

The Devil's River News

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Mystery Package Brings \$1,650



Mack and Ada Cauthorn purchased the Mystery Box at the Sonora Lions Club Auction last night for \$1,650, the most ever paid for the package since it first came on the scene in 1943. Mrs.

Cauthorn and nephew Jack David Wardlaw [right] outbid John Tedford and Rev. Lea Roy Aldwell for the prized box. Details of the sale will be reported in next week's Devil's River News.

Health Agency Sets Meet To Review Concerns

A meeting of the Concho Valley Subarea Plan Development Subcommittee of the Tri-Region Health Systems agency will be held at 7 p.m., on Monday, September 26 in Sonora. The meeting will take place at the Commercial Restaurant.

The primary activities scheduled for the meeting will be the review of major health concerns expressed by residents of the Concho Valley area during the agency's recent series of Community Workshops, and the formation of task forces to deal with specific health concerns. The subcommittee will also begin development of general health goals for the region to be included in the agency's Health Systems Plan. This plan, at its completion next year, will include goals, objectives, and recommended actions to improve the health of

residents in the 44 county Tri-Region Health Service Area.

The meeting is open to the public and area residents are encouraged to attend and make suggestions to the subcommittee. For more information contact the Tri-Region HSA office in Abilene.

Park To Sponsor Dance

The Sutton County Park Association will sponsor a dance Saturday night following the jackpot roping.

The dance will begin at 9 p.m., on the park pavilion and continue until one a.m. Tickets will be sold for \$4 each and music will be furnished by Cooder Browne and his band from Austin.



Sonora Head Coach Bill Bundy [left] and Bronco Booster Club President Luther Creek examine the new movie projector which was bought and donated by the Booster Club to the coaching staff. At a recent Booster meeting the old projector started smoking and buying a new projector appeared to be a better investment than attempting to repair the old one. The coaching staff relies heavily on the projector to view game films studying Bronco performance and upcoming opponents.

48 Teams Enter Couple's Tourney

Forty eight teams from Big Lake, Eldorado, Junction, San Antonio, Del Rio, Odessa, San Angelo and Ballinger participated in two days of golfing when the Fifth Annual Couple's Golf Tournament was held here September 18 and 19.

Mr. Ken Braden served as chairperson of the meet. Members of the local golf club and visitor participants in the meet were treated to a dinner

buffet and dance.

Jerry Don Balch and Effie Harle were awarded prizes for having the shortest drive. Two prizes went to Bobbie Fawcett and Mickey Rathbone for getting nearest the pin on hole #9.

In the championship flight, the team of Jones and Jones were in first place. Poole and Poole placed second followed by Cleveland and Cleveland

in third, Eakman and Rowaldt in fourth, and Friend and Espy in fifth.

Collins and Fawcett placed first in the first flight followed by Hardgrave and Hardgrave in second; Herrmann and Herrmann in third; Roach and Munn in fourth, and Madrachal and Olson in fifth.

Second flight winners were Grider and Hillmer, first; Tyler and Tyler,

second; Green and Hartman, third; Rathbone and Rathbone, fourth; and Bailey and Bailey, fifth.

In the third flight of play Thompson and Gardner placed first. In second place was the team of Gunnels and Gunnels; third place, Thorpe and Brown; fourth place, Cotten and Cotten; and fifth place, Munn and Roach.

Meeting Set To Discuss Airport Future

There will be a special meeting Monday, September 26 to discuss the airport.

The meeting will be held at the courthouse with the airport board, City Aldermen and County Commissioners on hand to make the final decisions as to the future of the airport.

Jackpot Roping Saturday

A Rough Stock Jackpot will be held Saturday, Sept. 24 at the Rodeo Arena starting at 7:30 p.m.

Sponsored by the Sonora Volunteer Fire Department, a \$25 entry fee for each event and a stock charge will be required.

The public is cordially invited to the jackpot, which will be followed by the Sonora-Sutton County Park Association dance.

Dansby Promoted To Captain

Stephen C. Dansby, son of Dr. and Mrs. Garland L. Dansby of Llano, has been promoted to captain in the U.S. Air Force.

Captain Dansby, a missile launch officer, is assigned at Minot AFB, N.D., with a unit of the Strategic Air Command.

Captain Dansby's wife, Mary, is the daughter of Mrs. Bonnie Garmon of Sonora.

HEART ASSOCIATION TO MEET

There will be a meeting of the Heart Association Monday night, September 26 at the Sutton County Steakhouse. The meeting will begin at 7 p.m., and Dr. David Owensby encourages the board to be present.

Williams Picks FB Winners

Jerry Williams picked up his \$25 prize this week as the Devil's River News Football Contest winner.

Jerry correctly selected 14 winners from last week's contest, and tied Joe B. Luttrell and Jack Sharp.

Jerry's 13-10 Dallas-Minnesota tie breaker score pushed him into the winner's circle. Luttrell picked Dallas 24, Minnesota 14 and Sharp guessed Dallas 24, Minnesota 17.

Weather

Compiled By Pat Brown

Date	R	H	Lo
September 13	95	70	
September 14	95	60	
September 15	94	63	
September 16	94	67	
September 17	94	70	
September 18	98	70	
September 19	100	65	

Rainfall for the month, .37; rainfall for the year, 14.89.

Local Pastor Approved By Counseling Institute

Dr. Gaylan McClellan, Pastor of Trinity Baptist Temple, has recently been approved as a member of

The Institute of Experienced Pastoral Counselors.

Dr. McClellan received this honor after the board of directors reviewed his experience as counselor. The first requirement by the institute is for an applicant to have received at least a B average on the PHD work.

Dr. McClellan was awarded an honorary Doctor of Divinity degree from the Universal Bible Institute in 1974 after review of his work with young people from 1970-1973.

In 1975 he was given permission to work on his PHD degree, that he received in January 1977.

This work led to being honored in the National Institute of Experienced Pastoral Counselors. This honor gives Dr. McClellan recognition in its national organization and entitles him to participate in and on special discussion and conventions.

Dr. McClellan invites anyone with a problem to feel free to call on him at any time for help with their problems. He may be contacted at the Trinity

September's one percent city sales tax for Sonora hit a whopping \$26,491.34, according to an announcement by State Comptroller Bob Bullock.

Sonora's share represents a 34 percent increase over the same month last year and brings total payments this year to \$113,420.62 for a 33 percent gain over 1976.

In September 1976 the city received \$19,627.94 and through the same month last year the total was \$84,680.17.

Bullock said the increase in sales tax collections in Texas is outpacing that of most other states, signaling the continuing vigor of the state's economy.

Sonora is one of the fastest growing cities in the state. Houston, the state's most populous city, showed a 10 percent increase as did San Antonio. San Angelo posted a 19 percent gain and Dallas had a 22 percent increase.

Area cities shared in the growth with Eldorado up three percent with \$4,053.79 for September, Junction up six percent with September's collec-

tions at \$10,467.77. Ozona was not listed due its status in an unincorporated city.

Rocksprings posted a 15 percent increase with \$3,198.16 in sales tax payment for September.

Ballinger showed a 14 percent increase with \$18,007.53. Big Lake was up nine percent with \$16,792.94. Brady was steady with no increase at

\$19,796.78. Burnet increased by 17 percent at \$18,131.54 and Coleman showed a healthy 24 percent increase with \$28,354.99.

The sales figures include only those items sold in the Sonora city limits which are taxable. Groceries, drugs, services and automotive sales are not included in the sales tax information.

City Sales Tax Hits All-Time High

Tammy Van Hoozer Places Second in State Competition

Tammy Van Hoozer, 14 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Van Hoozer has placed second in state competition with her 4-H Record Book. Entered in range management, the book emphasizes Tammy's experiences and accomplishments in range and grass judging.

This past summer the Sutton County Range and Grass judging team placed first in district and state competition. Tammy, a

member of this team, was third high individual at the state contest.

In addition to range and grass judging Tammy has also been active in wool and mohair judging, market lamb projects, foods, clothing and rabbit projects.

Tammy is the first alternate to receive an all expense paid trip to the Texas Society of Range Management, Range Camp in Junction next June.

Freight Line Opens New Terminal

Joe White, District Marketing Manager of Curry Lines, announces this week the opening of a new freight terminal in Sonora.

Curry Lines, serving Sonora for the past fifteen years, found the increased tonnage justified building of this new facility to handle present and future needs. Curry serves over 200 towns and cities in the western half of Texas giving uniform service to its towns regardless of size.

The new building is located at 802 Glasscock St.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gee will serve as agents after having served in Odessa and other points with Curry. They assure Curry customers of the best possible freight service.

General offices of the company are in Amarillo with F.R. Hall, Executive Vice President and R.C. Jordan, Chairman of the Board and President. Both

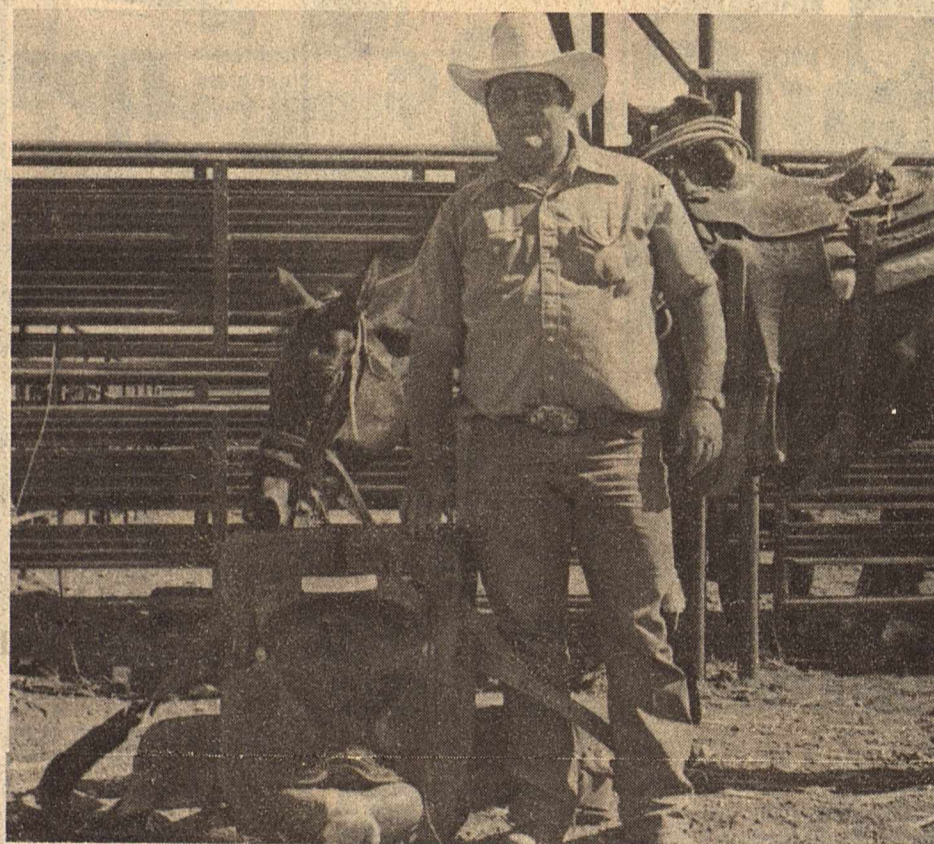
men are native West Texans and believe strongly in helping to build good transportation service to the towns and cities of western Texas.

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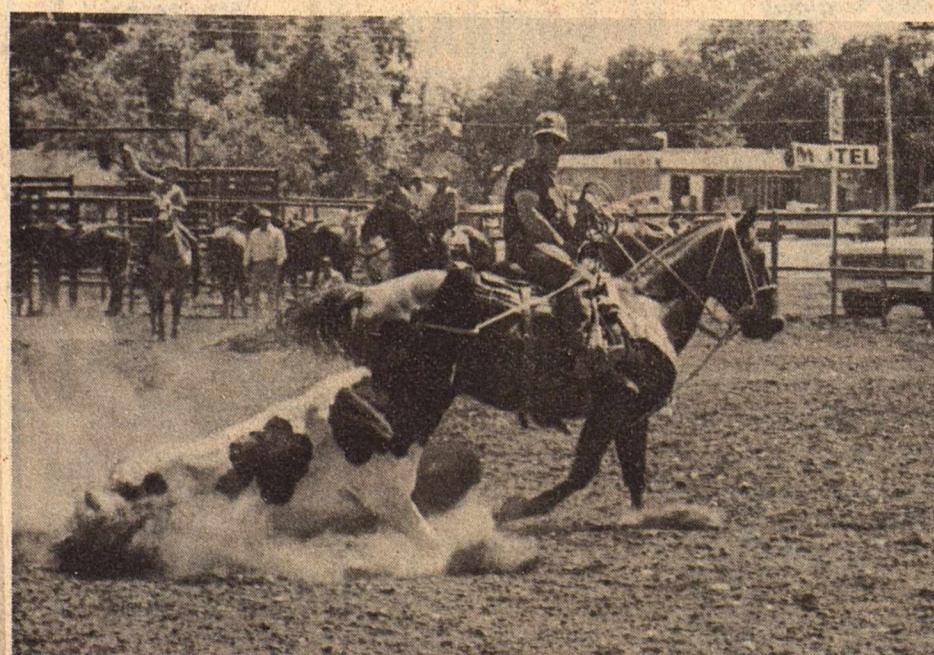
Tickets for the October 12 banquet, featuring Gov. Dolph Briscoe as guest speaker, are now on sale at the following businesses:

Tedford Jewelry, Westerman Drug, San Angelo Savings and Loan Association, P&S Stop & Save, HNG Propane, Modern Way Grocery, Chamber of Commerce office or the Devil's River News.

The \$5 ticket includes full course meal, starting at 7:30 p.m. at the Sutton County 4-H Center.



Team roping winner in Saturday's contest was J.L. Kinney of Crane with 212 points and awarded the first place prize saddle. Second spot went to Bill Teague of Crane with 178 points. The roping was sponsored by the Sonora-Sutton County Park Association. [Photo by Herb Jones]



Bill Teague shows his style in last Saturday's Sonora-Sutton County Park Association sponsored roping contest. The Crane roper captured second place in the event with 178 points. [Photo by Herb Jones]

Dee's Notes

FRIENDS of Mrs. Annie Covey will be glad to hear that she is back here once more living with her son and family, the Bill Coveys. She has returned from Pasadena, and we are happy to have her with us again.

IF YOU HAVE NEED to call the Comptroller's office in Austin, you might be interested to know that the number has been changed recently. Seems the personnel have moved to new offices and the number (toll free) is now 800-252-5555.

WE ARE ALWAYS HAPPY to welcome new members to the Chamber organization and appreciate their support very much. Our newest member is Mrs. Adele Wilson, who was kind enough to remark that she appreciated the help the Chamber office extends to landowners during the hunting season. Our Chamber members deserve your support...they are vitally interested in the continued growth and prosperity of Sutton County. Their dues provide the services of this office.

WAS GOOD to notice that Mary Gallegos Martinez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gallegos, was named "Motorola of the Month" for September at Motorola, Inc., in Austin, where she is employed. The company has many nice things to report about Mary (SHS graduate), noting that she has trained or assisted in training almost every operator hired in CMOS the past two years. The article said she is active in writing, implementing, and updating training programs as well as capable of handling the rigors of classroom training. We add our congratulations to her for this honor. She has a son, 5, and a daughter one and half years old.

GLAD TO REPORT that Wilma Jones of Elliott Agency is back in the office after suffering a bout with viral pneumonia. Also that County Treasurer Metha Trainer is home from Shannon after surgery to a finger. She reports that Louie is a pretty good cook...his home cooking (chicken soup) is helping her to bounce back to good health. A speedy recovery Methal Saw Belle Steen downtown with visitors, her brother, Charlie Crawford and his wife, Lynn, of Portland, Oregon. Steen was taking them on her daily stroll.

WE CONTINUE TO receive calls for housing as well as mobile home spaces. We are pleased to report that we hear rumors of new business ventures for our town. West Sonora is bustling with activity as land is being reshaped on the Joe David Ross property, and construction has begun on Trinity Baptist Temple located on 4th Street. Foundation is presently being poured for the Temple.

RECEIVED A DESPERATE call from a Dr. John Ward in Houston last week who was unable to get the Wilderness Taxidermy on the telephone, since the phone had not been installed. A valuable or rather prized ram head had been shipped by him to the Taxidermy and he wanted assurance that the head had indeed been delivered, and he could rest easy!

NOW FOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE banquet ticket sales...Our ticket sales have been slower than usual. Since the banquet is only about three weeks hence (October 12), we need to KNOW if you plan to attend. The meal is to be catered, and we must provide accurate information as to the number of persons expected. President John Tedford wishes to remind each person that Governor Dolph Briscoe is to be in attendance, and certainly we wish to welcome him in the same manner that Sonorans have always extended to our visitors. One way to do this is to have a good attendance at the banquet. If you have not purchased your ticket, we urge that you do so THIS WEEK, and no later than next week. As a member of the Chamber organization, we invite your participation, but this event is open to anyone in our community...you do not have to be a member to attend.

For what it's worth (During last week's broadcast of Sonora-Mason game, we understood the following as we had a lot of CB interference, but happily it did clear later). Have you heard of the talking toasters? Some say they hear voices in the toaster coils caused by nearby citizens' band radio antennas. Anything with an amplifier can pick up signals. Churches have reported annoying interruptions. Once in the midst of a funeral the message came in: "I'm coming home. Warm up the bean pot." A minister, in the midst of the Lord's Prayer, heard the church loudspeaker boom: "That's 10-4, Good Buddy."

COME FOR DESSERT



Entertaining is enjoyable and so much easier when friends have dinner at home and come over for dessert. Here is an elegant suggestion to honor the neighbors' wedding anniversary. Deliciously different and very glamorous is this Lemon Eggnog Pie. It features Jell-O® lemon instant pudding and pie filling and Birds Eye Cool Whip non-dairy whipped topping. Garnish with additional topping and fresh strawberry slices and prepare to enjoy your party.

LEMON EGGNOG PIE

- 3/4 cup cold milk*
- 3/4 cup cold light cream*
- 1 package (4-serving size) lemon instant pudding and pie filling
- 1/4 teaspoon vanilla
- 1/8 teaspoon ground nutmeg
- 1 baked 8-inch pie shell, cooled
- 1 container (4-1/2 oz.) frozen whipped topping, thawed

*Or use 1-1/2 cups half and half.

Pour milk and cream into bowl. Add pie filling mix, vanilla and nutmeg. Slowly beat with hand beater or at lowest speed of electric mixer for 1 minute. Pour 1-1/4 cups immediately into pie shell. Chill. Blend 1 cup of the topping into remaining pudding mixture. Spread over filling. Chill at least 1 hour. Garnish with remaining whipped topping and halved strawberries, if desired.

Letter To The Editor

Dear editor:
I have enclosed an article that was published in the September edition of The Texas Fireman's News, which I would like to share with the citizens of Sutton Co.

It was written by Mrs. E.J. Cowell of Alpine, Texas, in memory of her husband, Eugen Robinson Cowell, who passed away June 15, 1977. He had been a member of the Alpine Volunteer for 47 years. Mrs. Cowell also has two sons who are volunteer firemen.

There are those here in Sonora who criticize our own volunteer department and there are those who have only praise for our firemen. As a fireman's wife, I would like to remind folks that our Sonora firemen ARE volunteers; there is NO pay for the long hours and hard work.

I think our department is made up of a select few who are willing to give of their time unselfishly. And then there are their families who are also called upon to give unselfishly, to forget plans made, to entertain deserted house guests, to eat meals alone with one empty plate and one empty chair.

So, the next time you hear the fire alarm sounding, just remember that the firemen are volunteers and they do the best job they know how with the equipment they have.

Thank you,
Mrs. Gene West

CARD OF THANKS In Memory of Gene Cowell A Volunteer Fireman, Why?

Why will a man be a volunteer fireman? I ask myself that question every time I am awakened out of a deep sleep by the terrifying clammer of the bell on the telephone near the bed and my husband hurries to answer, and I ask it again as I watch while he rushes off dressing as he runs to the car to answer that call of "Help there's a fire." No matter what the weather, rain, hail, sleet, or snow, freezing or hot, just hurry, there's a fire somewhere.

Why? When he is dressed in his best clothes attending the biggest party of the year, or services at his church, or maybe attending a funeral and he hears that fire whistle blow, he rushes out, not time to change his clothes, knowing that if the water or smoke ruins his suit or shoes or if he loses his hat or ruins a tire they must be replaced at his own expense because he is not paid, he is a volunteer fireman.

Why? He is at work on the job that earns his living and he hears the whistle and off he rushes to answer that call, "Help, there's a fire somewhere." He does not know how many hours he will be away from his job, how much time or money it may cost him. He will go, he is a volunteer fireman.

Why? Will he risk his life at any time, day or night, there is always danger when he answers the call "Help, there's a fire."

Why? I don't know "Why," but surely it must be love for his town and for his fellowmen. God Bless our volunteer firemen and keep close watch over them, the truly great heroes of our town.

That is "Why" I am proud to be the wife of a volunteer fireman and the proud mother of two.
Mrs. E.J. Cowell

Hospital Auxiliary

By Cora Lee Campbell
Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital Auxiliary honored members and their guests with an open house in the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church September 12.

The hall was decorated with items made by auxiliary members for residents of the rest home to use, such as pillows, bibs, etc.

Punch and cookies were served from a lace covered table centered with an arrangement of white flowers.

The next meeting of the auxiliary will be held at the Hospital Conference room October 12 with Mrs. Paul Terry, president, residing.

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<p>GRAN PRIX AM/FM POCKET RADIO</p> <p>Goes everywhere you go!</p> <p>888</p>	<p>Farrah Fawcett Majors THERMO-SERV TUMBLERS</p> <p>The most beautiful mug in town! 3 styles. 12 oz.</p> <p>149</p>	<p>Indoor photo aids from Sylvania! FLASHCUBES</p> <p>pack of 3</p> <p>109</p>	<p>REXALL NAIL POLISH REMOVER</p> <p>4 oz.</p> <p>49¢</p>
<p>REXALL BUFFERED ASPIRIN</p> <p>100's</p> <p>Compare with RUFFERIN</p> <p>119</p>	<p>REXALL COTTON BALLS</p> <p>300's</p> <p>2/1⁶⁹</p>	<p>REXALL NASAL DECONGESTANT TIME CAPSULES</p> <p>10's</p> <p>Compare with CONTAC</p> <p>87¢</p>	<p>REXALL HAY FEVER ALLERGY CAPSULES</p> <p>24's</p> <p>Compare with ALLEREST</p> <p>129</p>
<p>New Freedom MAXI-PADS</p> <p>30's</p> <p>179</p>	<p>HI-DRI PAPER TOWELS</p> <p>Single roll.</p> <p>2/1⁰⁰</p>	<p>REXALL STICK DEODORANT</p> <p>2 oz.</p> <p>Compare with OLD SPICE</p> <p>89¢</p>	<p>REXALL BABY SHAMPOO</p> <p>32 oz.</p> <p>Compare with JOHNSON'S</p> <p>119</p>
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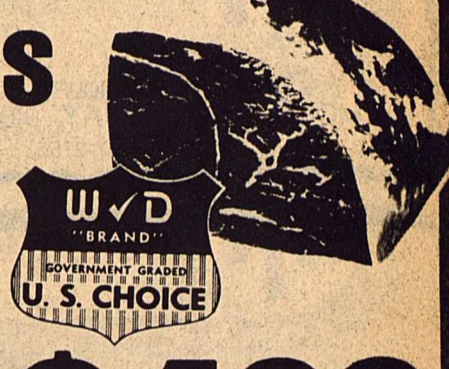
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Jumbo Pies
2 9 Oz. Green Giant **\$1**
Sweet Peas
3 17 Oz. Cans **\$1**

More Big Savings
Sliced or Whole Thrifty Maid Potatoes 4 16 Oz. **\$1**
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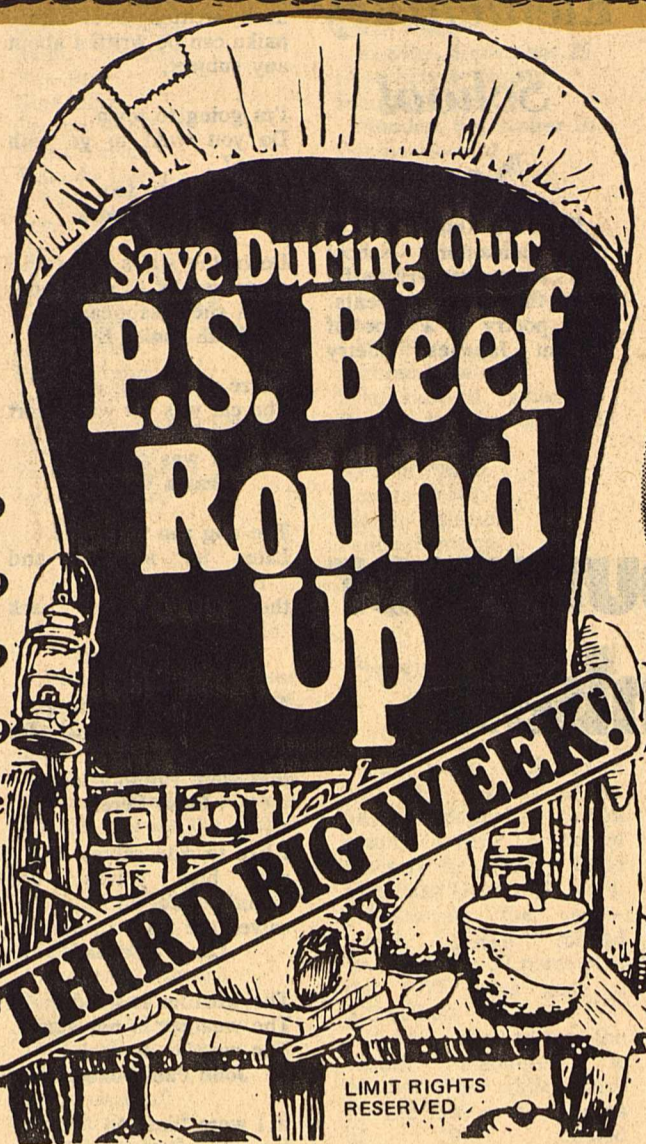
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Kappa Gamma Sorority Host To Rush Tea

Kappa Gamma Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha held a rush party September 13 at the home of Mrs. Bill Bundy with the theme for the occasion being, "Sunshine, Lollipops and Rainbows." The theme was carried out in floral arrangement of daisies and sunshine faces. A lollipop tree of green, red and yellow was

tyed with blue and gold bows. A large pot of gold at the end of the rainbow was featured and blue and white candles lighted the party rooms.

Hostesses for the soiree were Mmes. Sammie Hodges, Bundy, Stanley Mayfield and Jim Miles. Mrs. Dennis Hughes registered guests.

Punch, cookies, mints and nuts were served.

Those attending were Mary Jo Pfeiffer, Linda Todd, Deborah Kemper, Jan Berry, and Linda Cayce, guests; Mmes. Hughes, Hodges, Mayfield, Miles, Bundy, Billy Martin, Mike Story, Herbert Jones, Wes Burnett, David Morgan and Les

Robertson, members. Mrs. Hughes spoke to guests on some of the chapter's future ways and means and service projects.

Mrs. Hodges extended an invitation to those in attendance to partake of the "What's In The Pot", couple's dinner to be held by the sorority.

Elementary School News

Featured this week in the elementary school news are poems written by some fifth grade students. This poetry is a type of ancient Japanese poetry

call haiku. Haiku has three lines and a 5-7-5 syllabic pattern. Although they are usually written about nature haiku can be written about any subject.

I'm going to town. Do you want to go with me? I'll invite you too. **Darryl Moore**

Down the stairs she came as gracefully as she could. Then she disappeared. **Leah Louise Evans**

There was a big cat. The cat was fat with short legs. The cat was silver. **Shawn Williams**

The dog ran for miles. Later he stopped and rested, then he walked back home. **John Woodall**

The men went hunting. They were hunting for wild deer that were running loose. **Patsy Perez**

I like to ride calves... not big calves but middlesize calves are fun to ride. **Lea Whitehead**

The weather is good. The weather is not sunny. The weather is cool. **John Paul Ponsett**

If I were like you I would want to look like you and be just like you. **Jody Luttrell**

There is a big dog. He is very tall and fat. He is my brown dog. **Gladys Arredondo**

The little ponies are frisky and playful today and they are happy. **Karla Jungk**

John played football last night and made a good touchdown and scored seven points. **D'Lee Porter**

The moon is not out. The sun is behind a cloud. They are both pretty. **Aimee Middleton**

Butterflies are free... they fly on their golden wings. I like butterflies. **Michael Dunn**

The butterfly flew all over the schoolyard grounds before he landed. **Russell Ethridge**

Butterflies have wings. They are very beautiful... that's why I like them. **Carol Cayce**

Elephants are fat. They have a very long trunk. They are very big. **Cathy Doran**

"Oh dear gleaming moon, why do you make the deer run from the leaves in fall!" **Tommy Mills**

Flowers are pretty. Flowers are nature's sunshine. Flowers are brilliant. **Wayne Hill**

Grasses, grasses are so pretty and bright green. Green grasses everywhere. **Joe Will Ross**

I won a buckle at the park rodeo. It was big and shiny. **Rebecca Powers**

The deer are pretty. They like to run in the sun. Deer are very fast. **Greg Stewart**

I love to watch cats. They are very curious running everywhere. **Douglas Martin**

My dog is great big.

He drinks gallons of water. He eats tons of food. **Mark York**

Fall is when leaves change from green to red to yellow. Fall is very pretty. **Chad Stewart**

I have a horse named Pinky...I like to run poles on him very much. **Anita Balch**

Dove hunting is neat. Doves usually fly in low. Doves are good to eat. **Scott Miller**

Birds never ever would go to a dark wolves' cave 'cause they'll face danger. **Janice Gomez**

Tax Workshop Dec. 8, 9

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service is cooperating with the Internal Revenue Service in offering 25 Tax Practitioner Workshops across the state reports Clint Langford. The nearest workshop to our area will be held in San Angelo, on the 8th and 9th of December.

These two day workshops are specifically designed for tax practitioners who work extensively with farmers and ranchers. Topics to be covered include Tax Simplification Act of 1977, Schedule C & F, Employment and Social Security Taxes, IRA and Keough Plans are among other topics. This year two advance programs will be offered in Houston and San Antonio stressing tax preparation for small businesses also. For additional information, please contact County Extension Agents for a brochure explaining more about the program and registration information.

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Sutton County Ranch News

Search for Range Animal

Cattle experts are saying that the day of the range has arrived again, and a scramble is on to find the animal which can best be produced under those conditions.

Hopefully in Southwest Texas, research studies underway at the Rio Grande Plain Experimental Ranch near Spofford will give ranchers in this area a greater understanding of the rangelands they occupy and what various breeds can do to make use of them.

At present three breeds, Santa Gertrudis, Brangus and Barzona are being evaluated at the research ranch operated by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station with scientists housed at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center here.

These scientists will give the public its first glimpse of breed research efforts during their first official Field Day at the ranch on June 1.

The three breeds involved were selected by a Ranch Steering Committee of stockmen and agribusinessmen from a 19-county area served by the Uvalde Center. They were selected from a list of seven breeds which included

Beefmaster, Hereford, American and Texas Longhorn.

Since the world food situation began to fluctuate drastically in 1972, the emphasis on forages as the basic ingredient of the ruminant livestock industry has brought this kind of agricultural research into sharper focus in Texas and the nation.

"Ruminants can grow on forages alone, but they grow more rapidly when fed high-energy rations," said Dr. Stewart Fowler, resident director of the Uvalde Center and the man who is leading the breed research at the Experimental Ranch.

"Since World War II there had been a trend toward increasing the amount of grain and concentrates fed to ruminants. The main reason these grains were fed to cattle in increasing amounts was that they could be produced cheaply."

He said inputs used in the production of grain such as fertilizer, energy, machinery and pesticides were relatively inexpensive. Improved hybrid varieties, early planting, increased plant populations, high fertilization, and chemical weed control among other

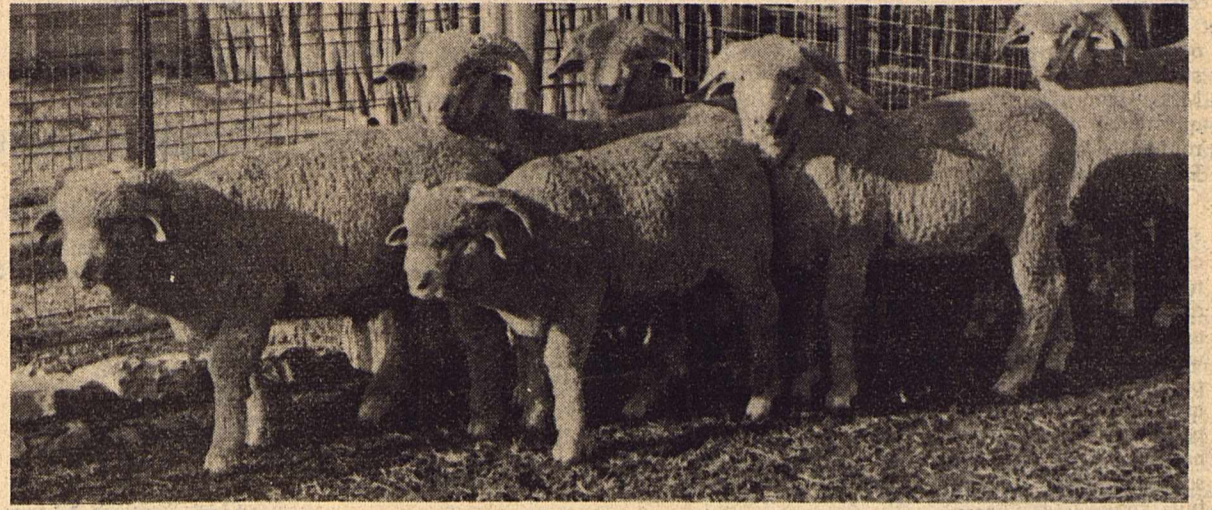
factors played an important role.

"Cheap grain became an essential for the beef production system in the United States," Dr. Fowler said. "Without it, the system was vulnerable."

Pesticide Training Available

Ranchers who were unable to attend one of the private applicator pesticide training programs are reminded that they can still qualify for certification as a private applicator by submitting a completed questionnaire to the Texas Department of Agriculture following a review of self study materials. The self study materials may be obtained at the County Extension Office in the First National Bank Building.

Ranchers will be requested to be certified as private applicators in order to purchase and use restricted use pesticides on October 21, 1977 when the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act will be fully implemented.



Seven offspring of Bill Karnes' prize ram no. 7923 will be entered on test at the Ram Performance Test program at Sonora's Experiment Station. The sire is a

Register of Merit and won the championship fleece in the 1977 Wool Show. (Photo by Herb Jones)

Livestock Studies Benefit Ranchers

Livestock studies conducted by Texas A&M system research facilities have long been of benefit

to Texas producers and may prove even more crucial to Texas sheepmen in the future, current low

sheep numbers offering little incentive for commercial firms to invest in research and new product testing.

Too, some research is simply not commercially applicable in the first place, except in a very roundabout way. Bitterweed studies, for example, might or might not lead to development of a commercially viable bitterweed antidote. Meanwhile the A&M people are attacking the problem from various other angles.

The first step, of course, was to identify the true culprit. This was done on a broad scale by the fellow who first determined that bitterweed, and not one of the scores of other plants, was killing his sheep. Much more recently, A&M scientists isolated "hymenoxon" as the actual toxic agent in the plant.

This information opened the way for numerous other lines of attack and made it possible to determine if some of them might work. So far, an amino acid, cysteine, seems to work as a counteragent to hymenoxon. Thus, we have what could be a useful treatment, but it also has its drawbacks.

Rumen action tends to break down cysteine before it can reach the intestine, rendering it useless. Researchers, however, have had some success with encapsulation, thus protecting the amino acid long enough for it to reach its destination.

A lack of encapsulating equipment, in turn, has limited research along these lines, so tests at the present time involve injection.

Other bitterweed studies include testing the effects of herbicides both in controlling the weed and in reducing its toxicity.

Fred Campbell's Wool and Mohair Report

The world wool situation is unchanged from recent weeks. If anything it has improved somewhat. The Australian Wool Corporation is buying in slightly less, than a few weeks ago.

While the wool market is still sluggish, there are some signs that trade demand is improving.

In the U.S. the main activity this past week was the sale of Zuni Indian Wools offered in New

Mexico. Grease price was reported to range from 57 to 68 cents.

This week will see the offering of about 1 1/2 million pounds of short wool in Texas. Warehouses in Brackettville, Del Rio and Sonora will offer fall shorn ewe and lamb wool this week. Here in Sonora we will offer our entire accumulation of short wool on Friday, Sept. 23. The sale is scheduled for 10:00 a.m.

Mohair trading has come to an

abrupt halt. Differences in what buyers are willing to pay and what sellers are willing to take has caused a shut-down in activity.

The second sale of the season will be held Tuesday this week. Quite a bit of attention will be on this sale to see if the Mohair Board will allow further drop in mohair prices. Most of the trade is expecting a further slight drop.

TS&GRA Fall Meeting in Junction

The directors of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association will hold their Fall Tri-Annual Meeting in Junction, Texas on Thursday, October 6. The meeting place will be the Texas Tech Center south of Junction.

Powell Ranch Tour

More plans for the tour of the Jimmy Powell Ranch near Fort McKavett on Sept. 29 have been announced.

Gov. Dolph Briscoe will be the main speaker. Registration will begin at the ranch at 9 a.m. The guests will tour the ranch by bus.

The tour will end at Fort McKavett, where Mr. and Mrs. Powell will host a noon meal.

Powell is carrying out an extensive grassland improvement program with the help of the Eldorado-Divide Soil and Water Conservation District.

He also has a carefully planned program of supplemental feeding that he bases on laboratory analyses of forages by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

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Schedule At Day Care Center Adheres Mostly To Routine

"It doesn't always work out that way, but we try to stick to a schedule", said Mrs. Diana O'Dell when questioned about the daily routine of her twenty plus Learn and Pay Day Care Center students.

Mrs. Odell and her co-worker Mrs. Nell Kinney, say that they start the day at 7:30 a.m. and finish up at 5:30 five days a week and during this period they have approximately twenty students per day with some coming half days, some part time, some drop-ins, and some full time. Not all the youngsters in the Center

are those of working mothers like one would suppose, but some are sent solely for the purpose of learning to play with other children.

The children in the center range from age 2 months to seven years old, with the majority being 2, 3, and 4 years of age.

All are fed a morning and afternoon snack, and have lunch at the center at 11 each day. Mrs. O'Dell says that the center is state licensed and therefore must provide children with at least 1/2 of their daily nutrition requirements.

Children are also al-

lowed an outdoor activity time both morning and afternoon and the older children have an arts and crafts time each day.

In the afternoon there is a rest period and all children are either required to take a nap or at least rest. I couldn't believe that you could actually get that many youngsters quiet at one time, but the two qualified ladies assured me that although some didn't sleep they were taught to at least observe the quiet period.

Youngsters at the center are not allowed in the

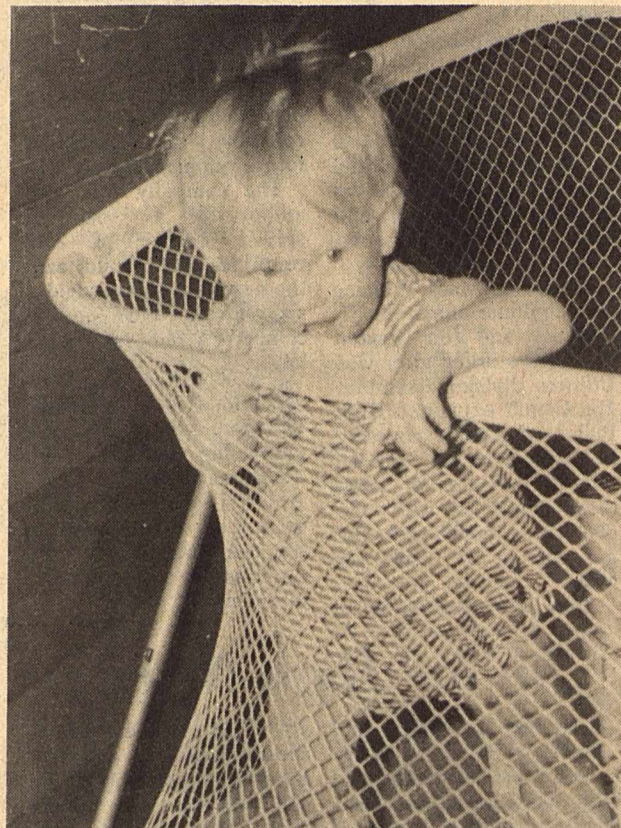
front of the building at any time except with parents coming or leaving and are not allowed outside the back yard fence. Mrs. O'Dell said that even parents are not allowed to open the back yard gate.

Children are awarded each day with the most well behaved of that day being allowed to feed the aquarium of tropical fish on display.

Also for the entertainment of the children is a television set which is only used for children's programs ... or those of interest to children the age of those who attend the Center.



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10 month old Leslie Jones.



Allison Smith enjoys refreshments.

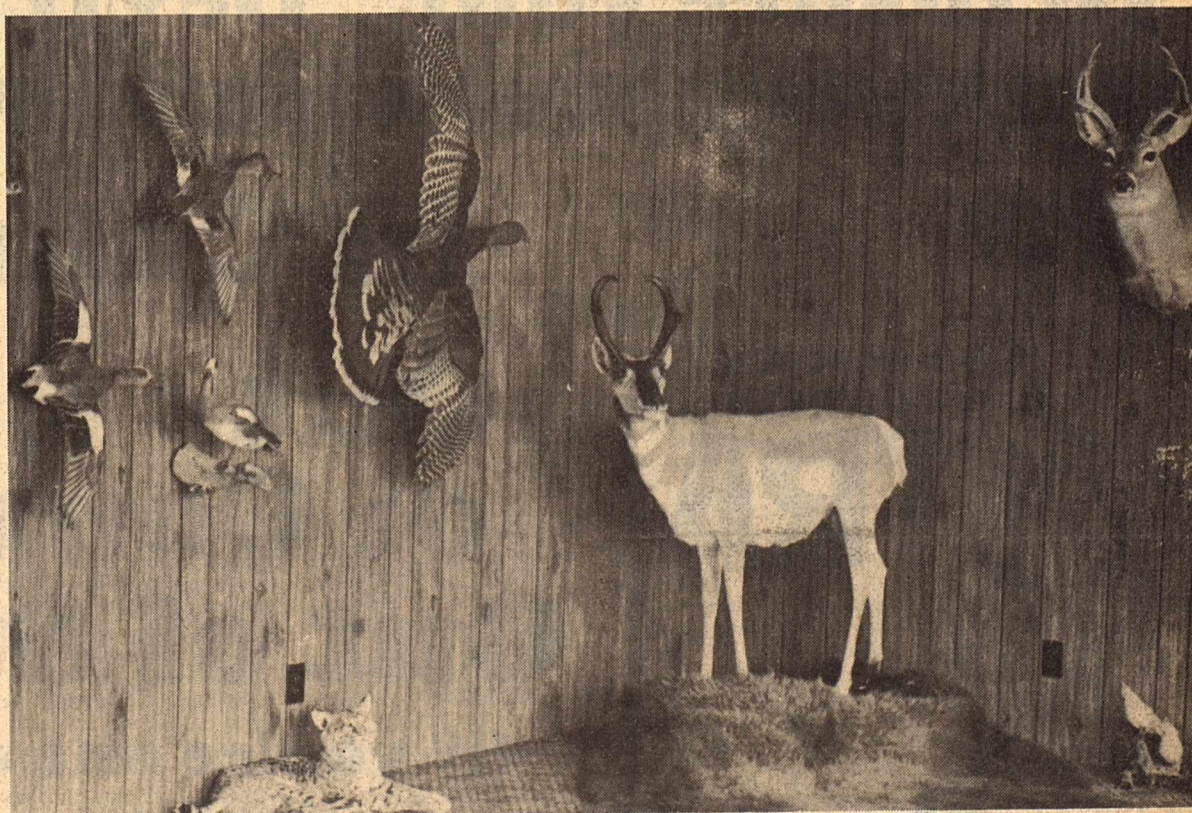
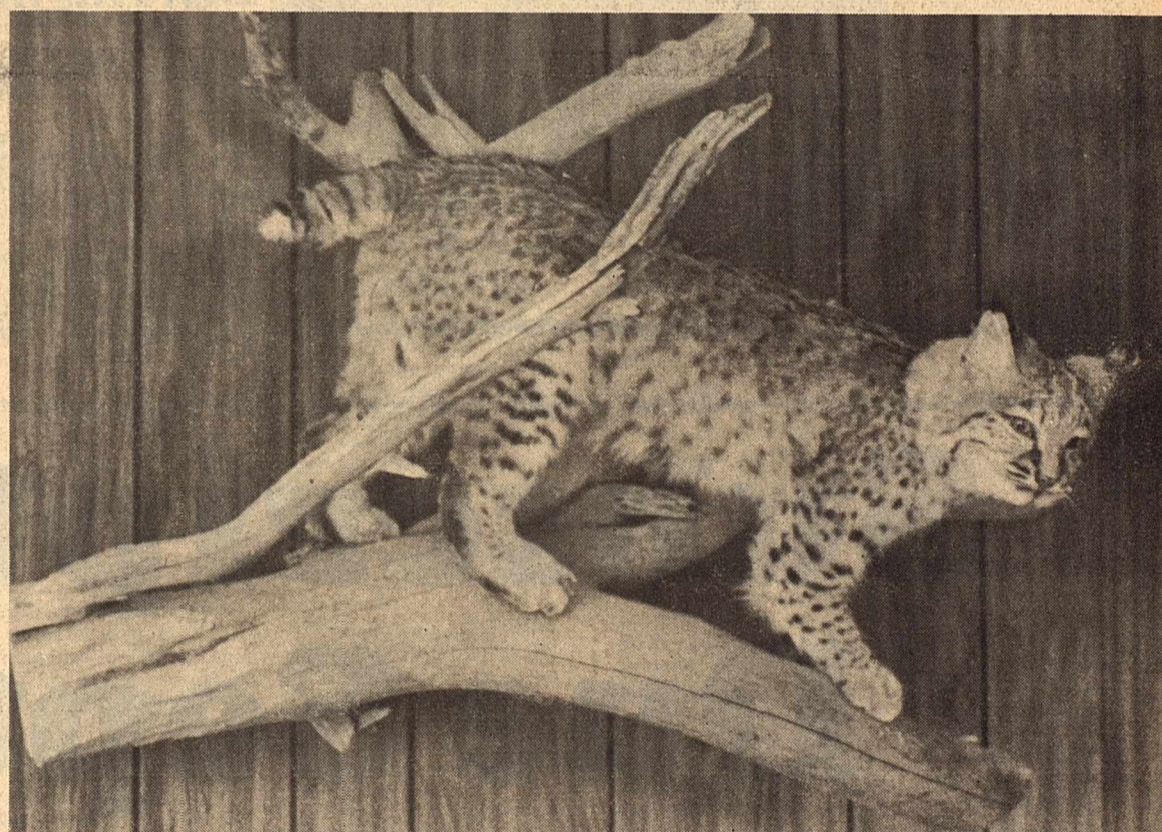
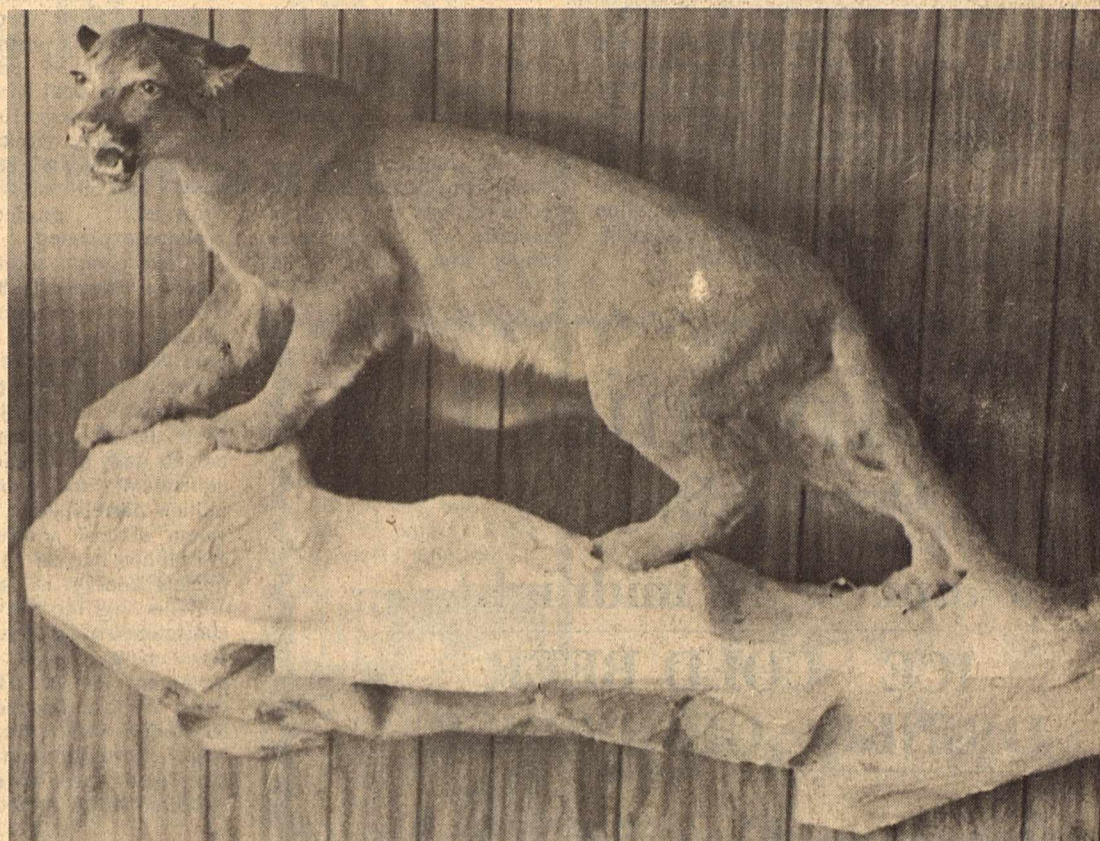
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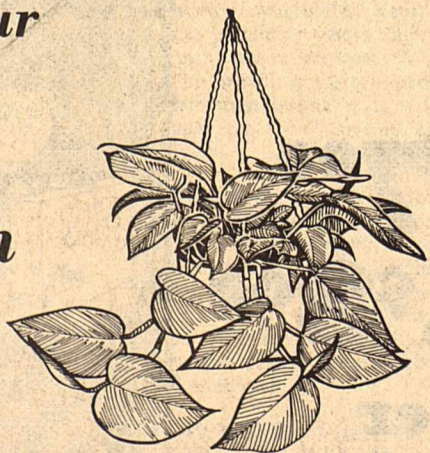
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Otherwise, the energy and transportation regulatory official warned, "we shall be forced into a 'no growth' or 'zero growth' policy with all its dangerous political and economic consequences."

Wallace emphasized those two points in an address before a National Association of General Contractors audience here. His remarks centered on an assessment of the Carter Administration's national energy plan and its ramifications.

"I am of the view that without an adequate supply of domestic energy we imperil our economy, our well-being, our national security, our position of world leadership and our ability to effect world peace," the official declared.

Accenting his remarks of the threat posed by inadequacy of energy supplied, Wallace pointed to weekend reports of a secret White House direc-

tive ordering U.S. preparation for defending Middle East oil supplies against a possible Soviet danger.

Wallace said the administration's energy plan conveys the assumption that the nation can conserve its way to energy sufficiency "and that the coincidence of energy consumption and economic activity in this country was and is casual."

Yet, Wallace cited, the United States, with six percent of the world's population, consumes 32 percent of the world's goods.

Even so, he noted, "this is called profligate and wasteful."

Wallace further noted that energy consumption has permitted four percent of U.S. population—the agriculture sector—to feed the rest of the nation and a significant part of the rest of the world.

"It is only by applying energy-intensive methods to agriculture in Latin America, Africa and Asia that we have some hope that these regions can eventually feed themselves," he said in stressing the linkage between energy consumption and industrial and agricultural productivity.

Wallace observed that rhetoric accompanying the presentation of the Carter energy plan last April and since then was focused on "marked reduction" in energy consumption. Yet, the plan would reduce the next nine-year growth of energy consumption "by a mere six percentage points," the Texas official said.

"The real reduction in energy consumption that would be obtained under the plan lies in unmet production requirements—requirements spelled out in statistics, but rendered unrealistic, and by all objective accounts, unobtainable, with the policies and implied legislation proposed," Wallace contended.

Wallace said it mattered little whether required production goes unmet because of failure to recognize need for or dimensions of the production effort, or "a conscious ploy by dedicated proponents of 'no growth', with an abiding zeal for central governmental management."

"Its impact on the American consumer, our economy and our national security will be devastatingly the same," he

maintained.

In its rhetoric, the Carter energy plan is weighted toward the conservation ethic, "but in its calculations, where arithmetic, not emotion must prevail, an all-out, rather desperate national energy production is called for to meet requirements," said the RRC chairman.

The production requirements, spelled out in the Administration plan, "are unprecedented," Wallace found.

"Put simply, our domestic production of energy in 1985 must be 34 percent greater than last year," said Wallace. "That matches the best production performance we have ever achieved in any nine-year period of history."

Production requirements are not being recognized by the Administration nor in congressional debates, the Texas official said.

Among these requirements of the Carter energy plan are an 84 percent increase in coal production, 380 percent rise in nuclear energy output and a boost of 200,000 barrels daily in oil and gas equivalent production, Wallace explained.

"That means adding to reserves about 50 billion barrels of oil and gas equivalent over the next nine years," he said.

This requirement is contrasted by projected shortfalls of three million barrels daily of oil and gas equivalent, four to six million barrels daily equivalent of coal and up to 1.5 million barrels daily of nuclear energy, he said.

Reflecting on the "inconsistencies" of the Carter energy plan and statement of the President, Wallace said he had concluded that "the production requirements of the plan aren't really expected to be achieved."

B.J. Hughes

Hosts Social

BJ Hughes, Inc. hosted an informal social for the general public Saturday, Sept. 10 at the Petroleum Club.

An informal golf "tournament" was included in the festivities earlier in the day with four mixed teams playing a scramble.

Drilling Applications

Drilling applications have been filed with the Texas Railroad Commission on the following sites:

CROCKETT
Delta-Suburban, Ozona (Canyon), Chandler no. 2, one mile southwest of Ozona, 7,200'.

MENARD
Diamond Shamrock Corp., Wildcat, Boy Scouts no. 2, 20 miles west of Menard, 4,400'.

Diamond Shamrock Corp., Wildcat, Boy Scouts no. 4, 20 miles west of

Menard, 4,400'.
Diamond Shamrock Corp., Wildcat, Boy Scouts no. 3, 30 miles west of Menard, 4,400'.

Nordan Oil and Gas Corp., Bar F, Speck Estate no. 3, six miles northeast of Menard, 1,800'.

Nordan Oil Corp., Bar F, Speck Estate no. 2, six miles northeast of Menard, 1,800'.

SUTTON
HNG Oil Co., Sawyer (Canyon), Fields "15" no. 4, five miles southeast of Sonora, 5,900'.

RRC Approves Gas Contract

The Railroad Commission approved gas contract revisions to reflect higher rates to be charged the cities of Spearman and Perryton by their gas supplier, High Plains Natural Gas Co.

The new rates are also to be charged residential and commercial customers in other incorporated and unincorporated areas served by the gas company.

Chairman Mack Wallace and Commissioners Jim C. Langdon and Jon Newton signed the order after Gas Utilities Division Examiner Jim Cloudt explained High Plains was not recovering its full cost of service under provisions of long-term contracts with the two cities which set the gas cost at 33 cents per Mcf.

Today's order sets a base cost of gas of 41.23 cents per Mcf with a purchased gas adjustment of 90 percent allowed for increases in the base cost. Cloudt said the 90 percent figure would provide a bargaining incentive to the company in negotiating future supply contracts.

The company was also authorized a cost of service charge of 25.7 cents per Mcf. Cloudt said the new rate would yield a six percent return on the company's fair value rate base.

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RRC Adopts Rule For Gas Utilities

The Railroad Commission adopted a rule today for its Gas Utilities Division which sets rate-making limits on lost and unaccounted for gas in Texas.

Chairmen Mack Wallace and Commissioners Jim C. Langdon and Jon Newton signed the order which Examiner John R. Hays, Jr. said "provides an economic incentive to reduce the volumes of gas which escape from transmission and distribution systems and to encourage a stricter accounting for other unaccounted for gas."

"I think it is significant that we in Texas, which is a major producer of natural gas, have by this order enacted one of the strictest pipeline enforcement provisions in the nation," Newton observed.

"Adoption of this rule

insures that the ratepayer will not pay for excessive natural gas losses which result from pipeline leakage," he added.

Hays told the Commission that a number of witnesses had testified at an April 20 hearing on the proposed rule with most of those against any rule at all.

The examiner noted that where witnesses had offered suggestions at the hearing instead of simply arguing against any rule, he had tried to incorporate their proposals.

To be effective Oct. 4, the rule provides that all expenses for lost gas in excess of five percent of the amount metered in by distribution systems and three percent of the amount metered in by transmission systems shall be disallowed for rate-making purposes.

Six Attend District Sorority Meet

Six members of Sonora's Kappa Gamma Sorority attended the District VII Epsilon Sigma Alpha meeting at Angelo State University, Sunday, September 11. Those attending the leadership seminar and business meeting were Ann Bundy, Jean Hughes, Jo Ann Jones, Judy Miles, Jan Robertson, and Kay Story.

Barbara Sartin of Delta Delta, Hostess Chapter, directed the leadership seminar and a film presentation "Pack Your Own Chute" was shown.

The topics of discussion included officers and committee training, scrap-

book, rush, and service. After a luncheon was served, the regular business meeting was brought to order by Ann Schulze, District VII President. The state project for 1977-79 was discussed and the Texas Medical Service Grant was chosen.

Chapter reports were given, covering summer activities, from a representative of each chapter. Jean Hughes gave the report for Kappa Gamma and received two ovations for their projects.

The next District VII meeting will be held on January 15, 1978 in Sonora, hosted by Kappa Gamma.

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Broncos Shut Out Mason

By Don Holdridge

It wasn't the most impressive victory in Bronco history, but they got the job done, shutting out the Mason Punchers, 35-0. Manuel Lopez was the offensive star for Sonora, scoring four touchdowns, one a 69-yard punt return. Perhaps the key to the

game was the goal line defense the Red and White put up twice in the first quarter. The Punter's first possession moved to the sonora 13-yard line before Dan Lawson headed a swarm of defenders to stop Lee Henrick on fourth down.

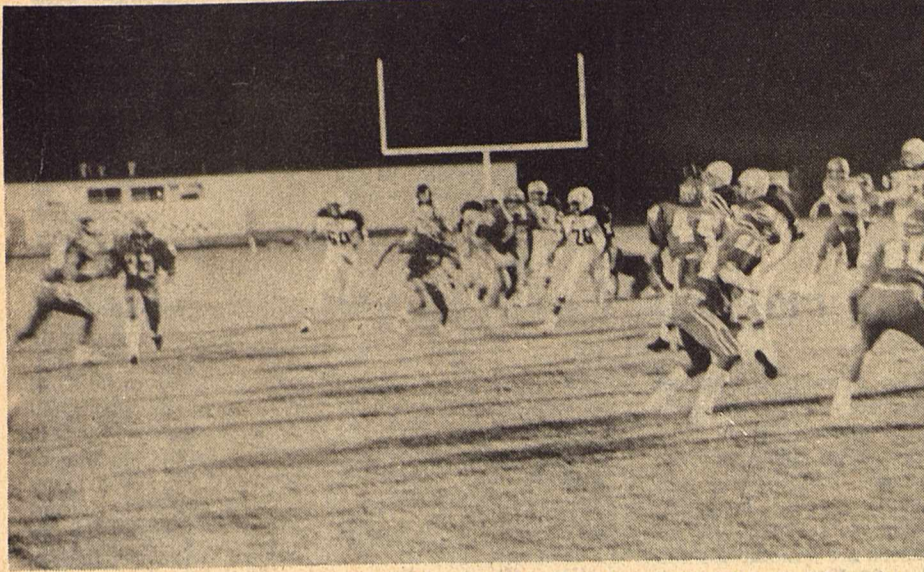
Minutes later Ross Roberts led the Bronco iron wall as they stopped Henrick again with fourth and goal at the one. Sonora got its first scoring march started as a short Joey Kirby punt deflected off a Puncher, and Roberts alertly fell on the ball at the Bronco 35.

Key plays in the drive were a 13-yard run by Bunk Galbreath and an aerial from Benny Granger to Johnny Creek that covered 20 yards. Lopez capped the drive from six yards out to start his scoring spree. Mike Jones' PAT split the uprights as each succeeding one did throughout the night. Minutes later Lopez got revenge for the punt return he had called back the week before, and the Broncos took a 14-0 halftime lead to the field house.

Jones' kickoff to open the second half put Mason in a hold at the five-yard line. A quick kick attempt on second down backfired as Lopez captured the bouncing ball and raced 27 yards before being knocked out of bounds at the eight. Three plays later he

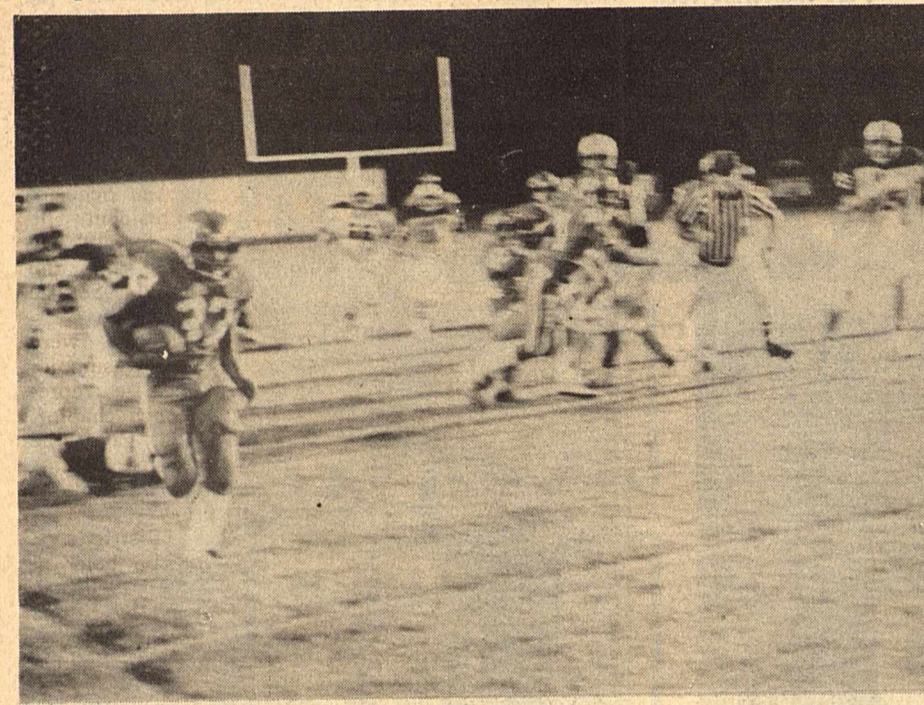
accounted for his third touchdown with a two-yard burst. The Broncos struck again quickly as Granger hit Creek on a screen pass that covered 51 stripes to the end zone. Steve Chandler's block was instrumental in springing Creek for the score. Lopez got his final TD in the fourth quarter after a 56-yard pass and run from Granger to Bruce Phillips moved the ball to the Mason seven-yard line.

SONORA	
Rushing	
name	carries yds.
Lopez	16 40
Creek	8 36
Favila	7 19
Galbreath	2 12
Kirby	4 11
Passing	
Name	Passes Comp. Yds
Granger	9 5 153
Cagle	1 0 0
Receiving	
Name	Repts. Yds.
Creek	3 90
Phillips	1 56
Galbreath	1 7



The play that broke their backs gets off to a good start as the Broncos set up the "picket line" to the right for

Manuel Lopez [33]. Bronco fans were thrilled with the superb blocking by Lopez' teammates in this punt return.



It's clear sailing now...as the Broncos mowed down Mason defenders while Manuel Lopez raced down the sidelines, leaving his teammates to finish off the

last Puncher would-be tacklers. Sonora blocking and timing, plus Lopez' deceptive speed, brought the capacity crowd to their feet in Bronco Stadium.

Broncos Place High in District Standings

The third edition of the District 7AA football status places Sonora second to Ozona in total offense and second to Kermit in total defense.

Ozona posted 1,326 yards offense with Sonora's 830, followed by Crane with 783 and Kermit with 680.

Defensively Kermit has limited its opponents to 313 yards while Sonora has allowed 368 yards. Crane gave up 680 yards and Ozona has allowed its opponents 710 yards.

Sonora is second in scoring with 95, Ozona leads with 118.

Blake Moody of Ozona leads all rushers with 632 yards on 60 carries, followed by Alfred McGilbra of Kermit with 294 yards on 62 carries and Sonora's Manuel Lopez with 68 carries and 288 yards.

Johnny Creek has 22 carries for 93 yards, Benny Granger 13 carries, 53 yards, Eddie Favila 10 carries and 50 yards and Billy Bob Galbreath six carries and 46 yards.

Sonora's defense leads the district in points allowed with seven, followed by Kermit with 14.

Granger is second in passing with 11 for 21 and 261 yards, one touchdown and no interceptions. Rocky Rives of Crane leads with 14 for 34, 319 yards, three touchdowns and four interceptions.

Top receivers are Perry Grooms of Crane, Steve Pagan of Ozona, Johnny Creek and Bruce Phillips of Sonora.

Creek has six receptions for 117 yards followed by Phillips with three receptions and 112 yards.

Joey Kirby dropped to third place in the punting

statistics with 38.5 yard average, lead by Brent Barrs of Kermit with 39.3 and Rocky Rives of Crane with 38.6.

Manuel Lopez is second in scoring with 48 points behind Ozona's Blake Moody with 68 points. Mike Jones has 12 point-afters and one field goal for 17 points. Blake Moody has 14 point-afters.



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UN RESUMEN DE LAS ENMIENDAS PROPUESTAS A LA CONSTITUCION
ELECCION GENERAL
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PROPOSICION No. 1 EN LA BOLETA (S.J.R. 18)

S.J.R. 18 propone una enmienda a la Constitución de Texas que requiere el aumento del número actual de cinco jueces en la Corte de Apelación Criminal a nueve y que permite la Corte sesionar en paneles de tres miembros.

La terminología de la enmienda propuesta como aparecerá en la boleta es como sigue:
La enmienda constitucional aumentando el número de miembros de la Corte de Apelación Criminal a nueve jueces, y permitiendo que la Corte sesione en paneles de tres miembros.

PROPOSICION No. 2 EN LA BOLETA (S.J.R. 13)

S.J.R. 13 propone una enmienda a la Constitución que suministraría 200 millones de dólares más en bonos u obligaciones del Estado de Texas para el Fondo de Tierras de Veteranos y que permitiría a viudas sobrevivientes de veteranos comprar terrenos bajo ciertas circunstancias.

PROPOSICION No. 3 EN LA BOLETA (S.J.R. 3)

Bajo las leyes actuales de Texas se le puede negar fianza a una persona acusada de un delito mayor que previamente ha sido probada culpable de dos delitos mayores. La S.J.R. 3 propone una enmienda a la Constitución de Texas que también acabaría en denegación de fianza, durante un tiempo limitado y sujeto a apelación, a una persona acusada de cometer un delito mayor mientras estaba bajo fianza por un delito mayor previo por el cual la persona ha sido acusada por gran jurado, o acusada de un delito mayor implicando el uso de una arma mortí-

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PROPOSICION No. 6 EN LA BOLETA (S.J.R. 49)

S.J.R. 49 propone una enmienda a la Constitución de Texas que permite la legislación autorizar bancos estatales y nacionales para ejercer privilegios de banco mediante el uso de aparatos electrónicos o máquinas situadas en tales lugares como podrá disponer la ley y que autorizaría los bancos repartir tales aparatos electrónicos o máquinas de un modo razonable no distintivo.

La terminología de la enmienda propuesta como aparecerá en la boleta es como sigue:
La enmienda constitucional para dar a la legislación el poder de autorizar a los bancos estatales y nacionales para ejercer privilegios de banco y descuento mediante el uso de aparatos electrónicos o máquinas.

PROPOSICION No. 7 EN LA BOLETA (S.J.R. 30)

S.J.R. 30 propone una enmienda a la Constitución de Texas que cambiaría el nombre de la Comisión Estatal de Capacidades Judiciales a la Comisión Estatal Sobre Conducta Judicial y haría varios cambios con respecto a sus poderes y procedimientos. El cambio más significativo autorizaría la Comisión para suspender de cargo los jueces bajo procesamiento.

La terminología de la enmienda propuesta como aparecerá en la boleta es como sigue:
La enmienda constitucional cambiando el nombre de la Comisión Estatal de Capacidades Judiciales a la Comisión Estatal Sobre Conducta Judicial, y perteneciendo a la comisión y a los poderes y actos de la comisión, con un oficial judicial nombrado por la Corte Suprema, y la Corte Suprema, o los jueces de la Corte de Apelación Civil sirviendo en lugar de la Corte Suprema, para la suspensión, censura, deposición, o retiro involuntario de un juez, o juez de paz bajo ciertas circunstancias.

PROPOSICION No. 5 EN LA BOLETA (S.J.R. 19)

S.J.R. 19 propone una enmienda a la Constitución de Texas autorizando la formación de asociaciones autorizadas para coleccionar ciertos impuestos reembolsables de productores de aves de corral, ganado, y otros productos crudos agrícolas o marinos y validando la ley de 1967 con respecto a la formación de tales asociaciones.
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NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 18)
S.J.R. 18 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution to provide for expanding the Court of Criminal Appeals from its current membership of five judges to nine judges and to permit the court to sit in panels of three judges.
The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:
"The constitutional amendment increasing the size of the Court of Criminal Appeals to nine judges, and permitting the court to sit in panels of three judges."

NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 13)
S.J.R. 13 proposes a constitutional amendment to provide for an additional \$200 million in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the Veterans' Land Fund and to allow surviving widows of veterans to purchase tracts under certain circumstances.
The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:
"The constitutional amendment to provide for an additional \$200 million in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the Veterans' Land Fund and to allow surviving widows of veterans to purchase tracts under certain circumstances."

NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 3)
Under current Texas law a person charged with a felony offense who has previously been convicted of two felony offenses may be denied bail. S.J.R. 3 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution which would also result in the denial of bail, for a limited time and subject to appeal, to a person accused of committing a felony while on bail for a prior felony for which the person has been indicted, or accused of a felony involving the use of

a deadly weapon after being convicted of a prior felony.
The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:
"The constitutional amendment permitting denial of bail to a person charged with a felony offense who has been theretofore twice convicted of a felony offense, or charged with a felony offense committed while that person was admitted to bail on a prior felony indictment, or charged with a crime involving the use of a deadly weapon where there is evidence such person has been convicted of a prior felony offense; providing for a 60-day limit to that person's incarceration without trial; and providing for that person's right of appeal."

NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 5)
S.J.R. 5 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution authorizing the legislature to grant exemptions or other relief from ad valorem taxes on property designated for the preservation of cultural, historical or natural history resources.
The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:
"The constitutional amendment authorizing tax relief to preserve certain cultural, historical, or natural history resources."

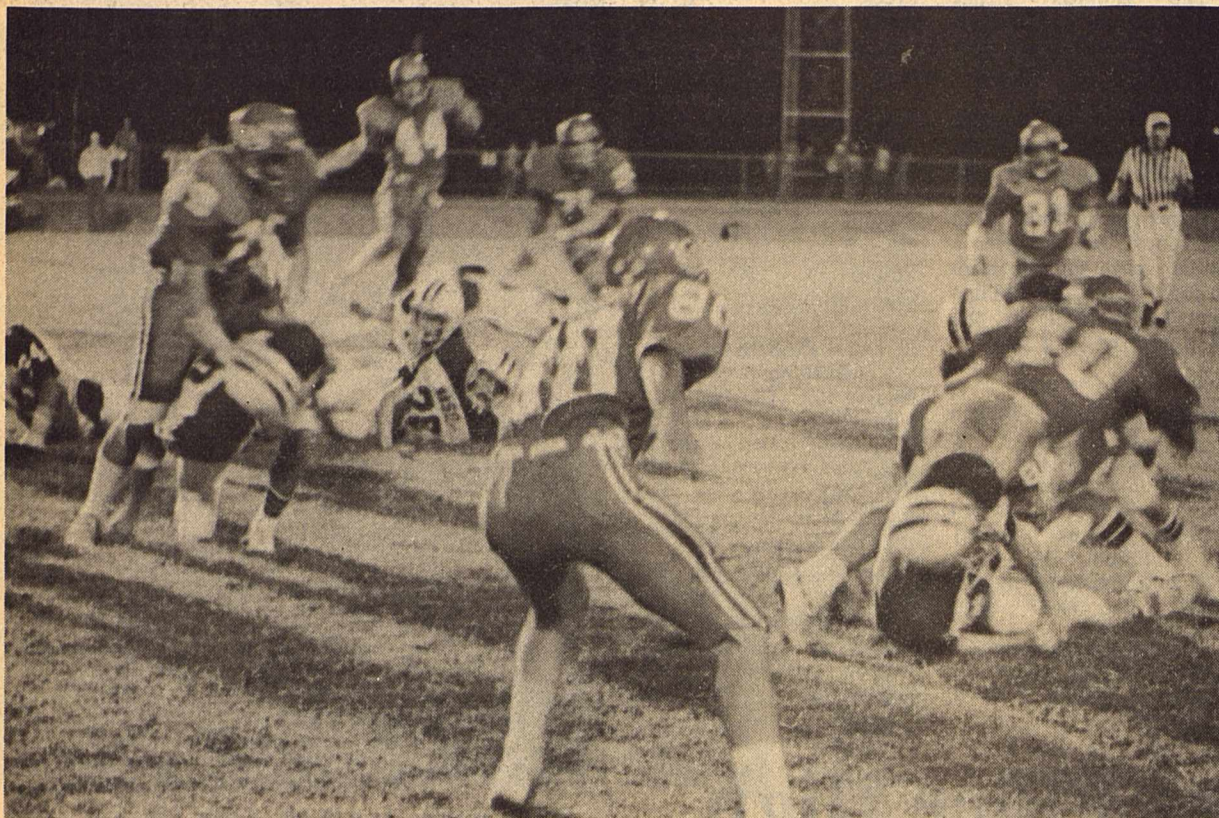
NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 19)
S.J.R. 19 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution authorizing the formation of associations authorized to collect certain refundable assessments from producers of poultry, livestock, and other raw agricultural or marine products and validating the 1967 law regarding the formation of such associations.
The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 49)
S.J.R. 49 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution to permit the legislature to authorize state and national banks to exercise banking privileges by use of electronic devices or machines located at such places as may be provided by law and authorizes the sharing of such electronic devices or machines among banks on a reasonable, non-discriminatory basis.
The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:
"The constitutional amendment to give the legislature the power to authorize state and national banks to exercise banking privileges by use of electronic devices or machines."

NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 30)
S.J.R. 30 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution changing the name of the State Judicial Qualifications Commission to the State Commission on Judicial Conduct and making several changes in its powers and procedures. The most significant change would authorize the Commission to suspend from office judges and justices under indictment.
The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:
"The constitutional amendment changing the name of the State Judicial Qualifications Commission to the State Commission on Judicial Conduct, and relating to the powers and the powers and proceedings of the commission, a master, and the supreme court, or court of civil appeals justices serving in place of the supreme court, for the suspension, censure, removal, or involuntary retirement of a justice, judge, or justice of the peace under certain circumstances."

★ Sports ★

Who's Betting On The Owls?



Sonora's defense swarmed the hapless Mason Punchers last Friday in the 35-0 Bronco win. Joey Kirby [40] gets in the action with Bruce Phillips [88]

as Tobin Joy [80], Ross Roberts [75], Johnny Creek [44], Dan Lawson [70] and David Reyna [81] all closed in on the tackle.

By Don Holdridge

Anyone who would bet on a Reagan County victory over Sonora would have to be classified as: (A) an eternal optimist; (B) a fool; (C) a resident of the funny farm; or (D) all of the above.

The Owls have failed to put a single tally in the win column, and the odds are stacked against their chances of changing their status when Sonora invades Big Lake Friday night at 8 p.m.

Ozona trounced the Owls 46-0 in the season opener. A less than

awesome McCamey team nipped them 26-20 before an only mediocre Iraan squad skunked them 35-0 last week.

Even Bronco coach Bill Bundy, usually one to downplay the quality edge of his team over opponents, was optimistic.

"They've definitely got some problems over there," Bundy commented. "We're not really sure what they are, but they do have some talent and haven't shown any of it yet."

Bundy had mixed emo-

tions about his charges' 35-0 knockout of Mason. He was extremely pleased with the defensive unit, especially on short yardage situations.

"Even when Mason came out in a different alignment to start the game, they made their own adjustments," Bundy said.

Bundy's main concern was the offensive line where he fingered "a breakdown in fundamentals" as the problem.

The Bronco mentor singled out David Reyna as playing a tremendous

game on defense. He also noted improvement by Tobin Joy. Joy made a beautiful open-field tackle in the fourth quarter to preserve the shutout.

Others mentioned as playing good games were Dan Lawson, Manuel Lopez, Johnny Creek, Steve Chandler and Bruce Phillips.

Bundy stressed the need for work on fundamentals, especially blocking.

If everything goes to form, Reagan County should give the Broncos plenty of opportunity to do just that.

Boosters Reserve Bus For 2 Football Games

The Sonora Bronco Booster Club has announced the reservation of a 43 passenger Kerrville Bus Co. charter bus for both the Kermit and Crane football games.

Individual tickets for the Kermit bus will be \$18 per occupied seat and the trip to Crane will be \$14 per person.

Committee chairman

Wes Burnett emphasizes the importance of early reservations, "and we must have cash for each person before we can reserve a seat," he adds.

The total cost for the busses are \$738.60 for the Oct. 28 Kermit game and \$591.70 for the Nov. 4 Crane meeting.

"We are chartering very nice busses," Burnett

explains, "and they are comfortable and convenient." Each bus is equipped with a restroom.

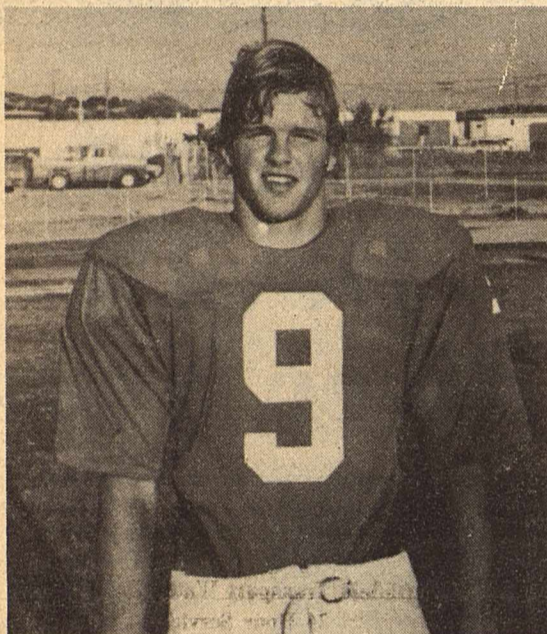
Sonora to Kermit is approximately 220 miles and it is 140 miles to Crane.

"Dr. Charles Browne has offered his office as the collection point for reservations," Burnett continues, "and we want

to remind Bronco fans that they must have cash or personal check at the time of reservation, or else no seat."

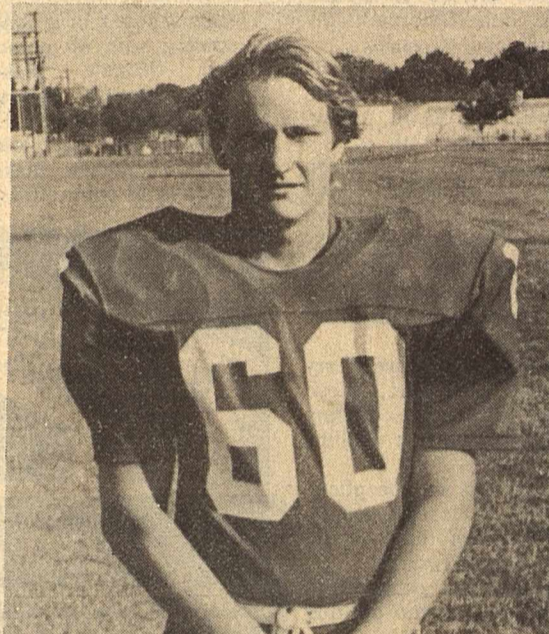
Exact departure, arrival and return times will be published at a later date.

"If we need more than one bus," Burnett concludes, "we'll schedule it as soon as all the reservation money for the second bus is received."



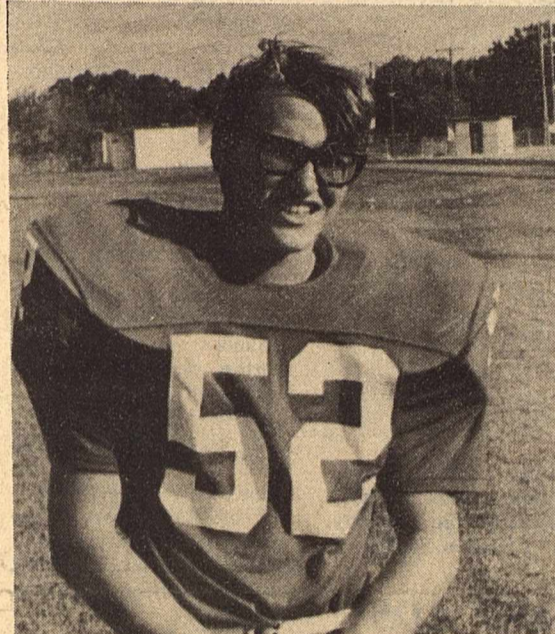
R.B. Alexander

R.B. Alexander is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander and is a defensive linebacker and an offensive tight end and quarterback. Standing 5'10" and weighing 153, R.B. is a 17 year old junior. He has lived in Sonora 12 years, and is interested in golf.



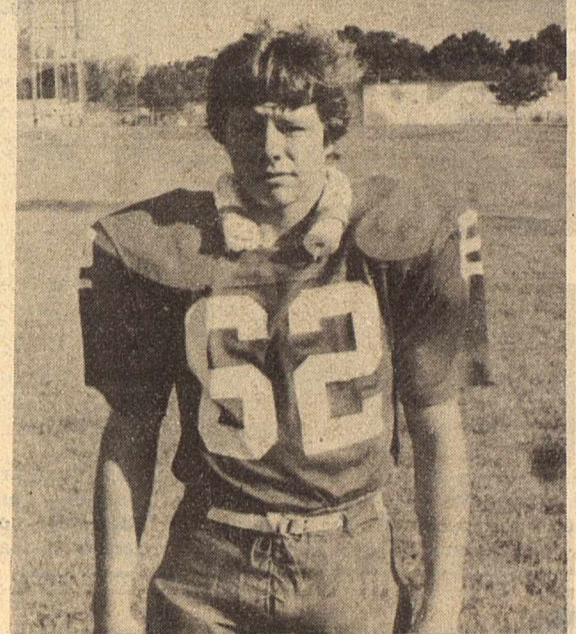
Johnny Simmons

Johnny Simmons, defensive tackle and offensive guard, is the son of Mrs. Mandy Turk and Mr. Loyd Simmons. Johnny is a one year senior letterman. Standing 5'9", he weighs 160 lbs. Johnny has lived in Sonora 17 years and lists football as his only sport.



Robin L. Snodgrass

Robin Snodgrass, 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Snodgrass, stands 5'10" and weighs 155 lbs. Robin plays 3 defensive positions and offensive center. He is a 2 year senior letterman and has lived in Sonora 16 years. Robin is also interested in golf.



Bobby Wills

Bobby Wills, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wills, is a one year senior letterman. The 16 year old plays defensive middle linebacker and offensive guard. Bobby stands 5'10" and weighs 155 lbs. He has lived in Sonora 6 years and lists football as his only sport.

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Big Lake Takes 14-8 Lead Over 8th Graders

By Kay Holdridge
Penalties and fumbles proved to be the downfall of the Colts as they lost 8-14 to the Big Lake team.

The game began with the Colts receiving the opening kickoff. After running two plays, Stewart fumbled and the Owls

recovered on the Colt 21 yard line. Big Lake took only six plays to score on a quarterback sneak with 3:12 left in the first

quarter. The PAT failed and Big Lake led 6-0.

The Colts scored in the second quarter after Hector Samaniego took the ball away from the Owl halfback. The drive began on the Owl 25 and the running of Joe Longoria and Ponciano Castillo took the ball to the one yard line. One fourth down and goal from the one, Stewart's pass found Joe David Favila in the end zone. Castillo ran the PAT despite a 5 yard offside penalty that moved the ball to the seven. The Colts led 8-6 with 2:55 left in the first half.

It appeared that Sonora had come to life in the late moments of the second quarter as Frisby Bible fell on an Owl miscue at the Owl 16, but four plays later the Colts fumbled and lost the ball. Joe Longoria intercepted an Owl pass two plays later, but Stewart was intercepted as the half drew to an end.

The second half again saw inconsistent offensive line blocking, penalties, and fumbles. Big Lake received the second half kickoff but was forced to punt. Sonora's run-back was nullified by a 15 yard clipping penalty and the Colts began on their own 14. On the very next play,

Sonora fumbled and the Owls recovered on the Sonora 12. The Colt defense stiffened on fourth down and sacked the Owl quarterback on the 28.

Sonora began to move the ball and Stewart hit Scott Savell with a pass to the 45 yard line. A clipping penalty moved the Sonora unit to the 30. Sonora could never make up the yardage after the penalty and Castillo lost to

the 26. The Colts were forced to punt.

Big Lake marched 65 yards in 15 plays behind strong running of their quarterback who scored from the two. The PAT was good and Sonora trailed 14-8, with only 2:03 left in the game.

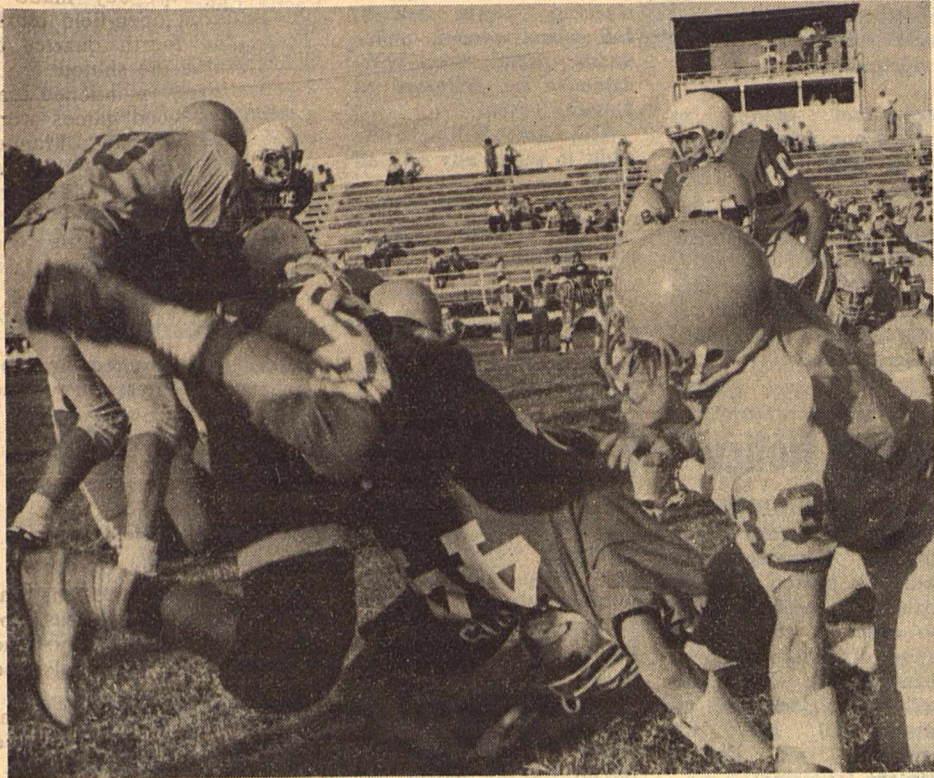
Sonora's offensive line stiffened and began to block as it is capable of doing. Castillo, Savell, and

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the Stewart-Favila combination moved the ball to the five yard line. With two seconds to go Castillo tried to sweep right end for the tying touchdown. He was nailed at the one as the clock ran out.

Defensively, Longoria, Samaniego, Castillo, and Bible were outstanding.

The Colts play host to Crane, Saturday, September 24 immediately following the 7th grade game beginning at 11 a.m.



Sonora Jr. Varsity fullback Robert Ponsetti [44] puts a block on a Big Lake defender during last Thursday's contest

here. The Jr. Varsity lost a close one, 3-0, to the Big Lake Jr. Varsity.

7th Grade Continues Winning Streak

The 7th grade Colts extended their record to 3-0 as they soundly defeated Big Lake by a 20-0 margin.

The first quarter was all defense as the Colts kicked off to the Big Lake unit. The Sonora unit got one offensive play in the first quarter. Big Lake found themselves facing a 4th and long yardage situation.

Big Lake's punter took a little too long to get the ball away and Joe Rodriguez, Pascual Castillo, and Albert Chavez blocked his punt. Rodriguez recovered the ball in the end zone.

Castillo ran the PAT and Sonora led 8-0 with 3:37 remaining in the first quarter.

After exchanging the ball on downs, Sonora had excellent field position on the Owl 34 after the Big Lake punt was held up by a stiff wind. Castillo and Eddie Valles ran the ball to the 11 aided by a 15 yard Big Lake penalty. Quarterback Marney Sorenson hit David Chandler in the end zone and Sonora led by 14-0. Sorenson's PAT pass to Santiago Castillo was incomplete.

The third quarter open-

ed with Sonora receiving the kickoff on the Owl 34. 66 yards and 13 plays later again found the Colts in the Owl end zone. Castillo moved the ball through the line to the 44 on 3 carries. Valles swept right end four times to the 17. Castillo took over and ran in to the 16. Valles set up the TD by sweeping right end two more times.

Big Lake was conscious of the right end sweep so when Sorenson handed to Valles, a host of Big Lake Owls pursued him. However, Valles handed to Chandler on a reverse.

Chandler sauntered 8 yards around left end untouched for the last score of the ball game. The PAT attempt failed with 1:16 left in the third quarter.

The fourth quarter saw the Colt second unit moving to the Owl 18 before running out of downs.

The Owls never crossed midfield stripe due to an outstanding Colt defense led by Bill Ryan, Castillo, and Rodriguez.

The Colts will play their first home game Saturday, September 24, beginning at 11 a.m.

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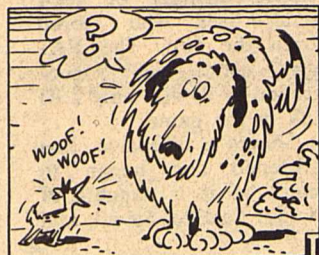
Clayton said the two-term representative from South Texas was selected because of her work as vice chairwoman of the House Elections Committee during the 65th legislative session.

The revision commission will revise and recodify the

Texas Election Code to eliminate conflicts in the code or between the code and other statutes. The clarification of vague provisions and improvement of the elective processes regulated by the Code are goals of the commission.

At completion of its assignment, the commission will submit a proposed draft and a report of changes to the 66th Legislature.

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SPECIFICATIONS:
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GENERAL:
The sewer rodding unit shall be factory designed, engineered and constructed by a reputable firm engaged in the manufacture of sewer rodding equipment. The unit shall be capable of utilizing 1000 ft. of 5 1/2" X 39" sectional steel rods and shall be available to be either truck or trailer mounted.

ENGINE:
The engine shall be air-cooled, at least 14 HP with self-starter, muffler and 12 volt. Minimum 55 ampere hour battery. The engine shall be mounted within the frame to allow direct mechanical reel drive from the engine.

ENGINE CONTROLS:
Engine controls shall consist of a key lock ignition switch, a toggle switch to stop the engine by means of ground, throttle, manual choke and ampere meter. All controls shall be grouped at the operator's station.

OPERATORS CONTROLS:
The unit shall be operated by means of a single lever control. The single lever shall control the lateral rod travel in either direction, the reel rotation and the reel brake action.

ROD DRIVE:
Positive rod drive shall be accomplished by means of

5 chromiummolybdenum steel drive dogs attached to a dual #60 chain drive. The drive dogs shall engage each coupling of the sectional rods to provide positive drive of the rods through the feed channel. The rod drive assembly shall be hydraulically driven. A turnbuckle adjustment shall be provided for simultaneously adjusting the drive end assemblies and locking them in place for proper tension on the drive chain.

ROD TRAVEL:
Rod travel shall be variable through the single lever control and shall be instantly reversible under power, with or without reel rotation.

ROD TRAVEL PRESSURE:
Rod travel pressure shall be adjustable. Adjustment shall be accomplished by means of an adjustable, full time pressure relief valve and constant reading pressure gauge, all mounted at the operator's station. Any system requiring separate valves and gauges to control forward and reverse rod travel pressure shall not be acceptable.

REEL:
The rod storage reel shall be mechanically driven to permit coasting when not under power. For safety and to prevent twisting of rods and loosening of rod pack, the reel shall rotate in a clockwise direction only. Any machine with power counterclockwise rotation shall not be acceptable. Reel shall be equipped with a caliper type disk brake activated by the single lever control.

REEL CAGE:
The reel cage shall be conical in shape. The reel cage shall be constructed of 9 1/2" round bar stock, welded and cross-braced for strength and mounted on sealed self-aligning pillow blocks not less than 1 1/2" in diameter shaft size. A ball bearing mounted and pivoted rod guide shall be provided on the reel cage center spindle and shall guide the rods evenly on the reel.

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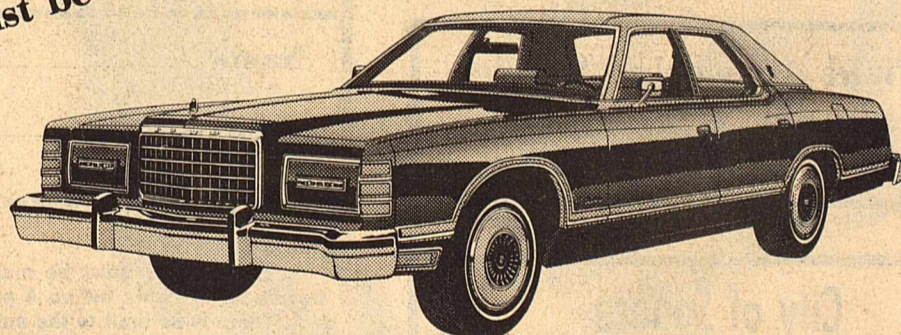
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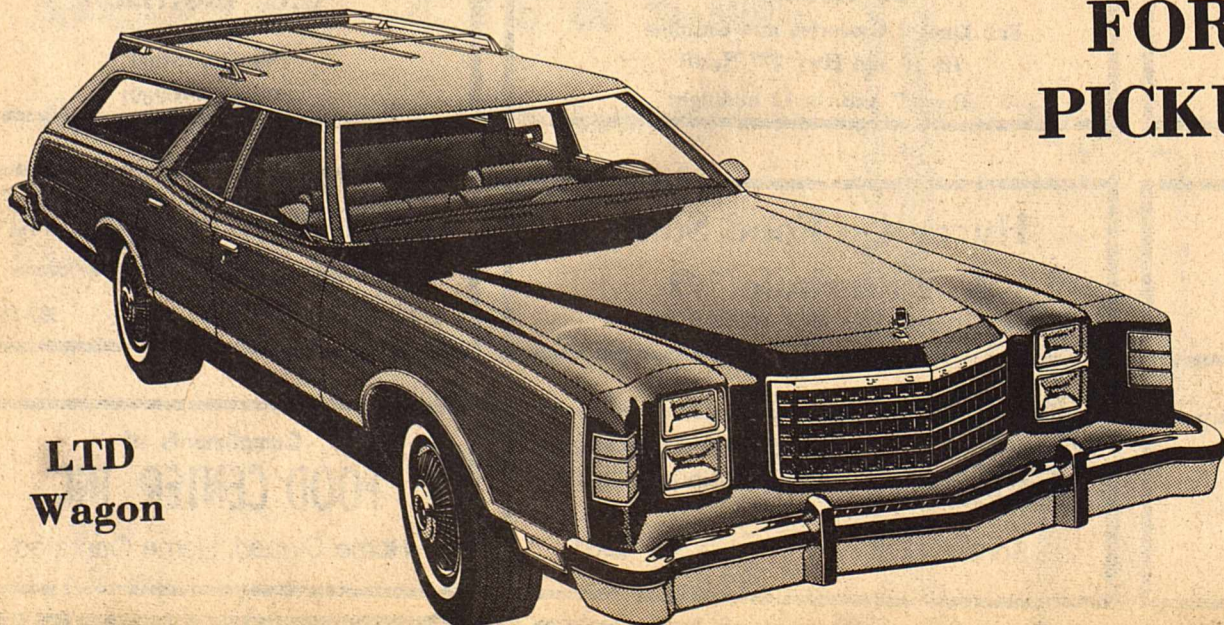
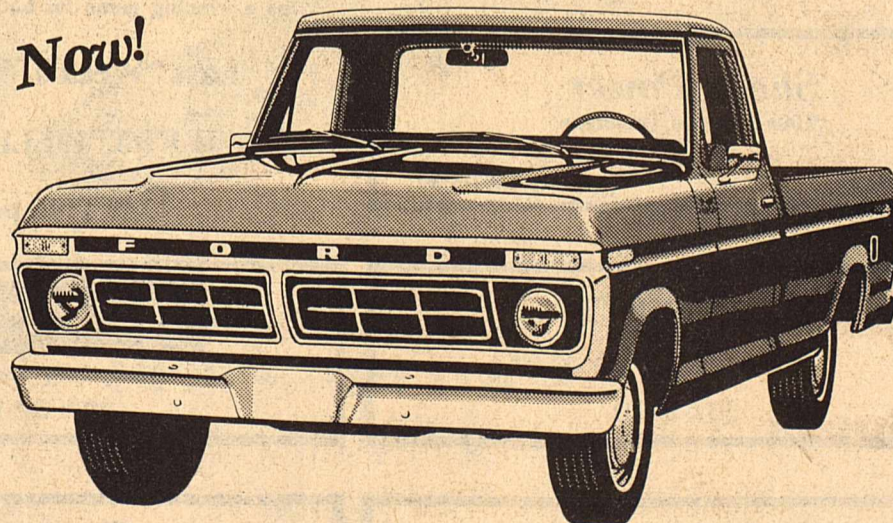
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Registration and luncheon guests will be charged at \$4.50.

Tours will follow the luncheon with O.C. Fisher serving as guide of the Kimble County Library's O.C. Fisher room. A tour of the Old Cloud House will have Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nelson as guides and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schneider will guide the tour through the Kimble County Museum.

The public is invited to attend.

4-H's Hold Meeting

Tuesday, September 13, approximately 58 4-H members, leaders, and parents met at the 4-H Center for the regular monthly meeting of the Sutton County 4-H Club.

The meeting was called to order by President Preston Love, and Vice President Paula Friess led the club motto and pledge. Secretary Mark Van Hoozer read the minutes from the previous meeting and they were approved. Outstanding contributor to 4-H, outstanding woman 4-H leader, and outstanding man 4-H leader were elected. The winners of these awards will be announced at the annual 4-H achievement ball in

October.

Several interesting slide sets were shown and talks were given by county 4-H members that had participated in trips this past summer. Paula Friess reported on her trip to range camp in Junction, Tammy Van Hoozer reported on State 4-H Round-Up in College Station, Mark Van Hoozer reported on State 4-H Congress in Corpus Christi, and Preston Love reported on the National 4-H Citizenship Short Course and Heritage Tour to Washington, D.C.

Following the program, County Extension Agent Clint Langford reported on the results of the 4-H executive committee meeting that was held recently. An item of main interest was a new stove that had been purchased to use at the 4-H Center for home economics group meetings and demonstrations.

County Extension Agent Sarah Mahon then reported on 4-H activities on the county, state, and national level that will occur between September and January.

Final business discussed was National 4-H Week (Oct. 2-8), and the upcoming Lions Club Auction.

Reporter Tammy Van Hoozer adjourned the meeting with the closing prayer.

Fay Dunnam

Attends Area

Council Meet

Mrs. Dennis (Fay) Dunnam, R.N., Sutton County Representative to the Big Country Area of the American Lung Association of Texas attended the area advisory council meeting in San Angelo, Saturday, September 17. Mrs. Dunnam also attended a nominating committee meeting immediately after the council meeting.

The area's fund raising plans to supplement the Christmas Seal drive were discussed by the council during the report of the BCA fund raising committee.

Gail Smith, Odessa, reported on the conference on major gifts held in Austin, September 10, and Don Hensley, Merkel, state representative director reported on albat board action.

During an awards ceremony, awards were presented to James Binion, Abilene, who has completed a three year term as state representative director, and to Ted Hogan, Crane, for his service as BCA chairman in 1976-77.

Council members and guests viewed "Family Album", a brief history of the American Lung Association told through film clips and animation.

The next meeting of the area association will be in San Angelo in January.

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4-H Leader Conference Scheduled In Leakey

The 1977 District 13 4-H Leader Training Conference will be held at the H.E.B. Camp in Leakey on Tuesday and Wednesday, October 4-5. Any leader interested in participating should call the County Extension Offices at 387-3101 or 387-3604 by Friday, September 30.

Some of the programs that will be held during the conference are: "The Design for Discovery Approach", "A Look at NEW 4-H Projects", "So You've Been Asked to Judge", and "Focus on Community Service Projects". Also, exhibits will be on display that include junior and senior 4-H record books, National 4-H Awards Pro-

gram Leaflets, the NATIONAL 4-H NEWS magazine, National 4-H Club Week, Creative Ideas for Fund Raising for 4-H, and the District 13 4-H Citizenship and Career Day.

Don't forget, that's October 4-5 in Leakey. Mark your calendars and plan to spend a night in the hills!

Texas Agricultural Extension Service programs are open to all regardless of race, color, creed, sex, or national origin.

Firemen's

News

By Jerold Zech

Sept. 13 - 11:25 p.m., fire call to Allison Trailer Court. The fire in an unoccupied trailer. Units 20,30 and 60 and 70 responded. The men were Glenn Davis, Kyle Donaldson, David Flores, Frank Guerra, Vernon Humphreys, Joe Luttrell, James McLaughlin, Sam Odom, Jr., Louis Olenick, Carl Teaff, Robert Taylor, Tim Thorp, Gene West, Jerold Zech and Bob Huffstutler.

Sept. 14 - no calls
Sept. 15 - 5:55 p.m., fire call to assist Eldorado. Men responding were James Blackman, Jack Duren, David Flores, Frank Guerra, Joe Luttrell, Sam Odom, Jr., Louis Olenick, Carl Teaff, Tim Thorp, Gene West and Bob Huffstutler.

Sept. 16 - no calls
Sept. 17 - fire call by Thorp's Laundry. A grass and trash fire. Units 20 and 30 were used. Men responding were Davis, Flores, Guerra, Luttrell, Robert Stokes, Teaff, Thorp, Odom, West and Zech.

Sept. 18 - no calls
Sept. 19 - 8:20 p.m., fire call to R.A. Halbert ranch. Rain put out the fire. Units 30,60 and 70 were on hand. Men attending were Blackman, Donaldson, Flores, Guerra, Luttrell, McLaughlin, Odom, Olenick, Stokes, Teaff, Bill Thompson, West and Zech.

On September 14 the fire department held their bi-monthly meeting with a barbecue supper prior to the meeting. Fire Prevention week in October, safety school and the rodeo, were topics of discussion. The department voted to sponsor the rodeo each month.



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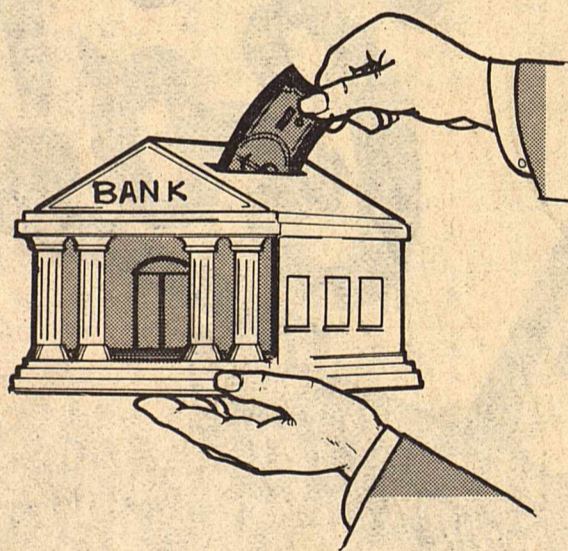
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