## Pending further information

## Council suspends rate increase for gas

Star Gas to change the rates for natural gas service in Sonora, the Council decided to suspend a edecision on the matter for ninety days pending additional information on why the increase is necessary.

Councilman Trainer noted that

In reviewing a request from Lone the increase requested was so small, 1.61 percent, that perhaps the company could find the needed funds within their own budget. He also commented that while the utility companies can re-coup costs from comsumers, the comsumers have no place to re-coup their costs.

Councilman Davenport also spoke of the 5¢ per dollar profit of the utility company, stating the profit margins for most businesses to be much smaller.

On recommendation of the Planning and Zoning Board, a special permit was issued to Gilbert Velez to operate a beauty salon at 601 Water with the understanding that if the beauty shop should close, the property would revert back to residential status.

The council approved the election of Kyle Donaldson as Fire Chief and Mayor Pro-Tem Adkins appointed Donaldson Assistant Fire Chief and Carl Teaff as Fire Marshall.

An ordinance was introduced to the council regarding rules of procedure for obtaining public records and charging a fee for copies of open records as provided by the open records law. The ordinance would include a written request form to be filed when obtaining any public records from the City.

Prior to adjourning, the council heard a report on proposed plans for a low water crossing on the main draw. All agreed the situation deserved a solution and asked that the technical aspects of the project be explored in more detail.



At the Council meeting, Mayor Pro-Tem Thomas Adkins presents a certificate of appreciation to Lionel Samaniego for his thirty years of service to the City.

Samaiego's retirement became effective the first of the year. Staff photo/Ann Cates.

Breakfast by Band

The Mighty Bronco Band and the Band Boosters

For additional information or to make your

Dinner at Center

to 2 pm. The donation is \$4 per person and \$2 for

Tickets are available from Advisory Board members

ICA meeting

Sutton County ICA monthly business meeting and

dutch treat dinner will be at the Sutton County

Taxes delinquent Feb.1

1988 ad valorem taxes are due on receipt of the tax

A delinquent tax incurs a penalty of six percent of

or portion of a month the tax remains unpaid prior to

However, a tax delinquent on July 1 incurs a total

penalty of twelve percent of the amount of the

delinquent tax without regard to the number on

months the tax has been delinquent. On July 1,

delinquent taxes also incur an additional penalty of

July 1 of the year in which it becomes delinquent.

Steakhouse on Monday, February 6 at 6:30 pm.

reservations, please call 387-2457 or 387-3507.

will be serving breakfast at Fiddler's Restaurant from

night, February 4.

your convenience.

are imposed.

the Fire Hall on this evening.

Senior citizens and children under 12.

The Center is located at 106 Wilson.

All members are urged to attend.

## Lodge meeting

Dee Ora Lodge #715 stated meeting is the third Thursday of every month with a meal served at 6:30 pm and the meeting following at 7:30.

## Cookies on sale

Girl Scout cookies will be on sale beginning January 13. To place an order, please call 387-5617.

### Mother's Day out

Mother's Day Out at the Methodist Church will be running regularly on Friday's from 8 am to 4 pm.

10 pm until the last person is fed on Fling Ding If you would like to bring your child, please call Molly Zimmerman at 387-2304 or call the church Members will also offer a baby sitting service at office at 387-2466 for more information.

## Attention ranchers

The 1989 Hunting Guide, compiled by the Sonora Chamber of Commerce, is in process and requests are already being received for available leases. If you There will be a delicious Mexican Dinner served at would like to have a listing in the guide, please call the Senior Center on Sunday, January 29 from noon the Chamber office at (915)387-2880.

Over 5,000 of the 1988 edition were distributed. The Hunting Guide works! And it could be working

## and also at the door. Take out orders are prepared at for you!

Fibers showcase Entry forms are available at the Sutton County Extension office for the Natural Fibers Showcase. The contest will take place at Amon G. Carter Exhibit Hall Round-Up Inn in Fort Worth on Saturday, March 4, 1989. The purpose of the contest is to promote cotton, wool and mohair industries.

There are five competitive divisions. All entries are

due no later than February 6, 1989. For more information, please come by the Sutton bill and are delinquent if not paid before February 1, County Extension office and pick up a copy of the

#### 1989, the year following the year in which the taxes form. EMT class scheduled

An Emergency Medical Technician Course will the amount of the tax for the first calendar month it is delinquent plus one percent for each additional month begin in February in Sutton County.

This course is 100 hours of classroom and practical training in the field of emergency medicine. A Texas Department of Health EMT license will be issued if the student successfully completes the course and passes the state written exam.

The classes will be held on Tuesday and Thursday nights. For more information call 387-5132 weekdays from 9 am to 4 pm.

## Predator problems

Ranchers of the area need to be aware of an increasing predator problem in some areas.

If you would be interested in joining a trapping club or if you have questions regarding predator control call John Wade at 387-2908.

#### Al-Anon meetings Al-Anon meets in Sonora on Thursday nights and

in Eldorado on Tuesday nights. Ozona also meets every Tuesday night. For more information on the organization or on the

## Have you adopted?

Adopt one square foot of the old Santa Fe Depot A meeting to elect new officers for the upcoming roof for just \$4. Help weather-in the Depot in 1988. All donors names displayed in the Stationmasters Office. Make checks to SCHS-Depot Roof and mail Everyone interested in Sonora's youth baseball to Depot Roof, Box 885, Sonora, Texas 76950 or program and it's leadership is asked to come and show drop your contribution by Westerman Drug or the Devil's River News.

## Domino Tournament

The Childress Volunteer Fire Department of Social Security will be at the County Courthouse in Childress is hosting the Official Texas State Championship Domino Tournament April 1, 1989.

Persons interested in participating may receive information, or transact other business with the information by contacting the Childress Volunteer Social Security Administration may contact him at Fire Department, P.O. Box 126, Childress, Texas



The queen and her court are First Runner-Up, Kim Cooke and her escort, Michael Harris; 1989 Queen Norma Sosa and escort, Ruben Mesa; and Second Runner-Up Christi Spain and escort, Todd Keller. Staff photo/Ann

## Sosa selected 1989 Lions Queen

From a group of thirteen candidates, Norma Sosa was selected Monday night as the 1989 Lions Club Queen. The joint contest of the West Side and the Downtown Lions Clubs is held each year and the candidates are selected by their fellow classmates

A senior at Sonora High School, Norma is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Sosa.

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike

Selected as second runner-up was Christi Spain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Davis.

Norma will advance to District competition to be held early spring. and court, the evening featured a wife Jean, all from San Angelo.

First runner-up is Kim Cooke, delicious dinner catered by the Sutton County Steakhouse and entertainment by the High School Pop Choir under the direction of John Zimmerman.

Judges for the contest were Past District Govenor Oscar Cook and his wife Dorothy and Past District In addition to selecting the queen Govenor Cecil Templeton and his

## Board seeks additional physician

Sutton County Hospital District Board held January 23, it was the consensus of the board members to pursue an additional staff physician who will provide emergency service for the community. The motion also stated that upon procurement

At a special meeting of the of this physician, Dr. Lind would be asked to vacate his office space for the new doctor.

> The action was taken after several months of unsuccessful negotiations between the Board and Dr. Lind concerning weekend Emergency Room coverage and

## Hudspeth Hospital to sponsor detection unit

According to the American Cancer Society, one out of every ten women in the Unites States will develop breast cancer sometime during her lifetime. Every year over 37,000 women die as a result of breast cancer.

A spokesman from the Regional Breast Care Center at Women's and Children's Hospital in Odessa says, "The death rate from breast cancer could be drastically reduced if women would have mammograms done before a problem exists." By using modern state of the art X-ray equipment breast cancers can be found when they are about the size of a grain of rice and well before the cancer can be felt.

A woman who is diagnosed with breast cancer at this early stage has a ninety to ninety-seven percent survival rate. However, a woman who is not diagnosed until a lump can be felt has approximately a fifty percent survival rate.

In an effort to find cancers at the earliest possible stage and prevent unnecessary deaths, a mobile breast cancer detection unit will be made available to local women on Saturday, January 28. The mobile unit will be parked at Hudspeth Hospital and appointments can be made by calling 387-2521.

completion of charts necessary for billing.

In October of 1988, a contract was drawn up between Dr. Lind, Dr. Pajestka and the hospital whereby each of the doctors agreed to work three weekends out of every eight with the hospital paying for coverage on the other two weekends. The coverage provided by the nospital on the two weekends would come from hiring a doctor to come to the hospital or by paying the local doctors to work their "off" weekend.

Dr. Lind appeared before the board at the January 9 meeting informing the board that the contract was not working for him and that effective immediately, he would be available one weekend in each four for Emergency Room coverage.

The by-laws of the hospital had been written so that any physician who had dictation on charts that was thirty days past due would have his admitting privileges suspended. This by-law was recently revised to read that if both doctors were behind, the doctor with the largest con't. on page 7



Park goes to the dogs . . .

The County Park literally went to the dogs this past weekend with the running of the 5th Annual Sheep Dog

Attracting the top dogs and handlers from across the United States including Ohio, Arizona, Georgia, Minnesota, North and South Dakota as well as all parts of Texas, the show had approximately eighty entrants, almost double entries in past years.

As in the past, the rapport between the dogs and handlers and the working relationship shared was a beautiful sight to watch. Staff photo/Ann Cates.

#### 15% attorney fee to defray costs of collection. Driving course There will be a Defensive Driving Course offered in Sonora on Saturday, January 28. For additional information or to make reservations call 853-2777.

Pinewood Derby Cub Scout Pack 19 is holding their annual Pinewood Derby on January 29 at 3 pm in the Junior High Snack Bar.

The public is invited to come and watch the boys race the cars they have built and join in the fun.

The winners of this race will advance to the District meetings call 387-5775.

Little League elections 1989 Little League season will be held on Thursday, February 2, 7 pm at the EMS Building, 211 E. 3rd.

support by voting for this year's officers.

## SS representative

Garland Gregg, representative for the San Angelo Sonora on February 16 between 9 and 10:30 am.

Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get this time.

## Written complaints get faster action

DEAR COMMISSIONER NABERS: I just returned from an Appeal Tribunal hearing and I am urious. The referee assigned to my case practically came out and said he already had his mind made up an that nothing I could say would make any difference. He was rude. He told me that he would not let my mother testify as to my previous excellent attendance to my other jobs (this was not "relevant" in his biased opinion). My exemployer lied from start to finish, yet the referee let him talk as much as he wanted. When it came my turn he did not let me have a fair opportunity to tell my side of the story. I want to know what sort of

Dallas is often referred to as the

most sophisticated city in Texas,

and indubitably it, for the next few

years at least, will be one of the

most rapidly developing areas in the

United States, a virtual cornucopia of opportunity. It is an accurate

appraisal if you remain for your

If, on the contrary, you become

embroiled in the commuter system

during the normal "go to" or "return

from" work during normal daylight

hours, you feel a distinct twinge of

pity for the people that are being

put in the Dallas area. The internal

transportation system consists of a

massive freeway system

superimposed on a system which

was designed in the early 1900's

applied to those areas where the two

An example are the two lane

service roads paralleling the

freeway. In several observed

instances the two lanes were merged

into a single lane and within three-

hundred feet the merged lanes were

forced into a single entry lane into

the freeway without an adequate

accelleration lane. It is a beautiful

plan if prolonged traffic jams during

rush hours is the objective. It is

conceded that with all ofthe

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through our unique

Ads

For more information

see ad on page 3.

must merge.

stay in the downtown area.

Commissioner Mary Scott **Nabers** 

### **Texas Business Today**

action will be taken against this referee if I call the TEC and complain?

Austin

DEAR A.L.: My advice at this point is to wait until you receive

cost of corrections would run into

billions. One is left wondering

"Where is the DART RAIL

retrieval, however, in the area

southeast of Dallas which must be

developed as the Super-Collider

goes in. Development can be

approved only after an automotive

transporation system is designed

and a right-of-way for the DART

Rail System is set aside. The

taxpayers must recognize that

automotive transportation with its

associated concrete maze cannot be

kept up to an adequate level without

creating an excessive tax burden,

If, you confine your activities to

certainly is the nicest and most

sophisticated city in Texas, and by

coming to work two hours early

and remaining an hour late most of

the commuter rubs can be avoided.

If you adhere to a regular work

schedule, you might consult your

friendly veterinarian for some horse

tranquilizers. In any case you

should have a frequency modulated

radio that can be tuned to station

playing quiet music and a magazine

to read in case a "fender-bender"

stops you. Dallas rush hour traffic

and prohibitive pollution levels.

Dallas has a chance for self

SYSTEM?"

the written decision from the Appeal Tribunal. If the decision is not in your favor, you may appeal it futher to the Commission. Because the entire hearing tape is listened to on appeal, any unprofessional conduct or breach of hearing procedure on the part of the referee will be noted by the Commission and appropriate action taken. If you do not wish to appeal the decision itself but do want to have your complaint investigated, you should put your complaint in writing and direct it to the state office of the TEC.

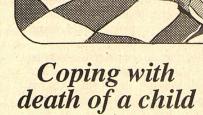
Too often people call in, dissatisfied with the treatment they have received from a state employee, and are unable to provide even the name of the offending party. The state is like any other employer. We must have a name; we must have specific information concerning the event participating the complaint; we must have it in writing. Otherwise, we cannot fairly investigate or take any corrective action.

DEAR COMMISSIONER NABERS: One of my employees is out on maternity leave and I have just hired someone to fill in until she returns. Will this temporary person be able to draw unemployment benefits when my permanent employee returns?

Ysleta, Tx.

DEAR E.N.: Yes. Assuming the temporary employee has enough wage credit in his base period to qualify monetarily, he will be eligible to receive benefits based upon this kind of work separation. An individual who is hired to do a temporary job is considered laid off for lack of work at the end of the assignment and therefore qualifed for benefits.

Ms. Nabers represents 336,000 employers throughout Texas. If you have any questions you want answered, please write Commissioner Nabers at: TEXAS BUSINESS TODAY, 614 Texas Employment Commission Building, 15th and Congress, Austin, Texas 78778.



WHEN YOUR ANCESTORS CAME T'THESE PARTS, THEY TRAVEL'D ON FOOT, SLEEPIN'

ON TH' GROUND AN' SCROUNGIN'

FOR ANY FOOD THEY

COULD FIND,,,

Grief is perhaps the most common emotion parents feel with the death of a child. According to one study, how parents function during that process is an indication of how well they eventually will adapt to their loss, according to the January issue of Texas Medicine.

That same study showed the test was not how long they grieved. In fact, bereaved parents may be preoccupied with their loss for a year or two--which is normal. One danger sign during this period is persistent depression, according to author Dr. Sue Chance, Willowbrook Hospital, Waxahachie.

Parents who avoid talking about their child or act as though nothing has happened are coping poorly, according to the official journal of the Texas Medical Association. "Those parents who possess a consistent philosophy/theology/ cosmology of life...seem to fare better. Most frequently this takes the form of religious belief," writes the author.

Dr. Chance also notes that anger is a normal part of bereavement and that "we need to be aware that health problems and martial difficulties are not uncommon to these parents."

The Texas Medical Association is a professional organization with more than 28,000 physicians and medical student members. It is based in Austin and has 116 component county medical societies around the state.

Work expenses deduction

Expenses such as dues paid to professional societies, employment agency fees, medical examinations required by an employer, subscriptions to professional journals, union dues, and certain work clothes and uniforms may be deducted as itemized tax deductions if they are work-related. These are generally claimed as miscellaneous deductions on Schedule A (Form 1040), which are deductible only to the extent the total exceeds two percent of adjusted gross income.

## J.P. Doodles retires from the Devil's River News-sorta

The "J.P. Doodles" editorial neighbor and you. He's post-WWII cartoon which has appeard in the Devil's River News for the past three years is undergoing some changes.

According to Barry McWilliams, the cartoon's creator, "J.P. Doodles' has appeared in newspapers all over North America since 1978. "And, quite frankly," McWilliams says, 'the ol' boy is plumb tuckered out from meeting those deadlines.

"When I first created the cartoon, I wanted to speak from that thirdgeneration viewpoint which is so rare in our lives these days. I drew Doodles like my uncle with his long whiskers, funky old hat, and call 'em as you see 'em manner."

McWilliams says he's been associated with Doodles so long that sometimes he'll speak to him off the drawing board "And lately he's been talking increasingly about spending less time cavorting around on the pages of the Devil's River News and more time fishing."

So J.P. Doodles has been put into semi-retirement and another

character created to fill his space. 'I call this new guy 'Random Stiles'," McWilliams say, " He's

just a common Joe. Another small

and pre-Vietnam. Growing up he listened to Marty Robbins and danced to Elvis. As a kid he dreamed of becoming a test pilot but never got closer to a jet than the one on his gas furnace. Though Random never finished college, he's very well-read in the classics--you know, Field and Stream, Time, Louis L'Amour and The Enquirer." Random loves to hunt and fish

DADDY, AREN'T

YOU GLAD PEOPLE

DON'T HAVE T'

IVE LIKE THAT

ANYMORE?

and spends much of his time trying to figure out how to do more of both. He's a family man "with a swell wife and a covey of kids ranging from high school to diapers." He calls himself a Democrat, but lately hasn't had a candidate he could vote for.

"And just like ol' Doodles," says McWilliams, "Random can be pretty outspoken and opinionated much of the time. But at heart, he's just a marshmallow."

Over the years McWilliams has supplied the Devil's River News with a great abundance of "J.P. Doodles" cartoons, many of which we've never printed, ol' Doodles will still be cropping up on our editorial page from to time. That's why McWillaims terms it semitown working stiff like your

message to that special someone

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with a minimum effective effort the downtown area of Dallas, it

Dear Editor: The Texas Alcohol and Beverage Commission has an approved fourhour Seller Training course for all sellers and servers of alcohol designed to teach: 1) How to identify minors and not sell them alcohol. 2) Identify drunk patrons and refuse or discontine to sell them alcohol. 3) Provide drunks an alternate ride

home or to jail. This course is voluntary but very few businesses are taking it, less than 50,000 sellers/ servers are certified out of an estimated 1,000,000.

The Seller Training course course needs to be made mandatory in the next session of the legislature for it to be effective.

Much has been made out of the liability, responsibility and who can sue whom. All that is beside the point.

What counts is the Seller

Training course is an excellent way to help keep intoxicated teenagers and other drunks off Texas

Making the Seller Training course mandatory for sellers and servers of alcohol is the rare opportunity for the Texas Legislature to protect the general public without forcing them to give up any right or freedom.

Certainly it is not too much to require the sellers and servers to take a brief four-hour course that will help save Texan's lives.

But it won't happen without your support. Our experience with individual legislators is that they are scared to death of the liquor industry.

Please inform your readers.

Sincerely, Phil Ward Director, USA Drive Safe Campaign

## Arbor day celebration takes root

the other, Americans of all ages celebrated Arbor day on January 20 by planting seedlings and young trees to leave a lasting legacy for generations of Americans they will never know.

Arbor Day originated in 1872 when J. Sterling Morton, an agriculturist and later secretary of agriculture under President Grover Cleveland, proposed to the Nebraska Board of Agriculture that a special day be set aside for the planting of trees.

At that time, less than three percent of Nebraska's land was covered with trees. The Board of Agriculture agreed to Morton's proposed and observed the first Arbor Day by planting more than a million trees.

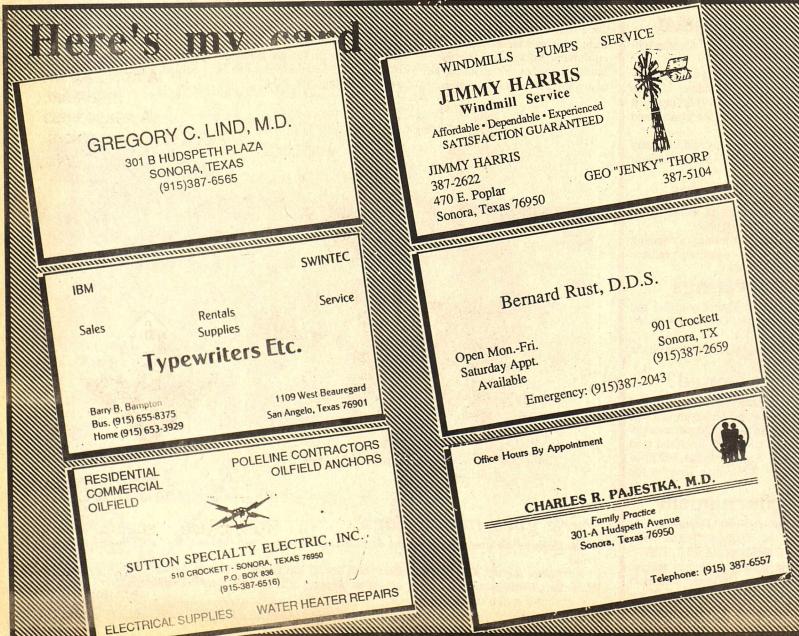
Here in Texas, Arbor Day was first officially observed in 1890, one year after the citizens of Temple led by W. Goodrich Jones, the founder of the Texas Forestry Association, drafted an Arbor Day resolution that was passed into law by the Texas legislature.

The 1989 Texas Arbor Day celebration commemorated the 100th anniversary of the effort by

From one end of the country to the citizens of Temple. The state ceremony in Fort Worth featured representatives from a variety of state agencies and private organizations, including the Texas Department of Agriculture, the Texas Association of Nurserymen, the Texas Association of Extension Home Economist, the Texas Forest Service and others that promote a better understanding of how to plan and care for trees and their many benefits to communities.

> As part of the event, Fort Worth Parks and Recreation Department contributed a tree to the city of Temple to commemorate the planting of the first Arbor Day tree in Texas a century ago. The original tree, which has lived out its life, was replaced in December. The planting ceremony was videotaped and was shown at the Fort Worth Arbor Day celebration.

In Texas, 13.6 percent of the total lands is in forestland, most of which is in East Texas. This amounts to an estimated 11.7 million acres, which is 18,583.1 square miles, an area larger than the states of Maryland and New Jersey combined.



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by Charlotte Gilmore, Co-ordinator

for the Outdoor Drama Group's Off- much. Season Dinner Theater held at the Sutton County Steakhouse.

They drew a capacity crowd and held it spellbound for two hours.

Those of you who have heard Cynthia tell a story know that she is one of Sonora's most talented storytellers. Her first-person review story of Mrs. Hattie A. Page, was particularly outstanding. You could have heard a pin drop as we re-lived, for fifty minutes, the life of this announcements. young pioneer woman.

Sherri Gomez (Mrs. Peter Gomez) of Midland and her sister, August 12. Karen Childress of Ozona, both accomplished vocalists, combined with the Group to put on the shows their talents to bring a program, both during and after dinner, of pop, country and Christian music which was enthusiastically received. If you need entertainment for a

telephone number. Sherri is the posters and signs, parking lot only non-professional entertainer attendants, and many, many more. I've ever heard who sings Streisand her during the summer.

Dinner Theater with three more to us hear from you.

People become well-to-do by

Americans have two chickens in

every pot, two cars in every garage,

and two headaches for every aspirin.

Is a psychiatrist called a "shrink"

It's all right for a speaker to have

Surveys have become so popular

One good thing about radio-it

If you sleep in a chair you've

Inflation is making the green

Revenge is the sword that

A breath of scandal makes

Some of our schools have gone

An ounce of keep your mouth

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If you can't crown yourself with

laurels, you can wreath your face

modern. The kids who used to clean

the erasers now dust the computers.

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handed to you without grounds.

Love

conversation breezy for some

nothing to lose, but a nap at the

wheel is often a permanent snooze.

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wounds the one who wields it.

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questions than answering them.

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doing what they do well.

wallet?

terminal.

people.

with smiles.

SUPERB!! is the only adjective I go before we begin the third know that adequately describes summer season of the Covered Saturday night's performances by wagon Dinner Theater at the Mrs. Cynthia Ward, Mrs. Sheri Caverns of Sonora. Your support of Gomez, and Mrs. Karen Childress. these Off-Season shows has been These ladies were the entertainment great and we appreciate you so

You might want to consider calling the Steakhouse now for reservations for the February 25th show. The Midland Community Theater Singers will be doing Broadway show tunes.

Plans for this summer's Covered Wagon Dinner Theater are of Love is a Wild Assault, the true underway. Several of the performers you loved so much last year will be back along with some new and exciting performers, so watch for

The first show will be June 16th and the season will run through

If anyone is interested in working this summer, please call me at 387-2757. It takes a lot of folks to run the shows for nine weeks--ticket sellers, table movers, stage hands, ushers, pony express riders, people show these girls are available for to help with publicity ahead of bookings, give me a call for their time, artistic people to make

This is one group you can belong like Streisand. She is terrific. to without paying dues. You can You'll get another chance to hear attend as many meetings as you want and you can do whatever job This was the third Off-Season is comfortable for you. Please let

A major difference in baseball

and football is that in football the

spectators, not the bases, get

The quietest sport of all must be

We'll be in trouble as long as we

Some complain that the stepping

A LIFT FOR THE WEEK

prologue to power, the preface to

purpose, and the pathway to

Center Mens

Friday, January 27-Turkey Ham,

Candied Yams, Green Beans, Hot

Rolls, Creamy Coleslaw, Peach

Monday, January 30-Meat Sauce

Cheese, Lasagna Noodles, Green

Beans, Garlic Toast, Vanilla

Pudding w/Fruit Cocktail &

Tuesday, January 31-Oven Fried

Chicken, Red Beans, Harvard Beets,

Corn Bread, Cabbage-Tomato-

Wednesday, February 1-Meat

Loaf w/Tomatoes, Macaroni &

Cheese, Okra Gumbo, Corn Bread,

Thursday, February 2-Pepper

Bread Pudding w/Raisin Sauce

Pepper Salad, Apple Cheese Crisp

Prayer is the prelude to peace, the

stones to success bruise their feet.

pay the best professors less than

the worst football coach.

perfection.

**Topping** 

bowling--you can hear a pin drop.

**Juips, and Lifts** 



## Bunkley receives check. . .

The Texas Tech Ex-Students Association annually provides scholarships to high school valedictorians and salutatorians who enroll as freshman students at Texas Tech. Heather Bunkley, valedictorian of Sonora High School, receives her scholarship check from Dr. Bill Dean, executive director of the Ex-Students Association. Heather is majoring in food technology and is a member of Collegiate 4-H, National Agri-Marketing Association, Food Technology Club, Ag Council, and intramural athletics.

Heather is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Garza.

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by Micki Miller, CEA-HE

## Lowfat choices in fast food

People trying to eat a low-fat diet often run into trouble when eating at fast food restaurants. But these restaurants--all 55,000 of them--are

here to stay. The U.S. Department of Agriculture says that half or the money spent on restaurant food goes for fast food-about \$200 a year per person. This amounts to around \$50 billion a year for the nation. Put another way, over 45 million people, a fifth of our population, patronize a fast food restaurant on a

typical day. Studies also show that the number of fast food eaters will increase as more women join the work force giving them more money (but less time) to eat out. They also take along other major consumers of fast food: their

children. Yet according to some experts, children may be susceptible to hardening of the arteries beginning at two years of age and shouldn't make a steady diet of typical fast

What can we do to protect ourselves from excessive amounts of fat and still enjoy the convenience, variety, speed, and flavor of fast foods? Here are some suggestions:

\*If ordering pizza, avoid processed meat, which usually have a high fat content. Instead, choose mushrooms, peppers and onions, and skip the extra cheese.

\*When the menu is limited, choose small portions, such as a single hamburger and a small cone. Avoid anything that smacks of bigness, such as "super" and "extra".

rapid inroads. They have almost twice the calories and about five times the fat as two slices of whole wheat bread. Instead, order a plain English muffin and fruit juice.

\*If baked potatoes are on the menu, choose them instead of French fries, but leave off the sour cream, butter, cheese, and other

high-fat toppings. \*Fill up at salad bars, but skip the bacon bits, potato salad, and creamy dressings. Concentrate on the vegetables and watch the amount of dressing you use. Look for low calorie dressings, or if not available, choose vinegar and oil, using very little oil.

\*If you must order deep-fried foods, take off the breading or other coatings, difficult though that may



Boutonnieres

Gift Items

## May nuptials planned Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Benson of Bachelor of Science in Animal Sonora are pleased to announce the Science with Range Management

engagment of their daughter, Nancy Jo to Gary J. Law of Lubbock. Law is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Law of Groveland, Florida.

The couple plans a May 6 wedding in the First Baptist Church

The future bride graduated Sonora High School in 1984 and received a

Option. She is employed as a Soil Conservation Technician with the Soil Conservation Service.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1984 graduate of Texas Tech and is employed as an Engineer Assistant with the Texas Department of Highways and Public Trans-

by Anne Karnes May

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This 'n That: Visiting Lena Belle Ross has been her daughter, Betsey Builta, Austin, and her grandson, James Ross Builta who is a student at ASU. John and Ruth Lee Eaton have had as guests their daughter and family, Nancy Groom, Diana Terrell and Haley from Fort Worth.

A recent visitor of Carole and Steve Thorp, Jericho, Casey and Claire was Carole's mother, Lynn Womac from Houston. Charlotte Wilson has been in Round Rock and Austin visiting relatives. Marcia and Nathan Rioux, and Liz Hemphill have returned from visiting Liz' daughter and family, Karen and David Rooker, Matthew, Lauren and David in Dallas.

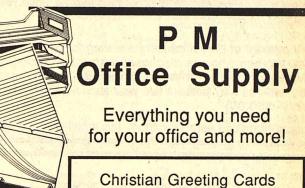
The Sonora-Ozona Sewing Club met Tuesday, January 17 at the home of Lucille Coleman.

Attending from Sonora were Vicki Shannon, Leona Bishop, Sue Smith, Freida Cooper, Annabell Wuest, Barbara Savell, and Sadie Archer. Bennie Gail Hunnicut, Luetta Kost and Mary Friend attended from Ozona.

Celeste Prugel was hostess to the Tuesday Night Bridge Club January 17. Members present were Allie Askew, Vivian Crites, Jo Nell Adkins, Pat Merrill, Doris Rousselot, Leona Bishop, Lena Belle Ross, Lura Sawyer, and Marti McLain.

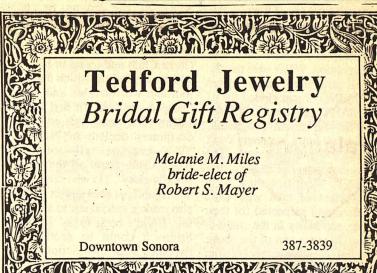
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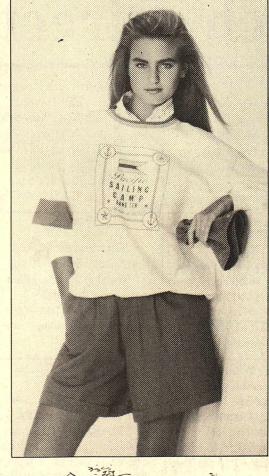
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by J. Michael Fish

## The Poet goes to War

Anxious fears, apprehensions, and dreams; my imagination staved off sleep as we crossed the International Date Line, over the northern Pacific. Lights of Russian cities below could be seen out of the right side of the aircraft, but no one seemed

I was unusually quiet throughout the flight as everyone was engrossed in their own thought. With a hundred and sixty-five of us on our way to war, it was understandable.

I had such visions of myself as the "modern-day warrior"; young, virile, patriotic and strong in my faith. "The most complex enciphered information didn't stand a chance against my newly acquired skills in radio operation. "Charley" should be "digging in and packing a lunch" because I qualified as an expert with my grenade launcher and M-16 and was ready to do battle," or so I thought.

"But what if I'm killed?" The thought occurred within fifteen minutes of take-off at San Francisco, "as the sky grew heavy with darkness in the east and the west still knew the light of day..." And now; crossing thedate line, we

day.

To the poet it was symbolic of night fall on the days of childhood and the dawn of the day of maturity. True to form, I spent in poetic contemplation.

were thrust twenty-four hours ahead, into the next

When orders came for Viet Nam And all the names were read, They may as well have dropped a bomb Or shot us there instead. A wave of silence dash our youth Against the rocks of war; An in its wake, the naked truth, We're little boys no more. The time had come to put aside Those games of yesterday, To give our step a longer stride, To grow another way.

While eastern skie grew dark with night, The West knew light of day,

Our plane began this fated flight And took us all away. Though words are scarce among the men Our apprehensions rage, With mental battles held within Of war we've yet to wage. Some few have been to fight before But most of us have not, Have never dealt with death and war Or fears of being shot.

I wish I knew what to expect, To feel or understand; Or just that tension's ill effect Was quick to take command. Now wounds and cries are held inside Emotions are not spared. It seems to me unjustified A war fought undeclared; Why sixty-thousand men must die, Why kids are forced to kill, Why all the world is asking, "Why?" And answers fail us still.

The windows fog with moistened breath In our descent to land. We feel quite sure a brush with death Is very close at hand. The wheels touch down on solid ground And Siagon comes in view. There's people moving all around! Has something gone askew! I thought I'd see some rockets fly, At least, a single bomb: Not just the sign that stands near-by, "You're now in Viet Nam!" "Going to War" by J. Michael Fish, July 1971.

My fears and apprehensions went unfounded, as well my dreams of being a warrior for the Vietnamese people, in the name of our country. For on the trip from Siagon to Long Bian, people shouted and made obsenities at us, and let us know we were not

Lula Alexander

Lula Mae Alexander, 80, of in Eldorado, where she lived until

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## A Word from the wise

Charles Huffman, Pastor Hope Lutheran Church

"Where is the Child who was born King of the Jews? We saw His star rise and have come to worship Him". (Read Matthew 2:1-12)

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The story of the Wise Men stirs our imagination. WHO were they? WHERE did they come from? WHAT KIND of star guided them? HOW MANY were there? Although some Old Testament prophecies give us a few hints, we really don't know much about their story. The fact that they were "Wise Men from the EAST" identifies them as a see His glory". He who created and you people of the 20th century have and purpose in a new life, and a new priestly class of men who were named and put each star in its place much more to go on than we did. hope of a better life to come'. are the only words ever recorded of the Wise Men. But what if God in Numbers 24: "I behold Him who have those Scriptures and the story. By God's grace may we ALL somehow allowed them to travel be a WORD FROM THE WISE?

Their first word would be SEEK

HIM. They might say to us: "It the capital city of the people of from sin and death, born to give WHERE we came from, WHAT is because we came seeking the followed a star and your own miles away'! Scriptures declare in Psalm 97: "The heavens tell about his

really doesn't matter WHO we are, Jacob-whose name God changed to eternal life to all who believe on KIND of star led us, or HOW about this newborn King. Our quest his own testimony, who tells you MANY of us there are. The only caused quite a stir, and king Herod in John 8:" I am the Light of the reason our story's in your Scriptures was troubled by the threat of a new world. Follow Me, and you'll never king. So he called in the religious wander in the dark but will have the Christ Child and found in Him that leaders for Bible study, in order to Light of Life". So we urge you to which satisfied us, which made our find out where the promised Christ follow the light you have and let journey worthwhile, and which was to be born. And they found that the Word be your guide- so that the changed our lives. To find Him we it was in Bethlehem, only five under the gracious influence of

recognized and respected for their also made a special star to announce You have the wondrous light of learning, especially in the study of this Child's birth to us- a star so God's Word to lead you to Christ, FROM THE WISE, as these the stars. In verse two of the above bright it could be seen in the and not only the Scriptures that mysterious strangers from a distant daytime! Your own Scriptures say were at Jerusalem in our day. You place and time have told us their will come later. A Star will come testimony of His disciples-all in continue to seek and worship Him across the distance of time and space out of Jacob, a Sceptor will rise one book called the Bible. Its whom the WISE MEN found in to appear before us today? What from Israel". So we left our lands testimony declares Him to be the Bethlehem, and guided by the light would they say to us? What would and began to follow this star which Son of God and Savior of the world, of His Word be at last led into His announced the birth of this King. born of woman to share our glorious presence in that eternal But when we arrived in Jerusalem, humanity, born to save mankind Bethlehem!

Israel- no one there knew anything Him.. And in that Word you have God's Spirit you will also see the glory of Jesus Christ and find in So the Wise Men might add: 'We Him what we found-relief from the righteousness, and all the peoples followed a star in our search, but burden of sin and guilt, a new joy

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Hobbs, N.M. died there Saturday,

Services were held at 1:30 p.m.

Tuesday at First Methodist Church

of Eldorado. Burial followed in

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She was born February 5, 1909,

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Archives Masonic Lodge No. 1399 A.F. & A.M.; Arabia Tempe and Past Director of San Jacinto State Bank, Pasadena. He is survived by his wife,

Mildred Gist Trainer, Pasadena; son D.C. Trainer Sr., Pasadena; he was preceded in death by his wife of 54 vears Myrtle Pelot Trainer and son Fred Trainer, Jr.; step-sons and wives, Grant and Letha Gist, Houston; Guy and Janice Gist, Fremont, California; brothers and

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1983 when she moved to Hobbs.

Survivors include one son, James

Alexander of Sonora; one daughter,

Mary Lou Thompson of Hobbs;

seven grandchildren and ten great-

She was a homemaker.

grandchildren.

grandchildren. Pallbearers were Varreece Berry, Allen Laster, Al Stripling, Louis McGrede, Robert Brown, and Dr. George Alexander.

Honorary pallbearers were William Brizendine, Bill Berry, Henry Cole, and George Knight.

Funeral services were held at 12:00 noon Thursday at Pasadena 🙌 Funeral Chapel with Rev. Ernest Weedon First Baptist Church of Deer Park officiating. Graveside service under the auspices of Pasadena Archives Masonic Lodge No. 1399. Interment Grandview Memorial Park.

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## Almost entire second grade marks perfect attendance

Students in Sonora Primary to be Mark Cooper, Charlie Gill, Juan recognized for perfect attendance during the first semester of the 1988-89 school year are:

Crawford, Amy King, and Shawn

Cindy Jones, Aubrey Nelson, and Alan Nicholas.

Second grade: Cathy Aguero, Ashley Brockman, Kimberly Bustamente, Misty Castilleja, Ruben Castilleja, Demetrio Castro, Elizabeth Chavez, Sarah Cook, students for a job well done!

Gloria, Kristen Hardgrave, Marisha Henson, Jacob Hunt, Cassie Jackson, Kelan Johnson, Zac Pre-K: Lois Brown, Jaclyn Kerbow, Kristi Key, Larry Luckie, Roy Luna, Higinio Marines, Erin Marrs, Edward Maskill, Daniel First grade: Rebeca Flores, Ozuna, Crystal Ponsetti, Jacob Bianca Gamboa, Maria Hernandez, Prentiss, Guadalupe Ramon, Anthony Renfro, Jerry Thurman, Sandy Trevino, John Vick, Jay Wagner, Rebecca Whitaker, Bryden Armando Badillo, Kristi Bailey, Wilkinson, and Emma Yanez. Only Scarlett Blair, Clint Bowers, two students in the entire second grade have been absent during the first semester.

Congratulations to all these

News from Sonora High School by Cynthia Kepler

The new semester at Sonora High seem to have gotten off without a hitch! Everyone is back into the swing of things after having that mid-week break last Wednesday. This past week our basketball teams started their District games and we crowned a Lion's Club Queen--Where else but Sonora High!

First off, I would like to congratulate all those members of the Sonora 4-H club who participated in the annual Stock Show two weekends ago. Sonora High had nineteen participants who won ribbons! Taking care of these animals requires a lot of time and patience, so you are all to be commended!

The local Lion's Club crowned its new Queen Monday night. Thirteen Sonora High girls vied for the honor; these girls were all juniors and seniors who were selected by their classmates. Second runner up was junior Christi Spain, first runner up was senior Kim Cooke, and the new Lion's Club Queen is senior Norma Sosa. Congratulations to the new queen and her court!

Also involved in the Lion's Banquet Monday night was the Sonora High pop choir. They are a special group selected from the Sonora High Choir. They perform at functions such as the banquet and have been working hard all year on extra music. Way to go to these super choir members!

Sonora finally started in on its District basketball games Friday night. Both varsity teams met Brady in Sonora. Results from those games are: Sonora Girls-64, Brady Girls-40. Christie Adkins was high scorer once again with 23. In the boys game, Sonora Boys fell to the Brady Boys 35-68. High scorer in the game was Michael Harris with sixteen points. The varsity teams also played Iraan in their last non-district game Tuesday night. Results are: Sonora Girls-41, Iraan Girls-40; Sonora Boys-57; Iraan Boys-74. High scorers for the games were Christie Adkins with sixteen points and Brad Morgan with thirteen points. The Lady Broncos and now 1-0 in District and the Broncos are 0-1 in District. I was pleased to see how many people came out to the game last Friday night, but I'd still like to see a few more people come on out and support these athletic teams that represent the school so well! One more basketball note-the Sonora JV girls are driving for a near perfect season-they won the Eldorado JV tournament this past weekend. JV'ers-I need your help! If one or more of you could write down scorers and bring them to me, it would be greatly appreciated--please don't feel I'm ignoring you--your score books are hard to find!

The famous (or infamous)? U.I.L. speech meets are starting once again! For students, this means hours of hard work on everything from math to science to writing, spelling, and poetry and prose interpretation! They also

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mean getting up and to the school to catch a bus at anywhere from 3 to 5 in the morning! This weekend, several Sonora High students from the math and science team will travel to Andrews to compete in a math and science tournament--good luck everyone! Also coming up soon is the annual Sonora High Speech Meet. This is on one of the oldest meets in Texas--and one of the only ones that is a two day event. Directors will be searching for people to judge in the next few weeks, so when someone calls, please say yes! Getting enough judges sometimes proves difficult. And judging doesn't have to take all day--it can be as little as 2 hours

Senior excitement is building X once again! In the fall, they ordered X their graduation announcements and last Friday, they had a class X meeting to order caps and gowns! X I've never seen such excitement in X the class before! But, a reminder-several due dates and application X deadlines are arriving quickly. Keep X on top for your dates. Mrs. Fields X has the current financial Aid packets X in her office for those who are planning on applying for financial aid! I've been hearing some good X response to the activities of the X students of Sonora High. We've got a really good student body this year, and we're proud of it. So remember--keep up the great work!

sometimes!

## Loan cancellations X

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by Vicki Downing

#### 7th and 8th grade Boys

On Monday night, January 18, the 7th grade boys played in Eldorado against the Eagles. The highpointers of the game were as follows: Danny Gomez with nine points, John Lopez with five points, and Jamie Espinosa with five points. The Eagle boys beat the Sonora boys 33-29. Their next game was held in Ozona on Monday, January 23.

On Monday night, January 18, the 8th grade boys played in Eldorado against the Eagles. The highpointers of the game were as follows: Joe Buitron with four points, Adam Mirike with three points and Brian Faris with three points. Sonora lost to Eldorado 18 to 28. Their next game was held in Ozona, Monday, Janaury 23.

#### 7th and 8th grade Girls

The 7th grade girls basketball team played Eldorado, here, Monday, January 16, at 5:00 p.m. The highpointers were as follows: Elida Gandar with six points, Laura Hearn with two points, Jenny Ponce with two points, Felicia Sentena with two points, and Alma Sanchez with one point. The Sonora girls lost to Eldorado 13 to 17. The 7th grade girls next game was against Ozona on Monday, January 23.

The 8th grade girls basketball team played Eldorado here, Monday, January 16, at 6:00 p.m.

The highpointers were as follows: Jessica Ortiz with four points, Rana Bridges with two points, Whitney Condra with two points, Lorna Olenick with two points, and Stefany Roberts with two points. Sonora lost to Eldorado 15-12. Their next game was against Ozona, here.



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All instructor candidates must complete a 60-hour Instructor Preparation Course which is certified by the Motorcyle Safety Foundation. The course is usually given over three consecutive weekends, and will be offered in several selected locations throughout the state in 1989.

For more information or to receive an application, please contact Jim White at the DPS Motorcycle Training Office, P.O. Box 4087, Austin, Texas, 78773; or call toll-free 1-800-CYCLSTS (292-5787.)

## Junction stockyard report

Four hundred twenty-nine head of cattle were sold Friday, January 13, 1989. Heavy calves and yearlings steady to stronger. Light calves 1-2 higher. Packer cow 1-2 higher. Stocker cows steady.

Choice light steer calves

Choice light steer caives	93-12/#
Choice medium steer calves	88-108#
Choice heavy steer calves	80-97#
Medium quality steer calves	80-90#
Choice steer yearlings	78-88#
Mixed steer & bull calves	ALSO COMPANY TO S
& yearlings	75-84#
Choice light heifer calves	84-106#
Choice medium heifer calves	82-93#
Choice heavy heifer calves	80-88#
Medium quality heifer calves	77-85#
Choice heifer yearlings	76-83#
Mixed heifer calves & yearlings	74-80#
Commercial & utility cows	45-54#
Canners & cutters	41-46#
Heiferettes & young feeders	55-80#
Low yielding canners	35-42#
Bulls	55-62#
Stocker cows	\$450\$625./Hd
Stocker pairs	\$500\$650./Pr
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Two- goats and sheep sold Monday, January 16, 1989. Lambs \$2.-\$4. higher. Weighting ewes and buck steady to \$2. higher. Angora nannies \$1.-\$2. higher. Weighting angora \$1.-\$2. higher. Spanish

Choice spring lambs	78-88#
Heavy lambs	65-73#
Fat ewes	38-47#
Thin ewes	25-35#
Bucks	32-45#
Stocker solid mouth ewes	\$40\$55./Hd
Cheater mouth ewes	\$37\$42./Hd
Choice young angoras	\$40\$53./Hd
Medium angoras	\$37-\$43./Hd
Choice aged nannies	\$45\$53./Hd
Choice aged muttons	\$45\$50./Hd
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Big fat spanish nannies	\$45\$64./Hd
Stocker nannies	\$35,-\$40./Hd
Fat kids	\$33\$47./Hd
Fat yearlings	\$42\$53./Hd
Small kids	\$24\$35/Hd

## San Angelo Stock Show and Rodeo coming soon

The San Angelo Stock Show and Rodeo will be held March 8-12, 1989. For the past twenty-seven years the Creative Arts Department has been a part of the Stock Show and Rodeo.

We will have nine divisions and they are 1. Clothing, 2. Foods, 3. Hobbies & Crafts, 4. Needlework, 5. Flower Arrangements, 6. Art, 7. Handpainted China, 8. Ceramics & Plaster Art, 9. Photography.

Our Special Contests are 1. Pies & Cakes, 2. "For Men Only". There is a \$1.00 entry fee per entry for the Special Contests.

There is not an entry fee (except in the Special Contest) and entries are open to men, women and children. The deadline for entries is Saturday, February 4, 1989. Entry forms will be accepted at the Stock Show office and the Community Booth at Sunset Mall on Saturday, February 4th from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

For more information contact the San Angelo Stock Show and Rodeo Office 200 West 43rd, San Angelo, Texas 76903.

## **COWBOY ASTROLOGY**



By Mary Ellen Doty

ARIES (March 21-April 19) If you bite that old tongue any longer yure gonna end up without one. Spit it out, pard. An Aries who don't say his mind is about as attractive s a Mexican

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) There's just nobody as kind to his folks as you good old boys. But, it's been awhile, ain't it? Saddle up yer night horse for a trek back home. They'll take to you like a kitten to a warm brick.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You been workin' and thinkin' so much you got yourself sorta sick with it. Tell that old ramrod you've allowed yur goin' t' town. Paint your tonsels with some of that snake water and watch those girls get pretty!

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Now, when you old Cancer cowboys don't eat right, (and I'm talkin' about the last 6 months) it hits you hard and your old guts commence to roll. You can live on hog side until you starve to death! Try some greens 'n' sourdoughs.

LEO (July 23-August 22) Ya know, there are those "relationships" in town where the girls get t' lookn' prettier with every drink. And then there's the true kind - the kind you have been ignorin'! She's about to catch the next stage to Dodge, so run, don't walk, to her door with posies.

VIRGO (Aug 23-Sept 22) Now, if you were really worried about collectin' things like an old woman, you wouldn't be a cowboy, would ya? So why have

ya been grittin' yer teeth like you could eat the sights off a six-gun over property and money. Give it away and get back your true

LIBRA (Sept 23-Oct 22) Some kinda fear has been buggin' you like a burr under yer saddle for 3 months. Why, it ain't like you're headin' for the bone orchard or nothin'. Your

best gal helps if you tell her. SCORPIO (Oct 23-Nov 21) Now, old Scorpio kinda likes t' keep his business hidden. No chance this week, pal. What you have and haven't got done is prominent as a boil on a pug nose. It's there for you to see, too, so if ya don't like what you see, change it.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov 22-Dec 21) You've been careless as a cow walkin' through standin' grass about who you choose for freinds lately. Try being round em with no lingle in your pants for a week. Those left next week at this time are keepers!

CAPRICORN (Dec 22-Jan 19) We all know that you old goats have a business nose that could track bees in a blizzard. But this week your brain is off its mental reservation. Don't make any decisions now.

AQUARIUS (Jan 20-Feb 18) You can always tell an Aquarius, but ya can't tell him much bout' dressing hisself! He's likely the one with holy Wranglers and boots so frazzled he couldn't strike a match on 'em without burnin' his feet. Your image, your image, Aquarius! Some gal is watchin' n waitin'

for you to show up spiffyl
PISCES (Feb 19-March 20) Normally Pisces takes to flnancin' and a budget like a hog to a side-saddle. But this week if you tackle these things like a man ya won't feel their bloody pull all year long. A good old Taurus boy helps out.

For private readings on tape or by phone contact: COWBOY ASTROLOGY Rte 1, Box 4781 Luther, MT 59051 (406) 445-1252 01989

## ICA reports membership up

Independent Cattlemen's Association President Bob Nunley says "Thank you" to all who have reponded to his request to check the mailing label on their newsletter. He is once again asking that each member check their mailing label for any correction that may need to be made in an effort to up-date the ICA directory.

Mr. Charles Carter has joined the State ICA office as liason to the 71st Legislative Session. He will be better able to serve you if you keep him informed on what most concerns you. To quote Joe Dial of the Agriculture Technical Advisory Committee, "If we hope to survive as an industry, we better get involved in the political process!" Mr. Dial was speaker at the December 1988 meeting of the ICA Board of Directors.

and installed in the State office which means that all records can be made available in seconds.

A computer has been purchased

Nunley is pleased to announce that current membership to the ICA has increased.

State Directors Adele Wilson and Ruth Espy both attended the January meeting in Austin and are pleased programs are moving ahead to provide benefits to all.

## Sutton among those projected in growth pattern for 2025

Travis, Cameron and Jefferson but

by 2025 the ranking would be

Harris, Dallas, Bexar, Tarrant, El

Paso, Hidalgo, Travis, Fort Bend,

growth has slowed dramatically in recent years, renewed and continued growth is projected to characterize the future of Texas' population according to projections released by the Texas Department of Commerce.

These projections, prepared for the Texas State Data Center by Dr. Steve H. Murdock of the Department of Rural Sociology at Texas A&M University, project the state's population to increase from 16.7 million in 1986, to 23.7 or 29.6 or 36.9 million by the year 2025, depending on which of three alternative levels of net migration characterize the state's future population patterns.

Of these three alternative projection scenarios, the middle projection, which forecasts a state population of 20.7 million by the year 2000 and 29.6 million by the year 2025, is considered most likely. Accordingly, the state's population would increase by about 1.5 percent, compounded, per year through 2025, a rate more than double the 0.6 percent annual increase projected under the most likely scenario of growth for the comprise just 23.3 percent of the U.S. as a whole.

Under the middle range projection, sixty-eight of the state's 254 counties would at least double their population by 2025 and another 111 would increase their populations by more than fifty percent. Some changes in the ranks of the ten largest counties in Texas are projected to occur between 1986

In 1986, the ten most populous

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Collin and Cameron. In percentage terms, the counties projected to grow the fastest are Maverick, Fort Bend, Montgomery, Starr, Collin, Hemphill, Williamson, Rockwall, Sutton and Somervell. The slowest growing counties are largely rural counties

and located in the Panhandle region

of the state.

Of the total growth between the years 1986 and 2025, more than fifty-three percent of the growth would be an increase in Hispanic population while only thirty-three percent would result from growth in the Anglo population.

Another significant demographic change anticipated for Texas is that its population will likely be older in the future. In 1986, 29.1 percent of the total population was under 18, and only one in ten residents was over the age of 65. The middle range projections indicate that by 2025, those under 18 would population, while the proportion 65 years of age and older would rise to one in five.

The State Data Center projections have been prepared using the best data available, state-of-the-art methods of population projection and the best informed judgement about the likely future patterns of Texas population growth. As with any set of projections, however, there is an element of speculation counties were Harris, Dallas, Bexar, invloved and actual future

Although Texas' population Tarrant, El Paso, Hidalgo, Nucces, populations may differ from those

projected. A summary report is available from the Texas Department of Commerce for a cost of \$10 and may be ordered by calling (512)320-

## **Drought and Taxes**

**Drought Sales** 

Farmers can postpone for one year reporting the proceeds from a sale of livestock due to drought. However, the taxpayer must meet the following conditions for the one year deferral to ap-

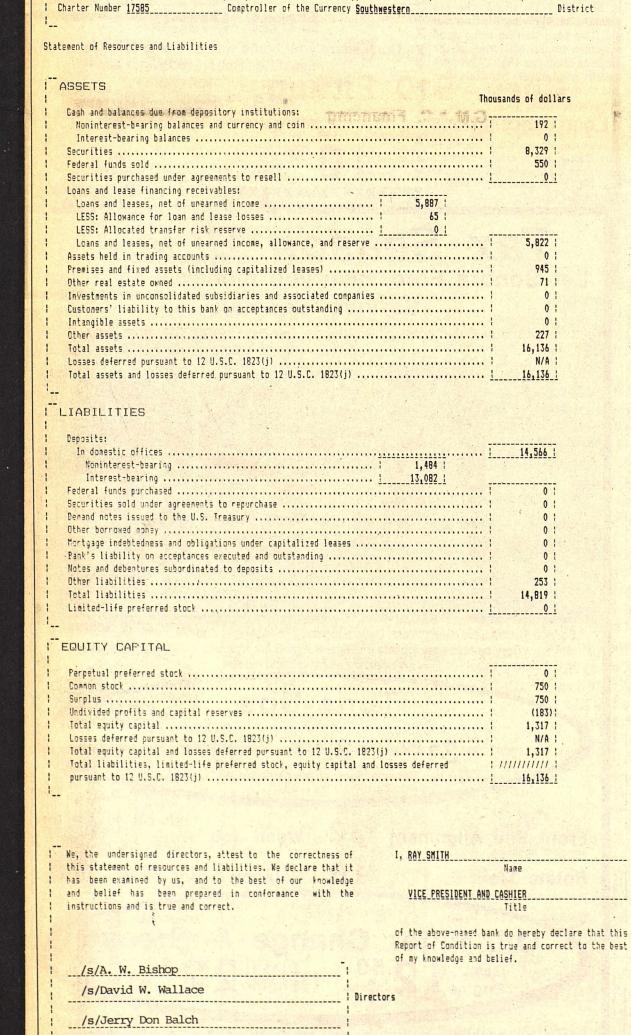
• the principal business is farming, • the cash method of accounting is

used. • the sale of the livestock under usual

business practice would not have occurred this year except for the drought and,

• the President of the United States declared the area a disaster area due to the drought.





"Of all the talents bestowed upon man, none is so precious as the gift of oratory."

Were Winston Churchill here in January 1989, he might think about reconsidering that statement.

This month is one of Washington's wordiest. Between farewell and inaugural speeches, we have heard so much oratory that we begin to wonder if it is more a chore than a gift when we listen to it.

As words per week increase, the value of oratory seems to decline. We can only take so much political rhetoric.

The legislative year has opened with another inaugural speech, but are we still listening? If so, what do we hear?

How we listen and what we hear largely determines the image we have of our government and our nation.

Tiresome though it may be, much of what we hear during ceremonial speeches is important. This is the time when those in the highest positions of public service do their best to tell us why they have chosen

Applications for emergency farm

loans for losses caused by natural

disaster due to damages and losses

caused by drought conditions which

occurred January 1 through August

31, 1988 and continuing, are being

accepted at the Farmers Home

Administration (FmHA) office

located in the Eden ASCS Building,

FmHA County Supervisor Ben T.

counties in Texas recently named

by Secretary of Agriculture Richard

E. Lyng as eligible for loans to

cover part of actual production

eligible for loans of up to 80

percent of their acutal losses or the

operating loan needed to continue in

business or \$500,000, whichever is

less. For farmers unable to obtain

credit from private commercial

lenders, the interest rate is 4.5

"As a general rule, a farmer must

have suffered at least 30 per cent

season," Rucker said.

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is authorized to provide disaster runways.

Rucker said farmers may be

losses resulting from the drought.

Sutton County is one of fifty

Rucker, Jr., said.

**Emergency farm loan** 

applications being accepted



## Washington **Update**

By Congressman Lamar Smith

to do what they do.

Listen to what our public servants saythis time of the year. Try to discover how they feel about their job and their country. Look behind the speech to what motivates the public-spiritedness.

The challenge comes in trying to find values and principles behind this torrent of language.

Some words we can do without, while some words are worth hearing. Consider the following:

Outgoing Secretary of State George Schultz said in a farewell speech, "Within an office, or department, or any organization, putting trust in people will produce

emergency loans to recognized

farmers who work at and rely on

farming for a substantial part of

their living. Eligibility is extended

to individual farmers who are U.S.

citizens and to farming partner-

ships, corporations or cooperatives

in which U.S. citizens hold a

open from 8 a.m. to 12 noon and 1

p.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through

Friday. The mailing address is P.O.

Box H, Eden, Tx. 76837, and the

Office period for Sutton County

is the Thursday morning following

the second Wednesday of each

month from 10 a.m. to 12 noon

and is located in the Sutton County

ASCS office, 216 East Main

Street, Sonora, Tx. The next office

period is scheduled for Thursday

morning, February 9th, 10 a.m. to

Nesting with big birds: When

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telephone (915) 869-3941.

The FmHA office in Eden is

majority of interest.

12 noon.

loss of production to be eligible for snowy owls fly south for the

an FmHA emergency loan," Rucker winter, they head for places that

said. Farmers participating in the remind them of the empty open

PIK or Federal Crop Insurance tundra back home. Apparently, a

programs will have to figure in big-city airport fills the bill,

proceeds from those programs in because more snowy owls determining their loss.

because more snowy owls congregate at Boston's Logan

emergency designation will be Massachusetts. According to

accepted until September 11, 1989 International Wildlife magazine

but farmers should apply as soon as more than 100 of the birds have

"Applications for loans under this airport than any other spot in

trustworthy people."

One of my favorite quotes is Lincoln's: "The only way to make a man trustworthy is to trust him."

Here, simply put, is the basis for democracy. It can only work if we entrust it to its rightful owner-the people.

In his farewell address to the nation, Ronald Reagan acknowledged his nickname "the great communicator" saying, "I never thought it was my style or the words I used that made a difference: it was the content. I communicated great things...they came from the heart of a great nation..."

President Reagan, too, knew way.

that the source of democracy is the people.

We, as those people, have a responsibility to listen to these leaders and draw our own conclusions from what we hear.

Because communication is a two-way street, we must also respond, question and criticize. In this way we can be assured that the opinions and images we form are truly our own.

Novelist Leo Tolstoy once noted that "There is no greatness where simplicity, goodness and truth are

Tolstoy's standards are high, but we should demand no less from the mouths of our public servants.

I invite you to listen in on the leaders this year, keeping those standards in mind.

When simplicity, goodness and truth are present, we may feel free to accept the "gift of oratory" being bestowed upon us.

When they are absent, we may feel just as free to turn the other

has hit the lowest level ever recorded, with 23 percent of adults smoking in 1987, according to a survey done by the Texas Department of Health (TDH).

The last year's sampling of more than 1,100 adults, TDH found a reduction in the percentage of adults who smoke, compared with a 1984 state survey in which, 27 percent of adults smoked. Smoking rates in Texas now are below the National level of 26.5 percent, according to a survey conducted by the Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta in 1986.

Commissioner of Health, credits the decline in the overall smoking rate to a smaller proportion of male smokers. The 1987 survey showed that 23 percent of adult men smoke, compared with 31 percent in 1984. Smoking levels for women

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number of past due charts would have admitting privileges suspended.

While the situation has improved over the past several months, charts are still not on a current basis.

In other business, Board President Harold McEwen informed the Board that a committee of Department heads and himself had gone to Austin and met with a representative of the Texas County and District Retirement System possible. Delays in applying could been identified and tagged since the with the representaive explaining

create backlogs in processing and early 1980's. The airport grounds possibly over into the new farming offer the birds an ample diet of An acknowledgment and rodents and small birds and the resolution was passed by the Board FmHA is a credit agency of the owls provide a valuable service by and returned to Austin to await U.S. Department of Agriculture. It keeping flocks of birds off the acceptance by the retirement

Smoking rates decline among adults The Texas cigarette smoking rate remained unchanged, with 23

Dr. Robert Bernstein, Texas

percent smoking in both the 1984 and 1987 surveys. "This marks the first time that

smoking rates for women are the same as those for men. It's not surprising when you consider that the decrease in smoking rates has been three times greater for men than for women during the last 20 years. If this trend continues, there will be fewer male smokers than female smokers in the near future," Bernstein added.

The data on smoking behavior was collected as part of TDH's statewide Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, initiated in 1987. This system collects monthly data on health risk behaviors. Its reports help TDH to assess with greater accuracy the changes in the lifestyles of Texans.

## **Hundreds of veterans locate** war time buddies

Thousands of people have been Forces, both veterans and retired. helped by the information in a recently published book. Among those benefiting from this information are hundreds of Viet-Nam War veterans looking for former comrades, lawyers looking for heirs to estates, people looking for missing relatives, alumni associations looking for former students and businesses seeking people who are delinquent on their bills.

This book "HOW TO LOCATE ANYONE WHO IS OR HAS BEEN IN THE MILITARY" gives exact instructions on how to find anyone who is a current member of the Amry, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force, Coast Guard, their Reserve Components or the National Guard. It also spells out how to locate former members of all these components of the Armed

The book includes a section on how to find out about military unit reunions and a directory of all major veteran and military organizations in the United Stated and how to contact them; as they can be extremely helpful in locating former members of the Armed Forces.

Lt. Col. Richard S. Johnson, the author, has over 27 years experiencein the U.S. Army and is an expert in locating military personnel.

The book is available to the general public by mail for \$9.95 plus \$1.05 postage and handling (Texas resident add 74 cents sales tax) check or money order from Military Information Enterprises, Box 340081 Fort Sam Houston, Texas 78234.

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## WTU to recover costs

announced permission to recover the cost of a replacement fuel contract at its Rio Pecos Power Station. The station near McCamey Texas is one of nine power stations operated by the utility. The plant has been burning the higher-priced replacement gas since late December.

"A residential customer using 1000 kilowatt hours of electricity a month will see his average bill go from \$78.42 to \$82.77," WTU local manager Earl Johnson said. The actual increase in a customer's bill will vary depending on usage level, the customer group and time has lowered its fuel factor five of year.

summer and winter rates as directed by the Public Utility Commission of Texas. The PUCT regulates utility rates in Texas, and it was

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West Texas Utilities Co. this state agency which authorized today's actions.

Although the average cost of fuel on the company's many fuel contracts has not changed significantly, the replacement costs on this pre-oil embargo gas contract were nine times higher than the old price. The old contract at 22 cents per million BTUs had saved customers \$350 million over its 20-year life.

'We would like to have kept those prices and not changed any of our fuel costs to customers, but the contract expired." Johnson said. The local manager added that WTU times since 1985, and had six The company has different refunds totaling almost \$50 million as the result of other contract changes.

Fuel is burned at power stations to produce electricity. It makes up approximately 36 percent of the cost of electricity. They are passed through directly to the customer, Johnson said, with the utility making no profit on fuel costs.

WTU customers will see the increase starting on February bills. The company in September initially asked for permission to change the fuel factor portion of the bill. This provided four months for regulatory review before the higher fuel charges were needed.

## Hospital Notes

In the Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital from January 6-January 23: Cliff Hudson, Sonora Vivian Vasquez, Sonora Francisco Flores, Sonora Margaret Alford, Ozona Olga Menchaca, Sonora Maria Harrison, Lubbock MinSon Harrison, Lubbock Jonnie Hodges, Sonora Connie Castilleja, Sonora Viola Sansom, Sonora Eloy Torres, Sonora Mary Adcock, Sonora Efrain Perez, Phoenix, Ariz.

## Low interest mortgages available on foreclosed homes

U.S. Senator Phil Gramm announced the State of Texas will make available low-interest rate home mortgages to qualified buyers of foreclosed properties owned by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

"This state-federal initiative was developed to reduce the inventory of foreclosed properties in Texas while enhancing the ability of low and moderate-income familes to qualify for a loan," Gramm said in a press conference in Dallas.

Thomas T. Demery, Federal Housing Commissioner, said the \$16.9 million Texas Housing Agency financing program will be offered exclusively to first-time homebuyers of low to moderate income who elect to buy one of 3,685 HUD-owned properties in

The average purchase price of these properties is \$36,531.

"I am delighted to be able to announce this good news for the hundreds of hard-working families throughout Texas," Gramm said. "The attractive home prices available on HUD properties coupled with this affordable state financing program should allow families earning as low as \$15,000 to qualify for an average-priced HUD property," he said.

The downpayment required on a typical property ranges from \$100 to \$500 with the balance of the home to be financed at an interest rate ranging from 8.05 percent to 9.55 per cent, depending on the home. In contrast, the prevailing interest rate on conventional loans reported for December is 10.19 percent.

A typical buyer purchasing an average priced home in this program will save \$20,260 over the life of a loan as a result of this below-market rate financing, said Kenneth G. DeJarnett, Chairman of the Texas Housing Agency.

"This unique program will create opportunities for homeownship among lower-income renters who never dreamed they were in a position to afford a home," DeJarnett said. "If a family is paying \$275-\$300 a month rent and has a stable job and few debts, we strongly encourage them to apply for a loan under this program."

The first date to apply for a home loan was January 18, 1989.

In order to participate in this financing program, a buyer must select a foreclosed property, make an offer through a broker on the property which is acceptable to HUD, and present an executed sales purchase agreement to a participating lender at time of loan application.

Listings of HUD properties are published periodically in the newspaper or can be obtained from local real estate agents. Additional information on this program and a list of participating lenders may be obtained by calling the Texas Housing Agency at (512) 472-

## Birthdays

January 27 Terry Duren Wilma Patrick Joey Guerra Adrianne Noriega January 28 Vernon Humphreys Becky Merrill Amy Nicole Gutierrez January 29 Louise Barlemann Judy Galvan January 30 S.M. Loeffler Anna Rose Gillet Prajediez Avila, Jr.

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## **Check your Social Security**

It's that time of the year when you should be receiving a Form W-2 from your employer for income tax purposes. Here's an important tip: Be sure to check your Social Security number and the name on the W-2 to see if they are correct. They are likely to be correct; but if they are not, it could mean trouble for you later since the information is the key to collecting Social Security benefits.

You should not trust your memory when you check the W-2. Match the number and name on the W-2 with those on your Social Security card. You should also check your pay stub at the same time. All the numbers and names should be the same as the one on your Social Security card.

If you find differences in your name or Social Security number, you should bring the discrepancy to the attention of your employer. You should also report it to the nearest Social Security office.

Over the years, Social Security studies have shown that about 5 percent of the wage reports it receives from the Nation's employers contain errors, usually a wrong number. A wrong number can result from a single transposed

When a discrepancy in the wage reports occurs, the Social Security Administration must check with the employer for a correction. If the person is still working for that employer, there is generally little is 949-4608.

problem correcting the wage report. However, if the person is not, reconciling the earnings with the correct record can be difficult.

Such errors can happen at any point in a person's working life and are sometimes not caught until he or she applies for benefits. When that happens, it can mean problems. This is because the number and name on the Social security card must be the same as that on your Social Security records. If your employer has been reporting your earnings under a different number and it is not caught, then you may be missing those earnings from your record. The earnings on your Social Security earnings record is the basis for eligibility for benefits and the amount of benefits.

We urge people to check their earnings records at least once every 3 years. Over one's working life, things can happen that can result in errors. This is especially true for people who change jobs frequently or who hold more than one job at a time. Each time the name and Social Security number is recorded, there is an opportunity for error. Also, many women forget to change their name when they marry, and this shows up as an error in the records.

To check your earnings, all you have to do is call Social Security. They'll send you an application for this purpose. The telephone number

## Cyclists to trek across nation to help fight lung cancer

The American Lung Association (ALA) will make fund-raising history next summer by staging the largest coast-to-coast bicycling fund-raising event ever held in the United States.

The \$2.5 million TransAmerica Bicycle Trek, scheduled for June 5 through July 21, will be the largest fund-raising event in the history of the American Lung Association--The Christmas Seal People®.

More than 400 cyclists are expected to carry the American Lung Association name across the United States from Seattle to Atlantic City during the third annual ride designed to raise more than \$2.5 million in support of the ALA's mission to prevent, cure and

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If you would like to be a part of this historic ride, simply contact your local American Lung Association or call the National Trek Hotline at (800) 433-0528 to receive a detailed information packet.

"It's an ambitious goal, but believe me, there are a lot of ambitious bicyclists throughout the country who want to support our fight against lung disease," said Pat Fuszek, Special Events Coordinator of the American Lung Association of Texas. "This could well be the finest experience of a person's

Each participant will raise at least \$5,000 toward the two million-plus dollar goal. The lion's share of the funds raised will be turned back to the local Lung Association represented by the participants to help prevent and control such diseases as emphysema, lung cancer, chronic bronchitis and asthma.

Last year's TransAmerica Bicycle Trek raised nearly \$2 million for Lung Association programs and services nationwide as more than 300 adventurous bicycle trekkers completed the cross-country journey.

"The willingness of these cyclists to take seven weeks out of their lives for the ALA cause it truly remarkable," said Fuszek. "Their grit and determination to complete this challenging journey says a lot for volunteerism in America today."

The American Lung Association is among the leading non-profit organizations making use of longdistance bicycle tours as fundraisers. Its most financially successful and widespread events are known nationwide as "Treks for Life and Breath."

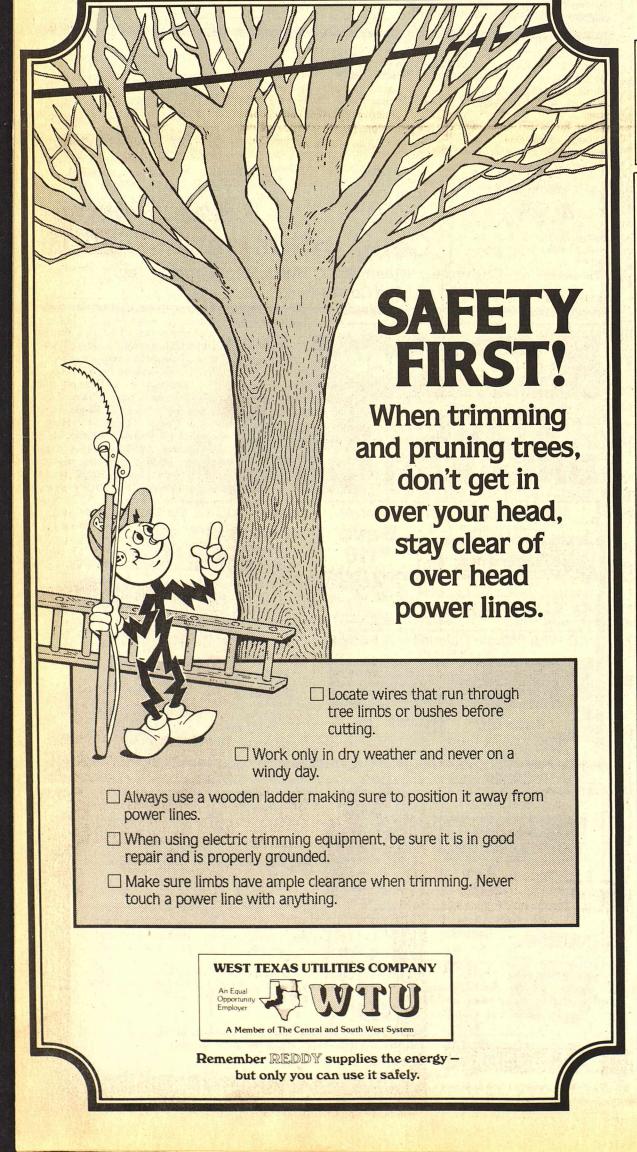
## Free "Farmer's Tax Guide"

IRS Publication 225, "Farmer's Tax Guide," is available by writing or calling the Internal Revenue Service. The free tax guide covers such topics as farm business expenses, tax credits, sales of farm land, and soil and water conservation expenses.

Written in easy-to-understand language, the guide can be a valuable resource at tax time as well as a handy reference all year. It contains a sample return with step-by-step directions on filling out not only Schedule F, "Farm Income and Expenses," but also other forms and schedules dealing with tax situations common to most farmers.

The guide contains a calendar of important tax dates, tips on methods of recordkeeping and accounting, and other useful topics. The first page, "Important Changes for 1988," alerts readers to important changes in the tax

The "Farmer's Tax Guide" was prepared by the IRS with the assistance of the Extension Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, the Extension Service of the State Land Grant Universities, and the Regional Farm Management Extension Committees. It is available by using the order blank in the IRS tax return package or calling IRS toll-free at 1-800-424-3676.



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#### **Public Notice**

PUBLIC NOTICE OF TRADE ADJUSTMENT ASSISTANCE PETITION CERTIFICATION ll workers of STATELINE DRILLING COMPANY in SONORA, Texas who became totally or partially separated from employment due to a lack of work on or after OCTOBER 1, 1985 are eligible under Petition Number 21,537 to apply for trade adjustment assistance. The petition was certified DECEMBER 6, 1988 and will expire DECEMBER 6, 1990. Workers should contact the nearest Texas Employment Commission office for assistance in filing for the following services: weekly trade readjustment allowance, job placement, employment counseling, vocational training and financial assistance for job search and job relocation.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

The Outdoor Drama Group, Sonora, Texas, invites bids for food catering at the "Covered Wagon Dinner Theater." Bid specification packets may be obtained at the Devil's River News during regular hours.

Sealed bids must be returned by February 8, and will be opened at the noon meeting of the Outdoor Drama Group on February 9. The meeting will be held at the Presbyterian Church.

The Outdoor Drama Group reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given for the request for bids for the Sutton County Road Department for approximately 360 cubic yards of concrete to be delivered to Owenville Rt.

Specifications may be obtained at the County Auditor's office in the County Courthouse, Sonora, Texas, 915/387-5380, Box 16, Sonora, Texas, 76950. Please deliver or mail sealed bids to Judge Carla Fields, Box 1212, Sonora, Texas 76950. Final receipt of bids will be at 9:00 a.m. o'clock, February 13, 1989, at the County Courthouse. At such time bids will be opened and accepted or rejected by the Sutton County Commissioners Court.

#### SUTTON COUNTY LOW WATER CROSSING **UPGRADING FEBRUARY 1989**

## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

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be received by Sutton County, Texas in the office of the County Auditor until 9:00 A.M. on Monday, February 13, 1989 for the construction of the "Sutton County Low Water Crossing Upgrading" project.

The project includes the construction of a reinforced concrete overlay and the widening via a reinforced concrete surface for two low water crosssings, the construction of three reinforced concrete drainage structures, the construction of reinforced concrete footings and the cleaning of each feature of three existing drainage

Bid and Contract Documents, including specifications, may be obtained in the offices of:

> Charles R. Graves Sutton County Auditor Sutton County Courthouse P.O. Box 16 Sonora, Texas

Greystone Engineering, Inc. 3321 Foster Street San Angelo, Texas 76904

Instructions to Bidders are included in the Bid Documents and bid security in the amount of 10% of the price bid will be required.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sutton County Hospital District, will receive bids for depository of the District's funds for the period commencing February 14, 1989, and ending December 31, 1991. Any banking organization qualifying under the laws of the State of Texas to as depository of municipal funds, which desires to act as such depository for Sutton County Hospital District, shall submit a written application, sealed and marked on the outside "Application for Depository of Sutton County Hospital District Funds." Such application shall be received in the office of Harold McEwen, President of the Board, at P.O. Box 798, Sonora, Texas therefore by law. 76950. Bids will be open at 7 p.m., February 13, 1989, at the District's

The Sutton County Hospital District's Board of Directors shall have the right to accept the favorable terms and conditions for handling of the District's funds and all applications and to waive matters. informalities.

HAROLD MCEWEN, PRESIDENT SUTTON COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT

#### SELECTION OF COUNTY DEPOSITORY

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioner's Court of Sutton County, Texas, will, at its regular February Term, 1989, select a County Depository of and for the public funds of Sutton County, Texas, for the years 1989, and 1991. Also included in the public funds are funds of the County Permanent and Available School Funds and trust funds in the hands of the County and District Clerks. The applications will conform to the provisions of the County Depository Law, Articles 2544 to 2558A inclusive, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas; the rules and regulations of the Board of Governors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; and the requirements of the Sutton County Commissioners' Court.

Any banking corporation, association or individual banker of Sutton County, Texas, desiring to be designated and/or selected as such Depository shall make and deliver to the County Judge of Sutton County, Texas, an application applying for such funds stating the amount of paid up capital stock and permanent surplus of said bank, together with a statement showing the financial condition of said bank at the date of said application, which shall be delivered to the County Judge of Sutton County, Texas, on or before 9:00 o'clock A.M. on the first day of the regular February Term, 1989, of the Commissioner's Court of Sutton County, Texas, the same being on or before 9:00 o'clock A.M. February 13, 1989.

Said application shall also be accompanied by a certified check for not less than one-half 1/2 of one percent (1%) of Sutton County's revenue for the year 1989, as a garantee of the good faith on the part of said bank, corporation, or individual banker, that if said bank, association or individual banker is accepted and/or selected as County Depository it will enter into the bond and/or bonds provided

Said application, so filed with the regular meeting in the conference County Judge of Sutton County, room of the Hospital, Sonora Texas, and prepared as required by the laws of the State of Texas, will be considered by the Commissioners' Court of Sutton County, Texas at 9:00 o'clock A.M., February 13, 1989, and a application which offers the most Court Depository selected in accordance with the above referred to laws and all other laws of the shall have the right to reject any or State of Texas covering such

> Applications forms are available in the office of County Judge and shall be used by all interested parties. The Commmissioners Court reserves the right to reject any and all applications received.

Bids submitted shall be sealed and marked on the outside "Application for Depository of Sutton County Funds.'

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Lone Star Gas Company, in accordance with the Gas Utility Regulatory Act, hereby gives notice of the Company's intent to eliminate the Rate Schedule for Public Schools-N and to implement a new schedule of rates for natural gas service to be charged to the residential and commercial customers in the City of Sonora, Texas effective February 10, 1989.

The rate schedule is expected to furnish a 1.61 percent increase in the Company's revenues from residential and commercial customers in the City of Sonora.

A Statement of Intent has been filed with the City of Sonora and is available for inspection at the Company's business office located at 111 W. Twohig St., San Angelo, Texas.

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#### Real Estate

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### Help Wanted

Employment Notice Notice is hereby given that the City of Sonora will be accepting applications for the position of Laborer II until February 2, 1989. Applications can be picked up at the Office of City Secretary, City Hall. The City of Sonora is an equal opportunity employer.

Wanted Maid & Cook, neatness preferred and person who enjoys this type of work. Gas paid for, weekends off, hours from 10-3. For interview call Nancy Dannheim, 387-3157. 29-2tc

Sutton County is taking applications for Superintendent of the Road and Bridge Department. The job consists of supervision of all phases of construction and maintenance of County roads and any projects associated therewith, and also requires actual labor at the job sites. Applicants should be familiar with and able to operate all types of heavy equipment associated with road construction, and should have extensive knowledge of techniques and methods used in constructing and maintaining both paved and unpaved roads. Salary will be commensurate with experience. All qualified persons may obtain applications at the office of the County Auditor in the Sutton County Courthouse during regular business hours. All such applications should be returned to the County Auditor's office by February 6, 1989.

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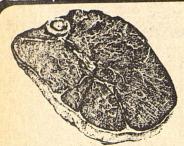
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