



Gifts galore in every store



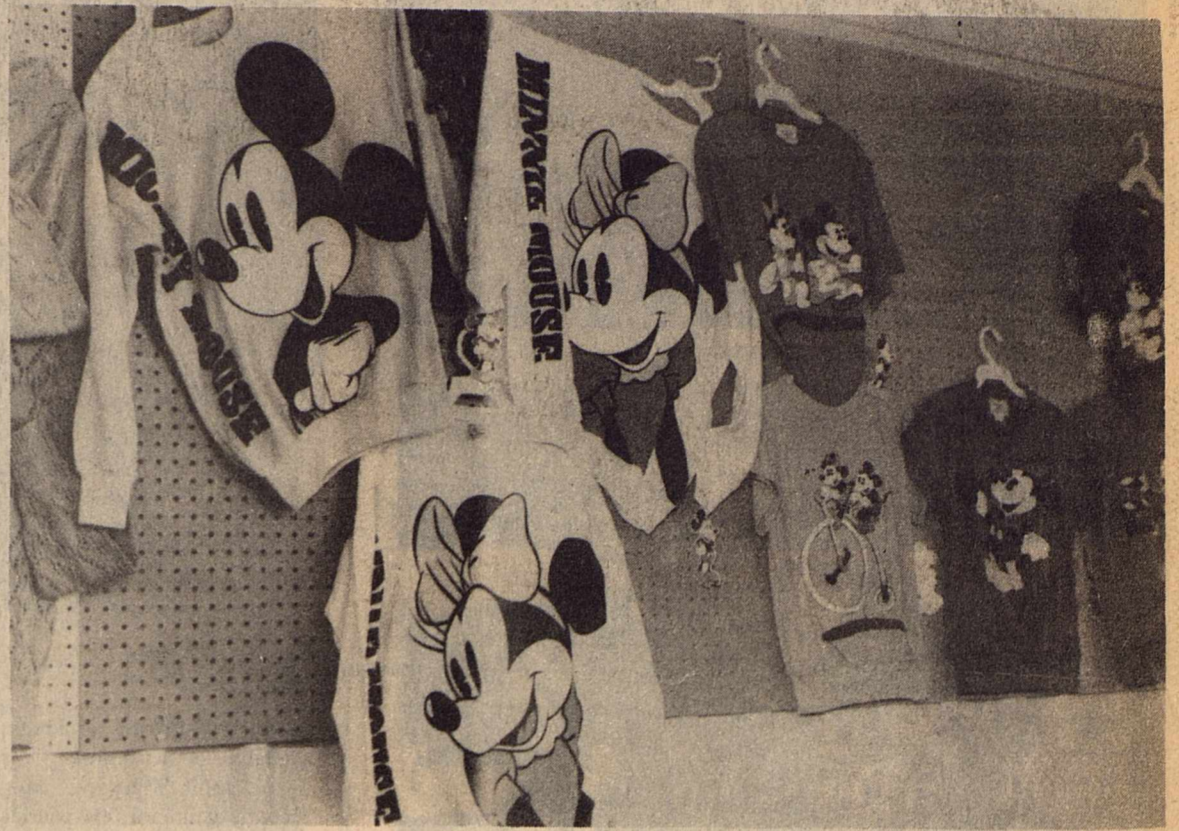
IMAGE

By Mary Huckaby
With only eleven more shopping days until Christmas, everyone is looking for that perfect gift for Aunt Jane or Uncle Rich. Well look no farther, Sonora has the answer to all your shopping needs.

First let's take a look at the clothing available. I found myself in four clothing stores, each aimed at a different spectrum of people.

The Image for example has an air of sophistication about it. The store was having its open house while I visited, and needless to say, I was treated with sincere kindness. The Image has just what you're looking for in luxury clothes. The management also informed that they also have a great line of men's cologne.

If casual clothes are more your style. O'Bryans Fashions is what you're looking for. They have in stock many types of designer jeans and sportswear. And let's not forget those adorable Mickey Mouse shirts that the kids go crazy
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Sonora, Tx. 76950

Town Meeting positive beginning

Don't sell Sonora, live in Sonora

Concerned citizens met this past week to sow seeds. Perhaps the seeds of a victory garden. Seeds of hope and caring.

The planting occurred at a Town Meeting, held in the High School Auditorium, and was hosted by the Chamber of Commerce and the Industrial Board.

After an introduction by Mayor Gosney, Ernest Lykins, Chamber president, stepped to the podium. "This one meeting can't solve anything but it is a start" Lykins said "It could be the turning point in the rebirth of Sonora."

"Sonora must find a permanent economic base," Lykins continued "and we are here tonight to explore ways to accomplish this. Tourism may possibly be an immediate answer. Approximately 3,000 cars pass through Sonora daily, 100 of these cars stop in Sonora and many of the 100 are ranchers coming to town."

"Regardless of how we choose to strengthen the economy, there are some questions each person must ask themselves," stated Lykins "To the business owner- Would you shop in your business? Are you willing to put forth the effort to improve your image and make the necessary changes? And to the citizens of Sonora- Are you proud of your community? If no are you willing to work together to make this a better place to live?"

Everyone agreed that one of the first steps taken in the revitalization of Sonora is the clean-up of the roads leading into town as well as the town itself. Many ideas and suggestions were offered on ways to accomplish this goal.

Norm Rousselot stated that it could prove beneficial for each business to place a suggestion box where

shoppers could say how they feel, not only about the business, but also offer hints for the town. This idea had merit and indeed, several businesses had a suggestion box in operation by Wednesday evening.

A round of applause went to Jim Stephen when he stated "Don't sell Sonora. Live in Sonora."

"Many people reside in Sonora but don't live here," said Stephen, "what I see is a attitude problem. We must realize that if this is where we work, this is where we live and Sonora belongs to all of us."

Small industry a retirement community, merchants restructuring their pricing, employees going that extra mile to create a happy consumer were but a few of the ideas bantered about.

John Tedford stressed the "magnet theory", the progressive towns grow while the others die.

John Tedford and Al Elliott also spoke on the possibility of going to hospital districting in order to maintain our present medical facilities. "To close our hospital would be unthinkable" said Tedford "We could certainly not hope to attract people into the area without medical facilities to say nothing of the people already living in Sonora. It may be that hospital districting is our only viable option."

The Chamber and Industrial Board are busy exploring all angles. They have spoken to the people who head the Main Street USA project, they are negotiating for a consultant who will come in and make workable suggestions on how Sonora can move ahead. And they are planning for more Town Meetings.

And with hard work and nurturing, from all of us, the seeds planted last week will not only grow. They will multiply.



Jim Garrett explains trash regulations at Town Meeting.

How to ruin a town without even trying

*Go to the nearest large town to shop. You'll spend a ton on gas, meals and parking meters, but you'll save a couple of dollars on merchandise.

*Always talk "hard times" complain about business and depression that's sure to come.

*Make fun of the fire and police departments. They are just out for the glory and pay.

*Knock the city council. This is a must. Everyone of the councilmen is just on council to get a little kickback.

*Stay out of church. You might go Easter and Christmas just to prove to yourself that the clergyman does not know what he's talking about and that everyone there is a hypocrite.

*Buy everything you can out of a discount catalog. These firms are the first to come through with the donations and service to the community.

*Don't support the hometown newspaper. The out-of-town papers and TV are a lot better and contribute much more to the

town than the local bugle.

*Spread any story or rumor that is defamatory or uncomplimentary about the town. Never say anything nice about anybody. All kids are delinquents. All businessmen are crooks.

*Above all, always be cynical about anything that is supposed to be good for the community. Your motto should be, "If it's good, it can't happen here."

Author Unknown
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Ozona Stockman

At A Glance

Greetings being sold

Our Christmas edition will be published next week, (Dec. 18). If you would like one please call our office, 387-2507, the deadline is Friday, December 13.

SS representative

John Willis, representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his December visit to Sonora. He will be at the County Courthouse on Thursday, December 19th, between 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact him at this time.

Bake sale scheduled

Los Amigos Club will be having a Christmas Bake Sale on Saturday, Dec. 14th at 9:00 a.m. at Food Center. Cakes, Cookies, etc...will be Christmas wrapped and ready to be given as gifts.

Did you Know?

that littering is not only a crime but it's also illegal? Persons caught littering are subject to fine and in our effect to clean up Sonora, Chief of Police, Brent Gesch has issued the following statement.

"If you see anyone throwing trash from a vehicle, jot down the license number and report it to the Sonora Police Department and we will deal with the problem."

Gesch thinks that one way to cut down on litter is to carry a litter bag in your car. He feels so strongly about this that he is even supplying the bags. Some of the papers this week have a little bag inserted and the bags can be obtained from various businesses in town. Clean up Sonora!

Over 55's Yule Party

The Over 55's will be having their special Christmas program at the Senior Center on Friday, December 20 at 7:30 p.m.

Entertainment will be provided by Oscar Galindo and Sandra Brandon.

Also on hand will be Monkey George from Eldorado. Everyone loved Monkey George his first trip to Sonora and since that time Monkey George has found himself a wife, Georgette. Georgette will accompany Monkey George to the fun event.

Make plans now to attend-the only requirement is that you are over 55 years of age.

Committee to meet

The Sonora Sesquicentennial Committee will meet Thursday, December 12, 1985 at 7:00 p.m. at Sutton County National Bank. Everyone interested in joining in the celebrations of Texas 150th Birthday is invited to attend this meeting.

It's about time

One of our advertisers reported to us that his ad last week drew a shopper from San Angelo. That's a pleasant switch!

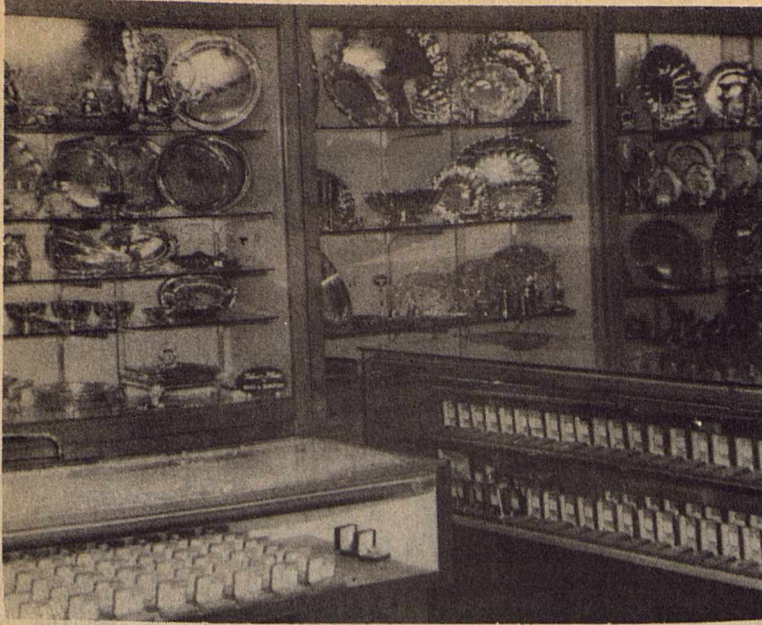
Commodity distribution

First distribution of commodities such as "Butter and Cheese" will be available to eligible applicants on Wednesday, December 11, from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Sutton County Senior Citizen Building at 106 Wilson Street.

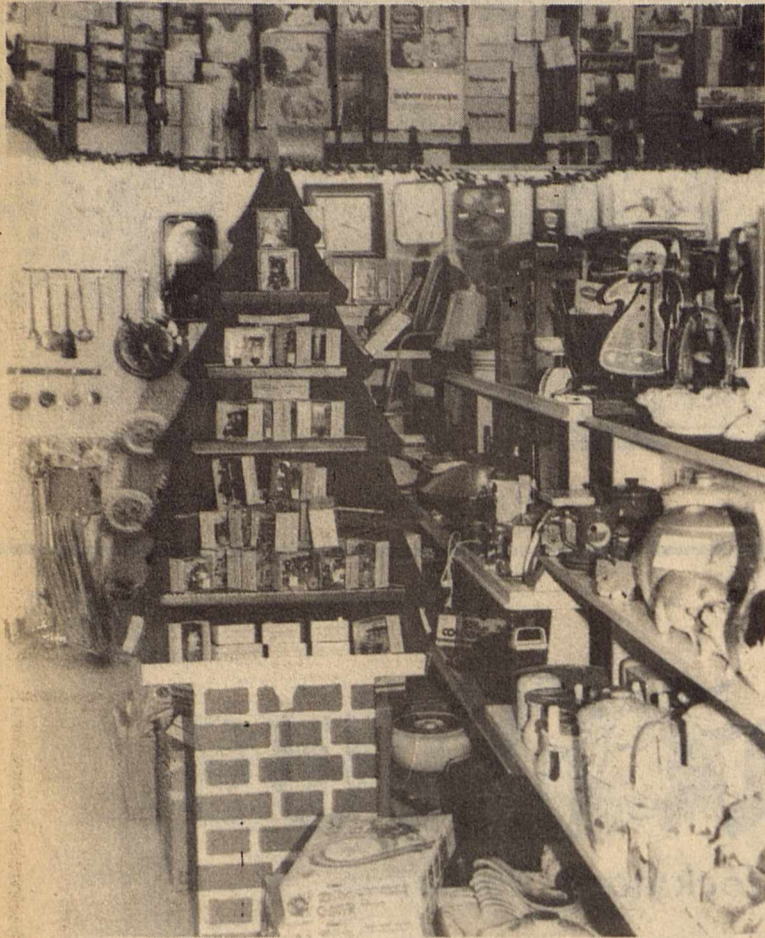
Lodge to meet

Dec Ora Lodge #715 is having a Christmas Dinner, December 19, at 6:30 p.m. at the Lodge Hall. All members and their families as are the members of Sonora Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star are cordially invited. We are having a traditional menu. We would love to have a good turn out. Please come and enjoy!

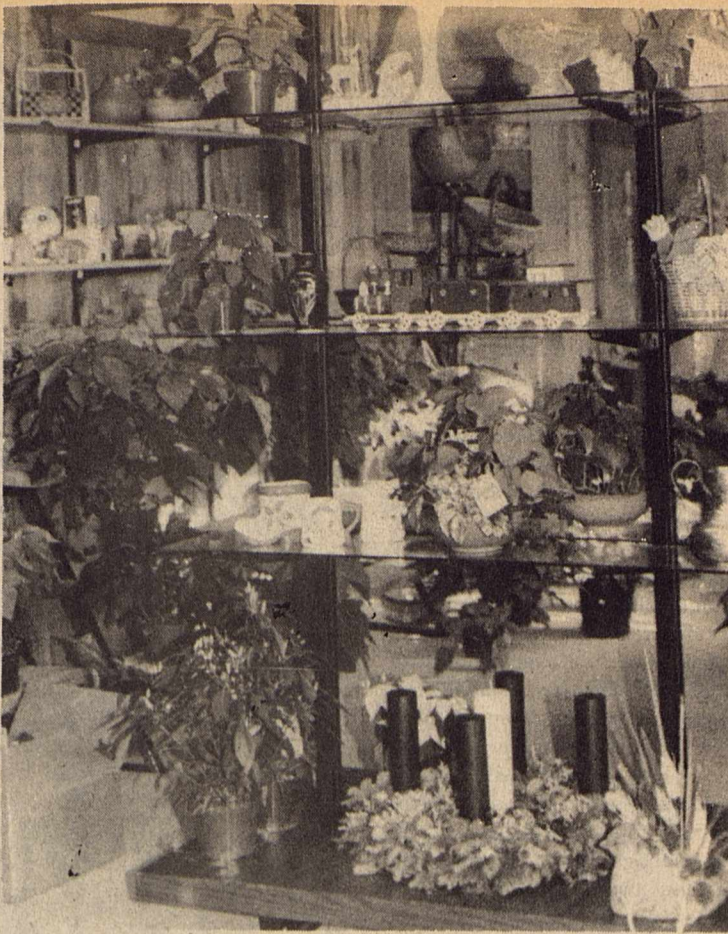
There will be a short regular meeting after the meal.



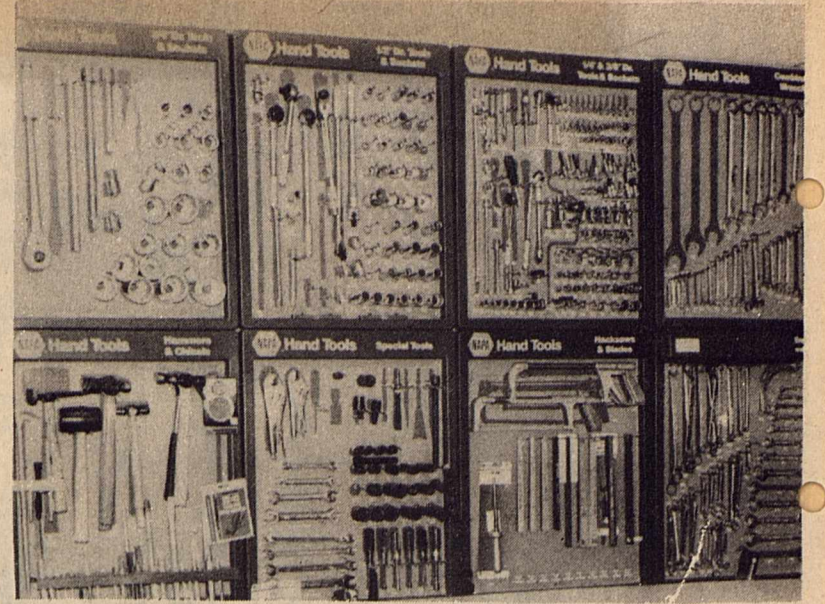
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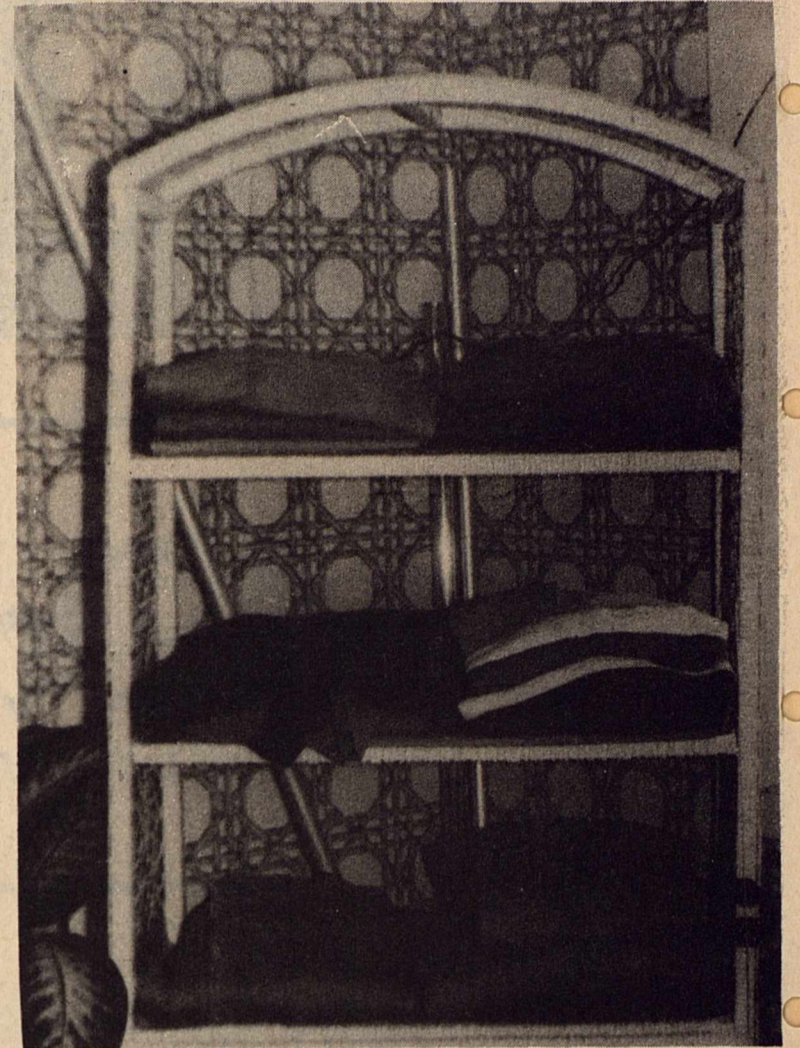
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Gifts...

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about. T-Shirts of all kinds also available in this store.

For Aunt Margaret who has recently gained a few pounds you won't have to travel to San Angelo for her gift. It may be purchased at our own Bright Spot. Owned and operated by Margaret Cascadden and Sharon Kemp, the Bright Spot is the only large size shop within 70 miles of Sonora. With only two in Abilene and three in San Angelo, Sonora should really feel good about having their own large size shop right here.

If you want to do all your clothes shopping at once, you should visit Gosney's Department Store. They have everything from infant clothes to robes for Grandma. Many items are specially priced at 50 percent off.

If members of your family are really into jewelry, we have two fine jewelry stores right here in town.

Tedford Jewelry is offering special prices for Christmas and they also have a complete line of Hallmark cards and party utensils.

Hill's Jewelry, too, is having tremendous savings on many items for the holiday season. Both stores have flyers available so if you failed to receive one through the mail go by and get yours today and see what wonderful items both stores have to offer.

For the man in your life, Sonora offers several stores.

Western Auto has many mechanical supplies for every kind of machinery. They also have bicycles of all types for your youngster from tricycles to the more complex 10 speed bikes.

Sonora Wool and Mohair also has many "manly" Christmas gifts. They have rodent calls as well as insect repellent.

Circle S Automotive has many hand tools for every car's needs as well as special kits for making the ordinary car "extra-ordinary" such

as high-performance parts, chrome accessories.

Westerman Drug has supplies for every need. They have cosmetics, stuffed animals, watches, Ray Ban sunglasses, glasswear, massage pillows, jewelry boxes, film, cameras and every pharmaceutical supply imaginable, plus the friendliest people to serve you.

For the person who is just too difficult to buy for, Petals is the answer. Flowers are never an unwelcomed gift. Besides beautiful flowers, they also have gifts of stuffed animals, porcelain dolls and poinsiettas of every size and shape.

If you have forgotten anything on your Christmas list such as wrapping paper, tape, or cards you will find yourself most likely visiting Gibsons. They are a true variety store. Gibsons is also the only place in town to have a complete series of top 40 records and tapes.

Sonora really does have something for everyone so please support your local businesses by shopping locally.

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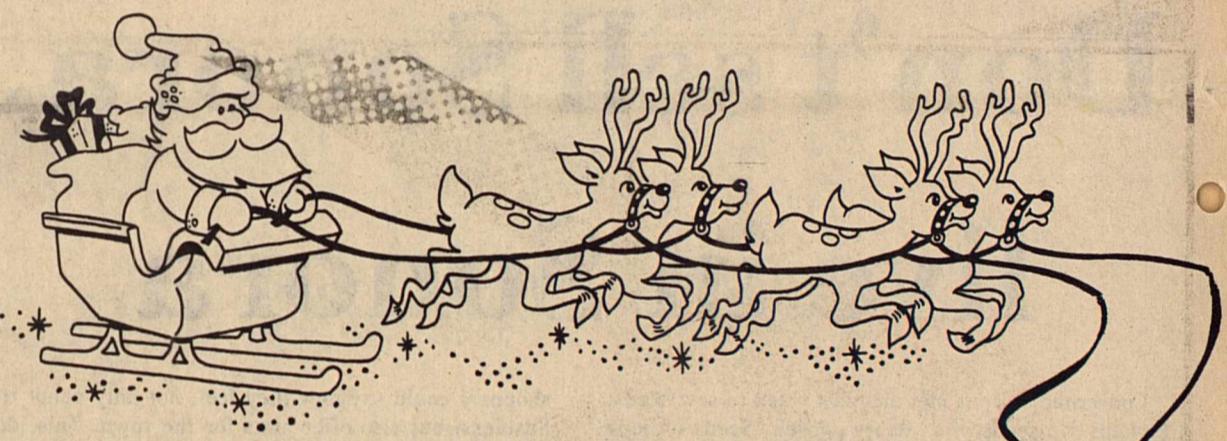
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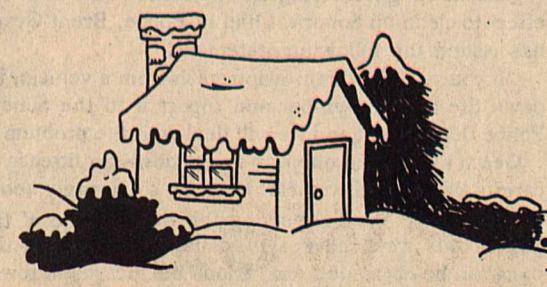
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Christmas spirit is alive

Primera Baptist Church cordially invites each and everyone to their annual Christmas Program. The play "Who Is Jesus?" is about how the Birth of Jesus changes a gang boy's life, also the Nativity scene in live and full color. The gang boy will be portrayed by Joe Sanchez Yorba, Gina Gamez as his sister, and mother by Mrs. Lola Salinas. Also as storekeeper, Mr. Salvador Enriquez, and as Baptist Minister Rick Sanchez. In the Nativity scene, Miss Sulema Esquivel from Eldorado, Texas, as Mary and Peter Perez as Joseph. As angels,

Mrs. Marie Herrera, Mrs. Prissy Gutierrez, Patty Yorba, Erica Bernal and Delia Lizzette Yorba, shepards, Natanael Hererra, Chuckie Yorba and Oscar Huerta. Wise men, Mr. Sam Perez, Mr. Adam Fay and Mr. Ruben Yorba. Each and everyone is most welcome to come share a little time of your lives on this Christmas Spirit. The service will be Sunday, December 22, 1985 at 7:00 p.m. The church is located between Santa Clara and Chestnut St. Pastor of the church, Rev. Jorge Herrera.

Patricia's Place Antiques

Pre-Holiday Sale

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Bring this ad for **10% off** any non-sale item.

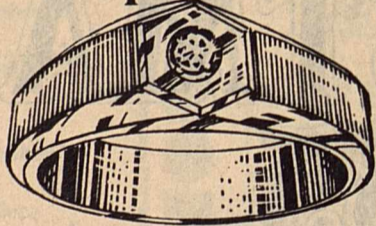
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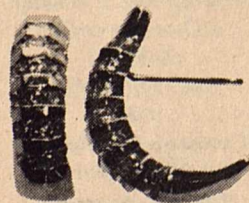


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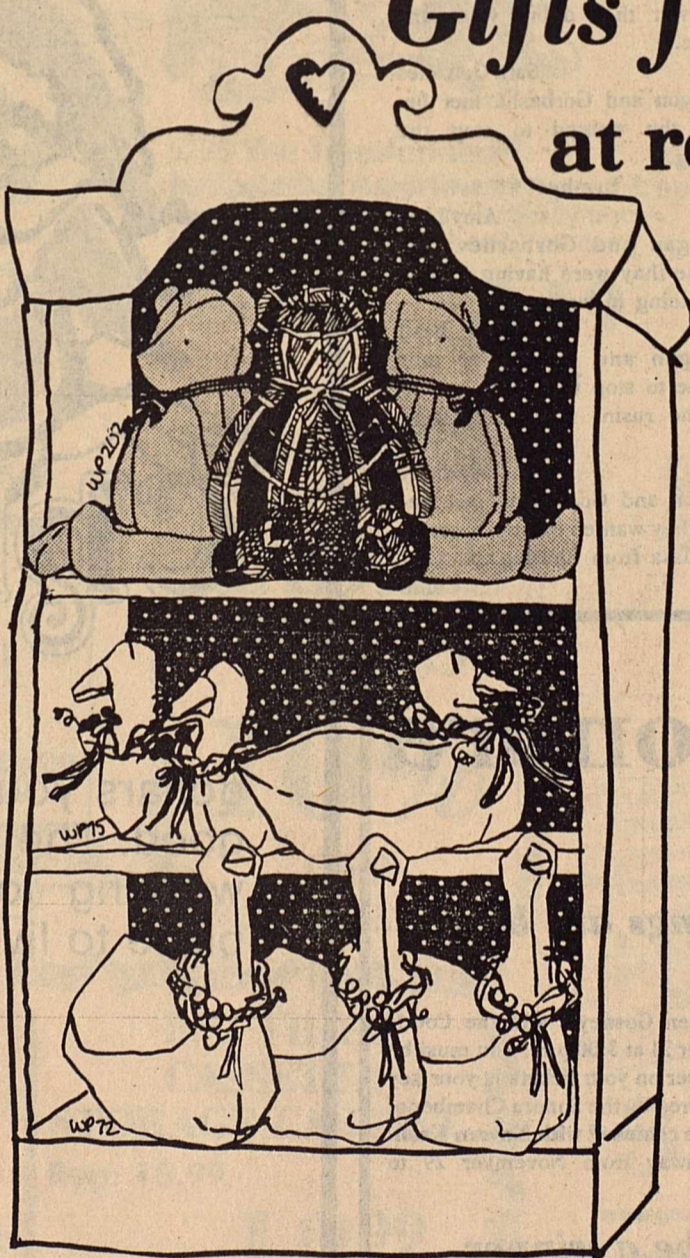
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Diamond Eternity Ring

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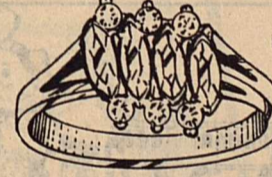
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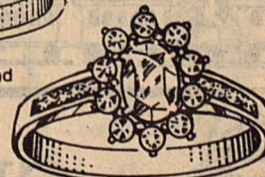
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**For a fresh outlook
We ask the kids**

The question of the week was asked to third grade students.

Why did Reagan and Gorbachev meet in Geneva?

To make friends.

Jeromy Yager
So we could not have school.

Sara Chavez
Reagan and Gorbachev met in Geneva because they want to share the towns.

Laura Enriquez
Reagan and Gorbachev met in Geneva because they wanted to see who was going to were.

Victor Ibarra
Reagan and Gorbachev met in Geneva because they wanted to have peace between us.

Cody Renfro
Reagan and Gorbachev met in Geneva because they had a fit.

Tray McDaniels
Reagan and Gorbachev met in Geneva because it was war time for them.

Keith Ray Varner
Reagan and Gorbachev met in Geneva because to have a meeting about the country.

Toye Ivy
Reagan and Gorbachev met in Geneva because they wanted to talk about Americans and Rushans getting together to have a nuclear war.

Casey Thorp
Reagan and Gorbachev met in

Geneva to make the world safe from having wars.

Joel
To talk about peace for the two countries.

Amanda Gibson
So they could use others things to have peace.

Jeremy DeWitt
Because that's where they had a meeting.

Javi Weinergart
They met to discuss peace and to see if maybe if they could bring their good to each other.

Farah Teresa Gee
to be friends and Nancy to get acquainted with Gorbachev wife.

Jease
The reason Reagan and Gorbachev met is so we can buy each other's products and to know each other better.

Victoria Richardson
President Reagan and Gorbachev had a summit meeting in Geneva. they were trying to get along.

Juan Morales
President Reagan went to a summit meeting in Geneva about keeping peace. But we don't know if they are going to destroy the hole world. While he was there he fed some little boys gold fish. But we are one of the most powerful nations in the world.

Daniel Lind
Mr. Gorbachev and Mr. Reagan had a summit meeting. They liked each other very well. But they did not agree on everything. They met in Geneva. They discussed a lot about the world. They discussed peace too. I bit Mr. Reagan had a lot of fun in Geneva. He is a nice guy. I bit Mr. Gorbachev is a nice guy too. He sound nice too. If you do not kill us we will not kill you.

Candy Nye
President Reagan and Gorbachev went to Geneva to have a meeting. They talked about nuclear arms

and hey to be friends. Mr. Gorbachev took all his men. President Reagan said, "if you shoot a bomb us will shoot one at you." If we both shoot nuclear bombs we might all die. I saw the show that had how you can get under ground and save your life. On the show 2,899 people died and that might happen to you.

Chris Neal
President Reagan went to Geneva to have a meeting with Gorbachev. He and Gorbachev discussed about having peace. Because were the most powerfulest countries in the world. Because if we didn't have peace everyone would die.

Serina Torres
President Reagan went to Geneva to a summit meeting with Gorbachev. They liked each other. But they don't agree. President Reagan told Gorbachev about not setting missiles at us. President Reagan brot over a 100 men incase something went wrong. A don't understand rushans.

Billy Sebok
President Reagan and Mr. Gorbachev went to Geneva for a summit meeting. They liked each other alot, but we don't know what they agreed on. They talked about things like bombs, and we are afraid of bombs they can destroy the whole world.

Melissa McClain
President Reagan had a summit meeting with Mr. Gorbachev they talked about war. They talked about peace and they had a lot of problems. They do not want a bomb to destroy the world. And they do not want war to happen. A bomb is a powerful weapon used in war.

Matt Gilly
President Reagan and the Gorbachev are discussing about that if they throw the bomb all the people and children would be gone and if they throw at us we will throw at them back. So I hope they will make peace. But he already gone one time but the other President. So now the President is going to tell them that we are both big countries. Many people think they are going to make peace because the president has stayed very long over there and many people are afraid that something might have happened to the President. Some people want to go.

Jose Cumpian
Reagan and Gorbachev met because they wanted to stop the war because it was killing people and hurting people too.

April Watkins
Reagan and Gorbachev met because the America people wanted peace.

David Warner
Reagan and Gorbachev met because Reagan and Gorbachev didn't want war they didn't want any trouble.

Sara Gonzales
Reagan and Gorbachev met because they wanted to stop the fighting.

Amy Love
Reagan and Gorbachev met because they were having trouble with fighting in wars.

Brad
Reagan and Gorbachev met because to stop the wars, and to stop the rusins when they were killing.

April M.
Reagan and Gorbachev met because they wanted to stop America and Russia from fighting.

Callie

Sorority entertained with program

The Gamma Phi Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma held their monthly meeting on Tuesday, December 3, in the Jr. High Snack Bar, Sonora.

Representatives from the 4th grade choir and the Jr. High Ensemble presented a delightful Christmas Program. The choir was directed by Bridgette Griffin and accompanied by Charlotte Wilson.

The moment of meditation was given by Martha Smith, Sonora.

The continuing orientation was an informative yet comical skit called "Delta Gamma Heaven". Actresses included Claudia Dempsey, Rita Hale, and Elaine Newton of Sonora and Diana Luna of Rocksprings.

Hostesses for the lovely supper were Claudia Dempsey, Bridgette Griffin, and Rita Hale of Sonora.

New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cole Elliott are proud to announce the arrival of their daughter, Elizabeth Blair, born December 2, at 1:56 a.m. in Angelo Community Hospital. She weighed 8 lbs., 7 ozs., and was 20 1/2 inches long.

Elizabeth is welcomed home by her proud brother, James William. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Angus Morrison of Houston and Mrs. William Marion Elliott of Sonora. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Angus Morrison of Houston and Mrs. A.C. Elliott of Sonora.

Cecil Westerman would like to be your Pharmacist

Belted belts

Nine person, one from Sonora and eight from San Angelo, attended the John Flores River City International Karate Championship in San Antonio. The triple rated tournament was held at the Westside Lions YMCA on December 7.

Clarence "Daddy-O" Smith instructor of the Karate Institute in San Angelo won second in Kata in the Adult Mens Blackbelt Division for a total of six points. He also won first in Fighting Adult Mens Middleweight Blackbelt Division for 9 points and was declared Grand Champion in Fighting and was awarded a cash prize of \$300.

Kenneth Jolly of Sonora, won

third in Kata-Adult Mens Orange-belt Division for 3 points and second in Fighting Adult Mens Lightweight Orangebelt Division.

Jolly was sponsored by Sonic Drive In, and Gibson's Discount.

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Sunday School for Juniors	10:00 a.m.
Worship Services	11:00 a.m.
Advent Services Wednesday's	7:00 p.m.

We teach the Good News that God through his Son, Jesus Christ, reconciled this world Himself. Jesus died on the cross and rose from the grave to pay the penalty for sin and to release His people from its power. The forgiveness and new life is offered to all and is received through faith as a free gift of God. Visitors are welcome to worship God with us.
Pastor: Charles Huffman



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Shop in Sonora
The Christmas drawings are back!

On Saturday, December 21, there will be at least four drawings for merchandise totaling over \$2,000.00. There will be a TV, a VCR, and other very nice prizes. You will get a ticket for money you spend with a participating Sonora merchant. You can also get a ticket for just going into a participating business. You do not even have to buy anything!! Drawings will take place in Downtown Sonora between Gosney's and the Court-house Saturday, December 21 at 3:00 p.m. You must be present to win. The number on your tickets is your key to winning. This is sponsored by the Sonora Chamber of Commerce and is **not to be confused with Kavern Kash**. Tickets will be given away from November 29 to December 21.

Remember, buy in Sonora. You could be a winner.


Participating merchants are:

Kerbow Furniture	Western Auto	Chavarria Grocery
Kathy's Kasuals	Tedford Jewelry	Food Center
Carol's Merle Norman	Westerman Drug	Hill's Jewelry
Gibson's	Perry's	Spains Dept. Store
Modern Way Grocery	Image	Gosney's Dept. Store
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Christmas Shop Your Home Town First!



CHRISTMAS 1985 Remember, the dollars you spend out of town are gone for good. The money you spend at home keeps working to make our community a better place to live and do business.



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Lardie pays tribute to Rena Elliott during concert Saturday Night

Those who ventured forth Saturday night were treated to the wit and wisdom of Don Lardie as he played his first concert for Sonora. The concert was dedicated to Rena Elliott. "I seldom dedicate a concert but I wish to pay tribute to Mrs. Elliott for all her years of dedication both in the public schools and in her private piano teaching," Lardie said. "Often times the people who work the hardest, go through life with the least amount of recognition." Lardie, who can best be describ-

ed as "the best friend classical music has," prefaced each piece with an explanation of its con-

ception and meaning. When Lardie tells you of a string of pearls in on composition and then plays the

selection, you not only hear the pearls you also feel them. Each selection included in the

concert was an original composition by Don Lardie. Judged a smashing success, the

concert is the first of what is hoped to be many concerts played by Lardie in this area.

Dear Editor,

I'm just curious if everyone who is involved in Kavern Kash will get front page free advertising or will it just be a select few?

I'll be here waiting for your photographer.

A Participant

Dear Participant,

Last week's front page, as is this week's, was devoted to gift ideas from local merchants.

This feature is not to be construed as advertising, free or otherwise, but rather an attempt on our part to let the people of Sonora know some of the things available to them here. By doing this, we hope to encourage people to shop locally. This page is sponsored, however, by persons who do advertise as you will see if you glance through the rest of the paper.

To your reference regarding a select few, I personally don't feel there are a select few-we're all in this together-and in this as with each endeavor, we try to the best of our ability to be fair.

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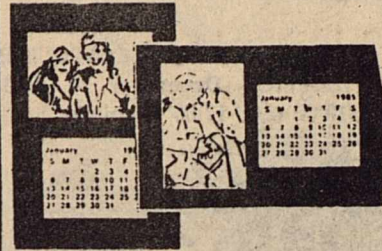
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Chamber welcomes Circle S Automotive

The new owners of Circle S Automotive were officially welcomed to the community by the Chamber of Commerce with a ribbon cutting last Friday.

John Yager and Ann Welch purchased the business in September and are very excited about how the business is progressing. John and his wife Carla

and son Jeromy have lived in Sonora for over a year and a half.

Johns years of mechanical expertise assures not only the proper parts, but he can also give you tips on how to solve your mechanical problems.

Ann will be in the business often but plans to commute from Van Horn where her husband is Justice of the Peace.



Pictured Robin Downing, Harold McEwen, Dede Doran, Preston Love, Ann Welch, Alvis Johnson, John Yager and Carla Yager.

Chrismon Tree established years ago

F.U.M.C.'s beautiful Chrismon Tree has been erected during the week of December 1st in preparation for its debut Sunday, December 8, the Second Sunday of Advent. First established some ten years ago this tree is decorated each year with Christian symbols. Decoration also include small white Christmas lights. Gold and silver or gold and white are the colors used in all of the decorations, symbolizing the royalty and purity of Our Savior.

Christmas Cantata--December 15, 1985--10:55 "A Christmas Story" Morning worship December 15th, Third Sunday of Advent will be given over to the presentation of our Christmas Cantata entitled "A Christmas Story". The cantata is written by John Peterson, and will

be directed by choir director, Bridgette Griffin, with organist Colleen Miller providing the accompaniment. Soloists will be Warren Hemphill, Joy Galbreath, and Beverly Caldwell. U.M.Y.F. Caroling 5:00 p.m., December 15, 1985

The Junior and Senior High youth of F.U.M.C. Sonora wish to invite all interested grown-ups to join them in their annual caroling beginning at 5:00 p.m., Sunday, December 15th. They will carol from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. At 7:00 p.m. the youth will gather at the church for refreshments and fellowship.

CHRISTMAS EVE COMMUNION SERVICE--December 24, 1985 10:00 p.m.-12:00 midnight



Rudy's Bakery welcomed with ribbon cutting

Members of the Chamber of Commerce gathered Friday afternoon for the Ribbon Cutting at Rudy's Bakery. Pictured front row are Mario, Rudolfo and Euliojo Guerro; back row Irene and Heladio Guerro, owners, Dede Doran, Jim Dover, Alvis Johnson, Roberta James, Heladio Jr., and Mike Smith.

Heladio, or Rudy as he is being called and his family moved to Sonora from Chicago where Heladio worked as a baker. The real "Rudy" is a master baker who befriended Heladio

many years ago when he first went to work in a bakery.

"Rudy was so kind to me, patiently teaching me everything I know. It was only proper to name my bakery after him for all he'd done for me." said Heladio.

Rudy's Bakery features the finest in baked goods from tortillas to raspberry squares with lots of goodies in between. They also make lovely decorated cakes for any occasion.

If you haven't been to Rudy's Bakery at 1021 S.E. Crockett put in on your list of things you must do.

According to Jesus by far the most important thing about prayer is to keep it.

He uses comic images to explain, saying that God is like a friend you go to borrow bread from at midnight. The friend tells you to drop dead, but you go on knocking anyway until he finally gives you what you want so that he can go back to bed again.

Or God is like a crooked judge who refuses to hear the case of a certain poor widow, presumably because he knows there's nothing much in it for him. But she keeps on hounding him until finally he hears her case just to get her out of his hair.

Even a stinker, Jesus says, won't give his own child a black eye when he asks for peanut butter and jelly, so how all the more will God give when his children ask.

The presbyterians of Sonora gather every Lord's Day for prayer and praise. We invite you to join us.

10:00 a.m. Worship
11:00 a.m. Sunday School

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Obituaries

Nell Hale Whitworth

Lifetime Sonora resident Nell Hale Whitworth died Dec. 4, at Angelo Community Hospital.

Mrs. Whitworth, daughter of Hub and Iva Hale of Sonora, graduated from Sonora High School as valedictorian in May of 1942. She married Leroy Whitworth of Rocksprings June 20, 1942. She served as administrator of the Sutton County Ration Board during World War II.

Mrs. Whitworth is survived by her husband Leroy of Sonora and Rocksprings; her daughter, Sutton County Judge Carla Fields and her grandson, Graig Hopper; two sons, Steven Whitworth and David

Whitworth; one grand-daughter, Lindsey Whitworth, and her father, Hub Hale, all of Sonora.

Services were held at the First United Methodist Church of Sonora at 4 p.m. Friday, with Rev. David Griffin officiating. Burial followed in the Sonora Cemetery, directed by Kerbow Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Nelson Stubblefield, Glen Richardson, Dub Wallace, Wendell Dietz, Guy Askew, and Sam Young.

The family requests that memorials be directed to First United Methodist Church of Sonora or the American Cancer Society.

George S. Schweining

George S. Schweining, age 60, of Sonora and Sutton Co. died suddenly Sunday at 12:08 a.m. December 8, 1985.

Funeral services were held Monday, Dec. 9, at 2 p.m. at St. John's Episcopal Church with Rev. Monte Jones officiating. Burial followed in the Sonora Cemetery directed by Kerbow Funeral Home.

Mr. Schweining was born March 3, 1925 at Sonora, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schweining, a pioneering ranch family. He attended Sonora Public Schools and was married to Anita Storms April 17, 1944 in San Angelo. Mr. Schweining was a life time resident

of Sonora and Sutton Co., where he was engaged in ranching. He was a member of the Episcopal Church, a veteran of WW II, member of the Masonic Lodge and the Shrine.

He is survived by his wife of the home, 2 daughters, Georganne Smith of Junction and Betsy Schweining of San Angelo; 2 brothers: Curt Schweining of Camp Allison and Alfred Schweining Jr., of San Angelo; 2 sisters: Margaret Kring and Kathleen Moore both of Sonora; 1 grandson, Travis Smith of Junction.

Pallbearers were: Byrel, Monte and Mike Dillard, Nolen Gibbs, Alfred Sykes and Gary Walker.



Locklin honored by Shriners

Dave Locklin, former Sonora resident and now a resident of the Schleicher County Nursing Home was honored Sunday afternoon by being presented a 50 year Scottish Rite, Mason and Shriner pin. The ceremony took place in the Dining Room of the Nursing Home.

Nobel Danny Crowder, master of ceremonies, welcomed guests and friends and gave a brief resume of Dave's life as a Mason and Shriner. In 1930 Locklin was raised to a Master Mason. He was past Master of Dee Ora Lodge No. 715 in Sonora in 1938. He received a 50 year Masonic pin in 1980, a Royal Arch pin in April of 1985, a Scottish Rite Masonic pin in October 1985 and on Sunday, November 10, 1985 a 50 year Scottish Rite Masonic and Shriner pin. He was a member of Alzafar Temple in San Antonio when he first became Shriner. He

helped organize Suez Temple in San Angelo as a charter member and is still a member. Dave told of an incident in which he led novices in the first All State parade in Waco while riding a jersey bull.

Divan of Suez Temple made the presentation of the pin. Bill Tomlinson, Ass. Rabin, Dave Martin, Past Potentate assisted in the ceremony.

Scott Shurley, acting as Chaplain gave the invocation and the benediction.

Other Shriners who were present were Herb Kerby, Ozona; Floyd West, Eldorado; Danny Crowder, Eldorado; Pete Anderson and Scott Shurley of Sonora; Ron Murph of Eldorado and Dave Martin of San Angelo.

A reception followed the ceremony where cake and punch were served to guests and friends.

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Read: Luke 3:7-18
'Produce fruit'-Luke 3:8

The artificial Christmas tree has certain advantages. You don't have to buy a new one each year. It is safer and doesn't shed its needles. But it is still artificial.

Some people who call themselves religious are like the artificial tree. They are outwardly associated with the church, but they are trees that produce no fruit. They follow the rituals and ceremonies, but take no interest in the work. They never hurt

anybody, but they don't help anyone either. They look good, but lack life, just like the artificial tree.

As soon as the shepherds had seen the Christ Child they spread the good news concerning what had been told them about this Child. The Wise Men were filled with great joy when they arrived and presented their gifts to Jesus. Anna, the prophetess, though well advanced in years, told everyone she met about the Christ Child. The Ethiopian who found his Savior and was baptized 'went on his way

rejoicing'. After Paul had been converted, he spent the remainder of his life serving Christ and winning others for the Savior.

We should not receive God's gift without being deeply moved to express our gratitude in word and action. When God pours His love into our hearts by the Holy Spirit whom He has given us, we find peace, hope and joy. This must find expression in our lives. Our gratitude must be translated into the praise of our lips and deeds of our hands.

We are to be LIVING trees that bear fruit, not artificial ones.

Church of Christ Minister-Don Jones Bible School-10 a.m. Worship-11 a.m. Sunday night-6:30 p.m. Wednesday night-6:30 p.m.	The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian USA Rev. William R. Jones Worship Service-10 a.m. Communion first Sunday of each month	First Assembly of God Church Rev. Louis Halford Adult Bible Hour-9:30 a.m. Super Son Bible Hour-9:30 a.m. What's Happening?-10:45 a.m. Morning Worship-11 a.m. L.I.F.E.-3:30 p.m. (ages 12-25) Evening Services-6 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study-7 p.m. Fri. night Spanish service-7:30 p.m.	First Baptist Church Rev. Jim Stephen Sunday School-9:45 a.m. Morning Worship-11 a.m. Church Training-6 p.m. Evening Worship-7 p.m. Wednesday Service-7 p.m.
Primera Iglesia Bautista Pastor-Rev. Jorge Herrera Sunday School-9:45 a.m. Worship Service-11 a.m. Training Union-5 p.m. Evening Service-6 p.m. Wednesday Service-7 p.m. W.M.U.-Sunday-2 p.m. Between Santa Clara & Chestnut	First United Methodist Church David W. Griffin-Pastor Sunday School-9:45 a.m. Worship-10:55 a.m. KVRN 98 AM-11 a.m. Mon. Children's Choir-4 p.m. UMYF-6 p.m. Wed. Chancel Choir-7 p.m.	Hope Lutheran Church Charles Huffman-Lay Minister Sunday School-10 a.m. Worship Service-11 a.m. Wednesday Youth Classes-6 p.m. Adult Classes-7:30 p.m.	St. Ann's Catholic Church Rev. Bernard L. Gully Saturday Night Mass-7 p.m. English Sunday Mass-8 a.m. Spanish; 11 a.m. English Holy Day Mass-7 p.m.
Sonora Tabernacle United Pentecostal Rev. Kenneth Doyle, Pastor Sunday School-10 a.m. Worship-11 a.m. Evening Worship-7:30 p.m. Wednesday Services-7:30 p.m.	Live Oak Baptist Church Jon Bratton-Pastor Sunday Morning Worship-10:30 a.m. Evening Worship-7 p.m. Wednesday Evening Services	Jehovah's Witnesses Sunday Public Talk-10 a.m. Watchtower Study-10:50 a.m. Tuesday Theoretic School-7:30 p.m. Service Meeting-8:30 p.m. Thursday Bible Study-7:30 p.m.	St. John's Episcopal Church Sunday Holy Eucharist-8 a.m. Holy Eucharist-11 a.m. (2nd and 4th Sunday MP) Wednesday Holy Eucharist-7 p.m. Holy Days are announced Monte Jones, Rector
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Devil's River News

Out of the Past

June 13, 1930

Devil's River News. ***

THE DEVIL'S DREAM
(by W.E. James)

The following is a short synopsis of what a few members of Troop 19, Boy Scouts of America, from Sonora accomplished at the recent summer camp on the Concho, according to Assistant Scoutmaster Frank Holliday.

Herbert Fields was selected as one of the ten outstanding Scouts of the 170 who attended Camp Connellee from May 26 to June 4. The outstanding Scouts are selected from the group which stood out in Scout work, games, and have done tasks assigned them just a little better than the others.

John Hull and Edwin Sawyer fulfilled all the requirements for Merit badges in swimming.

The following honors won by the Scouts named were belt honors and were put on the Scout's belt at the head office each day:

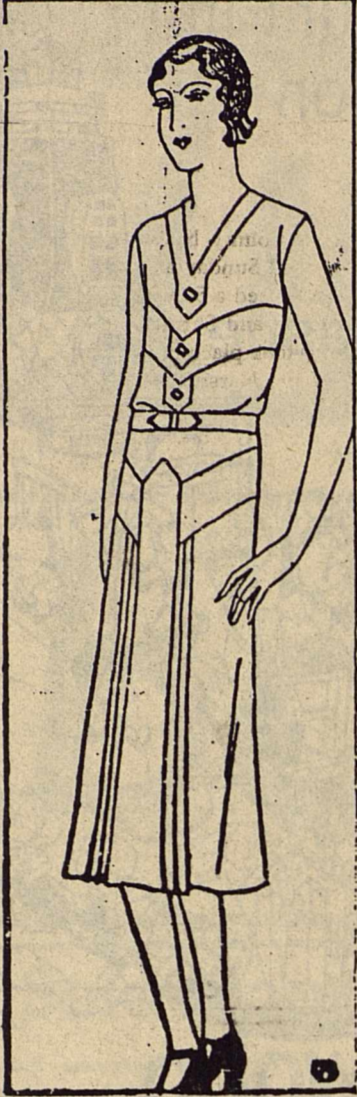
Scout V.J. Glasscock-An art pallet for handicraft work, a baseball for being on the winning 13 year old team, a red diamond for cheerfulness, a white diamond for cleanliness, a gold diamond for obedience, an owl for guard duty, a Swastika for being on the winning 13-year old basketball team.

Scout Herbert Fields-Four Swastikas for being on the following winning teams, wall scaling, boxing, basketball, and baseball; an art pallet for handicraft, the camper, and owl for guard duty, a red diamond for cheerfulness, a white diamond for cleanliness, a gold diamond for obedience.

"Here's where I get the 'Devil,'" said Shorty Brasher as he twisted the dials on his post office box and slipped therefrom a copy of the

THE VERY LATEST
(by Mary Marshall)

The very word house dress brings to the minds of many dresses of coarse cotton materials,



in crude pinks and blues, cheaply made and too generously proportioned. Perhaps house dresses used to be like that, and women accepted them as a matter of course, not expecting to look their best during the busy hours at home.

I had a pleasant sort of surprise in store for me the other day when I was asked to make selections from a number of inexpensive ready made dresses of the house-dress sort. When they were displayed by the models it was difficult to believe that they were house dresses at all. Many of them might have been chosen for sports or summer sportswear.

Plant your dollars at home and watch them grow!

Miss Ada Steen returned Monday from San Angelo hospital where she was operated upon.

Mrs. T.L. Harrison has accepted a position as saleslady at the Leaman Dry Goods Store.

Miss Addah Miers returned the later part of last week from El Paso where she has been visiting with friends.

HOMEMAKER UPDATE

by Gail Rucker

Deck the Halls

While halls are important traffic areas, they can become neglected, wasted space unless they are planned.

The front hall, for example, creates a vital first impression for guests entering your home. Since the front hall is almost always a pass-through-no one stay long-the decoration can be dramatic. Yet, many times we neglect to consider the front hall in a decorating scheme.

Halls are primarily lanes designed to route traffic from one part of the house to another as simply and as easily as possible.

But they can also be used for all sorts of jobs that need not interfere with traffic, such as combining the functions of a telephone booth, art gallery, library and storage area.

For example, collections of small objects lend themselves to being displayed in a hall and will look particularly good if specially lighted.

Whatever use you make of a hallway, consider color and light. Colors should relate to the shape of the hall. In very narrow areas, it may be best to avoid strong, bright

colors which seem to crowd in. Recessive, neutral colors will make the area seem larger.

The effect of color depends on light, so if the light is poor-which is common in hallways-even white and pale colors will be dulled. Consider lighting up individual areas of the hall with adjustable spots mounted on the wall or ceiling. This will keep the background light low, but pleasing. And spot lights can highlight pictures or plants.

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Nuestro Pueblo

by Sharon Martinez

Alex and Letty Castaneda and sons visited Gabriel, Mary and Gabriel Longoria III. They were guests at the H.E.B. Foundation in Echo Valley Post near Leakey, Texas. Letty reports they all enjoyed an afternoon walk, boat rides, and a tour of the area.

John and Liza Castro are the proud parents of Ashley Christine Castro who was born Nov. 15, 1985. Ashley weighed 6 lbs. 13 oz. and is 20 inches long. Welcoming Ashley home is her brother Keith, Grandad Neo Tambunga, and paternal grandparents Carlos and

Vivian Castro of Washington, D.C. and numerous happy relatives.

Visiting Mr. & Mrs. Osbaldo Castaneda and family for Thanksgiving were Mrs. Petra Castaneda of Sheffield, and Robert and Dollye Barron and family of Odessa. Rudy and Ervenia Perez, Pat and Terry were there also enjoying the turkey dressing, and all the trimmings. Everyone enjoyed themselves and were glad they could all get together for the holidays.

Jesse and Brenda Solis are the proud parents of Jesse Richard Solis who was born Nov. 27, 1985 at Angelo Community Hospital. Jesse weighed in at 7 lbs. 6 oz. and is 20 1/8 inches. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mike Solis and maternal grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jolly. Jesse Richard has an older brother Jared Michael and several excited and happy relatives welcoming him at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Bautista Jr., of San Angelo visited with Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Bautista Sr., George, Greg, and Gabriel for the Thanks-

giving holidays.

Belated birthday wishes to Toni Palos who celebrated her birthday Dec. 3rd. Toni failed to mention her age, but Best Wishes Toni and may you have many more.

Andrea, Rachel, and Monica Chavez traveled to Mineral Wells for Thanksgiving. They visited Vivian Reyna, Mr. and Mrs. Lupe Flores, Mark and Melissa and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gonzales and family. They also visited Leticia Dorell in Irving. Rachel and Monica and their cousins watched "Rocky IV" Monica reports they waited in line for 2-3 hours to watch the movie. They enjoyed their trip.

Ruben and Connie Samaniego are the proud parents of Nicole Samaniego. Nicole was born Nov. 24, 1985, she weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz. and is 19 1/2 inches long. Welcoming Nicole home are her sisters Angie and Betty, grandparents Lionel and Esperanza Samaniego and maternal grandmother Mrs. Aurora Gutierrez, and several happy relatives.

Ricky Sanchez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Yorba a student of the theology and psychology at Houston Baptist University is here in Sonora for a month's visit. Ricky is glad he can be home for a stay.

Toni, Emily, Saul Jr., Marco and Mando Palos spent Thanksgiving in San Angelo with Toni's parents Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Mesa, and numerous brothers and sisters and friends. Everyone enjoyed the Thanksgiving festivities.

Belated birthday wishes to Olivia Longoria whose birthday was Dec. 2nd. Olivia, Best Wishes and may you have many more.

Antonio and Josie Martinez, Veronica, Josie, Angela and Rudy Acosta, visited Mary Jo and Albert Sepeda of Austin for 2 weeks. They enjoyed their visit and are glad to be home.

Letty, Santos, Alex III, Matthew, and Roman Castaneda spent Thanksgiving Day in Ozona visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Longoria Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Tijerina, Romanita Vargas, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas DeHoyos III, Roland, Tommy, Amy and Ashley, Santos,

Misty, and Amber Gomez, Sandra Perez, Dominic and Michelle Martinez, and Candice. Everyone enjoyed Thanksgiving Day dinner at Letty's parents Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Longoria Sr. residence.

Sanjuana, Erica, Erindida and Juanito Ramos, Maria Guadalupe Sanchez, Angie, Hector, Christina and Sofia Sanchez visited friends and family in Laredo and Zapata for the Thanksgiving Holidays.

See you, Sharon

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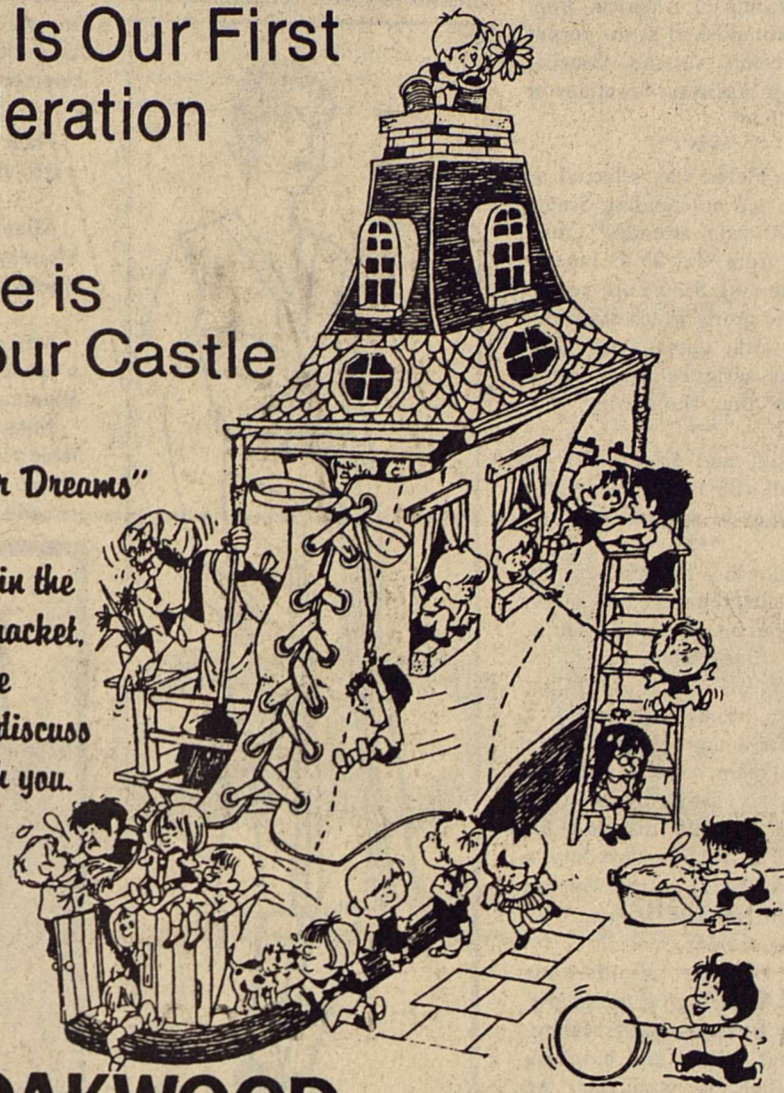
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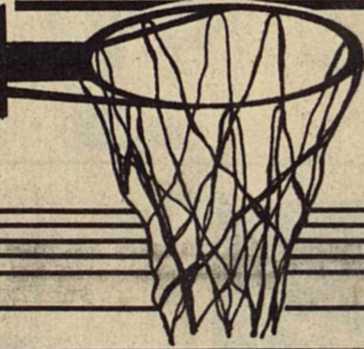
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Heffernan named MVP

Broncos win own Tourney

The girls basketball team came away with the first place trophy in last weekend's tournament here.

Sonora first beat Menard and Rocksprings to advance to the championship game against 5-A Del Rio.

In the game, Sonora played their own highly pressurized defense and scoring offense to beat the Rams convincingly 55-34.

The scoring was distributed

among the players. Michelle McCleery led all scoring with 20 points. The rest of the scoring was like this: Gayann Dobbs 13; Carrie Sorenson 9; Gina Heffernan 5; Kate Mathews 5; and Kathy Richter 3.

Against Rocksprings Heffernan led the scoring with 17 points. The other scorers for Sonora were: Mathews 15; Dobbs 13; Richter 8; McCleery and Dobbs, each with 10



points. Richter and Mathews added 6, and Heffernan, Balch and Sorenson also added 4 points in the 44-25 victory over the Menard Yellow-jackets.

At the end of the tournament the trophy was presented to the winning Broncos, and the All Tournament and Most Valuable Player medals were also presented.

Gina Heffernan, senior, was

named the tournaments MVP. She showed leadership with expert ball handling skills that beat all presses that were shown to the Broncos. Her defensive moves stole the ball from defenders many times as she led Sonora's fast break offense.

The Broncos will participate in the Eldorado Tournament this weekend in hopes of winning their second tournament of the year.

Love is All-Tourney

Boys lose consolation

Glen Love, senior, was named to the All-Tournament team in the Sonora Invitational Tournament that was held this past weekend.

Sonora however was beaten in the consolation game. In reaching this game, the Broncos first lost to Menard by a single point 41-42.

The scoring for the heart-breaking loss looked like this: Mike McBride 12; Love 11; Esau Ramirez 8; John David Martinez 4; Bill Collins 2; Ismael Duenes 2; and

Santiago Faz 2.

In their next game the Bronco shooting was very accurate as they easily beat Rocksprings by the score of 59-28.

This time the scoring was led by McBride with 18 points all of which coming on beautiful outside set shots. Martinez added 14; and Love 12; Ramirez 8; Collins 3; and Duenes and Faz again contributed 2 a piece.

With this win the Broncos moved

on to face Junction in the consolation game but the Broncos shooting luck had run out as they lost by a score of 35-40.

Love had 9 points and McBride added 8. The rest of the scoring looked like this: Ramirez 6; Duenes 4; Martinez 4; Faz and Sharp 2.

Ballinger won the tournament and Eldorado came in second.

Sonora will face Lakeview and they will also play in the Eldorado Tournament.

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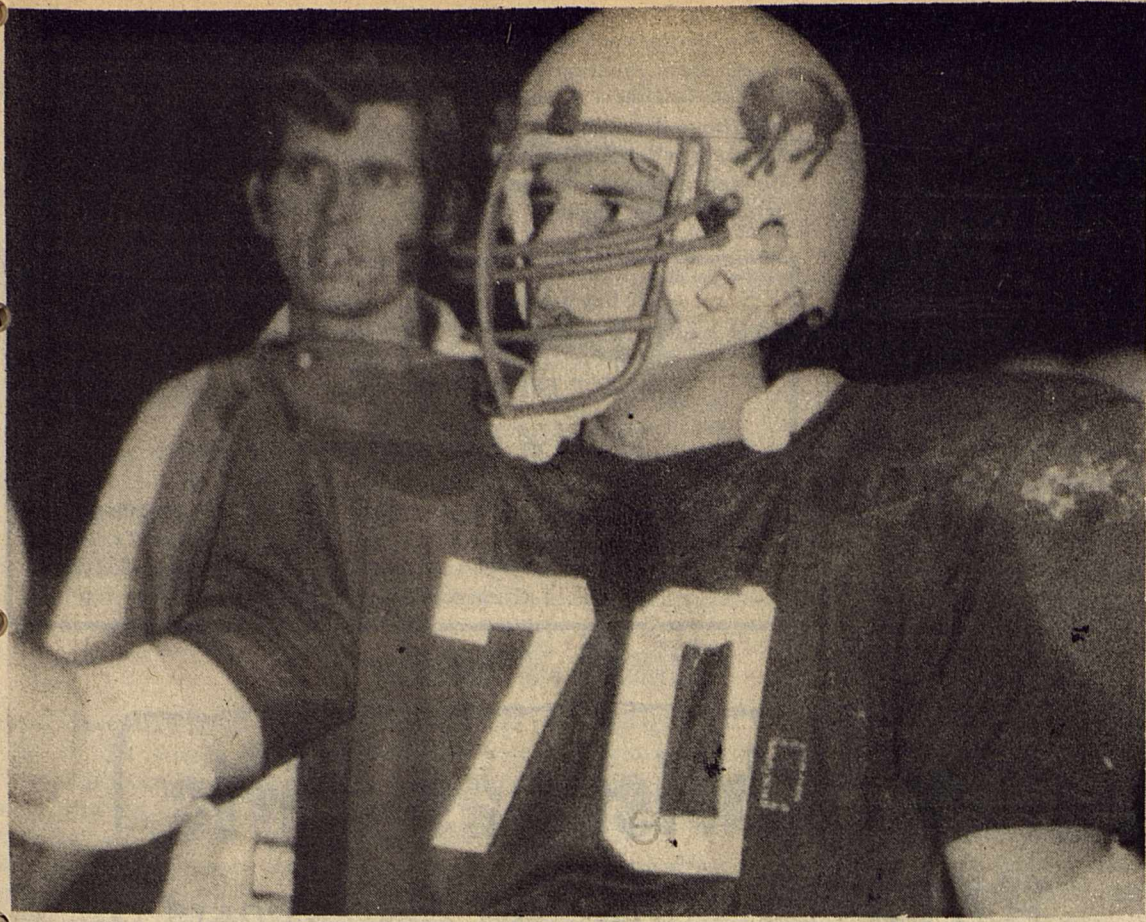


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A plaque with Jim's name, along with previous winners, will be placed in the trophy case of the high school.

Jim was also named to the first team 7-3A All-District squad on both offense and defense. He played offensive and defensive lineman and was a three-year letterman. Being named as team captain was another one of Jim's accomplishments.

"I am really honored to be the recipient of this prestigious award. The Nathan has even more meaning to me because it was my fellow

players that voted for me. A special thanks goes out to my coaches for making the last three years of football a worthwhile experience. I was also pleased to be named All-District on both offense and defense," Jim said of his achievement.

The plaque will officially be presented at the All-Sports Banquet at the end of the year.

Previous Nathan Award Winners

- 1972
- 1973
- 1974
- 1975
- 1976
- 1977
- 1978
- 1979
- 1980
- 1981
- 1982
- 1983
- 1984

- Joe Eustace
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- David Snodgrass
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- Johnny Creek
- Billy Bob Galbreath
- David Reyna
- Wesley Barton
- Allen Stewart
- Fermin Sanchez
- David Creek
- Ruben Garza

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Sonora High School

Sonora, Texas

Volume 11, Number 7

All-District Selections

Recently All-District selections were made by coaches of the district.

Those from Sonora were:

Offensive Lineman	1st Team	Jim Cooper 5'11" 195 lbs.
Wide Receiver	1st Team	Esau Ramirez 5'8" 150 lbs.
Running Back	1st Team	Steve Love 5'8" 155 lbs.
Running Back	2nd Team	John David Martinez 5'11" 165 lbs.
Quarterback	2nd Team	Mickey Sharp 5'7" 145 lbs.
Defensive Linemen	1st Team	Jim Cooper 5'11" 195 lbs. Abe Caruthers 6'1" 180 lbs.
Defensive End	1st Team	Billy Collins 5'9" 155 lbs.
Linebacker	2nd Team	Thomas DeHoyas 5'11" 170 lbs.
Secondary	2nd Team	Sonny Samaniego 5'8" 140 lbs.
Kicker	1st Team	Esau Ramirez 5'8" 150 lbs.

MOCE new program at SHS

As all may, or may not know, the HECE and DECA programs have united into the MOCE work program.

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This year MOCE and CVAE students have combined to do the fruit drive. In order to better organize this venture, MOCE recently elected officers. They are: Mary Huckaby-president; Debbie Moore-vice president; and Stacey Miller-secretary-treasurer.

An end of the year banquet honoring the employers will be given by the students.



The Sonora girls basketball team poses with the first place trophy they won at the Sonora Invitational Basketball Tournament last weekend. In front are the tournament's Most Valuable Player Gina Heffernan,

Sidonna Ridgeway and Gayann Dobbs. In back are Angela Maupin, Lauri Sotelo, Rachel Stephen, Kathy Richter, Anna Balch, Michelle McCleery, Carrie Sorenson and Kate Mathews.

Rodeo team does well

The rodeo team has competed in four rodeos, winning in two.

In Coahoma, the team won high-point team both days. Abe Caruthers was selected as all-around boy in Fort Stockton and Coahoma. There will be a high school rodeo in March in Sonora.

Members are Abe Caruthers, Cinday Doran, Mike Friess, Trey

Wardlaw, Jack Sykes, Duane Jones, Rachel Merck, and Anna Balch.

"State is everyone's goal. To get there, one has to be in the top three in one's event. One obtains this place by points received when you win," said Cindy Doran, president of the local rodeo team.

Math class visits local banks to get experience

The Consumer Math Class taught by Mrs. Rita Hale has been studying the many aspects of banking. To get first hand banking experience, the class visited the Sutton County National Bank last Tuesday and the First National Bank on Wednesday.

While on the trip the students learned about checking accounts, money, savings, and loans. They were also able to see the vault and safety deposit boxes. With this trip, they learned the working of the banks from the inside.

Those participating in the trip were Corie Avila, Mrs. Hale, Hugo Lujan, David Ross, Bonnie Johnson, Terry Duren, Danny Flores, Beatrice Luna, Cynthia Arevalo, Sylvia Arevalo, Cindy Gomez, Ricky Hursell, Ricardo Martinez and Manuel Martinez.

SHS honor roll announced

Seniors
All A's
Rachel Chavez
Rebecca Coronado
Stacy Day
Craig Hopper
Mary Huckaby
Keri Kropp
Janice Lowe

Caballo Diabolo to publish next week

Caballo Diabolo will publish again next week to round out publication for the 1985 school year.

We will publish again after the Christmas-New Year break on January 15, 1986.

Stacey Miller
Carrie Sorenson
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All A's-1 B
Scott Badgett
Dorothy Jimenez
Sidonna Ridgeway
Lesli Webster

Juniors
All A's
Kelly Cahill
Angie Carrasco
Idalia Coronado
Gay Ann Dobbs
Michael Ramos
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Janet Barlemann
Kathy Richter
Sophomores
All A's
Leila Bouhassis
Heather Bunkley

Mary Ross
All A's-1 B
Amy Jane Arevalo
Samantha Gregory
Sammy Mata
Alicia Sanchez
Rosa Trevino

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All A's
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Around Town

by Hazel McClelland

The S&O Sewing Club met Dec. 2nd at the ranch home of Mrs. Rosalie Richardson, hostess. Coffee, juices, cake and jam was served when the guests arrived.

Those present from Sonora were: Mrs. Leona Bishop, Mrs. Barbara Savell, Mrs. Vicki Shannon, Mrs. Sue Smith, Mrs. Annabelle Wuest, Mrs. Marsha Rouix, Mrs. Marty McLain, Mrs. Bobby Thompson, Mrs. Joan Cusenbary, Mrs. Peggy Dover, Mrs. Mattie Nix, Mrs. Lucy Ward, Mrs. Elizabeth Hemphill and Mrs. Lucille Coleman.

From Ozona-Mrs. Luetta Kost, Mrs. Benny Gail Hunnicutt, and Mrs. Mary Friends. Salad and soup was served at lunch.

Mrs. Vivian Crites entertained the Tuesday night Bridge Club Dec. 2nd at her home. The house was decorated for Christmas. A

dinner was served to members and guests. Mrs. Leo Merrill, Mrs. Mary Barrow, Mrs. Ruth Shurley, Mrs. Vestal Askew, Mrs. Guila Vicars, Mrs. Edwin Sawyer, Mrs. Emil Prugal, Mrs. A.W. Bishop, Mrs. Lena Belle Ross; guests were: Mrs. Don Jones, Mrs. Rip Ward, and Mrs. Hazel McClelland.

Mrs. Barrow won high score prize for club, Mrs. McClelland won high guest prize, Mrs. Merrill won the traveling prize, Mrs. Ward won the bingo prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Sheldon of New Mexico and Mrs. Clay Mitchell and Sarah spent several days after Thanksgiving with their mother, Mrs. Wanda Van Hoozer.

Our sympathy to the family of Mrs. Leroy Whitworth who died Dec. 4th.

Mrs. Mary Barrow and Miss Jo Ann Gardner spent several days in San Angelo with a friend who was in the hospital.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harvey DuRussell were their grandsons, Amos, Zack and Matt Barton of Ballinger. Mrs. Beth Davis Barton, their mother; who is a pharmacist at Ballinger, came down for the day and took the boys back home.

Our sympathy to the family of George Schweining who died Dec. 7th.

Mrs. Wanda Van Hoozer spent the weekend in Fredericksburg visiting her family.

Again this year the Ministerial Alliance will fix food baskets for the needy. We need money-please send checks and money to Mrs. Roberta James at the First National Bank or Hazel McClelland-1005 Glasscock. Thanks-Hazel!

Joe Morrison and son Lee of Fort Worth spent Thanksgiving Holiday at his mother's home. Carrie Morrison. Also visiting with his daughter and son-in-law Susan and Scooter Surber of Sonora. They returned home Sunday.

On Sunday, Dec. 8th Ann Cates, held her 2nd Annual Christmas Cookie Exchange, at her home.

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Bruce Morgan
Juan Ramirez

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Shanna Patton
Fernie Jimenez
Brandy Wallace
Keith Wallace
Abby Samaniego
Christina DeLuna
Tammie Adams
Mark Rogers
Raina Newbury
Sammy Sentena
George Torres

Seventh Grade

All A's

Geoffrey Gibson
Mark Wootton
Desiri Chulamanis
Amie Gibson
Jessica Smalling
April Spiller

All A's

Vicki Anderson
Deandra Asbill
Tana Churchill
All A's-1 B
Sammy Gregory
Kathy Perkins
Cyndee Morris
Liza Allen
Andrea Virgen
Allison Schwiening
Julie Jones
Angie Stewart

Sixth grade

All A's

Blake Adkins
Chris Hazelton
Bryan DeWitt
Liza Noriega
Jessica Johnson
Sam Taylor
Susen McCleery
Mario Unate
All A's-1 B
Dana Evans
Mack Wardlaw
Adam Youngblood
Adam Baugh
Cody Black
Tammy Fisher

Middle School

Third Grade

All A's

Katie Burge
Farah Gee
Amanda Gibson
Kelsey Lykins
April Maupin
Melissa McClain
Callie Moore
Chris Neal
Christie Ramirez
Cody Renfro
Vicky Richardson
Jeromy Yager
All A-1 B
Chris Caldwell
Jeremy DeWitt
Eric Disman
Sandra Gonzalez
Elaine Jimenez
Jodi Johnson
Amy Love
Stormi Matthews
Jason Morley
Joseph Myers
Casey Thorp
Ruben "Chuckie" Yorba

Fourth Grade

All A's

Joel Cox
Cole Wade Crenwelge
Laura Hearn

Thomas Herod

Kelly Kiowski
Tina Kohutok
Amy Patton
Jenny Purvis
Tessa Robertson
Tabatha Sanchez
Austin Sipes
All A's-1 B
Beverly Cooper
Asuzena Gutierrez
Bobby Mogford
Dede Moore
Pamela Ramos
Alma Sanchez
Wade Spain
Fifth Grade
All A's
Carmen Burch
Jesse Burnham
Leslie Carrasco
Lance Castro
Whitney Condra
Melissa Creek
Heidi Gremmel
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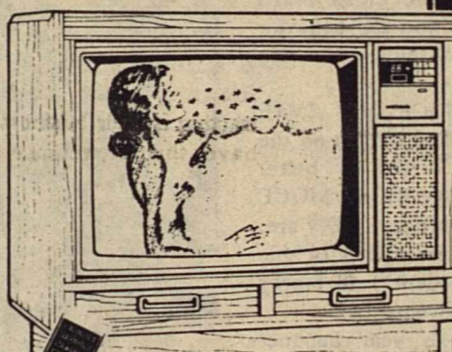
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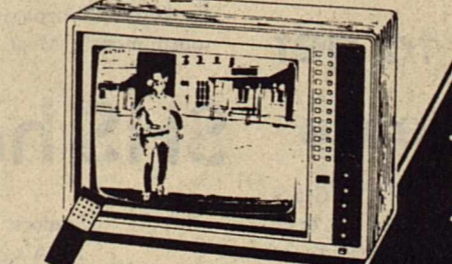
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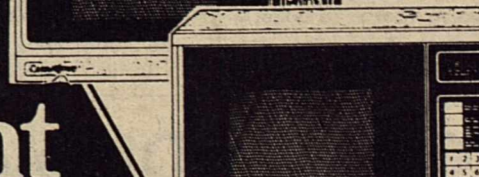
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specialized service in corrective shoeing, and trimming. Whatever your requirements call for, this horseshoer is qualified to handle the job. His service is well recommended. Derek Engdahl wishes all a "Joyous Christmas & prosperous New Year!"

Coca-Cola Bottling Company

Bottlers of Coca-Cola, Diet Coke, Caffeine-free Coke, Sunkist, Mr. Pibb, 7-up and Barq's Rootbeer this franchised distributor is well known in this area, located at 69 N. Chadbourne in San Angelo, call them for delivery of these fine beverages, phone 655-6991. Through the most efficient user of

proper equipment and efficient deliveries, this company makes these drinks possible for all occasions. You can buy them at your grocer or the corner store with assurance that they have been bottled under the most sanitary conditions. These beverages are thirst quenchers and make party

snacks taste better. They are appropriate and popular served at many social gatherings. Stop by today and visit your favorite dealer and buy a case or a carton of these delightful beverages. They wish all a "Happy Holiday Season."

Munsell Construction Co.

Munsell Construction Co., is located on Hwy. 87 North in Mason, phone 347-5813. They are equipped with loaders, maintainers, bulldozers and paddlewill scraper for all type of road work. They specialize in land clearing,

land leveling, brush work, and all kinds of road work. Anyone needing work done of this nature can do no better than call this firm. They have had years of experience, which is very important in this line of work. Call them and they will

gladly give you an information and estimates on your requirements. For reasonable prices and for getting work done when promised, their services are well referred to and recommended.

B&H Maintenance & Construction

B&H Maintenance & Construction is well known in this area for their efficient business methods and prompt service. They are located on the Mertzon Hwy., in Eldorado, phone 853-2595. Contracting is their business and they have the experience and the

equipment to properly process any contract they make. The lowest bid is not always the cheapest. If the work you have done is not as you desired it and repairs must be made in a short while, perhaps you called the wrong contractor. You can be assured this will not happen

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American Commercial College

You know there's no one else exactly like you. So maybe you'd rather not be fitted to an assembly-line, "traditional" college program. Maybe you would rather have your program fitted to you. That's what they do at American Commercial College located in San Angelo, at 3177 Executive Drive, phone 942-6797. They call it

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Channel 8 KLST

Responsive to the needs and desires of their viewing public, KLST Channel 8 at 2800 Armstrong in San Angelo, phone 655-7383, has become one of the leading television stations in the entire region. With broad coverage, quality, family-oriented programming and a high standard of excellence, this respected CBS

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having their own piano, and it's the very best way to get them interested in music. See Lowery Organ Center for Lowery Organs and Young Chang, Lowery, Story & Clark Pianos! They offer lessons, repairs, rentals and easy terms, to suit your budget. In this review we suggest you stop in today. They wish all "Happy Holidays."

1st Community Federal Credit Union

Financial security doesn't come easily for most of us. We have to save for it and manage our money wisely. In San Angelo, we have a friend who will help us with all our money matters. 1ST COMMUNITY FEDERAL CREDIT UNION at Goodfellow AFB, with branch offices at 3505 Wildewood in San

Angelo, phone 653-1465 or 944-0551. Savings, lending and financial people whose interest in their members comes first. Savings are insured by NCUA up to \$100,000 per account, and you can save by mail or through your employer. If you or your group reside or are employed in Tom Green County

and are not members of a credit union, let us recommend that you contact this fine credit union soon. Stop in and find out about the many advantages that they have to offer. They wish all a "Very Merry Christmas & Joyous New Year."

Frontier Petroleum Service

Russell Sallee-Area Mgr.

The bringing in of oil wells and keeping them in production often requires the services of a company with both the "know how" the "know what" and the "can do" with modern scientific services. Frontier Petroleum Service is

Sonora located on Hwy. 277 S., phone 387-3509, offers the oil producer their years of experience and a crew of experts in their respective lines of work. They offer complete service in: fresh water-KCL-Brine-disposal water and all types of pumping services needed to maintain production in your oil

properties. Their equipment is the most dependable and their men certainly know how to use the tools. They offer 24 hour service, and will give your lease good, competent service every time. They extend "Season's Greetings" to all!

San Angelo Pipe & Supply, Inc.

Serving the oil industry for many years, this supply house is well stocked with oilfield parts, supplies, and numerous items necessary to the driller, producer, and all phases of oil production and maintenance.

Oil men in this area know they can depend on this supplier to serve them efficiently and quickly as their needs arise. There is no delay in filling orders at this supply house as strict attention is applied to assure you that your

order is filled properly.

Do business with San Angelo Pipe & Supply Co., Inc., at I-10 West, phone 387-6561 in Sonora. They wish everyone a "Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!"

Charles Howard Construction

Charles Howard Construction located at 216 Hudspeth in Sonora, phone 387-3093, offers a fast efficient service 24 hours a day. They are equipped to give you immediate service. They are efficient and experienced in oilfield

work and will build locations, roads, dig pits and will finish the job in money savings, money making time. Since they have been in business their volume has grown with hardly a pause. Their good reputation for service is well known

among the oil industrial people throughout this area.

We compliment this firm which, has contributed to the growth and development of the entire territory. They extend "Season's Greeting" to all!

Mar Jan Bonding Service

Mar-Jan Bonding Service is conveniently located at 423 S. Irving, in San Angelo, and they offer the fastest possible service for all types of bail bonds. When you are in need of their services, you can always count on a speedy posting of the bond and a quick release.

Call Bobby Reynolds' phone 658-8668 or Marvin Hanz phone 655-4187 in San Angelo or Wayne Fisher in Eldorado phone 853-2651 or 853-2763. Being in jail is certainly no fun but it still happens to the best of us. Everyone should be aware of their rights in these matters and keep the phone

number of a competent bondsman such as Mar-Jan Bonding Service close by. We urge all area residents to remember the name and phone number of this reputable bonding service. They wish everyone a "Happy Holiday Season."

Computerland

When in the market for a computer for any purpose, go to Computerland located in the "Corners" at the Sunset Mall in San Angelo, phone 942-6541. They offer factory authorized sales and service on IBM-COMPAQ and AT&T. This outstanding firm has

computers for business, education and home usage, with a large selection of software. Computers offer an invaluable service for forecasting stock evaluation, tax planning, accounting, word processing, medical facilities, personal finance and for every type

of business. They are specialists in business and personal finance programs. We highly recommend this excellent computer supplier. They wish everyone a "Very Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!"

Don Antonio's Mexican Cocina

Frances Tijerina-Owner

Don Antonio's Mexican Cocina located at 407 Second St., in Big Lake, phone 884-3125, for take out is noted throughout this area for a fine selection of delicious Mexican dishes. They feature the best in Tacos, Enchillada Dinners, as well

as the delicious Guacamole Salad. The Mexican decor and atmosphere of this fine restaurant will put you in just the right mood for a dish with that "South of the Border" flavor. Service and good food are assured you at this excellent dining establishment. We commend the management upon

the supremacy presented the public here, and suggest that all our readers visit them regularly. Take your family, your friends, or business acquaintances to this fine restaurant for a real treat! They wish everyone a "Merry Christmas & a Joyous & Happy New Year!"

J. A. Owens and Son

J.A. Owens and Son, a well known wholesale produce supplier, with warehouse and office facilities located Mathis Field, in San Angelo phone 944-1531. This experienced distributor maintains a large stock of fresh fruits and vegetables. Their climate controll-

ed storage rooms mean that your produce will keep customers satisfied. They have refrigerated delivery trucks for all perishable items to insure that your produce will arrive in the best condition. This means better sale and more profit for you. Restaurant owners,

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Deaton Spraying is located at 406 Ave. J, in Ozona, phone 392-2506. They offer the best in TREE, HEDGE, and SHRUB SPRAYING, and FERTILIZING. Operating an efficient and far-ranging service, this firm is dependable and keeps

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the very finest ingredients, mixed and baked by means of scientific and sanitary methods by master bakers.

We suggest that you always buy Holsum Bread. They wish everyone a "Happy Holiday Season."

Morris Brothers Constuction

Morris Brothers Constuction located on Hwy. 277 S., in Sonora, phone 387-3846, is equipped for any job, large or small. They have bulldozers, loaders, dump trucks, graders and all other equipment necessary to do pipelines, road work, welding, ect. They will take

care of your bulldozing and general dirt work quicker and easier because their men are equipped with the knowledge and modern machinery to accomplish these jobs in the shortest time possible and still guarantee satisfaction. All you need to do is phone them and they

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PUBLIC NOTICES

Notice to all Persons having claims against the Estate of RICKY ALLEN MUNNS, deceased. Notice is hereby given that original Letter Testamentary for the Estate of RICKY ALLEN MUNNS were issued on the 21st day of August, 1985, in Cause No. 867, pending in the County Court of Sutton County, Texas, to: ROBERT LEEGENE MUNNS JR. The residence of such Administrator in Sutton County, Texas. The post office address is: c/o David W. Wallace P.O. Box 1508 Sonora, Texas 76950 All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. DATED the 4th day of December, 1985. Robert Leegene Munns, Jr. by David W. Wallace Attorney for the Estate

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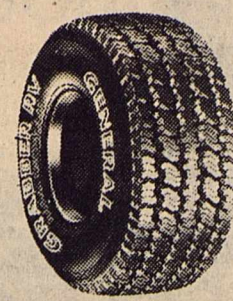


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LOWER COLORADO RIVER AUTHORITY NOTICE OF RATE CHANGE REQUEST

Lower Colorado River Authority (LCRA) gives notice to its customers and to other affected parties that it has filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas an application for an increase in its rates for wholesale service, for retail service provided outside the limits of a city, and for retail service within the limits of the City of Ingram, Texas. The LCRA has also filed with the City Councils of the cities of Kerrville, San Marcos, San Saba and Austin applications to increase its retail rates for service within the city limits of those cities. The proposed rate change will affect approximately 28,000 retail and 41 wholesale customers and affects all rate classes.

The LCRA's system-wide rate increase is proposed to become effective January 1, 1986. For the period ending June 30, 1987, the Lower Colorado River Authority is seeking to increase its system-wide revenues by \$33.0 million annually, an increase of 13.93% compared to revenues for the period ending June 30, 1985. The LCRA's base rate revenue increase is \$51.9 million, an increase of 58.7% compared to base rate revenues for the period ending June 30, 1985. LCRA's fuel revenue decrease is \$18.9 million, a decrease of 12.7% compared to fuel revenues for the period ending June 30, 1985.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Public Utility Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.



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