GEORGE MCNEIL SONFIELD (1899-1967)

Born Aug 21, 1899, died August 27, 1967. His prep school education was in Allen Academy, Bryan, Texas; West Texas Military Academy, San Antonio and Marion Institute, Marion Alabama. His undergraduate degree was from the University of Texas at Austin and his legal education was at George Washington University where he earned the degree of L.L.B. in 1924 and began his practice with the law firm of Sonfield & Sonfield. At the outbreak of World War I, 1916, he left preparatory school and enlisted in the U.S. Calvary and was commissioned a 2nd lieutenant. He was compelled to resign when it was discovered that he was under age. He reenlisted and served out the duration of the war.