

**Sutton County Days Rodeo features Bull Riding and much more...**  
August 25 & 26

### Lions Club Auction Set for September 19

September 19 has been set as the date for the 41st Annual Lions Club Auction. The auction is held each year and is the primary fund raising event for local Lions. Merchants and townspeople contribute goods to be auctioned at the sale each year. In addition to the auction a barbecue dinner is served to those attending.

### Bronco Boosters Schedule Meeting

Sonora Bronco Boosters are urged to attend a meeting August 22 in the School Cafeteria. The meeting will begin at 7:30 and new officers for the coming football year will be elected at this meeting.

### Broncos Open Practice



Bronco head coach Jerry Hopkins [center] explains strategy to varsity football players during the first practice session this week. Coach Hopkins gets help from assistant coach Bob Snodgrass [right center] as varsity players tune-in to the respected coach. The Broncos are preparing for their first football game, Friday, Sept. 8, here against Coleman.

# The Devil's River News

Eighty-Seventh year, Fifty-First Week

Wednesday, August 16, 1978 The Devil's River News Sonora Texas

25c

## City Council Hires New Manager

**James Dover Starts Duties Soon...Moving from Gilmer, Texas**

James E. Dover was hired Tuesday by members of the City Council and Mayor Doyle Morgan to serve the City of Sonora as manager.

Dover will replace Bob Nevill who resigned those duties August 1.

He is presently city manager for the City of Gilmer and told Mayor Morgan that he could probably be on the job Monday morning providing duties of his present job did not demand otherwise.

Dover has fourteen years experience in the city management field. He is married and the father of four grown children. They are members of the Methodist Church.

City council held lengthy discussions on the city budget. The property tax re-evaluation was upmost on the agenda.

City officials stated that in the past property was rendered at 45% of its value to determine city tax, with a tax rate of \$1.35 of each \$100 valuation. Council voted to

leave the rendition at 45% of value with the new property evaluation recently concluded by the school, county and city.

They did, however, decide to set the new tax rate at \$1.85 as opposed to the old rate of \$1.35.

This will bring the City approximately \$11,000 increased revenue during the year.

In other action of the council, it was voted to dispense with the 1% city sales tax being charged to natural gas users.

Natural gas users have been paying 4% state tax and 1% city tax. The state has recently passed a law eliminating the state tax and the city also dropped its city tax, thus saving local gas consumers 5%.

It was also voted on by the council to close the city swimming pool on August 20. Some discussion was held regarding a bicycle on sidewalk ordinance, especially in the downtown area.

Some city taxpayers have complained to the council of not being able to reach a representative of Lone Star Gas in the Sonora area in cases of emergency.

City Council talked to Lone Star and was informed that by September 1 a parttime person

would be available in Sonora to fill in when the local manager is out of town.

Council approved an update on the city retirement plan for city employees. This plan was recommended by the Texas Municipal League for approval by Aldermen.

### School Announces Registration Schedule

School starts Tuesday, September 5 in Sonora and students should begin making preparations for registration.

Teachers will be required to report to the high school auditorium at 8:30 August 28 for a district-wide orientation program. There will also be inservice for teachers August 29, 30 and 31.

Those students who will be seniors should plan to register for classes Wednesday, August 23 from 10-12 a.m. Juniors will register on that day from 1-3 p.m.

Registration for sophomores has been scheduled for Thursday, August 24 from 10-12 with freshmen registering from 1-3 on that day.

All students who will be attending Sonora High School for the first time should also plan to register at the above times.

Registration for Junior High students has been scheduled for Wednesday, August 23 and Thursday, August 24. Sixth graders will register Thursday from 8-12; seventh graders from 1-3 on Wednesday, and eighth graders from 8-12 on Wednesday.

These times also apply to all new students who will be attending Sonora Junior High for the first time.

Any student who will be attending Sonora Elementary for the first time should register August 24, 25, 28 29 or 30 from 9-12 a.m. or 1-3 p.m.

Parents of new students are reminded that they must produce immunization records for their children.

Kindergarten parents should bring a copy of their child's birth certificate upon registration.

### Bronco Band Rehearsals Begin Thursday, Aug. 17

The Mighty 105 member Bronco Band will begin rehearsals Thursday, August 17, according to band director Ed Martinez.

Rehearsals will be held at 8:30 p.m. in the band hall.

On Friday, August 18, band

rehearsals will be held at 9 a.m. All students in grades 9-12 are asked to bring their instruments.

The Bronco Band will be presented in concert for their annual lawn concert during Sutton County Days. They will perform at 12 noon August 26.

### Mohair Council Sets Date

A summer meeting of the Mohair Council of America will be held in Rocksprings Wednesday, August 23 according to Fred Campbell, president of the organization.

The meeting will be held in the Edwards County Community Build-

ing and will begin at 10 a.m. Campbell urges all Mohair Council directors and producers to attend the meeting if possible.

He stated that a review of the council's activities for the past few months and also upcoming plans will be the topic of discussion.

### Band Boosters to Hold Planning Session for 1978-79

Sonora Band Boosters' president Virgil Poloczek has announced a special planning meeting will be held next Wednesday evening.

All parents of high school band students are urged to attend the

7:30 p.m. meeting at the band hall. "We will discuss our scheduling and planning for the 1978-79 school year," Poloczek comments, "and we need every parent to help us make these decisions."

## Mohair Fashions in Sutton County



Mohair fashions are gaining world-wide attention as the popular fiber reaches more and more clothing markets...that's one reason Germano Filepo [right] of Italy puts so much emphasis on the photography sessions arranged last week in Sutton County. With the help of Linda Hunt [second from left] of Sonora, Jo Ann Davis of

Rocksprings [second from right], Filepo and his photography crew took photos at the Thomas Morriss ranch as well as at other Sutton County locations. Morriss [left] sports one of Filepo's mohair sweaters as Linda and Jo Ann get set for the photo session.

### Give Trees A Little Special Care

Hot, dry weather can cause serious damage to recently planted shade and ornamental trees unless they get a little special care, notes Clint Langford, county agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The main thing is to make sure they get adequate water since hot summer days and drying winds take a great deal of moisture from the leaves and stems. Since a transplanted tree has a small root system, the only water it can utilize is that

which is in the soil close to the tree. If this soil area becomes dry, the leaves wilt, turn brown and drop. Branches or even the entire tree may die.

Water at regular intervals all trees planted within the past year, suggests Clint. If the soil is sandy, water about once a week; if it is clay or loam, thorough watering every 10 days to two weeks should be enough. Using an open-end hose, regulate the water flow so there is no run-off and

saturate the soil around the tree. To determine whether or not you are supplying the proper amount of water, take soil samples between waterings at depths of 12 to 18 inches; the soil should be moist but not muddy.

Insect control is also critical for transplanted trees. A few insects can cause severe damage to a newly planted tree, so control measures should be applied promptly when insects are found.

Also, for steady vigorous growth, fertilize the tree once it is established.



Bronco reserve quarterback David Creek unloads a deep pass during football practice earlier this week. Assistant coach Bob Snodgrass keeps an eye on the play.

## IT'S BACK TO SCHOOL TIME

And we have your fashions!

**JOSHUA TREE**

and **THE BRANCH**

**JOHN MEYER**  
Designed by Pat Ashley

glen of michigan



**VICEROY**

Use our convenient layaway plan

Sonora Floral, Gifts and Fashions

413 E. 2nd

387-3444

### Bible School Scheduled

Trinity Baptist Temple of Sonora is having its first annual vacation bible school August 14-18. Bible School will be held at 7 p.m., each night. The Rev. Gaylan McClellan, pastor of the church, stated, "We like to try different things, so we thought we would try the school at night."

Classes will be held for all ages including adults. The Rev. Mr. McClellan added, "Too often we

forget about adults and their need to learn the word of God. We have a class for anyone and everyone and we'd like to encourage all to come and study with us. The theme is "Be A Witness."

Trinity Baptist Temple is located at the corner of West Fourth Street and Menard. Those persons needing a ride to the Bible school classes may call 387-2377 or 387-2277.

### Home Demo Clubs To Meet

The Borderline Home Demonstration Club will meet Monday afternoon, August 21 at Mrs. Gus Eustaces' home. The program will be on 200 Years

of Fashion, and will begin at 2:30 p.m.

The Happy Homemakers Home Demonstration Club will meet Thursday morning, August 24, 9:30 a.m. at Mrs. Bud Arendt's home, located in the J & V Mobile Home Park, #92.

The meeting day has been changed this month because of Sutton County Days. The program will be on quick sewing tips.

All interested persons are urged to attend these meetings.

### The Weather

Compiled by Pat Brown

Date	Rain	Hi	Lo
August 8		94	65
August 9		94	63
August 10		94	64
August 11	T	93	65
August 12	.35	95	69
August 13		96	69
August 14		96	72

Rainfall for the month, .50; rainfall for the year, 13.89.

by Rev. Jim Miles

One of the saddest cases in life is he who is so convinced that the pot of gold is just over the next hill that he is unable to see the glimmer of daily life and opportunity.

This kind of personality is one who is perpetually on the cusp of something really big...really dramatic. He is one who will "have it made" very shortly.

Life passes swiftly, and so often that which is over the next hill is simple another hill.

The same desire to be part of something dramatic can, if it becomes a preoccupation, be equally detrimental in our day to day Christian witness. We may see our mission as solely one of feeding the starving, clothing the naked, and visiting the imprisoned. Biblical witness gives credence to this, but how often do we have the opportunity to save a life? We must hear the spirit of the Word and not merely the letter of the Law.

Day to day Christian witness is done in the small ways-in the manner of life we live and especially in the way we conduct ourselves around others. It is being understanding when the waitress spills coffee on our laps, when the salesperson is slow, when the operator assures us that our phone is functional-but that all the phones in the next town are out of order.

A famous minister once related a story from his

### 4-H Committee To Meet August 21

The 4-H Executive and Advisory Committee will meet Monday, August 21 beginning at 7 p.m. at the Sutton County 4-H Center.

Preparations for the Annual 4-H Achievement Party and Ball will be discussed, and committees for the 1978-79 year will be established.

All officers of the 4-H Club, Adult Leaders Association, and other interested persons are urged to attend.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of Socio-economic level, race, color, sex, religion, or national origin.

### Miss Ellingson Raises \$35 For Dystrophy Fund

Miss Tanya Ellingson raised a total of \$35.00 during a Muscular Dystrophy Carnival hosted by her at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Locklin, in July.

Ed Baker, program coordinator of the Muscular Dystrophy Association, in a letter to the Devil's River News, stated that the efforts of Miss Ellingson will enable them to send deserving muscular dystrophy children to camp as well as finance other important areas such as research and patient services.

### Reflections

own experience. He has just gotten off the train and needed to be at a meeting in a few minutes, but noticing that his shoes were mud splattered, asked a young shoe shine boy to give him a shine. The longer the boy worked the worse the shoes seemed to become until finally he snapped at the lad. The youngster looked

up at him with tear filled eyes and said "I'm sorry mister, but my mother just died, and I'm trying to make some money for flowers for her funeral this afternoon."

Christianity works itself out in our understanding of the life situation of those around us and in our acceptance of situations we do not know.

### Ronda's School of DANCE

Complete dance program classes for boys and girls

**TAP - BALLET - TOE - JAZZ ACROBATICS**

Register August 24 and 25, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.  
Studio 305 Hightower  
**387-5655**  
Ronda Hopkins Browne

Registration for Dance Classes will be held

**Monday, August 28**

4-5 p.m.

**TAP ★ BALLET**

★ACROBATIC ★JAZZ

3 year olds and up

If you would like to register by mail write:

JULIE MOORMAN, 3506 Wildwood No. 92,  
San Angelo, Texas

**Mr. and Mrs. Paul Myers, Jr.**

request the honor of your presence to the wedding of their daughter

**Dorella**  
to  
**Timothy Schaefer**  
on  
Friday, August Twenty-fourth  
at three o'clock  
**First Baptist Church**  
Kingsland, Texas

# See these exclusive shows on HBO

## BOBBY DEERFIELD

Al Pacino and Marthe Keller star in a breath-taking story of love on the Grand Prix racing circuit.

THURSDAY ON HBO!

## CHEVY

One of TV's funniest young performers teams up with a group of daffy colleagues as Chevy Chase and Friends comes to town for an HBO "On Location" exclusive.

FRIDAY ON HBO!

## HARRAD

From the best-selling novel—the inside story of campus life during the sexual revolution. Double feature: **The Harrad Experiment** with James Whitmore, **Tippi Hedren** followed by sequel **Harrad Summer**.

SATURDAY ON HBO!

## YOU LIGHT UP MY LIFE

The movie about love and the search for success with the Academy Award-winning title song, Stars **Didi Conn, Joe Silver**.

SUNDAY ON HBO!

See it on **HBO** Exclusively

The exclusive new kind of TV entertainment in town

## Television Enterprises

387-3344 or

**HBO IS SOMETHING ELSE**

Ent. 67540

## Sonora Churches

<b>Primera Baptist Church</b> Rev. Guadalupe G. Pena Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 5:30 p.m. Worship 7:00 p.m. WMU Tuesday 6:00 p.m. Wed. Services 7:00 p.m.	<b>Sonora Tabernacle United Pentecostal</b> 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.	<b>Hope Lutheran Church</b> John E. Hafermann, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Bible Study 6:00 p.m. Saturday Confirmation Instruction 9:00 a.m.	<b>Church of God of Prophecy</b> Kenneth Cook, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Sunday Eve. 7:30 p.m. Tuesday Eve. 7:30 p.m.
<b>First United Methodist Church</b> Rev. Paul Terry, pastor Church School 9:45 a.m. Worship 10:45 a.m.	<b>Church of Christ</b> Ralph Weinholt, Sr., Minister Bible School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Youth Group 5:00 p.m. Sunday Eve. 6:00 p.m. Wed. Eve. 7:00 p.m.	<b>St. Ann's Catholic Church</b> Rev. Louis B. Moeller Sat. Vigil Mass 7 p.m. Sunday Masses 8 a.m. 10 a.m. Holy Day Mass 7 p.m.	<b>The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian</b> 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)

**Ruth Shurley Jewelry**

**Kerbow Funeral Home**

**Neville's**

Your Complete Department Store

**Southwest Texas Electric Coop, Inc.**

Owned by Those it Serves

# Keeping Prices Down

MORE FOR YOUR FOOD DOLLAR...GOOD BUSINESS FOR US!



Cubed <b>Steak</b> \$169 <sub>lb</sub>	
Boneless Round <b>Steak</b> \$169 <sub>lb</sub>	Tenderized Round <b>Steak</b> \$179 <sub>lb</sub>
Top Round <b>Steak</b> \$189 <sub>lb</sub>	Bottom Round <b>Steak</b> \$179 <sub>lb</sub>
Boneless Stew <b>Meat</b> \$189 <sub>lb</sub>	Knuckle Soup <b>Bone</b> 49¢ <sub>lb</sub>



Ground <b>Chuck</b> \$129 <sub>lb</sub>	
Sirloin Tip <b>Roast</b> \$159 <sub>lb</sub>	Sirloin Tip <b>Steak</b> \$169 <sub>lb</sub>
Ground <b>Round</b> \$139 <sub>lb</sub>	Pikes Peak <b>Roast</b> \$125 <sub>lb</sub>
Rump <b>Roast</b> \$125 <sub>lb</sub>	Round <b>Steak</b> \$159 <sub>lb</sub>

Gladiola  
**FLOUR**  
39¢  
5 lb bag  
Limit 2  
with 75¢ purchase or more



Dankworth <b>German Sausage</b> 12 oz pkg	\$109
Swift Premium <b>Franks</b> 12 oz Pkg	\$109
Swift Premium <b>Bologna</b> 1 lb Pkg	\$139
Swift Premium <b>Bacon</b> 12 oz Pkg	\$129
Boneless <b>Brisket</b>	\$119 <sub>lb</sub>

<b>Lettuce</b> Firm Heads	29¢ <sub>ea</sub>
<b>Tomatoes</b> Bubble Pack	29¢ <sub>ea</sub>
<b>Potatoes</b> All Purpose 5lb bag	69¢ <sub>ea</sub>
<b>Cantaloupes</b> Sweet	2 for \$100
<b>Bananas</b> Golden Ripe 5 lbs for	\$100
<b>Plums</b> California Santa Rosa	45¢ <sub>lb</sub>
<b>Peaches</b> California	45¢ <sub>lb</sub>
<b>Avocados</b> California Large	49¢ <sub>ea</sub>



Joy Liquid <b>Detergent</b> King Size 20' off	\$119
Maryland Club <b>Instant Coffee</b> 10 oz	\$399
Ivory Bar <b>Soap</b> 4 bar personal size	49¢
A&W Root Beer <b>Soft Drinks</b> 6 pk 16 oz Btl	\$119
<b>Pinto Beans</b> 4 lb Bag	97¢

Imperial <b>Sugar</b> Limit 1 please	88¢ <sub>5 lb bag</sub>
Schlitz <b>Beer</b> 6 pk 12 oz	\$149



Night Hawks <b>Fish &amp; Taters</b> 6 3/4 oz	79¢ <sub>ea</sub>
Frosty Acres <b>Orange Juice</b> 3 Cans for	\$100
Pepperidge Farm <b>Cakes</b> 3 Layer	\$129 <sub>ea</sub>



Kleenex <b>Diapers</b> Super Dry Ex Absorbant Daytime	\$249 <sub>24 ct Box</sub>
Delsey <b>Bathroom Tissue</b> 4 Roll pkg	59¢

**Notice**  
One free child's ticket from Hershel's Foodway to The Derrick Theater, for Sat Aug 19  
Race Race for your Life  
Charlie Brown  
Get one ticket free with every \$5.00 purchase from Hershel's Foodway

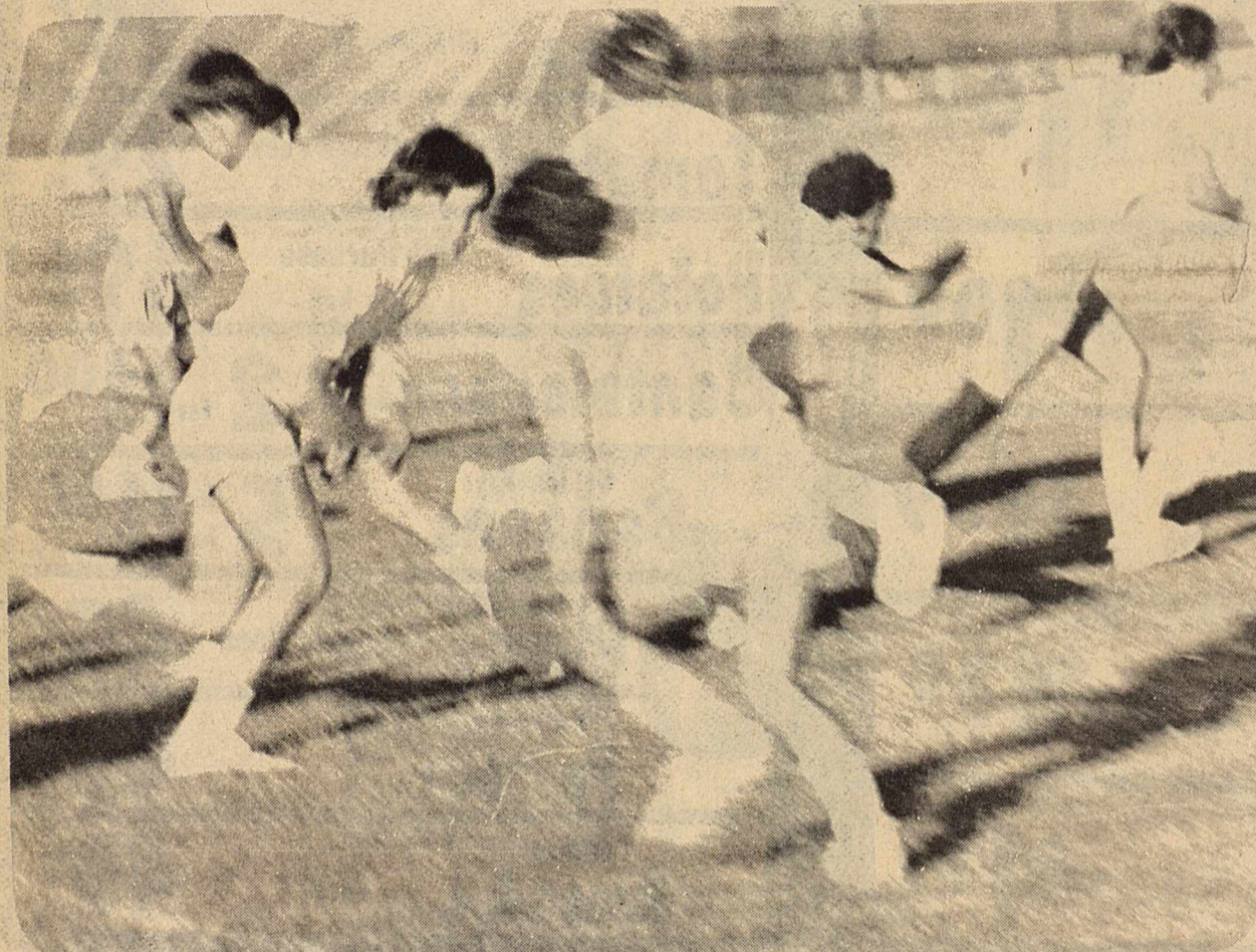
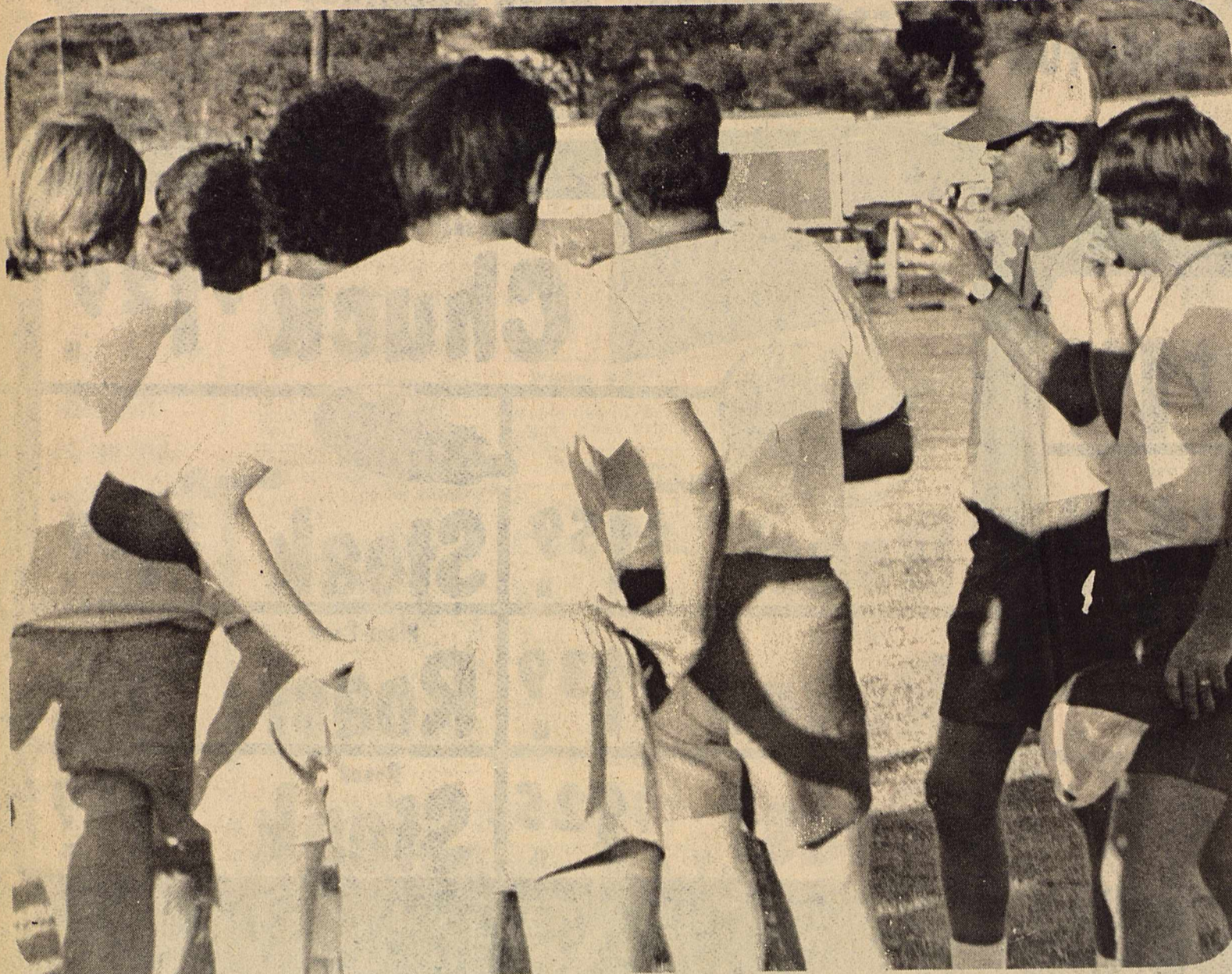


We accept  
Food Stamps

## Hershel's Foodway

Locally Owned and Operated

# Broncos Start Two-A-Day Practice Sessions Monday



## Letter To The Editor

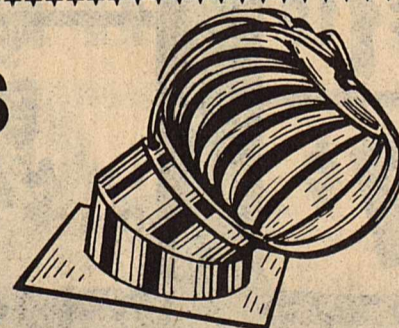
Dear Editor:  
Is Bob Krueger really the conservative he would have us believe? Let's take a close look at his voting record.  
Bob Krueger has supported federal subsidized abortion. In 1976 and 1977, he voted against amendments (H.R. 14232, H.R. 7555) that would stop the use of your tax dollars to legally murder unborn children.  
We must also conclude that Krueger supports certain aspects of secular humanism. This is essentially a philosophy of atheism predicted on situation ethics and the assumption that man, not God, is the measure of things. In 1976 he voted against an amendment (H.R. 1285) to the Higher Education Act of 1965 that would have barred grants and contracts for any support of the religion of secular humanism.  
Krueger supports the so called Equal Rights Amendment. The recent disgraceful National Women's Conference proved that the ERA is nothing more than a vehicle for radical feminists and lesbians to destroy the traditional Christian family unit and force federal usurpation of State's rights. He also supports tampering with our Constitution by favoring an

unprecedented extension of the time limit for ratification.  
Krueger voted for "Big labor's" Labor Reform Bill that would destroy the delicate balance between labor and business and is a future threat to Texas Right-to-work laws. The Texas AFL-CIO endorses Krueger.  
Krueger evidently does not believe in sound fiscal government. In 1977 and 1978, he voted to raise our already inflationary national debt by \$72 and \$73 billion respectively. (H.R. 9290 and H.R. 11180). He voted against a Balanced Budget measure in 1977 (H. Con. Res. 619).  
Krueger favors giving aid to Communist countries and United Nations programs through international institutions (Amend. H.R. 5262, H.R. 7797 \$7 billion Foreign Aid Bill, 1977).  
Krueger voted for the biggest tax increase in history (Social Security H.R. 9346).  
Krueger voted against a \$19 billion dollar tax rate reduction for overburdened American taxpayers. (Sub. Amendment to H. Con. Res. 110).  
He refused to join a majority of the House in supporting a Constitutional required vote on the Panama Canal Treaties concerning disposing of

U.S. property. Instead, in 1976 he favored funding the sellout (Amend. H.R. 13179).  
Krueger voted for the Legal Services Corporation that uses your tax dollars for forced bussing, land use controls, homosexual demands, and left-wing causes (H.R. 6666).  
He voted for Postcard Voter Registration which would encourage fraud. (H.R. 11552).  
While talking natural gas deregulation on one hand, Krueger turns right around and votes for Carter's massive new Department of Energy in 1977 (H.R. 6804).  
This expose does not imply that Mr. Krueger has not had any good votes. To the contrary, he has been strong in most cases concerning national defense and in foreign beef labeling and reduced imports. He should be thanked for these.  
The intentions of this letter are not to prove that this author is a political expert, nor that his opinion is infallible, especially since he voted for Krueger the first term. Instead, it is a challenge to the 21st Congressional District and the State of Texas to show that they still want moral decency and fiscal responsibility. Will it be Krueger or Tower in November? The choice is clear.  
Concerned,  
Bruce C. Lehmborg

**Classified Ads**  
**Work**  
**Call 387-2507**

**O'Bryan's**  
**Roofing**  
**Wind Turbines**  
**Installed**



energy saving  
wind driven

does away with moisture and heat in your attic.  
**69<sup>95</sup>**  
**Installed**  
(in most cases)  
**O'Bryan's**  
**Roofing**  
**387-3857**

## Police Reports

**August 4**  
4:45 p.m., A disturbance call was answered at a local bar.  
**August 5**  
12:05 p.m., A minor accident was reported at a mobile home park.  
5:17 p.m., A minor accident was reported at a drive in grocery.  
**August 6**  
9:58 p.m., A resident on

Oak Street reported a horse running loose.  
11:25 p.m., A customer at a local restaurant reported a hit and run accident at the traffic light.  
**August 7**  
11:23 p.m., A prowler was reported in the 200 block of Wardlaw.  
2:33 a.m., The manager of a local restaurant reported a case of criminal mischief. He was advised to file a complaint.  
**August 9**  
9:30 a.m., Three subjects were arrested for felony theft at a local motel.  
11:07 a.m., A Menard Street resident reported the theft of a bicycle.  
11:35 p.m., A Menard Street resident reported a subject had fired a gun at her and hit a vehicle.  
2:10 a.m., A possible prowler was reported at a Prospect Street home.  
**August 11**  
7:10 a.m., A tank truck was reported as having run over a gas pump at a local drive in.  
8:20 p.m., A Main Street resident reported

her husband threatening her.  
3:59 a.m., A pedestrian was reported asleep in roadway at the 406 market in the eastbound lane of IH 10.  
**August 12**  
12:55 p.m., A family disturbance was reported at a Main Street address.  
6:07 p.m., A rabid dog was reported at a Popular Street residence.  
11:09 p.m., Police investigated a fight in progress at a local restaurant parking lot.  
**August 13**  
2:48 p.m., A Sinoloa Street resident reported her juvenile son missing.  
12:25 a.m., A van was reported at a local bar as possibly carrying narcotics. Upon investigation by local police, arrests were made for public intoxication and possession of marijuana.  
12:38 a.m., Theft of gasoline was reported by a local service station attendant.  
**August 14**  
12:12 p.m., A minor accident was reported on Concho Street.

## 4-H'ers Advised To Select Animals

Now is the time for Sutton County boys and girls to select animals for their 1978-79 4-H Livestock projects.  
The goal of most of the boys and girls who participate in livestock feeding projects is to participate in the Sutton County 4-H Livestock Show which will be held January 13, 19 and 20, 1979.

The live judging of the carcass lamb show will be Saturday, January 13; the regular livestock show will be Friday, January 19; and the Auction Sale will be Saturday, January 20, 1979.

Judges for the show will include H.G. Haby, Rocksprings Ranchman, Angora goats; Rex Stultz, County Extension Agent, Del Rio, Texas, Market Lambs and other livestock, and Gary Coates of Christoval, Rabbits.

Boys and girls who plan to exhibit Angora goats should have their goats selected, sheared and on feed within the next week. There is no shearing rule on Angora goats for the county of Kerrville shows this year. Angora goats with less than five inches or more than seven inches or mohair will be sifted at the Kerrville Show.

Boys and girls who plan to show market lambs and participate in carcass lamb classes should be selecting their lambs at the present time. Anyone who needs help in securing or selecting lambs should contact the County Agents Office in the near future.

Classes will be provided for beef heifers, breeding sheep and other classes of livestock provided boys and girls desire to participate in these classes.

Boys and girls who are interested in securing rabbits for the 4-H rabbit program should contact Mr. Dennis Dunnam, adult leader for the 4-H rabbit program or the County Extension Agents office.  
4-H program are open to all boys and girls between 8 and 19 years of age in Sutton County.

## Fall Gardening Tips

You can begin a productive fall garden now that will supply you with an even better looking crop than your spring garden, says Clint Langford, county agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.  
But if you want that fall garden to produce, don't try to nurture the plants that are still left in your spring gardens. You need vigorously growing plants, so start from scratch with fresh seeds, advises Clint.

Fall gardens have a definite advantage over spring gardens. Since the soil is warmer, germination occurs quicker and the seedling has a better chance to reach its maximum productive potential.

Since most vegetables are of a subtropical origin, the warm summer months give seedlings a better beginning. A fall garden also allows your mature plants to thrive in the cooler fall months instead of suffering from hot weather as spring vegetables do.

Many vegetables do exceptionally well in a fall garden, including lettuce, broccoli, cabbage, brussels sprouts, greens, cauliflower and carrots.  
To achieve the best in quality and quantity from your fall garden, plant early enough to allow the crop to reach its full potential by the first frost, adds Clint.

## Classified Ads

### Legal Notice

**NOTICE**  
Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Sutton County, Texas will conduct a public hearing of Monday, August 28, 1978 at 9:00 a.m. on the County's proposed uses for entitlement (Revenue Sharing) funds in relation to its entire budget. All citizens are urged to attend and those attending have the right to provide written and oral comments and ask questions concerning the entire budget and the relationship of entitlement funds to the entire budget.  
The County intends to use its entitlement funds as follows:  
9th Entitlement Senior Citizens \$ 3,030.00  
Construction of Jail 88,331.00  
10th Entitlement Construction of Jail 84,217.00  
The following is a summary of the entire proposed budget:  
**BUDGET 1979**  
Jury \$ 11,000.00  
Road & Bridge 482,000.00  
General 383,000.00  
Permanent Improvement 82,750.00  
Flood Control 12,500.00  
Park Fund 31,250.00  
Officers Salary 62,300.00  
8th Entitlement Farm to Market 50,709.00  
9th Entitlement Senior Citizens 3,030.00  
Construction of Jail 88,331.00  
10th Entitlement Construction of Jail 84,217.00  
Information pertaining to the budget and a copy of the entire proposed budget shall be available for public inspection at the office of the County Judge in the town of Sonora, Texas.  
J. W. Elliott  
County Judge 251

**Notice**  
Learn and Play Day Care Center has moved to the old Elliott School building on the Del Rio Highway. Turn right at first street past bridge. No telephone until August 22.

**Public Notice**  
Would like the return of Brittany Spaniel puppy. Call Gary Phelps. 387-3809.

\$100 reward for return of information leading to return of a white and black Walker hound dog. Male, 5 years old. No questions asked. Call Taylor Word of Ozona 392-3220.

**Help Wanted**  
Opportunity for experienced cook in Kerrville American Continental Cuisine. We will train. Excellent salary. Immediate opening. Apply in person. For appointment call collect 512-257-8284.

Part-time supervising delivery of the West Texas Sunday Shopper. Good pay and only one day a week duty. Mature and responsible people only...must have own transportation. Apply in person to Wes Burnett at the Devil's River News.

Waitress and cashier hostess. Contact in person Lemuel Lopez, Commercial Restaurant.

Cook and waitress. Apply in person to Big Tree Restaurant.

Auto mechanic, experienced only, must have own tools. 44 hour work week, apply in person. Sonora Motor Co.

## Business & Professional Directory

**JOHN'S BODY SHOP**  
387-2802  
24 Hour Wrecker Serv.  
387-2446  
If no answer call 387-2313 ask for unit 208 or 387-2802

**Mario Duran**  
Water Well Drilling and Clean Outs  
Phone 387-2752  
SONORA

**CUSTOM**  
Carpet Draperies  
FREE ESTIMATES  
**BROWN FURNITURE CO.**  
Ozona 392-2341

**TAN-DE**  
BEAUTY SHOP  
Sharon Kemp, Operator  
Wanda Tidwell, operator  
511 E. 2nd 387-2216

**ENEDINA'S**  
HAIR FASHIONS  
330 SW Gonzales  
387-2812  
Open Tuesday-Saturday

**MERLE NORMAN**  
COSMETICS  
Maxine Locklin,  
Beauty Consultant  
Jeanne Davenport,  
Beauty Advisor  
Call for Appointments

**BRONCO PHARMACY**  
We work with your doctor, for professional pharmacy needs...  
Your Pharmacist  
**JOE KIEWSKI**  
Downtown 387-3534

**A.P. Avila & Sons**  
SPRINKLER SYSTEMS  
Manual & Automatic  
Repairs and trenching  
Call 387-3769

**Professional**  
Horseshoeing  
'The very Best'  
Call  
Jerry Johnson  
387-5811 or 387-5812

**Roofing By**  
**ELLIOTT & SONS**  
\*Commercial\*Residential  
Built-up, gravel or shingles  
\*Asbestos Coated Roofs  
"We do all our work personally"  
Call anytime  
387-5211  
Sonora

**LIVE OAK 66 STATION**  
Open 24 Hours  
Mechanic on Duty  
Phone 387-2740

**Western**  
Union  
387-2844  
Western Motel  
406 S. Crockett  
Open 7 Days a Week  
9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**Sandblasting** **Painting**  
Acoustic Ceilings  
Commercial, Residential  
and Petroleum  
Villanueva Painting  
387-2138

# go to market daily in the WANT ADS

## Employment Opportunities

- ★ Shop Foreman
- ★ Mechanics
- ★ Vehicle make-ready dept.

## Shop maintenance

Apply in person between 8 am to 5 pm

We are an Equal Opportunity Employer.

## Sonora Motor Co.

## NOW HIRING

Opportunities to be part of a growing established firm

- \* Receptionist
- \* Mechanics
- \* Grounds Maintenance
- \* New vehicle delivery dept.

If Qualified come by between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Equal Opportunity Employer

## Ken Braden Motors Inc.

I-H 10 & 277

## Garage Sales

August 19...from 9 a.m., August 20, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Good clothes for infants, children and adults, household items and toys.

2 family garage sale, August 19 from 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. Children and adult clothes, miscellaneous. 207 N. Mulberry.

Yard sale, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 131 Castle Hill Rd.

Friday, 9-6. Clothing, toys, household items. Corner of Second and Prospect.

Two family sale. Doors, carpets, drapes, bedspreads, good clothing, miscellaneous items. Saturday 9 - 5. 615 Allen Drive.

## Miscellaneous

Model 70 270 Winchester Rifle with scope. Excellent condition. \$200.00. Call 387-2447 after 5.

Small paint mare. Needs experienced rider. Call 853-2617 in Eldorado.

Four F78-25 tires and rims. \$150.00. Call 387-3804.

Puppy to give away. Half Border Collie. 387-5411.

For Sale: Camper shell, fits long wide or short wide. 42 in. high. Blue glass on sides, and back. Has regular rear door. \$250. Call 853-2141, Eldorado.

## BUYER MUST MOVE

2 story home. Make excellent apartments or with remodeling make outstanding home at fraction of today's construction costs. \$10,000 or best offer.

Call 387-2988.

## REALTY WORLD

West

Texas Realty

213 Sawyer Dr.

387-3437

Sonora, Texas

It will make a WORLD OF DIFFERENCE on your utility bills in a NEW ENERGY SAVING DAYTON HOME. Approximately \$40 to \$50 a month savings. Call us for details and locations of homes under construction.

Features:

- Storm windows
- Turbo vents
- Heatilators
- High efficiency air conditioning
- 8" blown attic insulation
- GE Dishwasher
- GE Self cleaning oven
- GE Garbage disposal

Bob Kemper, manager

387-3437

## Household Items

Hideabed, three chairs, Crites Trailer Park, Space 17. Phone 387-2153.

Electric stove and dryer. Both in good condition. Dryer \$50, stove, \$60. Call 387-3996.

Office trailer, 8' x 26', 2 desks, 2 air conditioners, 1 bathroom, see at 211 Sawyer Dr., Sonora, A. Dayton Homes' office trailer. 387-3437.

## Boats, Motors, Marine

Fiberglass canoe. Excellent shape. Call after 5 p.m. 853-2729.

Bass boat, '77 model, 70 h. Johnson motor, trolling motor. Completely rigged. Call 387-2152 or see at 204 Sawyer Drive, Sonora.

## Business Opportunities

Roofing crew ready to go to work on your home. Reliable. Call 387-3857.

YOU can steam clean carpets professionally with portable FINSENVAC. Rent at Perry's.

Lose 3-5 pounds a week with natural vitamins and proteins. A diet with all nutritional needs. For all SHAKLEE Products call Gay Lea Hafferman, 387-2044.

For EXPERT HELP and quality home furnishings, see the friendly folks at BROWN FURNITURE CO. in Ozona. We have "everything for your home."

ALL TYPES OF ROOF REPAIRS and quality roofs. Kent Elliott Roofing. 655-2800, San Angelo, Texas.

## H.D. Crawford Roofing

Specialize in all types of roofing. Free Estimates. Come by Allison Trailer Park Space #25. Call 387-5320.

Opportunity...extra income serving retail stores with family hosiery. For interview ask for Clarence Collins at 8 p.m., Friday Aug. 18 at the Twin Oaks Motel, L.H.

## Mobile Home for Rent

For rent to a mature couple or adult. Small 2 bedroom, furnished mobile home. Private and bills paid. \$200.00 month. Box 622 Sonora, Texas.

## Storage rentals

Shurley Enterprises Mini-Storage 8 x 12 \$18.50 monthly; 12 x 24 \$40.00 monthly. Phone 387-3619 or 387-2828 afternoons.

## Wanted to Rent

Would like to rent trailer space. Have references. 387-5307.

## Mobile Homes

For sale: Lot and 12 x 64 trailer house with double garage, storage and fenced in back yard. 387-2995.

14 x 72 Glen Oak mobile home, 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Phone 387-5664 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

14 x 64 two bedroom mobile home and lots. Mobile home under pined and tied down. Lots 100 x 140, back side of lots fenced in with sheds. Located at edge of city limits, has city water and gas. Eldorado, Tex. 853-2141, \$10,000.

## Acreage

Deer lease for small party. All experienced, big game hunters. Any size parcel. Contact Floyd Griffin, P.O. Box 40067, San Antonio, Texas 78229 or call collect 512/699-3810.

Amisfad Lake Area, 5 ac. to 300 ac. tract, \$6,950 per tract and up. Terms. Mike Dunn Agt. (512-775-9536) 307 E. 101st St., Del Rio, Texas 78840.

## House for Sale

House for sale, 3 bedroom, 1 bath on 1 1/2 lots. Large pecan and fruit trees. Call 387-2764.

By owner: 2 bedroom, 1 bath, living den kitchen/dining, utility. Car port, shed, big yard. Eldorado. Call 853-2957.

Three bedroom house with vinyl siding, storm windows. Chain link fence, and large trees. One block from school. Call 853-2617 in Eldorado.

## Autos for sale

1973 Pontiac Grand Prix. Call 915-853-2535.

1964 Dodge V8. Standard A/C, new tires. Good school car-good condition. Call 387-2909, 387-3095, or see at 702 Glasscock.

Red 1974 Fiat. AM/FM radio and Pioneer tape deck. \$800. Call 387-2261 after 5:00 p.m.

1972 Porsche 914, AM/FM, interior exterior appearance group, alloy wheels, radial tires, \$3,300. Call 853-2408.

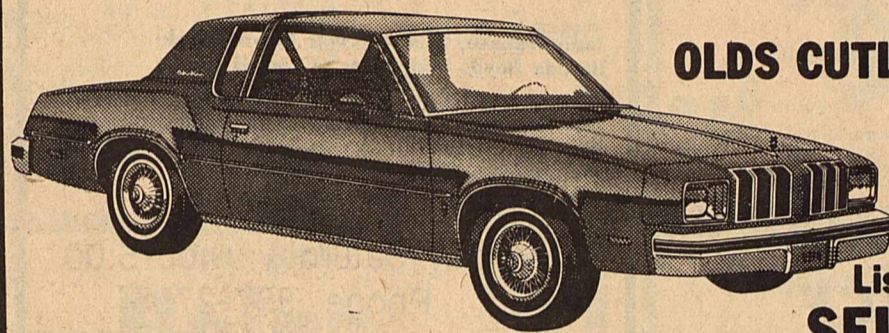
1973 Chevrolet Impala. \$1,200. Can be seen at 105 Prospect. Call 387-3336.

## There's a lot of News in Olds Today

### THIS WEEK WE OFFER DRASTIC SAVINGS ON THE BEST SELLING

# OLDS CUTLASS

We've Set Our Cutlass Models Aside From Our Normal Inventory And Are Prepared To Save You Money ! !



## OLDS CUTLASS SUPREME

STOCK #8623

Automatic, V-8, Power Brakes, Power Steering, Air, Radio, Sport Mirrors, Cruise, Tilt, Super Stk. Wheels.

List . . . . \$7204.54  
SELL . . . \$6193

COME SEE OUR SELECTION

We've still got SUPER SAVINGS on a limited number of hail damaged cars...



# Ken Braden Motors, Inc.

IH-10 and Hwy 277

387-2529

## End of summer-used car CLEARANCE

- |                 |  |        |
|-----------------|--|--------|
| 1974 Ford LTD   | 4-Dr. Extra Clean. This would make a nice family car. A bargain at   | \$1950 |
| 1977 Ford F 150 | Explorer Pkg. Automatic, air, 460-V8, 2 tanks.                       | \$3950 |
| 1977 Ford F 100 | 117' WB. Automatic, air, power steering, power brakes, turtor paint. | \$3950 |
| 1976 Ford LTD   | 4-Dr. Slight hail damage.  | \$2250 |
| 1975 Granada    | 4-Cyl. Standard shift, with air. Slight hail damage.                 | \$1850 |

## Sonora Motor Co.

Downtown Durwood Neville, owner 387-3910

## CLASSIFIED ADS For 1001 things

### The Corral Club

Menard

Sat., Aug. 19

Cherry Spring Rounders

dance 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

\*Disco dance every

Friday until school starts

8 p.m. to 12 a.m.

## HILL COUNTRY STIHL CHAIN SAW SHOP

Sales & Service

103 Durango Junction 446-3561

Work on any brand chain saw or small motor. Saw blades sharpened.

## G & T Hose and Fitting

Oilfield and Industrial Hydraulics

High and Low Pressure

Glenn and Teresa Gee

800 Glasscock

387-2855

## B & B Electric

Residential and Commerical Electric Service and Wiring

Phone 387-5683

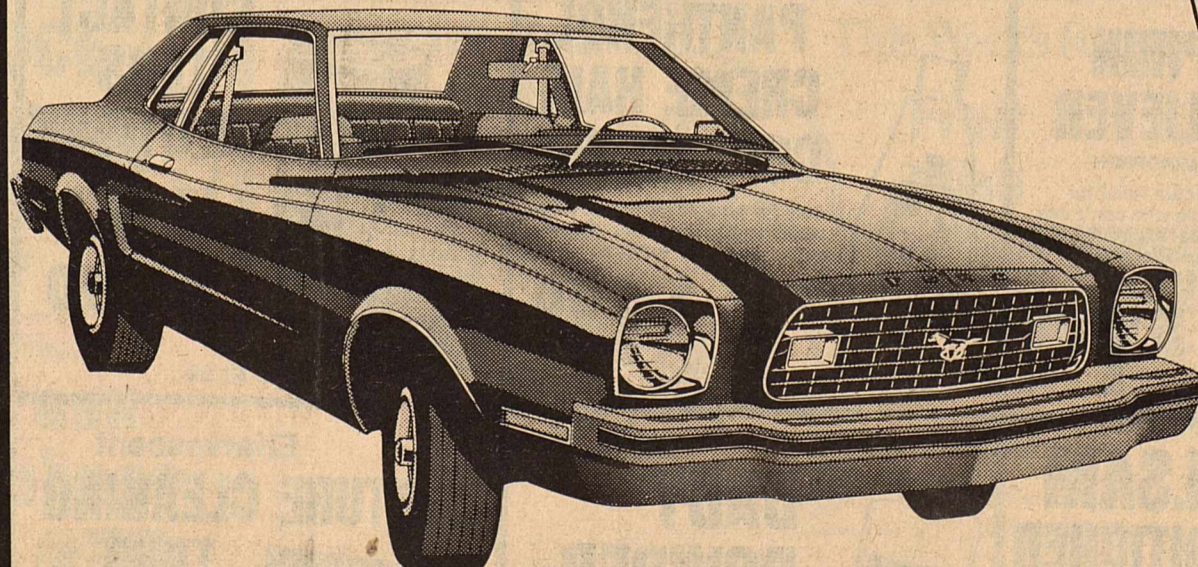
(24 hour call)

Billy Walker, Owner

## Only at Sonora Motor Co.

where you get the best trade and service...

# 1978 Ford MUSTANG II



## Sonora Motor Co.

Durwood Neville, Owner

Downtown

387-3910



### Miss Reyna Honored With Birthday Celebration

Miss Yolanda Reyna was honored with a Quincianero Saturday, August 5 by her mother, Mrs. Francisco Reyna, Jr. Mass was said at St. Ann's Church at 7 p.m., followed by a reception at St. Ann's Hall and a dance at the 4-H Center. Phil Navarro and his Falcons provided dance music. Miss Reyna wore a white evening dress trimmed with lime and



There is as much calcium in 1 1/2 cups of cottage cheese as in 8 ounces of milk.

yellow flowers, her chosen colors. Fourteen girls followed wearing lime and yellow dresses accented by matching hats. They each carried bouquets of matching daisies. Jannette Gandar carried a doll shaped pillow for the honoree to kneel on. Arturo Gardar was ring bearer, a gift from the honoree's mother. Miss Reyna was escorted to church by her brother, Eugene Reyna. Girls and their escorts accompanying the honoree were Annabelle Gonzales and Eddie Favila, Jo Ann Guerra and Frankie Avila, Toni Ramon and Ricky Galindo, Tina Arredondo and Rodolfo Ramos, Chela Hernandez and Valdo Garza, and Sulema Esquivel and Eddie Noriega, Delma Reyna and David Beserra, Nina Mata and Efrain Torres, Sonia Mata and

Eddie Montalvo, Rosie Moreno and Robert Noriega, Ricky Bermudes and Lupe Gamez, Dorris Almaguer and Daniel Hernandez, Anna Mata and Joe Manuel Mata, and Morina Hernandez and Peter Gomez.

### Jane Wallace, Party Honoree

Miss Jane Wallace, bride-elect of Wayne Doyle, was honored August 11 at the Clay Cade residence with a spice and recipe brunch. Hostesses were Mmes. Cade, Bill Morriss, and Bill Gosney. Out of town guests were Mrs. Kenneth Doyle and Mrs. Allen Bishop, both of San Angelo, mother and sister of the prospective bridegroom.

### Have A Soda Fountain Treat



Treat the young set to this Cherry Flavor Milk Shake that's fun to make and good to drink. Kool-Aid<sup>®</sup> brand sugar-sweetened soft drink mix, milk and ice cream are blended for a thick and creamy refresher. And for others, mix up a pitcher of cherry flavor sugar-sweetened soft drink mix.

#### CHERRY FLAVOR MILK SHAKE

1/4 cup cherry flavor sugar-sweetened soft drink mix  
3 cups milk  
1 cup (1/2 pt.) vanilla ice cream

Combine all ingredients in electric blender container. Blend about 1 minute or until smooth and frothy. Makes about 4 cups or 2 or 4 servings.

### Bride Elect Honored at Bride Elected Feted

Miss Dorella Myers, bride elect of Tim Schaefer, was honored with a bridal shower August 1 at the First

Baptist Church. Hosting were Mmes. Alice Schlagal, Bill Savell, Smith Neal, Clifton Hancock, Dennis Dunnam, Joe Neil Smith, Joe Lane, Bob Wills and Jamie Parker.

Miss Johnnie Myers, sister of the bride-elect, registered guests. The bride-elect's chosen color of lavender, was used in decoration.

### Cunninghams Observe 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. A.M. Cunningham of Sonora and have one son and two grandchildren. They are members of the First Baptist Church of Sonora. Mr. Cunningham, for the past 13 years, has been employed as foreman of the Live Oak Ranch in Sonora, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mayer of Del Rio. He has also been employed previously on various ranches in the Ozona and Fort Stockton area. Upon retirement they plan to make their home in Brady.

WHEN IT'S MORE THAN ROMANCE.



### Lettra<sup>®</sup> Diamond Wedding Band.

Two diamonds - facets of eternity cling securely to the continuous unbroken circle.

A carefully sculptured family letter surrounds them marking more than a bona - a beginning.

Each day a beginning.

The Lettra. Custom made at R. Johns Ltd.

## Ruth Shurley Jewelry

J.T. Hill owner

Downtown

### A Bride-to-be's First Stop Ruth Shurley Jewelry

The following brides and brides-to-be have made their selections with us...

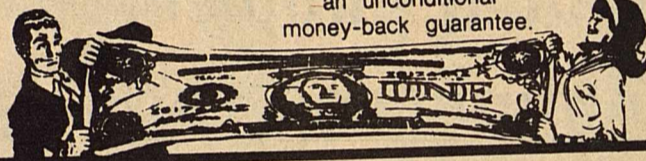
Jane Wallace, bride-elect of Wayne Doyle  
Brenda Boyd, bride-elect of Joel Hall  
Mary Gamez, bride-elect of Jesus Bustamante  
Dorella Myers, bride-elect of Tim Schaefer  
Mrs. Dick Karnes, nee Carol Hamilton  
Mrs. Robbie Hard, nee Debbie Howard  
Mrs. Alan Harris, nee Jackie Holguin

Store Hours:  
Monday-Saturday 9:00-5:00  
Phone 387-2755

### Look what a buck will buy!

"Try It - We Guarantee You'll Like It!"

All **Rexall** Brand products carry an unconditional money-back guarantee.



### HERBAL CONDITIONING SHAMPOO

Scented with herbs and wild flowers. Use it whenever you want soft, manageable and beautifully conditioned hair!

16 oz.

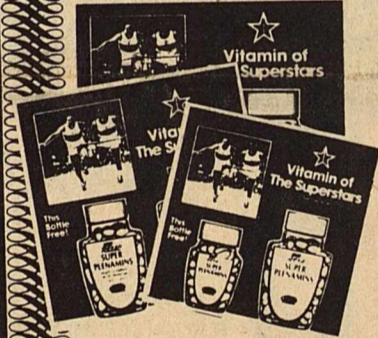
REG. \$1.85 **\$1.00**

Compare with CLAIROL HERBAL ESSENCE!

## Westerman Drug

Sonora

#### SUPER SAVER COUPON



PLUS ONE BOTTLE FREE!

### SUPER PLENAMINS

Multivitamins with Minerals

It's the smart supplement to take whenever you don't eat right!

COUPON EXPIRES OCT. 14, 1978

### METHILANA<sup>™</sup> Antacid with Simethicone

This pleasant-tasting antacid works fast to relieve acid indigestion, heartburn or sour stomach and the accompanying symptoms of gas!

12 oz.

REG. \$1.85 **\$1.00**

Compare with MYLANTA!

### MILK OF MAGNESIA

Buy the economy size and SAVE! Available in regular or mint flavors. Acts as a highly effective antacid and laxative.

26 oz.

REG. \$1.85 **\$1.00**

YOUR CHOICE \$1.00

Compare with PHILLIPS!

### NO ASPIRIN PAIN RELIEVER

325 mg. ACETAMINOPHEN



Fast pain relief for people who can't use regular aspirin because of allergies or side effects.

100 Tablets

Compare with TYLENOL!

REG. \$1.98 **\$1.00**

### PANTRENOL CREME HAIR CONDITIONER

Ideal for blow dryer users! Helps mend dry, brittle ends. "Rinse out or leave on" formula.



16 oz. **\$1.00**

REG. \$1.98

### CONTACT LENS SOLUTIONS



4 oz. Soaking or 2 oz. Wetting. YOUR CHOICE

REG. \$1.99 **\$1.00**

Compare with PHILLIPS!

### BALSAM CONDITIONER OR SHAMPOO

16 oz.

YOUR CHOICE REG. \$1.98

**\$1.00**

Compare with WELLA!

### BABY POWDER

14 oz.

REG. \$1.49 **\$1.00**

Compare with JOHNSON'S!

### Effervescent DENTURE CLEANING TABS

40's

REG. \$1.39 **\$1.00**

Compare with EFFERDENT!

### Chose Kitchen Appliances To Aid Arthretics

Select household appliances to aid the person with arthritis, suggests Miss Sarah Mahon, County Extension Agent. A person with arthritis may experience severe pain in trying to do everyday chores which others take for granted, she points out. Some items that can aid the person with arthritis around the home include:

- (1) Two-handled cookware: two handles make cookware much easier and safer for handling.
- (2) Electric toothbrush: some of the small manipulative movements needed for brushing the teeth with a regular toothbrush are very difficult for a person with arthritis.
- (3) Electric knife: an electric knife can make the hardest cutting job in the kitchen relatively easy.
- (4) Electric scissors: These are especially important for a person who sews or does any kind of craft requiring a lot of cutting.
- (5) Electric can opener: the difficulty in turning the key of a manual can opener is magnified for arthritis sufferers. Look for a unit with power piercing cutting blade so that the user doesn't have to make the initial cut.
- (6) Portable steamer unit: a portable steamer unit which can help to steam out wrinkles in both sheer and heavy fabrics can, in many cases, eliminate the need for ironing.

### Tedford Jewelry

Bridal Registry

Phone 387-2434



Miss Jane Wallace, bride-elect of Wayne Doyle  
Miss Brenda Boyd, bride-elect of Joel Hall  
Miss Mary Gamez, bride-elect of Jesus Bustamante  
Miss Dorella Myers, bride-elect of Tim Schaefer  
Mrs. Dick Karnes, nee Carol Hamilton  
Mrs. Robbie Hard, nee Debbie Howard  
Mrs. Alan Harris, nee Jackie Holguin

### "For the Bride-to-be" a free gift of LENOX CHINA



Why not take advantage of our Bridal Registry service? Come in and choose from our large selection of Lenox and other fine china and crystal. Our Bridal Consultant will help you make your choice and we'll tell all your friends exactly what you want.

And just for registering with us you can have this charming Lenox China swan created especially for brides like you. Plan to come in and pick up your Lenox gift today.

### Tedford Jewelry

Downtown 387-2434

### Family Want-Ads

3 Lines  
6 Times  
ONLY \$2  
387-2507

# FOOD CENTER

Cash Prizes: \$1,000, Food Prizes Worth Up To \$15!!! PLAY...

Sale Starts Thursday  
Prices Good Thru  
Sat, August 19

# MAKE MONEY

Prize	ODDS CHART		
	Number of Prizes	Odds	Visits
\$1,000	1	331,819	25,525
500	6	608,334	46,795
100	79	46,203	3,555
50	104	35,097	2,700
20	105	34,762	2,674
15*	208	17,549	1,350
10*	365	10,000	770
5*	1,266	2,884	222
Free Products	42,800	86	6.6
TOTALS	44,944	1 in 82	1 in 6.3

\*In Merchandise  
These odds are based on prize availability during the entire promotion. Odds for prizes of \$50 and more will be updated weekly after the first month of the promotion. Only Series FS-27 entries valid.  
TOTAL VALUE OF PRIZES—\$71,000 Series FS-27

Vacuum Packaged

Heavy Beef Boneless

Heavy Beef

**Sliced Bacon**

**Chuck Steak**

**Boneless Chuck Roast**

**\$1.98**  
24 oz. pkg.

**\$1.59**  
lb.

**\$1.49**  
lb.

USDA GRADE **Fryers**

**55¢**  
lb.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO:**  
**MARGARITA M. MESA**  
**SONORA, TEXAS**  
**WINNER OF**  
**\$1000**  
**YOU CAN BE A WINNER PLAY**  
**MAKE MONEY**

Oscar Mayer Link Sausage lb. \$1.00	<b>Truck Load Sale</b>
Dankworth German Sausage 12 oz. pkg. \$1.00	All meat <b>Wiener or Beef Franks</b> 1-lb. pkg. <b>\$1.19</b>
Bologna Oscar Mayer Meat or Beef 8 oz. pkg. 89¢	Bologna Oscar Mayer Assorted 12 oz. pkg. \$1.29
Oscar Mayer Assorted Smokie Links 12 oz. pkg. \$1.49	Variety Pack Oscar Mayer Assorted 12 oz. pkg. \$1.79
Sliced Bacon thick or thin 1-lb. pkg. \$1.79	Cotto Salami Oscar Mayer 8 oz. pkg. 99¢
The Big One Oscar Mayer 1-lb. pkg. \$1.49	

Extra Lean **Ground Beef** **\$1.39**  
lb.

Assorted Colors  
**Charmin Tissue**  
**79¢**  
4 roll pkg.

Pinta Assorted  
**Tortilla Chips**  
**69¢**  
5 oz. can

Thick Rich  
**Heinz Ketchup**  
**69¢**  
32 oz. bottle

Extra Measure  
**Maryland Club Coffee**  
**\$1.69**  
12 oz. can Auto. Drip

**Macaroni and Cheese** Martha White 4 7 1/2 oz. boxes **\$1**

Arrow Charcoal Briquets 10 lb. bag \$1.19	Powdered Detergent Fresh Start 25¢ off 42 oz. \$2.88
Good Value Whole Kernel Cream Style Golden Corn 4 16 oz. can \$1	All Temperature Detergent Punch 49 oz. box 99¢
Good Value Sweet Peas 4 16 oz. can \$1	Liquid Detergent Crystal White 48 oz. bottle 99¢
Cat Food Tuna and Chicken Kozy Kitten 5 15 oz. can \$1	First Pick Fruit Cocktail 16 oz. can 49¢
Heinz Asst. Pop Ice Flavor Pops 6 pack 53¢	Carnation Creamer Coffee Mate 16 oz. jar \$1.49
Barbecue Sauce 16 oz. bottle 69¢	Martha White Corn Meal 5 lb. bag 69¢
Good Value Pinto Beans 4-lb. bag 99¢	Hunt's Tomato Juice 46 oz. can 69¢
Drink Mix Fla-Vor Aid 6 1 oz. pkg. 39¢	Pine-Sol Cleaner 28 oz. bottle \$1.73

Ajax Cleaner All Purpose 28 oz. bottle 99¢	Baby Powder Super Ten 14 oz. can 88¢
Woodcrafter Lemon Furniture Polish 5 oz. can 59¢	Clearasil Vanishing Cream or Tube medication 6.5 oz. pkg. \$1.10
Monster Cookies 10 1/4 oz. box 89¢	Protein 21 Hair Spray Assorted 9 oz. can \$1.65
Popcorn Pops-Rite 4 lb. bag \$1.37	Assorted Agree Shampoo 8 oz. bottle \$1.49
Frozen Assorted Banquet Dinners 11 oz. 59¢	Kraft Parkay Margarine 1-lb. ctn. 49¢
Kraft Singles American Cheese 12 oz. 99¢	

Washington Prune **Plums**

**3 \$1** -LBS

CALIFORNIA **ICEBERG LETTUCE**

**3 \$1** heads

**Cookin' Bags** Banquet Frozen Assorted 3 5 oz. pkgs. **\$1**

Banquet 2-lb. box Fried Chicken \$2.69	Good Value Soft Margarine 1-lb. pkg. 59¢
Banquet Frozen Assort. 14 oz. pkg. Cream Pies 59¢	TV Yogart Assorted Flavors 8 Oz. Carton 29¢
Spears 10 oz. pkg. Broccoli 53¢	TV Cinnamon Rolls 9 1/2 oz. tube 57¢
10 oz. pkg. Cut Corn 41¢	Budweiser Beer 12 oz. can 6-pack \$1.49

**Summer Sun Collection STONWARE**

This Week's Feature **Fruit Dish** only **79¢** each with \$3.00 grocery purchase. Get This Complete Set

**BONUS VALUE THIS WEEK**

**Cereal Bowl** 2 pc. **\$4.99**  
No Purchase Necessary No Limit

U.S. NO. 1 <b>RUSSET POTATOES</b> 8 lb. bag <b>99¢</b>	Creamy Smooth <b>California Avocados</b> 3 For <b>\$1</b>	Fresh <b>Green Cabbage</b> lb. <b>17¢</b>
Seedless Grapes Thompson lb. 79¢	Calif. Nectarines lb. 69¢	Louisiana Yams lb. 49¢

**FOOD CENTER**  
Home Owned and Operated 603 Crook

**WE... WELCOME FOOD STAMPS**

**WE ACCEPT USDA FOOD STAMPS**

# Commissioner Says Legislation Will Bring Increase

Chairman Mack Wallace of the Texas Railroad Commission charged the natural gas policy proposed by the joint Senate-House committee on national energy legislation would result in higher prices and lower supplies for Texas industries and households.

In an analytically incis-

ive letter to Sens. John G. Tower and Lloyd Bentsen, as well as other Lone Star Staters in the national legislature, Wallace declared the just-released explanatory statement of the joint committee "makes it clear that adoption of the report by the Congress should be vigorously opposed by members of the Texas delegation because of its blatant discrimination against this state and its consumers."

Using the Senate-House conferees own figures, the Texas energy official re-

ported that under the policy proposal Texans and other intrastate consumers will pay 10 percent more for 10 percent less gas by 1985, adding "\$30 annually to the average Texas resident's gas bill." If the present six percent annual rate of inflation persists, Wallace reported, the yearly increase of Texans' gas price tag will jump to \$48.

"In short," Wallace wrote, "the (joint committee) agreement says this: Residents of the producing states will pay 10 percent more and get 10 percent less; resident of the non-producing states will pay five percent less and get 28 percent more (gas)."

Wallace charged the policy proposal violates one of President Carter's clearly expressed prerequisites of the national energy plan that he announced on April 29, 1977, which states:

"The fifth principle is that the United States must solve its energy problems in a manner that is equitable to all regions, sectors, and income groups."

Wallace found no regional equity in the conferees' preliminary estimate that relative economic costs and benefits

indicate interstate consumers will pay \$6 billion less for their energy over the next six years while the intrastate energy costs could be as much as \$7 billion higher.

Urging Tower to continue his stout opposition of the gas proposal, the Commission chairman wrote:

"It should be pointed out that the brunt of these costs, as calculated by the conferees, is to be borne by one state-Texas, and Texas consumers, for they constitute more than 60 percent of the intrastate market."

"Put another way, Texas consumers will bear \$4.2 billion of the \$7 billion cost calculated by the conferees in their analysis. That is \$600 million per year between now and 1985, and they are real, not inflated costs. "A six percent annual inflation rate would boost these costs to \$6.3 billion."

Ironically, Wallace observed, Texas which produces nearly 40 percent of the nation's natural gas and 25 percent of all its energy would bear these extraordinary costs while being substantially denied the benefits of gas supply.

"The Texas consumer, participating in a market pricing system, as opposed

to the artificially low regulated pricing system of the interstate market, pays a wellhead price for natural gas priced in Texas twice that of the interstate consumer," Wallace noted and stressed:

The higher market or replacement cost price is paid by Texas consumers, not because they relish higher prices, but because they know from historical experience that gas supply responds to price."

Wallace advised Tower that Texas presently has a temporary surplus of natural gas in contrast to the undersupply in the price-regulated interstate market. He credited this to higher prices paid by Texas consumers in the past five years that underwrote escalated drilling and production programs.

In 1977, he cited, Texas added more than four trillion cubic feet of gas reserves, "a remarkable one-third of all that added in the U.S."

Wallace said the Senate-House conferees "misread the facts" in contending that some gas pricing inequities "would be neutralized by the schedule rate of boiler fuel conversion to coal (from natural gas) in those intrastate

markets" where the conferees say prices will rise and gas supplies will decrease.

"The scheduled rate of boiler fuel conversion to which the conferees refer, is a major gas conservation policy adopted three years ago as state policy in the issuance of Texas Railroad Commission Docket 600," Wallace wrote.

The Texas official pointed out that "a comprehensive gas conservation proposal has yet to be enacted by the Congress for the nation as a whole."

Wallace predicted the Senate-House conferees' compromise on gas policy "will translate into one of the most complicated and administratively complex statutes in the history of Congress" if it becomes law.

"Natural gas, a rather simple form of hydrocarbon, will exist in a staggering 17 different categories," he said.

Wallace summed up his observations with this concluding declaration:

"But the fundamental injustice of the agreement, as explicitly stated in the conferees' own analysis, is that one section of the country, the gas-producing states, must pay the major cost of that supply (3 to 6

trillion cubic feet of gas by 1985), while another section of the country, the non-producing, consuming

state, will receive the principal benefit of that supply and at a lower cost."

## Oil and Gas Well Production Reported

Texas oil and gas wells produced 585,375,925 Mcf of gas in May 1978, down 6.65 percent from field runs a year earlier.

Marketed gas production totaled 493,155,533 Mcf and reflected a 7.24 percent decrease from the May 1977 volume. Marketed production is the total gas to transmission lines, carbon plant and plant fuel and lease use.

Gas exported from Texas in May totaled 241,026,364 Mcf and included 74,361,297 Mcf of imported gas.

Exports of Texas-pro-

duced gas in May totaled 166,665,067 Mcf and reflected a 16.20 percent decrease from the year earlier month. Natural Gas Pipeline Co. of America was the month's largest exporter, moving 76,802,329 Mcf of gas of which 35,325,419 Mcf was Texas-produced gas.

Texas gas production in May came from 196,146 oil and gas wells.

In April 1978, Texas wells produced 574,875, 325 Mcf of gas. Marketed gas production in April totaled 478,102,991 Mcf.

## Marathon Oil Company Application Approved

The Railroad Commission approved the application of Marathon Oil Co. to increase the most efficient rate (MER) of production of the Yates Field to 125,000 barrels daily from 100,000 barrels per day.

Effective date of the order is the first day of the month following initiation of inert gas injection at the approximate rate of 10 million cubic feet per day.

Marathon had sought the increase in the allowed rate of output from the prolific oil field in Pecos and Crockett Counties on behalf of itself and other operators representing 90 percent of Yates production.

Chairman Mack Wallace and Commissioners Jon Newton and John H. Poerner signed the order

approving the Marathon request. Approval had been recommended by Oil and Gas Division hearing examiners in the proceeding, Technical Hearings Director Billy D. Thomas and then Chief Legal Counsel Fred Young, as well as Chief Engineer Bob Harris.

Marathon's application was opposed by a number of the heirs of Ira Yates on whose West Texas ranch the enormous petroleum province was discovered in 1926.

Some of the heirs urged a reduction in the Yates MER to 75,000 barrels daily, while another wanted the MER held at the present 100,000 barrels per day level.

The Yates Field has produced more than 675 million barrels of oil in 52 years.

## Mobile Home Transport Authority Extended

The Railroad Commission has extended authority to all holders of permits to transport mobile homes within the state to allow those haulers to rush mobile homes from anywhere in Texas to the flood stricken counties of the state for the next 90 days.

Chairman Mack Wallace and Commissioner Jon Newton took the emergency action at the recommendation of John G. Soule, Transportation Division director. Commissioner John H. Poerner was out of the city.

The emergency temporary mobile home authority allows transport from any point in the state to the counties of Bandera, Haskell, Kerr, Kendall,

Shackelford and Young and to any other areas which may be later declared disaster areas under President Carter's disaster declaration of Aug. 2.

The Commission action was taken at the request of the federal Department of Housing and Urban Development, which plans to move at least 300 mobile homes into the stricken area immediately to provide emergency housing.

Today's action still requires all carriers to comply with applicable Commission rules and regulations including prescribed tariffs containing rates, rules, regulations and charges.

## Lab Tests Increase Petroleum Output

Using only a ten percent slug of carbon dioxide gas pushed by pure cryogenic nitrogen, oil recoveries of more than ninety-five percent have been obtained in the laboratory, the Texas Petroleum Research Committee reported today.

Dr. Paul B. Crawford, professor of petroleum engineering at Texas A&M and assistant director of the committee, said the tests were made on stock tank oil samples from the Wasson oil field of West Texas. The liner tube was one hundred feet long; pressure 1250 psi and the temperature 107 degrees fahrenheit.

The Wasson oil reservoir has over 600 million barrels of crude oil which remains as a target for successful tertiary oil recovery process, Crawford said. There are three to four billion barrels of oil locked in the rock of the Permian Basin which provide the target for the nitrogen-carbon dioxide slug process, he related, observing that oil recoveries in the field would only be about half that observed in the laboratory

because of irregularities in the rock.

TPRC is sponsored by the Railroad Commission, the University of Texas and Texas A&M University.

Using all carbon dioxide from New Mexico, Colorado and Utah it had previously been thought that only one-third as much carbon dioxide was available as would be required to recover the three to four billion barrels of oil. However, by using small slugs of carbon dioxide pushed by nitrogen, it appears that there may be sufficient amounts of carbon dioxide to do the job.

The reservoir cost of pure nitrogen will only be about 15 percent of the cost of pipe-in carbon dioxide, Dr. Crawford reported. One thousand cubic feet of cryogenic nitrogen will cost less than half the cost of \$1.25/MCF cost of carbon dioxide, but one cubic foot of nitrogen will occupy three times as much space in the reservoir as carbon dioxide, he concluded.

P&S  
Stop 'n Save  
Groceries and Cold Beer  
Drugs  
387-3915  
Crockett and Main

**BRITAIN**  
**Construction Company**  
GENERAL OILFIELD CONSTRUCTION

Radio Equipped Pumping Service

RRC - Permit 5387

Odessa 366-4491 Sonora 387-245

Open Mon - Sat  
9 am to 6 pm

master charge  
your BANKAMERICARD  
welcome

# PERRY'S

## Back-To-School BARGAINS!

16ct. no. 2 <b>Pencils</b> Reg 73¢ <b>73¢</b>	Bic 5 Star Special only 58¢ <b>58¢</b>	School Tote Bag Reg 2 <sup>99</sup> Sale Price <b>1<sup>99</sup></b>	Rest & Play Pad Reg 3 <sup>99</sup> Sale Price <b>2<sup>99</sup></b>
--	---	---	--

100% Polyester  
Flat Fold  
**Double Knit**  
Reg 1<sup>49</sup> yd  
Sale Price **97¢** yd

**Plastic Drink Holders**  
Reg 19¢  
Sale Price **2 FOR 29¢**

**The Organizer  
or Data Center  
Notebook**  
Reg 2<sup>57</sup>  
Sale Price **2<sup>22</sup>**

**Simplicity or  
McCalls Patterns**  
Buy Three at Reg Price  
and get one Pattern  
of your Choice  
**FREE!**

**Sonora Bronco  
Tube Sox**  
Reg 2<sup>50</sup> pair  
Sale Price **1<sup>99</sup>** pair

**Boys  
Crew Sox**  
Reg 39¢ pair  
Sale Price **4 for 1<sup>00</sup>**

**20" Box Fan**  
Was 19<sup>99</sup>  
Clearance **16<sup>77</sup>**

PERRY'S

Hwy 277 North - Sonora



# Sutton County Ranch News

## TS&GRA Officers Pushing Wool Referendum

Norm Rousselot of Sonora, president of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association, and George C. Taylor, president of the Texas Wool and Mohair Warehouse Association, are hitting the campaign trail to urge passage of the National Wool Referendum. Voting will take place August 21 through September 1, and ballots will be mailed to all

sheep and lamb producers who received an incentive check in 1977 by the ASCS office. The American Sheep Producers Council is funded by deductions from wool incentive checks received by sheep producers. Each time a new Farm Bill is passed, the Secretary of Agriculture is required to determine by means of a national

referendum whether wool producers wish to continue the promotion deductions. The Secretary establishes the time and rate to be voted on. The issue must pass by two-thirds of the producers voting. At the present time the deduction rate is 1½¢ per pound on wool and 7½¢ per 100 lbs. on unshorn lambs sold.

Because the 1978 Farm Bill had a substantial increase in the incentive payment, the Secretary must conduct a referendum. Because of the increasing need for promotion and advertising for wool and lamb, the National Wool Growers Association has requested that the deduction be increased from 1½¢ to 2½¢ on wool and from 7½¢ to 12½¢ per 100 lbs. on unshorn lambs sold. For each 100 lbs. of lamb the deduction would be 12½¢ (unshorn lambs sold).

The incentive payments producers receive on wool come from the duties on imported wool. These payments compensate U.S. producers for the lower wool production costs of importing countries. Thus, the lamb and wool

promotion program of the ASPC is actually paid for by our competition in other countries. The very small amount that it takes out of each producer's pocket is completely compensated by the increase of 37.5% in the incentive level for 1977, with additional increases for the next four years based on cost of living increases. The incentive rate jumped from 72¢ to 99¢ for the 1977 marketing year, and will go to \$1.08 for the 1978 marketing year.

Rousselot advised that TS&GRA directors unanimously passed a resolution supporting the increase at their winter directors' meeting. In July of this year TS&GRA membership voted again unanimously in support of passage of the referendum.

Taylor, serving his second year as president of the statewide warehousemen's association, stated, "I wish that I could paint a picture for ranchers of just how efficient and enthusiastic the ASCS really is." Both paid staff and volunteer producer members met with his wholehearted approval. He

continued, "ASPC, unlike most other producer organizations, focuses entirely on lamb and wool promotion. The Council is strictly regulated in its scope. Its energies must be entirely devoted to promotion and advertising without any political involvement. This enables the Council to concentrate on its assigned purpose and do it well."

Rousselot pointed out that the ASPC had cut its staff almost in half but had not reduced the efficiency of the organization. "In this time of worker apathy, it is refreshing to see an organization voluntarily revamp itself to do a better job. I urge each and every producer of lamb and wool to send in a positive 'YES' vote on the National Wool Referendum August 21 to September 1. I would hate to see the end of our well-organized and effective nationwide advertising and promotion program. We as producers owe it to ourselves to continue these efforts in support of our industry. If we don't help ourselves, no one else is going to do it for us."

### COMPARE this financial growth to any other INSURED investment.

AMOUNT INVESTED (MINIMUM ALLOWED)	TIME INVESTED (MINIMUM ALLOWED)	ANNUAL RATE	ANNUAL YIELD*	RETURNED AT MATURITY
\$1,000	8 YEARS	8.00%	8.33%	\$1,896.35
\$1,000	6 YEARS	7.75%	8.06%	\$1,591.93
\$1,000	4 YEARS	7.50%	7.79%	\$1,349.82
\$1,000	2½ YEARS	6.75%	6.98%	\$1,183.80
\$1,000	1 YEAR	6.50%	6.72%	\$1,067.15

\*based on compounding of earnings for 12 months  
A substantial interest penalty is required for early withdrawal of certificate accounts.

### If you can beat it, DO IT!

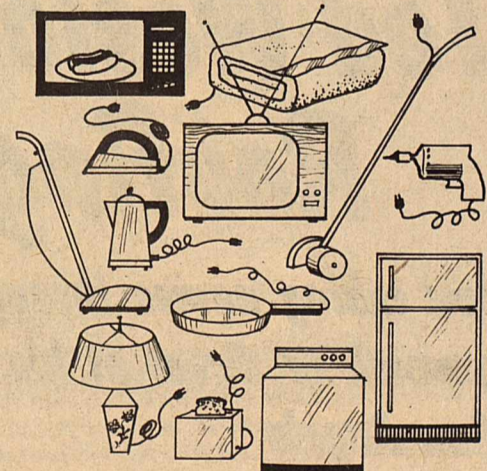
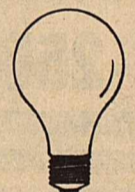
Compare the return at maturity figures in the above right column with any other insured \$1,000 investment you can make for the same period of time. If you can beat that return, you should invest in it. If not, you should come to San Angelo Savings where your investment is insured to \$40,000 by the FSLIC.

## San Angelo Savings Association



5 So. Chad/Knickerbocker at Jackson  
115 East Main • Sonora  
YOUR FAMILY FINANCIAL CENTER

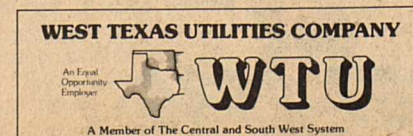
It used to be the 'light bill' Now it's the...



- Air Conditioner, Blanket, Blender, Can Opener, Clock, Clothes Dryer, Clothes Washer, Dish Washer, Door Bell, Drill, Fan, Food Freezer, Hair Dryer, Heating, Heat Pad, Hedge Trimmer, Iron, Lawn Edger, Lawn Mower, Lights, Sander, Saw, Sewing Machine, Shaver, Stereo, Television, Toaster, Vacuum Cleaner, Waffle Iron, Waste Disposer, Water Heater, etc., Bill.

Forty or fifty years ago, the electric bill was most often called the "light bill". In thousands of homes, Mr. Edison's illuminating invention wasn't the only electrically powered appliance, but most people associated electricity with the most visible benefit - light.

Today, with the help of electrical energy and the appliances it powers, our tasks become easier and our lives more enjoyable. At West Texas Utilities we're working to provide you a continuing dependable source of electrical energy now and in the future.



Remember Reddy supplies the energy, only you can use it wisely.

### Sonora Livestock Sales

Lambs and Angora Kid Goats Needed

All classes of livestock bought and sold

Phone 387-2426, office

Glen Love, residence, 915/948-3525

Cowboy Love, residence, 915/948-3333

for weighing after hours call

CLYDE HILL

387-3224



### Adco Water Wells, Inc.

Call on us for Efficient service. Our Trucks are radio equipped.

### Sales and Service of all Water Systems

Bobby Doran, Pres.

387-2071



### Ranchers Everything you need for fencing.

Posts, steel posts, barbed wire, field fence

### Hardware, Lumber Paints, Tools



Concho and Plum

387-2536

We offer a full range of insurance coverage for ranchers.. and everybody else.. In Sutton County it's

The Sonora Agency  
210 N.E. Main

387-2676

Downtown

### Bentsen Says Opposing Meat Importers Have Selfish Interests

Senator Lloyd Bentsen said Wednesday that meat importers who oppose his beef imports bill "are concerned only about their own selfish interests."

Bentsen commented after the Meat Importers Council of America placed a full-page advertisement in East Coast newspapers Wednesday morning, attacking the Bentsen counter-cyclical beef imports bill.

The ad was headlined "America Demands Imported Beef."

"We've found what it is to be dependent on foreign oil, now these meat importers want us to become dependent on foreign beef as well," Bentsen said.

"They claim in their ad to be concerned about consumers but, in fact, they are concerned only about their own selfish interests."

"A Library of Congress analysis of my bill concludes that it would have long term benefits to both consumers and producers," Bentsen said.

The Bentsen bill was approved by a 16-1 vote in the Senate Finance Committee in April. The full Senate passed it by voice vote in May. The measure is now awaiting action before the House of Representatives.

The counter-cyclical feature in the Bentsen bill permits imports to increase when domestic production decreases and it would cause imports to

decrease at a time of domestic over-production. The current import formula has just the reverse effect.

"Under the current formulas, when prices are rising imports are cut off, causing prices to rise even higher.

My bill would prevent that, moderating the wild swings in beef prices that

### Indemnity Rates Increased

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) has increased the brucellosis indemnity rates for cattle by a maximum of \$150. The new rules also require the initiation of payment for certain female calves.

The federal government indemnity rates are now \$250 for registered cattle, \$150 for non-registered dairy cattle and \$25 for heifer calves destroyed because of brucellosis-up from \$100, \$50, and zero respectively. The \$50 rate for non-registered beef cattle remains unchanged.

Paul Becton, director of brucellosis eradication of USDA's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, said the rate increase for specified non-registered dairy cattle was necessary because their value exceeds that of cattle not included in the raise.

"This action will help soften the economic blow felt by producers whose

herds became affected with brucellosis," said Becton. "The new indemnity rates more closely reflect fair market value of lost animals," he said.

For the first time, indemnity is available for certain female calves. Becton said this policy has been instituted because those born from infected dams may be potential carriers of brucellosis.

Brucellosis, called undulant fever when contracted by man, causes losses to the livestock industry through abortion, decreased milk yields and the need to replace infected animals.

Many national, regional and state dairy and purebred organizations, expressed their support of the rate increase, which is expected to encourage greater participation by producers in the cooperative state-federal brucellosis eradication program. Owners who must sacrifice infected animals receive both the revised indemnity payments and salvage. In addition, some states provide indemnity to supplement that provided by the federal government.

### ASCS Announces Wool Referendum

by Norma Love  
Producers are to vote August 21 through September 1 on a new agreement for advertising and promotion of wool and lambs.

Ballots will be mailed to each known producer of wool and lambs in the county. If you do not receive a ballot, they will be available at the ASCS Office or we can mail you one.

The new agreement, if passed, will allow the USDA to withhold funds from incentive payments made to producers at 2½ cents per pound on shorn wool and 12½ cents per hundredweight on unshorn lambs.

Ballots must be returned to the ASCS Office in September 1. They may be returned by mail or you may elect to deliver them in person.

Case Pocket Knives.



Sonora Wool and Mohair Co.

Save

General Tires  
Michelin

Fina Gasoline

R.S. Teaff  
Oil Company

387-2770

Sonora

# Sutton County History Book Deadline Officially Passed

The deadline for submitting family histories for inclusion in the Sutton County History Book has officially passed. However, due to the many requests of those who are still working on their stories, the Sutton County Historical Society has agreed to accept stories for another

month or so while the copy is being prepared for the publisher. More people, newcomers and old-timers alike, are needed to make this a complete and comprehensive history of Sutton County. So, if you have not turned in your family story, please do so as soon as possible and

help make this project a complete success. Purchased space is also available in the book for memorials, tributes, and business histories. These pages can be purchased for \$45 for one-fourth page, \$80 for one-half page, and \$150 for a full page. These pages help

earn additional pages in the book for general history in addition to paying for themselves. A memorial is a wonderful way to preserve the memories of a deceased loved one with words and pictures. A tribute tells that special friend or relative how much you

care about and appreciate them, while letting others know, too. A business history can be written about an old-time established business or a relatively new business to the country. These histories should tell how the business came into being, how long they

have been established as a business in Sutton County, why they established their business here, how they feel growth and development in the county has provided the opportunity for a business to succeed, and so forth. Advertising copy cannot be accepted as a business history.

Books are still available. However, once the final copy is sent to the publisher, there will be no more books available. Only the number of books ordered at that time will be printed. Remember that one book will not always be enough. When children or grandchildren leave home, they will want their own copy of the history of their family and friends. There will be no books available at that time. So think ahead and

purchase all of the books you may need now while there is still time. The books are being sold on a pre-sale basis only for \$24.15. Please submit all book orders and materials to the Sutton County Historical Society, P.O. Box 1145, Sonora, Texas 76950, or call Alice Hardy 387-2681, Mable VanderStucken 387-3195, Velma Hunt 387-2103, or Harva Cooper 387-2582 for additional help or information.

**Modern Way Grocery**  
Ice Beer Snacks  
Picnic Supplies

Self Serve Gas  
Reg 59¢ Unleaded 62¢

Convenient Hours  
8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Mon - Sat  
Open Sun 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

**Modern Way Grocery**  
Hwy 277 S.

## Second Thoughts

by Tom Driskell  
Let's face it we are in a monetary crisis. Looking at the demonstrated legislative impotence of Congress with regard to energy and imports; and a State Legislature that should be paid, considering its productivity, in hay or some other fodder, one must wonder if the crisis we are beginning to see the edge of could ultimately be a monetary collapse.

What does one do in a monetary crisis, to minimize the impact on old number one (himself or herself)? First, if she or he happens to be in Swiss France, that individual can sit back and laugh his or her head off watching the scurrying around a sinking ship somewhat reassured by that fact that his or her assets have climbed 46% against the dollar in the last nine months. Few of us are so fortunate so we must go back to the basic "what does one do?"

Suddenly large accumulations of dollars, although they are a mark of accomplishment, loom as a liability down the road. If you are receiving 7% interest and you superimpose on it a 10% inflation, no amount of arithmetic will prove that you are not losing 3% every year in buying power. This program is better than a checking account where you lose the flat inflation percentage. It would seem that a dollar

accumulation beyond operating expenses and cash flow needs is somewhat like the sword of Democles.

Each individual must decide for himself how deep the crisis will be, and how long it will last. Once that decision is made, a choice; a dicey gamble must be selected. There are many paths one can take. Stocks? Slightly risky, but nevertheless a valid course. Good utility stocks are paying 8 to 10 percent dividends, and by selective timing of buying stock, that return can be increased to 11 to 15%. It is a good hedge against inflation, but will not stall collapse.

Real estate, if the taxes are reasonable, is an excellent hedge against inflation, but represents assets that are not concealable, nor mobile. The best way for use of real estate is undeveloped property, or stock in some of the realty investment trusts that almost went under in the 1973 recession. Their stocks are depressed to about 10 to 15 percent of their 1973 prices, and with the continuation of inflation, returns of up to 50 percent are possible. Selection of the investment trust is extremely critical. Zero percentage return and zero valuation of assets are easy to achieve.

Diamonds, a commodity strictly controlled by De

Beers Ltd., are an excellent investment, provided you can get access to the wholesale market. On the retail market, however, you only have to live 150 years to realize a dividend. If you have reason to doubt this, check the retail price of diamonds against the stones offered by estate liquidators (where you must get your money back). Considering that a layman cannot tell a perfect stone from a garbage stone—the diamond market makes the stock market look like a sure thing, with the aura of a Sunday school. As assets, however, diamonds are mobile, concealable, and internationally negoti-

able. Gold is a straight-forward hedge against inflation, but its value can slump if the monetary situation stabilizes, and unless it is in coins, its negotiability can become quite complex.

These considerations, which each individual must make, would be totally unnecessary if our government would function, as it should and some of these economists would sit back and evaluate past policy results. Perhaps, it is as I heard a man say, "The trouble is that we have taken a functional conceptual oligarchy and attempted to turn it into a non-functional democracy."

### Comptroller Sets Visit

State Comptroller Bob Bullock will have a representative from his San Angelo office in Sonora on Tuesday, August 22, to assist local taxpayers and answer questions about state taxes.

Bullock said enforcement officer Esther Esparza will meet with local taxpayers in the Driver's License Room in the Sutton County Courthouse from 1 to 3 p.m.

"If Sonora area merchants, or anyone else for that matter, have any questions about state taxes or need help in preparing tax forms, Ms. Esparza will be there to assist them," Bullock said.

"We're trying to cut the red tape in this office, and we believe these face to face sessions with taxpayers help do just that," Bullock added.

The San Angelo office, headed by Thomas M. Goff, serves San Angelo and surrounding counties.

### Red Cross Representative Issues Financial Report

Melissa Teaff, Red Cross representative for Sutton County, provides the following final reports of assistance given through Red Cross as result of the Sonora hail storm, June 2, 1978:

Of a total of 48 family applications, 29 families were assisted—the others being found to have personal resources available to them. 29 homes were repaired for a total cost of \$8,075.65. Administrative and services costs involved \$1,474.04 bring the total cost of the operation to the American

Red Cross to \$9,532.68. The above expenses were provided to the victims of Sonora as a gift by the American people through donations during the annual fund drives by chapters over the country.

All assistance during disaster is provided to individuals or families with urgent and verified disaster-caused needs and without their own financial resources.

Most of the assistance provided to citizens in Sonora were to the elderly and handicapped with small, fixed incomes.

### Real Estate Transfers

Quitclaim Deed-Jo Ann Walker to Libbye Jo Young, all interest in lot 12 and lot 5-A, Block 19-E.

WD-Rex Dale Ethridge et ux to Benjamin R. Epps, lot 17, Block 1, Meadowcreek Addition.

WD-Fernando Trevino et ux to Eusabio Castillo et ux, lot 16, Block 7, Loma Alto Addition.

WD-Castle Court Corp.

to Gerald Jones, N/2 lot 2 and South 1/4 lot 3, Block 1, Queen's Court, Town House Subdivision.

WD/VL- Allan A. Striegler to William Lee Doran et ux, 16.14 acres out of Survey 122, Block B, HE&WT Ry.

Wd-Elmore Anderson to Max G. Hardegrege et ux, .28 acres out of Survey 84, Block B, HE&WT Ry.

### Scout Pack Plans Swimming Party

Cub Scout Pack 19 will host a swimming party Thursday night at the Municipal Pool from 7-9 p.m.

All cub scouts are invited to attend and there will be no admission charge.

**TEXACO**

Announcing  
New Ownership  
McMillon's Texaco  
corner of Del Rio Hwy & Crockett  
Offering You

- ★ Full Service
- ★ Self Serve
- ★ Oil Change
- ★ Lubrication
- ★ Wash
- ★ Tire repair

Open 6:30 a.m. - 10 p.m. Mon-Thurs  
Fri-Sat-Sun Open til Midnight

**387-2131**

Cecil Westerman

Would

Like

TO

Be

YOUR

Pharmacist

Phone 387-2541

For Local Service  
**387-2507**  
PHONE 653-4507  
600 BLOCK N. CHADBOURNE  
SAN ANGELO, TEXAS

WE MAKE THEM...  
WE SELL THEM...  
WE GUARANTEE THEM...

**Western**  
**mattress**

### Ronda Browne To Open Dance Studio

Ronda Hopkins Browne will be opening a dance studio in Sonora beginning September 5. Classes will be taught on Tuesdays and Wednesdays at a studio located behind the Billy Green residence at 302 Hightower.

Ms. Browne has four years teaching experience and has studied dancing for 16 years. She started lessons at the age of four under Betty Jack Cooper Rains.

She will be teaching ballet, toe, acrobatic and jazz dancing to all ages.

Ms. Browne did the choreography for the Msis South Texas Pageant in 1976 and does study dancing each summer in Dallas and Houston.

She is married to Paul Browne who is doing his apprenticeship at Kerrville Funeral Home.

They are parents of a nine month old son, David. Mrs. Browne is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hopkins.

### The Land Bank

Long-term financing to...

- buy land
- improve land
- construct or improve buildings
- refinance debt
- build or remodel a home



Federal Land Bank of Sonora

A. E. Prugel, Mgr.  
387-2777

**Ted Westover Roofing**

Is Now taking names through Jim at Foxworth or direct at his office in San Angelo

Free Estimate  
Have done previous work in Sonora and is the first to stand by his work

15 years experience  
In all types  
Roofing  
Call  
**387-2536**  
or  
**653-3731** San Angelo

You get more for the barrel

(A BARRELFUL OF INTEREST) when you save with us!

Yes, your barrel will fill to the brim before you know it, with your savings building interest in one of our convenient savings accounts.

Get in the habit this week, watch your barrel grow.

we're here to help you.....

**First NATIONAL BANK**  
SINCE 1800  
P. O. BOX 798, SONORA, TEXAS 76950

**FDIC**

**387-3861**

A FULL SERVICE BANK