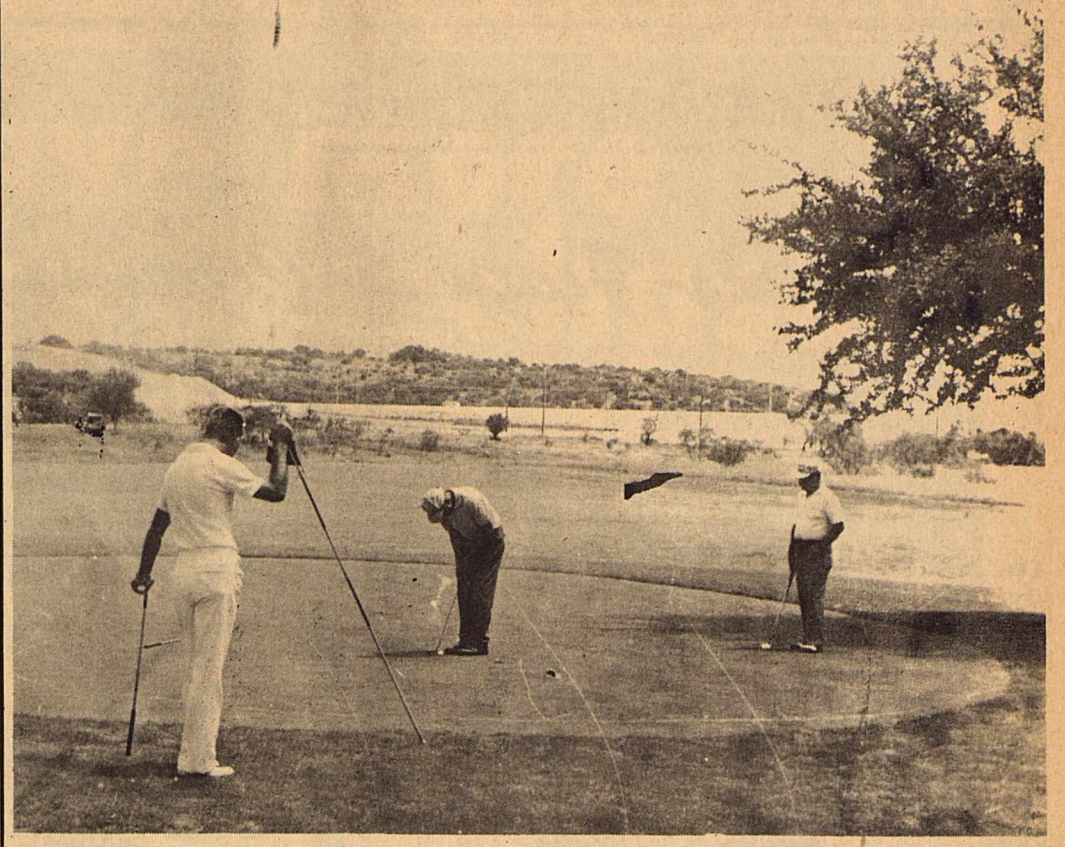


Wanda and Durwood Neville prepare for tee off time Sunday at the partnership tournament held at the local golf course. Neville and Ken

Braden were second place winners in the third flight of play.

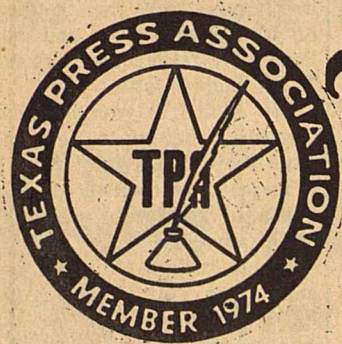


Warming up with a little practice before tee off time is J.W. Neville. Neville and his partner, J.K. Ray, were second place winners in the first flight of play.



Nolan Johnson stands back and waits while partner Ed Grobe prepares to sink a put at the tourney held last weekend. These and other

golfers will participate in the Booster Club's first annual red and white tournament to be held next Sunday.



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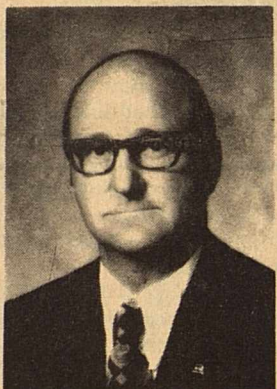
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Dr. Joe R. Andrews Named Superintendent

Dr. Joe R. Andrews, a native of Junction, has been hired by members of the Sonora Independent School District Board of Trustees, to fill the job of superintendent of schools. Dr. Andrews has had sixteen years experience as a school superintendent, the past seven having been spent as superintendent of the Boling Independent School District.

Dr. Andrews has Bachelor of Science and Master of Arts degrees from Southwest Texas



Dr. Joe Andrews

man of the State Auditing Committee and is a member of the American Association of School Administrators, a life member of Texas State Teachers Association, a member of Phi Delta Kappa, Lions International and is a York Rite Mason.

Mrs. Andrews, a native of Brady, is an elementary teacher and she and Dr. Andrews are parents of two sons, both of whom are graduates of Texas A&M University.

The couple are members of the Baptist Church and will be moving into the school-owned superintendent's residence this weekend.

State University. He received his Doctorate of Education in Administrative Education from the University of Houston.

Active in professional and educational circles, Dr. Andrews has served in and held offices at the local, district and state levels of Texas State Teachers Association, and a member of the State Executive Committee of that association. He was recently named chair-

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City Hires Patrolman

Assuming duties as City Patrolman August 5 was Mr. Joe Fincher. He came here from Odessa where he was employed by the Odessa Police Department for nine years, the last five as a detective. Fincher and his wife, Darla, have three sons.

TRILLI THOMPSON ON DEAN'S LIST

Miss Trilli J. Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Thompson, achieved high scholastic average during the spring semester at Texas Woman's University, according to Dr. Leslie R. Kreps, vice president of academic affairs.

Hope Lutheran To Observe World Mission Day

Hope Lutheran Church will observe World Mission Day in its 11 a.m. service next Sunday. The Rev. Richard Wagner, son of the Rev. and Mrs. A.B. Wagner, and pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church, Houston, will be the guest speaker. His subject will be "We Have A Mission".

A carry-in dinner will be served immediately after the morning service and the Rev. Mr. Wagner emphasized that everyone in the community is invited to attend. Sunday school and Bible class for all ages will begin at 10:20 a.m.

Mark Self Dies In Oilfield Accident

Funeral services were held August 1 in Faith Village Church of Christ in Wichita Falls for 18-year-old Mark King Self who died from injuries in an oilfield accident July 30. An employee of Pool Company, young Self came to Sonora to spend the summer months working before entering college in the fall. He was dead on arrival at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital.

Self was a two year letterman

in football and track at Rider High School in Wichita Falls where he graduated in May. He served as president of the Spanish Club, was a member of the A cappella choir, and of the student council. He was also an active member of the Faith Village Church of Christ.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Self; one brother and one sister, all of Wichita Falls.

Aldermen Hire City Manager

City aldermen of the City of Sonora announced Monday following their meeting, the appointment of Bob E. Nevill as city manager. The position of city manager has not been filled since the resignation of Alex Binford in May. Nevill will assume duties August 20.

Nevill is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nevill and is a graduate of Sonora High School and holds a degree from the University of Texas in Arlington. He is married to the former Cecilia Young and the couple has one daughter, Heather, 5 years old.

In a statement Tuesday morning, Nevill stated that he and his family were looking forward to moving back to Sonora although Mrs. Nevill would not be moving until sometime in October due to the expected arrival of another child in September.

Nevill also added that he felt the city does have quite a few problems but none that are not felt by other cities and none that could not be overcome with the cooperation of everyone involved.

OTHER CITY BUSINESS

--Bids were accepted on an automobile for the City Police Department. Lowest bid came from Ken Braden Motors, Inc., for a 1974 Pontiac Catalina. Bid was in the amount of \$4,469.00.

--Reports were heard from Mr. William E. Fox, consulting engineer, regarding a study of the sewer and water distribution programs for the city.



Bob Nevill

Red and White Golf Tournament Set For Sunday

Sonora's first annual Red and White Golf Tournament has been scheduled for Sunday, August 11 at the local golf course. Tee off time will be 2 p.m., and play will be mixed fivesome.

The tournament is sponsored by the Bronco Booster Club and participants in the tournament are requested to wear red and white clothing.

Prizes of red and white will be awarded to first, second and third places.

Tournament director, Tommy Thorp has noted that Booster Club tickets will be on sale at that time.

JOSE E. LOPEZ DEGREE RECIPIENT

Jose Eliel Lopez has been named as one of the more than 260 candidates for Bachelor of Arts degree in the College of Humanities at the close of the spring semester at the University of Texas in Austin.

WELFARE WORKER SETS AUGUST VISIT

Mrs. Joanne C. Wright, Adult Social Service Worker of the State Department of Public Welfare has announced she will be in the county courthouse from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on August 21, 1974.

School Registration Dates Set

Sonora Public Schools will begin classes Wednesday, August 21 and principals from elementary, junior high and high school have announced registration dates for students who have previously attended and those students who will attend Sonora Schools for the first time.

HIGH SCHOOL
Mr. Bill Mayfield, high school principal, has stated that all students who will enter high school and have not pre-registered, should be at the high school tomorrow, August 9.

On August 12, those who will be senior students should register at the high school from 8 a.m. to 12 noon with junior class students to register from 1-4 p.m.

Sophomores and freshmen will register August 13. Sophomore students will register from 8-12 a.m., with the freshmen classes from 1-4 p.m.

JUNIOR HIGH
Smith Neal, newly appointed principal of the junior high school, states that any student who will be in junior high school in Sonora this year, and who was not in school here at the end of the 73-74 school year, should register for classes from 8 a.m. - noon on Friday, August 9 in the principal's office.

Those students who will be in the 6th grade and who were in Sonora Schools at the end of the 73-74 school year will register from 1-4 p.m., on August 9.

Those entering the seventh grade and entered in school here last year, will register from 8 a.m. to 12 noon on August 12.

Eighth grade students who were in school here last year should be at the school between 8 a.m. and 12 noon on August 13.

ELEMENTARY
Registration for elementary age pupils, kindergarten through fifth grade, began last week but those who have not registered may still do so at the office of Principal Clay Cade from 9 a.m. - 12 noon.

It is not necessary for pupils who attended the Sonora Elementary at the close of the 73-74 school year to register. This registration is just for the students who have not pre-

registered.

Pupils entering school for the first time, in either kindergarten or first grade, must present their birth certificate and immunization record. A child must be 5 years old on or before September 1, 1974 to attend kindergarten; and to attend first grade, a child must be 6 years of age on or before September 1, 1974.

A child entering any grade for the first time in Sonora, must present their immunization record, or the proper exemption records.

MUSEUM HAS TRAVEL BROCHURES

In the past two editions of the Devil's River News, articles on West Texas travel and places of interest in West Texas, have been run. Members of the Miers Home Museum Society have notified news personnel that all travel brochures mentioned in these series are available at the museum.

The museum is open each Thursday from 5-7 p.m.

Governor Briscoe Approves Two Criminal Justice Grants For CVCOG

Governor Dolph Briscoe has approved two criminal justice grants totaling \$490,901 for improving law enforcement in the area served by the San Angelo based Concho Valley Council of Governments.

Concho Valley COG receives a grant of \$450,911 for collective purchase of radio equipment for law enforcement agencies of the region. The radio system will provide local governmental agencies with reliable statewide communications. Concho Valley COG serves the counties of Coke, Concho, Crockett, Irion, Kimble, McCulloch, Mason, Menard, Reagan, Schleicher, Sterling, Sutton and Tom Green.

Through a grant of \$39,990, the city of San Angelo will establish a formal crime prevention education unit within its police department. The unit will provide crime prevention information, training to all commissioned officers, security inspections, crime statistics

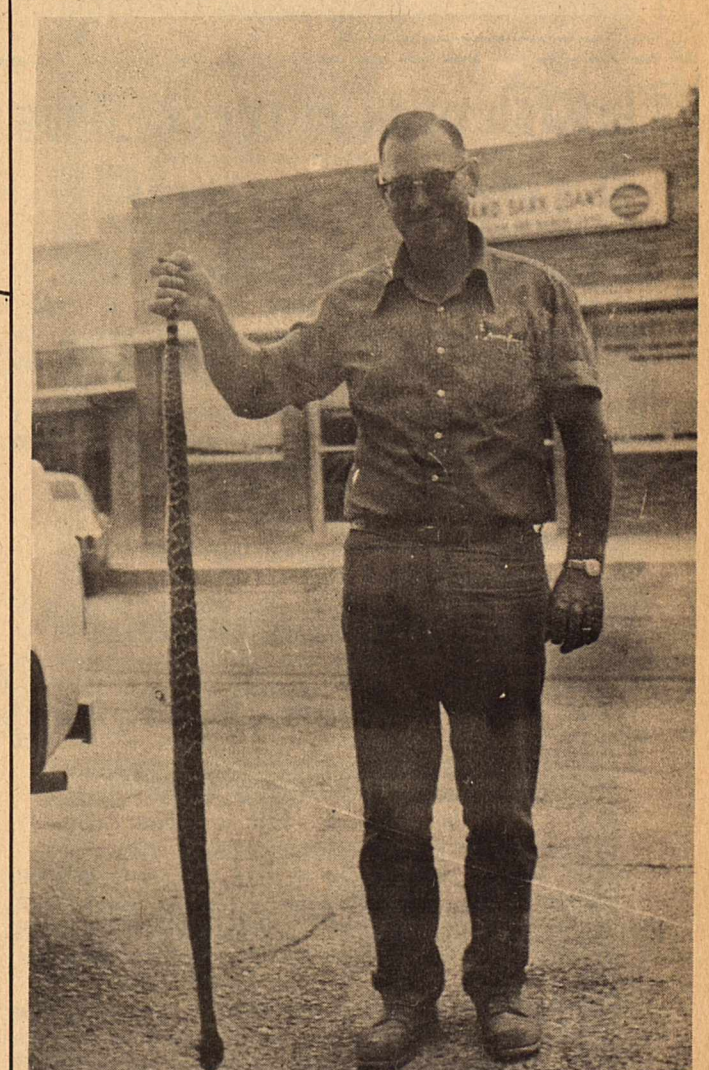
analysis and new crime reduction projects. Project director is Sgt. Jerry Watkins, who has graduated from the National Crime Prevention Institute, in Louisville, Kentucky.

The money comes from the Criminal Justice Division of the governor's office. CJD administers the state's block grant from the law enforcement assistance administration under the Crime Control Act of 1973.

The local grants were among 60 totaling \$4.7 million approved by the governor.

THE WEATHER COMPILED BY PAT BROWN

	Rain	Hi	Lo
July 30		88	70
July 31	.08	95	68
August 1		97	66
August 2	.13	94	66
August 3		94	64
August 4	.23	89	65
August 5		T 86	68
Rainfall for the month, .36;			
rainfall for the year, 12.16.			



Douglass Campbell, an employee of Lone Star Gas Company, encountered this 5 foot long rattlesnake last week on the George Brockman Ranch 28 miles southeast of Sonora. The reptile measured 7 inches in diameter.



Construction began last week on the location that will house the new San Angelo Savings Association's Sonora branch office. The new savings and loan firm will occupy the building that for many years was the office of the late Dr. J.F. Howell. Approval to open the Sonora branch office was received June 26 and

remodelling is expected to be complete in 60 days, according to company officials. The extensive internal and external remodeling is to convert the 1200 square foot structure into a lobby, reception area, two private offices, coffee bar, service counter and storage area.

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Editorials-Features-Columns

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

Grassroots Opinion

Lake Park, Iowa, News: "At the turn of the century, government employed less than one million persons and there were approximately 26 persons employed in the private sector for every one employed in the public sector. By 1972 the picture had changed drastically. Government employment had grown approximately five times as fast as employment for every one civilian government employee. If this trend continues unabated by the beginning of the next century, the year 2000, for every worker in the private sector there will be one in the public sector."

Muncy, Pa., Luminary: "If and when there may be 'pie in the sky' for all, many would complain if there weren't a liberal slice of cheese for each piece of pie."

Elk Point, S.D., Leader-Courier: "The gas shortage (problem) may encourage people to shop closer to home, in fact in their own hometown. The importance of trading at home cannot be over emphasized when it comes to building a strong community. The benefits are tremendous and when viewed as a whole picture far outweigh any real or imagined savings that may be affected."

Claude, Texas News: "The answer has been there all the time but I simply failed to apply any logical thinking so the question 'which came first, the chicken or the egg?' went unanswered these many centuries. Now I've got it! It is completely illogical to think the Good Lord created an egg, fertilized it and set it forth to populate the chicken world. In fact, the Genesis story is quite clear on how the process of the 'chicken and egg' controversy was concluded. The Good Lord created the rooster in all his strut and glory, first. Then came the hen. Both were programmed for their main function of good to mankind. And the Lord said, let the 'fowl multiply in the earth.' Then

the egg. So you see, the chauvinist rooster came first."

Findlay, Ohio, Republican-Courier: "Faced with problems, statesmen retire to their mountain hideaways to ponder their decisions. About the best the rest of us can do is go down to the laundromat and brood over the tumbling wash."

Bastrop, La., Enterprise: "The U.S. economy is going downhill and inflation is rising. One of the reasons is that we aren't producing like we should. The Japanese, the Germans and other free enterprise countries are beating us because they are being more productive."

Edgerton, Minn., Enterprise: "Politicians have often been accused of being longwinded. This thought came frequently to my mind as I glanced over a 63 page report on the problems of welfare programs, compiled by a man who was leaving his department. For all of its wordiness, the simple fact still remains: 'It's a poor system that gives people more money for doing nothing than they could earn for doing something.'"

COMMUNITY CALENDAR


Thursday, August 8
2-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open
Sunday, August 11
Services at the church of your choice

Monday, August 12
9 a.m., County Commissioners meeting in County Judge's office at courthouse
10 a.m., Band practice begins for all high school and eighth grade band students
12:30 p.m., School Board meeting in superintendent's office in Central Elementary building

Tuesday, August 13
12 noon, Downtown Lions Club luncheon in fellowship hall of First Methodist Church
7:30 p.m., Firemen's Auxiliary meeting at fire hall

Wednesday, August 14
3-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open

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Some people believed that thunder was caused by horses' hooves.

A Bishop Looks at Life

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

New Trends In The Church

It was the story of the first archbishop of New Mexico told by Willa Cather in her famous novel, DEATH COMES FOR THE ARCHBISHOP, that first aroused my deep interest in this part of the country.

It is very natural, therefore, that I am excited about his successor this century later, the new archbishop, who is to be installed here at St. Francis Cathedral in a few days.

There are several reasons for this excitement. The archbishop-elect, Father Robert Sanchez, is only 40 years old and will be one of the youngest men in this high office in the world-wide Roman Catholic Church. He was appointed by Pope Paul VI while a parish priest in Albuquerque. This means that he must be consecrated a bishop before he can be installed here. It is the first time in 25 years that an American has bypassed so many other offices to head an archdiocese.

The appointment has brought rejoicing to the state's 260,000 Roman Catholics because Father Sanchez is the first New Mexican native, Spanish speaking and Spanish surnamed, to be their spiritual leader.

His choice has also had a natural impact, as shown by the fact he is one of the 200 young American leaders of the future named in a recent survey by TIME MAGAZINE. The new archbishop is described as a man who is quiet, humble, and soft-spoken, with a deep commitment to his church and his people. In an interview he recognized what every church leader must face today: "I know that one of my most important jobs will be to bridge the gap between younger Catholics who are seeking new things from the church and older, more conservative Catholics who seek a return to tradition."

He also said: "I follow the feelings of some of the modern Catholic theologians who say that whatever is best of humanity will ultimately be best for the Church. The church has a responsibility to speak on those issues where conscience says that something is wrong or people are not being given their basic human rights."

What is happening here is an example of the new and vital trends taking place in all branches of the Christian church. For example, Father Sanchez was chosen after an unusually "open" process of decision. Priests and lay people of the archdiocese were allowed to describe the kind of chief pastor they desired and to make nominations. A similar process was followed by the Episcopal Church preceding its recent General Convention and the election of a new presiding bishop. There was an unprecedented nation-wide "listening program" to learn the concerns and priorities of church members at the grassroots.

This trend to greater leadership sharing by lay people includes a larger role for women both on governing boards and in the ordained ministry. There is also a greater participation in church government on the part of the youth.

Once again the age-old church is revealing its ability to be true to the past and to the present.



from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK

DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

AUGUST 6, 1964

Long delayed showers teased the area. Some portions of the county received up to five inches.

Gene McCarver was reported in satisfactory condition after falling from a utility pole.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kerbow, Kay and Bruce were involved in a car accident three miles south of Dalhart.

Johnny Crawford, co-star of the television series, "The Rifleman", was the guest of the V.J. Glasscocks.

Mrs. Zephia Wheelis, Mrs. J. Wray Campbell and Mrs. Herbert Fields attended the Conference Guild Weekend held in Kerrville.

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Velma Lacey Shurley. Ernest Stephen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Stephen, won a Science Foundation scholarship for the fourth year.

AUGUST 13, 1954

William Decker, army PFC son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Decker, was serving in the 2nd Infantry Division in Korea.

Mrs. Ralph Trainer, Mr. and Mrs. James D. Trainer and children left for Fort Worth where Mrs. R. Trainer will continue on to Arlington, Virginia to visit son, Sanford. The Sonora trapshooting team consisting of Wilfred Berger, Stanley Mayfield, Jim Richardson, W.T. Hardy, Bill Drennan, F.L. McKinney and A.E. Lowe were cast in a match against a San Angelo team.

Mrs. Gene Henderson was honored with a stork shower at the First Baptist Church. Hostesses were Mmes. Jack Drennan, Ted Letsinger, Herbert McKee, Joe Neil Smith and Miss Jayne Kiser.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Luckie were parents of a daughter, Dollye Gwen, born August 5 in Hobbs, N.M.

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Viewpoint

BY T. DRISKELL

A voltmeter across the municipal power leads at my hovel reads a scant 97 to 100 volts depending on the time of day, instead of the 110 to 120 volts it should read. Ignoring the fact that electric motors under load tend to draw excessive current when the voltage is low, and every loaded motor on the line is in jeopardy when the voltage gets too low, the meter runs fine. One wonders if the meter (running like a power saw) knows the voltage is low, or does it have an amper bias and indicates watts not really delivered.

This is not a technical column, so ignoring the potentially unwarranted pocketbook dent, and looking backward, one can but feel remorse at the human side of our situation. Academically, our venture in the utility business has demonstrated very well the curses which plague many public owned utilities. What are we talking about? Let's itemize them in terms of local history and look at them.

First, the municipal utility was conceived as a money maker, and the fundamental conception was as solid as bedrock. It was somewhat unfortunate that such a well founded solid idea passed into the hands of the city fathers with such a frugal background with an interest in money making. The result was foreseeable; the adopted expedients toward economy. The primary expedient was management where salary considerations were allowed to outweigh technical knowledge and competence. Next, not realizing that a utility system is a living entity, the ranch country philosophy of baling wire repairs to get by was followed. Baling wire repairs are fine on something that does not change, but on something that must keep abreast of changes, they are for the birds, and safety factors are not in evidence.

The full supply picture looked extremely bright for a while, but it became cloudy. One must wonder if a subsidiary company could not have been formed to provide gas to operate a generating plant. Really it should not have made any difference where the profits became evident. Admittedly, however, it would probably have led to extensive litigation and it must be conceded in the courts this locality has not done excessively well.

This was not intended as a slur at anyone, only remorse that our venture into public owned utilities could not have paid our local taxes. It is understandable that the remorse seems a little sharper in November than in July. One must wonder how it would have turned out if the city fathers had hired an electrical engineer to operate and keep the system up to date along with letting go of the concept of Sonora as a "no growth" town. I look with sadness at the overall result that my hovel has an evaporative cooling system, otherwise excessive speed might damage the electric meter.

The Devil's River Philosopher Sez.....

Watergate Brings Out Politician's Ability To Do A Little Writting

Editor's note: The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitter-weed ranch on the Dry Devil's River thinks he has detected another trend, his letter this week indicates

Dear editor:

I don't know if you have noticed it but a pattern seems to be forming by lawyers associated with the Washington mess when they get caught, convicted and disbarred.

They all take up writing. It's a fact, Agnew,

News Letter

By O.C. Fisher

Busing, impeachment, free legal services for the "poor," and legislation to reduce coal mining, figured in news during the past week.

A big bombshell was triggered by the Supreme Court when by a 5-to-4 decision it outlawed compulsory busing of school children away from their own neighborhood schools. While it remains to be seen just how the court action will be implemented, it is rated as a major victory for education and the neighborhood school concept.

After a year of wrangling, a measure to create a public corporation to finance, at taxpayer's expense, a \$100-million-a-year legal service for the "poor" was approved. It amounts to a big subsidy for lawyers who are expected to have a field day drumming up litigation. I voted against it.

A surface coal mining bill, okayed by the House and Senate, preempts much of the jurisdiction of the States to control and regulate the mining of coal. The effect will vastly reduce coal mining, and it strikes another blow at the right if States to handle their own affairs.

Yielding to a massive drive by the news media, the House Judiciary committee approved rather hazy and loosely defined charges of impeachment against the President. Admittedly, the ambiguous are based to a considerable extent upon "innuendo, hearsay, and generalities."

The House will soon debate and act upon the committee's report, where emotionalism and politics are sure to play a major role, as was the case in the committee action. It is known that the definition of impeachable offense, as contained in the Constitution, is proving to be somewhat embarrassing to sponsors of impeachment.

A simple majority is required for the House approval of impeachment charges. This action is likened to an indictment. If approved, the Senate would then decide the issues, and a two-thirds majority would be required. At the last nose count conducted by the Washington Post, it was revealed that as of that time it appeared the Senate vote would be 12 short of the required two-thirds. That, of course, remains to be seen, if the Senate is called upon to act.

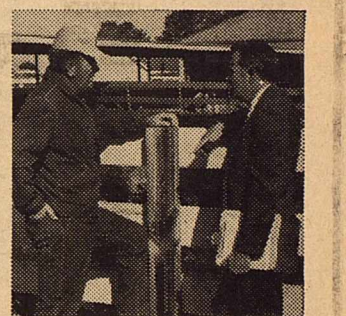
McGruder, Colson, Dean, and numerous others, having lost their law licenses, have now taken up writing and you get the impression that a first requirement for pursuing this literary profession is disbarment. First you get a law license, then you get a government job, get convicted of perjury, then get disbarred, and you're all set, with publishers standing by offering you a contract. For beginning writers however I'd like to point out there are certain details you have to respect and pitfalls to avoid if you want to become a full-fledged writer.

For example, take the third step mentioned above, perjury. You can't lose your license and get disbarred just for lying. Becoming a writer is not as easy as falling off a log you know. Furthermore, you can't be just anything and get caught lying and become a writer. Congressmen have proved that over and over. Editors of some of the biggest newspapers in the country have tried it for years and they have never become writers. Avoid such pitfalls.

My advice to young people wanting to become writers and have their books published is to forget their English courses, get into law school, pass the bar exam even if you have to hire somebody to do it for you, and head for Washington. Better hurry, though. At the rate the convictions and the books are piling up the fad may die out and another Washington felon will be a glut on the market and you might have to just stay in jail reading Pilgrim's Progress.

Yours faithfully,
J.A.

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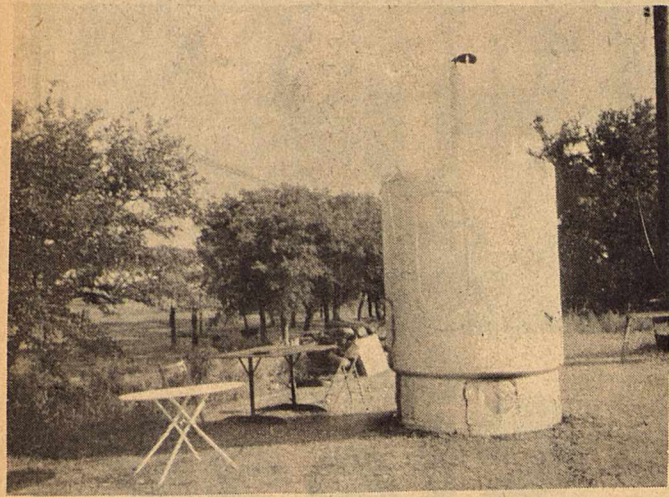
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GREEN NEWS

BY JO NEVILLE



Our special thanks to Sonny Anderson for building the barbecue pit. It's bound to be the best one in the world. 21 goats can easily be barbecued at one cooking.

—GN—

The partnership tournament this past weekend was one of the greatest and the golf course, as usual, was in excellent condition.

Sixty five teams from Sonora and surrounding towns participated.

Winning first in the championship flight were Sandy Gibbs and Lee Emfiner; second, Tommy Arrendondo and Joe Arrendondo; third, E. Whitehead and K. Malone; and fourth, Steve Mayer and Edwin Mayer.

In the first flight Dick Kent and Larry Showman were first place winners; J.W. Neville and J.K. Ray were second; B. Geestin and P. Hunnington, third; and Vernon Rodgers and A. Fuller, fourth.

William Allen and John Conley placed first in the second flight with T. Gray and L. Titsworth, second; T. Fuller and J. Hodges, third; and Troy White and Clyde Parry, fourth.

Third flight winners were R. H. Barnett and R. Tabb, first; Ken Braden and Dur Neville, second; R. Roper and C. Jones, third; and R. Menchoca and T. Menchoca, fourth.

—GN—

The Red and White Mixed Tournament will be held Sunday afternoon. Sign-up time is 1 p.m., Sunday with tee-off time at 2 p.m.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Paxton of Mertz on are parents of a daughter, Traci Sue, born August 5, 1974 at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds and 10 ounces and is welcomed by two brothers, Whit and Justin.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Brewer of Seminole; Horace Lintichum of Eldorado and Mrs. Katherine B. Davis of San Angelo. Great-grandmother is Mrs. G.E. Berry of San Angelo. Mr. and Mrs. Ken Rosford are aunt and uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Klein of Austin are parents of a daughter, Dinchen, born July 30 in Fredericksburg. She weighed 8 pounds.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harvey DuRussel and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Klein of Stonewall. Mrs. W.L. Davis is the great-grandmother.

Ruben Richard Fierro was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fierro July 29, 1974 in The Schleicher County Medical Center in Eldorado. He weighed 8 pounds, 12 1/2 ounces. He has one sister, Terri, age 6.

Parental grandfather is Mr. Vincent Fierro of Carlsbad, New Mexico. Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Reyna Florez of Santa Barbara, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gibson of Bridge City are parents of a daughter, Sally Ann, born July 5, 1974. She weighed 7 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Glasscock of Acuna, Mexico are grandparents. Great grandmothers are Mrs. George Phillips and Mrs. Bertha Glasscock.

VISITING

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Briscoe and children, Dennis, Melissa, Bryan and Anita, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, visited his mother, Mrs. George Phillips, and Mr. Phillips last weekend. Also visiting with the Phillips was her daughter, Mrs. Bud Glasscock of Acuna, Mexico.



Janet Barton and Glenn Pettiet Wed August 3 In Lubbock Rites

Miss Janet Lee Barton of Lubbock became the bride of 2nd. Lt. Glenn Pettiet in ceremonies held August 3 in the First Christian Church of Lubbock. Mr. Alan Lynch officiated at the ceremonies.

Mr. and Mrs. M.R. Barton of Lubbock are parents of the bride. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pettiet.

Attending the bride were her sister, Mrs. Dee Hollis as matron of honor, with Misses Luann Clark, Cindy Byerley and Denise Timian, as bridesmaids. Miss Millie Pettiet, sister of the bridegroom, was flower girl.

The bride's dress of white embroidered organza was fashioned and hand made by her. Her veil was of white organza, featuring re-embroidered flowers in pale green.

Attendants wore dresses of gingham check in the bride's chosen colors of blue and white.

Attending the bridegroom as best man was Randy Hallor. Bobby Humphreys and Donny Hollis seated guests. Sam Baxter, Buddy Knox and Steve Headley were groomsmen.

Honor guards were Steve Headley, Garry Fick, Buddy Knox, Ken Swain, Jimmy Alexander and Bob McMillan.

Mrs. Sam Baxter provided traditional wedding music at the organ.

The bride is a junior student at Texas Tech University in Lubbock where she is majoring in home economics. Lt. Pettiet is a member of the Air Force Reserve and works for the City of Lubbock where the couple will make their home.

Happy Birthday

Thursday, August 8
Mrs. Mike Moore
Kenny Nunley

Friday, August 9
Earl Eugene Merck
Ted Coker
Jerral Hardesty
Lawrence Holland, Jr.
Patti Richardson
Robert Kelley III
George Ramos
Ronnie Wright

Saturday, August 10
Sam Allison
Mrs. Elmer Wilson
Mrs. Alvis Johnson
Lea Allison
Mrs. Candace Albert
Mary Beth Hill
Flaire Lane
Jill Seahorn
Mrs. Jack Hearn, Jr.
Adrian Noriega

Sunday, August 11
Mrs. Edwin Sawyer
Bill Soto

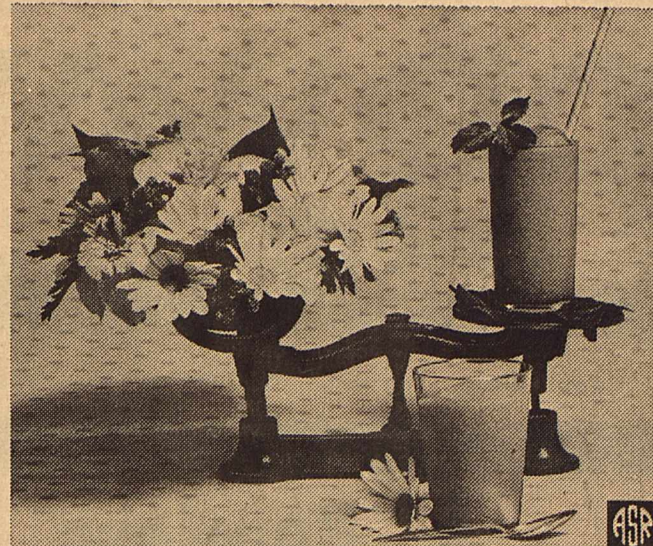
Monday, August 12
Betty Nell Merck
Maria R. Hernandez
Louis Olenick
Jill Phillips

Tuesday, August 13
Reymundo Rocha Jr.
Mrs. Giles Hill
Alfred Hitchcock
Ben Cooper
Pat Reardon

Wednesday, August 14
Joe Friess
Charles Williamson

Thursday, August 15
Mrs. Frank R. Finnegan of St. Louis, Missouri has been a guest in the home of her sister and brother-in-law, the Rev. and Mrs. A.B. Wagner.

Snacks On The Slender Side



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Cherry Frappe

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- 5 maraschino cherries
- 1 tablespoon maraschino cherry syrup
- 2 1/2 cups crushed ice

Place gelatin and boiling water in blender; blend until gelatin is dissolved. Add cherries and syrup and continue to blend until mixture is fluffy. Add crushed ice and blend until ice is melted—about 3 to 4 minutes. Serve at once. Or pour into 6-ounce paper cups and freeze. Remove frozen frappes from freezer 15 minutes before serving. Makes 3 cups or 4 servings.

Hospital News

Patients receiving treatment at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, July 30 through Monday, August 5, include the following:

- Maude Musgrove*
 - Glynden Haney*
 - Michael Crouch*
 - Tom Drennan*
 - Suelena Byrd
 - John Alexander
 - Salome Hurte*
 - Priscilla Paxton, Mertz on
 - Ememencia Diaz, Ozona*
 - Caroline Baggett
 - Nell Graves*
 - Milton Wagner, Ozona*
 - Elizabeth Hoover, Ozona*
 - Alvin Walker*
 - Flora Logan*
 - Preston Love
 - Raul Ruiz, Rocksprings
 - Cora McFadden
 - Jesus Porras, Ozona
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Blanche Terrazas bride-elect of Richard Gonzales
Mary Gonzales bride-elect of Jack Monnoson
Mrs. Freddie Benson nee Miss Donna Benson
Evangalina Pimentel bride-elect of Narciso Lira, Jr.

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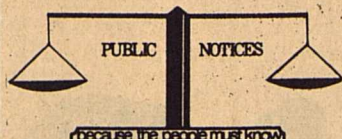
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THE CITY OF SONORA:

The City Council of the City of Sonora, Texas will meet at 9:00 o'clock a.m. on August 19, 1974, at the City Hall for the purpose of considering the Budget for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 1975. The public is invited to be present and participate in said meeting.

Patricia D. Robbins
City Secretary 2c48

ESTATE OF FRANCES ORPHA FISH, DECEASED
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF SUTTON COUNTY, TEXAS. SITTING IN MATTERS PROBATE.

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF FRANCES ORPHA FISH, DECEASED
Notice is hereby given that on August 5, 1974, Damon Evans was issued original letters of administration with the will annexed on the Estate of Orpha Frances Fish, Cause Number 622, now pending in the County Court of Sutton County, Texas.

Said estate is now being administered, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to Damon Evans, the administrator with the will annexed of said estate, or to the clerk of the said Court, in the manner and within the time prescribed by law.

The residence of said Damon Evans is Ft. McKavett Route, Box 89, Junction, Texas 76849. Dated this 5th day of August, 1974.

William Keaton Blackburn
Attorney for the Estate of Frances Orpha Fish, deceased
P.O. Box 446
Junction, Texas 76849 1c49

Card Of Thanks

We would like to take this means of expressing our deep appreciation and thanks to the Sonora Fire Department, and to all those that fought the fire and brought sandwiches and drinks to the men on Eagle Well Ranch.
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All's Well From Cornwall
This meal will not only give you a new way to beef up your ground beef, it'll also encourage the men to eat their vegetables!

CORNISH PASTIES
Crust
1 package pie crust mix (for 2-crust pie)
3 tablespoons Bourbon Water
Filling
1/2 pound ground beef
1 small onion, diced
1 medium potato, diced
1 medium carrot, diced
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/8 teaspoon pepper
2 tablespoons Bourbon

Prepare pie crust mix according to package directions, substituting 3 tablespoons Bourbon for 3 tablespoons water. Combine filling ingredients and mix well. Divide pastry dough into 8 portions. Roll out each portion into a 5-inch round. Place about 1/4 cup of filling mixture in the center of each round. Moisten edges with cold water. Fold dough over filling. Press edges together firmly with fork. Place on greased baking sheets, cut 2 slits in the top of each pastry. Bake in preheated 400°F. oven 15 minutes. Reduce heat to 350°F. Bake 30 minutes longer. Makes 8.



The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill
Attorney General

Sometimes you may want a television, stereo, movie projector, or other appliance for a particular occasion and not wish to buy it. Or maybe you want to try out such equipment before purchasing to make sure it's what you want.

Many stores offer "rental-purchase" plans to accommodate such customers. These plans allow consumers to rent items and apply any rental payments to the purchase price if they decide they want to keep the merchandise.

Some merchants aim their advertising at certain groups such as college students or persons in a lower income bracket. They may emphasize that credit ratings are unimportant, or that credit checks are not even necessary for such rental agreements. This can be reassuring to someone who has not yet established a credit record, or to someone who perhaps has a bad credit record.

Information from the Federal Trade Commission indicates that a few businesses offering rental-purchase plans with such "easy credit" terms actually do require past credit experience or a favorable credit rating contrary to their advertising. Some stores may require a person to produce credit cards, along with some identification such as a driver's license, before a rental-purchase contract can be completed.

A few stores that have been reported to promote such rental-purchase plans by advertising easy credit, low monthly payments, free delivery and service, and the right to apply rental payments to the purchase price tack on a large deposit charge.

When a consumer decides to enter into such an agreement the FTC notes that some of these merchants may assure the consumer that he will own the appliance after a certain number of payments, but that such stipulations are not included in the contract.

The agency also calls attention to the practice of some unscrupulous merchants who allow or even encourage consumers to miss payments, or to make late payments, early in the rental-purchase contract period. Then, when ownership of the merchandise is about to pass to the consumer, they may point out a clause in the contract stating that payments cannot be late and reposses the merchandise.

Our Consumer Protection attorneys recommend that consumers check several things before entering into a rental-purchase agreement:

1. If you know in advance that you want to buy an item instead of renting it, check several local stores for prices on the equipment. You may find that the price paid under a rental-purchase plan is considerably higher.

2. Do not be swayed by offers of easy credit.

3. If you decide to rent an item with the idea of trying it out and perhaps buying it, be SURE that your contract states that rental payments can be applied to the purchase price. Any reputable merchant will be happy to have his promises written into the contract.

4. Note carefully if the rental purchase contract requires that each payment on the merchandise be made by a certain date. If it does, be sure your payments arrive on time, or you may risk having the merchandise repossessed later.

5. And, finally, deal with merchants who have the reputation of providing good products or service at a fair price.

If you have a problem with a rental-purchase agreement or need other consumer information, contact our Consumer Protection Division, your county or district attorney, or your local Better Business Bureau.

Financial resources of most single, young people necessitate sharing housing costs with roommates, notes Patricia A. Bradshaw, housing and home specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

THE FAMILY LAWYER

School's "Long Arm"

Big Eddie, an oversized teenager, liked to bully the girls on their way home from school. When several parents finally complained to school officials, Eddie was placed on probation.

But at that point, his own parents decided to take a hand. Filing a lawsuit against the school, they claimed their son's punishment was illegal.



"All of these incidents happened after school, away from school grounds," they pointed out. "Therefore, the whole matter was outside the school's jurisdiction. Problems of this kind ought to be handled by the parents, not by the school."

However, the court upheld the probation order against Eddie. The court said schools have a "long arm" reaching any misconduct by students, even away from school, that disrupts the educational process. Said the judge: "The true test (is) not the time or place of the offense, but its effect upon the morale or efficiency of the school."

Still, to justify disciplinary action, the harm to the school must be substantial.

Thus, another court voided the suspension of a high school athlete who had been found in a car containing several bottles of beer. The bottles were not his. He had not been drinking. And the incident took place during vacation. The court said there was not enough harm to the educational process to justify the penalty.

In a third case, two students were suspended for publishing an "underground" newspaper, which they had distributed off school premises.

Evidence in a court hearing indicated that the newspaper did indeed contain criticism of the school. But the criticism was not

1) libellous;
2) inflammatory; or
3) obscene.

The court thereupon lifted the suspension, saying that school authorities had overreacted. They should have been particularly wary, said the court, of infringing on the constitutional right of freedom of the press.

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

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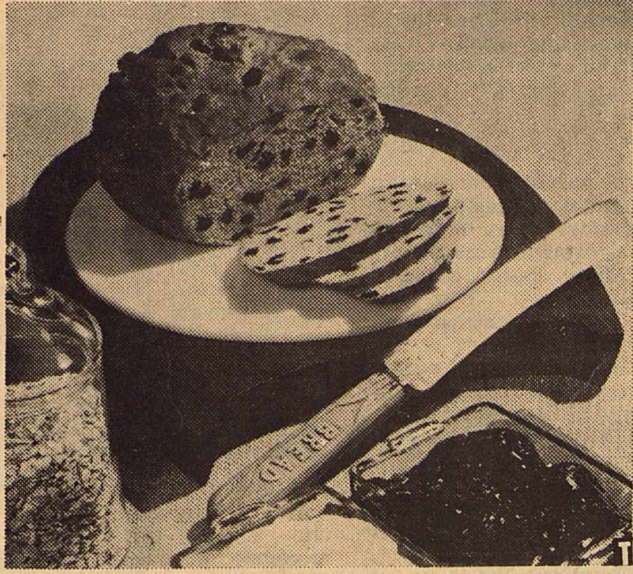
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OATMEAL BREAD
 1 1/2 cups boiling water 1/2 cup warm (105-115°F.) water
 1 cup quick oats 2 eggs
 1/2 cup Karo dark corn syrup 2 cups raisins
 1/3 cup margarine 2 tablespoons grated orange rind
 1 tablespoon salt 1/2 teaspoon ground allspice
 2 packages active dry yeast 6 cups (about) flour

Grease 2 (1 1/2 to 2-quart) round oven-proof casseroles. Stir together boiling water, oats, corn syrup, margarine and salt in large bowl; cool to lukewarm. Sprinkle yeast into warm water; stir until dissolved. Add to oat mixture. Beat in eggs, raisins, orange rind and allspice. Vigorously stir in flour, 1 cup at a time, until a smooth, moist dough forms. Cover. Chill 1 1/2 to 2 hours. Place chilled dough on lightly floured surface. Shape (do not knead) into round loaves with greased hands and place in prepared casseroles. Cover. Let rise in warm place, free from draft, until doubled in bulk, 50 to 60 minutes. (Dough will be about even with top of casserole.) Bake in 350°F. oven 50 to 60 minutes. Remove from casseroles; cool on wire racks. Makes 2 loaves.



WASHINGTON AND SMALL BUSINESS

Over-Kill?
 Whether or not there ever was, is now, or will be, an energy crisis appears to be a moot question.

Many non-governmental experts say there is a potential shortage, while the Washington bureaucracy expresses a wide range of views.

There are reports that motorists are no longer observing the lower speed limit, and there are other reports of energy wastage. Surveys taken earlier in the year by the National Federation of Independent Business revealed that a large segment of the independent business community felt the whole crisis was contrived.

But perhaps the biggest problem in building government credibility is the fact that government takes such ridiculous actions to meet a crisis, and then will not admit its error.

An example is the fact that in a rush Congress passed and the White House signed, a law extending daylight saving time to the winter months, presumably to conserve energy.

The National Governor's Conference has adopted a resolution calling for a repeal of this hastily enacted law saying...

"Strong measures are necessary to guarantee that our Nation, as a result of an energy shortage, will not suffer economic damage nor will the quality of life for our people be diminished."

Accent on Health

The beginning of school is just around the corner. When the month of August rolls around, thousands of Texas mothers suddenly realize that only a few more weeks remain until school begins.

News of that impending event may surprise most of us, who wonder where the summer has gone; it will delight mothers who will welcome the chance to get the kids out from underfoot; and it will mean the end of summer freedom for thousands of Texas youngsters.

Nowadays going back to school is a major enterprise for those families with school age children. It usually means new shoes and school clothes, the acquisition of pencils and notebooks, or simply getting back into the old routine and habits.

There are certain other requirements that parents need to think about, and they need to think about them early enough to avoid the delays of last-minute requests. Children entering the first grade must be able to show proof of age. That usually means a certified copy of the child's birth certificate must be obtained from the city registrar, county clerk, or the Texas Health Department in Austin.

As usual, many Texas families will wait until the last moment to think about securing a certified copy of their first-graders' birth certificate. That means a heavy last-minute demand on officials who keep those records, and a probable delay in receiving the document from registration officials.

Across the state of Texas some two and a half million children will be heading to the public schools this fall. Nearly a quarter million will be first graders, and their birth certificates will have to be searched out of the files of the Texas Health Department's Bureau of Vital Statistics or other agencies at the city or county levels which may have copies on hand.

Anticipating the rush of birth certificate requests, health officials have put into effect a fast and efficient service operation at the Texas Health Department in Austin. Requests already are pouring in.

It takes a sizeable staff just to open the thousands of letters received daily, let alone search

out a requested certificate, remove it from the thick volume, make a certified copy, mail it out, and then return the original certificate to its proper place in the files.

Years of experience have eliminated nearly every bottleneck. The operation is smooth and fast. Usually the copy is mailed within two or three days after the request is received.

One bottleneck still remaining, however, is the individual who makes the last minute requests. Parents are urged by state health officials to take time now and write for a certified copy of the child's birth certificate, or contact either city registrar where the child was born, or the county clerk in the county of birth.

If you prefer to write to health officials in Austin, address thee request to the Texas State Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, 410 East Fifth Street, Austin Texas 78701. Be sure to include the child's name, place of birth, and the parents' name (including the mother's maiden name.) The fee is \$2.00.

And don't forget. When you're thinking about getting your child ready for the beginning of school, a new state law now requires compulsory immunization for all school children. The immunization program must be begun before the end of this year, so it's a good idea to see your physician or visit a public health clinic early to begin your child's immunization program.

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TIPS FOR OUTDOORSMEN

by Vern Sanford

Food for Fishermen
 Most bass anglers like to stay out on the lake long after the lunch hour. In fact, very few fishermen want to return to shore at all—especially "just to eat."

So, take along some beef jerky on your next outing. Those strips of dried beef provide lots of energy and require no refrigeration. Besides that they take up but little space in the tackle box, or shirt pocket.

Handy Line Cutters
 Those large size toenail clippers are also a "must" in the tackle box of today's bass fishermen. Reason is that nylon line (the current favorite) is very difficult to break. Although smaller in diameter and more flexible, it is tougher.

Good sharp knives will cut the line okay, but not as fast or as safe (in a bouncing boat) as clippers. The knife's place is in the pocket—and pockets are not too accessible when one is seated. Besides that, the knife has to be opened and closed each time it is used.

Most ardent anglers tie a strong string to a pair of nail clippers and attach the string to the boat at some convenient spot close by the chair where most of the casting is done.

When it's time to change lures the angler merely reaches for the handy clippers, snips the line from the lure, ties on a new bait, trims the excess line and is ready to cast again in a very few seconds.

To the bass fisherman the time saved is important for one catches fish only when the bait is in the water.

Safe Gun Handling
 Every year someone is injured or killed while "cleaning" a gun. This never happens if the person, as soon as he picks up the firearm, opens the action and removes all ammunition that may be in the chamber and the magazine.

Hunting Companions
 Choose your hunting companions carefully! Some hunters just aren't safety conscious. Such individuals should not be selected as hunting buddies no matter how close they are as friends.

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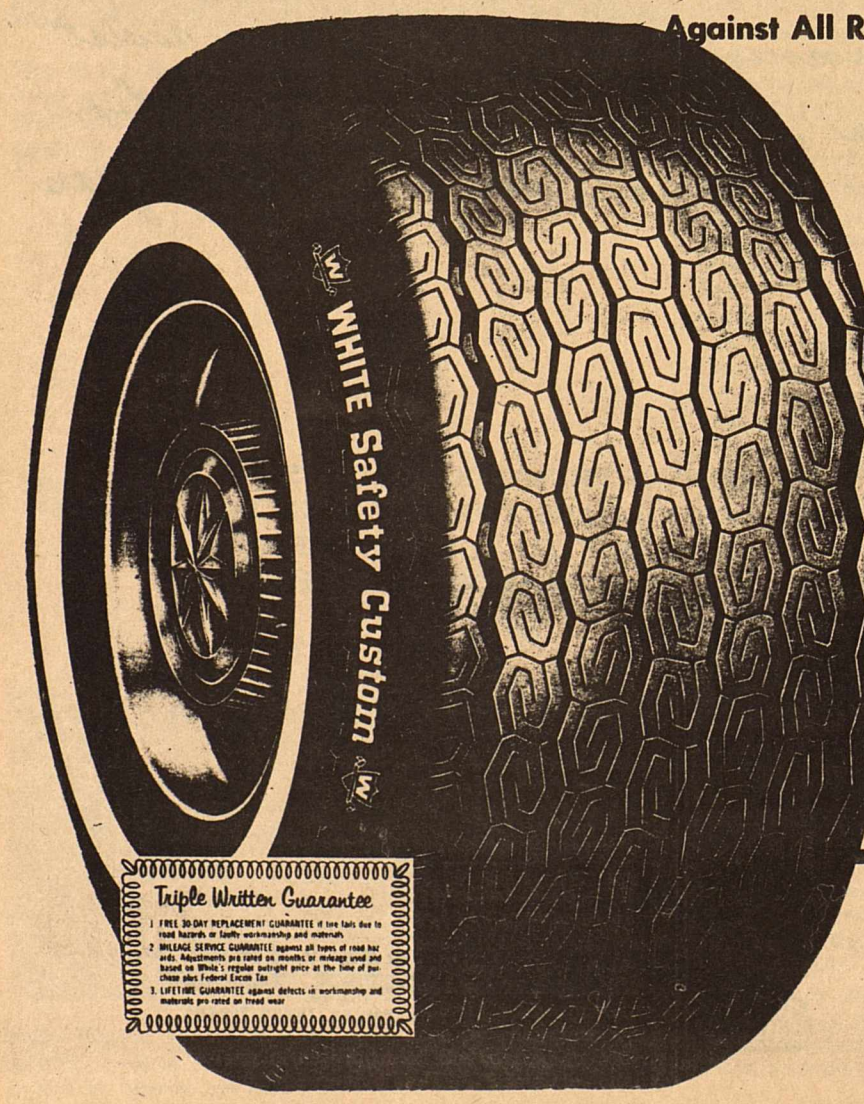
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I would like to offer this line of communication to all of our citizens of Sonora.
First of all I would like for you to picture a city in your mind--my city--perhaps the one you were raised in, or the one you used to live in--now then, imagine that same city being doubled in size in a years time. Then, if you will, imagine some of the problems that would occur in that town. What if San Angelo, Brownwood or Dallas were to double in size? How would they handle those problems? It wouldn't be easy!
The point I'm trying to make is simply this...it takes time, to solve problems of this magnitude. Suddenly we have twice the demand for electricity, twice the demand for garbage pickup, for sewer hook-ups, water hook-ups, etc. Patience is a wonderful asset to have--but I'm afraid many of our

citizens want instant service and instant attention during these crises. I only wish we could offer such service and I am sorry that we can't.
Now then what are we doing to rectify our present situation.
1. Electrical department - We have a seven point program outlined for expansion of our distribution system that will enable us to convert our entire electric system to a 7200/12,470 wye system. This system when installed will be able to handle our entire electric load on a balanced, even system.
We have hired two outside electrical construction crews to help with this work.

2. Water and Sewer System - As all of you who have read the Sonora and San Angelo newspapers know--we have had a comprehensive water and sewer plan made which will up our water pressure and distribute our water and sewer facilities equally throughout town. But this system will require a large amount of financing and our request for federal grants are already in the mill and our engineers and the Council of Governments feel we have a high priority and excellent chance of getting that much needed help.
Some new water mains are being installed presently by an out of town firm and our own city crew to add additional pressure to some badly needed areas.
Paving - A plan has been approved that will offer a continuous annual paving rotation of our city streets. With the rotation covering about a six year period this will also give us a chance to include new paving to be done by landowners that wish to make the proper depository and share the cost with the city.

Sanitary Land Fill - Our old city dump ground will now be officially called a Sanitary Land Fill. We have been prohibited to burn our trash and the city council asks for your cooperation in not burning at the dump ground. It will probably soon be our job to relocate our sanitary land fill.
Zoning and Planning - Our zoning and planning committee, headed by Mr. Phillip Bryant, has come up with our zoning ordinance which will be our first step to an orderly zoning and planning of your city area.
Police Department - As you may know by now your city has a police department with a corporation court and a City Corporation judge. The city police have full cooperation with our other law agencies and will be effectively working to make your city a safer and more orderly place to live.
City Building Inspector - The city now has a full time city building inspector and he will inspect and enforce all build-

ing, plumbing and electrical coding.
City Manager - We all look forward to having our new city manager assume his duties sometime in August. His name has not been announced at this writing but will soon be made known in a public announcement. As mayor of your city I would like to ask that you cooperate with this man. I ask for your compassion, understanding that he is only human and that he will be new to this particular job and will be learning. Let's let him learn in an atmosphere of cooperation.
Every citizen of Sonora is important to you as a friend or as a part of our city activity. It will take time in some cases but we are improving and we will continue to try to do so on your behalf.

Mayor Norman Rousselot

4-H Livestock Show And Sale Date Set

The annual Sutton County 4-H Livestock Show and Sale is scheduled for January 10 11, 1975.
All boys and girls who plan to participate in the show and sale should be making arrangements to receive animals to feed. If you need help in securing or selecting livestock to feed you are urged to contact the county agents office in the near future.
Classes in the county show are available for market lambs, breeding heifers, breeding sheep and angora goats. A carcass lamb show sponsored by the First National Bank of Sonora is also held in conjunction with the show.
The 4-H livestock show committee may add classes for other types of livestock if there is a need.
The major livestock shows are requiring a special entry certification on all steers being exhibited by 4-H and F.F.A. members in the 1975 shows. This certification must be made between September 1 and September 30, 1974 for steers to be eligible to show in the spring show in 1975.
A local committee headed by the county extension agent will place a special tag in the steer's ear at the time of certification. Boys or girls who plan to exhibit steers in 1975 should contact the county agent's office at once.
Further information concerning the Sutton County 4-H Livestock Show may be obtained from the county agent's office.

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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Lyndell Williams
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AUSTIN, Tex. — When the Constitutional Convention collapsed in total failure, state legislators immediately began proposing new approaches to the long-thwarted revision effort.
A wide range of alternatives are available, and lawmakers are committed to try all of them. These suggestions already have been offered:
— Creation of a brand new Constitutional Convention, with plain citizens rather than legislators occupying most of the delegate seats.
— Submission to voters of the basic revision document drafted by the 1974 convention, without the controversial separate submission proposals (like right-to-work) which deadlocked this year's session.
— An article-by-article revision, based largely on work of the convention.
— Submission of the document originally prepared by the 37-member Constitutional Revision Commission as a guide to the convention.

— If all else fails, consideration of a cleaned-up and slimmed-down version of the 1876 constitution stripped of outmoded provisions.
While the 1974 convention ran out the clock without accomplishing anything, hope remains lawmakers will have learned some lessons and that more than a year of research and expenditure of \$3.2 million will not be a total loss.

NO SPECIAL SESSION — Gov. Dolph Briscoe rejected requests for a special legislative session on state employee pay raises and supplementary school financial aid.
He said a special session at the tag end of an exhausting Constitutional Convention would not be practical, and the most pressing problems can be met by emergency action in the next regular legislative session.
Specifically, Briscoe committed himself to these emergency goals in 1975, which will cost approximately \$216 million in general revenue:
— A 10 per cent cost of living pay raise for all state employees effective Feb. 1, 1975. (Legislative Budget Board has recommended \$285 million in pay and fringe benefit increases for state employees during the 1976-77 fiscal period).
— An increase of \$40 per student in average daily attendance for maintenance and operation of public schools, with distribution arranged to benefit "poor" districts most.
— A 15 per cent increase in benefits of teachers who retired before March 31, 1969, and a 10 per cent increase for those who retired between that time and May 31, 1971.
— A 10 per cent increase in retirement benefits for state employees who retire before August 31, 1974.

AUTO HEARING SET — The annual auto insurance rate hearing has been scheduled for October 1.
The State Board of Insurance will conduct the hearing for new rates to become effective December 1.

While the hearing is usually held in the summer, it was delayed this year to get maximum information on impact of the gasoline shortage and slower speed limits which may bring rate reductions.
AG OPINIONS — Cities cannot purchase land for industrial site development by promissory notes to be paid out of revenues from the project, Atty. Gen. John Hill held.
In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:
• District clerks are liable for mysterious disappearance of child support money paid into registry of the court prior to deposit.
• When judgement on which an execution sale is based is void, a purchaser obtains no title to property.
• Requirements that counties, hospital districts and certain cities must adopt a uniform system of accounting and make quarterly reports of expenditures made for welfare programs are valid.
• A contract to buy fuel for a county from the brother of a county commissioner is not necessarily void when the commissioner has no interest in fruits of the contract, direct or indirect.

REEF OBSTACLES LIFTED — Obstacles to permits for Liberty Ship fishing reefs have been removed, according to Sen. A. R. Schwartz of Galveston.
Schwartz, of the Texas Coastal and Marine Council, said U. S. Department of Interior concern over placement of the ship hulls at points selected by the council is now lifted. Interior feared the ship sites might interfere with offshore oil and gas exploration.
Several steps remain, however, before the ships can be obtained, scrapped and sunk. Proposed locations are southeast of Freeport, south-southeast of Port O'Connor, south - southeast of Port Aransas and about midway between Port Isabel and Port Mansfield.

ELECTION SET — A special primary election to name a Democratic nominee for State Board of Education in East Texas District 1 is slated for August 31, following a court ruling. (The date originally was set for September 7.)
The election will be held in Bowie, Camp, Cass, Cherokee, Delta, Fannin, Franklin, Harrison, Henderson, Hopkins, Hunt (partially), Lamar, Marion, Morris, Panola, Rains (partially), Red River, Rusk, San Augustine, Shelby, Titus, Upshur and Wood counties. Absentee voting will begin August 12 and last through August 27.
SHORT SNORTS
Hot, dry weather has cost the Texas agricultural economy two billion dollars this year, according to Agriculture Commissioner John White.
Midway Services Inc. withdrew its application for a controversial waste disposal site near Groesbeck.
Governor Briscoe asked Briscoe and Fisher counties be added to the list of counties designated disaster areas because of drought.
Another \$4.7 million in Criminal Justice grants have been approved for law enforcement and justice improvements.
Texas Society of Professional Engineers has come out in support of private ownership of offshore terminals.
An application has been filed for a new bank at Oak Ridge in Montgomery County.
The Governors Committee on Aging awarded a \$200,000 contract to Texas Farmers Union Community Development Association for administration of the Senior Texans Employment Program (STEP).
Texas State Securities Board has received nine applications for permits to sell \$4.3 million worth of securities in the state during the last two weeks.

JUNE SAVINGS BONDS SALES TOTAL \$999
June sales of Series E and H United Savings Bonds amounting to \$999 in Sutton County were reported by County Bond Chairman George H. Neill. Sales for the six-month period totaled \$6,982 for 35 percent of the 1974 goal of \$20,000.
Sales in Texas during the month amounted to \$17,074,815 while sales for the first half of 1974 totaled \$116,443,089 with 49 percent of the yearly goal of \$236.8 million goal achieved.

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