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Briefly

DRN Deadline

The deadline for information to be included in the Devil's River News is 5 p. m. Friday for the following week's paper.

Information can be brought to the office located at 220 N. E. Main St. or mailed to the same address.

For pictures taken on Monday or Tuesday a two day notice should be given to our office.

LULAC meeting

The League of United Latin American Citizens will hold an organizational meeting on July 28th, at 7 p. m. at Beto's Restaurant, 104 Glasscock, for the purpose of forming a LULAC Chapter in Sonora.

All interested persons are invited. For more information contact Ernest Barrera at 387-2749.

Little Miss & Mr.

Entry forms are now available at the Sonora Chamber of Commerce office for the Little Miss and Little Mr. contest to be held during the Sutton County Days Celebration on August 25. The contestants must have turned three years of age and must not have turned six prior to August 25. There is a \$5 entry cost per contestant. Pick up your entry forms now at the Chamber Office at 706 Crockett or call 387-2880 for more information.

Volunteers wanted

Need help in copying 1900 Sutton Co. Census from microfilm. No special skills required. Persons must know how to read and write.

Those familiar with Hispanic names could be particularly helpful. Call Patricia Johnson at 387-5921.

ICA to meet

The Independent Cattlemen's Association will have its regular business meeting and Dutch-treat supper at the Sutton County Steakhouse on Monday, August 6 at 6:30 p. m.

The ICA convention will be held on August 9, 10 and 11.

All members are urged to attend this very important meeting

Open House

Texas Department of Health will hold an open house for the new office location.

Maria Carrasco, RN Field Corrdinator, and Dorothy Jimenez, clerk, invite the public to attend on August 3, from 2 - 4 p. m.

Their new location is 211 Hwy 277 N. (building adjacent to Sutton Co. National Bank.)

Centennial needs

The following are things needed to set up exhibits in downtown • windows and businesses; old school memorabilia, railroad related items, old "candlestick" telephone, small old table for typewriter, old quilts, newspaper articles-school-towns; pictures of pioneer families to be displayed in showcase in corridor of Courthouse.

Please call Joyce Chalk 7-2886 (office) 7-3047 (home) or Patricia Johnson 7-5921.

Commission for Blind

The Texas Commission for the Blind is a vocational rehabilitation agency for persons who are blind or visually impaired. Some of the services provided to eligible persons include counseling and guidance, vocational evaluation and career exploration, job training, employment assistance, daily living skills training, and medical services. Programs are available for children, adults, and older citizens. If you are blind or visually impaired or know someone who is and could benefit from Commission services, call toll-free 1-800-252-5204.



DRN staff photo by Griffin B. Cole

WILD BUNCH STRIKES - The Garrett Gang portion of the Wild Bunch showed up at the Covered Wagon Dinner Theater Friday evening. Above; Decky Spiller, Virgil Poloczek, Jim Garrett and Scott Garrett plan on what trouble they can cause. Below; the gang decides if you're going to sing in public, sing well. Obviously the Garrett Gang did not think Scott Gilmore was cutting it.



Boy pulled safely from draw

Andy Sanchez, 9, was treated and released from Hudspeth Memorial Hospital Monday morning after being pulled from a draw.

According to sheriff's department reports, Deputy Mo Salinas responded to a call at 11:02 a.m. that Sanchez had been swept away in the draw while trying to ride his bicycle from Cornell Street to Sinaola Street through high water.

Salinas first attempted to rescue Sanchez with several extension cords tied together. While those

attempts were unsuccessful, Israel Lozano showed up with some rope.

The rope was thrown to Sanchez who was instructed by Salinas to tie the rope around himself. Salinas waded into the water as Sanchez was pulled in and helped him to shore.

Sanchez was in the water for approximately 10 minutes.

Despite the high water in the draws the past two weekends, this was the first emergency call received concerning a person in the draw.

Budget problems hit county

By Griffin B. Cole
DRN Editor

Preliminary figures released during the Sutton County Commissioners meeting Monday, show a \$100,000 shortfall in the early workings of the 1991 fiscal budget.

The shortfall is a relatively new situation following the boom era in the early 1980s. The county was able to stretch the money for five years and did not raise taxes.

During the meeting, County Auditor Charlie Graves called the situation, "very critical."

"We've reached the point where we're spending more than bringing in," said County Judge Carla Fields.

Fields added that it may just a matter of realizing what the situation is, and that is expenditures have to balance with income.

The question facing the commissioners is where the \$100,000 will come from.

"There isn't a \$100,000 to take out of the budget and provide the

services were expected," said Commissioner Bill Keel, during the meeting. "We might have to live with a slight (tax) increase."

During an interview Tuesday, Keel said to make up the shortfall it is a choice between raising taxes or cutting services.

"I never want to raise taxes," said Keel, "but at the same time you don't want to take away keeping care of the parks, providing lighting for Sinaloa..."

Perhaps complicating the budget process some is that commissioners are looking to give county employees their first raise in four years. The raise would be at five percent and Keel said the effect on the budget would be in the neighborhood of \$50,000.

Keel said while the commission is not dead set on giving the employees a raise, if they want to keep the good workers a raise is necessary.

The commissioners have set a budget meeting, which will be open to the public, for Aug. 6 at 9

a.m. The meeting will be held in the commissioner's room at the County Annex Building.

"You want the input from the citizens and tax payers," said Keel. "I welcome word from anybody."

In other action at the meeting, Graves suggested the county hire Sandy Stokes of Ozona for the county audit.

Stokes has done the county audit a couple of times before.

"He is somebody virtually all of us know to some extent," said Graves.

Usually the county puts the audit up for bid, but Graves said he thought it would be best for the county if at this time they selected Stokes because he would be able to do the audit at the budgeted amount of \$6,000.

The county is not required to put the audit up for bid.

The commissioners also gave the go-ahead to the Department of Public Safety to purchase a radar gun at \$700.

Sutton County: 100 years

L.P. Bloodworth is a very busy man these summer days. Bloodworth is heavily involved in two projects in connection with the Sutton County centennial.

Bloodworth said that local interest in the wagon train and trail ride he is organizing is starting to pick up.

There is some confusion, Bloodworth said, about the event. Some local people apparently think that a wagon is a must to participate. Bloodworth said that is not the case at all.

According to Bloodworth the options are many. A person may ride a wagon, or a horse or they could catch a ride on somebody else's wagon.

Bloodworth said those interested in participating need to fill out the entry form and pay the \$10 fee. The fee covers a three free meals and a commemorative medal among other things.

The wagon train and trail ride

will leave from Juno at 7 a.m. Aug. 21 and wrap up in Sonora on Aug. 23 in time to participate in the centennial parade.

Bloodworth is also helping get the early settlers of Sutton County recognized.

Plans are currently being made to have plaques put up along the sidewalk at the county courthouse identifying families that settled the area before 1915.

For the idea to work it is up to the individual families as they must pay for the plaque. While the plaque could run in the neighborhood of \$600, Bloodworth said the family would be able to put a message on the plaque which could be up to 75 words.

The county has already given the go ahead to put the plaques along the sidewalk.

Bloodworth said at least 10 plaques would have to be put up for the plan to go through.

Pair of local 4-H'ers head to Washington

Laura Barlemann and April Spiller of the Sutton County 4-H are participating in the 4-H Citizenship Washington Focus program in Washington, D.C. through July 28.

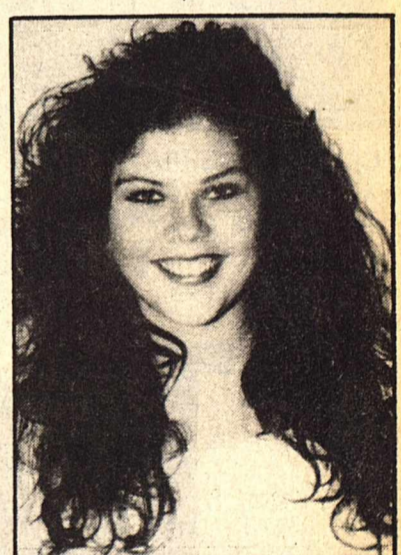
Barlemann and Spiller are two of 25 Texas delegates joining 500 others from around the nation at the National 4-H Center in Chevy Chase, Md. Overall, about 4,000 youngsters from around the country will participate in the program, which began June 3 and runs each week until Aug. 4.

Citizenship Washington Focus helps young people ages 15 to 19 better understand how government functions at all levels. This year's theme, "Learning Today, Leading Tomorrow," encourages 4-H'ers to become involved in citizenship projects at home.

"Delegates will meet with elected representatives from Texas and participate in forums covering such issues as freedom of speech, growing up at risk, the environment and the increasing crime rate," said Dr. Lance Bullard, 4-H youth development specialist



SPILLER



BARLEMANN

with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "They will also vote in simulated elections and present proposals at a simulated city council meeting."

When Barlemann and Spiller return home, they will have the opportunity to apply for grants to fund local 4-H programs. The

Metropolitan Life Foundation Youth in Action Community Service Grant Program will provide funds for proposals to increase public service among youth. The American Coalition for Traffic Safety will award 35 grants for plans for community-based seat belt safety awareness programs.

Church installs new pastor

On July 8, 1990 The Rev. Daniel Diaz de Leon was installed as Pastor of Templo Jerusalem Assembly of God Church here in Sonora. Rev. Santos Becerra, Jr.,

Presbyter of the San Angelo section officiated. The Diaz de Leon family has come here from Galveston, Texas.

Rev. Daniel Diaz de Leon is a licensed minister with the Assemblies of God and is currently studying through the Berean Bible College. He is a graduate of Ball High School and studied at Galveston College majoring in Business Administration.

He is pictured here with his wife, Veronica, and their three children Noemi, 9; Ester, 8; and Daniel Jr., 2.

Templo Jerusalem is located in the old Elliott Building on St. Ann's Street in Sonora. They



DE LEON FAMILY

have Sunday school at 10 a. m. on Sunday mornings with worship at 11 a. m. Evening services start at 5 p. m. They also have a mid-week service on Wednesdays at 7 p. m. and prayer services on Fridays at 7 p. m. Everyone is welcome.

Lights go out in Sonora

Earl Johnson of West Texas Utilities said as of press time Tuesday no determination had been made as to why a portion of Sonora went dark Monday

evening. At about 11:35 p.m. Monday the south part of Sonora lost electric power for about 10 minutes.

Free physicals coming soon

A reminder to all Sonora Junior High School and high school athletes that a one-time free physical is being offered by Dr. Jay Surratt.

Sonora athletic director Bob Bellard said the physicals for boys will be held Aug. 7 at 6 p.m. and the girls physicals will be Aug. 9 at the same time.

The physicals will be held at the high school gymnasium.

Bellard said all seventh-grade and ninth-grade athletes are required to get physicals to participate.

Lions Club in giving mood

The West Side Lions Club is getting into the spirit of Sutton County Days. The group will be holding a drawing for a Nintendo entertainment set.

The drawing will be held during Sutton County Days on Aug. 25. A \$1 donation is being asked for each ticket or six for \$5. The person need not be present to win.

The Nintendo set includes a

control deck, two game controllers, zapper light gun. Four games, Duck Hunt, Super Mario Bros., Ninja II and Tetris, will be included.

The entire package is worth \$200.

Tickets will be available soon from West Side Lions Club members. Tickets will be available up to the time of the drawing.

Just Chatting

by Griffin Cole
DRN Publisher



Nice weather we're having

This rainy weather that has hung around for more than a week now reminds me of some of the strange things that have happened to me. Concerning weather, I mean.

After growing up in Wisconsin and putting up with snow, sometimes from November through April, I moved to Seattle, Washington.

This was about six months after I graduated college. It was November (the first week) and it had just snowed about eight inches. No kidding.

I just laughed because I knew I was escaping. I mean, it only snows once in a blue moon in Seattle. I knew this because my sister promised me.

I should have known better. I was in Seattle for two weeks and it snowed. Not just a small snow squall, but almost blizzard-like conditions. By the time the storm was over there was about seven inches on the ground.

Seattle shuts down if they get a quarter-inch of snow much less seven inches. This is because they don't have snow plows.

Many people rely on busses to get around in the city. One of those people is my sister. They weren't running at all. So, for lying to me she had to walk home about three miles in the snow storm.

She beat me up when she got home. She blamed me for bringing the snow from Wisconsin with me.

Despite the snow I stayed in Seattle for a bit longer.

If Seattle is known for anything it has to be known for rain. Even during the summer it will rain for six weeks at a time.

So what happens?
During the summer I lived there it went 40 consecutive days

without raining.

Local farmers beat me up thinking I brought a drought with me.

From Seattle I moved to Alamogordo, N.M.

While winter was still sometime off, I was looking forward to it. This time I had the snow beat. No way is it going to snow, I figured, I was in the desert.

One Saturday in December I wake up to go to work and there is snow on the ground. Not only that, but more was falling.

I was crushed.

Before it was over five inches had fallen. People tried to make me feel better saying that every once in a while it will snow, but they assured me it would be gone the next day.

Fortunately, they were right. Next day I look outside and you couldn't even tell it snowed. It was even back above 60 degrees.

Then came the next weekend. Five more inches of snow.

I walk into work and everybody jumps me and starts hitting me, saying I brought the snow from Wisconsin. I should have told them I was from Seattle.

After that episode things were quiet for a couple of years.

Then I moved to Del Rio. The word there is hot. It was, too.

Until the week before Christmas. Then it turned cold. Not just cold, but nasty cold. Cold, as in freezing water pipes. It dropped to about five degrees which was quite cold for the region.

I've prepared myself for Sonora. I understand it can get cold in winter so I took special care of my winter clothes.

What I want to know is, does this mean it will be the balmiest winter in the history of Sonora?

Letters to the editor

Dear Editor,

I am submitting this small but very useful, shall I say poem, to you in hopes that you publish it in the newspaper. I hope it comes in handy for other troubled people in the community. This is part of me. I never thought I would come around to admitting that I was wrong, but hey, a person has to let go sooner or later. Thank you.
"Poisonous Love"

My life was doing pretty good, or at least until I met you. Sure I had problems, but they were natural ones.

You took me by surprise, you stole my heart, you were all I wanted and I believed you were all I needed. I didn't care about anyone or anything just as long as I was with you. You had become my wife, my world, and even my God.

I wanted and needed you badly. When I'd wake up in the morning and you weren't with me. I'd get real upset. I needed money to be with you so I had to steal.

It didn't matter who I stole from - my parents, relatives, friends, or people I didn't even know. Just as long as I was with you I didn't care who I had to hurt.

You made me lose my ability to think, feel, care, love, or to listen to anyone but you. I lied, cheated, stole, and I even robbed. Some people will kill just to be with you.

You promised me heaven, but took me through hell!

Where are you now? Where am I? I know you are laughing. You are probably out there stealing someone else's heart and soul. You won't stop until you have him/her in prison, a mental hospital, or where you want that person... dead. I regret that it took me so long to realize who you were.

Good by dear Mary Jane (M-13)
Tomas H. Favela

Dear Editor,

Since you didn't print my letter to Mr. Zimmerman and Mrs. Middleton let me get back to my favorite subject, namely, Junior, our District Attorney.

Supposedly on July 30th the Drug Trials will start back up. (He had four or five defendants of the Drug Bust (farce) of March 6, 1989 lined up) I hope so, but I seriously doubt we will ever see "undercover agent" Lonnie Hood on the stand again (if he does show up, he might be the one shipped to Huntsville).

Junior promised to rid Sonora of drug dealers but so far he has done a sorry job of it, if he did he might have to go after some of his "friends". That might be why he has stated that he would not prosecute anyone caught dealing drugs by the Drug Task Force of our area.

Anyway, what I want to make the people of Sutton County and the 112th Judicial District aware of is that Favela and Galindo got sentences of 90 years and life in prison for allegedly selling drugs (the D.P.S chemist testified that

an aspirin had more drug in it than the amount Favela supposedly sold). Meanwhile this morning (July 17) a man pleaded guilty to sexually assaulting a child and Junior agreed to give them probation. Probation, that if completed would clear his record of any charge.

Seems to me like Junior has gotten his priorities screwed up. Think about it next time he runs for office.

Later,
Your Devoted Reader
Ernest Barrera

Dear Editor,

Because of the difficulty of expressing our appreciation personally to each of the hundreds of individuals and businesses in Sonora and the surrounding area, the Outdoor Drama Group is writing this general letter of thanks.

With the sixth weekend of the Covered Wagon Dinner Theater just completed, it is safe to proclaim the 4th Season a success. Total attendance has grown steadily with the largest percentage of growth from out-of-town. One of the initial purposes of the Dinner Theater is, thus, being accomplished. The Covered Wagon Dinner Theater idea was born in 1987 as one way of bringing tourists to Sonora, and of sharing with them the history of this part of Texas, the initial seed having come to Sonora when DeDe Doran came back from a Chamber of Commerce Seminar on tourism. The second of the initial goals was to provide a major historical production for Sonora and Sutton County's 100th Anniversary.

Considerable time, talent, money and energy is spent each year putting this show together and running it for 18 or so performances. Without each volunteer, each supporting business, each dollar donated, each ad purchased, the Covered Wagon Dinner Theater could not and cannot produce even one show. It has now produced 76 shows, had over 350 different performers on its stage, raised a total of \$55,830 and spent a total of \$51,760 with 3 more weekends in this season to go.

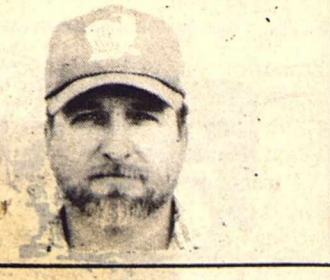
It has drawn audience from all over the country as well as numerous foreign travelers. In entertainment circles it is becoming known as a desired venue by entertainers across the state.

The members of the Outdoor Drama Group believe in what they are doing. Everyone in Sonora and the surrounding area who has supported the Covered Wagon Dinner Theater this year obviously believes in it, too. It is good for our communities to have one more reason for folks to stop and spend a while.

Please accept this open letter as a heartfelt thanks.
The Outdoor Drama Group Assoc.
Charlotte Gilmore, Co-ordinator

Ramblin'

By Jim Fish
Contributing writer



Sonora has grown from devils and savages

This being the year selected to celebrate our hundredth birthday, I've involved myself in researching the period of Sonora's birth. 1860 thru 1890 was a particularly fascinating time to concentrate my efforts. As many of you know, life first sprang forth with the completion of a water well in the first half of March 1889. I learned this from the first news item concerning Sonora and Sutton County which appeared in the San Angelo Standard, then a weekly publication.

Why wasn't this area settled prior to 1889? Some say it was due to the lack of water. Not true. The windmill was in existence long before the 1880's. The interest was certainly there. Just read the various accounts of the ranchers who were utilizing these lands before that time. Then check out the history of the Texas frontier.

The Comanche, Kiowa and Apache Indians regularly made raids on white settlers in the western half of the Lone Star State as late as 1875. According to the accounts I've read, these guys were down-right mean. One lady, as reported by J. Marvin Hunter, was captured right out of her house with her five children. Another lady and her baby were taken at the same, she was visiting.

If you are wondering where I'm going with this, here it comes.

All the captives were stripped to the bare body, to suffer the blistering sun, forced to eat raw horse flesh and made to ride for several days without sleep. The band of Comanches that perpetrated these deeds didn't stop there.

The first morning after the raid one of the Indians tired of one of the babies crying, so he seized the child from the mothers arms. Abruptly, slinging the infant by the ankle, he banged his head into a tree. Concluding that the remaining infant would cry as well, he went to the second lady and took her child, too. To this baby, the native American cut its throat from ear to ear and laughed at the mother when she fainted.

What sort of human being could do such horrendous acts to another? Well, I saw the same sort of behavior in Viet Nam. Not by the Orientals, but by our

own up-standing American citizens. I even found the potential within myself on several occasions.

Most of the human atrocities committed in both conflicts parallel one another. The only real difference was that we won the war with the Indians. The psychological state of mind was the same in both wars, in all wars.

Someone starts with oppressive acts and the next thing you know you've got all-out war on your hands. The mind takes in information concerning the enemy after a cycle has begun and processes it until conclusions are formed.

As a vicious cycle gathers momentum and the conflict escalates, more inhuman acts occur. More information is processed and graver conclusions are drawn. All of a sudden, we find ourselves consumed by our hatred; so much so that the mind can rationalize any action we might inflict on the enemy.

No longer is he a human being, he is the enemy.

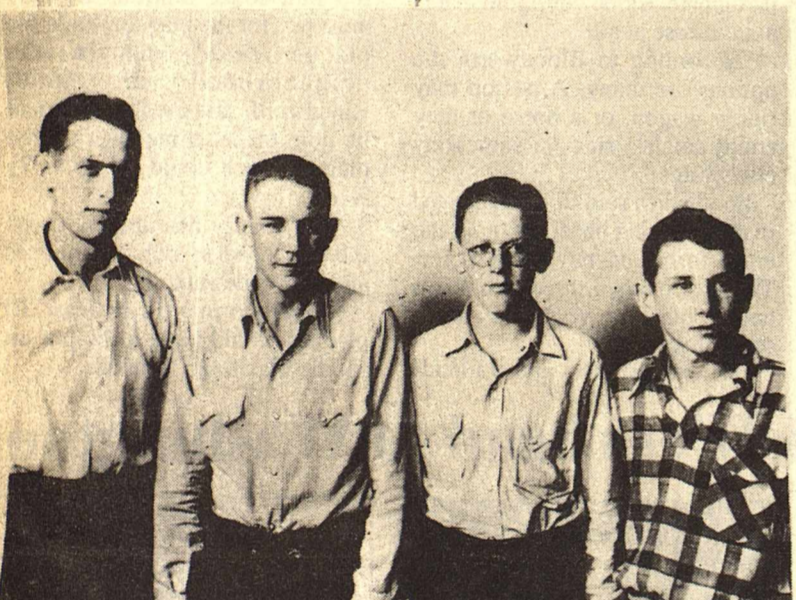
The war with the Indians lasted about fifty years. A lot can happen to a mind in that length of time. Whole lives can begin and end without knowing a time of peace. What mentality do you suppose would evolve from such a lifestyle?

Better yet, how would you fare after a comparable amount of time, fighting and killing? Don't you think you could be made to kill a "devil child"?

The Comanches, Kiowas and Apaches saw whole villages of loved ones annihilated in one sweep of the "white devils". Frontiersmen witnessed their children, wives and other family members disemboweled, tortured and dehumanized by the "red savages". This stuff went on for fifty years. All I can say is it took a lot of forgiving, conceding and compromising to end that war, to break the cycle.

What remains is we learn the lessons of our past and try to give our children a better future. I guess that's what Sonora's all about, considering our history. It helps me to appreciate the present a little more, anyway.

Think about it.
Here's to a hundred more, happy birthday, Sonora!



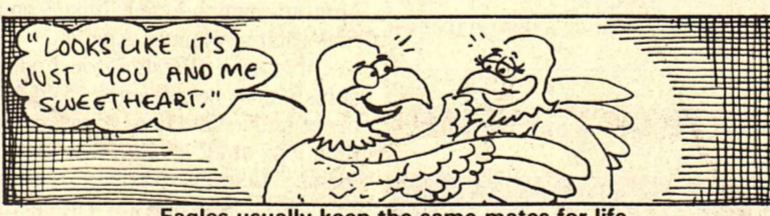
CENTENNIAL PHOTO - This phot shows the four young men who combined to win Sutton County's first state championship in the Wool and Mohair competition in 1949. Can you name them?

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It's Like A Whole Other Country.



Cattle branding was practiced 4,000 years ago. Old tomb paintings show Egyptians branding their cattle.



"LOOKS LIKE IT'S JUST YOU AND ME SWEETHEART."
Eagles usually keep the same mates for life.

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Maldonado - Zapata to wed July 27

Debra Ann Maldonado and Eduardo Garcia Zapata will be married on Friday, July 27, 1990, at the Chapel of the Fountain, Las Vegas, Nevada.

Parents of the bride are Robert Zapata of Sonora, and Della Noriega of San Antonio. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Oscar J. Zapata of Sinton, Texas.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Velma Garcia, sister of the groom, and best man was Robert G. Zapata, brother of the groom.

Mrs. Zapata is a graduate of Sonora High School, and Howard College in San Angelo. She is employed as a legal assistant for the law firm of Wood, Boykin & Wolter, Corpus Christi, Texas. The groom is a graduate of Sinton High School and attended the University of Texas at Austin. He is employed as a senior lab technician for Hoechst Celanese in Bishop, Texas.



After a wedding trip in Las Vegas, Nevada, and San Antonio, Texas the couple will reside in the Corpus Christi area.

Galindo named Assistant Professor

Leticia Galindo, daughter of Lydia Galindo, has accepted a position of Assistant Professor of Spanish Linguistics at Arizona State University in Tempe, Arizona.

Dr. Galindo is a 1970 graduate of Sonora High School and a 1987 graduate of the University of Texas at Austin.

Card of thanks

Card of thanks to our family and friends;

Once again, you have provided the strength and courage for us to continue in the loss of our loved one.

On behalf of our daughter, our mother, and our sister we express our deepest appreciation. The family of Rose Alice (Cherby) Wilkinson

Ashley Shalai Hearn

Rick and Amy Hearn are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Ashley Shalai. Ashley was born on July 1 in Midland Memorial Hospital weighing 7 pounds 13 ounces and was 19 3/4 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Evelyn Allen of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. David Allen of Weatherford. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hearn of Uvalde. Maternal great-grandparents are Inez Sunnett of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Allen also of Ft. Worth. Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hearn of Sonora, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. McCutchen of Robert Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Rogers of Del Rio. Paternal great-great-grandmother is Mrs. Mary Hearn of San Antonio.

Garett Martin Van Hoozer

Mark and Gigi Van Hoozer of Georgetown would like to announce the birth of their son, Garett Martin. He was born July 6, at Round Rock Hospital and weighed 7 pounds 14 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Grandparents are Wanda Van Hoozer of Sonora and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McKinney of San Angelo. Great-grandmothers are Mrs. Dorothy Van Hoozer of Kerrville and Mrs. Lena Truly of San Angelo. A great-great-grandmother is Mrs. Octavia Nixon of Fredericksburg.

Pierson and Hearn announce engagement

Pam Pierson and Barbara Bounds are announcing the engagement of Donna Pierson to Shane Hearn the son of Dick and Linda Hearn of Uvalde.

The wedding is set for August 24, 10:00 a. m. at the First Baptist Church of Sonora.

Devil's River News
If you have some information of local interest, give us a call at
387-2507

"Ronnie Cox would like to be your pharmacist"

Tedford Jewelry Bridal Gift Registry

Anne Ward bride-elect of Jim Guinan
Michelle McEwen bride-elect of Key Simon
Donna Pierson bride-elect of Shane Hearn
Mrs. David Creek, nee Kay Fischer

Downtown Sonora 387-3839

Westerman Drug Bridal Registry

Michelle McEwen bride-elect of Key Simon
Mrs. Tim Prine, nee Lesli Webster

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Hill's Gift Registry

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Michelle McEwen bride-elect of Key Simon
Mrs. Tim Prine, nee Lesli Webster

Hill's Jewelry

Downtown Sonora 387-2755

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What were you doing on July 1, 1930 when the first train came to Sonora? If you were not born yet what did your parents or grandparents tell you that they were doing when the train came in?

Please write a sentence, or two and mail to Nancy Bloodworth at PO Box 395 or Patricia Johnson PO Box 452, Sonora, 76950. All letters received will be typed and displayed in the window of the Railroad Exhibit, we want to hear

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"I was six years old. My father, Victor Chavez, took me in our Model T to the Depot. We waited two hours for the train to come in." Juan Chavez - visiting from Phoenix

"I was employed by the Water

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"I could have gone to Eldorado with my grandmother and Herbert but I wanted to stay here and ride my horse in the parade - which I did." Alvis Johnson, Jr.



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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON SUTTON COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT 1991 BUDGET

The Sutton County Appraisal District will hold a public hearing on a proposed budget for the 1991 fiscal year.

The public hearing will be held on August 14, 1991 at 3:00 P.M.

A summary of the appraisal district budget follows:

The total amount of the proposed budget is \$214, 910.

The total amount of increase over the current year's budget is \$8148.

The number of employees compensated under the proposed budget will be three.

The number of employees compensated under the current budget is three.

The appraisal district is supported solely by payments from the local taxing units served by the appraisal district.

If approved by the appraisal district board of directors at the public hearing, this proposed budget will take effect automatically unless disapproved by the governing bodies of the county, school districts, cities, and towns served by the appraisal district.

A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection in the office of each of those governing bodies. A copy is also available for public inspection at the appraisal district office.

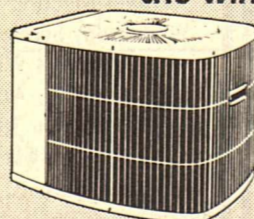


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The No. 1 buckle in brass, silver and silver/gold will be given away in a drawing at Sutton County Days. A \$1 raffle ticket gives you 3 chances to win. Buy raffle tickets where buckles are sold or from members of Historical Society.

Buckles and raffle tickets can be mailed anywhere in the world! Make checks to Sutton County Historical Society and send them to Winnie Allen, PO Box 146, Sonora, Texas 76950. No sales tax will be added to out of Texas orders. Include \$2 for shipping buckles.

Brass buckles are \$25 plus 1.81 tax, silver buckles are \$180 plus 12.83 and silver/gold buckles are \$225 plus 16.03 tax. Walnut display plaques are \$5.25 plus .37 tax.

Obituary

Joe B. Luttrell

Joe B. Luttrell, 49, died Thursday, June 19 in Angelo Community Hospital.

Services were held Saturday, June 21 at 2:00 p. m. at the First Baptist Church. Burial was in Sonora Cemetery under the direction of Kerbow Funeral Home.


He was born Nov. 12, 1940 in San Angelo. He was a wholesale distributor for Rio Grande Distributors. He was a member of the Sonora Volunteer Fire Department, Sutton County EMS and the Baptist Church.

Joe was preceded in death by his father, Cullen.

He is survived by two sons, Jody of Sonora, and Maxc of Germany; his mother, Pauline Luttrell of Sonora; one sister, Elaine Donaldson of Sonora; three grandchildren; one niece and one nephew.

Pallbearers will be Kyle Donaldson, Louis Olenick, Carl Teaff, Sammie Odom, Ben Pool, Jack Sharp, Pasqual Allison and Tim Thorp.

The family requests memorials be sent to the Sonora Volunteer Fire Department or the Sutton County EMS.



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The family of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. "Pad" Buntyn requests the pleasure of your company at a Reception to celebrate their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary on Saturday, the fourth of August nineteen hundred and ninety at two until four o'clock in the afternoon Church of Christ Fellowship Hall Mason, Texas

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EMS members attend seminar

Eight members of the Sutton County Emergency Medical Service recently attended a day-long seminar at Angelo State University on "EMS Update 90".

Subjects covered included psychiatric, orthopedic and environmental emergencies, along with an update on EMS law and a slide presentation concerning vital signs and their indications.

Participating in the program were Ruth Marsh, EMT paramedic from Eden; Tom Cantwell, Texas Department of Health EMS

Director from El Paso; Dr. Steve Boster of Shannon Medical Center Emergency Room; Randy Matthews, ASU Head Athletic Trainer; Dr. Richard Hall, FACGP from Eden; Dr. Rose Ingala of River Crest Hospital; and Dr. William C. Turner from St. John's Emergency Room.

Attending the seminar from Sonora were Carla Fields, Treva McReynolds, Eddie McReynolds, Karen Fincher, Aldolfo Elquezabal, Tony Cook, Lisa Cook and Gilbert Velez.

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Church Guide

The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian Worship Service-11:00am Church School-9:45 am Communion first Sunday of each month Lewis Allen, Pastor	New Hope Baptist Mission 708 S.E. Crockett Sun. morning Bible Study-10 am Sun. morning Worship-11 am Sun. evening Worship-7 pm Weds. Bible Study-7 pm Weds. Childrens Bible Study-7 pm Dana Floyd - Pastor
New Life Assembly of God 306 N. 4th Street Sun. Worship 10:30 a.m. Sun. evening worship 6 p.m. Weds. Study 7 p.m. Daniel Timmerman-Pastor	Church of Christ Minister-Don Jones Bible School-10 am Worship-11 am Sunday Night-6:30 pm Wednesday Night-7 pm
Primera Iglesia Bautista Sunday School-9:45 am Worship Service-11 am Training Union-5 pm Evening Service-6 pm Wednesday Service-7 pm W.M.U.-Sunday-2 pm Between Santa Clara & Chestnut	First United Methodist Church Kent L. Kepler Sunday School-9:45 am Worship-10:55 am KVRN 98 AM-11 am UMYF-Wednesday 6 pm Chancel Choir-Wednesday 7:30 pm
Somebody Cares Ministry Rev. Louis Halford Sunday Adult Bible Hour-9:30 am Supr Son-Bible Hour-9:30 am Morning Service-10:45 am L.I.F.E. (youth)-3 pm Evening Service-6 pm Wednesday Bible Study-7 pm	Jehovah's Witness 310 St. Ann's 387-2679 or 387-3947 Spanish Meeting Public Talk-1 Sunday Watchtower Study-1:55 Sunday Theocratic Ministry-7:30 pm Tue. Service Meeting-8:15 Tuesday Bible Study-7:30 Thursday
First Baptist Church Rev. Jim Stephen Sunday School-9:45 am Morning Worship-11 am Church Training-6 pm Evening Worship-7 pm Wednesday Service-7 pm	Hope Lutheran Church Sunday School-10 am Worship Service-11 am Thursday: Adult Bible Class-8 pm Charles Huffman, Pastor
Sonora Tabernacle United Pentecostal Rev. Kenneth Doyle, Pastor Sunday School etc. -10 am Prayer Meeting- 6:30 pm Evening Worship-7:00 pm Prayer Meeting-6:00 pm Wednesday Service-7:00 pm	St. Ann's Catholic Church Rev. Lawrence D'Mello Saturday Night Mass 7 pm English Sunday Mass 8 am Spanish 11 am English Holy Day Mass-7 pm
Jehovah's Witness 310 St. Ann's 387-2679 or 387-3947 English Meeting Public Talk-10 Sunday Watchtower Study-11:55 Sunday Theocratic School-7:30 pm Wed. Service Meeting-8:15 Wednesday Bible Study-7:30 Monday	St. John's Episcopal Church 404 NE Poplar Holy Eucharist-Sunday 8 & 11 am Sunday School-9:45 am Holy Eucharist w/Prayers for Healing, 1 & 3-Wed., 7:15 pm Rev. J. Monte Jones, Rector

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ICA convention to be held Aug. 9-11

Texas Republican gubernatorial candidate Clayton Williams will be the main speaker at the Independent Cattlemen's Association 16th annual convention Aug. 9-11 at College Station.

Williams is one of several speakers who will address issues facing the modern cattleman, the theme of this year's convention.

Another candidate on the program will be state Rep. Rick Perry of Haskell, the Republican nominee for Texas Commissioner of Agriculture.

Folk humorist Jerry Clower of Yazoo City, Mo., will provide a

little levity to the proceedings when he addresses the group at the traditional President's Reception.

General business sessions will explore issues of interest to today's cattle producer featuring experts from Texas A&M University, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the National Cattlemen's Association and the Texas Beef Industry Council.

The ICA Trade Show will run throughout the convention featuring 35 exhibitors of products valuable to Texas cattle producers.

The College Station Hilton and Conference Center will host most of the meetings and entertainment

functions, and also serve as the headquarters hotel. The Aug. 11 program will be held at the Rosenthal Meat Sciences and Technology Center on the A&M campus.

For registration information, call Susan Brown in Austin at (512) 836-1321 or write ICA, 704 E. Wonsley, Suite 202, Austin, Texas 78753.

Registration fees are \$50 for an individual and \$75 for a couple until July 21 when the price increases to \$75 and \$100 respectively. Registration includes tickets to attend all convention functions.

Summer band rehearsals to begin Aug. 6

Summer band rehearsals will begin for high school band members (including drum majors, twirlers and flags) on Monday, August 6 at the High School band hall with sectional rehearsals on the marching music. Summer

m. - percussion, 2 p. m. - trombones and baritones, 3 p. m. - cornets and tubas and 7:30 p. m. marching rehearsal for all freshman.

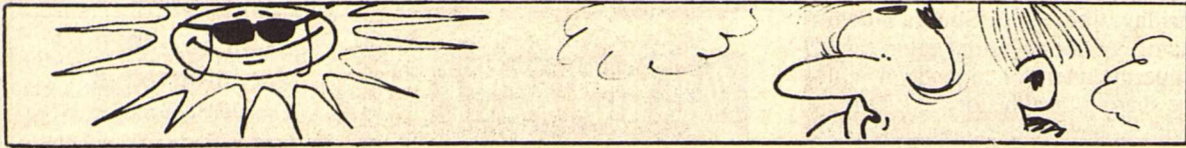
This schedule will change as summer band progresses. Students will be receiving a letter with a more complete schedule in the mail.

Flag camp will be during the week of August 13 and will be as follows: 9 a. m. - 12 noon - rehearsal, 12 noon to 1:30 p. m.

lunch and 1:30 p. m. - 4:00 p. m. rehearsal.

Students are asked to contact Mr. Nelson about any conflicts with the summer band schedule at one of the following numbers: school, 387-6533 or 387-3753 or at his home 387-2041.

Mr. Nelson is very excited to be directing such an outstanding group of students this year and is asking that all band students be ready to work to make this a truly outstanding year for the Mighty Bronco Band!



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REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the

SUTTON COUNTY NATIONAL BANK

of SONORA

in the state of Texas, at the close of business on June 30, 1990

published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161. Charter Number 17585 Comptroller of the Currency Southwestern District

Statement of Resources and Liabilities

ASSETS

	Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	637
Interest-bearing balances	0
Securities	6,574
Federal funds sold	1,500
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	0
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	4,457
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	78
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	0
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	4,379
Assets held in trading accounts	0
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	890
Other real estate owned	55
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	0
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0
Intangible assets	0
Other assets	233
Total assets	14,288
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	N/A
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	14,288

LIABILITIES

Deposits:	
In domestic offices	12,617
Noninterest-bearing	1,579
Interest-bearing	11,038
Federal funds purchased	0
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	0
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	0
Other borrowed money	0
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	0
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	0
Subordinated notes and debentures	0
Other liabilities	299
Total liabilities	12,916
Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus	0

EQUITY CAPITAL

Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus	0
Common stock	750
Surplus	750
Undivided profits and capital reserves	(148)
LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities	0
Total equity capital	1,352
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	N/A
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	1,352
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	14,288

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

I, RAY SMITH

Name

VICE PRESIDENT AND CASHIER

Title

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/A. W. Bishop

/s/Doyle V. Morgan

/s/W. B. McMillan

Directors

/s/Ray Smith

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CWDT preview

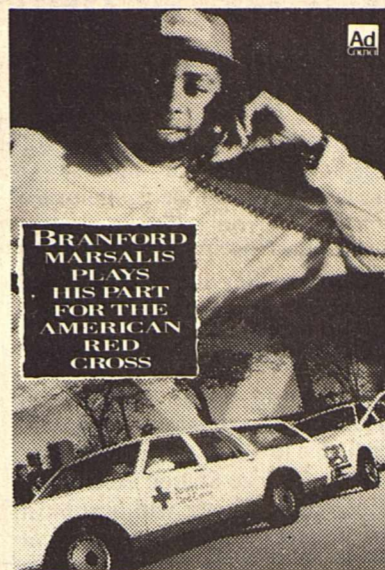
This 7th weekend of performances at the Caverns of Sonora will be well worth the drive. Can you imagine a better way to spend an evening than sitting outdoors in a lovely natural amphitheater under the Texas stars and surrounded by the sounds of the night and your friends?

To add to joy of just being there, this weeks performers will make you glad you came. On Friday, Joe Lane, Sonora's own actor, historian, storyteller (and superintendent of highways) will be sharing local history in keeping with Sonora and Sutton County's Centennial Celebration.

Music for the evening will be old time western with lots of old time favorites. "Fiddlegrass" is a West Texas group made up of Glenn Moreland, Chris Moore and "Washtub" Jerry Wiant. This group was featured on Tumbleweed Smith's *Sounds of Texas*, have played for 12 years at the Ft. Davis Courthouse on the 4th of July celebration, as well as other West Texas events.

Saturday's show is itself a bit of living history as O. C. Fisher (U.S. Congressman for 32 years) appears as storyteller. Mr. Fisher is a native of Kimbell County but is not stranger to Sonora. Help give him a welcome with your presence, to the stage of the Covered Wagon Dinner Theater.

Entertainment is now the stock and trade of R. W. Hampton, but he is also a working cowboy. R. W. is a member of the Screen Actors Guild and has appeared in 10 movies. He has appeared in television commercials and magazine ads. He is also featured on the cover of *Kenny Rogers' Photographs of America*. Singing traditional ballads of the American Cowboy, he has performed at the Cowboy Poets Gatherings in Elko, Nev. and Alpine, Texas as well as the Cowboy Hall of fame in Oklahoma City and last years Pasture Roping and Camp Cookoff in Eldorado, Texas.



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PUBLIC NOTICE

On July 9, 1990, The Foster Broadcasters, Inc. tendered with the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") an application seeking FCC consent to assignment to Fort Stockton Radio Co., Inc. of the license for AM Broadcast Station KHOS, 980 kHz, Sonora, Texas, FM Broadcast Station KHOS-FM, 92.1 mHz, Sonora, Texas, and FM Broadcast Station KYXX, 94.3 mHz, Ozona, Texas.

The officers, directors and more than ten percent shareholders of the Assignor The Foster Broadcasters, Inc. are Walton A. Foster and Donald W. Griffith.

The officers, directors and more than ten percent shareholders of the Assignee Fort Stockton Radio Co., Inc. are William Gail Garlitz and Kenneth E. Ripley.

A copy of this application for assignment of license may be inspected by members of the public during normal business hours at the KHOS-AM/FM studio located in Sonora, Texas. (8/9)

Help Wanted



Experienced Cook wanted. AM and PM chefs, willing to train. Apply in person only to Linda Love at Sutton County Steakhouse. (P)

Wanted: Dishwasher and waitress for p. m. shift. See Lemuel Lopez in Person. Equal opportunity employer. Apply at the Commercial Restaurant. (8/2)

ATTENTION - POSTAL JOBS! Start \$11.41/hour! For application info call 1-602-838-8885, Ext. M-17666, 6 a. m. - 10 p. m., 7 days." (8/2)

ATTENTION: GOVERNMENT HOMES FROM \$1 (U-repair)! Delinquent tax property. Repossessions. Call 1-602-838-8885, Ext. GH-17666. (7/26)

ATTENTION: GOVERNMENT JOBS - YOUR AREA! \$17,840 - \$69,485. Call 1-602-838-8885, Ext. R-17666. (7/26)

Wanted: Reputable, dependable person to train for full-time printing position. Long hours and some weekends required. Secretarial skills a plus. Apply by appointment only. Call 387-6577. (P)

Nursing Positions in Sonora
RN and LVN positions available at Hospital and Nursing Home. Competitive salary, paid health and life insurance, retirement plan, paid holiday and sick days. Call the Director of Nurses at Hospital 387-2521 or Nursing Home 387-3030.

Services



Classified Deadline

Friday at 5:00

Painting doesn't have to be expensive. Call John Zimmerman at 387-2304 for a free estimate. (P)

Autos



1985 Mustang LX, 4 cylinder, excellent condition, low mileage-some hail. \$4,550. 884-2066 or 884-3751. (8/2)

For Sale - 1985 4-door Lincoln Continental black & gold-gold condition. Fully loaded w/sun roof. Call 387-6577. (P)

Great Car for College Student - 1980 Triumph, TR-7, Excellent condition. Will finance with \$2,000 down. 884-2066 or 884-3751. (8/2)

Misc.



VISA/MASTERCARD - Easy fast! No deposit! No credit check! Also \$5000 Gold Card Guaranteed! Cash advances! Free info! 1-800-234-6741, anytime. (7/26)

GOLD CREDIT CARD - Visa/Mastercard guaranteed \$2,500 unsecured credit line *cash advance* 1-900-446-0028 \$19.95. (8/9)

Need crushed rock base material hauled, will trade hauling service, 25 miles east of Sonora. Call 869-7531. (8/2)

Professional Services



MONOGRAMMING--387-5280. (8/9)

VIDEOTAPING AVAILABLE Capture your family's special moments on film, to treasure for years to come. Weddings, recitals, ballgames, birthday parties, school plays, and more! Can also make extra copies of your home videos. Call Kathy Hardgrave. 387-2227. (P)

Lost And Found



Anyone having information about a jewelry box taken from the glove compartment at 403 Glasscock, please call the Police Dept. 387-3888. (8/9)

For Sale

For Sale - Alfa and filler hay. 512-757-1465. (7/26)

Piano for Sale - wanted responsible party to take on small monthly payments. See locally. Trade-in accepted. Credit manager 1-800-233-8663. (8/9)

Bonnets, Bonnets, Bonnets - \$10 each. Be ready for Sonora Centennial. Call Tressa at 387-5601. (8/16)

Rentals



Storage Units for Rent - Please call 387-3529 between 9-5, after 5 p. m. call 387-3996 or 387-2136. \$25-\$35. (P)

Spacious Apartments - total electric, CH, CA, covered car parking. All bills paid. Luxurious living. Hunt Apts., 102 Sonora Drive, 387-3672 or 387-2040. (F)

Shurley Enterprises Mini Storage, 8x12-\$25 monthly and 12x24-\$50 monthly. Please call 387-3619 from 9:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m. Monday through Friday. (P)

For Rent - 4,000 sq. ft. warehouse on large lot. 2 offices and truck dock. Call 387-2666 for information. Ask for Tim. PRICE REDUCED! (P)

Mobile Homes

For Sale or Rent - 14x80 Wayside Mobile home, central air/heat, 2 bdr., 2 bath, ceiling fans. Call after 5 p. m. 387-5204. (8/16)

Mobile Home for Sale - 1985 Solitaire, 16x72, 3 bdr., 2 ba., central heat and air. Call after 5 p. m. 387-6079. (P)

For Sale - 14x76 Mobile Home, 3 bdr., 2 bath established lot in J&V, needs work, priced low 387-3441. (P)

1991 Palm Harbor Double Wide - \$25,500 including delivery, set up and air conditioning. \$264.84 for 240 payments at 12 3/4 APR. Shop free by phone 1-800-588-7256. (P)

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For Sale - Doublewide Mobile Home. 1980 26x54 Magnolia Expanda, 3 bdr., 2 bath. In good condition. Has ice box and stove. Would make excellent hunter's house, lake house or family home. Call 387-5336 or 387-3193. Must see to appreciate. (P)

Real Estate



For Rent or For Sale - Business building, 218 N. E. Mair, Cali 387-5047. (P)

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For Sale - 2 bdr., 2 ba., ceiling fans, carpet, stove, A/C, deck. 438 Poplar. 387-3461. (P)

House for Sale - 3 bdr., 1 ba., CH, carport, private fenced yard. \$25,000 387-5274. (P)

Very nice and well-kept 3 bdr., 2 bath brick home for sale by owner, cathedral ceilings, fireplace, large garage, wonderful front and backyard, priced right. 1102 E. 2nd. Call 387-5428/387-5060. (P)

34' x 80' Building for Sale by owner. Full kitchen, carpets, central heat and air. Paved parking, fenced yard with sprinkler system. Extra lot optional. 387-3441. (P)

For Sale - 1600 sq. ft. home-3 bdr. 2 ba., spacious living room located near school, partial owner financing available. 387-6577. (P)

Attractive Beginner home - 2 bdr. in Eldorado- located across from car wash at 604 Old Sonora Rd. Small down payment. Financing available with approved credit. Call Ray Smith or A. W. Bishop at Sutton County National Bank. 387-2593. (P)

New on Market - 4 bedroom, 2 bath brick home, 1 block from Jr. High on secluded street. Fenced yard, two car carport, basketball slab. Great for family. 105 Draw St. Call for appointment, 387-3163. (P)

BEST VIEW IN SONORA. Brick home--2 large bedrooms, 2 baths, den with fireplace, formal dining room, large kitchen. Lots of built-in cabinets and bookcases. New roof, thermal windows, heat pump. Outside screened patio and picnic area, workshop, swimming pool. 5 acres with barn adjoin (not in city). 407 Hightower. 387-3255 during day; 387-3955 after 6 p. m. (8/9)

311 Santa Rosa...2 BR, 1BA, 1,034 sq. ft. Sonora, Sutton County. **\$23,500.00**

505 College...Behind Junior High. Part of Lot 6 and 8, City of Sonora, Sutton County, TX

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387-5060 **Martha Valliant McLain** 387-5060
HOUSES: 3 BR, 2B, C/H, 1400 Sq. ft., a bargain---**MOBILE HOME,** mint condition, well-insulated, large porch, like new---**3BR, 2B,** 2000+ Sq. Ft., wood burning stove, wonderful backyard---**3BR, 2B,** office or 4th BR., 2nd St., Sale or lease/purchase---**ELEGANCE,** 4,000+ Sq. Ft., guest house, hardwood floors, 3 story, designer touch, modern kitchen. Good buy---**3 BR, 2 B,** fireplace, 4th BR or office, workshop, near school, call for details---**3BR, 2B,** \$25,000.
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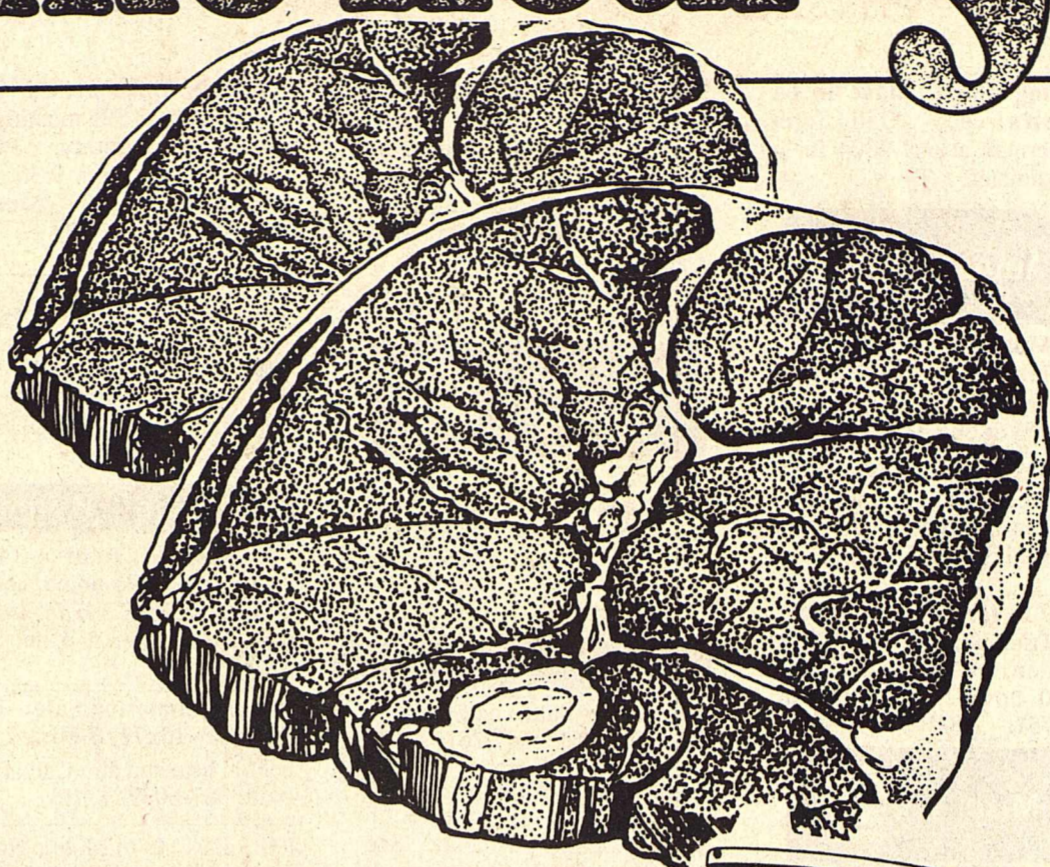
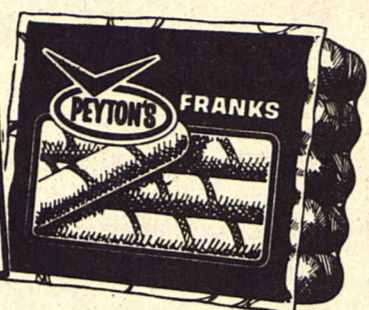
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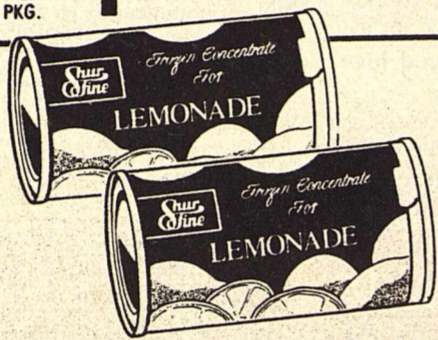


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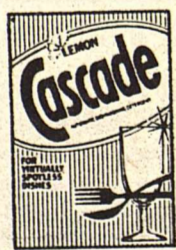
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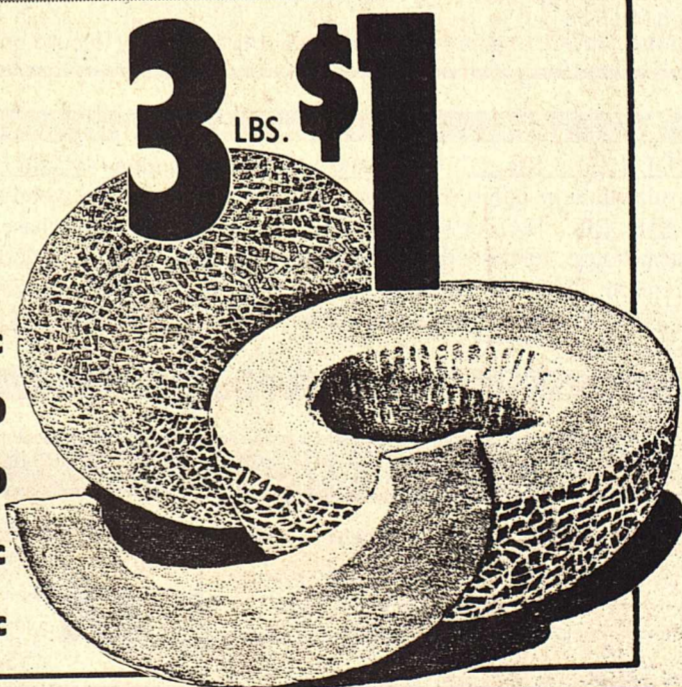


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