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Norman Rousselot

National Wool Growers Association

Norman Rousselot Elected Chairman

Norman Rousselot, a sheepman from Sonora, Texas, was elected Chairman of the Board of Directors of the National Wool Growers Association at their just-completed convention, January 25-29, in Oklahoma City.

"There is a great deal of opportunity in the sheep business," Rousselot said, "and I pledge to do all I can to turn opportunity into profit." Rousselot said that one of his top priorities will be to investigate the export potential for stability for these commodities. "We produce two of the finest commodities in all of agriculture and we do it as well or better than anyone in the world," the Chairman said. "It's time to develop some overseas markets."

Rousselot succeeds Don Meike of Kaycee, Wyoming, as chairman of the NWGA, the nation's oldest livestock organization. Delegates also selected Steve Gillmor, of Salt Lake City, as Vice-Chairman; Robert Geaney of Myrtle Point, Oregon as Secretary, and Norman Palm, of Elk

Mountain, Wyoming, as Treasurer. Outgoing Chairman Meike praised Rousselot as, "A superb selection for the post and a leader of top caliber. I know he will continue to add muscle to the nation's most important sheep organization."

Rousselot is in partnership with two brothers-in-law in a sheep, cattle and Angora goat operation. They have a Suffolk and Rambouillet ewe-lamb range operation.

Rousselot is a college graduate with a BS in biology. An avid sports fan, the new chairman was a pitcher with the Pittsburgh Pirates for three years during the 1950's.

Prior to his current position with the Association, Rousselot served for two years as vice-chairman and for two years as secretary. He is a past president of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association and was a director of ASPC for four years. He also served as mayor of the City of Sonora from 1969-1979, was president of the Sonora Lions Club from 1966-67 and is on the Board of Directors of the First Church of Christ Scientist.

Kate Mathews, Shannon Rushing Selected as Sweetest Hearts at Jr. High Dance

The Sonora Junior High School held its annual Valentine Dance on Thursday, February 10th, at the Clint Langford Memorial 4-H Center. The Junior High Student Council sponsors this dance for Sonora students in the sixth, seventh and eighth graders.

The 4-H was decorated with a Valentine theme by the Student Council members. Student volunteers furnished sandwiches, chips, dips, and cookies. Music was furnished by Jimmy Gonzales. Attending the dance was the Junior High faculty, many of their spouses, and numerous parents.

The evening was particularly special for twenty Junior High students

who had been nominated by their teachers for All-School Favorites or Sweetest Hearts.

The ten boys who were nominated were: Santiago Faz, Javier Flores, Steve Love, John Paul Noriega, Eddie Ramirez, Rene Ramirez, Shannon Rushing, Joe Paul Solis, Jack Sykes, Lance Wallace.

The ten girls who were nominated were: Janet Barleman, Kelly Cahill, Carrie Cox, Gay Ann Dobbs, Nancy Herrera, Kristin Keel, Kate Mathews Prissy Samaniego, Shannon Scott, Lauri Sotelo.

Selected by secret ballot by the student body for All-School Favorites (Sweetest Hearts) were Kate Mathews and Shannon Rushing.

Physical Fitness Center Opens Under New Ownership

The Physical Fitness Center has reopened under the new ownership of Ms. Melissa Clifton. It offers gym equipment by the American Athletic Company and Marcy and Total Gym Systems by Marcy. Also, a full Swedish Sauna and a hot tub with jacuzzi for full relaxation after your work-outs.

The Center opened for business Feb. 10th. The new hours will be from 6a.m. to 11p.m. Mon.-Sat.

Ages 14 and up are eligible to participate. The women will exercise on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, Tuesday, Thursday, and Satur-

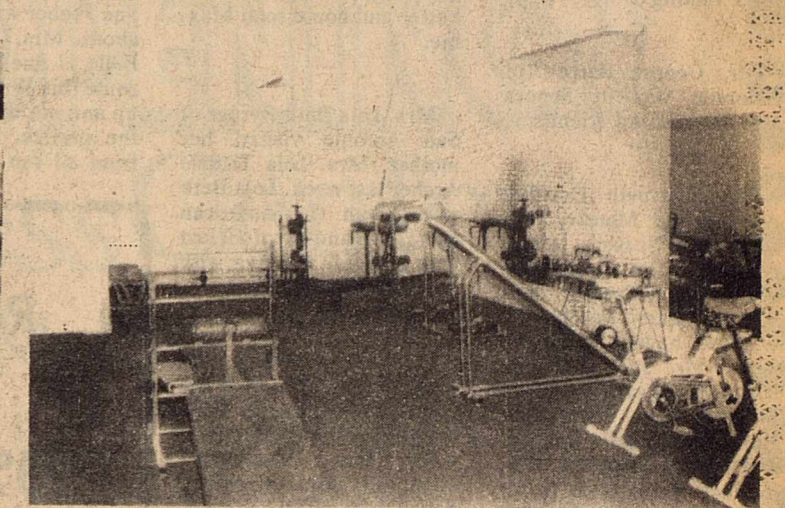
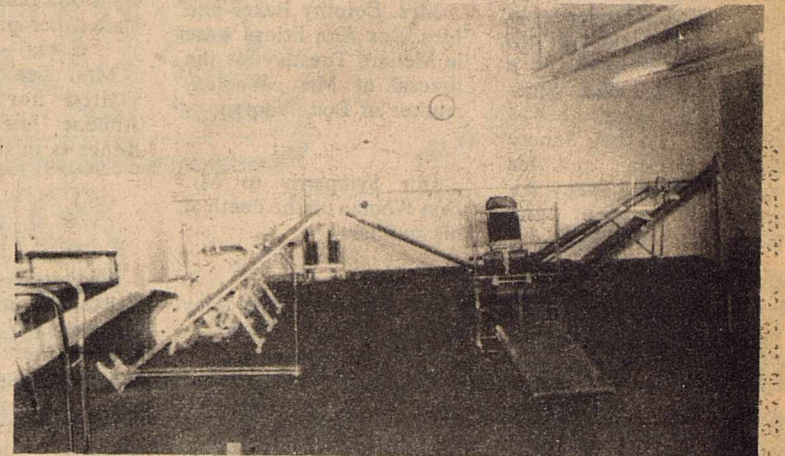
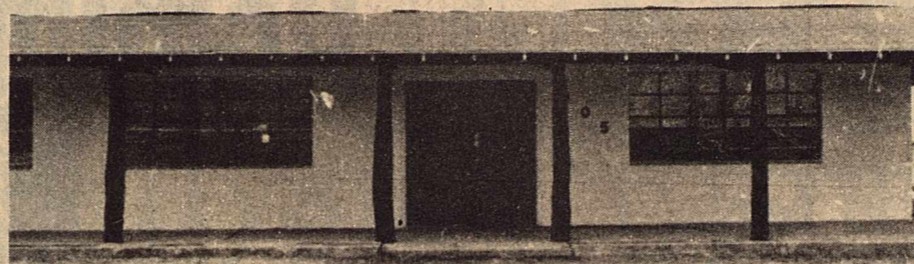
day are for men.

Ms. Clifton plans to offer low cost summer programs for those who don't want or need full memberships. Also, she hopes to offer aerobics classes, make-up lessons, hair styles and beginning weight programs for ages 14 and up.

For more information contact Melissa Clifton between the hours of 10a.m. and 5p.m. at 387-2053 or come by 105 West Main Street in Sonora.

Come by for a visit and let Ms. Clifton tailor an individual program for you and treat yourself to a great new look this summer.

Physical Fitness Center
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Tennis Team Plays in San Angelo

The High School Tennis Team went to San Angelo Feb. 19th. Ben Solis is the Tennis Coach.

Here are the results:

Girls Double:

1st Round-Margo Hinton and Debbie Moore were defeated by Scranton and Cook of Lincoln 6-2, 6-2

2nd Round-Rose Mary Dominguez and Cathy Doran defeated Genna Zurlfuh and Patti Sanchez of San Angelo Lee 6-2, 6-2.

Quarter Finals-Dominguez and Doran were defeated by Marsh and Baily of Glenn 6-2, 2-6, 7-5.

Semi-Finals-Dominguez and Doran defeated Wester and Gordon of Lincoln 6-1, 6-1.

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Quarter-Finals-

Girls Singles:

Senior Marilyn Feist defeated Julie Sadler of Wall 6-2, 6-3 in the 2nd round.

Quarter-Finals

Marilyn Feist was defeated by Tracey Dooley of Glenn 1-6, 6-4, 6-2.

Boys Singles:

Senior Mike Penalver defeated Benny Nichols of Edison 6-0, 6-0 in the 2nd round after drawing a bye in the 1st round.

Quarter-Finals- Mike defeated Kevin Miller of Brownwood 6-4, 6-1.

Mike was beat by Justin White of Glenn 6-2, 2-6, 6-4 in the finals.

Darryl Moore of Sonora defeated Marquez of Big Spring 6-0, 6-2 in 2nd round action but was defeated by Massey of Forsan 6-1, 6-2 in the quarter finals.

Boys Doubles

1st Round-Chris Artiaga and Todd Phillips both freshman were defeated in 1st round action by Parlov and Sadler of Wall 6-0, 6-3.

Sonora's #1 doubles team won 1st place in the tournament.

2nd round they defeated Yarbrough and Gaston of Forsan 6-0, 6-1.

In quarters final action they defeated Santry and Trusler of Glenn 6-0, 6-1.

In the Semi's they defeated Cruz and Harris of Lakeview 5-7, 6-1, 6-3.

In the finals they defeated Hamilton and Holland of Glenn 6-3, 6-3.

C of C Welcomes Sonora Discount Liquors, Inc.

The Chamber of Commerce welcomes Sonora Discount Liquors, Inc. D.B.A. Tim's Liquors as a member of the Chamber of Commerce, the business will still be operating under name of Tim's Liquors, however with a new management.

Tom Clifton is president of the company, Esther Copeland, Secretary-Treasurer and Gayle Atchley, Assistant Secretary-Treasurer. We wish to welcome the new management as members of the Chamber.

City Officers Election Set for April 2nd

April 2, 1983 is the date set for City Officer's Election. Also, on that date the citizens of Sonora will be voting for or against "Legalizing bingo games" in the City.

March 2, 1983 is the last day for candidates to file for inclusion on ballot. March 14 - March 29, 1983, absentee voting commences and this will take place at City Hall, City Secretary's office.

Spring Break to Start Feb. 28th

All campuses of the Sonora Independent School District will shut down for spring break on Monday, Feb. 28, through Friday, March 4. Students and teachers will report back on Monday, March 7.

Friday, Feb. 25, is an official inservice day for teaching personnel, but the students do not have to attend. Buses will not run on Friday, nor will any regular classes be in session.

Board Works Towards Computer Programming

The Sonora I.S.D. Board of Trustees and certain school administrators are currently in the process of investigating the best and most economical method of introducing computer programming into the curriculum of the local schools.

At a recent meeting of the Board, Middle School Principal Mario Sotelo addressed the subject of using computers on a basic level in the junior and senior years in high school, in sixth grade math, and in the gifted and talented program for grades four through seven.

Sotelo and James Bible, high school principal, had visited four area school districts--Ozona, Big Lake, McCamey, and Fort Stockton--

in order to compare computer setups with each other and with the requirements of Sonora. In Fort Stockton, both the high school and junior high campuses make use of computers in the classroom.

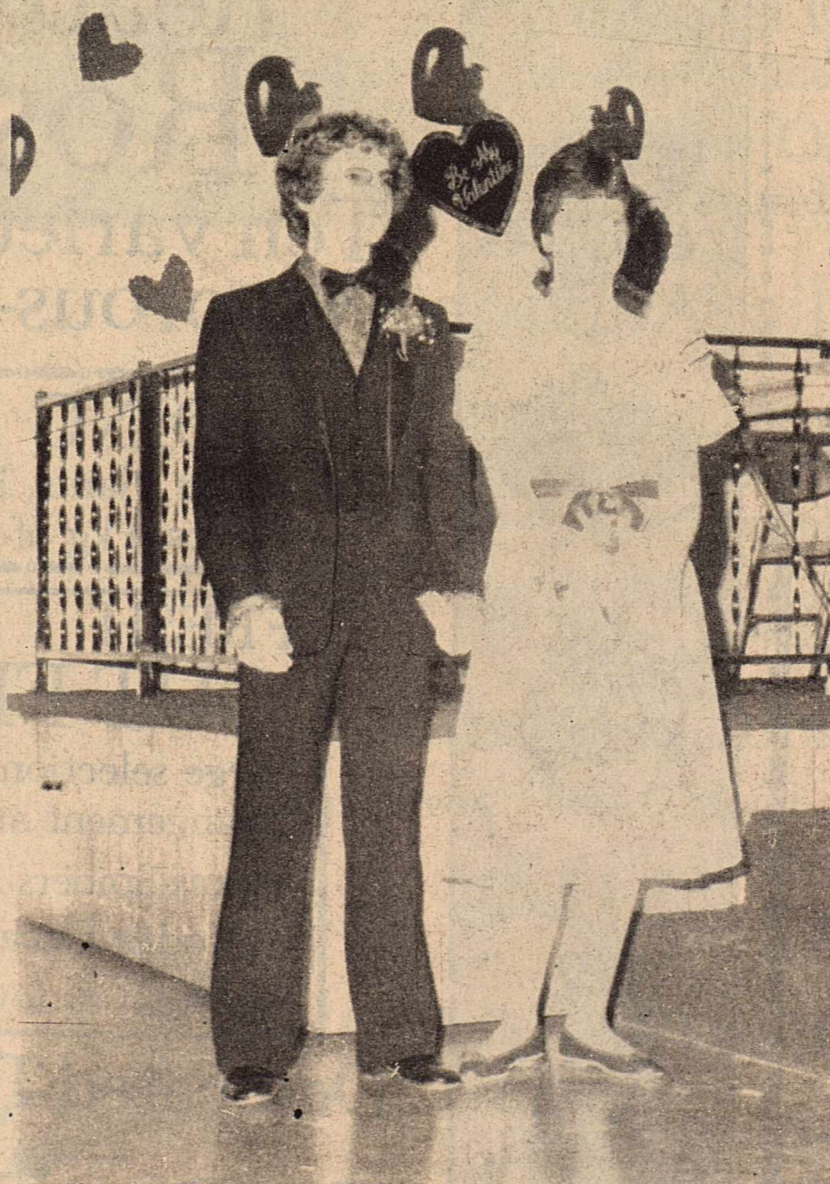
The Board members indicated approval and support of the concept of computer education in Sonora and will hear further reports from the administrative staff of comparisons of the various systems and costs of maintenance, installation and training. The district plans to delve into every aspect of computer education before deciding on the most equitable plan for use in our local schools. It is hoped that the computer programming courses will be offered for the 1983-84 school year.

Dee Ora Lodge Meeting

A called meeting of Dee Ora Lodge #715 A.F. & A.M. will be held Thursday, March 3 at 7:30 p.m. at the Lodge Hall. The purpose of the meeting is to confer two Master Mason degrees. All area Masons are urged to attend.

As all members of the Masonic

Lodge are aware of, the lodge is only as active as its' members. Our attendance has been low. The last stated meeting there were 6 officers, 6 members and one visitor. Stated meetings are held the third Thursday of each month. The lodge is opened at 7:30 p.m.



Sweetest Hearts

Around Town

by Hazel McClelland

Mrs. Muriel Hamilton was honored on her 82nd birthday-all her grandchildren and great grandchildren were here for the party. Those present were: Mrs. Mary Jean Hamilton and her daughter Gale Gladden and husband Roy, their children, Rachel and Jackie, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hamilton of San Angelo and their children Holly and Paige and Linda Hamilton, and a friend, Mr. and Mrs. Neta Hamilton, the former Neta Hamilton, and her children Fresha and her husband and Tyra.

Muriel we are so happy for you and wish you many more birthdays.

Had been asked to tell you of the death of Mr. Norman Davis of Goliad. Norman died several weeks ago. But so many people did not know about it. He was a former mayor and a Judge of Goliad. While he lived in Sonora he was principal of the Sonora school. Norman and his wife, Dotty had many friends here and our sympathy to the family.

Mrs. Mary Barrow was in Victoria, Texas to Episcopal Church Council last week.

Mrs. Dorothy Baker spent last weekend in Andrews visiting.

Mr. George Barrow of Eldorado was in Sonora Monday visiting friends.

The Hudspeth Hospital Auxiliary met Monday Feb. 19 at the Nursing home. After a short business meeting-a Valentine and Birthday Party was held. Those having birthdays were: Mr. Jack Pfister, Raymond Barker, George Phillips, Edna Crittenden, Hetty Love, Zadia Reader, and Muriel Hamilton. Valentines were given to all the patients in the Nursing Home and gifts were given to the patients having birthdays.

A birthday and valentine cake and red punch was served. The table was laid with a red table cloth and a beautiful flower arrangement was the centerpiece. Decorations were on the table for decorations. Hostess were: Mrs. Hattie B. Epps, Mrs. Dorothy Baker, Mrs. James Dover, Mrs. E.C. Carta and Hazel McClelland.

Happy birthday was sung by all the people. We wish them all many more happy birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brisco of Midland, Mrs. Louise Glasscock of Austin and Mr. Russell Oliver of Van Horn were here to help celebrate the birthday of Mr. George Phillips and to visit their mother Mrs. Thelma Phillip.

Mrs. Clay Mitchell and baby, Sarah Clave returned home from the hospital in San Angelo, Monday the 14th.

Mrs. W. O. Crites entertained the Tuesday night club at her home Feb. 15. Members present were: Mrs. Davie Taylor, Mrs. Guila Vicars, Mrs. Vestal Askew, Mrs. Leo Merrill, Mrs. Lena Belle Ross, Mrs. Edwin Sawyer, Mrs. Alice Jones. Guests were-Mrs.

Don Jones Mrs. Taylor won the high score prize, Mrs. Askew won the traveling prize, Mrs. Sawyer won the bingo and Mrs. Don Jones won the guest prize. A delicious dinner was served.

Mrs. Marie Hoggett and Mrs. Carrie Belle Roark of Mertzon were visiting Mrs. Hoggett's sister, Mrs. Guila Vicars, several days last week.

Mrs. Mack Cauthorn has returned from Dallas where she was in the hospital. So good you are better Addah.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack David Wardlaw were in San Angelo Wednesday.

Mrs. Dorothy Baker and Mrs. Rex Ann Friess were in Menard Tuesday for the funeral of Mrs. Wootan, mother of Don Wootan.

Our Sympathy to Mr. Don Wootan on the death of his mother.

Mrs. Anne Karnes May of San Angelo visited in Sonora last weekend.

Mrs. Maxine Browne is in the Shannon hospital in San Angelo. Hope you are better and home soon Maxine.

Mrs. Lola Beth Byrnes of San Antonio visited her mother, Mrs. Lola Tisdale Archer last week. Lola Beth works with the American Red Cross and spent all last year in Korea working with the Red Cross over there.

The Sonora Sewing Club met Tuesday Feb. 15 at the home of Mrs. Lucille Coleman members present were: Mrs. Elizabeth Hemphill, Mrs. Bernice Savell, Mrs. Vicki Shannon, Mrs. Barbara Savell, Mrs. Julie Pollard, Mrs. Sadie Archer, Mrs. Marty McLain, Mrs. Janet Patton, Mrs. Rosalie Richardson of Sonora, Mrs. Benny Gail Hunnicutt, and Mary Lu Lilly from Ozona. Coffee, orange juice, and cookies were served when the guests arrived. Lunch was served at Pearl's Pizzeria.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Aguilar of San Angelo visited Mrs. Hazel McClelland Sat. and she attended the shower for Miss Elizabeth

Jane Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Schnieder, Curt and Robbin were in Austin this past weekend visiting their daughter Pam.

Mr. Johnny McClelland of Pearland, Texas was here several days visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. John McClelland. John is in the Hudspeth Hospital.

Matt and Savell Shannon were here over the weekend visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Shannon.

Mrs. Billy Kring and son Jessie, has returned home from Arkansas where she visited her parents.

Mrs. Lea Roy Valliant visited her parents in Abilene last week. Her father is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W.O. Crites were in San Antonio last week, W.O. was in the hospital there. Do hope you are better now W.O.

Had a note from Devitt Blanton and Gwynne (Blanton) Martin and Mary Sue Weber wanting to hear about Mrs. Belle Steen-Belle is fine-has been sick some this Winter but she is up and out and going to all the parties. Glad to hear from all you "Blantons".

Mary Lee Hull Honored Eastern Star Life Plaque



Sister Mary Lee Hull was honored an Eastern Star Life plaque on Friendship Night, February 15th at the Masonic Hall. She served since February 18, 1930-Feb. 18, 1983.

Mrs. Hull is the wife of Joe Hull and lives in Sonora.

Matron, of the Eldorado Chapter presented her with rose buds also that night.

Mrs. Hull served as Worthy Matron from 1936-1937 and from 1970-1971. She was also Deputy Grand Matron from 1972-1973 and has served on the Grand Chapter the past 20 years on committees.

Cathy Nibitt, Worthy



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Jan. '83 Library Report

According to the Sutton County Library's Annual Report; over 8,000 books were checked out during the last Fiscal year. The Library had 6,850 visitors with 1,476 participating in Special Programs. This is the best year ever recorded by the Library. Thanks to the local people for making the County Library a success. Visiting Hours are: M, W, F.....8-5. Tues.....12-5 and Closed Thurs. and Sat.

Attendance: Adults: 400 and Children: 211
 Books: Adults: 343, Children: 241, and Paperbacks: 107
 Special Programs: S.E.E.C. Movies: 73, and Brownie Troop: 14 (education and resource program).
 Night Study for High Schoolers: 12 (We make a special effort to open the Library for the Seniors while they are writing their term papers so that they may become acquainted with our facilities. We order books from Abilene in advance for them to use, also. This number at the nightly study period jumped from 2 people last year to the 14 this year.)
 We are making some impact on this community. Last Jan. of 1982, we had an attendance of: 255 adults!

DRN Correction

There was a mistake in last weeks paper. In the Citizen of the Month story, the outline under the story should have read:

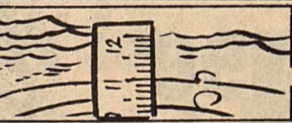
Rhonda Wilson, Dale Chaney, Kathy Spain, Carol Parker, Charlotte Wilson, Jim Dover, and Edith James.

Lunch Menu

- BREAKFAST**
- Monday, March 7**
 Grape Juice
 Cinnamon Toast
 Milk
- Tuesday, March 8**
 Pineapple-Grapefruit Juice
 Corn Flakes
 Milk
- Wednesday, March 9**
 Grape Juice
 Blueberry Muffin
 Milk
- Thursday, March 10**
 Orange Juice
 Cheese Toast
 Milk
- Friday, March 11**
 Pineapple-Grapefruit Juice
 Sausage
 Biscuits/Jelly
 Milk
- LUNCH**
- Monday, March 7**
 Corn Dogs
 Pinto Beans
 Cole Slaw
 Peanut Butter Cookies
 Milk
- Tuesday, March 8**
 Taco Burgers
 Fried Potatoes
 Sliced Peaches
 Jello
 Milk
- Wednesday, March 9**
 Hamburger Steak 1/2 Gravy
 Spinach & Rice Casserole
 Blackeyed Peas
 Cheese Rolls
 Banana Pudding
 Milk
- Thursday, March 10**
 Italian Spaghetti
 Green Beans
 Tossed Salad
 Hot Rolls
 Peanut Butter Cake
 Milk
- Friday, March 11**
 Batter-fried Fish
 Fried Potatoes
 Pear & Cheese Salad
 Cornbread
 Ice Cream
 Milk

Jr. High Honor Roll

- Fourth Sixth Weeks**
Eighth Grade All A's
- Eighth Grade All A's**
 Kristen Keel
 Angie Carrasco
 Penny Clemons
 Lauri Sotelo
 Gay Ann Dobbs
 Tammy Holguin
 Janet Barlemann
 Kelly Cahill
- All A's-1B**
 Lynn Ducioame
 Idalia Coronado
 Cindy Rojas
 Steve Love
 Kathy Richter
 Lane Cayce
- Seventh Grade All A's**
 Amy ane Arebao
 Alisia Sanchez
 Delma Chavez
 Samantha Gregory
 Zané Dunnam
 Geneva Ee
 Daria Provinces
- All A's-1B**
 Vickie Rhiddlehoover
 Cindy Doran
 Leddy French
 Justin Condra
 Rosa Trevino
 Shellie Lykins
- Sixth Grade All A's**
 Brad Pohl
 Anna Balch
 Mitzi Joy
 Stephanie Hinton
 Jessie Lynch
 Mark Esche
 Kim Cooke
 Brandi Ware
- All A's-1B**
 Wheless Baker
 Billy Dupree
 Michelle
 Mc Ewen
 Kay Williams
 Clay Graves
 Lisa Samaniego



Portions of the Atlantic sea board are sinking at a rate

Edna Duren Named Chairperson for the Muscular Dystrophy Association

Mrs. Edna Duren of Sonora, has been named 1983 Community Chairperson for Sonora by the Muscular Dystrophy Association. Mrs. Duren will be serving as liaison between MDA and Sonora citizens to help carry out MDA's goals and objectives. She will be recruiting various groups and organizations throughout the year in sponsoring fund raising events to benefit the association. Anyone interested in holding an event for MDA is welcome to contact her at any time.

MDA provides a variety of services to people with neuromuscular diseases, including clinics, camping programs, orthopedic appliances and counseling. All services are provided free of charge to patients. Mrs. Duren can provide pamphlets and brochures describing MDA's program of authorized services. The association is also involved in extensive worldwide research, professional and public education. Its programs are funded almost entirely by individual private contributions. The association receives no government grants, nor does it seek or receive fees from patients or their families.

For more information on MDA or on planning special events to benefit MDA, feel free to contact Edna Duren at 387-3874.

Daniel Gus Ward Born Feb. 16

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Ward of Sonora are proud to announce the birth of a son, Daniel Gus, on February 16th. He was born in Agelo Community Hospital, and weighed 7 lbs. 7 ozs. He is welcomed by his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Pidcock of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ward of Sonora. Mr. and Mrs. Rip Ward are paternal great grandparents.

4-H Results

In the Junior 4-H Club Show, Mary Ross Exhibited the reserve champion Angora goat. Ruth Espy of Sonora was the breeder of this doe kid. This doe kid was sired by the top selling 1981 performance tested billy goat; he was bred by D.L. Clout of Rocksprings. Mary and Joe Will Ross also placed 3rd and 9th in

the large billy kid class. In the open Angora goat show, Mary Ross won Grand Champion billy goat with her aged buck. David Lee Ross won 1st place with his yearling billy and Joe Will placed 3rd with a billy kid. Breeder was the Ross Ranch. Armer Earwood was the judge. There were 340 entries in the show.

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Elizabeth Cooper, Bride-elect of Joe Davys
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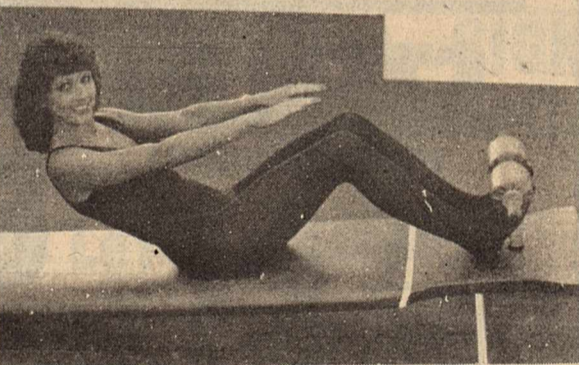
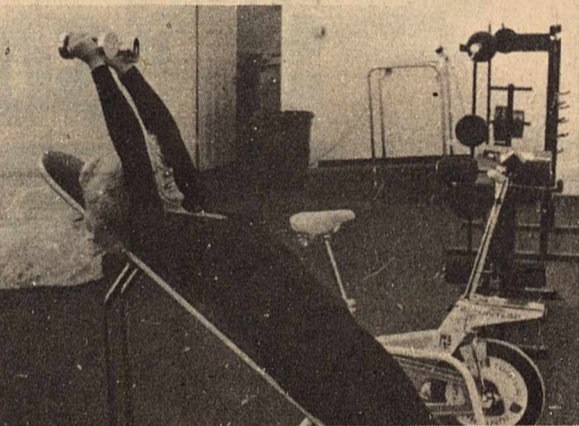
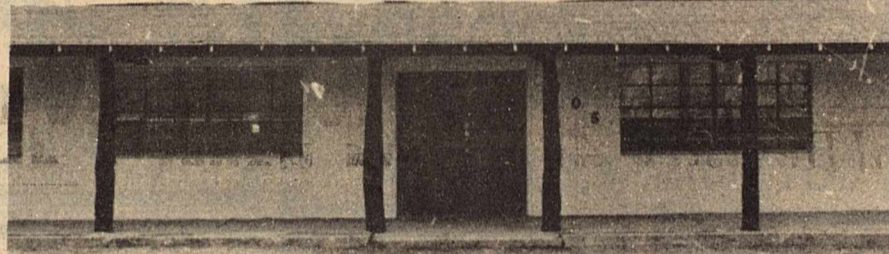
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Physical Fitness Center

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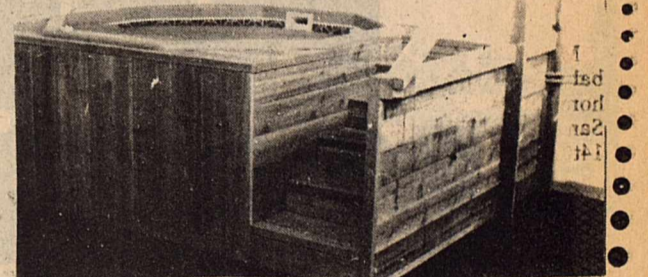
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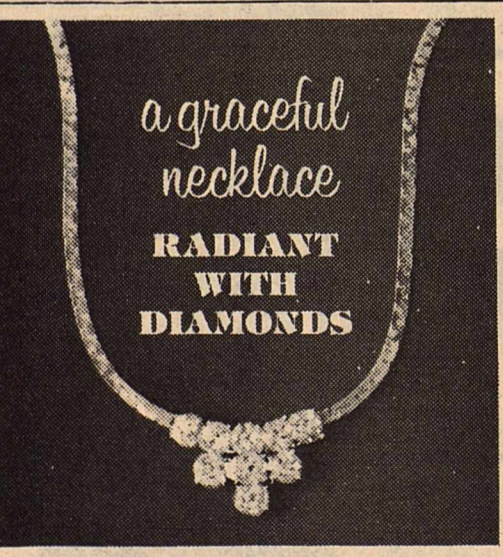
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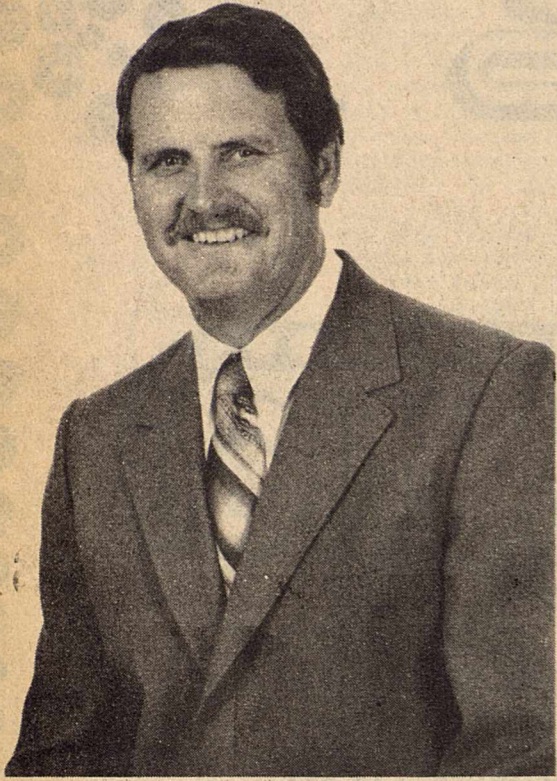
The Petroettes gave a surprise baby shower for Betty Weant in the home of Margaret Cascadden, Feb. 16th at their regular meeting.

A salad luncheon was served and Mrs. Weant received many nice gifts. Present for the shower

were: Delores Hodges of San Angelo, Vicki Creek, Cathy Minitra, Margaret Cascadden, Betty Weant, Patty Bougher, Johnnie Hodges, Ruth Rity, Bobbye Alexander, Joyce Chalk, Clara James, Susie Rameriz, and Gloria Gordon.



Sammie J. Stewart to Seek Re-Election



Sammie J. Stewart

Sonora I.S.D. School Board President Sammie J. Stewart announced that he will seek re-election to the Board of Trustees in the April 2 election.

Stewart, a 16-year resident of Sonora, is now serving his third term as Board president and his ninth year in office as a school trustee. In seeking a fourth term of office, he observed that even though he would like more time to spend with his family, he felt that it would be a waste of hard-earned experience as a public servant not to run again.

A 19-year veteran of the U.S. Border Patrol Service, Stewart and his wife Bettye have two sons; Allen, a freshman at Angelo State University, and Greg, a sophomore student at Sonora High School. He is a member of the Masonic Order and a member of the First Baptist Church, as well as several professional organizations. He also served two years in the U.S. Navy before joining the

Border Patrol.

During his tenure as trustee, Stewart has seen changes and great deal of improvement in the local system. Thanks to the gas boom and the great increase in the tax base as direct result, he has witnessed expansion in the curriculum, in the physical plant, in the faculty, and last, but certainly not least, in the number of students on all the campuses in the system. According to Stewart in spite of the current

lull in the oil patch, the student population is still growing, and will continue to grow in the future.

The school board, both past and present, has been wise in spending the tax monies under its control, said Stewart, and will continue to give a great deal of thought to the expenditure of district funds to get the most possible good for the greatest number of students. He pointed out that the recent purchase of land by the district, and the ever-increasing school

population, will bring about even more expansion in the next few year, and his experience will be of great value to the citizens of Sonora and Sutton County.

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On Wednesday the 23rd, the Choir goes to Brownwood for their UIL Solo and Ensemble Contest at Howard Payne University. Good luck to all participants.

On Friday we're having a student holiday. Yeaaaaa!

The week of February 28 thru March 4 is Spring Break, so live it up, stay out

late, and have a good time for a whole week!

On Saturday, March 5, Boys' and Girls' Varsity Track people go to Junction. Good luck!

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Debra Shahan to Wed David Jennings on March 12

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Shahan, Jr., of Pleasanton announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Debra Lee, to David Wayne Jennings, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reed Jennings of Sonora. Oakwood Methodist Church in Lubbock will be the setting for the March 12, 1983, wedding. Miss Shahan is a 1979 graduate of Pleasanton High School and is currently a senior at Texas Tech in Lubbock. Mr. Jennings graduated from Sonora High School in 1979, attended Angelo State for two years, and is also presently a senior at Texas Tech.



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L.R. Sprott Talks on Cattle Dollars

Certain management practices can put money in the bank for cattlemen—up to \$90 more per cow each year.

Practices that virtually guarantee a net return are pregnancy testing, sorting and feeding cattle according to need, selecting bulls on performance and implanting steers.

"These practices can mean extra dollars because they help increase the calf crop and weaning weights," points out Dr. L.R. Sprott, beef cattle specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. "This means more pounds of beef going to market, and that's the name of the game."

"Pregnancy testing is the easiest way to increase herd fertility and reproductive efficiency," emphasizes Sprott. "This allows you to cull open cows and to get rid of free-loaders—those cows that aren't producing a calf every year."

Proper nutrition goes hand-in-hand with pregnancy testing in that heifers and cows in good body condition breed faster and have higher calf crops, notes the specialist. Properly fed cows often have calf crops exceeding 85 percent and they also produce more milk, resulting in heavier calves at weaning. Cows in poor body condition often have calf crops below 70 percent.

"Selecting bulls on their performance can go a long way in improving your calf

crop," says Sprott. "All bulls should be fertility tested before being placed with cows. Bulls with good performance records can improve calf weaning weights for a number of generations."

Sprott also advises cattlemen to consider a controlled breeding season of 80 days or less in the cooler months. This can result in increased reproductive performance by eliminating late-calving cows and avoiding reduced fertility during hot weather.

"Once calves are born, weaning weights can be increased by using implants or growth stimu-

lants," says Sprott. "A number of implants are on the market today and they all work. They cost about a cent a day and gain a amount to about .2 pound a day provided average forage or feed is available. At today's prices the implants pay for themselves within 15 days, and from there on it's money in the bank."

Many cattlemen are cutting back on inputs where possible to make their operations more efficient during these trying economic times. The practices outlined above can help cattlemen stay in business by increasing profits, contends Sprott.



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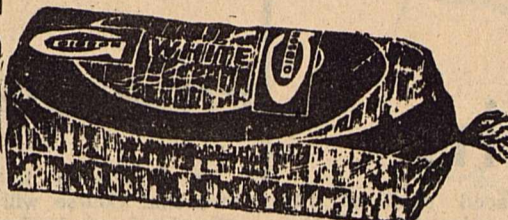
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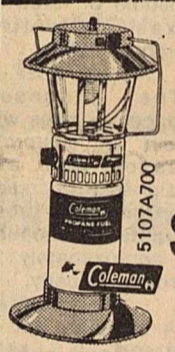
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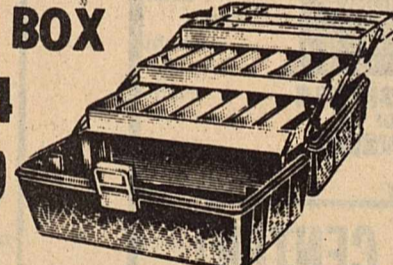


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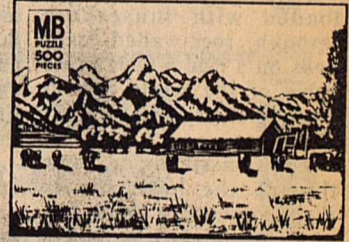


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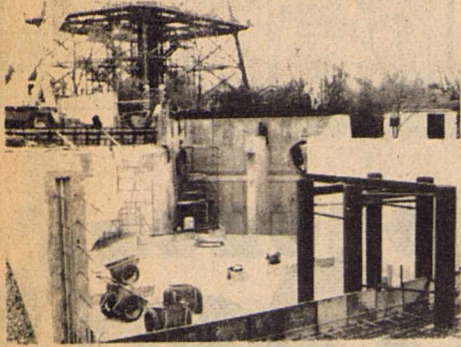
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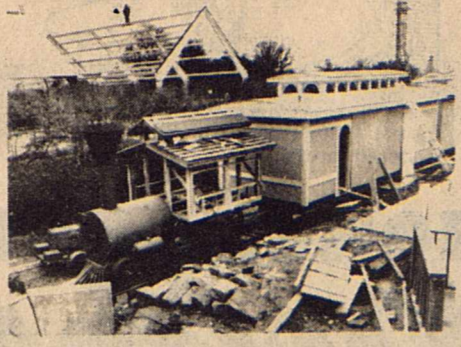
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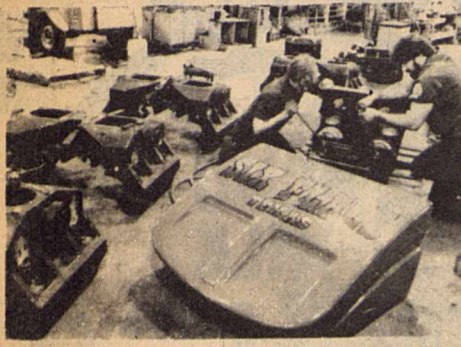
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Six Flags Over Texas During the Winter Months

Have you ever seen a picture of San Francisco right after the earthquake of 1906?

If so, you have a rough idea of what Six Flags Over Texas looks like during the winter months.

The spotlessly clean, beautifully landscaped wonderland familiar to millions undergoes an annual facelift that makes the workload of a Hollywood plastic surgeon seem like child's play.

After the park closes in November, and before it reopens in March, thousands of man-hours go into making certain the "Six Flags Look" is more dazzling than the year before.

This winter 5.5 million dollars are being poured into the sprawling entertainment center in a little over three months.

The results will include the biggest ride in the park's history, an entirely new children's section and hundreds of subtle changes.

This month painters on their way to refinish the interiors of shops and restaurants find themselves dodging a steady stream of dump trucks, bulldozers and concrete transports.

They must pick their way around small "mountains" of dirt, gravel, boulders, lumber and structural steel.

In the Southern Palace Theater, where rehearsals are already underway for the park's 1983 musical, choreographer's shouted instructions are occasionally drowned out by the whining roar of a concrete pump forcing tons of lumpy gray concrete into forms molding the walls of a manmade river.

Builders of the river, to be known as Roaring Rapids, are working against an early spring deadline for opening of the new, 4.2 million dollar ride.

The finished product will be a series of churning, whitecapped rapids which will propel huge rafts loaded with funseekers through rock-walled canyons on a ride which rivals some of the world's most exciting river rafting excursions.

The massive ride runs through the heart of Six Flags occupying land formerly devoted to La Salle's Riverboat Adventure and Skull Island.

Not far away an entire railroad train is being built. It will be a key feature of Pac-Man Land, a half-mil-

lion-dollar children's play area which is taking shape in the park's USA section.

When the train is completed it will house a children's birthday party room, a diapering and nursing center and the park's familiar "lost" parents are located.

Just outside the train is an area in which children's rides will be clustered.

Construction crews are also busy installing creative play features which will delight young eyes. There will be everything from a "forest of tall punching bags to a cargo net climb to stretch young muscles and imaginations.

At the entrance to Six Flags bulldozers have leveled the parking lot toll plaza and a new, more efficient structure is rising to serve guests who will begin arriving March 5, when Six Flags begins its 23rd season.

Before that date, streets now strewn with the rubble of change will be "squeaky clean" and ready for visitors.

Already the tens of thousands of pansies, tulips and hyacinths which will burst with color come spring are nestled in the freshly reworked soil of scores of flowerbeds.

In spacious greenhouses just outside the park, tropical plants are getting a winter pampering and hundreds of hanging baskets grow more lush by the day.

They will be gingerly moved into place in the final days before the '83 season begins.

Next door to the greenhouses are the buildings where ride technicians are painstakingly poring over nuts, bolts, gears, axles, wheels and other items which, when fitted back together, will become the cars of the Shock Wave double loop roller coaster, the gondolas of the whirling Spinnaker or key parts of other familiar rides.

During the winter months rides are literally taken apart. The disassembled components are subjected to non-destructive testing to detect even the tiniest of hidden flaws.

The costly, time-consuming work is part of an annual ritual to assure the safety of every ride in the Six Flags lineup.

In the park's sign shop artists are hard at the task of making more than 6,500 signs look "just like new." Many of them will be new,

reflecting the major changes created by new rides and other attractions.

In that same area antique, hand-carved carousel horses have been stropped of their paint. The "jewels" adorning their harness have been replaced with hundreds of new glass baubles which reflect a rainbow of color.

Soon artists brushes will transform each prancing steed into a white, or black or dappled charger.

In still another work area upholsterers are putting the finishing touches on a huge inventory of seat backs and cushions which will soon be reinstalled on rides ranging from roller coasters to miniature antique cars.

The fiberglass shop is the winter home of a most unusual logjam. In this case the logs are the boats which ply the waters of Six Flags' two flume rides.

The wheels which guide the logs are missing. Brand new ones will be installed. The scratches and scrapes of the previous season are carefully removed before a new fiberglass surface is applied.

The logs will make a stop in the paint shop, where a glistening new finish will be applied, before they are taken back into the park to

President Reagan's plan to tax workers' health insurance benefits would be an ineffective cost containment measure and would place a heavy tax burden on low and middle income workers, according to Aetna Life & Casualty, one of the nation's largest health insurers.

Keith A. Stevenson, assistant vice president of

Aetna's Employee Benefits Division, provided specific examples of how the proposed tax, included in the President's budget package, would affect a worker and family.

Based on Health and Human Services estimates, about 16 million families -- approximately one-quarter of those covered by employer-sponsored health

plans -- would be affected in the first year alone.

Under the proposal, a limit would be placed on employer's non-taxable contributions to employee health plans. Contributions above \$840 per year for a single person and \$2,100 for a family would count as taxable income to the employee.

Volunteer Income Tax Assistance

If you need assistance with your tax return, the Internal Revenue Service suggests that you visit a Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) site.

VITA is designed to provide free assistance to taxpayers who need help with

relatively simple tax returns. The volunteers, who are located in libraries, schools, and similar sites, are trained by the IRS for their volunteer tax work.

Persons desiring this service should telephone the IRS and ask for the location

of the nearest VITA site.

When going to a VITA site for assistance, taxpayers should be sure they take along the tax package that came to them in the mail, their wage and earnings statements, interest statements, and other necessary tax information and documents.

Emergency Course

An Emergency Care Attendant Course will be offered in Sonora beginning on Monday, February 28. Classes will be held at the Sonora Fire Department from 7:00 to 10:00 each Monday and Thursday evening through April 18. Tuition for the course will be \$40 plus the textbook at \$12.95.

If you are interested in taking this course, please

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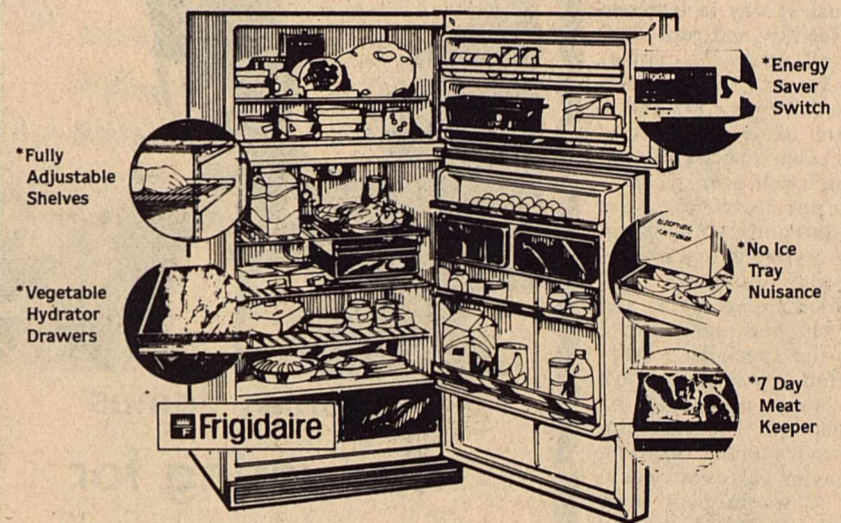
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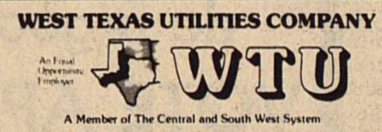
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<p>First United Methodist Church David W. Griffin-Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship 10:55 a.m. KVRN 98 AM 11:00 a.m. Children's Choir 5:00 p.m. UMYF 6:00 p.m. Wed. Chancel Choir 7:00</p>	<p>Jehovah's Witnesses Sunday Public Talk 10:00 a.m. Watchtower Study 10:50 a.m. Tuesday Cheoeratic School 7:30p.m. Service Meeting 8:30 p.m. Thursday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>First Assembly of God Rev. Louis Halford-Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship 11:00 a.m. Eve. Serv. 6:00 p.m. Wed. Serv. 7:00 P.m.</p>	<p>Sonora Tabernacle United Pentecostal Rev. Kenneth Doyle Pastor Sunday Schol 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Eve. Worship 7:30 p.m. Wed. Serv. 7:30 p.m.</p>
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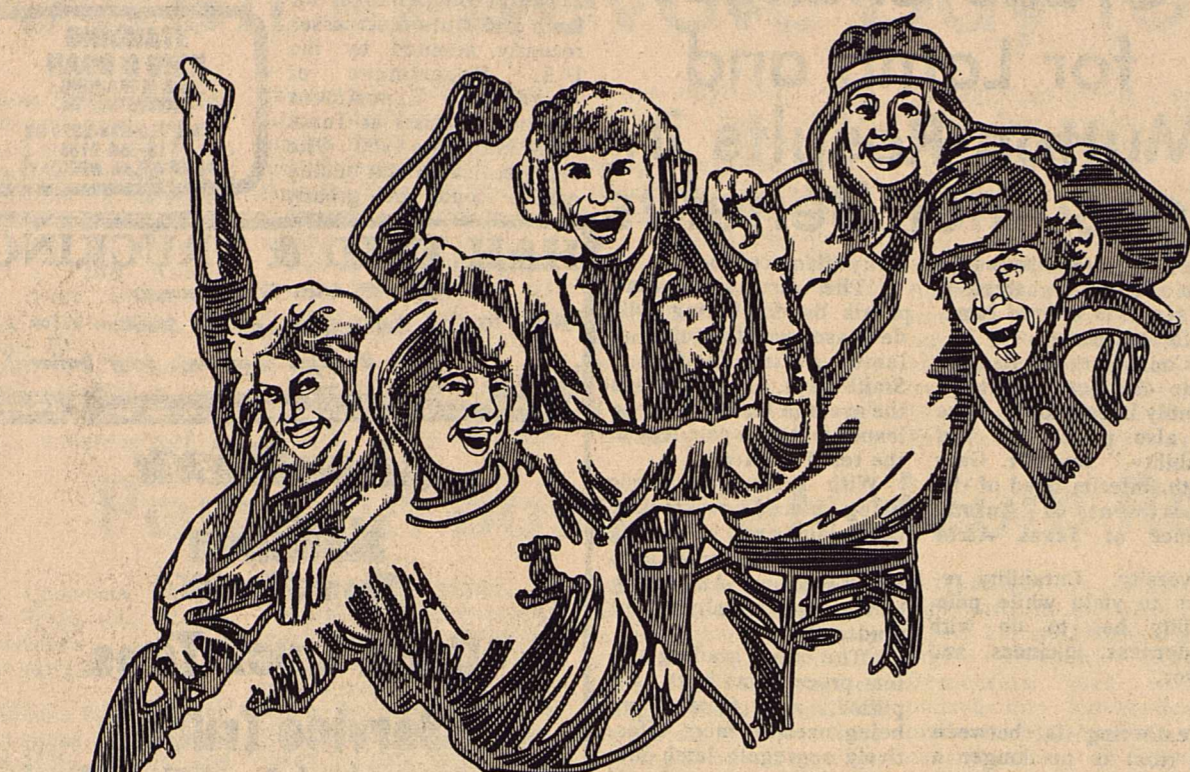
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Broncos Tennis Schedule

Date	Description	Place	Time
Feb. 18-19	San Angelo Tournament	San Angelo	8:00 a.m.
Feb. 24	Ozona Dual Meet	Ozona	4:00 p.m.
Feb. 25-26	Sonora Tournament	Sonora	8:00 a.m.
Mar. 8	Eldorado Dual Meet	Sonora	4:00 p.m.
Mar. 11-12	Iraan Tournament	Iraan	8:00 a.m.
Mar. 15	Ozona Dual Meet	Sonora	4:00 p.m.
Mar. 18-19	Big Lake Tournament	Big Lake	8:00 a.m.
Mar. 21	Eldorado Dual Meet	Eldorado	4:00 p.m.
Mar. 25-26	Ozona Tournament	Ozona	8:00 a.m.
Mar. 28	Big Lake Dual Meet	Big Lake	4:00 p.m.
Apr. 5-6	Girls 6-AAA District	Sonora	8:00 a.m.
Apr. 8	Big Lake Dual Meet	Sonora	4:00 p.m.
Apr. 15-16	Boys 6-AAA District	Sonora	8:00 a.m.

Colors: Red and White Coach: Coach Solis Mascot: Broncos

Jr. High Tennis Schedule

Date	Description	Place	Time
Feb. 25-26	8th Annual Sonora Tournament		8:00 a.m.
Mar. 10	Ozona Dual Meet	Ozona	4:00 p.m.
Mar. 14	Eldorado Dual Meet	Eldorado	4:00 p.m.
Mar. 17	Ozona Dual Meet	Sonora	4:00 p.m.
Mar. 24	Eldorado Dual Meet	Sonora	4:00 p.m.
Mar. 29-30	Junction Tournament	Junction	8:00 a.m.
Apr. 5-6	Girls 6-AAA Dist. Meet	Sonora	8:00 a.m.
Apr. 15-16	Boys 6-AAA Dist. Meet	Sonora	8:00 a.m.

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Sutton County Ag Corner



1983 Marks 4-H's 75th Anniversary

This year marks the 75th Anniversary of 4-H in Texas. Since 1908 when County Agent Tom Marks organized the original Boys Corn Club in Jack County, 4-H has grown into a dynamic organization of 125,000 youth in Texas and more than 5 million through out the nation, points out Charles Gardner, 4-H and youth specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Out of the land-grant college system begun in 1862, a need evolved to educate young people who might be interested in following agriculture for a career. Thus the corn clubs of the early 1900s became the foundation for 4-H. These clubs were designed to teach the latest principles of agricultural production to youth who would in turn, demonstrate their new-found knowledge and skills on their family farms.

With its roots in agriculture, 4-H has since expanded and broadened its scope and now offers more than 60 different project opportunities for boys and girls between the ages of 9 and 19, he points out. The mission of 4-H today is to help youth acquire knowledge, develop life skills and form attitudes that will make them self-directing, productive and contributing members of society.

4-H'ers are active in such areas as energy conservation, environmental improvement, community service and food production, says Gardner. They participate in programs that aid youth employment and career decisions, health, nutrition, home improvement and family relationships.

4-H clubs and projects are offered in virtually every community in the U.S. today, with local volunteer leaders providing their time and energy to insure that 4-H'ers have a chance to grow and develop to their full potential. 4-H has come a long way since 1908, but many new frontiers still await to be conquered, says Gardner.

Grade Changes for Lamb and Mutton Results in Consumer Benefits

Recent grade changes for lamb and mutton carcasses will result in several benefits for consumers.

"Consumers will find the grade changes beneficial, not only in relation to price but also palatability and cutability," says Dr. Gary Smith, interim head of the Department of Animal Science at Texas A&M University. Cutability relates to yield while palatability has to do with tenderness, juiciness, and flavor.

in flavor, juiciness and tenderness.

The grading changes for lamb and mutton carcasses recently adopted by the U.S. Department of Agriculture Experiment Station scientists at Texas A&M in the late 1960'. The study indicated that quality grades could be greatly

simplified and improved as predictors of palatability.

"The decreased emphasis on feathering will decrease over-fattening of lambs during feeding," Smith says. "This means the average lamb should be leaner and thus cost less at the retail market." With greater emphasis being placed on muscle color, lambs will be moving to market at an earlier age, Smith explains. And young lambs are usually more tender.

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Cattle Feeding Lacks Long Way to Reach Levels of Late '70s

More cattle were on feed on January 1 compared to a year ago-to no one's surprise-but the level is still below recent years.

Although the number of cattle and calves on feed in the 13 major cattle feeding states showed a sharp gain on January 1, the number is still below levels reported

at the beginning of 1976, '77, '78, '79 and '80, points out Dr. Ed Uvacek, economist in livestock marketing with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

"The main thing we have to remember in comparing figures with 1982 is that we had extremely low levels of cattle on feed and low cattle placements last year," says Uvacek.

While the number of steers on feed was up only 7 percent from last year, heifers were up 28 percent and cows, 26 percent.

"This means that the quantity of beef coming from these cattle numbers is going to be considerably below earlier years when the steer-heifer relationship was more nearly

equal," notes the economist. Net placements during the last quarter of 1982 were up 17 percent from the same period in 1981, but were below levels in 1975, '76, and '77. Uvacek notes that October placements last year were up

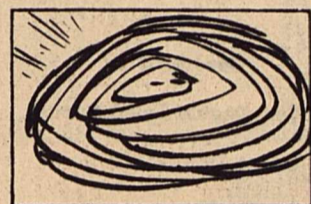
sharply due to the large number of drought-type, light calves that went into lots. These will require a much longer feeding period.

Uvacek estimates feedlot marketings for the first

quarter of 1983 to be about six million head, up 11 percent from a year ago. Although that would be the largest level in three years, it would still be below the number of fed animals marketed during the first quarters of 1978 and '79.

"While we're starting the year with more cattle on feed than a year ago, we should by no means expect a beef market glut in the months ahead," says Uvacek. "We still have a long way to go to reach the cattle feeding levels of the late '70s."

Feathering (fat between the ribs) is no longer a quality factor in grading. Quality grading is now based on flank fat streaking (fat in and on the flank muscle) in relation to ma-



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Garden to Gourmet in Ft. Worth

Chuck wagon chow, the art of making old fashioned ice cream, growing fruit in Texas, home fruit canned, branded and candied, and "Beef's the Best, Forget the Rest Bar-B-Q Cook Off" will be the features of the 1983 Garden to Gourmet programs in Fort Worth.

These three days of programs will be held in connection with the 1983 Southwest Farm and Ranch Exposition and Championship Horse, Truck and Tractor Pull in the Tarrant County Convention Center, March 4, 5 and 6.

The programs are being conducted and supervised by Jalyn Burkett, Tarrant County Extension Agent, Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The program will begin on Friday, March 4 at 1:30 p.m. in the Convention Center Arena with "Chuck Wagon Cooking", a demonstration of cowboy chow from the old cowtrail chuck wagon. Beef, beans and bread, plus sour dough cobbler and coffee by the

gallon, all prepared over an open campfire by Jalyn Burkett, and Mac McDaniels, Chuck Wagon Coosie; at 2:30 p.m. "Frost Bites", by Tommy White, Dairy Specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, is a program designed to teach you the basics and art of making old fashioned ice cream.

On Saturday, March 5, in the Little Theater, Room 262A, the program will begin with "Plant'n and Pick'n", a program on growing fruit in Texas by Marty Baker, Tarrant County Extension Horticulturist and Dr. Sammy Helmers, Extension Horticulturist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service. At 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, Renee Sanders, Wise County Extension Agent and Jalyn Burkett will present "In Demand, In the Can", designed to teach you the art of processing your fruit at home - canned, branded, and candied.

Sunday, March 6, in the Convention Outdoor

Exhibit Area, "Beef's the Best, Forget the Rest Bar-B-Q Cook Off" will be held, with \$100 prized to 1st place winner, \$50 to 2nd and \$25 to 3rd. The contest will be limited to 30 entries and winners will be recognized at the Horse, Truck and Tractor Pull on Sunday evening.

Following the beef cook off, Jalyn Burkett will present "Beef Up the Basics", demonstrations on how to make corned beef, jerky and sausage.

The main feature of the Southwest Farm and Ranch Exposition will be 200,000 square feet of farm and ranch supplies used by Southwest farmers and ranchers.

In connection with the show there will be a Horse, Truck and Tractor Pull each evening in the Convention Center Arena. This is a first for horses for the Southwest and will feature Belgians with team weights

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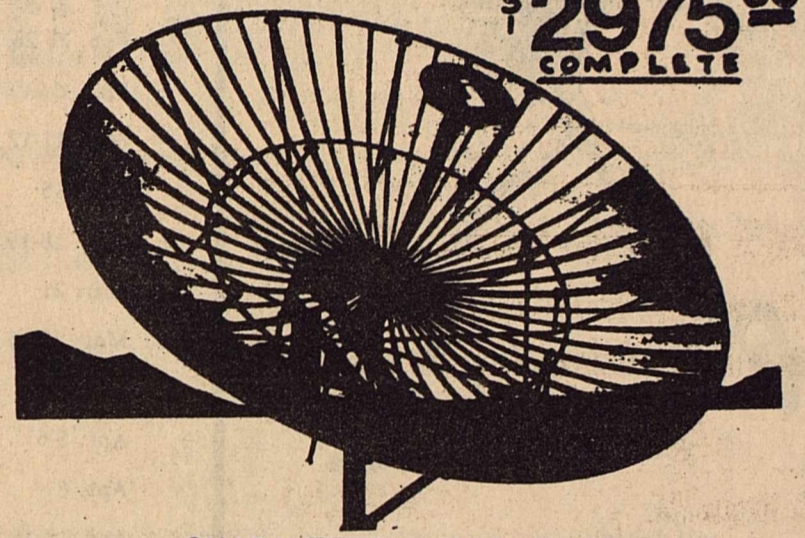
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Registration begins at 9 a.m. followed by meetings of the District 4-H Adult Leaders Association and the District 4-H Council.

Adult, junior and teen leaders can then choose between afternoon training sessions in Creative Clothing, Successful Rabbit Project Production, and wool and mohair judging beginning at 1 p.m.

Additional training sessions in 4-H Method Demonstrations and Processing Animal Skins begin at 2:30 p.m.

Discussions in the training updates will be led by adult volunteer leaders, specialists in the areas, and subject matter specialists with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

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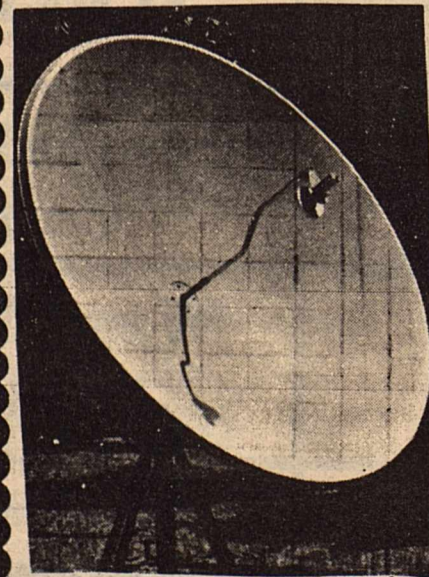
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Each Dowell location will be responsible for its own Safety Day program. Staggered work schedules will be arranged so that every Doweller can attend a full Safety Day meeting and work can still continue as usual.

time," Tolley said. In closing, Tolley said, "Our outstanding record is one of our most valued achievements. It's good for everyone -- our people, Dowell, our families at home, our customers, and the public in general. Working safely is a large part of Dowell's success and reputation, but we can't afford to rest on our laurels. Safety Week is a starting point each year to renew our efforts for an even safer year to come."

Dowell has approximately 130 locations throughout the United States. All will participate in Dowell's Fifth Annual Safety Week.

Safety Week at the Sonora district is scheduled for February 22-24. For more information on the planned activities there call Frank Snider at 915-387-3526.

Permian Basin Petroleum Report

The Chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee, Dan Rostenkowski, Democrat from Illinois has proposed two changes that would keep royalty owners and producers from getting tax

relief already passed by Congress. Rostenkowski would freeze the windfall profits tax exemption for royalty owners at two barrels a day rather than the three barrels a day scheduled for next year. And, he would keep the windfall

profits excise tax rate on newly discovered oil at 25 percent rather than phasing it down to 15 percent. In addition to these proposed changes, Rostenkowski has requested subcommittee hearings on the ways independents and major

companies are treated differently in the area of taxes. The staff listed some eight different ways. Democrats have complained that independent producers have been heavy contributors to the Republican Party and they

support Republicans who run against Democrats who have supported the oil industry.

October Refining Summary

Railroad Commission Chairman Mack Wallace has announced that 61 refineries in Texas processed 133,804,257 barrels of crude oil and hydrocarbon blends, during October 1982. Through the first ten months of 1982, Texas refineries ran 1,279,413,471 barrels.

October's volume compares with 121,901,085 barrels in the same month a year ago, the Commission's Oil and Gas Division reported in its monthly recapitulation of Texas refinery operations. Inputs of crude oil and blends totaled 130,953,909 barrels in September 1982.

Texas refineries ran 103,734,681 barrels of crude oil in October compared to 92,937,629 barrels in October 1981 and 100,335,516 barrels in September 1982.

Products manufactured in October 1982 totaled 134,969,944 barrels, up from 122,534,263 barrels in the same month the previous year, and up from the 131,592,361 barrels in September 1982.

October 1982 manufacture of motor gasoline totaled 55,012,683 barrels compared to 52,907,701 barrels in the year-earlier month and 55,308,718 barrels in September of 1982.

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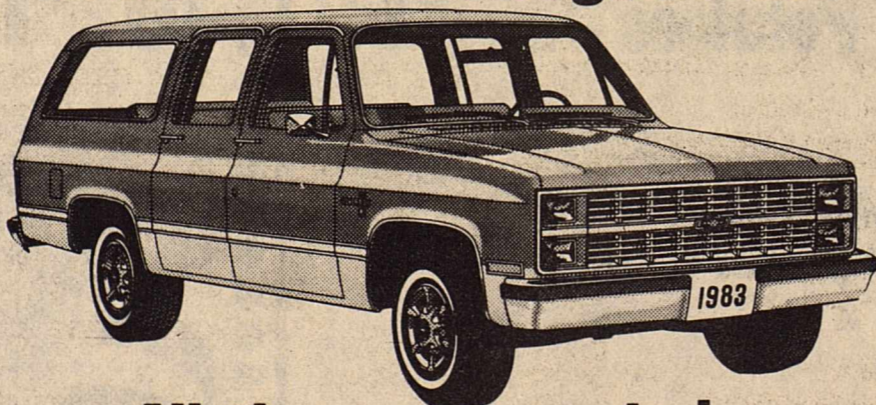
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