

Sutton County Days Special Edition

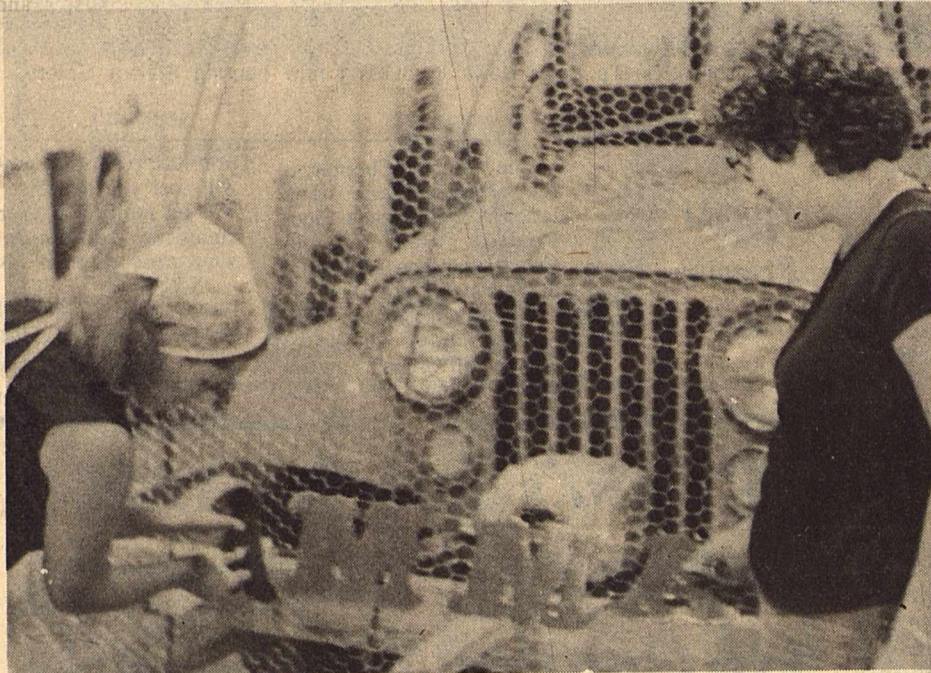
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Kay Story (left) and Jean Hughes dress up Dennis Hughes' Jeep in preparation for Friday's Sutton County Days parade. Kay and Jean and other members of the Kappa Gamma community service sorority have spent several weeks preparing their float entry for the parade, which gets underway at 4 p.m. and will proceed from the school on Concho to the downtown area.

Parade To Start
Local Festivities

Floats, horses, youngsters on bicycles, clowns, firemen and many others will gather Friday to begin a first for Sonora's Sutton County Days celebration... a parade.

Beginning at 4 p.m., on 1st Street by the old high school gym, the parade will continue down Concho Street to Mulberry to Water Street and disperse at the Methodist and Presbyterian Church parking lots.

Led by a flag detail from Goodfellow Air Force Base in San Angelo, the parade will feature the Bronco Marching Band, antique cars, 4-H trail riders, fire trucks, clowns and floats.

The seven young ladies who are vying for queen of this year's celebration, will

be riding in the parade as will last year's queen, Miss Pam Powers.

Floats from Rock-springs, Sonora Jaycees, Kappa Gamma Sorority, Sheer Power, Girl Scouts and others will be displayed.

Also marching with the group will be Boy Scout troops. Fire trucks, new cars, youngsters on horse back and bicycles and many others will also be on parade.

Persons who are to be a part of the parade are urged to be at the old gym by 3 p.m.

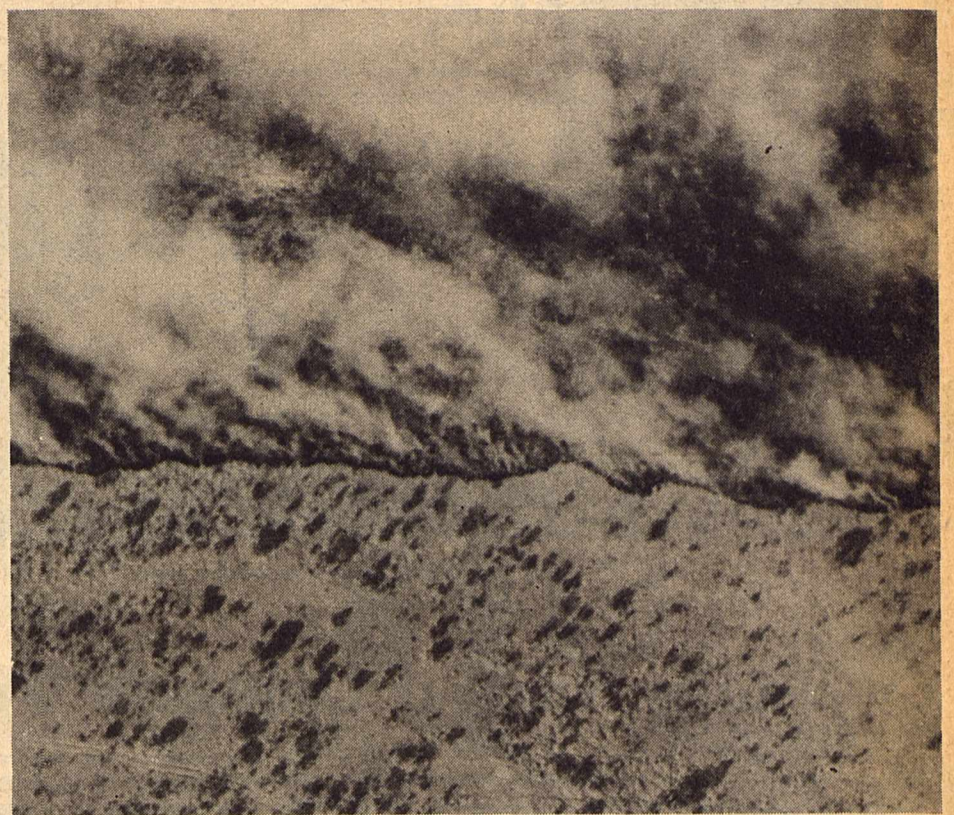
County Sheriff Bill Webster will serve as parade marshal.

Mrs. E. Free
Appointed By
Irving ISD

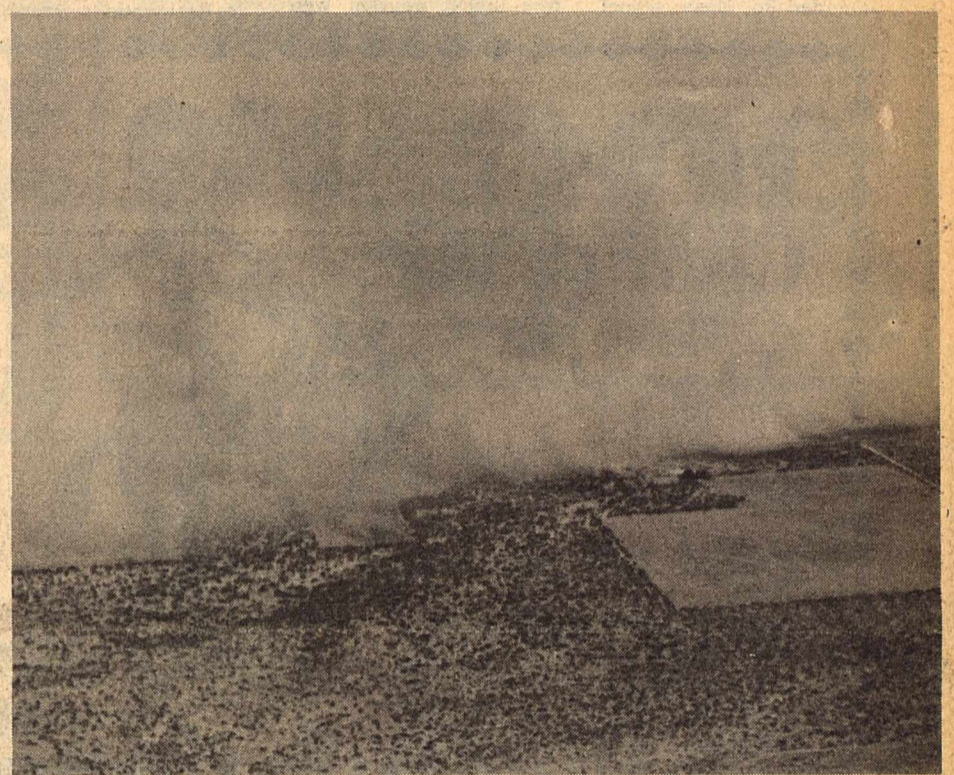
Mrs. Elaine Free, director of vocational education for the Irving Independent School District, has been appointed liaison between the school district and North Lake College for the Adult Evening School.

Ms. Free will be working with North Lake in regard to program development and recruitment of teachers.

A graduate of Sonora High School, Ms. Free is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Mears.



A raging range fire blazed a seven mile long swath across the southeastern portion of Schleicher County, just north of the Sutton County border, Monday evening, as Sonora Volunteer firemen joined hundreds of other fire-fighters in the battle. The scarred range was three to four miles wide at some points, and came within three to four miles of Eldorado. Traffic on Hwy 277 North was halted during the late afternoon to allow water trucks to soak the shoulders to keep the flames from jumping the highway. (Aerial photo courtesy of Dr. Johnny Fields)



School Starts Monday

Sutton County Schools will open Monday for the 1977-78 school year with classes starting at 8:20 in elementary, junior high and high school.

Registration for elementary students is Thursday and Friday from 8:30 - 12 and 1 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. All newcomers to Sonora schools are reminded to bring birth certificates and immunization records.

Junior high students will register Thursday and Friday.

High school registration is also Thursday and Friday with seniors to register from 9-11 a.m., Thursday. Students who will be seniors are required to have 42 quarter credits.

Juniors will register Thursday from 1-3 p.m. and must have 24 or more

quarter credits.

Sophomores will register Friday from 9-11 a.m. and must have 9 or more credits. Freshmen will register from 1-4 p.m., Friday and may be classified as freshmen by having less than 9 quarter credits.

Dr. Elroy Otte, principal of Sonora High School, says lockers will be issued on a first come, first serve basis as there is a shortage.

Students previously enrolled are required to have had a polio booster shot within the past ten years and are also required to meet the dress code on registration day.

Students will attend a total of 180 days of school this year and have 19 holidays.

Mr. Ralph Miller, principal

of Sonora Elementary says that Kindergarten as well as first and second grades will be dismissed at 2:30 p.m., and that all kindergarteners should be picked up on First Street.

First grade students should be picked up near the corner of Concho and 1st Streets and second graders at Concho and College Streets.

Miller added that students who have younger brothers or sisters, should be picked up at the younger student's designated spot.

Grade 3 will be dismissed at 3 p.m., and grades 4 and 5 at 3:30 p.m.

In junior high, the first bell will ring at 8:15 and the tardy bell at 8:20. Lunch hour is from 12:10 to 12:40; and school dismisses at 3:30. In high

school, the first bell will ring at 8:15 and the tardy bell at 8:20. Lunch hour is from 12:15 to 12:55; and school dismisses at 3:50.

Continuing a custom that was begun anew last year-the Bicentennial year-the old bell in the bell tower on the old rock Junior High Building will be rung to signal the beginning of another school year.

By Wes Burnett
At the close of school in 1974 Sonora's combined

school enrollment was 824 students.

At the end of last year's

Population Increase Brings
About School Bond Election

school term, our school population had surged to 1,157.

That's an increase of 333 students or 40 per cent...and measured over the three year period, the growth rate averages at six per cent per year.

It doesn't take too much thought to realize that we are already exceeding the physical limits of the current buildings, and that if we follow even a conservative growth rate based on the past three years, our schools will be hopelessly unable to handle the additional student load.

So, when the Sonora Independent School District Board of Trustees announced a bond election to build a new junior high school, we were not surprised.

Trustees have wrestled with the problem of anticipating Sonora's growth over the past few years, and have gone as far as they can using

available funds, with no tax increases.

Additional revenues from oil and gas taxes have been used to hold down tax increases, even though the school system has experienced dramatic growth and increased expenditures.

Mineral rights taxes account for 78c out of every \$1 collected in taxes in Sutton County.

And in the past two years the school system has obligated \$1.3 million for physical improvements including:

Air conditioning all buildings, new roof on the old gym and lunchroom, paving parking lots and around buildings, built new fifth and fourth grade rooms, remodeled auditorium, constructed track and tennis courts, added bleacher seats, dressing room addition constructed, water well and sprinkler system installed, concession stand up-graded, new lunchroom equipment purchased, vocational building under construction...and the renovation of the old gym has been proposed.

These improvements have depleted the reserve funds, and the proposed \$1.3 million junior high school will require additional funding, which must be approved by the taxpayers.

Using local funds, the bond will be reduced from \$1.3 million to \$900,000, for a seven year period.

And the bond will be paid through the existing tax structure, with no increases on taxes anticipated.

The plan calls for the old junior high building to be used for elementary grades.

MUSEUM OPEN
SATURDAY

The Miers Home Museum will be open Saturday from 10 a.m., to 2 p.m., so that Sutton County Day visitors may have the opportunity to visit.

Gov. Briscoe To Speak
At Chamber Banquet



GOV. DOLPH BRISCOE

Gov. Dolph Briscoe has accepted an invitation from the Sonora Chamber of Commerce to be guest speaker at the annual banquet, October 12.

The banquet is open to the public, tickets may be purchased from Chamber of Commerce board of directors, or at the chamber office on Hwy 277 North.

Governor Briscoe will attend the dinner and

deliver the keynote address. The banquet starts at 7:30 p.m., at the 4-H Center.

Governor Briscoe was first elected in 1973 and was reelected in 1975.

He is a native of Uvalde, Tex., Uvalde High School 1939 Valedictorian, 1943 graduate of the University of Texas and served in the China-Burma-India theater during World War II.

Governor Briscoe is a

member of the National Governors' Conference Natural Resources Committee, Southern Governors' Conference Chairman 1976-77 and 1976 Interstate Oil Compact Commission Chairman.

He is a former chairman of the Mohair Council of America and is active in the ranching industry.

Governor Briscoe is married to the former Janey Slaughter.

Saturday's Celebration Featuring 21 Booths

Twenty-one booths and lawn spaces have been reserved and will adorn the courthouse lawn Saturday for visitors of the third annual Sutton County Day to buy and look over the many items that will be displayed.

The local art club will have a booth showing various projects they have worked on the past year.

There will be a booth containing homemade bird feeders and items made from horse shoes. There will also be a booth of ceramics and macrame.

There will be two booths containing paintings, and pen and ink drawings.

Other art booths will feature printed "T" shirts as well as "Assemblage" art.

Several out of town booths will be set up, many of them who were here last year. There will be a trailer from San Angelo containing various leather goods and jewelry.

Hats, caps, bonnets and jackets will be displayed at one booth and another will feature fancy patches.

African violets and other plants will be the feature of a booth and Artex painted items will be in another. There will also be a booth of paintings and drawings.

Special interest booths will also be on display with the local Heart Association holding a blood pressure clinic from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. The Bronco Booster Club will have a "get ready for football" booth and the Parks and Wildlife Department will be on hand to display their works.

A variety of other interesting displays will also be shown.

Food booths will sell ice cream, chicken, Mexican food, snow cones, baked goods, sandwiches and a variety of drinks.

Mrs. Jeanette Sipes, who is in charge of booths

at this celebration says, "This year, there will be a better variety of arts and crafts booths".

All booths will open at 9 a.m. and close following the finals of the fiddler's contest.

The
Weather

Compiled by Pat Brown

Date	Rain	Hi	Lo
August 9		99	70
August 10		100	70
August 11		101	69
August 12	.15	98	67
August 13	.12	97	69
August 14		95	69
August 15		98	70

Rainfall for the month, .27; rainfall for the year, 14.52.

Jr. Hi Physicals

Set For Wednesday

7th and 8th grade junior high physicals will be given Wednesday, August 17 at 7 p.m., at the high school gymnasium.

All boys interested in participating in any school sport this year should take his physical at this time.

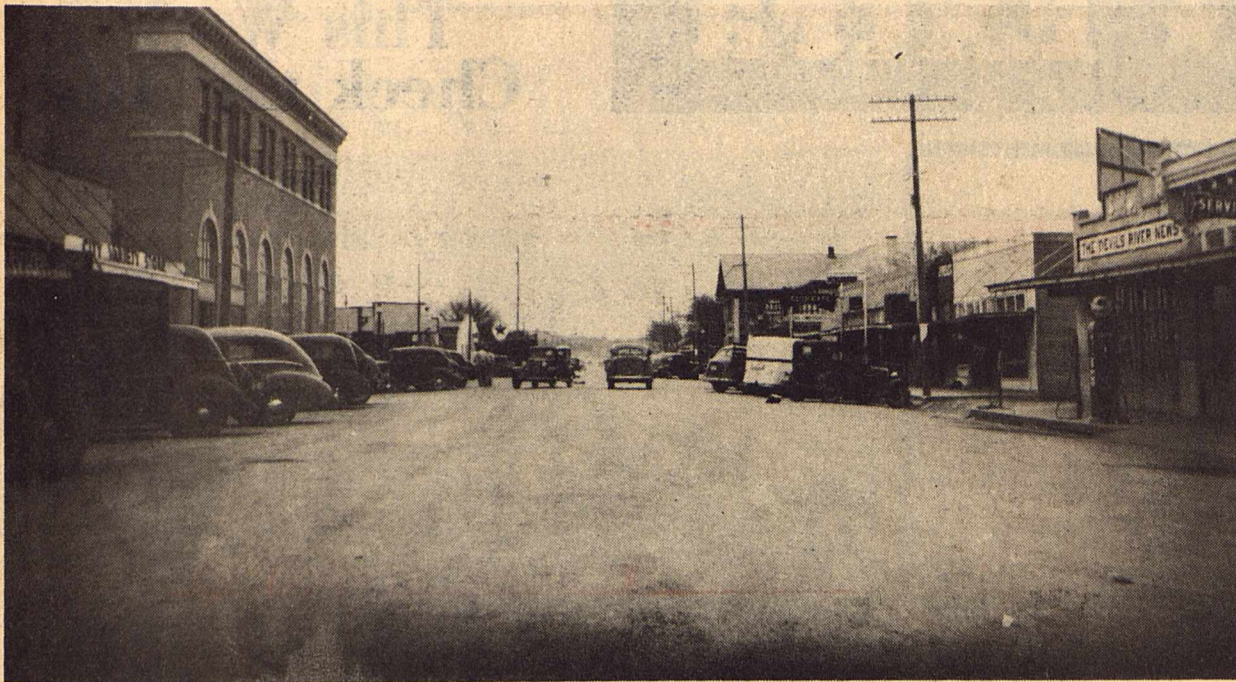
August 26,
Last Day For
Absentee Votes

August 26 is the last day of absentee voting in the local school bond election.

Persons who plan to be out of town or otherwise indisposed on September 1 are urged to vote by the absentee method.

Voting by absentee is at the school administration office during office hours with Miss Vivian Mears serving as judge.

Early Day pictures of Sonora's Business Sections



Taken from courthouse looking down Main Street.



Looking down Concho Street. Notice Devil's River News in building now housing Sonora Motors.

Hunt Named Delegate To Board Convention

James Hunt was elected as delegate to the annual school board convention to be held in San Antonio September 24-26 during the regular meeting of the board of trustees.

Bids for dairy products were awarded to Gandy's Dairy and to Meads Bakery for bakery products.

The school calendar was amended to close school

on May 19, 1978 to comply with the legislation to shorten the school year. School was originally scheduled to close May 26. The board approved the use of high school students from the Home-making Co-op Program as teacher aides and set bus driving salaries at \$3.75 per hour.

New guidelines for the free lunch program were

approved and letters to parents and applicants will be sent home by students. Additional information may be obtained from the building principals.

August 18 was set as the date of the public hearing on the budget. The meeting will be held at 2:00 p.m. in the elementary school lunchroom.

Resignations were ac-

cepted from Wanda Cook and Larry Wisdom.

Employed as teachers were Brenda Addison, Marion Castleberry, and Daniel Murrie. Marilyn

Crawford and Frances Campbell were elected as teachers aides. Clara Brooks and Marilyn Crawford were elected as bus drivers.

School Year Officially Open

The 1977-78 school year was officially opened August 15 in the elementary school lunchroom. Superintendent Dr. Joe R. Andrews welcomed the staff and introduced Rev. John Hafferman, Pastor of the Lutheran church, who brought the invocation.

Dr. Andrews introduced twelve new teachers and two teacher aides. Meetings were scheduled with the building principals for Monday afternoon.

In-service continued Tuesday and Wednesday with teachers from Ozona, Eldorado and Rocksprings joining the Sonora staff in a cooperative program.

Classes will begin Monday, August 22, at 8:15

a.m. and continue through the day until 3:45 p.m. Buses will operate and lunch will be served in the lunchroom.

Sonoran's Uncle Dies In Ohio

Funeral services were held August 4 for Harry Granger of Delaware, Ohio. Burial was in Mt. Zion Cemetery.

Mr. Granger died August 2.

He is survived by his wife; two brothers, Steve Granger of Elyria, Ohio and Guy Granger of Westfield, Ohio; and two nephews, Jimmy Granger of Elyria and Bob Granger of Sonora.

Mrs. Wesley Granger, a sister-in-law, attended the services.

Booster Club Sets Aug. 23 Meeting

There will be a meeting of the Sonora Bronco Booster Club Tuesday, August 23 at 8 p.m. in the school cafeteria. New officers will be elected at the meeting and projects for the upcoming year will be discussed.

Anyone interested in backing the Broncos is urged to attend the meeting.

In the language of flowers, the white rosebud means too young to love.

Blood Pressure Clinic

The Sonora Chapter of the American Heart Association will sponsor a Blood Pressure Clinic on the Courthouse Lawn Saturday of Sutton County Days.

Hours will be from 10 to 3, and nurses will be on duty at all times. You are urged to have your blood

pressure checked, and it will cost you nothing. You will be notified if there is significant difference in your pressure from what it

ought to be...either high or low. Look for the table with the good looking nurses in attendance!

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Sutton County Days!

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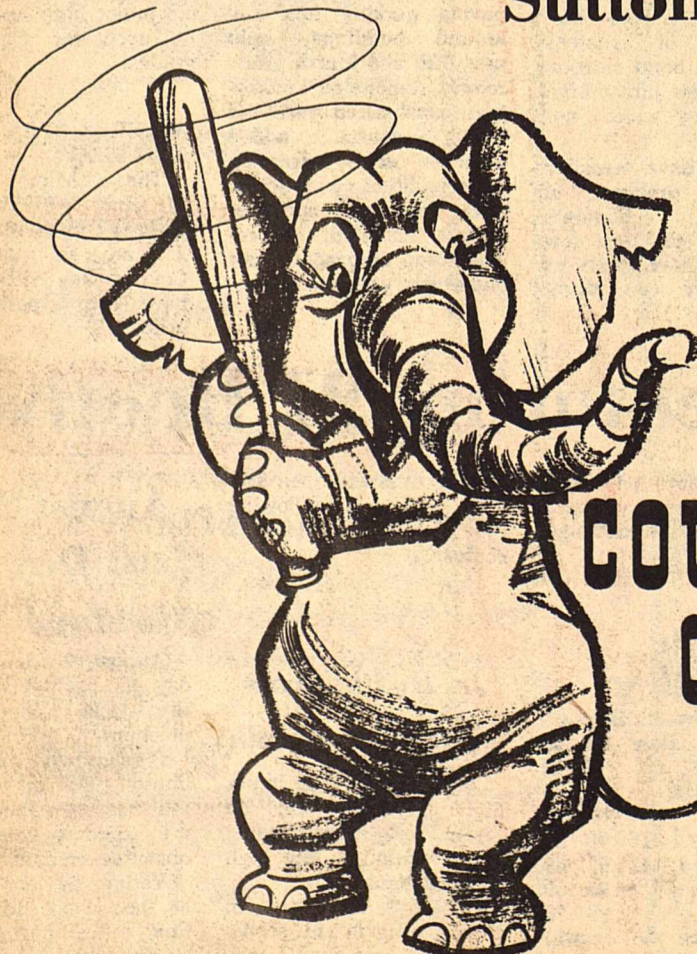
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- Genuine Lean **Ground Chuck** 99¢
- USDA Choice Beef Center Cut **7-Bone Chuck Roast** 98¢
- Boston Light **Fish Sticks** \$179
- Swift **Sliced Dried Beef** 99¢
- Decker's **Hot Links** 99¢
- W/D Brand **Cooked Ham** \$229
- Smoked, Half or Whole, Water Added **Sliced Picnics** 69¢
- Jimmy Dean **Smoked Sausage** \$129

Market Pack Fresh **Ground Beef** 3-Lbs. or More **Lb. 69¢**



Sunday House **Smoked Turkey** 6 to 8 Lbs. **Lb. \$119**



W/D Brand Whole Hog **Sausage** Med or Hot **Lb. \$129**

Boneless Chuck **Roast** USDA Choice Beef - Heart of the Chuck **Lb. \$118**

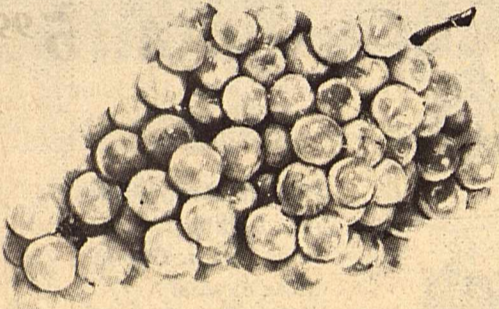
W/D Brand **Bologna** Reg., Thick or Beef **Lb. 99¢**

Fresh Water **Catfish** Steaks **Lb. 99¢**

Hickory Sweet **Sliced Bacon** **1-Lb. Pkg. 89¢** Save 40¢ Lb. Limit 4 Please



Kountry Fresh **Produce**
Thompson Seedless White Grapes The Natural Snack **Lb. 49¢**



Thrifty Maid Cranberry **Cocktail** 48-oz. **\$1.09**


Kraft **BBQ Sauce** 2 18-oz. Btts. **\$1**

Kim **Dog Food** 8 15 1/2-oz. Cans **\$1.00**
Liquid Detergent **Era** 32-oz. **99¢**

All Purpose Russet **Potatoes** 20-Lb. Bag **\$1.59**




Limit One Per Family with \$10.00 or More Additional Purchase Excluding Beer, Wine & Cigs.
Detergent Cheer 49-oz. Box **99¢**




Thrifty Maid Large or Medium Peas 4 16-oz. Cans **\$1**



Thrifty Maid Bartlett Pears 3 29-oz. Cans **\$1**



Frozen Foods
Pizzas 3 **\$2** Jeno's Hamburger or Cheese or Pepperoni or Sausage For
Johnston Chocolate & Coconut Cream Pie 26-oz. **99¢**



Mild Medium Yellow **Onions** 3-Lb. Bag **69¢**

Country Sweet **Mushrooms** 10-oz. Pkg. **\$1.29**

California Valencia **Oranges** 4 **\$1.00**

Super Select **Cucumbers** 6 **\$1.00**

Large **Bell Pepper** 6 **\$1.00**

Thrifty Maid **Catsup** 2 26-oz. Btts. **88¢**

Thrifty Maid **Pinto Beans** 2-Lb. Bag **39¢**

Deep South **Peanut Butter** 40-oz. Jar **\$1.29**

Charmin Bath Tissue 4-Roll Pkg. **68¢**



Limit 10 Please
All Flavors Chek Drinks 10 12-oz. Cans **\$1**



Superbrand Grade A Medium Eggs Dozen Limit 2, Please **48¢**



Morton Mini Sugar & Spice **Donuts** 3 10-oz. Pkg. **\$2.00**

Booth Buttered **Fish Sticks** 14-oz. **\$1.89**

Kold Country **Blackeye Peas** 20-oz. **69¢**

Kold Country Leaf Spinach or **Cream Style Corn** 5 10-oz. **\$1.00**

Thrifty Maid **Mac. & Cheese** 4 7 1/2 oz. **\$1**

Suave Shampoo or Creme Rinse 16-oz. **59¢**

Contac Capsules 10-Ct. **99¢**

Sure Spray Deodorant 8-oz. **\$1.09**

More Big Savings
Thrifty Maid Luncheon **Meat** 12-oz. Can **99¢**
Crackin' Good **Toaster Pastries** 2 10 oz. **\$1**
Vegetable **Juice V-8** 46-oz. Can **69¢**

Vasic Kosher DM **Pickles** 32-oz. Jar **69¢**
Crackin' Good **Saltines** 1-Lb. Box **39¢**

More Big Savings
Arrow **Aluminum Foil** 3 25 Ft. **\$1**
Glade Solid **Air Freshener** 6 oz. **49¢**
Raid **Ant & Roach Bomb** 16 oz. **\$1.98**

Dairy Foods
Kountry Fresh **Orange Juice** Half Gal. **99¢**

Kraft American or Pineno **Singles** 12-oz. **\$1.19**

Kountry Fresh **Fruit Drinks** Gal. **79¢**



Dee's Notes

THE SECOND ANNUAL Chamber of Commerce banquet which was planned September 10 has been re-scheduled for October 12. Now, that might not be big news... but the reason for the change of dates most certainly is big news! speaker for the occasion will be our Governor, the Honorable Dolph Briscoe of Austin and Uvalde. We are pleased to make this announcement for the officers and directors, and our appreciation to Wes Burnett, publisher of the Devil's River News, who made the arrangements.

TICKETS for the banquet are on sale now and may be purchased from the board of directors members, or by calling 387-2880, the Chamber office, and placing an order for the number you wish to reserve...price \$5 each. Don't miss this big evening in Sonora...we need to know how many

folks plan to attend...so give us a call very soon!

JAYCEES AND JAYCEE-ETTS are entering a final count down for the huge events coming up this weekend with a parade opening the affair at 4 p.m., Friday, to be followed by a rodeo and dance at Community Park. Saturdays events begin at 9 a.m., and if you are one of the more hardy souls, the final event of the day occurs at 9 p.m. with a street dance to be held in front of the courthouse square. It's gonna be a long weekend.

RODEO PERFORMERS may contact Glendale Glasscock at the Chamber office all day Thursday... when she will register contestants. Books open at 9 a.m. and close at 7 p.m. Pam Powers who was chosen queen for last year's Sutton County Day, will relinquish her reign to one of the contestants to be named Friday. There

will be fun and frolic for all ages, plus arts, crafts and food booths at the courthouse lawn. Joe Lombardi of KVRN will broadcast the happenings. Along with all the other booths, the Chamber organization plans to set up headquarters to inform persons of the Chamber's work in our community, and ask you to join if you are not presently a member. Tickets for the banquet will be sold...see you there!

WESTERN Communications Inc. has moved into a 12x64 building out at the airport where an electronics repair shop will soon be in operation.

WE HAVE BEEN asked why our population sign at the city limits doesn't show net growth. We supposed signs were not changed until U.S. Census Bureau releases new figures; however, we were recently informed that the Highway Dept. might make corrections to ours soon. Well that will be helpful...imagine most strangers passing by think all 2100 people are out on the roads at the same time...as busy as our streets look!

FIRES CONTINUE to plague ranchers as a damaging one occurred Monday in Schleicher County. July and August hot weather has left rangeland parched and high grasses prime for destruction by fire. Sonora firemen have fought diligently and have spent long tiresome hours away from home at the scene of numerous fires...we all appreciate their work, and are certainly grateful to others who assist in a voluntary manner.

OUR PARCHED land is quite a contrast to the beautiful green of the Davis Mountains. "I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills..." We saw a lot of antelope and a particularly pleasant sight was two quails with seven minute ones (about 1 1/2 inches high) indifferent to our passing, cross the highway out of Ft. Davis.

SCHOOL BELLS MONDAY...reminds us of the youngster who roused his father at 6 a.m. one Monday remarking, "you always hate Monday morning, Dad, so I thought I'd wake you up early to give you more time to get used to it!"...better get up early kids, to get used to the next several months!

NEED mobile home space? our Chamber office knows of a few for rent.

Cooking Corner Tips To Help You

MEXICO'S DELICIOUS DESSERT - CARAMEL CUSTARD

Desserts in Mexico are superbly sweet and delicious—and the Mexican specialty for making dinner complete is delectable caramel custard, called flan.

Traditionally, flan is prepared with great numbers of eggs and whole milk—a high calorie, high cholesterol dessert. But now you can create this great dessert right in your kitchen without the high calories or high cholesterol.

This custard recipe uses the new egg substitute, Morningstar Farms Scramblers, which are made of farm fresh egg whites—no yolks—and contain no cholesterol. The recipe calls for skim milk in order to maintain a low saturated fat and cholesterol content.

Scramblers are found in your grocer's freezer section conveniently packaged in three individual cartons. Each carton contains the equivalent of two large fresh eggs.

They can be stored in your freezer or if you'll be using them within a week, in your refrigerator. They thaw overnight in your refrigerator. To thaw them quickly, place the carton in a bowl of hot water. Always be sure to shake the carton well before using.

This custard dessert is just one of the dessert uses for Scramblers. They're convenient and sensible for using in all your cream pies such as lemon and coconut. They're great scrambled for breakfast and in many casseroles, too. If your recipe calls for two eggs, use one carton. If it calls for one egg, shake the carton well and



THIS DELECTABLE DESSERT, Caramel Custard, can be made practically cholesterol free.

measure out one fourth cup of Scramblers.

Here is how you make Mexico's favorite dessert the low-cholesterol way.

CARAMEL CUSTARD (FLAN)

2 cartons (1 cup) Morningstar Farms Scramblers
1 cup sugar
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla
2 cups skim milk, scalded

Caramelize 1/2 cup sugar over low heat until it melts, stirring occasionally. Coat bottom and sides of six custard cups with syrup. Combine remaining ingredients, pour into custard cups. Place in a shallow pan filled with one inch of hot water. Bake in 350°F. oven for 35 to 40 minutes or until a knife inserted in center comes out clean. Loosen sides and invert in sauce dish to serve. Makes six servings.

Mrs. Wagner Hosts Idle Hour

Mrs. A.B. Wagner hosted the Idle Hour Bridge Club August 9 at her home. Pie, coffee and tea were served.

Those present were Mmes. Ben Cusenbary, R.A. Halbert, R.C. Vicars, George Wynn, Joe Brown

Ross and Belle Steen. Mrs. M.L. Schultz and Mrs. Ed Mayfield were guests of the club.

Winning high club was Mrs. Ross; second high, Mrs. Halbert; bingo, Mrs. Steen; and high guests, Mrs. Schultz.

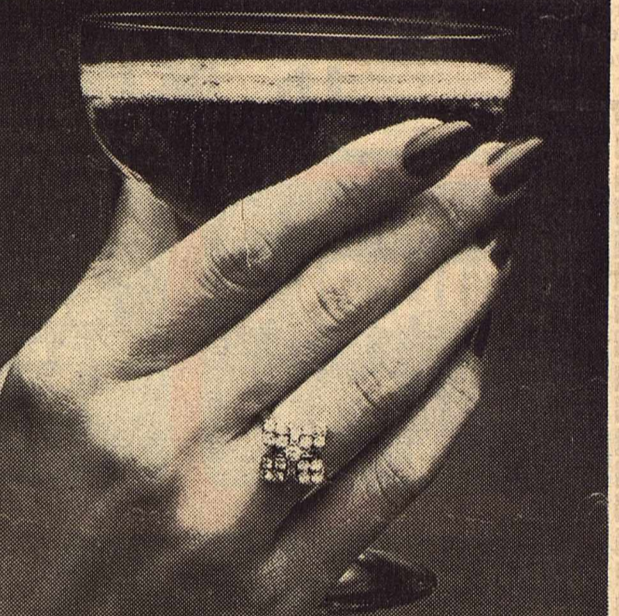
Entertains Bridge Club

The Idle Hour Bridge Club was entertained August 10 by Mrs. W.T. Hardy. She served pie ala mode, tea and coffee.

Mmes. Ben Cusenbary, R.A. Halbert, George Wynn, Thomas Morriss, R.C. Vicars, Joe Brown

Ross, A.B. Wagner and Belle Steen were present. Mrs. Halbert won high club; Mrs. Steen, second high; Mrs. Cusenbary, travel; Mrs. Morriss, bingo and Mrs. Wagner, bingo.

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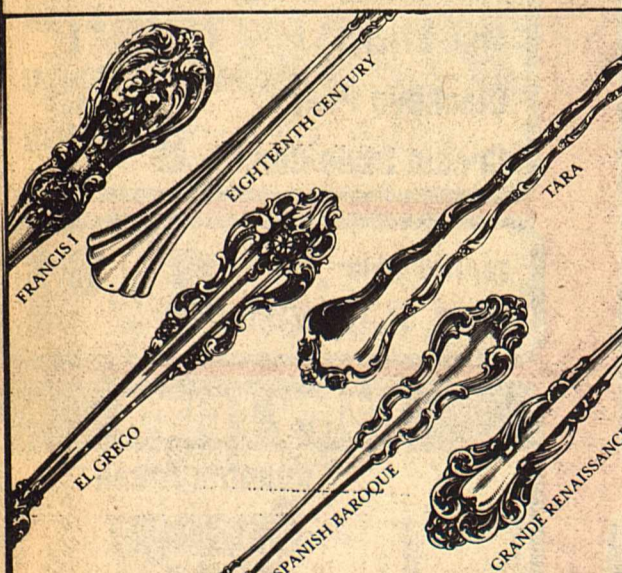
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Hosted By
Mrs. Wright

Mrs. J.B. Wright was hostess August 10 to members and guests of the Supper Bunko Club. Barbecued goat, sausage, scalloped potatoes, pinto beans, tossed salad, tea, coffee and peach cobbler were served.

Members attending were Pat Robbins, Erma Lee Turner, Mollie Hite, Ann McCutchen, Dorothy Jones, Darla Berkley, Kathleen Moore, and Debbie Hard, Irene Miears, Joyce Chalk and Bobby Thompson were guests of the club.

Winning bunko was Mrs. Wright. Mrs. Jones won high, Mrs. Hite, second high, and Miss Hard, low.

Mrs. Harris,
Party
Honoree

Mrs. Don L. Harris was honored August 11 with a baby shower held at the HNG Oil Company community room.

Hosting the event were Mmes. J.C. Chandler, Charles Frye, Larry Luckie, Sam Stewart, Joe Turnbull and Erma Lee Turner.

A cake in the shape of a diaper shirt was made by Mrs. Luckie, and served along with punch and nuts.

Mrs. Carl Hard of Eagle Pass, mother of the honoree, was an out-of-town guest.

Approximately twenty-five persons were in attendance.

Fire Auxiliary
Meets Aug. 9

Members of the Fire Auxiliary met August 9 at the fire hall with Mrs. Vernon Humphrey as host.

After a business meeting deciding that the auxiliary will have a popcorn booth at the Sutton County Day celebration, 42 was played.

Mrs. Humphrey served homemade ice cream and iced tea to the following: Mmes. Bill Jolly, Mollie Hite, Carl Teaff, Gene West, Louis Olenick, Robert Taylor, James Blackman, Robert Stokes, Sammy Odum, and Joe Luttrell. Mrs. Bud Smith was a guest.

Winning high at 42 play was Mrs. Teaff; 84, Mrs. Jolly, and low, Mrs. Olenick.

Morales' Host
Los Compadres

Los Compadres Club met Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morales hosting. Barbecue chicken, cole slaw, beans, rice, tossed salad, hot sauce, macaroni salad, tea and dessert was served.

Eighteen members and four guests attended.

Final plans were made for the club's Sutton County Day booth, which will sell Mexican foods, including tamales, burritos and chalupas.

VISITING
Mrs. A.C. Elliott has returned from a two week trip where she toured points of interest in Phoenix, Cottonwood and Cornville, Arizona, and San Francisco, Modesto, San Jose and San Luis Obispo, California.

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Sonora Minister Speaks

But God said to him, 'Fool, this night your soul shall be required of you'. Luke 12:20. ---But Lord, I knew that I should have been in church last Sunday--you know that it is summer--there are so many things to do--I just had to don't you know. Hopefully none of us will find it necessary for us to be filling in the blank space

but we have only to read our newspapers to know that some answers were required of some people, perhaps even some of our friends. This might seem to be just a bit funny if it weren't so deadly serious. Summer is the time for vacations and there are many very attractive things to do and places to go except that God does not take a vacation and is always "on duty" on the night when our soul shall be required of us. What all of us must make sure of is that we have a good answer to fill in the blanks--no we did not take a vacation from you God--yes we did attend church, it was a bit of a problem but it was worth it. Yes God, I know that you are always "on duty", even while I am on vacation, you hear my prayers even then. You mean that this is only a warning ticket and I will not have to see the judge this time--thank you--thank you. See you in church next Sunday--you can be sure of it.

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St. John's
Episcopal Church

First Latin American Rev. Luis Estrada Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 5:30 p.m. Worship 7:00 p.m. WMU Monday 7:00 p.m. Wed. Services 6:00 p.m.	St. Ann's Catholic Church Rev. Louis B. Moeller Sat. Vigil Mass 7 p.m. Sunday Masses 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 7 p.m. Holy Day Mass 7 p.m.	Sonora Tabernacle United Pentecostal Rev. Kenneth Doyle, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Eve. Worship 7:30 p.m. Wed. Services 7:30 p.m.	Church of God of Prophecy Kenneth Cook, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Sunday Eve. 7:30 p.m. Wed. Eve. 7:30 p.m.
First United Methodist Church Rev. Paul Terry, Pastor Church School 9:45 a.m. Worship 10:45 a.m.	St. John's Episcopal Church Rev. Ray Nations, Rector Holy Com. 8 a.m. Holy Com. 11 a.m. 1st and 3rd Sundays Morn. Prayer 11 a.m. 2nd and 4th Sundays	Hope Lutheran Church John E. Haffermann, Pastor Sunday School 10:20 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m.	The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian The Rev. Jim Miles Sunday: Church School 10:00 a.m. Fellowship 10:45 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. (Communion on first Sunday of each month) Inquirer's Class 7:30 p.m. (Session and Diaconate meet at 7:30 on the 3rd Wed. of each month)

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Sutton Included In Health Care Plan

Every person in Sutton County can have something to say about his or her health care. And every person can say it where it can make a difference. Citizens will be asked to participate in the Tri-Region Health Systems Agency's (HSA) planning and development process. The Tri-Region HSA was created by Congress in 1974 under the National Health Planning and Resources Development Act. It is the consumer-oriented, non-profit corporation empowered by Congress to provide comprehensive health planning and development for this health service area which includes Sutton County. Tri-Region HSA Board member Lemuel Lopez of Sonora said that HSAs were created because the federal government believes that citizens should

have equal access to quality health care at a reasonable cost. "Congress didn't feel that previous federally-funded programs have achieved this priority," Lopez said. "Congress said that HSAs should help solve four major problems in the health care system." Lopez continued. "Those are lack of uniformly effective methods of delivering health care, poor distribution of health care facilities and manpower, increasing costs of health care and most people's lack of knowledge of proper personal health care and how to use available health services effectively."

To achieve their purposes, the HSAs are required by law to include consumers of health care, as well as providers, in their planning and development programs. The Tri-Region HSA will soon announce meetings and workshops which will be held for this purpose.

Overall, the HSA is legally charged to improve the health of residents in the health service area. This means increasing the quality of health services while making sure they are accessible and acceptable to area residents and

that the appropriate services continue as long as a patient is in need. The HSA must also plan activities to control increases in cost of providing health services, and to prevent unnecessary duplication of health services.

To help achieve these goals, the HSA must prepare a five-year Health Systems Plan (HSP) and amend and update it annually. In addition, the HSA must produce an Annual Implementation Plan (AIP) which outlines projects and activities which will allow the HSA to reach the objectives of the HSP.

The Tri-Region HSA will be the organization reviewing the need for any proposed changes in health facilities in the area. The ASA will recommend to the Texas Health Facilities Commission and the Texas Department of Health projects and priorities for modernization, construction and conversion of medical facilities and projects to avoid or eliminate unnecessary duplication of services.

The question arises, how does the average citizen participate in the HSA activities? And why?

First, consumers are a majority of the HSA Board members. Members serve two-year terms, and each year the HSA invites Board nominations from interested parties and organizations. The HSA also invites citizen comments on the Board composition and qualifications of its members in writing and during a public hearing. Second, all HSA Board and committee meetings are open to the public.

Third, all HSA records are open to the public. They are available in the HSA office and the HSP and AIP are distributed to all area libraries.

Fourth, consumers are invited to participate in the development and adoption of the HSP and AIP at several stages. A series of community workshops will be held throughout the area to gather citizen comments on what the area's health needs and priorities are. All Board and committee meetings held to develop these plans are open to the public. And drafts of the plans will be made available to the public for review and comment in writing and during public hearings before their adoption by the HSA Board. Once adopted, the HSP and AIP will be distributed to all area libraries so interested

persons have access to them.

And fifth, consumers are invited to participate in the development and review of each year's re-designation application which the HSA must submit to the U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Why should a private citizen bother to participate? Because the Tri-Region HSA is the planning, implementation, and review organization for anything that affects an individual's health in this part of the State. It is the local group that can affect change. If the public says that Sutton County needs more doctors, more nurses, more hospitals or more nursing homes, this Agency has the responsibility to try to meet that need.

The HSA is committed by law to respond to public needs and requests, but the citizen has to make his views known. There will be the opportunity to do this in Junction when the HSA announces its upcoming workshop.

The great magician Harry Houdini's real name was Ehrich Weiss.

Police Reports

August 8
10:09 p.m., Units were dispersed to a Sonora location following a call from a person refusing to give a name, regarding two male subjects taking gas from cars. Police were unable to locate.

August 9
11:34 p.m., A minor accident at 206 2nd Street was reported.

August 10
6:15 p.m., A caller refusing to give name reported boys shooting pellet guns.

August 11
6:20 p.m., Crockett Street resident reported speeding vehicle. Vehicle and subject located and counseled.

August 12
7:30 p.m., Police contacted assumed owner following reports of a steer loose at local mobile home park.

August 13
8:06 p.m., Concho Street residence requested police assistance after locking herself out of her house.

August 14
10 p.m., A Sonora resident notified police of vehicle taking emergency run to San Angelo hospital.

August 10

10 a.m., A two vehicle accident was investigated in parking lot of local department store. Drivers of the cars were Calvin Sanders and Cleo Ivy, both of Sonora. There were no injuries.

6:45 p.m., A Sonora coach reported vandalism at the fieldhouse. The incident is under investigation.

August 11
2:34 p.m., Investigated minor accident.

7:59 p.m., Investigated accident on Crockett Street.

8:36 p.m., Investigated minor accident in parking lot of motel.

August 14
5:07 p.m., Investigated more vandalism at fieldhouse.

8:06 p.m., Restaurant owner reported fight in progress. Two persons were arrested and charged with public intoxication.

8:55 p.m., A domestic problem was investigated at local mobile home park and settled on arrival of police.

August 15
8:45 a.m., A minor accident occurred in the 300 block of Main Street. Drivers of the vehicles were Roger Dale Thomas of Sonora and Ira Lee Whitehead of Odessa.

There were no injuries and Thomas was charged with backing without safety.

Birthday Calendar

Thursday, August 18
Mrs. Ervin Willman
Dick Black
Corelio G. Hernandez
Joe Michael Noriega
Mrs. Sam Allison

Friday, August 19
Mrs. Jack Allen
Richard McCoy
Larry Shroyer
Mrs. A.C. Hudson
Mrs. George Wallace
Pete Gomez, Jr.
Linda Nell Joy

Saturday, August 20
John A. Martin, Jr.
R.W. Wallace
Ben Epps

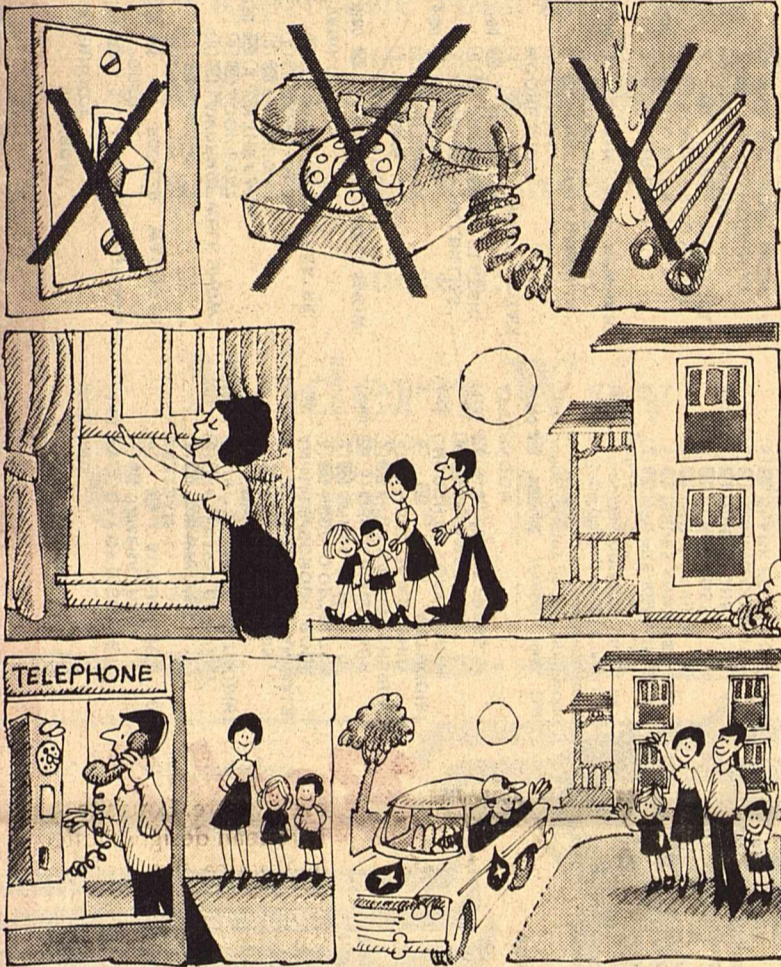
Sunday, August 21
Harold Schwiening, Jr.
Linda McBride Fisher
Lee Fawcett
Mrs. P.M. Carroll
Randy Hardesty
Mrs. Jack Raye
Elizabeth Turney

Monday, August 22
Tom Glasscock
Mrs. Don Nicholas
Mrs. Ralph Miller

Tuesday, August 23
Felipe Bernal, Sr.
Kari Eustace

Wednesday, August 24
Mary Lena Wingreen

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Firemen's News

By Jerold Zech, Reporter
The Sonora Volunteer Fire Department held their regular bi-monthly meeting August 10 at 8 p.m. Joe Luttrell and Bill Thompson have completed their six months probation and were given final approval by the members. Bud Smith's application was also voted on and approved.

Gene West, Robert Stokes and Louis Olenick attended the Firemen's Training School at A&M University. Stokes gave a talk and showed snapshots of the training area and procedures.

The up and coming events were also discussed. Among these were the firemen's family picnic, and the Sutton County Day events.

The paging equipment which the fire department so desperately needs, was brought up again. Some people need to be reminded that this is a VOLUNTEER fire department. The men have jobs that take them into buildings, areas in town and also outside of town where the siren cannot be heard.

In order to maintain a high standard for their fire department and have more men respond to a fire, this issue is important. It can make a great deal of difference in saving your life and property. The pagers would mean less hesitation and a more efficient fire department.

At 9 p.m. they did clean-up detail to the fire house, after which roll was called. 16 were present and the meeting was adjourned at 10:30 p.m.

August 12, 6 p.m. Sonora fire dept. responded to a grass fire (started by lightning) at the Jim Powell Ranch, 6 miles S.E. of Eldorado. Units 40, 70, 30 and 60 responded. James Blackman, Pat Carroll, David Flores, Frank Guerra, Vernon Humphrey, Joe Luttrell, James McLaughlin, Sam Odom, Jr., Robert Stokes, Robert Taylor, Bill Thompson and Tim Thorp were the men manning the trucks. Louis Olenick pulled into the station with the tire truck as units 30 and 70 came back from the fire with flats.

Another call came in at 8:10 p.m. for the Hill Ranch, 18 miles from Rock Springs. Units 30, 40, 60

and 70 responded. The men responding were Tim Thorp, Robert Stokes, Frank Guerra, Sam Odom Jr., Vernon Humphrey, Pat Carroll, David Flores, Joe Luttrell, Jerold Zech, James McLaughlin, and James Blackman. Due to the efficiency of the fire fighting teams of the Sonora fire dept. and ranchers, the fires were quickly extinguished.

August 13, 2:15 p.m. Sonora fire dept. answered a fire call to assist in Ozona. One unit assisted at V.I. Pears while another assisted at the Henderson Ranch.

Units 30 and 40 were kept busy at the Jamie Parker ranch where approximately 10 acres were burnt. The Black Ranch owned by Willie Miers (20 acres burnt) and the Espy Ranch which turned out to be a false alarm. Due to the trained eye of the fire men, they spotted a fire just past there and quickly put it out.

To top off the day's fire fighting activities, the firemen and their families got together for a Barbecue. Despite the hectic afternoon, a relaxing time was had by all.

August 14, 10 a.m. a call was received by the Sonora fire dept. for the Mayer and Rousselot Ranch, 25 miles S.W. of Sonora. The grass fire was started in a trash barrel which a gust of wind whipped out of control. The fire dept. got it under control within 4 hours. Units 30, 40, 60, and 70 responded.

Around 5 p.m., another call was received of a grass fire at the Reick Ranch. Units 30, 40, 60 and 70 responded.

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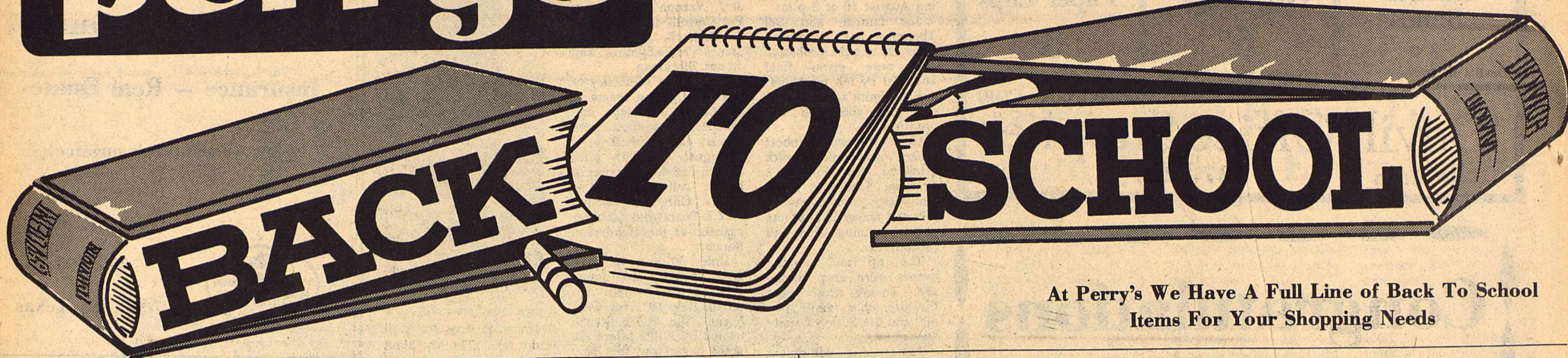
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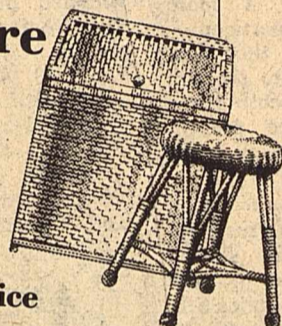
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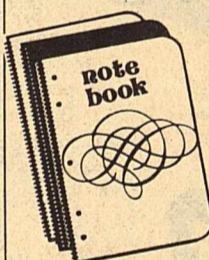
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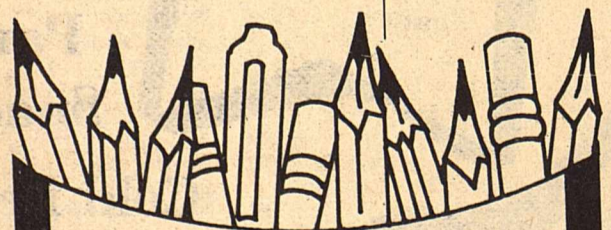
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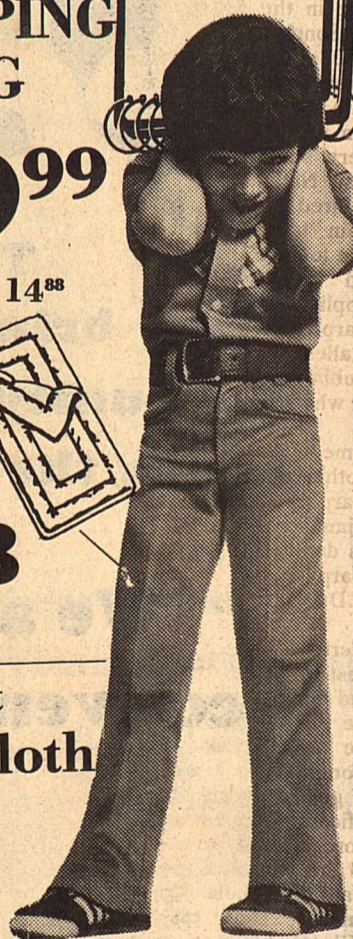
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The Devil's River News

Stories Gleaned From The Files of the Devil's River News

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Standing is Will Carver and Harvey Logan (Kid Curry). Seated, Harry Longabaugh (Sun Dance Kid), Ben Kilpatrick (The Tall Texan) and George Parker (Butch Cassidy. (photo by Noah Rose, who came to Sonora many times to practice his trade of photography and take many historic pictures. This is a copy of one of the famous "Rose Collection", now owned by the University of Oklahoma.)

Will Carver Joins Sam

The Famous Partner of Tom and Sam
Ketchum Brought Down by Sheriff Briant

Sheriff E.S. Briant received last week a description of the men who killed Thornton in Concho county, an account of which, from the San Angelo Standard, appears in this issue of the News. The description of the parties caused Sheriff Briant to suspect two men who were in Sonora six weeks ago presumably for the purpose of buying horses and the officers have been keeping a sharp lookout for the suspects.

Tuesday night, about eight o'clock, two men bought some baking powder and flour at the store in the Mexican part of Sonora and wanted some grain. The Mexican storekeeper did not have grain for sale and the two men rode up to Beckett's livery stable opposite the First National Bank and inquired for grain but again being disappointed rode to Jack Owens bakery and were buying their supplies when Boosie Sharp recognized the smallest man as one of the "rubber tire" buggy men for whom the officers were on the lookout. He immediately informed his brother, Deputy Sheriff Sharp who told Sheriff Briant and the sheriff with his deputies, Davis, Henry Sharp, and Constable W.D. Thomason proceeded to arrest the men. Sheriff Briant having the least man further identified and the tallest suited the description of one of the Kilpatricks, acted promptly. He told his men to get ready and the four officers stepped into the store. Sheriff Briant covered the men and requested that they hold up their hands. The tall man (Kilpatrick) was nearest the door and made a surprised or fumbling motion with his hands but the other went for his gun at once. Sheriff Briant saw the movement and shot instantly and the man fell to the floor before he could cock his pistol. The next shot was fired by Thomason and almost instantaneous with that of Sheriff Briant's brought down Kilpatrick and the four officers shooting as quickly as possible filled

the prostrate bodies full of lead. Sheriff Briant then fell on Kilpatrick and disarmed the other wounded man. Doctors were summoned and the seriousness of the wounds ascertained.

The wounds were considered fatal and it was supposed both men would die. Opiates were given and the small man began to talk in a delirious way saying, "Keep shelling them boys." "Will you stay with me?" "Will you swear it?" "Stay with the safe." "Now we have them." "Die Game," etc., etc. The delirium passed and he was asked his name. He said he was one of the Off boys, and on being again asked, said he was one of the Carver boys, "Will Carver." He was sinking fast when carried to the courthouse and while resting there was identified by one who had worked with him for years when he was working for the "Sixes." He was asked if he remembered Binyon and answered yes. Ben Binyon inquired if he had any message to leave for his friends and he answered no. Binyon stayed with him until he drew his last breath. Lee Aldwell saw Carver after he was dead and recognized him. Mr. Aldwell says up to a few years ago Carver was highly thought of and had hosts of friends.

Carver was shot through the right lung and the ball passed through the body and lodged under the skin near the spine; twice in the right arm and twice in the right leg and once in the temple. Both his right arm and right leg were broken in two places. He lived about three hours after being shot.

The most dangerous wound Kilpatrick has is from a shot that entered his left breast and ranged out back of the shoulder, two shots in the left arm and one in the knee, a glancing ball also struck him in the left forehead. George Kilpatrick acknowledges identity and says he has lived in Concho county for 16 years. His brother, Ben, he says, left camp that morning and

had not returned to camp when he and "Bill" left for town at sundown. He was asked concerning the murder of Thornton and said he was not there but that "they said" that McDonald shot Thornton. Asked if the dead man (Carver) was McDonald he said no. Asked what the dead man's name was he said the only name he knew him by was Bill. He said McDonald was a dark man about the size of Bill, maybe a little larger or a little smaller, but he thought smaller. He said he and Bill were the only ones that had come to town that night. Asked if they had intended to make a run on the First National Bank he said he had not heard anything about it. He said they had gone up to the stable opposite the bank for oats but could not get any. Asked how he knew it was opposite the bank he said he saw the bank building. He said he had known Bill and "McDonald" for only two or three weeks.

Sheriff Howze of Concho county was telephoned as to the capture Tuesday night and arrived in Sonora Wednesday afternoon. He identified George Kilpatrick and Carver as two of the men wanted. Kilpatrick he knew well and Carver was the man seen at the Kilpatrick's camp and in Paint Rock.

As to a fourth man Sheriff Howze knows nothing and thinks he is a myth.

As to the identity of Will Carver, the dead man, there is no doubt as he has been identified by Ben Binyon, W. L. Aldwell, Geo. Hamilton, E. R. Jackson, Archie Keykendall, M. W. Sharp, and the Misses Ervin.

Carver was armed with two revolvers, one a handsome Colts 45, ivory handle, and silver mounted, No. 201,916, one Smith & Wesson 38 hammerless. He also had a belt filled with cartridges some of the cartridges were steel jacket of large caliber. One gold case Elgin watch, a silver case compass, and handsome diamond ring, and thin

gold band ring. Kilpatrick was armed with a 38 Colt army pistol and wore a belt full of cartridges of the same caliber as Carver's. Carver had two twenty dollar gold certificates and five dollar bill. Kilpatrick had \$35 in currency. There was no name on any of Carver's effects but a photo found on him has been identified as being that of his late wife's niece.

The body of the late outlaw was carefully dressed and properly prepared for burial and interment was had Thursday morning in the Sonora cemetery.

Immediately after the shooting two men are said to have ridden out of town at top speed and some think they were the pals of Kilpatrick and Carver but nothing definite can be learned regarding them. The officers have tried to locate the camp but have so far been unable to do so.

These men are known to have camped in the T Half Circle ranch for several days last week but the boys on the ranch could never get near enough to see who they were.

They were joined by a fourth man while in the pasture and their trail on leaving Mayers pasture shows four men and a pack horse.

Capt. Jack Owen, the baker, was in a warm place while the shooting lasted. His wife and son being in the room adjoining the store but fortunately only one or two shots went in their direction.

Carver was riding a sorrel horse about 15 hands high and unbranded. The saddle was a pretty new one and light, apparently cheap and without a makers name. Kilpatrick was riding a large dark bay or brown horse branded EL on the left shoulder. His saddle was old, made by Mose Taylor, San Angelo, and with new stirrup leathers. The guns were left at camp but the cartridges were the 30 US Army.

The general supposition is that this gang was arranging camp and supplies before making an

attempt to hold up the First National Bank. When in Sonora before they always got change at the bank for \$20 gold certificates.

The only horse they bought in Sonora was the George Morris dun that they paid \$75 for. It is also reported that they bought three horses from Tom Palmer in Schleicher county paying good prices for them.

May 4, 1928.....

Fire, caused from the explosion of a stove in the rear of the Rutledge Cafe, Monday night at 11:30 did \$35,000 damage to five business houses in the rear of the business section. The Rutledge Cafe was completely burned with the loss to the owner of approximately \$3,000 with \$2,000 insurance.

Mr. Rutledge lost fixtures valued at \$3,000. Mr. Mayfield has not decided whether he will build or sell the lot. Should he decide to build, he will erect a fireproof building.

Gilmore Hardware, next door to the cafe, stood a loss of \$3,000 in the burning of their tin shop in the rear of the hardware store. A rock wall saved their stock and building from the flames.

The City Market building owned jointly by H.P. Cooper and Theo Savell was not insured losing approximately \$15,000. Mr. Cooper who operates the market, carried insurance in the sum of \$2,000. He estimates his loss at \$5,000. \$1,000 worth of meat was put in refrigerators the day of the fire.

The J.W. Trainer Store, known as the Friendly Store, was the biggest loss. He estimates his loss at \$15,000 with only \$3,000 insurance. This building was owned by Theo Savell who has not announced whether he will or will not rebuild. But it is believed that he will erect a modern fire proof building.

E.S. Long, proprietor of the Long Barber Shop, lost

Huge Wool House To Be Built Here At Early Date

March, 7, 1930.....

Construction of a \$40,000 warehouse that will house two million or more pounds of wool and mohair will be started here within the next two or three weeks, plans for which are now well underway. The building will be located South of town on the Junction or the Del Rio and O.S.T. highways it is thought.

More than thirty thousand dollars have been paid and it is thought that the balance will easily be raised. The organization will have a surplus of several thousand dollars after the warehouse is constructed.

Sutton county wool will vie with any in the United States, and by pooling it here it is thought that the price will be more as buyers are well informed as to the quality of the Sonora product.

W.A. Miers, who is instrumental in perfecting the organization, said that a ranchman will not have to become a member of the local co-op to store his

wool in the new warehouse, but a member of the co-op will have to pool his wool with the Marketing Association and abide by its rules.

An exterior of stucco, self supporting concrete slab floors, steel trusses, and the fire proof construction throughout will make the new warehouse one of the finest and most modern in Texas, and its office accommodations will be of the most complete

and best constructed type, according to Mr. Alexander. Though the time for letting the contract has not been announced, it will probably be set for the last week in March. The decision to build the warehouse was made at the organizational meeting Tuesday night of the Wool and Mohair Co-operative Marketing Association of Sutton County.

Water Works Sold

December 13, 1929.....

J.D. Eaton has closed a deal with the B.E. Buckman & Co. Investment Brokers, whereby the latter becomes the owner of the Sonora Water Company, seven acres of land, all improvements belonging to that firm. A price of \$80,000 was paid to Mr. Eaton through E.J. Crofoot, representative for the purchasers.

The new company will take possession immediately after the Sonora Water Company has collected all accounts due

them. John Eaton, who has been connected with his father in the company will manage the water system temporarily it is understood.

Still Uncovered

November 15, 1929.....

Sheriff B.W. Hutcherson J.L. Cook and Joe Lancaster seized a 40 gallon copper still near Camp Allison Monday and a Sutton County man upon whose land the still was found, gave a \$1,500 bond. About 100 gallons of mash and ten gallons of whiskey were brought to town for evidence. The man is charged with possession and manufacture of intoxicating liquor.

The still, according to one of the officers, showed signs that it has been in operation for some time.

The subject was arrested before the still was captured. He was also charged with disturbing the peace.

School Contract Will Be Let

December 27, 1929.....

Contract for Sonora's \$125,000 new high school building will be let January 29, according to M.O. Britt, superintendent. This action was taken recently at a school board meeting.

The new building will be modern in every respect. It is thought that it will be ready for occupancy by the mid-term next year. The present building will be remodeled.

Population Has Almost Doubled

April 25, 1930.....

According to a preliminary count of the returns of the fifteenth census, Sonora has a population of 1942, as compared with 1009 on January 1st, 1920.

Including Sinoloa, Sonora's Mexican suburb, this city has a population of more than 2,200. However Sinoloa is not in the city limits.

Tom Cooper, who is enumerating the county's census, had not quite made a report, but it is thought there are about 1,500 people who reside in the county not including Sonora. There are approximately 3,700 inhabitants in the county. There is almost a half section of land to every person in the county. Figures reveal that if all the property in the county would be sold and divided there would be \$7,143 worth of sheep, land, cattle and goats for every person in the entire county.

Natural Gas Available

November 1, 1929.....

Natural gas is now available to everyone in and near as well as generally over the state due to the development of a new method of transporting this fuel.

Stargas, a natural gas in cylinders, is the name of the new product which makes it possible for those who do not live near gas mains to have this convenience.

June 3, 1911.....

Mr. and Mrs. E.F. VanderStucken turned their pretty home over to John Holman Saturday night and assisted him in entertaining the Sonora High School Class of 1911. Those present were Misses Nellie Smith, Jewel Decker, Ray Davis, Maggie Pfister, Ruth Davis, Messrs. Ham Worrell, Roy Smith, Woodie Martin, Ellia Henning, John Hollman, Mr. and Mrs. Cornell, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas.

Fire Damage Estimated at \$35,000

and was damaged to the extent of about \$500. The fire was checked before heavy damage was done.

Sites Motor Company was well protected from the blaze by the A&W Drug Store new building of brick. They state their loss was very little. However it will require time yet to straighten the stock as it was moved into the street when the fire reached its height.

The A&W Store, owned by Misses Allison and Wardlaw was slightly damaged by smoke but not

enough to hurt.

The alarm was given by night watchman J.K. Lancaster at about 11:30 and at 12:30 the fire was under control.

Had it not been for an extra still night with no wind, Sonora would have suffered a \$100,000 loss, it is believed.

Everyone complimented the fire boys in their hard fight to check the flames, and they did exceedingly well. The fire truck from Ozona started to the rescue but a burned bearing three miles from town halted it.

September 30, 1911.....

The state of Matrimony is one of the United States. It is bounded by kissing and hugging on one side and cradles and babies on the other. Its chief products are population, broomsticks, and staying out at night. It was discovered by Adam and Eve while trying to find a Northwest passage out of Paradise. The climate is sultry until you pass the tropic of housekeeping when squally weather commonly sets in with such power as to keep all hands as cool as cucumbers. For the principal roads leading to this interesting state, consult the first pair of blue eyes you see.—Exchange

Aldwell Tells Lions What Is Needed

January 31, 1930.....

W.L. Aldwell, who by his legion of friends, is called the "Father of Sonora and Sutton County", told forty Lions and visitors Monday the needs to build a better town and more prosperous county. The venerable "Old man" was introduced by M.O. Britt, a member of the program committee, as a young man. Mr. Britt told in a pleasing manner what had been termed as young. He said that a young man was ever pushing toward and growing, and that eminent banker had done this for forty years in the county.

Miss Lowrey and Bob Vicars Marry

June 20, 1930.....

Last Sunday at high noon in the presence of relatives and a few friends, Miss Guila Lowrey was united in marriage to Mr. Bob Vicars, the Rev. F.M. Jackson, pastor of the Methodist Church, performing the ceremony.

Those who witnessed the ceremony at the bride's home were Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Lowrey, parents of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Grady Lowrey, Del Rio; Mr. and Mrs. Mans Hoggett, Merton; Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Awalt, Mrs. Sid Evans and Miss Bonnie Glasscock.

They are spending their honeymoon in Oklahoma and will return about the first of July to make their home in Sonora.

Miss Lowrey is one of Sonora's most popular young ladies and is loved by her many friends. She graduated from Sonora High School and received her A.B. degree at Howard Payne College.

Mr. Vicars has been a resident of Sonora for almost two years, during which time he has made a legion of friends. A few months ago he was promoted to manager of the Sonora Drug Store where he had been employed as prescription clerk. He is a young gentleman of sterling character and is wished well by his many friends.

The News, together with the happy young couple's friends, wish them much happiness and success.

Sutton County Ranch News

Excellent Mohair Clips



Sonora Wool and Mohair Co. grader Jesse Noriega inspects the clip during shearing operations last week at the Edwin Sawyer ranch. Noriega said this year's hair has been in better shape than most ranchers expected.

Fred Campbell's Wool and Mohair Report

By Fred Campbell
Australia auctions are set to open August 16th. Weakness in wool markets generally appear to be the tone of trade talk prior to the auctions opening.
In the U.S. only limited trading is reported and all of it is on a lower level. In the mountain states about 500,000 pounds sold at clean prices 5 to 10 cents lower than 60 to 78 cents depending on the burr content.

Mohair activity is sluggish. Demand is very limited at this time. Several of the buying companies are in the market, however, at prices ranging from 2.40 to 2.47. Their orders have generally been for small quantities. No prices have been reported for yearling or kid mohair at this time, as it is early for this market to be established.

The South African sales start September 6th and are held each 14 days with the final sale held on December 6.

Mohair Growers Meet in Sonora

Mohair growers from more than 40 Texas counties will gather at the Sutton County 4-H Club Center in Sonora, Texas, on Thursday, August 25, for the summer directors meeting of the Mohair Council of America.

The meeting will get underway at 10 a.m. and will be concluded by about mid-afternoon.
"This is not just a directors meeting," said Council president Sid Harkins of Sanderson. "We want as many growers as possible to attend and voice their thinking about the Council programs."

"The Council was organized to serve the mohair industry and the growers contributions through the deduction program finance its operations. We want their thinking, their ideas, their criticisms," Harkins continued.

Highlighting the one-day meeting will be special reports and recommendations on redistricting the Mohair Council and resigning its directorship based on present deduction amounts.

Redistricting and realignment of directors' numbers will require a Council by-law change which can only be done during the annual

membership meeting held each January.

According to a Council spokesman, several alternative realignment proposals will be presented so that directors can make a recommendation to the annual membership meeting.

In other business, the Council's financial condition will be discussed, along with proposals for streamlining the Council's advertising, promotion and product development programs.

Funding of the Council's programs the past 10 years has come from deductions made from past mohair price support programs conducted by the Federal government and the U.S. Department of Agriculture under authority of the National Wool Act.

These funds will be completely expended by early 1978, and future funding will come from the Texas Mohair Producers Board.

In addition to Council business, directors also will receive information on the current mohair market, and the progress being made in the development of the International Mohair Association, which will conduct world-wide promotion of mohair.

Sheepmen to Receive 40 Percent Incentive

Barring difficulties with Congress or the White House, sheepmen could receive approximately a 40 percent incentive payment this year. Had it not been for a lot of diligent effort, however, this year's incentive may have amounted to nothing more than an encouraging word.

Part of the overall Farm Bill still bouncing around in joint conference, renewal of the Wool Act, House version, has in itself been accepted.

This version sets the incentive level at 85 percent of formula. The formula for this marketing year cannot, of course, be established this early, but preliminary estimates tend to place the support level at roughly 99 cents.

Actual payment would be based on the difference between the support level and the national average selling price. The national average price is also just an estimate at this time, but should fall around 72-73 cents.

Using all these estimates, industry spokesmen predict about a 40 percent incentive level, should the Farm Bill with its wool program clear both the conference committee and President Carter.

Herein lies the speargrass. Looking at the bill's chances optimistically, passage of the House version of the wool program increases chances of presidential passage; Carter had earlier hinted that he would support the House bill, and acceptance by the conference committee of the House wool program suggests a leaning in the committee toward other House commodity measures.

Carter's endorsement of House provisions, however, was based on the fact that the House bill was \$1 billion cheaper than the Senate version.

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Free Enterprise Highlights Convention

Delegates attending the Independent Cattlemen's Association 3rd annual convention this past week renewed their efforts to preserve free enterprise.

The delegates, voting the last day of the 4-day convention held in Austin's municipal Auditorium Aug. 4-7, gave their board of directors the authority to affiliate with a national organization, the Independent Food and Energy Producers, Inc.

T.A. Cunningham of Goliah was re-elected to his fourth term as ICA president. He will also serve as president of the Independent Food and Energy Producers, Inc. Cunningham said concern for the right to maintain free markets for independent food and energy producers nationwide and desire for a strong national alliance to study various energy issues prompted formation of the Independent Food and Energy Producers, Inc.

He said more than 40 groups nationwide had expressed interest in membership to the organization.

During convention activity Saturday, he and association delegates received a telegram from the Meat Promoters of Montana. The Meat Promoters praised the cattlemen's

association for assistance in fighting beef imports at recent hearings in Texas, South Dakota and New York and said that producers in Montana, North Dakota, Wyoming and South Dakota were interested in the goals of the Independent Food and Energy Producers, Inc.

"Realizing that food and energy are the two most critical issues facing our nation today the Meat Promoters of Montana support the exciting program being offered to food and energy producers to unite their resources and support each other," the telegram said. "Agriculture can help the energy industry and energy can help agriculture. We are vital to each other and to the nation."

Texas Gov. Dolph Briscoe and U.S. Rep. Bob Krueger also spoke to conventioners about food and energy problems.

Briscoe expressed "extreme concern" about President Carter's energy program just passed by Congress. He said that the philosophy behind the Carter program is wrong and he charged it is based on a "can't do, can't win attitude of defeatism...and a feeling that we cannot be self-sufficient in energy supply."

The governor told the delegates that lack of a sound national energy policy is "the one cloud that hangs over this state."

"Had today's policies prevailed in the last century, we would never have made it to become an industrial power," said Briscoe. "We would still be an agrarian society."

Briscoe lashed out at federal intervention in this state's policies and said, "We don't need federal help to get the job done. We have enjoyed about all the federal help we can stand."

The governor praised the ICA's work on the state and national level.

Krueger, who addressed the final session of the ICA convention, said that the House-passed energy bill will lead to a seven-cent per gallon tax increase and allocation of Texas natural gas to other states.

Krueger, a New Braunfels congressman and a U.S. Senate candidate, is a leader in the unsuccessful fight for gas price deregulation and against other key features of the Carter administration's energy plan.

Krueger said that although the House defeated Carter's proposal for a direct gasoline increase, a so-called wellhead equalization oil tax feature of the bill will inevitably drive up the tax motorists pay by the seven cents per gallon.

Also addressing the conventioners on important agricultural concerns were State Sen. Bill Patman, State Rep. Joe Hubenak, IFEP Vice-President Dick Ray, and speaker of the Texas House of Representatives Bill Clayton.

The Independent Cattlemen's Association in other convention action adopted numerous resolutions pertaining to federal minimum wage, state inheritance tax revision, beef exports, right to work, land use and property taxes.

Re-elected to the executive board were Dr. C.E. Payne of Bryan, 1st vice president; Roy Wheeler of Pleasanton, 2nd vice president; Bill Whitehead of Sonora, treasurer; and John Nelson of Hempstead, secretary.

Annual Ram Test to Start

The annual ram performance test at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Sonora, is scheduled to begin September 28.

Cooperating breeders should deliver their rams by or before September 23 to provide an adjustment period for the animals before starting on the test.

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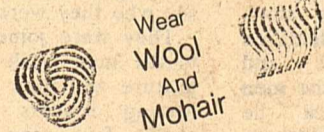
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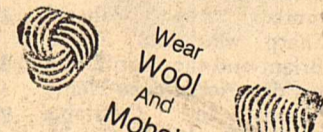
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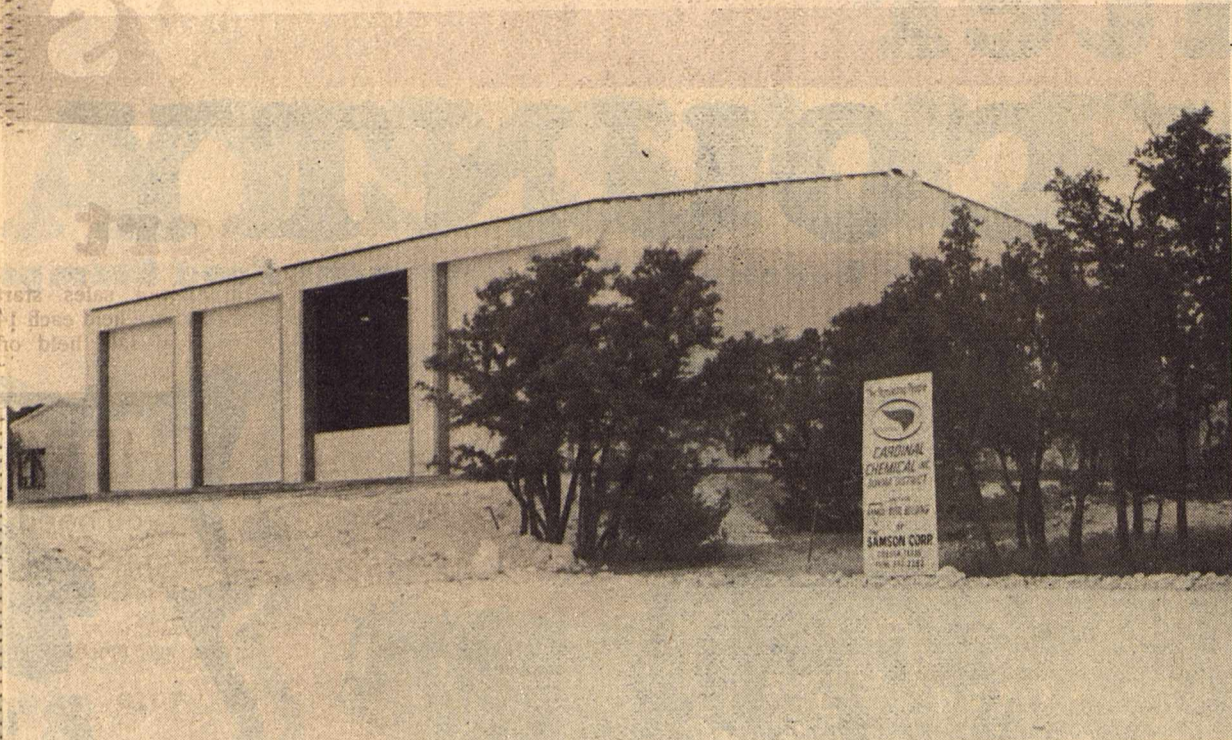
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Cardinal Chemical Opens Sonora Office



The new home of Cardinal Chemicals is located on the Shurley Enterprises industrial site south of Sonora on Hwy 277.

A new district office and service facility for Cardinal Chemical, Inc. will be opened this month in Sonora.

The Odessa, Texas based company specializes in oil and gas well stimulation products, techniques and services including acidizing and fracturing.

Cardinal service facilities are located in oil and gas producing areas throughout the mid-continent area.

According to Jim McLaughlin, President of the company, "Our new facility, located on Highway 277 south of Sonora, will employ about 26 people."

"Most of our personnel who will be transferred to Sonora have already begun to move their families and we anticipate being in place and ready for service about August 15th."

"Drilling in the Sonora area continues to increase. With complete oil and gas well stimulation equipment, together with acid and sand storage in Sonora, we will be able to give our customers faster and better service," said McLaughlin.

Bill Massey has been named District Manager for the Sonora operation and Charles Niblett is District Sales Manager. An open house to show off the new facilities is planned.

Texas Production

Reported and estimated unreported production of Texas crude oil totaled 94,554,737 barrels in May.

The preliminary May summary indicated Texas oil production was 16.87 percent under the allowable for that month.

Petroleum News

Drilling Increases Reported Again

Applications for permits to drill oil and gas tests in Texas totaled 13,365 for the first seven months of 1977, up from 11,255 for the same period in 1976.

Year-to-date applications to drill, deepen, plug back and for service wells totaled 15,638 against 13,347 a year ago, the Railroad Commission's Oil and Gas Division reported in its semimonthly drilling report.

The report showed 18 oil discoveries and 32 gas strikes were completed in Texas during the July 15-31, 1977 period.

Oil discoveries included five in Southeast Texas, three in the San Antonio area, two each in the Rufugio, Deep South

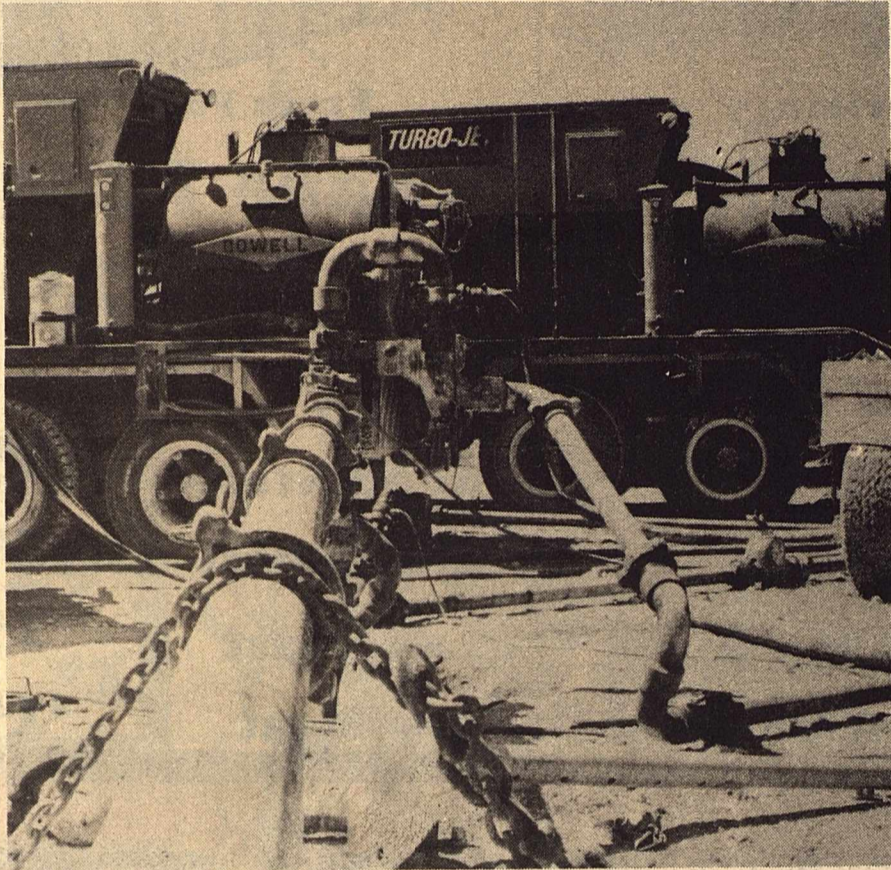
Texas, West Central Texas and San Angelo areas and one each in the Lubbock and Wichita Falls areas.

Gas discoveries included 13 in the Rufugio area, eight in Deep South Texas, seven in Southeast Texas, two in the San Antonio area and one each in the West Central Texas and Midland areas.

The Oil and Gas Division listed 7,592 oil, gas or service well completions for the year to date, up from 7,086 a year earlier.

Of the 4,708 oil completions so far in 1977, 362 were discovery wells. A year earlier there were 4,332 oil completions with 331 listed as oil discoveries.

Major Frac Job



Mayer Ranch no. 11 was the scene of a major fracturing job last week as Dowell placed seven pumping units, 14 operators, two service supervisors and one district engineer at the site. Using 4,000 lbs. of maximum pressure at 50 bbls. per minute, Dowell crews headed by Wayne Hogue pumped 100,000 lbs. of 100 mesh (fine sand Oklahoma) into the 7,050 ft. well. The UV Industries well was serviced by Western CRC before the frac crew arrived.

Texas has 105,988 miles of natural gas pipelines; field and gathering, 12,649; transmission, 43,368; distribution, 49,971.

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Applications Filed

Applications have been filed with the Texas Railroad Commission on the following drilling sites:

CROCKETT

Robert M. Wynne, Pure Bean, S, Paul Pearson "88" no. 8, eight miles northwest of Ozona, 1,500'.

Indian Wells Oil Co., Ozona, C.C. Montgomery Estate "11" no. 5, 24 miles southwest of Ozona, 7,000'.

H & D Water Well Drilling & Service Inc., Wildcat (OWDD), Joe F. Bean, North no. 1, 12 miles northwest of Ozona, 1,500'.

C.F. Lawrence & Assoc. Inc., Ecklaw, Eck "58-A" no. 1, 14 miles north of Ozona, 1,500'.

Anderson Petroleum Inc., Ozona (Canyon), J.S. Pierce III no. 5-17, 23 miles southwest of Ozona, 7,000'.

Delta-Suburban, Ozona, McDonald "15" no. 4, five miles southeast of Ozona, 7,100'.

Delta-Suburban, Ozona, McDonald "9" no. 2, five miles southeast of Ozona, 7,100'.

Delta-Suburban, Ozona, O.B.T.C. no. 2, three miles south of Ozona, 7,100'.

Delta-Suburban, Ozona, McDonald no. 2, four miles southwest of Ozona, 7,100'.

H & W Enterprises, Farmer, University 9 "A" no. 1, 24 miles northwest of Ozona, 2,700'.

C.F. Lawrence & Assoc. Inc., Fergus, Half Est. "65-W" no. 1, eight miles south of Iraan, 1,700'.

Delta-Suburban, Ozona, Margaret McMullan "35" no. 2, six miles southeast of Ozona, 7,100'.

Delta-Suburban, Ozona, McDonald "18" no. 3, five and one-half miles southeast of Ozona, 7,100'.

Delta-Suburban, Ozona, McDonald "15" no. 3, three miles southeast of Ozona, 9,200'.

MENARD
Tahoe Oil & Cattle Co., Dodson (Canyon), Wilhelm-Lone Wolf no. 1, 17 miles northwest of Menard, 3,900'.

M. Brad Bennet Inc. Robert K. Hillin & NRM Petroleum Co., Jacoby (Fry), Jacoby "106" no. 2, 13 miles northwest of Menard, 3,300'.

SCHLEICHER
Delta Drilling Co. Wildcat, Wheeler no. 1, 11 miles east of Eldorado, 6,500'.

Gas Development Corp., Wildcat, Clovis Olsak "105" no. 1, three miles southwest of Eldorado, 7,000'.

Texas' first well was 106 feet deep.

Lamar Properties, Wildcat, Carl J. Cahill no. 1, 11 miles southwest of Ft. McKavett, 4,750'.

SUTTON

HNG Oil Co., Wildcat, Williamson CSL no. 1, 28 miles southeast of Sonora, 4,200'.

Pennzoll Co., Miers, VanderStucken "B" no. 3, 20 miles southeast of Sonora, 4,500'.

HNG Oil Co., Sawyer, Shannon "52" no. 3, nine miles northwest of Sonora, 7,250'.

Pennzoll Co., Miers, VanderStucken "D" no. 1, 19 miles southeast of Sonora, 4,500'.

HNG Oil Co., Sawyer, Pfleger "87" no. 3, 16 miles southeast of Sonora, 5,150'.

HNG Oil Co., Wildcat, Syfan "4" no. 2, 32 miles southeast of Sonora, 4,700'.

Lively Energy Co., Wildcat, Aldwell Ranch "22" no. 2, 16 miles southwest of Sonora, 9,700'.

Windsor Gas Corp., Shurley Ranch, Duke Wilson "189" no. 4, 11 miles southwest of Sonora, 9,000'.

Windsor Gas Corp., Shurley Ranch, Duke Wilson "173" no. 2, 11 miles southwest of Sonora, 9,000'.

HNG Oil Co., Sawyer, Simmons "71" no. 2, 11 miles northwest of Sonora, 7,200'.

VAL VERDE
Gulf Oil Corp., Wildcat, R.L. Bledsoe "H" no. 1, 14 and one-half miles northeast of Juno, 11,500'.

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Real Estate Transfers

WD/VL-Thomas K. Nevill et ux to Durwood Neville et ux, Lots 1, 2, and 4, Block W-10.
 WD/VL-Minnie Alice Skinner to Juan Sanchez et ux, N/2 Lot 3 and North part lot 2, Block W-29.

Airport Summary

There were approximately 120 take-offs and landings at the Sonora Municipal Airport during the week of August 7-13.
 Early Saturday morning a military helicopter from Ft. Hood landed to pick up a patient.
 A Dallas firm phoned to inquire whether the length of Sonora's runway would accommodate their Lear jet.

Mrs. Cope Entertains 42 Players

May 3, 1919.....
 The home of Mrs. J.A. Cope Saturday afternoon was the scene of one of the prettiest parties of the spring season when she entertained with eight tables of 42 in a charming fashion complimenting Mrs. Ruby Hatcher and Mrs. Stoke Williams of Menard.

The rooms were a profusion of cut flowers and pot plants carrying out a color scheme of pink and green. Before beginning the games Mrs. Hatcher rendered classical selections on the piano which were greatly enjoyed by the guests.

At the conclusion of the games the hostess served a delicious salad course beautifully embellished with the color scheme. At each table the one drawing the highest domino received a dainty basket of sweet peas. The honor guests were presented with beautiful bouquets of white carnations tied with green tulle. The guests were enthusiastic over the pleasures of the occasion and the artistic beauty of the event.

Those present were Mesdames Stoke Williams, J.W. Elliott, Hi Eastland, A.J. Smith, Charlie H. Evans, Lem Johnson, W.W. Cochrane, Marion Stokes, E.J. Pierce, Clomer Holman, H.P. Allison, Homer Holman, W.C. Byson, J.W. Wilson, Jesse Evans, A.F. Bellows, Ralph Trainer, Claude Keene, Misses Ruby Hatcher, Elma Evans, Violet Stanley, Velma Savell, Willie Mae Winn, Clyde Holman, Irma Holman, Clara Allison, Sallie Wardlaw, Wynona Grimland, Nell Tally, Pery Lee Houser, Iva Boren, Juliett Holland, Ray Riff, Leola McNeil, Estelle McDonald.

October 4, 1919.....

Last Saturday night after Judge B.B. Throop had retired to his virtuous couch an automobile drove up to the gate and he was summoned by inmates to dress and accompany them to the Howard apartment house on the hill. The roomers there had retired and old Cynthia was just rising. The party alighted and the last chapter of a romance was enacted when the marriage license of Mrs. Maude Hall and Edward L. Earwood was produced and certified by the dim rays of a flashlight and Judge Throop performed the ceremony in the presence of the witness, though many roomers poked their heads out of the windows to see and hear this novel procedure.

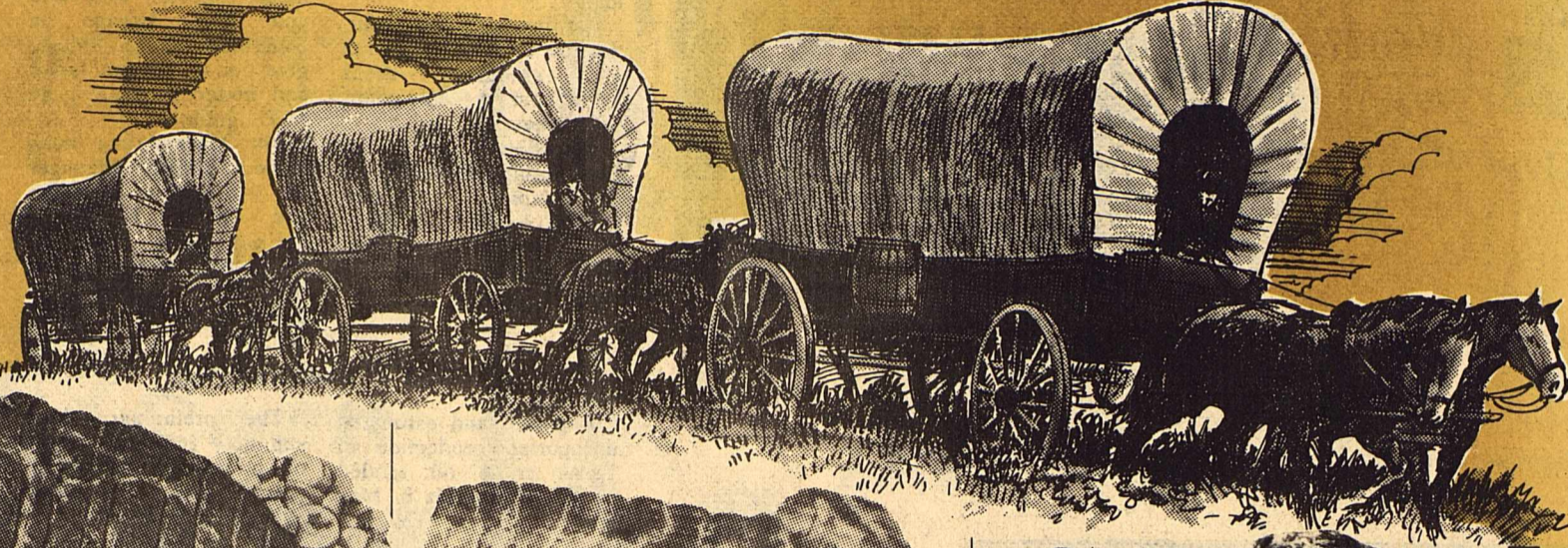
The contracting parties explained that they had not made up their minds until the last moment, hence the "emergency call", as the groom wanted to get back to his ranch near Juno and Mr. and Mrs. Earwood immediately left in their car for their future home there.---Del Rio Herald

September 21, 1928.....

Sonora, Texas--Work is progressing on the First National Bank Building on the corner of Main and Concho streets. The contract for the edifice calls for a sum of approximately \$75,000 and work is being done by superior laborers.

Food Center SUTTON COUNTY

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Kentucky Wonder Green Beans lb **59¢**

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Green Bell Peppers 5 for **\$1**

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 8 for **\$1**



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 7 oz btl **\$1.09**



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Community Calendar

Thursday, August 18
 12 noon, Petroetts meet-
 ing.
 3-5 p.m., Sutton Senior
 Center open.
Friday, August 19
 4 p.m., Sutton Co. Days
 Parade.
Saturday, August 20
 Sutton County Days
 Celebration, Courthouse
 Lawn.
Sunday, August 21
 Services at the church of
 your choice.
Monday, August 22
 4 p.m., Meeting of
 Historical Society, Miers
 Home Museum.
Tuesday, August 23
 12 noon, Downtown
 Lions Club luncheon in
 fellowship hall of First
 Methodist Church.
 2:30-4:30 p.m., Miers
 Home Museum open.
 7:30 p.m., West Side
 Lions Club meeting, Com-
 mercial Restaurant.
Wednesday, August 24
 1-5 p.m., Community
 Action Council representa-
 tive in judge's office,
 courthouse.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Monday, August 22
 Barbecued Beef on Bun
 Sliced Dill Pickles
 Pork 'n Beans
 Cole Slaw
 Peach Cobbler
 Milk

Tuesday, August 23
 Fried Chicken
 Mashed Potatoes/Gravy
 Hot Rolls
 Sweet Peas
 Fruit Salad
 Brownies
 Milk

Wednesday, August 24
 Italian Spaghetti
 Green Beans
 Lettuce Salad/Dressing
 Cornbread
 Raspberry Jello
 Milk

Thursday, August 25
 Chicken Pot Pie
 Sliced Cucumbers and
 Onions in Sour Cream
 Buttered Broccoli
 Hot Rolls
 Peanut Butter Cake
 Milk

Friday, August 26
 Hamburger Steak
 Scalloped Potatoes/Cheese
 Waldorf Salad
 Black Eyed Peas
 Hot Rolls
 Chocolate Pudding
 Milk

Krueger Working On Big Bend Salvage

Congressman Bob Krueger is working to save Brewster County from losing \$350,000 on lands in Big Bend National Park. "Our national parks are valuable resources for all of us to enjoy," Krueger said, "but when land is set aside, someone is sacrificing the tax value it once had. Local governments should not have to bear all of that burden."

In the case of Brewster County, the Department of the Interior had originally estimated that lands in Big Bend, set aside for park land, were worth \$350,000 in lieu of taxes to the county. But secretary of the Interior Cecil Andrus ruled August 5 that a technicality would keep Brewster County from receiving the money.

At the request of the federal government, the county had bought land in 1945, anticipating that a national park would be built in Brewster County. The Payment in Lieu of Taxes Act applies only to privately owned lands, however, and so the lands the county had bought did not qualify for payments.

Krueger introduced an amendment, on the day of Andrus' ruling, to remedy the problem. If it is adopted, it will allow the Department of the Interior to make payments to local governments in lieu of taxes, for lands the federal government has request- ed, in writing, be set aside for park lands. "That was the intent of the original law," Krueger said, "and there is no reason to make Brewster county suffer an enormous loss, because of a technicality."

Legal Notice

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: TOMMIE BROWN, Defendant, Greeting: YOU [AND EACH OF YOU] ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the District Court 112

of Sutton County at the Courthouse thereof, in Sonora, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 26th day of September A.D. 1977, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 9th

day of August A.D. 1977, in this cause, numbered 2136 on the docket of said court and styled **GUILLERMO LOPEZ AND WIFE, AURORA LOPEZ, Plaintiff, vs. LENA CASTILLO, ET AL, Defendant.** A brief Statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: *TRESPASS TO TRY TITLE.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Witness, Clerk of the District Court(s) of Sutton County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Sonora, Texas, this 12th day of August A.D. 1977. Erma Lee Turner Clerk, District Court 112 Sutton County, Texas. 1c51

Notice

SUTTON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT SONORA, TEXAS NOTICE TO BIDDERS August 8, 1977

Sealed bids in a single copy will be received in the County Clerk's Office, County Courthouse, Sonora, Sutton County, Texas, until 9:00 a.m., September 12, 1977, and then be

publicly opened and read for the realigning of the Emergency Spillway of the Dry Devil's River and Lowrey Draw Watershed, Site 13, located adjacent to the Town of Sonora, Sutton County, Texas.

Inspection of the site may be made by contacting J.W. Elliott, telephone number 387-2822, Sonora, Texas.

Complete assembly of the Invitation to Bid, Instructions to Bidders, Proposals, Detailed Specifications and Plans may be obtained by interested bidders by applying to Erma Lee Turner, County Clerk, Sonora, Texas.

All work to be done shall be done in accordance with the plans and specifications contained therein.

CLASSIFIED ADS

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Attendant needed, ARCO Self Serve. 387-9934. tf50
Part time cashier. Apply in person only. Modern Way Grocery. tf48

Cook and waitress. Apply in person to Big Tree Restaurant. tf28
Janitor to work 3-4 hours in morning. Apply at Dairy Queen, ask for Sandy. 2c51

Full time shop hand. Apply at Grant Oil Tool Co. 3rd & Crockett, or call 387-2031 or 387-3122. 1p51

Babysitter. 4:30-9:30 p.m. Call 387-2315, ask for Joy. 1c51

Typist wanted immediately at Devil's River News. Part time work, minimum pay scale. Apply in person to Shirley Hill. nc50

Route man. Apply in person. Thorp's Laun-Dry. tf48

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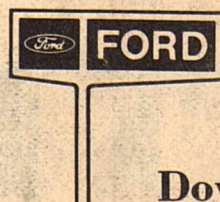


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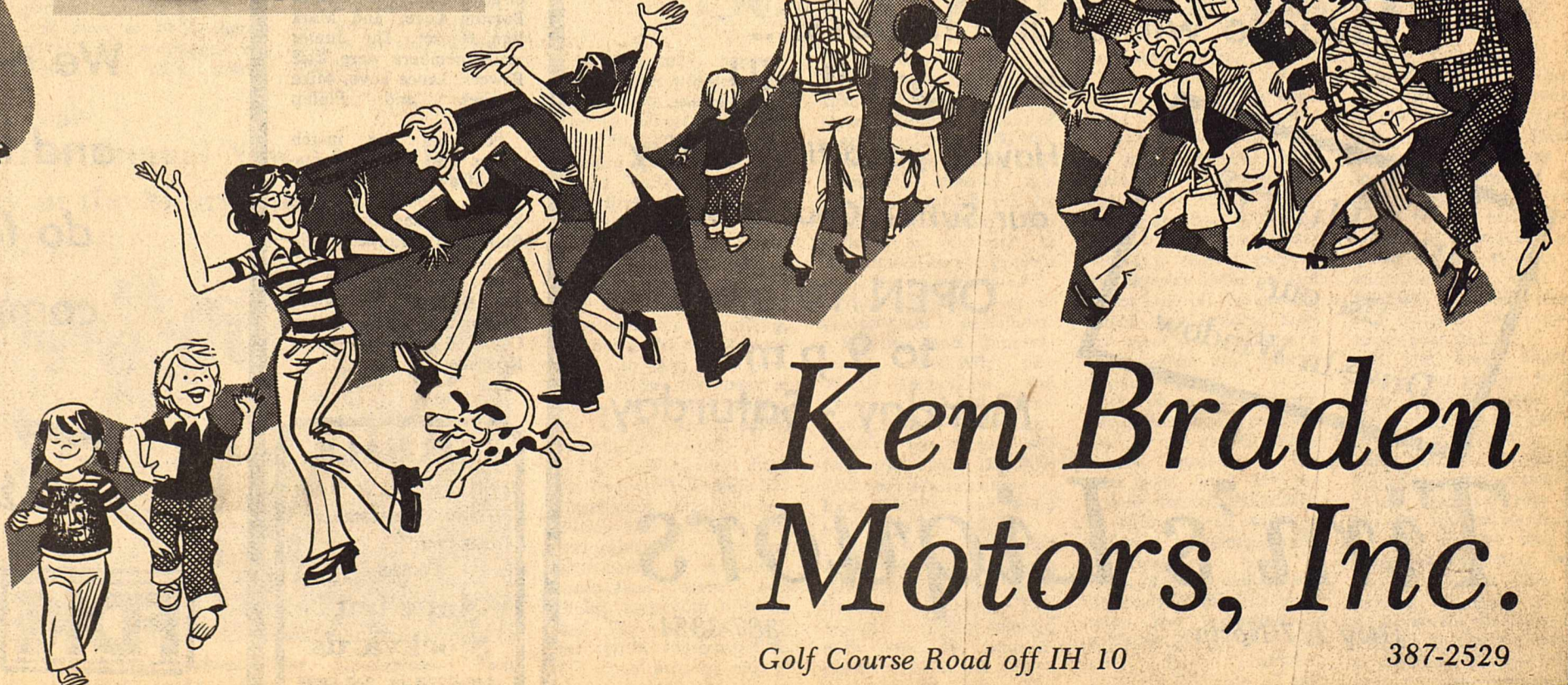
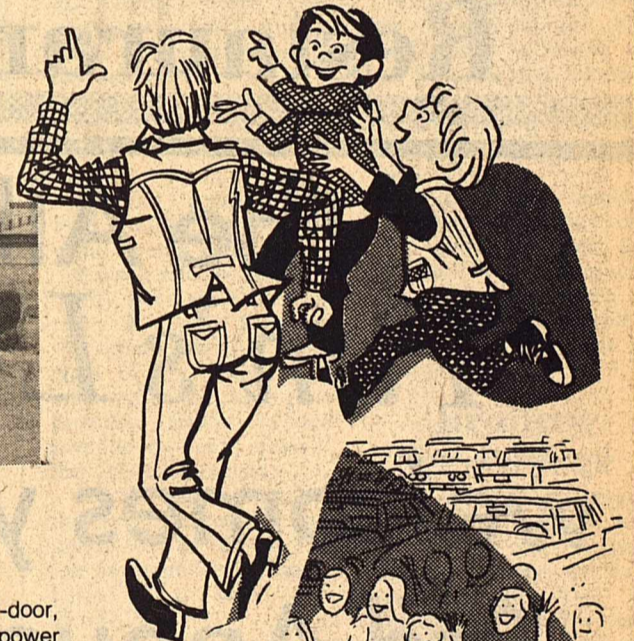
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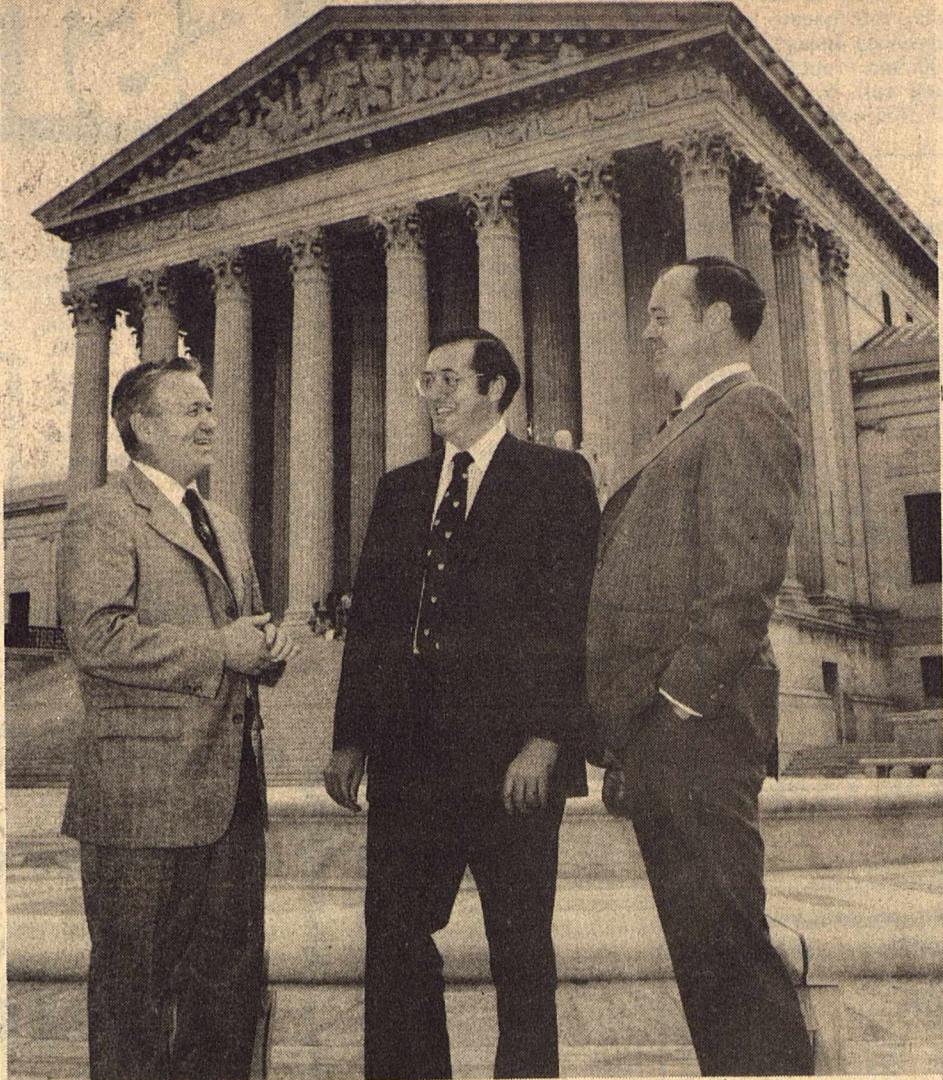
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Sutton Co. Days Calendar of Events

FRIDAY
 4:00 p.m.-Parade
 7:30 p.m.-Open Rodeo
 9:00 p.m.-Dance at Park
SATURDAY
 9:00 a.m.-Opening Ceremonies, Flag Raising, Invocation, Speech
 9:15 a.m.-Pet Show, Beard Judging Contest
 10 a.m.-Goat Pill Thumping Contest
 10:15 a.m.-Sutton County Little Miss Contest
 11-12-Tricycle Race, Ages 5 and under
 12-1 p.m.-Band Concert
 1 p.m.-Old Fiddler's Contest
 2 p.m.-Jalapeno Eating Contest, Egg Toss-2 age groups [12 and under and 13 and up]
 3-4 p.m.-Three-legged sack race-2 age groups [12 and under and 13 and up]
 3:30 p.m.-Water Polo, fire department
 4 p.m.-Chug-a-lug beer relay and Apple Bobbing
 4:30 p.m.-Finals of Fiddler's Contest and announcement of winner of goat pill thumping contest
 7:30 p.m., Open Rodeo at Sonora Park Arena
 9 p.m., Free Street Dance at Courthouse [music by Willie Luedecke and the Country Classics]



Standing on the steps of U.S. Supreme Court building are (from left) Bob Lewers and Tom Murphy, Philadelphia legal services, and John Ward, Radnor legal services.



The islands of Hawaii are the worn tops of volcanoes.

John Ward Admitted To Supreme Court

Sun Oil Company's Radnor general attorney John Ward has been admitted to practice law before the U.S. Supreme Court.

Ward, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ward, was admitted in a special ceremony before the Justices of the Court recently.

The 1946 graduate of Sonora High School and graduate of the University of Texas Law School

commented "Taking the oath is a memorable experience. Many attorneys don't take the time to apply and others apply through the mail."

Bridge Winners Told

Winners at the Eldorado Duplicate Bridge Club last week were Helen Blake-way and Jack Bebee first; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Griffith, second; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hurley, third; Sara Hall and June Jones, fourth; Evelyn Wimer and Bernice Sweatt and

Winnie Helen Hilliard and Milissa O'Harrow, tied for fifth.

The Eldorado Duplicate Bridge Club meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday evening. All area bridge players are invited to attend.

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Dr. Leo Merrill To Speak At Hill Co. S&WC Meeting

Dr. Leo Merrill, superintendent of the Agricultural Experiment Stations at Sonora and Barnhart will be the principal speaker at the Hill Country Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts' meeting August 22, in Junction.

Lewis Scherer, Jr., president of the organization, said that the meeting will begin at 9:45 a.m. at the Texas Tech Center.

Dr. Merrill, who has been affiliated with the Sonora experiment station since 1945, will speak on current work of both research stations.

Joe Antilley, chairman of the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board and Kenneth Kuykendall, president of the Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts, will present reports on the activities of each organization.

New officers of the Hill Country Association will

also be elected at the meeting.

Soil and water conservation districts adjacent to the Hill Country Association's area have been invited to attend the meeting. Discussions will be held relative to the possibility of dividing the organization into two associations.

Seventeen soil and water conservation districts are members of the Hill Country Association. They include: Eldorado Divide, San Saba-Brady, Menard County, Kendall, Kerr County, Pedernales, Gillespie County, Nueces-Frio-Sabinal, Edwards Plateau, Mason County, Upper Llanos, Medina Valley, Bandera, Llano County, West Nueces-Las Moras, Upper Nueces-Frio and Hill Country Soil and Water Conservation Districts.

Current officers of the organization are Lewis Scherer, Jr., president, Hunt; Jim Voulgaris, vice president, Harper; and Harold Kneese, treasurer, Fredericksburg.

Sutton Team Attends Kerr Rifle Match

The Sutton County 4-H Rifle group attended the second Buck and Bull 4-H Junior Rifle Club Invitational Match Sunday, August 14, 1977 at the Kerr County Agricultural Building in Kerrville.

Medina County 4-H Rifle team placed first in the Junior and Senior Match. Kerr Counties Junior and Senior Rifle team placed second and Sutton Counties Junior and Senior teams placed third.

The Sutton County 4-H Senior team was composed of Scott Cain, Cody Savell, Preston Love, and Mark Van Hoozer. The Junior team members were Rick Powers, Lance Love, Mike Polocsek, and Phillip Kemp.

Following the match relays and the presentation of awards a barbecue supper, hosted by the Kerr Counties Buck and Bull 4-H Junior Rifle team, was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted B. Joy and Virgil Polocsek accompanied the Sutton County 4-H Rifle teams to Kerrville.

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