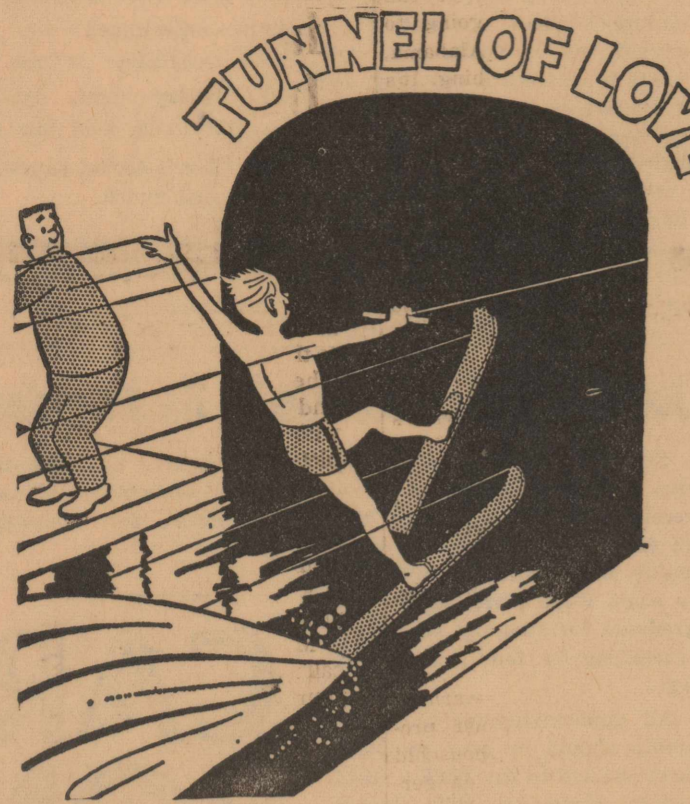






## HALF-PAST TEEN



### David Jennings Honored on 4th Birthday

Mrs. Reed Jennings entertained her son, David, on his fourth birthday with an Easter egg hunt. Favors were small baskets. The cake was decorated with an Easter bunny, and punch and cake were served to Mrs. Billy Frank Turney and Zack, Mrs. Smith Neal, Denise, and Eric, Mrs. Turney Friess, Paula, and Clay, and Mrs. George Joseph, Georgette, Denise, and Rosie of El Paso.

### Intensified Texas Sheep Production Is Aim of Researchers Near McGregor

Researchers at the Livestock and Forage Research Center near McGregor are studying production techniques that could lead to intensification of the Texas sheep producing industry. Instead of weaning lambs at five to six months of age, Shelton has been weaning them when they are only about half that old. This early weaning could let producers concentrate management on the lambs rather than on both the lambs and their mothers, according to the scientist. Numerous research reports have shown that milk production of ewes is of minor importance after eight to ten weeks and Shelton says that at this age anatomical development of lambs is approximately proportional to adult sheep.

Shortage and expense of quality roughages kept producers from fattening their lambs in past years. But early weaning makes possible the use of high grain fattening rations. Shelton is now working to find the rations that give the best performance.

With lambs weaned early, the ewes can be bred much sooner than with conventional systems. In studies at the Center, ewes have produced two lamb crops in a span of only 14 months.

### Letter To Editor

Dear Sir: There is only one reason for Little League: to provide a beneficial program of baseball for boys.

In the process of making it possible for boys to enjoy and fulfill their formative years, Little League offers a challenge. This challenge is to parents and adults to help cultivate a wholesome, spirited climate in which boys can be stimulated to beneficial habits of physical well being and character development.

Competition and the value inherent in team play and game disciplines are good for boys and equip them better to cope with their advance into manhood. Little League is an action program. A boy should earn the right to be on the team. His attitudes, desire to excel and improve his skills determine whether or not he makes the team. His ability to adapt to teamwork, to take directions, and importantly, to learn how to win and lose determine not only whether he remains a member of the team but also to what extent he benefits from Little League.

If the program serves this end, if the experience, the association and action lessons which stem from teamwork and the fun of playing, prove of some benefit in the growing-up process of many youngsters, Little League fulfills its goal.

Sincerely yours,  
Oliver Wuest  
Little League Director

Mrs. Pearl Martin has been in Houston for the past two weeks visiting with her daughter.



MISS ELIZABETH LYNN COLE

### Miss Cole, E. A. Brodhead Jr. To Be Wed

The engagement of Miss Elizabeth Lynn Cole to Eugene Alexander Brodhead Jr. of Philadelphia, Pa., was announced Saturday at a tea in Sterling City.

Miss Cole is the daughter of Mrs. J. R. Dillard of Sterling City and the late J. S. Cole Jr., and Brodhead is the son of Mrs. E. A. Brodhead of Grand Prairie and the late Mr. Brodhead, who was superintendent of schools here for a number of years.

The couple plans to be married June 12 in First Methodist Church in San Angelo.

Miss Cole is a graduate of Sterling City High School and plans to graduate in June from Texas Christian University, where she is a member of Delta Delta Delta.

Brodhead is a graduate of Sonora High School and TCU, where he pledged Sigma Alpha Epsilon. He is employed in industrial relations by a Philadelphia corporation.

### Basketball Party Fetes Alan Harris On 8th Birthday

Alan Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hugh Harris, celebrated his eighth birthday with a party Monday afternoon.

A basketball theme was followed at the party at the Harris home. Guests played basketball, and the birthday cake was decorated as a basketball court. Mrs. Harris served cake, ice cream, and punch. Whistles were given as favors.

Guests at the party included Bob Whitehead, Paul Browne, Eddie Alexander, Bruce Kerbow, Mark Parker, Gene Dunn, Deral Boatright, Mark Gilly, Mike Stewart, Dennis Nance, Dan Richardson, Randy and Gary Wuest, and Jana and Robert Harris.

Bo Sawyer of Mertzon and Mike Gilly assisted with the basketball game.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sawyer of Mertzon were also guests at their grandson's birthday party.

### Card of Thanks

We are thankful beyond measure for all of our good friends who helped us so much during our recent sadness. May we offer our humble thanks for your comfort and love. A special thanks to Dr. Browne, the Miers family, the Rev. Mr. Dowdy, and the nurses who were so faithful. May God be with you always.

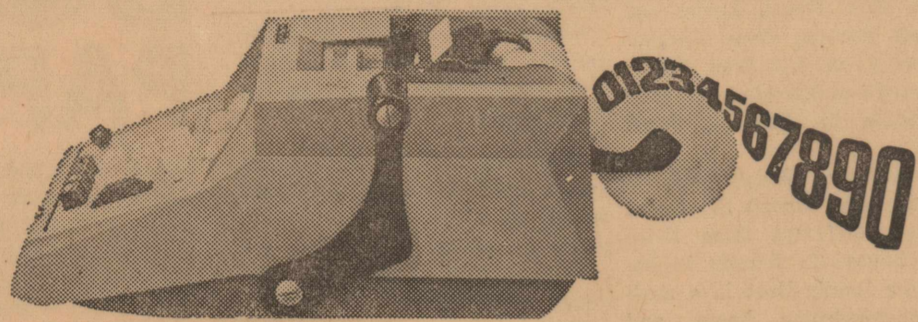
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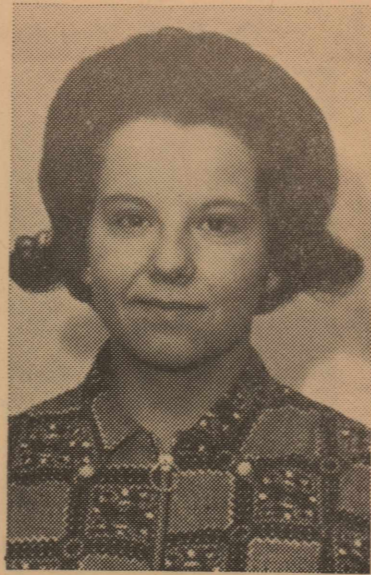
### G. Wright Named Head Football Coach

George Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wright, has recently been named head football coach at the newly constructed Goddard High School in Roswell, New Mexico.

Wright was graduated from Sonora High School in 1955 and was selected all-state in football. He and his wife are graduates of the University of Tennessee. Presently a coach at Lubbock High School, Wright has coached for five years, two at Abilene High School and three at Lubbock.

Goddard High School will open next fall with an estimated enrollment of 950 students, and will have the football classification of 4-A.

Wright and his family, including two daughters and one son, plan to move to Roswell as soon as the Lubbock schools close for the summer.



IRENE PEREZ

### Miss Perez Named Queen's Contestant

Miss Irene Perez, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Perez, was recently named to represent the West Side Lions Club at the District Convention in Sweetwater April 23-24.

Miss Perez will compete at the convention with representatives from other towns for the queen's title.

A junior in high school, Miss Perez is a twirler for the Bronco band. She enjoys playing the piano.

The West Side Lions Club will have a coronation ball May 15 in the 4-H Center, at which time Miss Perez will officially be crowned.

### HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients receiving treatment at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, April 13, through Monday, April 19, included the following:

Georgia Emmons, Eldorado  
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 Eleno Vidad  
 Brent Allen, Perryton\*  
 Jessie Johnson  
 Gloria Rodriguez, Eldorado\*  
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 Frank Gandar Jr.\*  
 Elvira Hernandez, Ozona\*  
 Ruth Jackson, Eldorado\*  
 Richard Dendy, Winters  
 Lonnie Goss  
 Frank Reed\*  
 Jo Nell Johnson  
 Jeanette Cooper  
 Judy Griffin, Eldorado

\* Patients dismissed during the same period.

### Ex-Sonora School Girl Now at Home in Arabia

Six hundred thirty-five Arabian nights and days—and then back to Sonora for three months. This is the pattern that has been established by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Olson and their children Lorie, 6, and Eric, 5, for this family for the past eight years has lived in Saudi Arabia except for a three-month holiday in the United States every two years.

Mrs. Olson and the children left Sunday, April 11, after their periodic stay here visiting friends and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Alley. (Her husband had to leave a couple of weeks previously.) She grew up here and is a graduate of Sonora High School.

After attending the University of Texas and graduating from Sul Ross State College, she has taught school in Louise; Big Lake; El Campo; Pueblo, Colorado; Augsburg, Germany; and Dhahran, Saudi Arabia.

Olson is a native of Minneapolis, where his mother, Mrs. Minnie Olson, lives. He is employed by Arameo Oil Company at a gas injection plant in Saudi Arabia.

When Mrs. Olson, Lorie, and Eric left Sonora, their destination was Rome and then Venice for a week's sightseeing and then back home to Abqaiq, Saudi Arabia.

Interestingly, though she is far away, Mrs. Olson's life is not extremely different from those of her housewife friends in Sonora. Her family lives in a modern three-bedroom home, and much of their food comes from a nearby irrigated farm. She says the medical care and the schools are good. For recreation she enjoys tennis, golf, and bridge. Lorie is attending kindergarten and ballet school.

Their neighbors are Americans and Europeans employed by the Oil Company.

It is a desert country where a temperature of 120 degrees is not unusual. Only during about three months of the year is it cool enough for sweaters, and it seldom frosts there.

Clothing seems to be about the only real problem. While she was here, one of Mrs. Olson's chores was purchasing a two-year supply of clothes. Her mother, Mrs.

### Mrs. Harris Hosts Fire Wive's Party

Mrs. Vernon Humphreys held high score in 42 play, and Mrs. Billie Wright Taylor received the 84 prize when Mrs. Jimmy R. Harris entertained the Fire Wive's Auxiliary at the Fire Hall Tuesday night, April 13.

Mrs. Bill Radle held low score. Mrs. Harris served sandwiches, cookies, and punch.

Guests at the party were Miss Vivian Mears and Mrs. A. H. Adkins, honorary member.

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### Bridge Club Meets In C. E. Stites' Home

The Thursday Bridge Club met in the home of Mrs. C. E. Stites April 15 for a bridge party.

Mrs. R. B. Kelley, member, and Mrs. Ida Mae Kerbow, guest, won high scores. Mrs. B. W. Hutcherson won low score for members, and Mrs. A. W. Awalt won bingo.

Members of the club who were also present were Meses. T. W. Sandherr, Rose Thorp, Lee Labenske, O. G. Babcock, and Maymie Brown.

Other guests at the party included Meses. Belle Steen, Auther Simmons, and Vernon Cook.

Mrs. Stites decorated with an Easter theme. Easter baskets were placed on the tables.

She served ice cream floats and homemade cookies.

### Presbyterian Men Schedule Retreat

Men of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Presbyterian, U.S., will go on a retreat to the Devil's River April 23-25.

Theme of the retreat will be "To Foster Greater Understanding of the Meaning of Christian Commitment."

Members of the planning committee are Stanton Bundy, Nelson Stubblefield, and Milton Cavanaugh.

Discussions will be led by Stubblefield, Bundy, and the Rev. George Stewart, pastor of the Church of the Good Shepherd.

Worship, study, and relaxation are planned for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McKee and family of Coleman were visitors in Sonora during the Easter weekend.

Jessie Andrews, the first woman student at the University of Texas, received her B. A. degree in 1886.

### Happy Birthday Calendar

**SATURDAY, APRIL 24**  
 Mrs. W. P. McConnell Jr.  
 Carlos Loeffler  
 Mrs. George Phillips  
 Lee Patrick  
 Jim Hugh Richardson  
 Vance Everett  
 Charlotte Redman  
 Bill Baldwin

**SUNDAY, APRIL 25**  
 Clara Allison  
 Judy Lancaster  
 Mrs. Don Reynolds  
 Judy Bob Cook  
 Alfred Cooper  
 Mrs. W. R. Touchstone  
 Laney Cook

**MONDAY, APRIL 26**  
 Mrs. R. G. Nance  
 Santos Virgen  
 Mrs. Edmund Olinick  
 Cindy Cavaness

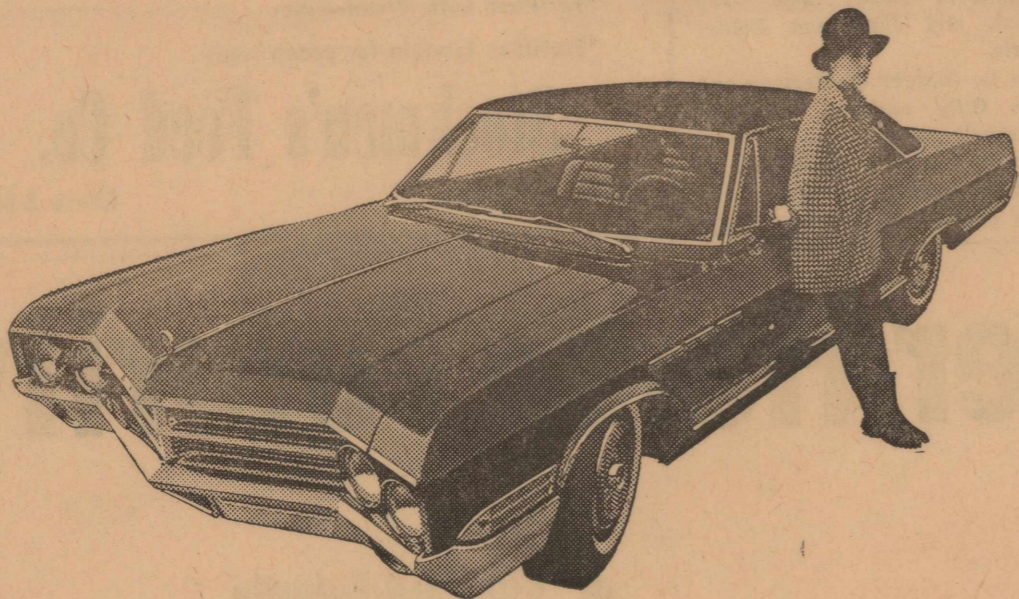
**TUESDAY, APRIL 27**  
 Mrs. Jimmy Sloan  
 W. A. McCoy  
 Bob Teaff

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28**  
 G. G. Bennett  
 Mrs. Louie Smith

**THURSDAY, APRIL 29**  
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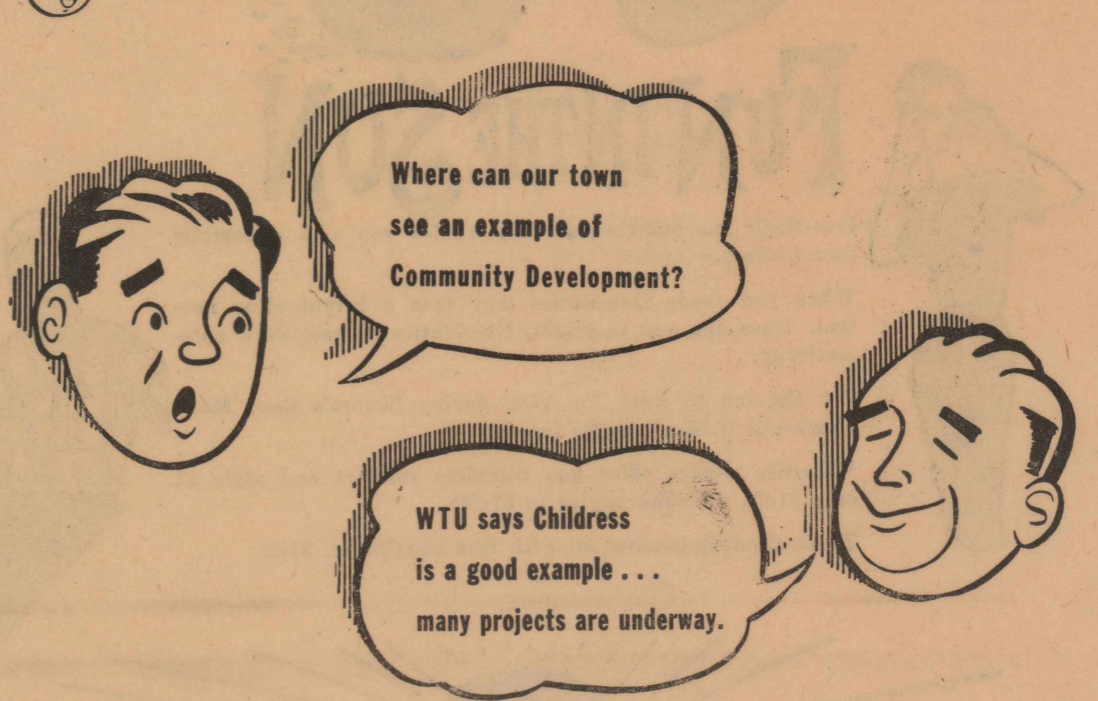
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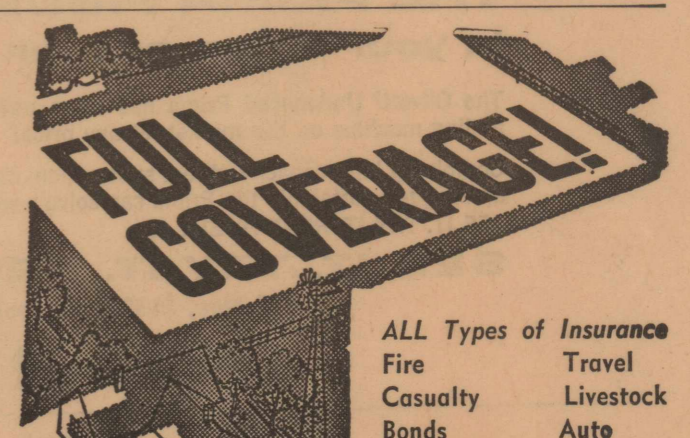
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## Cancer Found Chief Killer of Children

"More school children will die of cancer this year than from any other disease," said Mrs. Alvis Johnson, co-chairman of the Sutton County Unit 1965 Crusade against Cancer. "That's why so many mothers are working on the Cancer Drive."

"About half of the cancer deaths in children are from leukemia, which is a cancer of the blood-forming tissue, but this type of cancer is not primarily a disease of children. There is an increasing rate among adults," Mrs. Johnson reported.

"The American Cancer Society is currently supporting more research on leukemia than on any other form of cancer and many scientists believe that cures will be found for leukemia sooner than for any other cancer. We are seeing some progress now because we have drugs which can extend the lives of children with acute leukemia for many months and in some cases for as long as seven or eight years."

"Like adults, children should have regular physical examinations but there are some warning signs that should be called to the physician's attention if they persist longer than two weeks. We urge parents to watch for swellings, lumps, or masses in any part of the body; pains, or the persistent crying of a baby or child, for which no reason can be found; any change in the size or appearance of outward growths, such as moles or birthmarks; nausea and vomiting for which there is no apparent cause; a marked change in bowel or bladder habits; bloody discharge of any sort; blood in the urine; heavy spontaneous nose bleeds or other type of hemorrhage; failure of bleeding to stop in the usual time after a cut or injury; unexplained stumbling in a child who has been walking well; a general 'run-down' condition," Mrs. Johnson explained.

# Philosopher Invents New Presidential Pen

Editor's note: The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitter-wood ranch on Devil's River is in an inventive frame of mind this week, his letter indicates. Dear editor:

A lot of people think nearly everything's been invented that's inventable, and while there are more things invented than I have a use for, still there are some things yet to be invented that might come in handy.

Not, though, that all the time-saving inventions save time, except maybe for the rocking chair. I have saved more time than anybody I know just sitting in one, part of the time listening to people complain about how their time-saving automatic washing machines or other gadgets are out of commission.

But what I started out to talk about was a genuine time-saving invention which I thought up the other day while watching President Johnson on television using 136 fountain pens to sign

his name to just one bill Congress had just passed.

As I understand it, he uses all these pens so he can give them to various important people who helped out with the bill so they can go home and tell their children, and then they tell their children and so on down the line, that the family owns a fountain pen used by the President of the United States in signing such and such a bill.

Well now I have no quarrel with this, it's perfectly harmless and could become valuable—what do you suppose you could get for a ball point pen used by George Washington?—but I don't think it's fair to the President. What I mean is, when he wakes up in the morning he's supposed to start thinking about Viet Nam, Alabama, DeGaulle, tax cuts, labor disputes, newspaper reporters, his two daughters, Republicans, government waste, the farm problem, outer

space, new legislation, etc. and keep it up till bed time.

But if he's got to use 136 fountain pens to write "Lyndon B. Johnson," which is nine pens per letter with one left over for the dot after the B., every time Congress passes a bill, you can see some problem is going to suffer, either Viet Nam, Alabama, the daughters, or something. It's bad budgeting of his time.

Therefore I have invented a special Presidential fountain pen which comes in 136 sections. He can sign his name with one quick flourish, get back to Viet Nam thinking immediately and let an assistant break it up and pass the pieces around.

This will also avoid endless bickering in the future. Have you ever stopped to think what's going to happen 100 years from now when 136 families turn up all claiming to have the fountain pen President Johnson used in signing a bill in 1965?

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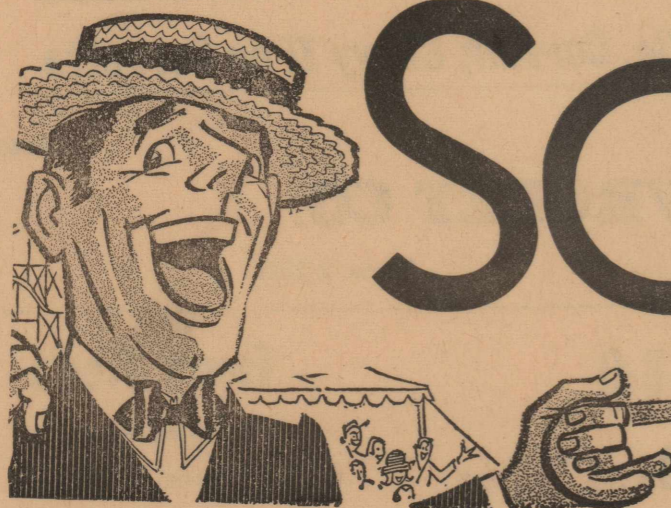


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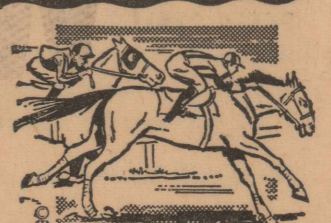
# Enjoy The SONORA RACES

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HORSE RACES





CELEBRATING THEIR 40th ANNIVERSARY Easter Sunday were Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Howell. Dr. and Mrs. Howell were married Easter Sunday, 1925, in Kilmichael, Mississippi.

### J. F. Howells Entertain at Easter Dinner Celebrating 40th Wedding Anniversary

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Howell were married on Easter Sunday, April 12, 1925, and on April 18, Easter Sunday of 1965, they celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary. The Howells entertained their relatives and close friends with an Easter dinner at the Holiday Host Restaurant, commemorating their marriage of 40 years. Twenty-eight places were set at the table which was decorated with spring, pastel flowers grown in the Howells' home garden. The anniversary cake with three tiers was decorated with Easter colors and trimmed in pink icing.

Out-of-town guests who were present at the celebration were Mr. and Mrs. Jack M. Allen, the Howell's daughter and her husband, and their children, Kay, Nancy, Suzanne, and Brent of Perryton; Mr. and Mrs. James M. Pirkle, Dr. Howell's sister and her husband, and their twin sons, Laurel and Carl, of McCamey; Charlie Howell, Dr. and Mrs. Howell's son who was home from McMurry College; and Mrs. M. R. Thomason of Montgomery, Ala. Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Howell Jr. and their children, Jack, Clem, and Lesley of Amarillo were unable to attend the party but will be here at a later date.

Pirkle offered the dinner blessing. Mrs. Allen, assisted by Mrs. Pirkle, cut and served the cake which was mounted on a large round silver tray.

Dr. and Mrs. Howell met at Tulane University on the campus during the summer school session in 1922. At that time he

was a medical student and she was teaching school.

They were married in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Watts in Kilmichael, Mississippi.

After Dr. Howell received his degree, he served his internship at the Knoxville General Hospital, Knoxville, Tennessee.

The Howells made several moves in Louisiana and Mississippi, where Dr. Howell continued his practice. During this time a daughter, Margurite, and a son, James Frank Jr., were born.

In 1934 the Howells moved to Sonora, where they have lived since. Their son Charles was born here. Dr. Howell has practiced in Sonora for 30 years, and during World War II, he was the only physician here.

### Just Arrived

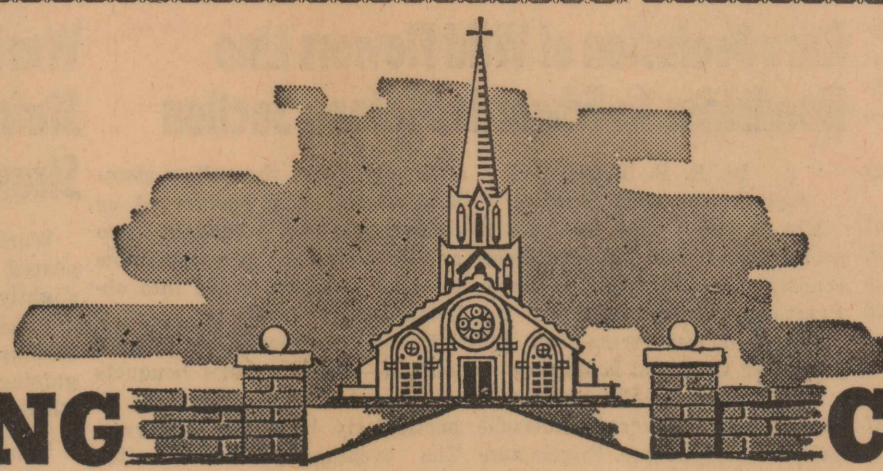


Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Cooper are the parents of a daughter, Kellie Jean, born Sunday, April 18, at Hudspheth Memorial Hospital. She weighs 7 pounds, 4 ounces.

Kellie Jean has two sisters, Donna, 10, and Roy Lesa, 8, and one brother, Craig, 3.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Craig of Uvalde.

Douglas Willhoit of Uvalde is the great grandfather.



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When A FELLOW NEEDS A FRIEND

A perfect picture of dejection! Perhaps it's another rainy day. Even little children have their serious moments. "What is there to do next?" "Mommy, where did I come from?" Or, "Daddy, is God up in the sky?" Little questions of little children grow into big questions by big people. Sometimes the bigger the man, the more humble the question, and of course . . . directed to God.

The place for such questions is the Church. In church, ponder the imponderables, ask the old, old questions: receive the gentle answers. Church, too, is God's Home. He's waiting for you there.

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Sunday Psalms 25:8-18	Monday John 15:12-17	Tuesday Acts 2:37-47	Wednesday II Corinthians 1:8-14	Thursday II Corinthians 4:7-18	Friday James 4:1-9	Saturday I John 1:1-7
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#### THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD PRESBYTERIAN U. S.

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Hear Herald of Truth 4:05 p.m., Sundays  
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### Miss Mohair Pageant Set at Brownwood

Miss Mohair of the Universe for 1965 will be crowned in the new Brownwood Coliseum Saturday, April 24, at 8 p.m., announced C. Q. Davis Jr., pageant chairman.

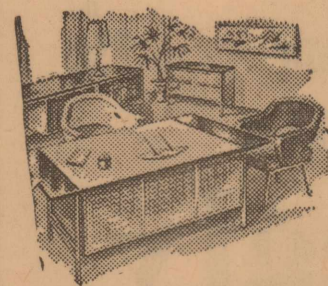
Contestants for the title will start arriving in Brownwood on Thursday for registration. The 21 entrants will be guests of L. M. Stephens of Lometa, past president of TS&GRA, on Friday for a luncheon. After the luncheon they will be interviewed by the judges. Friday night a pool side barbecue is scheduled for the contestants, their escorts, and pageant officials. Saturday morning the girls have been asked to a brunch at the Holiday Inn.

Saturday night one of the 21 contestants will be selected as Miss Mohair. Becky Crouch, Miss Mohair of 1964, will take part in the coronation activities. Miss Crouch made her last scheduled appearance as Miss Mohair in Sonora for the Sonora Woman's Club style show. Following the coronation there will be the coronation ball with music furnished by Jimmy Rivitto and his orchestra. The pageant ticket will be good for the coronation dance also.

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**The Devil's Workshop**  
An Idle Mind Column

By Della King

"OOPS! Our face is red" read a letter Louis Davis received last week from one of his insurance companies. "It all started" explained the letter, "when Uncle Sam insisted that we start using ZIP codes on all mail." Since asking a favor, the insurance company included a postage paid return card. But

mistakenly they put the "Address-see Will Pay" on the side going to the agents and the Postage Paid" on the side to be returned—"completely back'ards!"

(So the agents had to pay postage to get the cards.) "We'll end this up on a bright note," continued the letter, "with a great big thank you to Louis Davis, our longtime agent and friend in Sonora. Louis was kind enough to call long distance to let us know about our goof."

(But as a final blow, the Fort Worth company also found out that the post office would have been happy to furnish the zip codes absolutely free!) Some days nothing goes right.

**Rare Profusion of Wild Flowers Line Roadsides in Edwards Plateau Section**

By E. B. Keng  
Soil Conservation Service

Not in many years has such a profusion of wild flowers lined roadsides in the Sonora area. Practically every color of the rainbow is represented in the beauty of the April landscape.

Predominant at the moment is the yellow flowered huisache daisy or deer tongue. Engelmann daisy is starting to bloom and with rain—will soon dominate the deep soil areas along highways. Shallow, rocky soils will

be covered with the yellow stemless actinea. The bladderpod or cloth-of-gold—so abundant two or three weeks ago—has now matured seed and faded into oblivion.

Dakota verbena or sweet william—with its huge bouquets of lavender colored flowers is particularly luxuriant this year. The evening primroses, often miscalled buttercups, are now found in pink, white and lemon-colored shades. Occasional colonies of pink phlox are blooming.

White flowers found at present include hoary blackfoot or rock-daisy, and plains dozedaisy. A milky-juiced white flower more abundant this spring than usual is rock lettuce.

Texas bluebonnets are now in full bloom in many areas. Other plants in less abundance, but adding their touch of beauty to the scene, are larkspur, pentstemon or foxglove, coreopsis, Texas star, false garlic or crow poison, sweet gaillardia, globe-mallow, and many others.

If the traditional April showers fall soon—and abundantly—the current flower crop will be replaced with additional waves of blooms. These would include rainlily, gaura, rosering gaillardia, chalkhill woollywhite, and many others. The Edwards plateau soil conservation district can equal or surpass any area in the variety of beautiful native flowers.

Every flower mentioned above is choice sheep and goat forage. A good soil and water conservation program is aimed toward increasing the variety of livestock food plants. These plants include a variety of flowering plants that automatically improve the beauty of the countryside.

**Wurlan Treatment Shrinkproofs Wool, Strengthens Fiber**

Wurlanized wool, which appeared on the consumer market slightly more than a year ago, is a scientific development in the shrinkproofing of wool which is gaining in popularity, says Mrs. Rheba Broyles.

This treatment was invented in the Wool and Mohair Laboratory of the U. S. Department of Agriculture at Albany, California, explains Mrs. Broyles, A&M Extension clothing specialist.

In this chemical finishing process, an extremely thin film of polymer forms on the surface of the wool fibers. Wurlan differs from most previously used chemical treatments in that it does not weaken the wool. Instead, it appears to strengthen the fibers and should provide better wearing qualities and increase durability.

Total usefulness of any treatment or process to manufacture shrink-proof wool fabric also depends on other properties of the treated and laundered fabric. Adding shrinkproofness and laundering capability must not create undesirable fabric properties for the wearer, Mrs. Broyles says.

**Volume of Cattle Futures Trading High**

Futures trading in beef cattle is rocking along with surprising momentum after only four months of operation.

The system, regarded by many members of the beef industry as a new marketing tool, started with more trading volume than any other new futures commodity in history. Activity has gone way beyond anticipated levels years."

Trades are currently being negotiated at a rate of 30 to 190 per day, averaging more than 100 contracts each day.

Trading volume will probably increase even further after April 20, the first delivery month.

These observations come from Texas A&M University, where economists and livestock specialists are studying futures development.

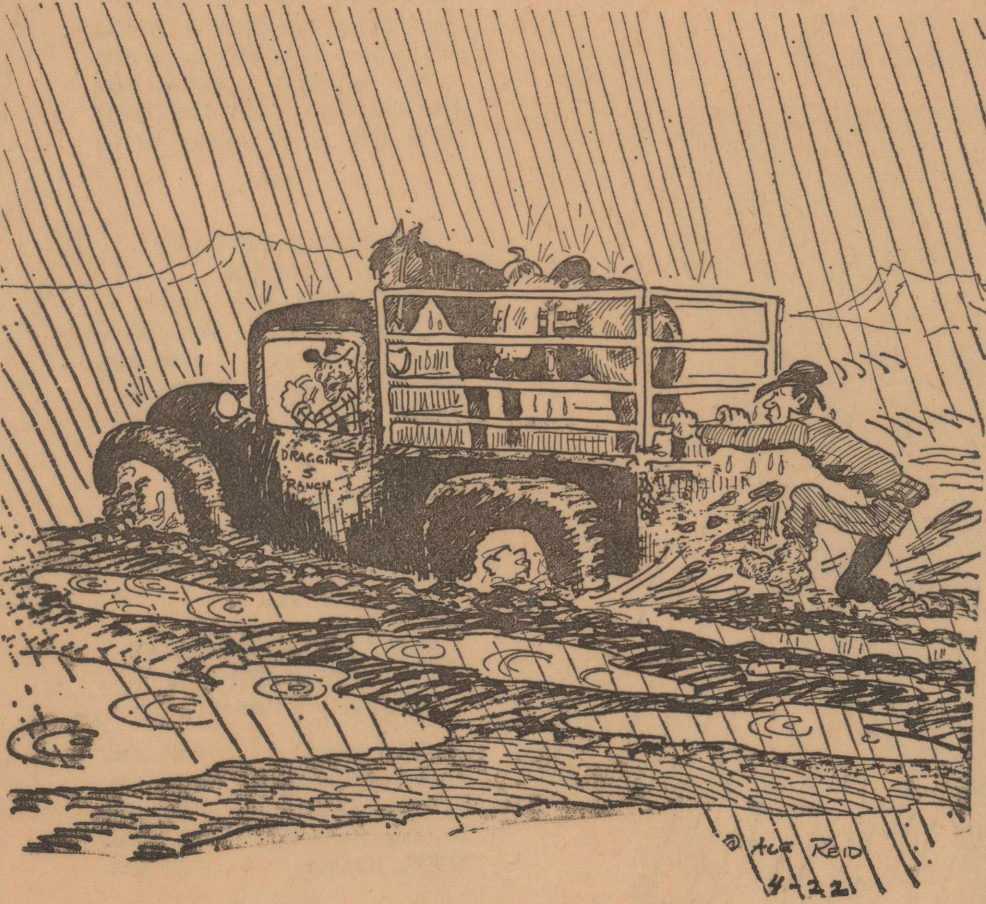
ments with the same enthusiasm that rocketeers watch launchings at Cape Kennedy. Many believe the device will lessen price risks, level fluctuations, and benefit the market structure.

Their opinions range from a cautious "sounds good" to the biggest thing that has happened to the cattle business "in 150 years."

In the complex world of marketing, a futures market or futures trading is a system of buying and selling contracts for deferred delivery of a product. A futures contract calls for delivery of a commodity in a stated future month. It is an agreement to deliver or receive a specified amount and quality of the commodity at a price agreed upon by buyer and seller.

**COW POKES**

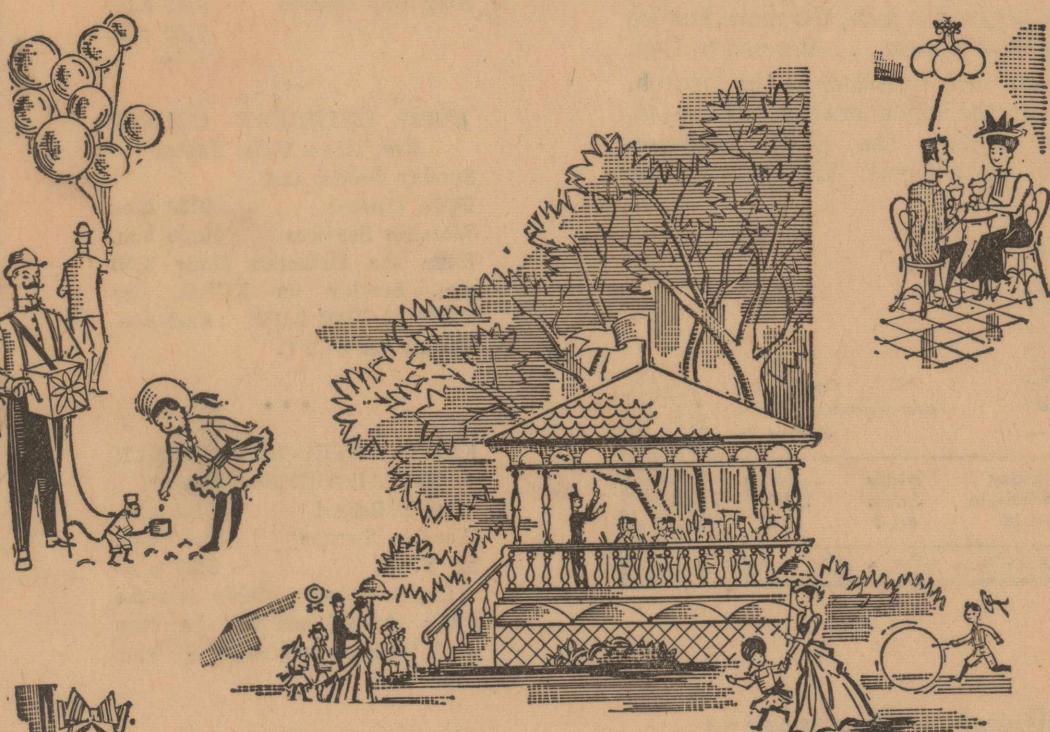
By Ace Reid



175 horses under the hood, one in the pick-up and jist look at the jackass I've got pushin'.

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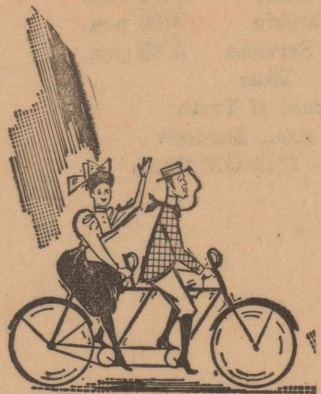
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**Major points and minor too**  
by Gordon M. Quarstrom

**Advice Not Taken**  
"I'm Warning you, Antony. That Cleopatra woman is dangerous. Stay away from her."  
"Now look, Roosevelt. Sam Juan Hill is too heavily fortified to attack. If you're smart, you'll wait until the infantry gets stronger".  
—Leo Martin

**Letters I'd Like to Get**  
—But Won't  
1. From my in-laws telling me they can't come for that 2-week visit they were planning.  
2. From one of those companies that run contests informing me that I have just won a free trip to Europe.  
3. From the host and hostess of the New Year's party I attended asking me to come to their next party.  
—Carl Kay

If you want a real lasting finish put on your car, try beating the train to the railroad crossing.  
—Wilfred E. Beaver

**Sobering Thought**  
People would have a lot more concern about atomic fallout if it interrupted TV reception.  
—Shelley Schumanstein

**Art Dotson's TIPS FOR OUTDOORSMEN**

**Sew Leader to Fly Line**  
A needle helps you make a neat attachment of a leader to a fly line.

Thread leader through needle then run the needle up the core of the fly line for a half inch. Bring leader out and wrap around fly line at that point.

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