and other flying insects.

Sonora residents who put up a suitable house are almost assured of having several families of martins. The birds apparently continue to migrate northward until they find suitable homes. Their arrival for nesting in South Dakota has been recorded as late as June 13.

The purple martin is the largest of the swallow family. The male is dark purple, while the female is light bellied with grayish throat and breast.

MIKE GILLY STATIONED
 Mike Gilly has recently been stationed at Fort Polk, La. After completion of basic training, he will go into Warrant Officer Flight Training School.

Natural Resources Of Texas

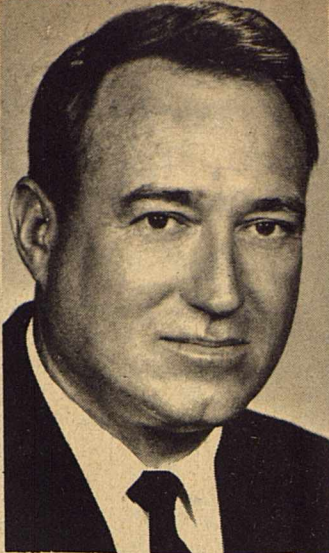
First Place Essay
 Elementary Division
 by Renee Rousselot

If Texas would ever lose its natural resources, this land, especially in the western part of the state, would become like a large desert. Without grass or trees the earth would become dry and desolate. We as good citizens must learn to protect our fertile soil, good forests, natural grasses, our abundance of fish and game, and our large mineral wealth.

We must also learn to protect our water in our lakes, in our streams, and under the ground. Water has always been valuable to the people of Texas, for without it our people, our livestock and our industries could not get along. We must work to keep our air clean from dust and smoke as well as our water from pollution.

Texas has 27 million acres of forest, millions of acres of grassland, which includes 600 kinds of wildflowers, thousands of acres for wildlife of all kinds, and off of her shores many kinds of fish and seafood are found.

The greatest mineral resources are petroleum (oil), natural gas, helium, sulfur, salt, coal and iron ore. Up



Briscoe Named District Engineer

Harold R. Briscoe, son of Mrs. George Phillips, has been named district engineer for the Midland District of Dowell Division of The Dow Chemical Co.

Briscoe began his career with Dowell in 1951 at San Angelo upon graduation from the University of Texas. He holds a bachelor of science degree in petroleum engineering.

He was service engineer and station manager in South Texas and was named area manager in Houston in 1955. From 1955 to 1960 he was Dowell's General office manager in Tulsa, serving in the personnel development office.

From 1960 to 1961 he was operations manager in Dowell's West Va. service area. He moved to Abilene in 1961 as area engineer and moved to Midland in 1964. In 1966, he was promoted to district sales engineer and held this position until his recent promotion to district engineer.

Dowell's Midland District is responsible for cementing and stimulation services to the oil and gas industry in the Permian Basin, Southwest New Mexico and West Central Texas area. Briscoe is a graduate of Sonora High School.

Three Sonorans Serving On Task Force Committees

Three Sonora men are serving on three of the task force committees which are working to establish priority goals for the development of this region and the state over the next decade.

They are Ken McAllister, Edwin E. Sawyer, and A. E. Prugel.

McAllister is serving on the education committee; Sawyer is a member of the natural resources committee, and Prugel is on the general government committee.

Ten task forces are engaged in the studies for the 13 counties in the region of the Concho Valley Council of Governments, survey sponsor. Counties are Coke, Sterling, Runnels, Reagan, Irion, Tom Green, McCulloch, Concho, San Saba, Menard, Crockett, Schleicher and Sutton.

Dr. Lloyd D. Vincent, president of Angelo State University and over-all chairman for the goals survey, said approximately 300 residents of the region are involved in the 10 task

Two Local Boys Take Honors

Chris Berger exhibited the champion Delaine ram and the champion Delaine ewe at the Houston Fat Stock Show last week.

He also exhibited the first and second place ram lambs; first and second place two-tooth rams; second and third place aged rams; first place ewe lamb; first and second place two-tooth ewes; first and fourth place aged ewes, and first place get-of-ewes.

Elba Adams, Jr. exhibited the 5th and 9th place junior Charolais heifer in the First National Charolais Show held at the Houston Livestock Show February 26. The fifth place heifer sold for \$1,750.00 and the ninth place heifer sold for \$1,380.00. The heifers were bred by Elba Adams, Sr.

Card Of Thanks

I wish to thank each person for the cards, calls, flowers, and many lovely presents and the kindness and thoughtfulness during my recent illness. May God bless each of you, also the doctors and nurses.

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 Services have been scheduled for 8 p.m., March 8 and the Rev. Mr. Akers says the service is open to all churches.
 The United Youth Fellowship groups will be in charge of the program this year and according to the Rev. Mr. Akers, this will be the first year for the young people to take charge of the program.

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