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By Albert---

We goofed last week in the publication of the story about the inclusion of Sanderson in the teletype system over West Texas. The goof was not completely ours, nor was it a complete goof.

As the original story stated, the grant was for a teletype service to cover West Texas including Sanderson. It did not state that it was a sharing grant.

And Sheriff Bill Cooksey, in relating all of the facts about the thing to us, was not at odds with the commissioners and their decision to not be a part of the wire system at this time. He said that he understood their problems, and they had more than just a few in trying to "budge" the budget and keep taxes within some bounds of reason.

The teletype system would have put Sanderson on a state-wide service - which also has national connections - for information about law enforcement. There would have been regular incoming information about major crimes over the state where the criminal was not apprehended, and thus alert the officers of the state of the facts to aid in apprehension of the criminal. It also would have been available for answers to information needed locally for speedier handling of cases, such as determining if a car from out of state has been reported stolen, or if a person apprehended in wanted in some other town or state, and their criminal record, if any; and many other details pertaining to law enforcement.

But for right now, Terrell County, like many families within the county, is going to do without a convenience because, in the opinion of the purse-string-holders, they can't afford it.

We don't know a better way to run a county, or a family budget. We wish that some of those in other levels of government would take the same attitude!

We did read recently, again, and we have heard it before - "Aren't you glad you don't get as much government as you pay for?"

It appears to us that there are some signs that we will not have any fruit on trees locally this year. The signs are that some trees already have bloomed, some are budding, and we can't believe that winter or freezing weather is over. Another fact is that unless everyone is watering their trees much more than usual, there will be no fruit on account of the lack of rain. And if we're not careful there may not be any trees because of the lack of water.

If you have a weedy vacant lot you would like to have burned off, please call the fire department number --2500-- and leave word so that arrangements may be made to have the fire supervised. Please do not call unless you own the lot or have written permission to have the lot burned off.



Miss Clelia Silvas
...homemaker of tomorrow

Sanderson High School's 1971 Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow is Miss Clelia Silvas daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvestre Silvas. She was selected for her written knowledge and attitude examination.

Miss Silvas will receive a specially designed award including a silver charm from General Mills, sponsors of the annual program. She is also eligible for state and national honors, including one of 102 college scholarships.

Teletype Service Is Cost-Share Project

The story of the grant of funds for the installation of a teletype system for West Texas towns, including Sanderson, was lacking in detail and the information was clarified by Sheriff Bill C. Cooksey following the release of the story last week.

The grant for the system was on a share basis between the county and the state. The county's share of the cost of the system was considered by the Terrell County Commissioners after a study of the details and presentation of the plan by Sheriff Cooksey. He related that the commissioners decided, after a lengthy study of the costs, benefits, and related circumstances, that they would not, at the present time, elect to be a part of the teletype system over West Texas. The sheriff stated that the commissioners explained that the cost of operation of the county government the cost of taxes presently, and their efforts to keep the costs of operations in line with the revenue and to prevent, if possible, any tax increase in taxes, was their reason for declining the facility at this time. Cooksey explained that with a mutual understanding of the wants and problems of the commissioners and his department, there was also a mutual effort of cooperation and understanding of reasons for declining the teletype service.

Sheriff Cooksey explained that the offer to join the facility was available at any time the financial picture of the county permitted the expenditure in the eyes of the commissioners and they expressed a willingness to reconsider the project at some future date.

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School Trustee Voting Date Set

The election of trustees for the Terrell County Independent School District #1 and for Terrell County School Board will be on April 3, the first Saturday in April. The election will be held in all four precincts of the county.

E. E. Harkins Jr. and David Mitchell are the ISD board members whose terms expire and county board members will be named in two precincts and one member-at-large.

Deadline for filing for either of the posts is March 3 and absentee voting will be from March 15 through March 30, according to A. H. Zuberbueler, school district assessor-collector.

Absentee voting will be in the office of the tax assessor-collector during the dates listed above with Mr. Zuberbueler as absentee voting judge and Mrs. H. M. Petty as deputy. James Caroline and W. W. Sudduth are designated as the tabulators of absentee ballots.

Precinct polling places, judges, and clerks are:

Precinct 1, courthouse in Sanderson, Carlton White judge and Mmes. G. E. Babb, Weldon Cox, and Jack Laughlin clerks.

Precinct 2, Methodist Church in Dryden, Graham Childress judge, Mrs. Noel James and Mrs. Lewis James, clerks.

Precinct 3, Big Canyon ranch house, Mrs. Herman Couch as judge, Mr. Couch, clerk.

Precinct 4, community center El Paso Natural Gas Plant, Mrs. Lee Watson, judge, Mrs. E. E. Westbrook and Mrs. H. L. Cox, clerks.

Mrs. L. R. Hall, her brother, Frank Diehl, and her mother, Mrs. Verna Diehl, are visiting in Abilene with relatives. Mr. Diehl, who has been attending school in Pennsylvania, will not be in college this semester.

New Proposals To State Constitution Slated For Vote

Publication of four proposed amendments to the Texas Constitution begins this week and will run four consecutive weeks prior to the election which is set for March 18.

The election will be in all four precincts of the county and only those who have registered prior to the deadline will be eligible to vote.

Eligible voters are urged to acquaint themselves with the provisions of the proposed constitutional amendments prior to the voting date.

Easter Seal Sale To Begin March 1

The 1971 Easter Seal Appeal will open in Terrell County on Monday, March 1, according to Charles Riggins, who serves as Easter Seal Representative for the county.

Mr. Riggins said that Easter Seal Appeal letters would be given arriving at homes in the county about March 1.

As Easter Seal Representative, he is the local person to contact to request rehabilitation services from the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas. These services include physical and occupational therapy, speech and hearing programs and special information services to help solve the many problems faced by the families of handicapped children and adults.

Mr. and Mrs. Claudio Villegas Jr. and her mother, Mrs. Reynaldo Garza, and son, Danny Garza, all of San Antonio, were weekend visitors here with relatives. Mrs. Garza's son, Reynaldo Garza Jr., with his wife and children of El Paso, joined them here for the visit.

Two Apprehended After TV Theft

A man and woman were apprehended in Hondo last week following a report that a television set had been stolen at the West Texan Motel in Sanderson.

Information about the theft and the description of the car driven by the pair was put out over the state and the pair, traveling under aliases and also reported wanted in Florida for auto theft, was picked up in Hondo by Texas Highway Patrolmen. It was reported that the television set was sold in Comstock.

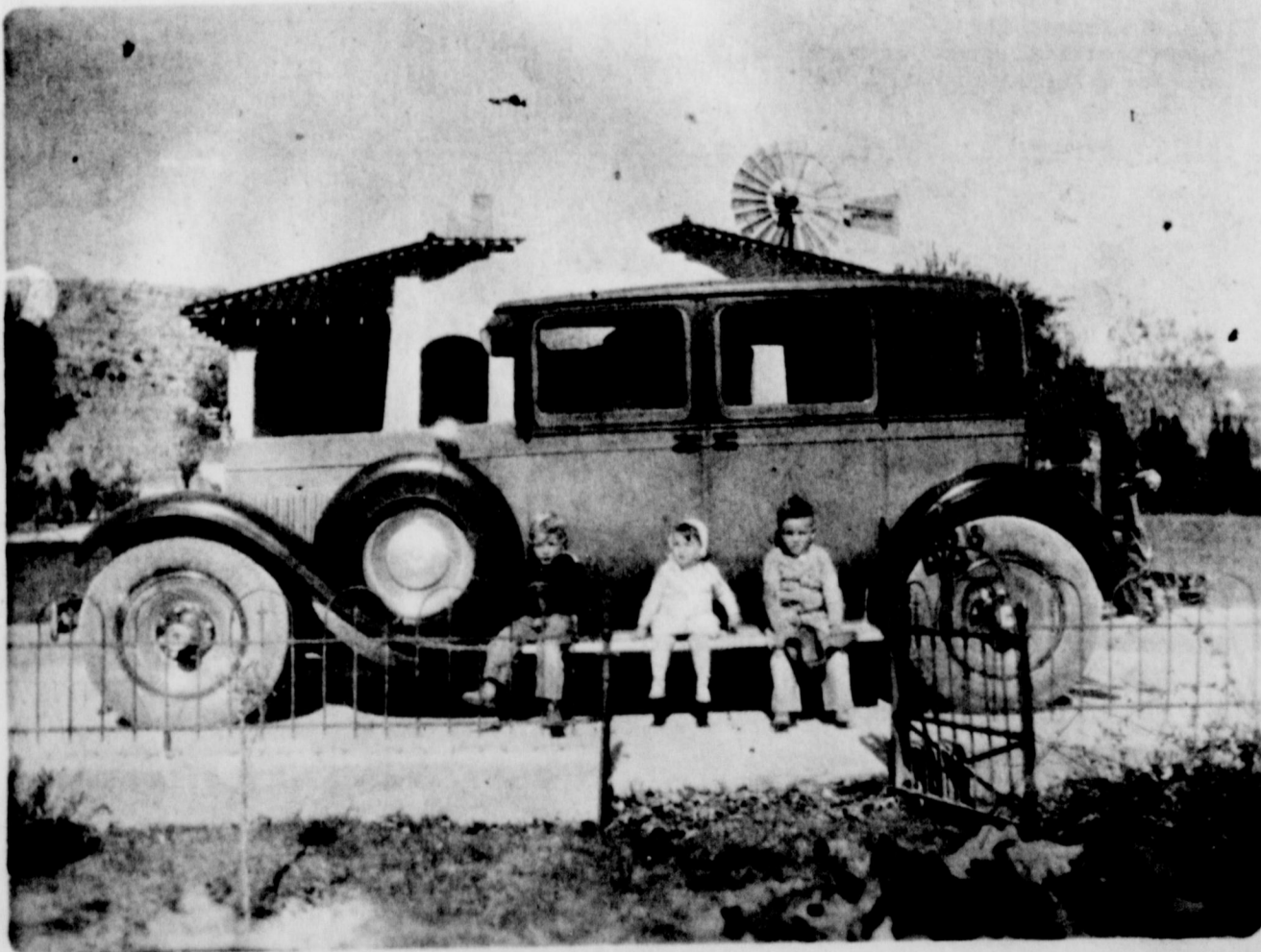
Later information received was that the pair was also wanted in Sierra Blanca on a felony charge. Officers from Sierra Blanca came after them after they were returned to Sanderson by Sheriff Cooksey.

CITATIONS DISPLAYED

Two citations which have been received recently by the Terrell County Chapter of the Heart Society have been framed and are being exhibited in the Sanderson State Bank.

Police Supplies at The...

A real "classy" automobile in 1928 was the Packard shown below with James, Betty Jo, and Edward Kerr on the running board and in front of the Joe Kerr home. Besides the spare on each front fender and the luggage trunk in back, there was also a steel platform in back for tying additional luggage, cigar lighters in the front seat and back seat areas, and a greasing mechanism operated from the "shotgun" side of the front seat. We thought the picture of this particular era of transportation very interesting. The photo came from the Joe Kerr family collection and was loaned by Edward Kerr.



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FS Youth Charged In Burglary Here

A Fort Stockton youth, 17-year-old Noel Munoz Tangel, was charged with the burglary of the Sanderson Gulf Station in December of last year, according to Sheriff Bill C. Cooksey.

The youth has not been charged before a grand jury as yet, according to Cooksey, who said that he was released under bond set by Justice of the Peace W.G. Shoemaker following arraignment last week. Several small items were taken in the burglary.

Track Teams Begin Daily Workouts

All aspirants for Sanderson High School's track teams were out following the end of basketball season. Some cindermen who were not out for basketball began practice January 5. Coaches of the track teams are Willie Myers and Tommy Hall.

Eagles who have reported include: Manuel Olivas, Leslie Hall, Jerry Jones, Rolando Rodriguez, Brad Harrison, Blain Chriesman, Ronnie Stewart, Randy Louwien, James Druse, Damon Harrison, Jim Cash, Kendrick Harrell, Roger Sanchez, Juan Lomas, Nelson Cooke, Dennis Haynes, Rual Ybarra, Juan Saenz, Bill Mott, Bobby Spence, Darrell Cooke, Buddy Patrick, Jimmy Davis.

The team will participate in the Comanche Relays in Fort Stockton February 27.

Wayne Mitchell is working with Eagle speedsters who will enter track events over the area this year. They are: Mitzi Cash, Jackie Bob Riggs, Vangie Calzada, Gaylia Coker, Alice Goldwire, Sheryl Stewart, Juanita Ybarra, Delma Montalvo, Vickey Haley, Wynne Massey, and Peggy Louwien.

This is the second year of participation in track events by girls of Sanderson High School and last year there were seven entries in regional events and one in the state meet.

Ball Point Pens at The Times

Tennis Practice For UIL Begins

Tennis workouts began last week under Coach Norman Gladson.

Players who are working out for the tennis events include: Nancy Harkins, Rhonda Louwien, Barton Harkins, Bob Murrah, Steve Litton, Hudson Kerr, Maje Harrison, Susi Robbins, Janice Carter, Glenna Couch, and Billie Kay Cooksey, all high school students.

Junior high school students who are practicing tennis are Debbie Tulk, Patti Hope, Paula Kilpatric, Bryanann Stavley, Gay TenEyck, Elaine Brown, Janet Harrell, and Vonda Wallace.

SHS TO ENTER SONORA SPEECH FETE

Eight high school students will travel to Sonora Friday, to compete in the Speech Events Contest.

Peggy Cox, Vangie Calzada, and Damon Harrison will be entered in prose reading. Jackie Bob Riggs will be participating in the poetry contest.

Mona Harris and Hudson Kerr are the contestants entered in persuasive speaking.

Acting out a scene from "Dark Brown", the one-act play, will be Mitzi Cash and Leslie Hall.

Mrs. J.L. Whistler is sponsoring the speech events this year.

W. H. BUCHANAN DIES

W. H. Buchanan, 76-year-old retired Southern Pacific engineer, died last Tuesday in a Del Rio hospital. He retired in March of 1959.

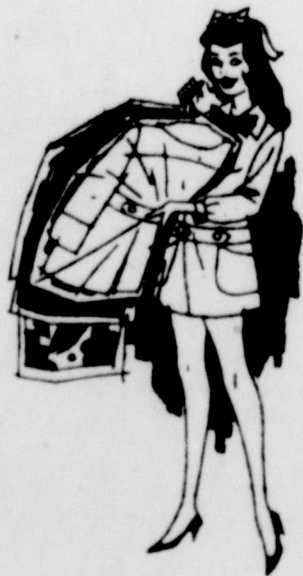
Funeral services and burial were in that city Friday afternoon.

His wife, Evelyn Buchanan, died in 1969. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Jack Burk, of Imperial City, Calif., and two grandchildren.

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Mr. Graham, owner of Stockton Engine Rebuilding Shop, talks to Sanderson students Carlos Lopez, Hector and Rudy Villarreal in the picture above. The Sanderson High School students in the West Texas Education Center's Vocational Orientation Program made a field trip to Fort Stockton Monday. The students and their sponsors, Mrs. Elizabeth Mahoney and Steve Aguilar, visited the Fashion Hut, Stockton Engine Rebuilding Shop, Southern Maid

Doughnut Shop, Parker Drilling Co. oil rig, and Memorial Hospital. The purpose of the field trips is to expose the students to a wider variety of occupations and vocational opportunities.

Mrs. W. J. Ferguson Jr., is visiting in California with her daughter, Mrs. Herman Fuentes, and family. Mrs. C.H. Stavely accompanied her on the trip by train and is visiting with relatives.



New Arrivals...
To Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fuentes of Bakersfield, Calif., was born a son on Friday, February 12. The baby whose name is Matthew, was welcomed by two brothers, Mike and Mark. Mrs. W. J. Ferguson Jr. is visiting in Bakersfield with her daughter, the former Sharon Wooten, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T.W. McKenzie spent several days in El Paso last week to look after property there.

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Miss Dianna Kay Stoever
... to wed David N. Lee

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Stoever, former residents, now of San Antonio are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Dianne, and David Nelson Lee, son of L. T. Lee of Sanderson and Mrs. Polly Lee of San Angelo.

The wedding is planned for Saturday, March 20, in St. Luke's Lutheran Church, San Antonio.

The bride-elect is a graduate of the Robert Lee High School of San Antonio.

The bridegroom-elect, a graduate of the Sanderson High School is employed by Atlantic Richfield Company in Eldorado.



Manuel Olivas

... named FHA beau

The annual FHA Sweetheart banquet was Friday evening at seven o'clock in the home-making cottage. The girls who are members of the local chapter prepared and served the food and did the decorating for the occasion. They also presented a white wool sweater and a corsage to their sponsor, Mrs. Wandah Alexander, homemaking teacher. Estella Calzada is the president of the chapter.

"Song In My Heart" was the



Leslie Hall

theme chosen for the banquet. The theme in silver letters was against the south wall and on the wall were pink streamers with silver hearts on them. Pink hearts and silver musical scales were at intervals on the other walls. A large screen across one corner was similarly decorated.

Silver hearts were on the pink tablecloth and pink candles in crystal holders were also on the tables. On the head table there were silver

violins on gold mats flanking the candles.

Catharine Lopez gave the invocation.

Beth Clifford introduced the guest speaker, Sheriff Bill C. Cooksey, who talked on the subject "I Am What I Am and I Can Be What I Want To Be". He was presented with a tie clasp.

The chapter beaux who had been chosen were announced, Manuel Olivas and Leslie Hall, and they were given key chains with the FHA emblem on the back.

The FHA Prayer Song closed the meeting with 55 attending and including the dates of several of the girls.

Bible Study led by Rev. Carson for W.M.U.

The Baptist W. M. U. met Tuesday morning last week at the church for Bible study. Mrs. O. D. Gray gave the Call to Prayer and opened the meeting with a prayer.

Rev. E. H. Carson taught the study entitled "The Good Samaritan" based on Luke 10: 25-37.

Mrs. Gene Black dismissed the group with prayer. Also present were Mrs. A. D. Brown, E. H. Jessup, V. E. Keyes, H. H. Pipes, B. L. Melton, and A. N. Farley.

New IDEAL books - Easter and Friendship. \$1.75 each. Times office.

Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Robinson returned home last week from a vacation trip to Florida. They used Key West as headquarters and were gone a month, touring the entire state.

Dr. Omer D. Price

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Hobby Club Meets On February 9th

The Hobby Club meeting on February 9 was the Jersey Lilly Bar in Langtry at noon and members went Dutch treat.

Hamburgers, potato chips, cold drinks, and coffee were served. Mrs. Pearl Nicholson treated the members to ice cream cones.

Mrs. McBee called the meeting to order, all repeating the Club Prayer. Plans were made for the club's anniversary party which will be on March 12 when the club will be celebrating its 12th birthday.

Several other projects were discussed and will be voted on at the next meeting. Secret sisters were revealed and new ones drawn.

Members present were Mmes. Guy Skiles, C. E. Roland and baby, W. M. McBee, Newman Billings, Ed Lillie, Andy White, Paul Cole, and Pearl Nicholson. Guests were Mrs. Wesley White of Sonora, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Malone, Mrs. H. E. Shackelford, who became a new member, and Mr. Shackelford was also welcomed as an honorary member.

Mrs. Weldon Cox went to El Paso last Thursday to visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hagan.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Offield of San Antonio are spending their two weeks' vacation here with her father, Jack McDonald and with other relatives.

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**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (SJR 5)
Special Election May 18, 1971**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III, Section 51-a, of the Texas Constitution, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 51-a. The Legislature shall have the power, by General Laws, to provide, subject to limitations herein contained, and such other limitations, restrictions and regulations as may be deemed expedient, for assistance grants to and/or medical care for, and for rehabilitation and any other services included in the federal laws as they now read or as they may hereafter be amended, providing matching funds to help such families and individuals attain or retain capability for independence or self-care, and for the payment of assistance grants to and/or medical care for, and for rehabilitation and other services to or on behalf of:

"(1) Needy aged persons who are citizens of the United States or noncitizens who shall have resided within the boundaries of the United States for at least twenty-five (25) years;

"(2) Needy individuals who are totally and permanently disabled by reason of a mental or physical handicap or a combination of physical and mental handicaps;

"(3) Needy blind persons;

"(4) Needy dependent children and the caretakers of such children.

"The Legislature may prescribe such other eligibility requirements for participation in these programs as it deems appropriate.

"The Legislature shall have authority to enact appropriate legislation which will enable the State of Texas to cooperate with the Government of the United States in providing assistance to and/or medical care on behalf of needy persons, in providing rehabilitation and any other services included in the federal laws making matching funds available to help such families and individuals attain or retain capability for independence or self-care, to accept and expend funds from the Government of the United States for such purposes in accordance with the laws of the United States as they now are or as they may hereafter be amended, and to make appropriations out of State funds for such purposes; provided that the maximum amount paid out of State funds to or on behalf of any needy person

shall not exceed the amount that is matchable out of federal funds; provided that the total amount of State funds paid for assistance grants for needy dependent children and the caretakers of the children shall not exceed Fifty-Five Million Dollars (\$55,000,000) during any fiscal year.

"Provided further, that if the limitations and restrictions herein contained are found to be in conflict with the provisions of appropriate federal statutes, as they now are or as they may be amended to the extent that federal matching money is not available to the State for these purposes, then and in that event the Legislature is specifically authorized and empowered to prescribe such limitations and restrictions and enact such laws as may be necessary in order that such federal matching money will be available for assistance and/or medical care for or on behalf of needy persons.

"Nothing in this section shall be construed to amend, modify or repeal Section 31 of Article XVI of this Constitution; provided further, however, that such medical care, services or assistance shall also include the employment of objective or subjective means, without the use of drugs, for the purpose of ascertaining and measuring the powers of vision of the human eye, and fitting lenses or prisms to correct or remedy any defect or abnormal condition of vision. Nothing herein shall be construed to permit optometrists to treat the eyes for any defect whatsoever in any manner nor to administer nor to prescribe any drug or physical treatment whatsoever, unless such optometrist is a regularly licensed physician or surgeon under the laws of this State."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on May 18, 1971, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment removing the limitation on the total State appropriations for assistance grants for the needy aged, the needy disabled, and the needy blind, and setting a limitation on total State appropriations during any fiscal year for assistance grants for needy dependent children and the caretakers of such children."

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PUBLIC NOTICE

**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (HJR 21)
Special Election May 18, 1971**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article XVII, Section 1, of the Texas Constitution, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. The Legislature by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each House, to be entered by yeas and nays on the journals, may propose amendments to the Constitution, to be voted upon by the qualified electors for members of the Legislature, which proposed amendments shall be duly published once a week for four weeks, commencing at least three months before an election, the time of which shall be specified by the Legislature, in one weekly newspaper of each county, in which such a newspaper may be published; and it shall be the duty of the several returning officers of said election, to open a poll for, and make returns to the Secretary of State,

of the number of legal votes cast at said election for and against said amendments; and if more than one be proposed, then the number of votes cast for and against each of them; and if it shall appear from said return, that a majority of the votes cast, have been cast in favor of any amendment, the said amendment so receiving a majority of the votes cast, shall become a part of this Constitution, and proclamation shall be made by the Governor thereof."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on May 18, 1971, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment providing that the Legislature may propose an amendment of the Constitution at any session of the Legislature."

PUBLIC NOTICE

**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (SJR 17)
Special Election May 18, 1971**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section 49-d-1 to read as follows:

"Section 49-d-1. (a) The Texas Water Development Board shall upon direction of the Texas Water Quality Board, or any successor agency designated by the Legislature, issue additional Texas Water Development Bonds up to an additional aggregate principal amount of One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000) to provide grants, loans, or any combination of grants and loans for water quality enhancement purposes as established by the Legislature. The Texas Water Quality Board or any successor agency designated by the Legislature may make such grants and loans to political subdivisions or bodies politic and corporate of the State of Texas, including municipal corporations, river authorities, conservation and reclamation districts, and districts created or organized or authorized to be created or organized under Article XVI, Section 59, or Article III, Section 52, of this Constitu-

tion, State agencies, and interstate agencies and compact commissions to which the State of Texas is a party, and upon such terms and conditions as the Legislature may authorize by general law. The bonds shall be issued for such terms, in such denominations, form and installments, and upon such conditions as the Legislature may authorize.

"(b) The proceeds from the sale of such bonds shall be deposited in the Texas Water Development Fund to be invested and administered as prescribed by law.

"(c) The bonds authorized in this Section 49-d-1 and all bonds authorized by Sections 49-c and 49-d of Article III shall bear interest at not more than 6% per annum and mature as the Texas Water Development Board shall prescribe, subject to the limitations as may be imposed by the Legislature.

"(d) The Texas Water Development Fund shall be used for the purposes heretofore permitted by, and subject to the limitations in Sections 49-c, 49-d and 49-d-1; provided, however, that the financial assistance may be made pursuant to the provisions of Sections 49-c, 49-d and 49-d-1 subject only to the availability

of funds and without regard to the provisions in Section 49-c that such financial assistance shall terminate after December 31, 1982.

"(e) Texas Water Development Bonds are secured by the general credit of the State and shall after approval by the Attorney General, registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, and delivery to the purchasers, be incontestable and shall constitute general obligations of the State of Texas under the Constitution of Texas.

"(f) Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment, such Acts shall not be void by reason of their anticipatory character."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on Tuesday, May 18, 1971, at which election all ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the issuance of One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000) bonds to provide financial assistance to cities and other public agencies for water quality enhancement purposes, providing for the improvement and continuance of the water resources program, and establishing an interest ceiling on Water Development Bonds at 6% per annum."

PUBLIC NOTICE

**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (SJR 15)
Special Election May 18, 1971**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III, Section 24, of the Texas Constitution, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 24. (1) The State Ethics Commission is created as an agency of the State. The commission consists of nine members. Three members shall be appointed by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas with the advice and consent of the Associate Justices serving on the Court, three members shall be appointed by the Presiding Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals of Texas with the advice and consent of the other Judges serving on the Court, and three members shall be appointed by the Chairman of the State Judicial Qualifications Commission with the advice and consent of the other members of the commission, of each group of three appointees no more than two shall be attorneys engaged in the active practice of law. In addition thereto there shall be two ex officio members, one from the House of Representatives and one from the Senate to be elected on the first day of each Regular Session of the Legislature by a majority of the membership of each House for a term ending on the first day of the next Regular Session.

"(2) With the exception of the initial appointees, each member shall hold office for a term of six (6) years and until his successor is appointed and has qualified. In making the initial appointments, each appointing officer shall designate one (1) appointee to serve a term of two (2) years, one (1) appointee to serve a term of four (4) years, and one (1) appointee to serve a term of six (6) years. Interim vacancies shall be filled in the same manner as vacancies due to expiration of a full term, but only for the unexpired portion of the term in question. The membership shall designate one of its members to serve as chairman for a period of two (2) years.

"(3) The members of the commission shall be reimbursed for actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.

"(4) The commission shall recommend the compensation, per diem, and mileage allowance of members of the Legislature, and may recommend the salary of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the Lieutenant Governor

at an amount higher than that of other members notwithstanding any provisions to the contrary of Article IV, Section 17, of the Texas Constitution.

"(5) The commission shall promulgate rules of ethics to govern the conduct of all legislators, legislative officers and all officeholders, appointive or elective, of any office, department, district agency, commission, board or any governmental unit or branch established by or under the authority of the constitution and laws of the State of Texas and all persons who shall use any privilege of the floor in either House of the Legislature. The Texas State Ethics Commission shall further promulgate rules providing that each member of the Legislature and each of the hereinabove named officeholders upon election and any appointee to any of these offices shall file with the State Ethics Commission a statement under oath setting out a complete financial statement in detail within 10 days after being elected or receiving an appointment. This information shall be privileged information to the State Ethics Commission to be used only by them to determine if there exists a conflict of interests or if there is or has been a violation of any of the rules of ethics promulgated by the Texas State Ethics Commission or any laws of the State of Texas. The Legislature shall enact statutes dealing with unauthorized disclosure or misuse of said privileged information.

"(6) The commission may hold its meetings, hearings and other proceedings at such times and places as it shall determine but shall meet in Austin at least once each year to review existing rules of ethics, legislative compensation rates, mileage allowances and per diem rates, and to make any changes deemed necessary.

"(7) All rules of ethics, compensation rates, mileage allowances or per diem rates currently in force, as well as all changes and recommendations by the State Ethics Commission shall be promulgated before the convening of any session of the Legislature by filing a certified copy of the proclamation with the Secretary of State.

"(a) Each rule of ethics or change thereof made by the commission shall take effect on the 15th day of the legislative session following the proclamation unless disap-

proved before that day by resolution of either House of the Legislature.

"(b) All rates of compensation, mileage allowances or per diem rates and all changes and recommendations made by the commission thereof shall not take effect until approved section by section by resolution of both Houses of the Legislature.

"All votes on these resolutions or parts thereof shall show the individual votes in the respective journals of both Houses.

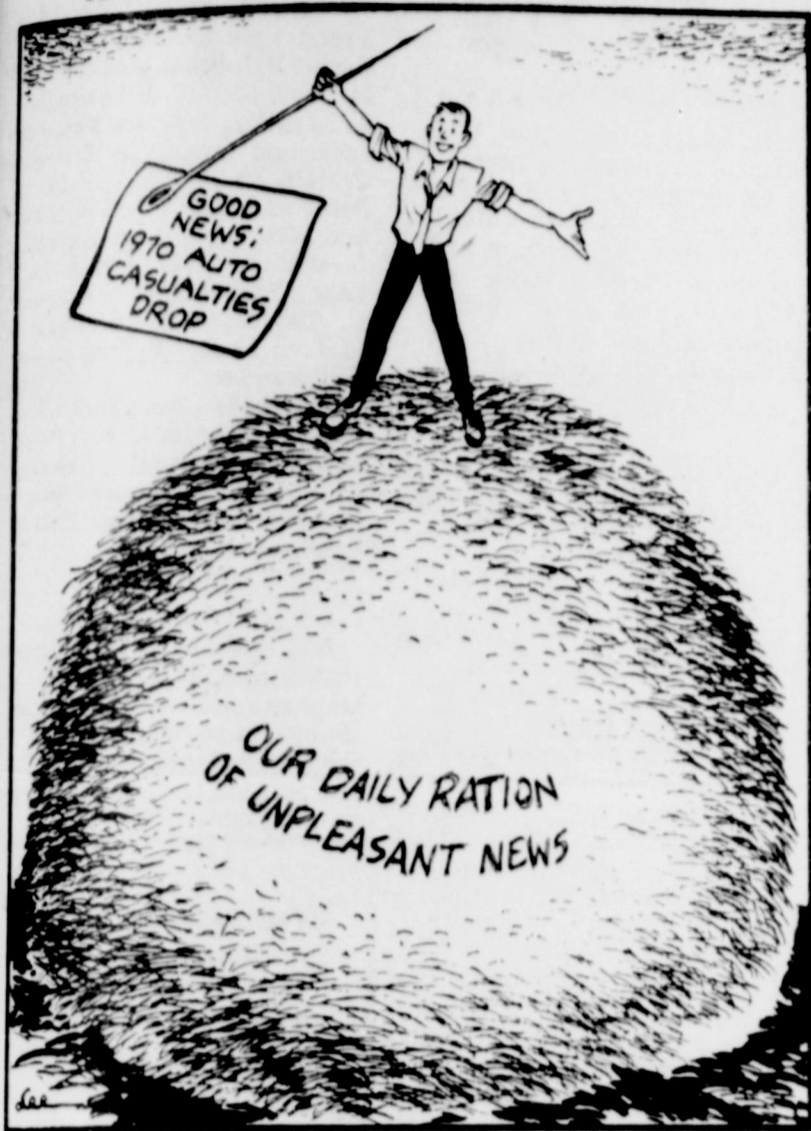
"(8) The commission shall investigate any alleged violation of any rule of ethics promulgated by it and report its findings to the appropriate State agency, official, legislative body, grand jury or district attorney.

"(9) Until otherwise provided by the commission, each member of the Legislature shall receive from the public treasury an annual salary of Four Thousand, Eight Hundred Dollars (\$4,800) per year and per diem not exceeding Twelve Dollars (\$12) per day for the first 120 days only of each Regular Session and for 30 days of each Special Session of the Legislature. No Regular Session shall be of longer duration than 140 days. In addition to the per diem, the members of each House shall be entitled to mileage in going to and returning from the seat of government, which mileage shall not exceed Two Dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50) for every twenty-five (25) miles, the distance to be computed by the nearest and most direct route of travel, from a table of distances prepared by the Comptroller to each county seat now or hereafter established; no member to be entitled to mileage for any extra session that may be called within one day after adjournment of the Regular or Called session.

"(10) The commission is further authorized to recommend to each Legislature changes which will update, improve, and effect economy in the legislative process."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the 18th day of May, 1971, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment to create a State Ethics Commission empowered to set rules of ethics for members of the Legislature, State officers and legislative officers, to investigate violations thereof, and to recommend compensation for members of the Legislature and the Lieutenant Governor and recommend improvements and economy in the legislative process."

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GOOD NEWS

The nation's press, so some people say, never plays up good news. Well, that's not really true, as we are about to prove to you.

For the first time since 1967, U.S. traffic fatalities and injuries have shown a decline. We think that's great news, and we're happy to share it with you.

The traffic death toll for 1970 was 55,300—or 1,100 less than the previous year.

That may be a small reduction as measured in percentages, but it proves to the American people that the toll can be cut despite the increasing number of cars on the road.

Improvements in the traffic toll have occurred briefly in the past only to be cancelled by a reversal in trend. We must be sure that this doesn't happen.

We should all be encouraged to become more safety conscious. Let's continue to reduce the toll. Keep the good news coming.

Legion Auxiliary Plans Birthday Party

Thirteen members of the Legion Auxiliary attended the monthly meeting of the organization in the home of Mrs. G.W. Kyle last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Clyde Higgins, president, reported that two more new members were needed to meet the year's quota.

Mrs. H.E. Ezelle was given permission to obtain the material for six new tablecloths for the large tables at the Legion Hall and she will hem them.

To honor the members of the Legion on the Legion's birthday, a salad supper was planned for Tuesday, March 9, with a joint meeting of the Legion and Auxiliary to which the members and their families will be invited.

Mrs. E.E. Farley gave a report on articles in "The Firing Line". She also gave the report of the high school faculty on nominees for delegate to Bluebonnet Girls State which meets in June and the delegate and alternate were elected.

Mrs. W.H. Savage, music chairman, told of the month "Your Land and My Land".

Mrs. Ezelle spoke briefly concerning civil defense, mentioning that it was useful in meeting the needs following such disasters as flood, fire, explosion, etc., as well as in times of war.

"America" was sung in closing.

Mrs. Kyle served "devilish cake", tea, and coffee during the social hour when the guests watched the news of the earthquake in Calif. on TV.

Also present were Mmes. Dalton Hogg, C.P. Peavy, L.H. Gilbreath, Mark Duncan, Jim Kerr, Gene McSparran, A.C. Garner, and E. McSparran.

Bonhomie Club

The Bonhomie Club was entertained in the home of Mrs. S.C. Harrell last Wednesday afternoon with eight members present including Mmes. F.G. Grisby, O.J. Cresswell, J.W. Carruthers Jr., Alfred Bendele, Harvey Rogers, C.I. White, Ray Caldwell, also two guests, Mmes. E. McSparran and H.E. Fletcher.

A short business session was held and the program for this year arranged. A get-well card was sent to Mrs. B.F. Dawson after which Valentine gifts were exchanged by secret pals.

Mrs. Harrell served a salad plate with heart-shaped cookies and pink divinity.

Beta Iota Meets Saturday in Alpine

Seven members of the local Beta Iota Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma went to Alpine Saturday afternoon to attend the monthly meeting of the chapter in the faculty lounge at Sul Ross State University.

After refreshments and the business session, Miriam Lawrence gave a lecture accompanied by the showing of slides on "Indian Petroglyphs and Pictographs" pertaining to the Brewster County area and prehistoric as well as historic.

Those attending were Mmes. Austin Chriesman, W.H. Grigsby, R.R. McClellan, W.H. Savage, W.J. Morris, Joe Chisholm, and E.E. Farley.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kerr were in Odessa Tuesday for her to go to a podiatrist.

CONG. RICHARD C. WHITE PLANS VISIT HERE

Congressman Richard C. White will visit Sanderson Thursday, February 18, if possible, pending completion of flood control hearings at Alpine.

Congressman White stated that the importance of the hearings in Alpine on this date were very important to the people of that area and that he considered it vital that his plans include the completion of those meetings and, if the hearings were completed in time to visit Sanderson that day, he would do so.

ARLEDGE GETS SCHOLARSHIP

Sol E. Arledge, a senior law student at St. Mary's University School of Law, San Antonio, has been awarded a scholarship as briefing clerk to the 175th District's Judge Preston H. Dial Jr. Arledge is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Arledge of Del Rio, former Sanderson and Terrell County residents. He is a graduate of the Del Rio High School. He received his Bachelor of Arts Degree in mathematics from Southwest State University, San Marcos, in 1963. He entered law school two years ago and has been a briefing clerk with a law firm until his acceptance of the scholarship earlier this month.

The scholarship he received is awarded annually to a senior law student in Bexar County. He and his wife and two children reside in San Antonio.

CUB SCOUTS MEET

Dens 1, 2, and 3 Cub Scouts met together Monday afternoon in Fellowship Hall of the First Presbyterian Church. Following a game session, there were questions and answers about some of the freedoms granted by the Constitution following which J. A. Gilbreath spoke to the group about some "freedoms".

The Scouts present were Aubey Black, Charlie Brown, Cody Carruthers, Mickey Corbett, Jose Daniel, Cato deLeon, Primo Escudero, Brant Myers, Shalor Sumrall, Malone Mitchell III, Sandy Silvas, Paul Murr, Gary McDonald, Scott McDonald, Richard Montalvo, Rex Holcombe; and Mrs. N.M. Mitchell Jr., Mrs. Pinky Carruthers, and Mrs. Tex Sumrall.

Baptist W.M.U. Meets on Tuesday

Baptist Women met on February 16 in the home of Mrs. C.B. Card with nine members present. Mrs. O.D. Gray gave the Call to Prayer and opened the meeting with prayer. Mrs. H.H. Pipes was leader of the program "Racial Understanding - Through Cooperative Relationships", and was assisted by Mmes. E.H. Carson, Gene Black, V.E. Keyes, and Gray.

Members were reminded of the mission study meeting to be February 23 in the home of Mrs. Keyes with members using the study book "The Diakonic Task".

Mrs. Black voiced the dismissal prayer.

During the brief social period, Mrs. Card served coffee, tea, cake, and roasted pecans to her guests. Others attending were Mmes. B.L. Melton, A.N. Farley, and G.W. Kyle.

Tuesday Bridge Club

Mrs. Tol Murrah had a dessert-bridge last week in compliment to the Tuesday Bridge Club.

Those attending were Mmes. Austin Nance, Roger Rose, S.H. Underwood, W.J. Murrah, R.S. Wilkinson, Bill Rose, Jim Kerr, J.T. Williams, Jack Riggs, Gilbert Bell, Herbert Brown, and F.J. Barrett.

Mrs. Brown held high score, Mrs. Barrett second high, with Mrs. Wilkinson and Mrs. Underwood sharing slam.

PURELY LOCAL

T. W. McKenzie was a business visitor in Fort Stockton on Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Zuber-bueller spent last week visiting their daughter, Mrs. Buster Holland, and Mrs. Holland in Marfa.

Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Harrison and G. K. Mitchell attended the Presbyterian Synod meet in Midland Tuesday and Wednesday this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Williams

COMSTOCK - IMPERIAL WILL PLAY CAGE TILT HERE

Comstock and Imperial will play a championship basketball game in Sanderson on Thursday, February 25, in the local gym.

The game will be at 7:30 p. m. and local cage fans are urged to come out and witness the tilt.

JOHN MAHONEY BEGINS PRACTICE TEACHING

Another student teacher from Sul Ross State University in Alpine, John Mahoney, began his 8-weeks period of practice teaching last week under the supervision of R. C. Holcombe. He is an industrial arts major and plans to graduate in August.

Mr. Mahoney is from Alpine and his wife works for the West Texas Education Center and comes to Sanderson every week.

MRS. E. E. FARLEY NAMED TSTA OFFICIAL DELEGATE

Mrs. E. E. Farley will be an official voting delegate at the 92nd annual state convention of the Texas State Teachers Association March 11-13. She is one of 1,330 members of the House of Delegates to meet and act on proposed amendments to the TSTA constitution new policies, recommendations, etc.

MRS. J. V. GOSSETT IS IN CALIFORNIA EARTHQUAKE

Mrs. H.W. Chamberlain received word last week that her mother, Mrs. J.V. Gossett, a former Sanderson resident, had been thrown out of her bed by the earthquake which caused the widespread devastation in California recently. Mrs. Gossett said that she was not hurt by the fall, nor was she scared particularly, as it was all over before she had time to become frightened.

Mrs. Gossett is living with another daughter in Sylmar, Calif., which is in the San Fernando Valley.

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went to San Antonio last week to meet their son, Lt. Travis Williams, who flew in from Petersburg, Va., where he is stationed. They also visited their daughter, Mrs. Ray Robinson, and family.

Francis Mansfield took Tom Breeding to Victoria Tuesday for a post-surgical check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Pendleton were in Austin for several days last week for him to attend the Leadership College sponsored by the American Legion Department of Texas. He is adjutant of the local post. They also visited in San Antonio with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hornsby.

Mrs. H.A. Couch and Mrs. G.K. Mitchell attended funeral services in Sheffield for Mrs. Mollie Monroe last week.

Mrs. B.F. Dawson returned home last Wednesday after being in a Fort Stockton hospital for medical treatment. Mrs. Ray Clifford brought her home.

Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Jones were business visitors in Fort Stockton Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F.D. Fisher and Tamica were business visitors in Fort Stockton Monday.

Forrest Neal of Midkiff was a visitor with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Robbins, and Susi, for several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Romo and children of Lubbock were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Calzada, and with other relatives.

Mrs. W.D. O'Brayant returned home Sunday from Ozona where she had spent most of the time for several weeks. Her daughter-in-law, Mrs. William Doyle O'Bryant, and infant son are at home now and in three weeks she is to begin treatments for a rare liver disease.

Glen Wren, band director, attended the Texas Music Educators Association Convention in Houston three days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Harrell and Willis Harrell went to Del Rio to visit with Mrs. Effie Harrell Friday. She is in a nursing home in that city and has been ill in recent weeks.

Mrs. Lee Grigsby was moved from a Fort Stockton hospital to an Alpine hospital last Friday. She continues to receive medication and improve after a stroke in which her speech was affected several weeks ago.

G.W. Kyle is in an Alpine hospital after a painful accident last week in which the ligaments in his leg were pulled. The accident was in a store in Valentine. He jumped to prevent falling on a small child after the child ran into him on a tricycle.

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The Eagle Boosters would like to express their appreciation and gratitude for all donations of work or money that went into the building of the field house.

And a special "thanks" to the school board for the purchase of the plaque to be placed on the field house.

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CARD OF THANKS

We would like to give our sincere thanks to everyone who was so kind as to help us while the late Carlos Villarreal was in the hospital and after his death. Special thanks to all who donated money, food and flowers.

Mrs. Carlos Villarreal and family.

IN APPRECIATION

The Concession Stand committee of the Eagle Boosters would like to take this means of saying "thank you" for all who donated sandwiches, barbecue burgers, and time to serve at our basketball games this season.

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New Arrivals...

To Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams of Midland was born their second child and son on January 30. His birth weight was six and a half pounds and his name is Daniel Scott. Mrs. Williams is the former Linda Lopez, daughter of Mrs. Gregoria Lopez.

MRS. FELIZ HERNANDEZ DIES IN ILLINOIS

Funeral services were held in Del Rio last Thursday for Mrs. Macario (Feliz) Hernandez 72, who died in Maywood, Ill., on Sunday, February 7. The body was brought to Del Rio by air and services were in El Principe de Paz United Methodist Church.

The Hernandez family is former Sanderson residents when he was employed at the old rock crusher. Although residing in Maywood they had also maintained a home in Del Rio.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two daughters, Miss Blanca Hernandez of Washington, D.C., and Mrs. Lorenza Mendoza of Maywood, also three grandchildren.

Attending the funeral from Sanderson were Mmes. Bernarda Postas, Manuel Garcia, and Herlinda Cerda.

OUT-OF-TOWN PEOPLE HERE FOR VILLARREAL RITES

Out-of-town relatives and friends here for the funeral of Carlos Villarreal recently were: Mr. and Mrs. Calixto Gracia and family, Mr. and Mrs. Seldo Perez and daughter of Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Perez and family of Clato; Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Victorino and family of Alpine; Miss Linda Diane Weidner, Mrs. Consuelo V. Taylor, Jesus Villarreal, Laredo; Samuel Guadarrama of Fort Stockton.

Pallbearers were Jesus Villarreal, Laredo; Miguel Perez, San Antonio; Raul Villarreal, Ruperto Perez, Mauro Lopez, and Rodolfo Villarreal, all of Sanderson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cox were in San Angelo last week for him to have medical attention and then went to Snyder to visit with their daughter, Mrs. Tobe Gober, and family before coming home Friday.

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