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Briefly

MCA meeting

The next monthly meeting of the Independent Cattlemen's Association will be held on February 5, at the Sutton County Steakhouse at 6:30 p.m.

Legislative Director Charles Carter will be the featured speaker.

All members are urged to attend and bring a guest.

Old Photos Needed

Old photographs are needed at the Devil's River News to help celebrate the Centennial. If you have any photos from years past please bring them in to help celebrate the Sonora Centennial.

1990 Calendars

The Girl Scouts still have 1990 calendars available in wall and pocket size for \$1.50. Contact any girl scout or call Betty Rainer at 387-5200.

Mexican Dinner

There will be a delicious Mexican Dinner served at the Senior Center on Sunday, February 18 at 12 noon.

Donations will be \$5 for adults and \$3 for senior citizens and children under 12. Tickets are available at the Senior Center at 106 Wilson or from the Committee on Aging members. Door Prize!

Al-Anon Meets

Al Anon meetings are held in Sonora each Thursday evening in Ozona each Monday evening. All newcomers welcome. Call 387-5775 for information.

Hotline Number

Violence need not be a part of our life. Call the Family Shelter in San Angelo at 655-1774. Transportation is available.

Team Roping

The Association plans to have county ropings throughout the year until August 1990. Ropers participating in a majority of ropings will be eligible for year-end awards and may qualify to compete in 1990 PRCA Sutton County Days Centennial Rodeo.

Yearbooks

Buy a bit of history. The 1990 Bronco yearbooks are now on sale in the Sonora schools. If you aren't enrolled in school and wish to purchase a book, you may call Bronco Yearbook sales at 387-6533.

Clinic Services

The Planned Parenthood of West Texas, Inc. is providing complete family planning services and confidential AIDS testing and counseling at the Tran Angelo Clinic at 2619 11th Street. All services are confidential and based on a sliding fee scale. For more information call (915) 944-0909.

Childrens Telethon

The Dairy Queen in Sonora is helping to sponsor a telethon for the Childrens Miracle Network Telethon. The donation is \$2 for one chance to win a 1990 red Dodge Dakota S pickup. Anyone can sign up at the Sonora Dairy Queen. The drawing will be held in Wichita Falls during the telethon on June 2 & 3 of 1990. The pickup will be displayed at the Dairy Queen in Sonora, Jan. 1-5 of 1990.

CLARIFICATION:

Maria G. Barrera, of 819 St. Ann's St., is not the Maria Barrera awaiting trial here on charges of forgery/passing. We regret any embarrassment or inconvenience the similarity in names may have caused.

Sonora chief, officer complete D.A.R.E. seminar

Drug Abuse Resistance Education training supervisor Sgt. Don Van Veltzer singled out Sonora Police Chief Brent Gesch for special praise Friday during instructor graduation ceremonies in San Angelo.

"He gave an outstanding performance," Van Veltzer said as dozens of law enforcement officers from around the state applauded.

Gesch and officer Mike Routh participated in the two-week training seminar which was attended by nearly two dozen law enforcement personnel from around Texas. The training seminar was sponsored by the San Angelo Police Department.

Van Veltzer, a member of the Los Angeles Police Department, brought a training staff of four to help conduct the two week program.

Among the instructors accompanying Van Veltzer was L.A.P.D. Officer Scott Gilliam, one of the first 10 DARE officers in the United States.

During the culmination address San Angelo Police Chief Kenneth L. Harrington underscored the importance of teaching children to



JOB WELL DONE - Officer Mike Routh receives his D.A.R.E. Instructor's certificate from SAPD Chief Kenneth Harrington.

say "no" to drugs.

"This program is more important than all the interddictions, all the confiscations and all the drug arrests," Harrington said. "This is where the drug problem will be won, by working with the future - and that's our children."

As the new DARE instructors passed the training mentors while receiving their graduation certificates, there were hugs, whispers of encouragement and appreciation, and plenty of tears.

"If you think it's easy leaving 23 friends, you're wrong," Van Veltzer said with obvious



ANOTHER INSTRUCTOR - Sonora Police Chief Brent Gesch, now a D.A.R.E. instructor, with LAPD mentor Officer Scott Gilliam.

difficulty. "There was a lot of bonding going on here. It was very emotional, and it was very special."

Officers attending the seminar came from Fort Worth, Eden, Midland, Gatesville, Peryton, Lamesa, Georgetown, Hurst, Lubbock, Pflugerville, New

Braunfels, Midland, Teague, Southlake - and Sonora.

Sutton County now boasts three DARE training officers: Gesch, Routh, and Deputy Sheriff Rusty Frasier, who attended a DARE training seminar in Arizona last year.

Community involvement at heart of drug war

by Lamar Smith

The war on drugs has been declared before. This time, the President has given us something new - a battle plan. What makes this call-to-arms different is the presence of a focused strategy for achieving tangible goals.

Congress is responsible for passing legislation that will help implement the strategy and meet the goals.

More importantly, as community members we must become involved.

Funding without community action is like building a house without a foundation. Parents, teachers and friends will do more to win this war than an entire arsenal of interdiction aircraft and police patrols. The 21st District is already showing that effective crime control starts with the community.

The San Antonio Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse has been contributing to the community for 30 years. Their comprehensive programs range from the education

of young people to helping those in need find appropriate treatment.

The San Angelo Independent School District Substance Abuse Program has received state-wide recognition for its success in fighting drug and alcohol abuse in the public schools.

The Midland private citizens group, Neighbors Against Burglaries and Drugs (NABD), continues to work with citizens and the local police to fight substance abuse in the public schools.

In addition, local task forces across Texas have been responsible for removing nearly \$300 million worth of drugs from our streets and arresting over 6,000 individuals.

The list of local success stories could go on. It is this kind of work that I have sought to support, and I applaud the President's tough, clear stance on community and individual involvement.

When the front lines in this war are the backyards of border towns,

street corners of cities and parks of suburbs, we cannot afford not to act.

I am committed to improving cooperation between federal, state and local law enforcement agencies and private citizens groups. Underneath all the talk lies the one principle that can stop drugs cold. It is each potential user's sense of individual responsibility. The attitudes young Americans have toward drugs are changing. They realize that nothing can replace the very personal and very private decision to say "No" to drugs-for themselves and their communities.

To fight successfully we must rely on personal accountability, community action, and government support.

Without personal accountability, we lose our will. Without community action we lose our warriors. Without government support we lose our war. We must act now as if the future of this nation depends on us. Because, in fact, it does.

Belle Steen, was Sonora's oldest resident

Ada Belle Steen, who for years had the honor of being Sonora's oldest resident, died here Monday afternoon following a brief illness.

Born Oct. 4, 1887 in Mount Moria, Ala., Belle and her husband Robert moved to Sonora in 1916.

"We came to Sutton County because we knew the dentist that covered Eldorado, Sonora and Ozona," Belle said during a 1988 interview. "Bob got a job on the Davis Ranch and then we went to work on the Basil Halbert Ranch."

Robert Steen became ill, and a local physician advised against ranch work. He then took a job at a drug store in Sonora. "I was keeping house but finally Bob got me up there in the drug store working as a cashier and I stayed with it for more than 50 years," Belle recalled.

Mr. Steen died as the result of a hunting accident in 1931.

Although Belle never had any children of her own, a large number of Sonora children claimed her as their special friend.

"Children really loved Mrs. Steen," said Guila Vicars, who owned and operated the old Sonora Drug Store with her late husband.

She said Belle used to keep a huge collection of the childrens school photographs on her desk. Belle worked at the Sonora Drug Store from 1937 to 1956.

Sonora helped celebrate Belle's 100th birthday in 1987, by forming

Mendez enters guilty plea, receives nine-year sentence

A local man was sentenced to nine years in the Texas Department of Corrections after pleading guilty to a charge of attempted murder Jan. 23, and nearly a dozen others appeared before 112th District Judge Brock Jones to be arraigned, file motions or enter pleas.

Among those appearing were:

Ubaldo Borrego Luna, charged with aggravated assault, free on \$10,000 bail. Pre-trial scheduled for March 5.

Vicki L. Covey, charged with welfare fraud, free on \$2,000 bail. Pre-trial scheduled for March 5.

Maria Barrera, charged with four counts of forgery/passing, free on \$8,000 bail. Pre-trial scheduled for March 5.

Julian Jimenez Jr., charged with one count of burglary of a motor vehicle, free on \$1,000 bail. Pre-trial scheduled for March 5.

Porfirio Ortiz Jr., charged with one count of burglary of a motor vehicle, free on \$1,000 bail. Pre-trial scheduled for March 5.

Eugenio Sosa Reyes, charged with one count of burglary of a motor vehicle, free on \$1,000 bail. Pre-trial set for March 5.

Pete Romero Jr., charged with aggravated assault, \$25,000 bail reduced to \$10,000. Pre-trial scheduled for March 5.

Ruben Mendez, pleaded guilty to a charge of attempted murder resulting from a July 22, 1989 stabbing incident. He was sentenced to nine years in the Texas Department of Corrections, and ordered to pay \$20,435.67 restitution plus court costs.

Samuel Raymond Hollifield, charged with possession of a controlled substance (Feb. 10, 1989). Charge dismissed pending defendant's acceptance into the United States Army.

Dale Wiley McCutchen, pleaded guilty to a charge of burglary of a habitation. Given a 10-year probated sentence and fined \$5,000 plus court costs. A charge of burglary of a building was dismissed.

Gaston Jerome Jones, charged with aggravated sexual assault of a child, \$50,000 bail, jury trial scheduled for Feb. 5.

Kenneth Ray Conger, charged with aggravated sexual assault of a child, \$50,000 bail reduced to \$10,000. Jury trial scheduled for Feb. 5.

Ruben Brady Flores, charged with aggravated assault on a peace officer, free on \$5,000 bail. Trial set for March 5.

George Luis Noriega, charged with aggravated sexual assault, \$25,000 bail reduced to \$10,000. Waived arraignment, pre-trial set for March 5.

A lawyer for Jose Alfredo Galindo, who was found guilty and sentenced to life in prison on charges of drug trafficking last October, filed a motion for a new trial. The motion was taken under advisement by Judge Jones.



JIMMY CAHILL

Sonora rancher-businessman Jimmy Cahill, the principal speaker at the World Mohair Extravaganza in Kerrville last week, received several awards for his continuing effort to promote mohair. Among the recognition bestowed upon Cahill were a special achievement award for his work in manufacturing and promoting mohair products through his Ol' Sonora Trading Post, and a Key to the City of Kerrville. Cahill said last week that Texas mohair producers are standing on the threshold of converting their \$40 million industry into a \$1.6 billion industry, and that market development is the key to such economic growth. Currently, Cahill said, Texas produces 40 percent of the world's mohair but uses less than 2 percent of it.



BELLE STEEN

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An honest policy for diapers and drugs

Although I didn't watch the television miniseries that dramatized the 1987 murder of Guadalajara, Mexico-based DEA agent Enrique Camarena, I read a lot about the Mexican government's response to the production.

Mexican politicians were busy competing with each other in attempts to express their self-righteous indignation.

Some *Distrito Federal* heavies went so far as to suggest that Camarena was "on the take," and that his torture-murder resulted from a drug related deal gone haywire.

They pretty well avoided mentioning the fact that corruption in Mexico has traditionally extended from *Los Pinos* (Mexico's equivalent of the White House) on down to the most obscure public official in the tiniest *pueblo*.

Corruption, in the form of graft, theft and bribes has been about as common as *indigenous food like tortillas, jalapenos and frijoles*. It's been an accepted way of life.

You notice I use the past tense. Things south of the border have been changing since balding, Harvard-educated, 39-year-old Carlos Salinas de Gortari became Mexico's *presidente*.

Like a stranger in a strange land, and very much unlike his predecessors, Salinas is honest.

He shook up the status quo when he attacked public enemy number one, PEMEX, the state-



MIKE SNYDER

owned petroleum industry. And attack is just what Salinas did. He sent the Mexican army to blow in the doors of a mafia-style PEMEX cheftain, and had a bunch of his henchmen jailed.

Soon, the word was out: you'd better not steal or take bribes, because if you do you're going to prison.

Now, you might ask, how do I know about such things (aside from what I read) if, like you, I live in Sonora (Texas)?

Easy. I have friends and family in Mexico, and I frequently use what I've always considered to be an accurate gauge of that country's bureaucratic honesty. The postal system.

I remember living in the Yucatan peninsula nearly 20 years ago, and going to the capitol city of Merida to buy supplies and mail correspondence. As I busily sorted through a fistful of letters one day I happened to notice a clerk discreetly removing the still-wet stamps from recently

deposited letters. I let my stamps dry thoroughly before I handed my letters over, but the lesson was not forgotten.

Over the years I've had a lot of mail disappear in the Mexican postal system, and although I can't prove it, I never attributed the losses to incompetence. Receiving mail that had been mistakenly opened was commonplace. But since Salinas was elected the postal service functions much better.

We recently mailed a box of Christmas gifts - mostly baby clothes and toys - to relatives in the interior, and I told my wife that although they probably wouldn't arrive, it was the thought that counted.

Surprise! Everything arrived intact and unopened.

Believing it was the exception and not the rule, I ventured to send another box of baby clothes to our nephew.

"Don't worry about it," I told my wife. "If someone swipes the box at least the clothes will be put to good use."

We received a phone call from Mexico about 10 days later thanking us for our thoughtfulness.

It looks like things are changing in Mexico. I only hope the government is as honest with their handling of drugs as they are with diapers.

If they are, we're all going to benefit.

administration. How many millions of dollars the tax collector has taken in, what percentage we are ahead or behind last year, what priority re-paving the track should have, what percentage over the base the pay scales are, what percentage of market value rental property should be and various other dull subject matter is discussed in depth. There is no heavy math prerequisites. No big numbers are involved. The millions discussed seldom ever exceed ten. The percentages are consistently less than one hundred. Most priorities discussed fall under two or at the most three categories, top, bottom and none. All big numbers are held to a minimum, otherwise we might mistakenly put these sessions under mathematics instead of business administration.

Sometimes there are more interesting and lively sessions. They usually come under the heading of "What is best for the kids academic excellence." It would be easy to misclassify these sessions and think you were in a class on athletics, racial relations or even physical science. Such things as how many kids want to play baseball, whether IOU athletes are more important than tennis jocks, the ethnic makeup of golf courses, and whether it is further to Llano in a football uniform or a baseball suit are all related subject matter. On some rare occasions it is even debated how band uniforms related to academic excellence. All involved must swear that their only concern is for the kids prior to making the statement that every one knows where they stand on the issues because it was clearly debated at a public meeting and etc. Preferring that football end at the end of football season, being a fanatical baseball fan and not being able to rope a calf as a teenager is not allowed that comes under personal prejudice and special interest, not what is good for the kids and academic excellence.

Many other important issues are publicly debated and our future is shaped at these sessions. No education is complete without attending some of these classes at Sonora IDS graduate school. Where else could you find out that 81 for and 31 against was a minority for, or that there is a shortage of quality athletes in the Sonora area? It is difficult to make the distinction between the

abundance of quality kids and the shortage of quality athletes but with perseverance and the requisite amount of homework it can be done. Uninformed participants could even make a connection between High School Rodeo and High School. It is difficult to see that off-season football is the spring sport of choice, made by the administration, but it can be done if you listen closely.

P. S. I missed your poll, but if it's not too late for an absentee ballot, I vote baseball!

Timing is critical because if you wait until fall I'll vote football.

Kenneth E. McKim
Precinct 3, Sonora ISD

Is baseball dead?

Dear Editor

Baseball Dies Suddenly

Is baseball dead in SHS? Absolutely!! It was very definitely shot down Tuesday evening, just as it seemed to be getting off the ground.

How was it killed? It was killed by a non vote of our school board. Yes, it died when the motion to establish a baseball system died for lack of a second. Actually it was brain dead sometime prior to Tuesday nite. As soon as the first comment was made by a board member, I knew that the board had already decided against baseball. Not being gifted with E. S. P., I kept hoping my instinct was wrong, but I knew better.

Can baseball be resurrected? I doubt it very seriously. You see, the school board hires administrators who hire the teachers and coaches they want to hire. Because the rest of us, including the school board, don't know anything about running a school, the school personnel tell us what they will allow our students to do. In other words, you are allowed to pay the bills, and that is where your input stops.

What's that? You don't think that is right! Maybe not, but you are the only one who can change it.

The school board actually made the correct decision, and I would like to think they did it for the correct reasons. However they gave no reasons for not allowing baseball, only excuses.

Baseball will not work in Sonora at this time, because the administration is against it, and apparently the coaches are, too. I don't even know who all of the

coaches are, but the ones I know certainly oppose baseball. ___A I said Tuesday evening, I think these people need to have a change of attitude, or seek employment elsewhere. They need to realize that SHS does not exist just so they can collect a paycheck. The purpose for the existence of SHS is to allow our students to obtain the best possible education available today, and to allow our students to develop their individual skills and talents to the highest possible degree.

A lot of parents spent a lot of time gathering information about baseball over the state. The information was all in favor of baseball.

The school surveyed the boys who would be involved. Those who said they would participate in baseball if offered, numbered 84. Those who would not, numbered 31.

The parents are for it, the kids are for it, and the motion doesn't even get a second. Yes, baseball is dead in Sonora. Maybe some other things are, too.

Sonora is a football town! Do you realize we have won district one time since 1971? How long has it been since one of our boys went to college on a football scholarship? How many have gone in the last 20 years? Not many, if any.

How many basketball players have we sent to college on scholarship. The same number we've sent in baseball, without baseball program. I know I haven't won district in basketball in 30 years, at least.

Our record in district play do not seem real great in these major sports, so I hardly see how could hurt anything to give baseball a try. I think, it would be nice to win at something besides giving more of our students a choice at a college scholarship.

Can baseball be resurrected in Sonora? I don't know. A much longer effort has to be made, that has been made so far. Individuals will have to be confronted, and some personnel changes may be required. ___You can't sit back and let someone else do it. You have to do it. Are you willing to put forth the effort? If so, you may have a chance. If not, forget it, and be happy with what you have.

We all deserve only what we're willing to work for.

Bill Saw

Success through excellence

by Jim Fish

The key element in any business is people. Success and failure is determined almost solely by its commitment to and by the human factor. Any supervisor or employer who cannot manage and is ignorant of human behavior will almost certainly suffer the consequences.

Most weaknesses can be linked to misunderstanding, lack of communication and procrastination. Though there are other occupational hazards that stifle or destroy an organization's effectiveness from within, these are the dire villains.

One might think Sonora is in real need of a labor union after seeing some of the employer/employee relationships. Often there is little or no basic human respect or appreciation exchanged among workers and supervisors alike. The supervisor is frequently likened to a cop, someone to watch the hands and see the violations of policies and expectations do not occur. He is someone who punishes those who make mistakes.

Oddly enough, where there is mutual respect, where people are encouraged to think independently and where everyone adheres to the "Golden Rule", there is no need of a cop. People will naturally do their best under such conditions.

Mundane activities are made interesting where an individual's best efforts are rendered. Misunderstandings are rare among those who listen and communicate



JIM FISH

openly. Procrastination is eliminated when the leadership is inspired, involved and cares about people, and stays in touch with each echelon of the operation.

However, the responsibility rests with all concerned. Employers are people, too. As employees, we are bound by honor to fulfill both the stated and understood terms of employment. To be treated responsibly, we should behave as such. As employers, we must be both patient and impatient; have a driving, energetic desire to make extraordinary things happen but allow others to progress at individual speeds. We must continuously train and evaluate ourselves and those we hire to do our bidding.

Regardless of our station, each of us must be committed to high value added, awesome quality and extraordinary service; committed to success.

In a nutshell, it comes down to one thing. For an operation to succeed, there must be a mutual commitment to excellence in our dealing with others and the service we give.

Letters

Vote for baseball

Dear Editor,

It is a little known fact amongst Sonorians but, on one evening of the month (usually the second Tuesday) there is a class held at 807 S. Concho. It costs you plenty whether you attend or not. No admission is charged at the door. There is much to be learned at these sessions. Beings it is conducted by the Sonora Independent School District it is educational by definition.

The lesson plan is a little fuzzy on the matter of community involvement 101 might be the appropriate name. Most sessions are relatively dull. They come under the heading of business



Tejanos Responden Contra El Analfabetismo

"Una tercera parte de los adultos en Texas no pueden leer ni escribir . . . no pueden funcionar en nuestra sociedad.

Así como el analfabetismo los priva a ellos de mejores y más productivas vidas, nos priva a todos de su contribución a nuestras comunidades y a nuestro estado.

Es necesario eliminar el analfabetismo para mejorar las vidas de todos nosotros en Texas!

—Henry Cisneros

Literacy Volunteers of America-Texas Responde Contra El Analfabetismo

Para dirigirse a la creciente crisis del analfabetismo en Texas, Literacy Volunteers of America ha establecido una oficina estatal en Austin, y el personal y los voluntarios de LVA-Texas están trabajando para mejorar las habilidades de leer y escribir en inglés en todo el estado de Texas.

Estos esfuerzos son importantes...pero no son suficientes.

Texas necesita su ayuda.

Usted Puede Eliminar El Analfabetismo En Texas

Unase con Henry Cisneros en la lucha contra el analfabetismo. Para informarse como puede usted ayudar, llame a Literacy Volunteers of America-Texas.

¡Llame hoy. Nuestro futuro depende de nosotros.



Literacy Volunteers of America ★ Texas

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Why Sonora?

Dear Editor

People always ask me "Why you ever move to Sonora?"

Since moving here last April have received excellent care from the police, ambulance attendants, Hudspeth Hospital staff and Pajestka. In the last 2 weeks many people have called, sent cards, taken care of my house pets, and helped my family and since I came home I just could list them all.

Next time someone asks "why" I'll tell them because its best place in the world and has most "caring and sharing" people I've ever had the privilege knowing. Thank you all.

Jo Ann Pal

NOTICE

Recent changes have made it necessary for us to move both classified and display advertising deadlines to 5:00 p.m. Friday. Editorial copy, letters, photographs and negatives to be processed must also be received by that time. We appreciate your cooperation and continued support.

The Devil's River News

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A PIZZA HISTORY: The first Boy Scout troop in Sonora was organized by Roy Aldwell in 1914, and last week's winner, Joseph Vander Stucken, was among its members!
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Weekly police reports

Sunday, January 21

2:50 p.m. Report that a plate glass window at Bits & Pieces of Sonora located on Crockett Avenue was shot with an air rifle. Officer Humphrey investigated.

6:15 p.m. Stranded motorist requested assistance at Concho Avenue and Chestnut Street. Officer Gibbs responded.

7:27 p.m. Female caller reported a red station wagon on US 277 South was driven erratically like the driver might be intoxicated. Officers Gibbs and THP Trooper Whitton notified and vehicle was located at Cousin's Store.

7:40 p.m. Male subject requested assistance with food, gas and lodging. He was checked out by Officer Gibbs and situation was worked out.

8:18 p.m. Subject at Sutton County Jail requested assistance with gasoline money. Officer Gibbs was called and after checking subject and vehicle out, assistance was denied.

11:30 p.m. Female caller requested officers to attempt to locate her daughter who had not come home. Officer Gibbs was dispatched.

Monday, January 22

12:20 a.m. A suspicious subject was reported in the area of the IH 10 Texaco and was checked out by Officer Gibbs.

9:45 a.m. Female caller requested assistance in getting her vehicle unlocked. Officer Humphrey was dispatched.

10:38 a.m. Clerk at Circle K reported that a customer had locked keys in his vehicle. Officer Humphrey dispatched.

2:05 p.m. A College Street resident requested to speak to an officer regarding a dog problem. Officer Humphrey dispatched.

6:46 p.m. Bus station requested Officer House to stop by there. Officer House dispatched.

8:43 p.m. Caller reported hearing gunshots in the 400 block of West 1st Street that sounded like a .22 caliber gun. Officer House dispatched.

9:25 p.m. A Menard Street resident reported that a white and dark colored pickup had not been stopping at the stop signs and had been hot rodding in the area. Officer House took report.

9:45 p.m. A vehicle matching the above description was stopped at Tom Green Avenue and West 3rd Street for a traffic violation by Officer House and the driver was arrested and charged with DWI.

10:23 p.m. A test car driver requested assistance from an officer to unlock the test car at the Town & Country Store. Officer House dispatched.

11:58 p.m. A College Street resident called to report that the dog that the Animal Control was looking for was in his yard.

Tuesday, January 23

8:02 a.m. Female caller reported a dead cat in the road in the 1600 block of Tayloe Avenue. ACO was notified.

8:55 a.m. Male caller requested to speak to Chief Gesch regarding security problem. He was advised that Chief Gesch was attending a D. A. R. E. instructor's seminar in San Angelo and would be notified to return the gentlemen's call.

10:20 a.m. Female caller reported that her husband was bitten by a wild stray cat. ACO was notified and placed traps to catch the cat.

11:15 a.m. Complainant in police station reported that someone in the neighborhood near their Tom Green Avenue address was shooting air rifles because the complainant's back bedroom window had been shot out. Officer Humphrey took the report.

12:38 a.m. Clerk at IH 10 Texaco requested an officer to unlock a customer's car. Officer Humphrey was dispatched.

3:20 p.m. Caller requested assistance in how to handle a vehicle situation from a renter moving away and leaving a vehicle abandoned on the caller's rent property. Officer House was dispatched to handle the problem.

3:50 p.m. Female caller requested copy of report for insurance purposes.

4:22 p.m. Manager at IH 10 Texaco requested an extra close patrol because the employees are having problems with an ex-employee.

5:14 p.m. Abilene Police Department requested Sonora Police to attempt to locate Marsha Rioux for an emergency message to advise her that Paul had been involved in a traffic accident. Message was delivered with the assistance of Vickie Shannon. (Thank You Vickie you are a wonderful person.)

7:37 p.m. Female caller requested Officers check on the welfare of a friend. She stated that she was talking to her friend on the phone when she heard the friend's telephone drop and hit the floor, followed by the sounds of very loud noises. Officer House, Sutton County EMS and a relative of the friend were notified.

9:48 p.m. Female caller requested a close patrol of her residence in regards to problems with some friends. Officer House was advised.

Wednesday, January 24

11:45 a.m. Caller reported a traffic accident on the Crockett Avenue bridge. Officer Humphrey was dispatched.

4:14 p.m. Female caller reported a black Chevrolet Camaro speeding on Tayloe Avenue. Officer Humphrey was dispatched and vehicle was located.

4:20 p.m. Female reported a bunch of hitchhikers at the end of West 5th. Officer Humphrey investigated and contacted USBP because the subjects turned out to be illegal aliens.

5:07 p.m. Male caller reported that a male subject just ran down the draw toward the J & V Mobile Home Park. Officer Humphrey notified.

7:25 p.m. Clerk at Circle K reported the theft of \$17.98 worth of gasoline by a male subject driving a new model red and silver Chevrolet pickup. This vehicle was observed by Sonora THP Trooper Norbert Ortiz traveling west on IH 10 west of Sonora. Trooper submitted stolen check on the license plate on the suspect vehicle and it was ascertained that this vehicle was a stolen vehicle. A pursuit ensued which continued through Ozona, to a point approximately six miles west of that city and the suspect escaped on foot only to be apprehended the following day.

8:25 p.m. Crockett County Sheriff called to ask for assistance from Sonora Police Department Officers to assist with roadblocks and search for the subject driving the above stolen pickup. Chief Gesch, Officer Humphrey and Officer Routh responded.

9:29 p.m. The clerk at the Jug requested an escort to the bank. Officer House responded.

5:14 a.m. The clerk at the IH 10 Texaco requested an officer check out some people in a vehicle parked on the lot. Officer House responded.

Thursday, January 25

11:33 a.m. Female caller reported that someone had put a magnetic sign on her car while she was at church and that she would bring it down to the Police Station.

12:34 a.m. Vehicle stalled in the roadway in front of the IH 10 Exxon. Officer Humphrey was dispatched.

1:54 p.m. A female caller reported a traffic accident at the red light on Crockett Avenue at Main Street.

2:12 p.m. Female caller requested an officer to check out a suspicious vehicle parked in her neighborhood. Officer Humphrey was dispatched.

4:30 p.m. Female caller reported that she has found the wild cat that bit her grandson earlier this week. ACO Prieto was notified.

6:17 p.m. THP Trooper requested assistance with three subjects in custody. Officer House provided transportation to Sutton County Jail.

9:30 p.m. Family disturbance. Officer House responded.

11:45 p.m. Suspicious vehicle at the Town & Country store checked out by Officer House.

Friday, January 26

8:02 a.m. Female caller requested that the ACO pick up the cat in the trap at her residence and take it to Dr. Fields. ACO notified.

2:00 p.m. Funeral escort provided by Officer Humphrey.

2:50 p.m. Family at IH 10 Texaco requested assistance. Officer Humphrey notified.

5:50 p.m. Alarm at local store answered by Officer House.

6:55 p.m. Subject requested assistance with gasoline to get to next town. Officer House checked them out and provided assistance.

9:25 p.m. Officer flagged down by juvenile female who requested assistance in getting home. Because she lives out in the country she was taken to the office where her parents were contacted by telephone.

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The Texas hunting lease system: organized chaos or the future of wildlife management

by Preston R. Faris, CEA-Ag.

Another Texas hunting season is nearly over. Hunting lease operators are preparing to close their books on this year's hunts and make plans for the next year. Lease hunting occurs throughout Texas, but lease operations vary considerably. Many lease operators would like to know how others are providing services and facilities, managing game animals, protecting their operation, pricing their leases, and the range of lease charges. How can they obtain this information? Beginning January 22, 1990, all 12,500 hunting lease operators in Texas will receive a one page survey that asks for answers to these questions. The survey is easy to complete but of most importance to hunting lease operators will be the results. Finally, they will be able to compare their lease operation with others in the county and state.

This study is a cooperative research effort between the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the extension service. County agents are helping get an excellent response rate by supporting this study and answering questions their lease operators may have

about it. The value of the information to hunting lease operators will be directly related to the number of surveys returned. The extension service will provide county/state data results to each county extension agent for your area of interest. They will receive the results that compare their personal operation with others in the county and state. This information should help operators and land owners improve their hunting lease programs.

Hunting lease operators that have multiple permits will be sent a survey for each permitted area. Each area under permit is described on the survey by acres and/or name—exactly the way it was described in the permit application. Some operators or landowners may receive from two to twenty-two surveys in one day. It is important that each survey for each permitted area be completed as a separate acreage. All hunting lease operators that have four or more permitted areas have been contacted about the study and that they would be receiving a lot of mail the third week in January.

The Texas hunting lease system has been in operation since 1929. There has never been a statewide study of how lease hunting contributes to wise management of the wildlife resource. Other states are beginning to consider lease hunting as an alternative to traditional agricultural land uses. The results of this study may demonstrate that lease hunting on private land is a practical and sensible alternative.

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a parade and organizing a barbecue on the courthouse lawn.

Last year a small group of close friends took Belle out to lunch at the Sutton County Steak House.

Survivors include a brother, C.D. Crawford Sr. of Greenville, Ala.; a sister, Thelma Bowman, of Andalusia, Ala.; a sister-in-law, Ryan Crawford, of Arlington, and several nieces and nephews.

Belle didn't leave without making sure her funeral plans were complete. Several years ago she made a handwritten list of friends she wanted as pall bearers and honorary pall bearers. Although some of her friends preceded her in death, Belle requested the following.

Pall bearers: Joe David Ross, L.P. Bloodworth, Webb Elliot, Glen

Fisher, Stanley Mayfield, Bill Webster, Wesley Sawyer, Nolan Gibbs, Billy Shurley, George Wallace and Seco Mayfield. Honorary pall bearers are: Herman Moore, John Allen Ward, Jack Neill, Lea Roy Aldwell, Haynie Davis, Willie Miers, John Fields, Herbert Fields, Joe Vander Stucken, Ronnie Cox, Gene Wallace, Edwin Sawyer, John Eaton, Rip Ward, R.W. Wallace, Frank Bond, Armor Earwood, W.B. McMillan and Fred Adkins.

Belle asked that John Tedford play the organ during the church service. Services are scheduled for 10 a.m. Thursday at First United Methodist Church. Burial will be in the Sonora Cemetery.



WEEKLY CENTENNIAL TRIVIA PRIZE: Sonora Pizza Hut Manager Alan Alexander holds one of the dozens of pizzas he is giving this year to winners of the Devil's River News "Centennial Trivia Contest." Answers will be reviewed every Tuesday morning, and in the case of more than one winner a drawing will take place. Winners will be announced every Thursday.

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Gibson - McDonald wed

Amie Gibson and David McDonald were married December 26, 1989 in the Church of Christ in Sonora.
 Amie is the daughter of James

and Rama Gibson. David is the grandson of Ruby Mayhew of Sonora.

David is in the U. S. Army 82nd Airborne Division.



Mr. and Mrs. David McDonald



Americans consume an average of 58 pounds of chicken a year per person.

Majority of Texas taxing units choose to retain "freeport" tax

More than 60 percent of Texas' local taxing units that are eligible to retain taxes on "freeport" property through 1990 have elected to do so, according to the State Property Tax Board (SPTB).

Last November, Texas voters amended the state constitution to exempt freeport goods from property taxation, effective January 1, 1990. These are inventories acquired or brought into the state by manufacturers, distributors, and other businesses and held temporarily (up to 175 days) before being shipped out of state. Counties, cities, school districts, and junior college district were allowed to continue taxing freeport goods this year, but had to elect to do so by January 1. Those taxing units must decide by April 1 whether to retain the tax beyond 1990, or they will lose the right to tax freeport goods in the future.

The SPTB's mid-January survey gathered information from Texas' 253 central appraisal districts, and in a few cases, from local

chambers of commerce and tax offices. Overall, 1,414 of the 2,332 local taxing units surveyed - 61 percent -- have kept the freeport tax this year.

Nearly three-quarters of all counties and school districts will continue taxing freeport property in 1990. On the other hand, more than half of the individual Texas cities have left freeport goods exempt.

"Local governments in Texas are proceeding cautiously on freeport tax policy," commented SPTB Executive Director Ron Patterson. "This is a period of great uncertainty about funding of public services, especially with regard to school finance. With taxable property values having declined recently, many local governments are reluctant to forgo a major source of tax revenues." He noted that many of the taxing units that have left freeport goods exempt have a relatively small base of business operations that would be subject to the tax.

Special math courses to be offered to secondary students

The Hardin-Simmons University Department of Mathematics, in cooperation with the Region 14 Education Service Center, will conduct two three week sessions of a special mathematics program for talented secondary school students this summer.

Three courses, which include Geometry, Mathematical Modeling, and Counting Techniques and Networks, will be offered during the sessions followed by an activity, or study period. The courses will be taught by three HSU faculty members; Dr. Mark Farris, Dr. Edwin Hewett, and Dr. Charles Robinson.

The program will introduce the students to applications of mathematics in a number of decision making settings and

provide instruction in several aspects of discrete mathematics. It will offer a wide range of applications involving calculators and departmental computers.

To be eligible for the program, students must expect to graduate from high school in the spring of 1991 or '92. They must also be recommended by their math teacher and they are advised to avoid part-time jobs or similar obligations while participating in the program.

All applications for this program can be received by contacting Mrs. Connie Ricci at the Region 14 Education Service Center by March 1st.

For additional information, please contact Dr. Edwin J. Hewett, Box 1150 HSU, Abilene, Tx., 79698, or telephone (915) 670-1384.

Church Guide

The Church of the Good Shepherd
 Presbyterian
 Sunday School-9:45 am
 Worship Service-11:00 am
 Communion-first Sunday of each month
 Fred L. Campbell, Pastor

New Hope Baptist Mission
 708 S.E. Crockett
 Sun. morning Bible Study-10 am
 Sun. morning Worship-11 am
 Sun. evening Worship-7 pm
 Weds. Bible Study-7 pm
 Weds. Childrens Bible Study-7 pm
 Dana Floyd - Pastor

New Life Assembly of God
 306 N. 4th Street
 Sun. Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Sun. evening worship 6 p.m.
 Weds. Study 7 p.m.
 Daniel Timmerman-Pastor

Church of Christ
 Minister-Don Jones
 Bible School-10 am
 Worship-11 am
 Sunday Night-6:30 pm
 Wednesday Night-7 pm

Primera Iglesia Bautista
 Sunday School-9:45 am
 Worship Service-11 am
 Training Union-5 pm
 Evening Service-6 pm
 Wednesday Service-7 pm
 W.M.U.-Sunday-2 pm
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First United Methodist Church
 Kent L. Kepler
 Sunday School-9:45 am
 Worship-10:55 am
 KVRN 98 AM-11 am
 Children's Choir-Mon. 4:30 pm
 UMYF-Wednesday 6 pm
 Chancel Choir-Wednesday 7:30 pm

Somebody Cares Ministry
 Rev. Louis Hallford
 Sunday Adult Bible Hour-9:30 am
 Super Son Bible Hour-9:30 am
 Morning Service-10:45 am
 L.I.F.E. (youth)-3 pm
 Evening Service-6 pm
 Wednesday Bible Study-7 pm

Jehovah's Witness
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 Spanish Meeting
 Public Talk-1 Sunday
 Watchtower Study-1:55 Sunday
 Theocratic Ministry-7:30 pm Tue.
 Service Meeting-8:15 Tuesday
 Bible Study-7:30 Thursday

First Baptist Church
 Rev. Jim Stephen
 Sunday School-9:45 am
 Morning Worship-11 am
 Church Training-6 pm
 Evening Worship-7 pm
 Wednesday Service-7 pm

Hope Lutheran Church
 Sunday School-10 am
 Worship Service-11 am
 Thursday:
 Adult Bible Class-8 pm
 Charles Huffman, Pastor

Sonora Tabernacle
 United Pentecostal
 Rev. Kenneth Doyle, Pastor
 Sunday School etc. -10 am
 Prayer Meeting- 6:30 pm
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 Wednesday Service-7:00 pm

St. Ann's Catholic Church
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 Sunday Mass
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 11 am English
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Uvalde Center has successful registration

Enrollment for the spring term at the Uvalde Center of Sul Ross State University has been quite good according to Dean Frank W. Abbott. Although late registration continued through Friday, January 19, Abbott projected a 10-12% increase in head count and a 25% increase in credit hour production.

Through late registration on January 17, 477 students had enrolled for classes, a 10% increase over the number who enrolled in spring 1989. "More importantly," stated Abbott, "credit hour production is up significantly." Credit hour production provides the basis for funding state colleges. "We are seeing a real increase in the average enrollment of students from 5.04 credit hours in spring 1989 to 5.77 this spring."

Abbott attributed a portion of the increase to the institution of day classes in the Center. "While we had only four day classes this spring, enrollment in those classes accounted for almost 11% of the total credit hours produced." In addition, Abbott cited an increase in enrollment in Eagle Pass as helping the enrollment. A total of 194 students had enrolled in Uvalde, 160 in Eagle Pass, and 123 in Del Rio through Wednesday.

Final enrollment figures for the Center will not be available for several days, until the end of late registration and the completion of the 12th class day when the official enrollment will be determined.



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Ricky Villanueva

Ricky has attained high academic achievement for the six weeks making straight A's. Ricky's picture and name will be displayed in the "Scharbauer Scholar" exhibit in the school.

Ricky Villanueva is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Villanueva, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Miguel Villanueva, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gomez and great grandson of Esperanza Arredondo, Mr. and Mrs. Francisco Villanueva and Mr. and Mrs. Fortunato Tambunga of Ozona.

Mesa completes infantry training

Marine Pvt. John R. Mesa, son of Juanita T. and Modesto G. Mesa Jr., has completed the School of Infantry.

During the course conducted at Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, California, Mesa received classroom instruction and participated in field exercises involving infantry tactics; the construction and camouflage of fighting positions; and the use of mines, demolitions, and intra-company communications equipment.

A 1985 graduate of Sonora High School, Mesa joined the Marine Corps in May 1989.

School Menu



BREAKFAST

Monday, February 5 - Cereal, cinnamon toast, grape juice and milk.

Tuesday, February 6 - Sausage, biscuits and jelly, peaches and milk.

Wednesday, February 7 - Peanut butter and jelly sandwich, fruit and milk.

Thursday, February 8 - Pancake w/syrup, sausage, orange juice and milk.

Friday, February 9 - **SPEECH MEET LUNCH**

Monday, February 5 - Chicken nuggets w/BBQ sauce, corn, peaches, whole wheat roll w/honey butter and milk.

Tuesday, February 6 - Tacos (Beef), pinto beans, lettuce & tomato, banana and milk.

Wednesday, February 7 - Hot turkey sandwich, mashed potatoes, green beans, pineapple cake and milk.

Thursday, February 8 - Ham loaf, spinach, mixed fruit, roll w/honey butter and milk.

Friday, February 9 - **SPEECH MEET**

Don't take your hometown paper for granted

by Ed Trainor

What is a hometown newspaper?

It is the on-going record, the day-to-day, week-to-week and year-to-year journal of "your community." It is what has happened, good or bad. It is the yellow clipping, kept for years by the high school football jock who scored the winning touchdown in the last seconds of the championship game. It is the clipped out and laminated memento of "our" engagement or wedding announcements or that big promotion, for which the hometown hero has worked so hard.

"Your" hometown newspaper is also communication about what is on sale at the grocery store or who has the best buy on hardware, tires or clothing. Newspapers are cut up and sometimes "cut down" for what they are, to us and for us, as individuals and as a community.

The hometown newspaper can do great good or sometimes, it seems, great harm to a community. But, all newspapers are just people. People writing stories late into the night after they've attended the city council or school board meeting or that

championship encounter between the local guys and their arch-rivals.

It is also people making a living by selling the advertising space in the newspaper. Space that provides the local merchants with an opportunity to let people know what they have to sell. Space that pays a commission to the salesman, which he uses to pay the rent or the daycare or just to put food on the table.

"Your hometown newspaper" is a record, a history of the births and deaths of individuals, as well as businesses. And it will continue to be this record as long as the community exists and the town continues to support the people who make up the newspaper. It's a two-way street, the newspaper needs the community and the community needs the newspaper.

Like the people in the communities they serve, newspapers are imperfect. They have good days and bad. Sometimes the pictures are crystal clear, the stories enlightening and error free, the advertisements running over the deals. Other times, the photos get overdeveloped, the stories

jumbled, and the ads convince you that the dollar isn't what it used to be.

Good or bad the newspaper is a reflection of the times and the community. Newspapers jog memories and take stands. They entertain and infuriate. They praise and they criticize. They line bird cages and fill scrapbooks. They take work and they make work.

And of course, newspapers are black and white and read all over. (Ed Trainor is the managing editor of the Farmington, Mo. Press Advertiser, where this first appeared.)

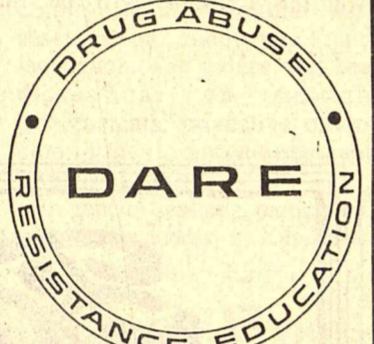
Feb. 17 — The Houston Symphony, Houston. This season the Houston Symphony offers a new performance series, "Speaking of Music." Christoph Eschenbach conducts the orchestra in the world premiere of Christopher Rouse's "Jagannath," inspired by a mythic character. An added highlight will be Joshua Bell's Houston Symphony debut performance of "Mendelssohn's Violin Concerto." For more information, contact Frances Carter at the The Houston Symphony, 615 Louisiana Street, Houston 77002 (713/224-4240).

Feb. 23 — "Mummenschanz," Houston. "Mummenschanz" is a mixture of acting, mime, dance, puppetry and magic. You can't hear them but you'll know what they're saying. Switzerland's famed mask/mime troupe returns with magic, mystery and extraordinary, imaginative costumes. Performances are held at 8 p.m. in Jones Hall. Perfect for all ages. For more information, contact The Society for the Performing Arts, Jesse H. Jones Hall, 615 Louisiana, Houston 77002 (713/227-1111).

Sutton County EMS sponsors class for SVFD Women's Auxiliary
The Sutton County Emergency Medical Service sponsored a class for the Sonora Volunteer Fire Department Women's Auxiliary on Tuesday, January 23. Instructor for the class was Mona Simpler.

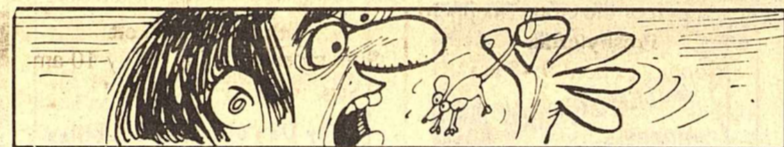
Most of the auxiliary ladies have been very active in keeping their CPR certification with the American Heart Association current. Those receiving their 1990 certification are: Pattie Prather, Jennie Wipff, Darla Lipham, Terry Shannon, Maray Cearley, Michelle Olenick and Jean Humphreys.

Angelo Stock Show entries
Entry forms for the San Angelo Stock Show and Rodeo will be accepted on Saturday, February 3 at the Stock Show office from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and at the Community Booth in Sunset Mall from noon until 4 p.m.
A previous announcement stated Saturday as February 4th.



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The one-time refund is expected to return a total of \$2,893,071 to LCRA's wholesale and retail customers specified above. The refund is a result of unanticipated revenues resulting from LCRA's December peak demand and is a one-time, 15% reduction in LCRA's base rates for the billing month of December.

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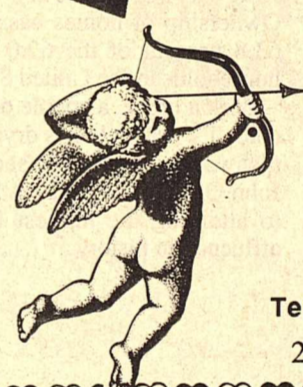
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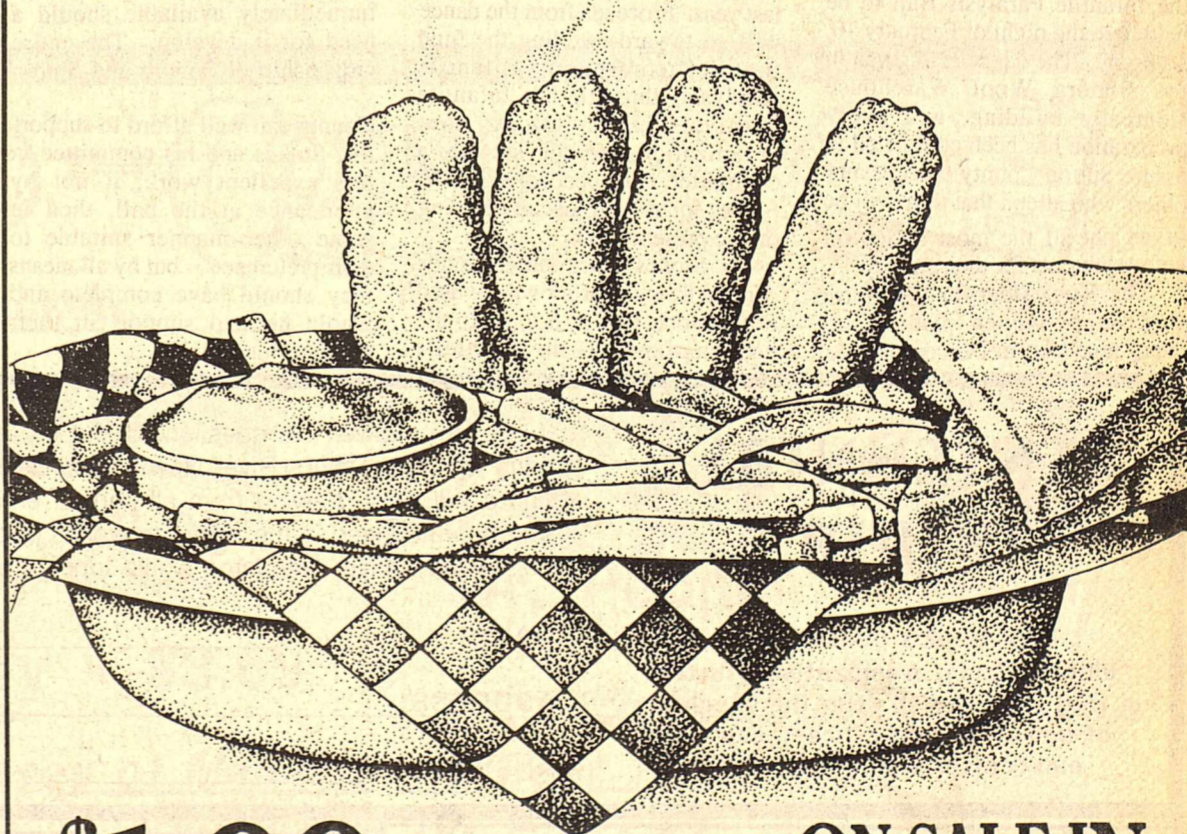
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Sonora Sutton County Texas February 1, 1990

Funds raised, plans underway for 4-H barn at fairgrounds

February 4, 1960 - Plans are being formulated to construct a new building at the Sonora Park and Horse Show Association grounds. A joint effort of that association and the Sutton County 4-H club, the building will be used for 4-H shows and race meets or horse shows.

The proposed structure will be built in what is now the show arena and will be 70 feet square.

Original plans called for an earth flood, concrete block walls and a sheet iron roof with plastic skylight for natural lighting. Removable stalls will be erected and a concession stand inside the building. Due to the success of the Chinese Auction at this year's 4-H show it is now hoped that a concrete floor can be included, making the building suitable for other activities such as judging

contest, the Annual Lions Auction, etc.

The plans are the result of work done by a joint committee composed of members of the Park Association and the 4-H Parents Club.

All funds have been raised from Chinese auctions over the past three years and from funds earmarked by the Park Association for the purpose.

Sonora will have first stock show

February 7, 1930 - Sonora's and Sutton County's first fat stock show will be held March first by the animal husbandry boys and club girls who are feeding livestock to be exhibited at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show. The show will start promptly at 2:30 Saturday afternoon near the First National Bank building.

Logan, Wess Hill, Harold Friess, Bob Johnson and Hilman Brown.

Jake Merck will be there with his four registered Angoras which he will take to Fort Worth. Jake doesn't have an even break in the show as there are no club classes for him to show in, but he is confident he will make some of the older breeders step to beat him. Jake's Angoras will be shown in the open classes at Fort Worth.

At present, the boys are grooming their animals and putting on final touches for the show. Each animal will be groomed and in the same condition in which it will be shown at Fort Worth on March 4. The calves will be trucked to San Angelo and shipped from there to Fort Worth.

The animal husbandry boys and girls want the ranchers of Sutton County to see what is going to represent this county at the fat stock show. Every rancher is urged to view the projects on the above date. If any breeders have livestock they would like to exhibit along with the boys and girls they may do so if they will get in touch with E. R. Lawrence at the high school.

The following is a list of boys and girls who will show 21 calves: Miss Allie Halbert, Miss Harva Jones, Cleve Jones, Charles Harold Evans, James E. Hutcherson, Lem E. Johnson, Troy White, Herbert Fields, Alvis Johnson, Vincent Rouseche, Pete Taylor, Sam Logan, Joseph

People own more than ever before

February 5, 1970 - Almost one out of every three American households is enjoying a color television set. This reflects a 23.9 percent increase from a year earlier. Apparently many of those who previously had purchased black and white sets are now purchasing color sets. The percentage of black and white sets in American households is gradually declining.

the rise. Automobile ownership was up 4.0 million in July 1969. The number of cars owned by households was 69.9 million. This increase is partially due to multiple car ownership.

Dishwasher and clothes dryer ownership also increased from July 1968 to July 1969. Ownership of homes has reached 63.8 percent of the 62.0 million households in the United States.

With a home, a couple of cars, a color TV set, a clothes dryer and a dishwasher, it would seem that John Q. Public is well on his way to attaining the highest level of affluency in history.



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A monthly newsletter on consumer behavior published by the National Consumer Finance Association said this is part of a trend which shows that household ownership of durable goods is on

Roy Alderson to furnish music for dance

February 2, 1940 - Arrangements have been perfected, and the citizenship of Sonora are eagerly awaiting the arrivals of Roy Alderson and his orchestra for the Infantile Paralysis Ball to be held here the night of February 10, Saturday. The dance is to be given in the Sonora Wool Warehouse Company building, and every preparation has been completed to assure Sutton County citizens and others who attend that they will be given one of the most delightful entertainments for their money.

The Roy Alderson Orchestra consists of eleven pieces, and every musician in the company is

an expert. The orchestra comes here from Dubuque, Iowa, and this will be the second visit to Sonora for the orchestra, it having played at a dance here during January of last year. Proceeds from the dance will go toward swelling the fund for the control of infantile paralysis, through the Infantile Paralysis Foundation, that organization having set up a committee here headed by H. V. Stokes for the purpose of carrying on the present work.

Mr. Stokes states that all funds derived from the affair will be used in the work, half of it to go to the headquarters of the Infantile

Paralysis Foundation, the other half to remain in Sutton County in the hands of the special committee selected for the purpose in order that funds may be immediately available should a need for it develop. The entire citizenship of Sonora and Sutton County can well afford to support Mr. Stokes and his committee in this excellent work, if not by attendance at the ball, then in some other manner suitable to their preference -- but by all means they should have complete and whole hearted support in their drive for funds.

Buttons once had a purpose

February 3, 1920 - In old times there was good reason for the present merely "ornamental" appendage.

A well known speaker recently engaged in some captious remarks at a gathering of women, upon the frivolities of fashion particularly as concerned women's dress. He was getting considerable fun out of it until one of the ladies interrupted him and asked what the buttons on the back of his coat were for. They are clearly superfluous and just as much out of place as some of the feminine foibles he was criticizing. He was unable to answer the question, whereupon the laugh was on him. The useless and supposedly ornamental extra buttons on a man's coat are relics of horseback riding days, when it was customary to button up the skirts of the coat to prevent sitting upon them or getting the linings soiled from the horse. The slit up the back of the coat originally served the same good purpose. The buttons on the sleeves are inherited from the days when a really dashing blade had frequent necessity for turning up the sleeves of his coat to give his sword arm play. Then the buttons served a real need. Finally the turned-up sleeve and its lining became a cuff that could no longer be turned down and the buttons became merely traditional.

Boy Scouts celebrate 40th birthday

February 3, 1950 - Boy Scout week, marking the 40th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America, will be observed from Monday, February 6 through Sunday, February 12. The anniversary will be celebrated in every city and town and most villages and hamlets through out the nation and its territories by 2,300,000 boys and adult leaders.

President Truman will greet twelve outstanding Boy Scouts in the White House during Boy Scout Week. The Scouts will present to Mr. Truman the "Report to the Nation" telling of Scouting's service to the community since he greeted a similar group of twelve outstanding Scouts a year ago. President Truman is Honorary President of the Boy Scouts of America.

Boy Scout Week this year finds the organization at the mid-point of its two-year Crusade to "Strengthen the Army of Liberty," which seeks to bring more boys in its ranks, give them richer experiences in all phases of its programs under volunteer leaders of high character who take training courses so they can carry on effectively.

The theme of the 40th birthday observance is "Strengthen Liberty." In countless meetings across the nation, this theme will be portrayed in pageants, demonstrations, public ceremonies and Parents Night gatherings.

The highlight of the second year of the Crusade will be the

National Jamboree at Valley Forge, Pa., at which 40,000 Scouts and leaders from every section of the nation and several hundred Scouts of other lands will camp together from June 30 to July 6.

In many communities and at state capitals, Scouts will be greeted by civic leaders and will take part in ceremonies related to the Crusade.

In accordance with tradition, Scouts everywhere will rededicate themselves to the Scout Oath and Law on February 8 at 8:15 o'clock in the respective time zones.

During Boy Scout Week, parents of Scouts and friends will visit Troop meetings and see for themselves that the Scout Unit is a demonstration of democracy at work. The Scouts and their guest will enjoy an evening of campfire songs, skits, games and stunts. This year, as part of their observance of the Crusade, many meetings will feature a ceremony of lighting a special torch to emphasize its aims.

School authorities in countless communities have arranged for pupils who are Scouts to put on demonstrations in school assemblies. Many public and private schools act as sponsoring institutions for Scout Units. The latest National Council report to Congress shows that 16 percent of the 71,000 Scout Units in America are sponsored by educational institutions.

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This week's question: What building, organization, started in 1891, was named after the daughters of two of its first officers, and still exists after almost 100 years?

If you can answer this question, fill out the entry below and bring it by the Devil's River News office at 220 N. E. Main. There will be a drawing from all correct entries and the winner will be announced in the following weeks paper. This week's prize: One large single topping pizza from Pizza Hut

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Agriculture Leadership Program applications due February 15

Applications are being accepted through February 15 for participation in the Texas Agricultural Lifetime Leadership (TALL) program, sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The program provides leadership training over a two-year period to a selected group of 25 to 30 people through seminars and travel around the state and in foreign countries. "Agricultural leaders must make some critical decisions in the years ahead," said Dr. L. S. Pope, who coordinates the TALL program at Texas A&M University. "This program seeks to help develop potential leaders and provide them with a broadened knowledge of a range of complex issues."

The 24 participants in the first TALL program, completed in December, toured 10 key agricultural areas in Texas, traveled to Washington, D.C., and northern Europe, and met 175 leaders in agriculture. The program includes 12 meetings of two to three days, scheduled every other month.

Pope said applicants must be between the ages of 25 and 40, show leadership ability, and have an association with agriculture. Cost of the program is \$1,000. Applications are available from county Extension agents or by writing Pope at 242 Kleberg Center, Texas A&M, College Station, Texas 77843.

Concho Valley Agency on Aging to sponsor insurance seminar Feb. 7

The Concho Valley Area Agency on Aging will sponsor a seminar on insurance related issues concerning the elderly on February 7 at the Concho Valley Council of Governments Training Center, 5014 Knickerbocker Road, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The presentation will be made by representatives from the State Board of Insurance.

The seminar is for professionals

in aging and will be of particular interest to persons in social services. Topics that will be covered are: Medicare Supplement Insurance, long term care policies,

cancer and hospital indemnity insurance, general information on the State Board of Insurance--Market Conduct Division, and how to file a complaint with the State Board of Insurance.

Sutton County oil and gas report

J. W. Mulloy Associates Inc., Midland, will re-enter and clean out to 3,983-feet at the No. 1 Allison, former a Canyon gas producer in the Branch, North multipay field, to attempt completion as the current second Adams Branch gas producer, a location southeast extension to that pay, 3/8-mile north of the current one-well Strawn gas well, all in the field and 10 miles northeast of Sonora.

No background information available. According to proration book, the field has one Adams Branch gas producer and one that is shut in.

Location is 361 feet from the south and 600 feet from the west lines of 90_9_TW&WG Survey. Ground elevation is 2,359 feet.

Graham Royalty Ltd., Houston, will drill four wildcats in Sutton County and will also test in the Shurley Ranch (Canyon gas) area. All projects are surrounded by that pay and approximately 10 miles southwest of Sonora.

The No. 185-6 Duke Wilson, is a location south of a 670-foot failure.

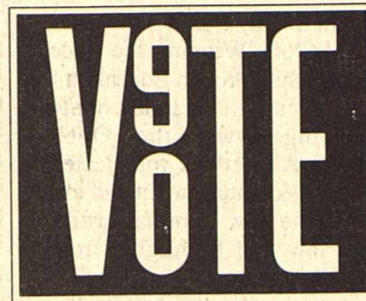
Location spots 300 feet from the north and 850 feet from the east lines of 185-C-HE&WT Survey, Abst. 472. Contract depth is 8,750 feet; ground

elevation is 1,989 feet.

The No. 129-7 Mark Cauthorn, is 1,450 feet from the south and 192 feet from the east lines of 129-C-HE&WT, Abst. 444. Contract depth is 7,700 feet; ground elevation is 2,199 feet.

The No. 40-6 Duke Wilson, is 1,301 feet from the south and 2,250 feet from the west lines of 40-C-TT&RR Survey, Abst. 1696. Contract depth is 8,900 feet; ground elevation is 1,981 feet.

The No. 40-7 Duke Wilson, is 461 feet from the south and 725 feet from the east lines of 40-C-TT&RR Survey, Abst. 1696. Contract depth is 8,800 feet; ground elevation is 2,075 feet.



SATELLITE TV SPECTRUM

BY TONY IMPARATO

Microwave Interference: It's Not from Your Oven

It's hard to match the great picture quality available via satellite. But occasionally we run across undesirable "sparklies" on our screen. Usually the culprit is microwave interference. Not the oven mom cooks with, but the two-way communications relays used by Ma Bell.

Known as TI (terrestrial interference), these signals appear in the same frequency range as satellites. Not all dangerous, the presence of TI in rural areas is low, but the closer you move to a big city, the greater are your chances of encountering it. Most light TI can be cleared up with the use of your satellite receiver's internal filter.

The smartest solution to a TI problem is to avoid it. When a dealer surveys your location, he should identify the presence of any TI and recommend the "quietest" location for the dish. Many times this means placing it near the ground, where it's shielded by walls and shrubbery.

Somehow, I should have expected to come face to face with TI—my very own initials! Unlucky enough to be in the path of four towers, I didn't have enough space in my back yard to keep the dish on the ground. An unusual situation, but with the addition of a couple easy-to-install external filters, my problem disappeared.

Microwave Filter Co. (Syracuse, NY) has a large selection of filters which let you "dial out" interference. Advanced Scientific Products (Lexington, KY) offers a filter which allows you to adjust, or "narrow," the bandwidth, and Phantom Engineering (Morgan Hill, CA) has a model that offers both these features in one unit. Each company offers technical assistance

and a 30-day trial period. But this is no substitute for consulting a knowledgeable dealer.

On the programming side, February is national Black History Month and the Family Channel has historic mini-series planned all week. *The Fight Against Slavery* (February 5-7) is a six-hour epic that spans nearly a century, and *The Jesse Owens Story* (February 8-9) salutes the spirit of one of the world's greatest Olympic athletes. The Movie Channel airs *Mississippi Burning* (February 8), the tense drama starring Willem Dafoe and Gene Hackman.

The Disney Channel provides your family with tickets to a concert that has been selling out across the country: *New Kids on the Block: Hangin' Tough* (February 10) features one of the hottest young groups since the Beatles.

Catch the real women wrestlers, not just models and actresses, in the world's only pro women's competition sanctioned by the Ladies Professional Wrestling Association, *Ladies Wrestling* (Saturdays, Prime Ticket), and watch the New York Rangers face off against the Stanley Cup champion Calgary Flames (MSG, February 11).

And Ronnie Milsap performs country favorites like "Snap Your Fingers" and "A Woman In Love" on *Ronnie Milsap—Back Home Again* (The Nashville Network, February 5).

Tony Imparato covers the television industry from Los Angeles. For specific times and satellite channels, please check your satellite listings.

February Festivals & Events

The following events, selected by Michelle Weber at the Tourism Division of the Texas Department of Commerce, are but a few of the many excellent opportunities offered by communities across the state.

Feb. 1-4 — 53rd Texas Citrus Fiesta. An "a-peeling" celebration! Get a tan, drink a can (of juice) and celebrate the rich citrus harvest in the subtropical Rio Grande Valley. Thursday is the coronation of fiesta royalty. A costume style show features original creations adorned with valley-grown agricultural products. Don't miss Saturday's parade of oranges with spectacular floats made of Ruby Red grapefruit, oranges, cabbage leaves, palm fronds and more. Mariachis, Mexican folklorico, a quilt show, carnival, orange-seed spitting contest, golf tourney and more round out the celebration. For more details, contact the Texas Citrus Fiesta, P.O. Box 407, Mission 78572 (512/585-9724).

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Feb. 2 — Cowboy Breakfast, San Antonio. This early morning breakfast at Central Park Mall attracts some 10,000 hungry visitors. Chow down on breakfast tacos, hot biscuits with gravy and coffee. Entertainment by Fire On the Mountain Cloggers and Carolyn Steele & Southern Fever. For more information, contact Terri Delgado, North San Antonio Chamber of Commerce, 45 N.E. Loop 410, Suite 100, San Antonio 78216 (512/344-4848).

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Feb. 3 — Cookie Chill Off, Terlingua. Terlingua doesn't stop with chili! Bake with the best at the umpteenth annual cookie cook-off. Treat your taste buds to no-bake pies, cookies and other desserts. Burn calories by participating in the smoker's 100-yard dash, tortilla toss, story-telling and folk singing sessions. For more information, contact Steve Harris, Box 135, Terlingua 79852 (915/371-2489 or 2234).

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Feb. 8 — Last Great Gunfight, Fort Worth. "Gambler" Luke Short was the only man ever to outdraw the city's most popular marshal, "Longhair" Jim Courtright. Mock gunfighters reenact the last great gunfight of the west in front of the modern-day White Elephant Saloon in the historic Stockyards. Don't miss singer Don Edwards and the slide show covering the history of the Fort Worth Stockyard. For more information, contact Jane Wade, 108 E. Exchange Ave., Fort Worth 76106 (817/624-8241).

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Feb. 9-18 — 93rd Washington's Birthday Celebration, Laredo. More than 300,000 visitors flock to both sides of the border for binational parades, pageants, dances, foods, fireworks, a carnival and mariachi music to honor George Washington. For more information, contact Jodi Powell, P.O. Box 816, Laredo 78042 (512/722-0589).

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Obituaries

Granville Barker

Granville B. Barker, 79, died January 24 in Hudspeth Memorial Nursing Home.

Services for Mr. Barker were held Friday, January 26 at Kerbow Funeral Home Chapel with burial in Sonora Cemetery.

He was born March 3, 1910, in Brady, and had lived in Sonora since 1934. He was a rancher and horse trainer and a member of the Church of Christ. He was a member of the Fling Ding Club and a member of the United Thoroughbred Trainers of America.

Survivors include his wife, Marguerite Barker of Sonora; two daughters, Peggy Fowler of Sonora and Billie Joe Nicholas of Houston; four grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Marcela Olguin

Marcela Olguin, a homemaker, died January 18 at a San Antonio Hospital. She was 78.

Rosary was at Zapata & Johnson Funeral Home in Fort Worth. Mass was held at All Saints Catholic Church with burial in Oakwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Olguin was born in Mexico. She had lived in Fort Worth many years.

Survivors include her husband, Tomas Olguin of Fort Worth; two sons, Jesus Olguin and Lauro Olguin, both of Fort Worth; three daughters, Maria Maldonado and Guadalupe Vallejo both of Fort Worth, and Manuela San Miguel of Sonora; two sisters, Josefa Hidalgo and Rosa Hidalgo, both of Mexico; 29 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

Dorothy B. Dullnig

Mrs. Dorothy B. Dullnig, 78, of 217 Allensworth, San Antonio, died in a local hospital on December 31 1989. Although Mrs. Dullnig was born in Tennessee on January 20, 1911, she moved at an early age to Texas with her parents and considered herself a true and devoted Texan.

She was educated in private schools in the San Antonio area and at St. Mary's Catholic School in Austin. She participated in the war effort as a supervisor in the Personnel Division at Kelly Air Force Base.

During the war years, she married Rex Dullnig and until his death in 1953 they owned and managed the Sonora Courts in Sonora; she sold the courts and for many happy years owned and managed a ranch near Van Horn. Her sunset years were spent in San Antonio.

She is survived by one brother, P. E. Buchanan, and three nephews, P. E. Buchanan Jr., of Vallejo, California and Don and Bill Buchanan of South Euclid, Ohio.

Mrs. Dullnig donated her body to the University of Texas Health Science Center.

Joe C. Trainer

Joe C. Trainer passed away January 15, 1990, at the age of 84, in Seguin, Texas where he had made his home for the past ten years.

Mr. Trainer was born in Sonora, on May 25, 1905. He was the fourth of twelve children of Fred and Rena (Adams) Trainer. He married Ena Mildred Hurst in San Angelo on December 24, 1928. They started their married life living and working on the Jim Cauthorn Ranch. Mr. Trainer later went into the construction business and worked on jobs in many places in the United States and old Mexico.

His residence for many years was in Pasadena, Texas, where he retired in 1970.

Mr. Trainer was a Master Mason and a member of Dee Ora Lodge 715, Sonora, for more than fifty years.

Mr. Trainer is survived by his wife of sixty-one years, Ena Mildred, and two children, J. C. Trainer, Jr. and wife Kay, of Seguin, and Beverly Jones and husband Ted, of Houston; eight grandchildren; seven great grandchildren; brothers George Trainer of Pasadena, Jack Trainer of Del Rio; sisters, Frances Shanks of Pasadena, Dee Nevill of Eastland and Serena Siverling of Baytown; and a number of nieces and nephews.

4-H's giving initial training to guide dog puppies

Seven Labrador retriever puppies from Florida are spending the first year of their guide-dog lives with 4-H club members in East Texas.

The dogs are part of an agreement between the Smith County office of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and Southeastern Guide Dogs, Inc., Palmetto, Florida.

"Most of the guide-dog organizations in the country arrange for foster families to take care of their dogs from about eight weeks of age until they are 14 to 16 months old," said Chris Bull, Smith County extension agent, who initiated the program. "Our effort is a pilot program in Texas requiring at least six participating families."

According to the American Federation for the Blind, approximately 1 percent of the U.S. population is legally blind. "In Texas, 198,000 citizens are blind or severely visually impaired," said Rolando Garza, public information officer for the Texas Commission for the Blind. "About 40,000 of these are legally blind and could benefit from having a guide dog."

"Currently, 10 guide dog schools produce about 800 trained dogs per year for the blind," said Julie Aichroth, puppy program supervisor and trainer for Southeastern Guide Dogs. "We have about 20 dogs in our breeding program and accept a few donated puppies each year."

Two of the puppies are in Wood County with Deborah and Sara Shipman, Hawkins; one is in Gregg County with Sissy Casper, Longview; one is in Cherokee County with Rebekah White; and the other three are in Smith County with Carlisle Brinkley, Whitehouse; Joan Chabot, Lindale; and Andrea Dupree, Tyler.

"The 4-H families that received the puppies have an opportunity to interact with very special dogs," Bull said. "These seven puppies are from a litter of 10. Past history shows this particular breeding to produce a 95 percent success rate. These dogs are very intelligent and have the right temperament to be guides."

Sara and Deborah Shipman each have a puppy to care for. "No major problems have been encountered," Sara said. Her puppy, Clare, is a live wire. "She has a real sense of rhythm and keeps time to music with her tail."

"It has been a real challenge to have two dogs in the house," said Sally Shipman, mother of Sara and Deborah. "Their personalities are entirely different. They already weigh about 25 pounds each. The experience has been rewarding and it probably would not be difficult to talk us into doing it again. The Gladewater Library Board has given us permission to take the puppies inside the library. Cooperation has been excellent."

Deborah echoes the sentiments. "We are helping other people be able to do things for themselves," she said.

The activity is part of the 4-H dog care and training program. However, raising a guide dog puppy is a unique opportunity. Any youngster with an interest in animals can learn responsibility and basic care and management practices.

During the next year, each foster family will provide their puppy with love, safety and the socialization necessary for it to be well adjusted to any situation it may encounter as a guide dog.

After the puppies are housebroken, public exposure starts. "This is where local

businesses can assist the puppy raisers by allowing them to come into buildings," Bull said. "The dogs will be wearing jackets identifying them as guide-dogs in training. They need to be exposed to many different things, including stairs and elevators."

The families of the 4-Hers who take the dogs pay for the food and receive compensation for veterinary expenses not donated. East Texas veterinarians Drs. Michael Dixon, Bill Jernigan, Jim Lovrick, Steve Wilson, Tony Lobue and Grady Ellis are donating most of the veterinary services the puppies will require during the next year.

After about a year in Texas, the puppies will be returned to Florida for more formal training. The last 26 days of training includes continuous contact with the blind people they will guide for the next eight to 10 years.

"The continuation of the program in Texas depends upon the interest generated and grouping of puppies," Aichroth said. "To expedite transportation and coordination of the program, we like to have the puppies with families in close proximity of each other."

The 4-H members and their families have been invited to attend graduation after the dogs receive the final six months of training in Florida. Most of them are making plans for a reunion with their puppies and to meet the person who gets the dog.

"We will then have something in common with that person and know that we helped someone have a better life," said Sara.

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11:25 p.m. Hudspeth Hospital called and requested an officer to check on someone wanting money for gasoline. Officer House responded.

Saturday, January 27

4:19 a.m. Clerk at IH 10 Texaco had a male customer requesting assistance from the police. Officer House was dispatched.

8:40 a.m. Female caller who lives on Tayloe Avenue reported that someone was driving across her lawn. Chief Gesch was dispatched.

8:44 a.m. Crockett Avenue resident reported that she had a cat in a trap. ACO notified.

9:17 a.m. Officer requested at the Ramirez Exxon station to unlock a vehicle. Chief Gesch responded.

9:44 a.m. Female reported the sewer bubbling up in the alley in the 500 block of Glasscock Avenue.

3:26 p.m. Manager at the Town & Country requested an officer to go by in reference to shoplifting. Chief Gesch responded.

3:40 p.m. Officer requested to unlock a red Buick parked in front of Perry's Dept. Store. Chief Gesch responded.

3:50 p.m. Two subjects were at the Sheriff's Office requesting travelers assistance with gasoline money. Chief Gesch was dispatched and checked them out.

7:50 p.m. Suspicious person at Victor's Auto Parts. Checked out by Officer Routh.

8:45 p.m. Brown and biege Ford pickup parked in the road on Del Rio Street near Tayloe Avenue. Officers Routh and Humphrey had vehicle operator move vehicle closer to curb.

9:30 p.m. Clerk at Jug requested an escort to the bank. Officers Routh and Humphrey provided escort.

Sunday, January 28

8:45 a.m. Officer requested to unlock a vehicle at the Circle K Store. Chief Gesch responded.

9:50 a.m. Subjects requested aid with gasoline. Chief Gesch assisted.

11:45 a.m. Two males at the Sutton County Jail requested assistance with gasoline money. Chief Gesch was dispatched.

12:50 p.m. A report that a drunk man was hanging around outside the Town & Country waiting to buy beer. Chief Gesch convinced the man's brother to take the man on to Laredo without the additional refreshment.

2:45 p.m. A family of three traveling through from Los Angeles to San Antonio in a U-Haul truck requested assistance with fuel because their funds were stolen in El Paso. Chief Gesch was dispatched.



FIRD, SECONST AND THIND? The old saying "It's a mighty poor mind that can only think of one way to spell a word" certainly applies to the person responsible for this confusing street sign in Sonora.

Feb. 10 - March 1 — FotoFest '90, Houston. More than 80 international photography exhibits will be featured. A Czechoslovakian show, never seen before in the U.S., will showcase the work of more than a dozen contemporary Czech photographers.

FotoFest '90 also will host three Japanese exhibits, works from the Soviet Union, India, Bulgaria, Mexico, Chile, Great Britain, Germany and Italy, as well as historical and contemporary American photography. A laser video disc library will show the works of hundreds of other photographers. A workshop by some of America's leading photographers also will be held. Exhibitions will be housed in a futuristic global village. For more information, contact Mary Margaret Hansen, 4200 Montrose, Suite 100, Houston 77006 (713/522-9766).

Feb. 10 — International Jubilee, Wichita Falls. Local merchants showcase customs and crafts from Europe, the Far East and Mexico, as well as Afro-American. Fill up on a variety of ethnic specialties. Live entertainment includes Spanish and Middle Eastern dancers, English handbells, bag pipes and more international entertainment. For more information, contact Paula Moers, The Convention & Visitors Bureau, P.O. Box 1860, Wichita Falls 76707 (817/723-2741).

Feb. 10-11 — All-Valley Woodcarving & Sculpture Competition & Exhibition, Harlingen. Carve with the best of the carvers. Chips-O-Tex invites all wood and non-wood carvers and sculptors from across the U.S., Canada and Mexico to come use your hands. All entries will be judged by nationally known wood carvers Richard and John Engler and Harold Emlow. Sixty-two ribbons will be awarded to 13 categories. If you don't win one of the 15 to 20 door prizes, many items will be for sale. For more information, contact Wally Lueth, 119 Wildwood, Harlingen 78550 (512/423-6295).

Feb. 16-17 — Jalapeno Festival, Laredo. Spice up your weekend with a little pepper...the jalapeno. This spicy Texas delicacy is honored by two days of fun festivities. Don't miss the Miss Jalapeno pageant, jalapeno recipe contest and international waiters race. Even native tongues beware of the hottest competition of all, the jalapeno-eating contest. For more information, contact Jodi Powell, P.O. Box 816, Laredo 78042 (512/722-0589).

Feb. 16-18 — American Country Peddler Show, Austin. Browse through booth after booth of country frocks, furniture, quilts, pottery, Nantucket baskets, Amish dolls, country art and more. Lively folk music featuring the Sweet Songs String Band can be heard all three days. All events held in The Texas Exposition & Heritage Center. For more information, contact Wendy Ely, P.O. Box 560, Dewitt 48820 (517/669-5162).

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I started at home on the kitchen table with no capital. Within a year I was taking in over \$20,000 A WEEK... MORE THAN A MILLION DOLLARS A YEAR. You heard me right, OVER A MILLION DOLLARS A YEAR! I went from driving an old beat up Pick-Up to a Brand New Lincoln Continental. I paid for it in cash. I bought a new home in a prestigious neighborhood, a waterfront summer cottage, and a Townhouse in Florida. I do not mean to brag, but these are my results using this amazing money making system. Do not envy me, join me!

THE SECRET REVEALED

I knew then I had discovered a revolutionary new money making program that would continue to make me thousands of dollars a day. It seemed so easy. I asked myself why everybody wasn't rich? Then it dawned on me that not everyone knew about this secret method of making money. You do not need special training or even a college education for this money making system to work for you.

Once you have learned how to use it, your money worries will be over for life. You will have financial security and peace of mind. This money making system is perfectly legal and amazingly simple. It has nothing to do with real estate, the stock market, or gambling of any kind. It does not matter what your financial situation is now. You can start this money making program at home in your spare time with less than \$15.00. In a few short weeks you will see the cash start to roll in. Once you put this money making

system to work for you, the sky's the limit! You will have cash to spend on whatever you want, whenever you want it. Think of it! Enough cash to finally put an end to economic nightmares forever!

HERE'S PROOF

I am sure you are somewhat skeptical at this point. That just shows you have good business sense. Read what a few people had to say about my money making program.

Dear Mark,
I ordered your program 3 months ago and started using it the day I got it. To say the least I was shocked at the results. Last month I deposited over \$11,000 in my bank account. Thank you so much.
N.C., Stuart, Florida

Dear Mark,
When I first saw your article I had my doubts. I said to myself I might as well try it, at least I'll be \$25.00 ahead with your guarantee. Well, your material changed my life from being flat broke in July to practically a millionaire in December! If I can do it, anyone can.
J.S., San Diego, CA

Dear Mark,
Before I ordered your money making method, I was slaving away cutting lawns for \$4.00 an hour. At 19 years old my future looked bleak. Last week I made over \$14,000 in less than 20 hours of work. I am the envy of all my friends. Thanks for a new life!
J.B., Loudonville, NY

IT'S UP TO YOU

Your life can change now by taking simple action. Order my money making program today and see for yourself. All you have to do is follow the step-by-step procedures I provide you with. It will only take you about an hours reading time to master the program. If you can see yourself being rich, you will be rich! I make it easy for you. Included in my

manual is my unlisted telephone number for you to call anytime you need help. I guarantee that within a week of using my money making method you will see the cash start to roll in. With my money making system, your success is guaranteed!

\$25.00 CASH BONUS

I am so sure that my money making program will work for you, I am going to offer you a guarantee that no one else can. You either raise \$15,000 using my money making system, or I will send you a certified check for \$25.00. That's right, \$25.00 just for giving my money making program an honest try. The only reason I can offer you a guarantee like this is because I know you are going to make alot of money copying my money making system. So much money that I am putting up \$25.00 to prove it to you. Its that simple. You have nothing to lose and everything to gain. The risk is mine.

ORDER TODAY

It is not too late for you to start making money with my program. Do not be stopped by your fears. The single most limiting emotion in you is the fear of failure. I urge you to fill out the coupon below and send it to me today. I will do everything in my power to see that my money making program works for you. There is no risk on your part. Order Now! The supply of my material is limited. Orders will be filled on a first-come, first-serve basis. Don't miss this opportunity. I may not offer it again.

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Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the City of Sonora is now calling for bids for two (2) 1990 cars for the Police Department. Specifications may be obtained from the City Secretary's Office, 201 N. E. Main, Sonora, Texas 76950. All bids must be sealed and addressed to the City Secretary, 201 N. E. Main, Sonora, Texas 76950. The bid envelope must be clearly marked "SEALED BID - POLICE CARS" and returned to the City Secretary's office prior to February 20, 1990, at 9:00 a.m., at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The City of Sonora reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Inquiries should be directed to Chief Brent Gesch, 304 E. Oak, (915) 387-3888. (2/1)

Real Estate

Freshly remodeled 2 Bdr. house in Eldorado located at 604 Old Sonora Rd. (across from car wash) Call Ray Smith or A.W. Bishop at Sutton County National Bank, 387-2593. (P)

311 Santa Rosa...2 BR, 1 B, 1,034 sq. ft. Sonora, Sutton County.
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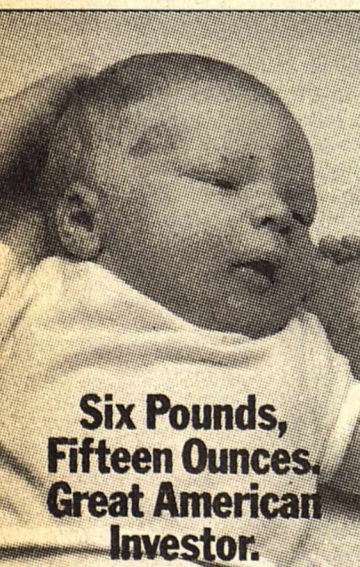
505 College...Behind Junior High. Part of Lot 6 and 8, City of Sonora, Sutton County, TX.
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See JoAnn Jones, Mike Hale or Harold McEwen or call (915) 387-3861

For sale 2 Bdr. 2 B. ceiling fans, carpet, stove, A/C, deck. No equity, 438 Poplar, phone 387-3461. (P)

House for Sale, 1600 square feet, located near school on Crockett Street. 387-6577 (P)

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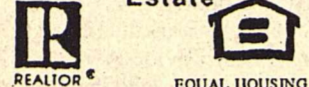
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Residential Property NEW LISTINGS

Taylor St.: nice 3BR, 2B, Fire-place, Fenced, Carport \$59,500.00

Oakwood: Extra Nice 3 BR, 2B, brick home with attached 2 car garage.

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Priced at \$89,500.00

Glasscock: 2BR, den, 1 car garage
Glasscock: 3 BR, 2B, Den, 2 car garage \$49,500.00

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Large 3BR, 2B, garage, shop, \$5,000 down, 10%, 20 years payment \$337.75

3BR, 1BA, with mobile home lot, \$5,000 down, 10%, 20 year payments \$337.75

2BR, 1B, with furnished apt., \$5,000 down, 10%, 10 years payments \$317.16

Prospect: Exceptional well built 3 B, 2 B with 2 car carport. Detached shop and store room. Beautiful yard. \$55,000.00

Taylor: 2 Br, 1 B, Home & 2 Br, 1 B, Mobile Home. \$18,000.00

Glasscock: 3 B, 2 B with carport. Make Offer

Glasscock: Why rent? Invest-1 B house, bath, living room and kitchen. Only \$16,000.00

Water St.: Nice 4 B, 3 B, beautiful kitchen on large lot. \$75,000.00

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Deerwood: Restricted building lots.


Taylor: 4Br, 2B, & 3 Br, 2 B, Mobile Home. Priced to Sell.

Castle Hill: Exceptional Home, lg. and beautiful. Custom designed and remodeled in 1985 and virtually unused since. This home has amenities and interior features that you must see to believe. The remodeling cost exceeded the present selling price. Please call for details.

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Rent/Lease

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

For rent 4,000 sq. ft. warehouse on large lot. 2 offices and truck dock. Call 387-2666 for information. (P)

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Mobile Homes

For Sale 1985 Invision Mobile Home, 14x72, 2Bdr., 2 B. Presently on private lot. Call 387-2171. (P)

For Sale-1980 Nuway Chateau mobile home-3 Bdr., 2 bath, step up kitchen, central heat and AC. \$8,500, call 387-5274. (P)

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

Autos for Sale

For Sale - 1987 Chevy S-10 pickup. Excellent condition. Call 387-2144. (P)

For Sale

Clearance on all in stock Office Supplies. Devil's River News, 220 N. E. Main

New and Rebuilt Maytag washers and dryers at Sonora Electric, 211 N.E. Main. Phone 387-2714. (P)

For Sale 6' Leer Camper Shell Fits S-10, Ford Ranger & Nissan Pick ups. Call James at 387-2702.

Lost/Found

LOST Tuesday, December 19, wristwatch-Concorder super thin with black lizard leather band-sapphire in the stem. Call 387-6577 REWARD. (2/22)

Services

Get your income tax refund in 14 days. For information call 387-6562. (2/22)

VIDEOTAPING AVAILABLE

Capture your family's special moments on film, to treasure for years to come. Weddings, recitals, ballgames, birthday parties, school plays, and more! Can also make extra copies of your home videos. Call Kathy Hardgrave at 387-2227. (6/14)

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Come to Sonora Air Cooled Engine, 413 S.E. Concho to get your chainsaw chains sharpened. Call 387-3400. (P)

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I will do household repairs, carpentry, electrical and plumbing, etc. For reasonable rates, call Robert Akins after 5 and weekends, 387-5920. (P)

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Help Wanted

Company now taking applications for full-charge bookkeeper with PC experience in all areas of accounting. Duties include payroll reports, state reports, accounts receivable, accounts payable, general ledger and financial statements. Please send resume stating qualifications, experience and salary requirements to Box L, 220 N. E. Main, DRN, Sonora, Texas 76950. (2/8)

Nursing Positions in Sonora

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

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Martha Valliant McLain

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LOTS: Hwy 277 S.; Old Elliott School plot; Near swimming pool; 3 lots; near Wool House; Near Concho Concrete; 2nd St. by Draw; Meadow Creek; 2nd St. near Castle Hills; Concho St.; Near school with sprinklers.

ACREAGE: 121 acres-2nd St. Old 290; 20 acres-behind hospital; 277 S.-Central St.

COMMERCIAL: Storage buildings, part Elliott School, St. Ann's lot with 2 hook-ups, Old Western Auto Bldg., Fiddler's Restaurant for lease

RESIDENTIAL: 3BR, 2B, good construction, C/H, 1400+ sq. ft. good buy \$25,000 --- Mobile Home, 3 yrs. old mint condition, 3BR, 2B, well-insulated, large porch, wonderful first home --- 3BR, 2B, 2000+ sq. ft., wood burning stove, spacious, liveable, wonderful backyard --- 3BR, 2B, Office, good kitchen, excellent buy, 2nd St.

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Service Directory

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Robert Johnson - Owner

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This reliable concern will not only take care of your termite problems but they will eradicate *all* types of insect and rodent pests including fleas, roaches, ticks, rats and mice. They utilize only the latest spraying techniques so that you needn't fear for the safety of your children and pets.

The **JOHNSON PEST CONTROL** issues real estate, FHA and VA termite reports for prospective homeowners. Their fast, accurate service has become the standard of the industry and they maintain a record of all jobs for future reference.

The authors of this 1990 Business Review suggest that you contact this well-known firm for complete eradication of insect and rodent pests!

SAN ANGELO ABSTRACT CO.

Jerry Beavins - Manager

Located at 136 W. Twohig - Suite E in San Angelo, phone 658-8587, the **SAN ANGELO ABSTRACT CO.** has considerable experience in matters regarding land and its ownership. They are one of the area's leading title insurance firms and they perform many invaluable services to homeowners and businessmen throughout this section.

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WEAVER & SONS SEPTIC TANK CLEANING SERVICE

Jessie Weaver - Owner/Operator

Expert septic tank cleaning and grease trap service is available in this area from **WEAVER & SONS SEPTIC TANK CLEANING SERVICE** at 916 E. 37th in San Angelo, phone day or night 655-5453.

This respected firm specializes in the cleaning and sanitizing of septic tank systems of all types and their quality work has won them the admiration of leading contractors and homeowners alike.

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The writers of this 1990 Business Review suggest that you contact this well known firm for all of your septic tank cleaning problems.

JUNCTION WAREHOUSE CO.

C.T. Holekamp III - Owner

The **JUNCTION WAREHOUSE CO.** located at 810 Main in Junction, phone 446-2537, renders a vital service to farmers and ranchers throughout the area.

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JUNCTION WAREHOUSE CO. also carries a full line of ranch supplies including fertilizers, insecticides and vet supplies. They pay top prices for wool and mohair.

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SAN ANGELO VIDEO SYSTEMS

Kevin Harris - Owner 

When people of this area are shopping for a satellite system, they want a quality system and should do business with a reputable firm. With so many new systems flooding the market, people need to beware of those "fly by night" companies that are "here today and gone tomorrow."

For guaranteed sales and service after the sale, people in this area do business with **SAN ANGELO VIDEO SYSTEMS**.

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The authors of this 1990 Business Review suggest that YOU stop in and give SEED MART, INC. a try! We think you'll be glad you did come harvest time!

RUBIO'S DIESEL SERVICE

Jaun Rublo - Owner

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WAL-MART PHARMACY

Bill Lehne - Pharmacist

Save on all of the prescription drugs you and your family need at the WAL-MART PHARMACY, the discount drug store!

This well-liked drug store is located at 2701 Southwest Boulevard inside the WAL-MART store, in San Angelo, phone 942-7682, and they offer all of the name brand pharmaceuticals at tremendous savings. You can always save money on the prescriptions you need, by shopping here! When you come to San Angelo, have your prescription filled while you do your other shopping at WAL-MART.

This well-liked drug stores specializes in extra-service prescriptions AND all types of "over-the-counter" medicines, vitamins and other general health aids. Their prices are very competitive and they'll do everything they can to insure that you *know* your business is appreciated. They offer phone service, yearly tax records of your prescription purchases, and much more.

The writers of this 1990 Business Review would like to commend this fine drug store for their years of service to the residents of the area and we urge all of our readers to shop where service comes first: The WAL-MART PHARMACY in San Angelo!

ANGELO VISION CENTER

Dr. Anthony Alvarez - Optometrist

If you find that you have some type of vision problem and your doctor says you need glasses, consider the modern method of vision correction: soft contact lenses! One of the very best places to go for your new contacts is one of the contact lens specialist: ANGELO VISION CENTER located at 2509 South Johnson in San Angelo, phone 949-0913.

This respected firm will give you a complete eye examination and offers some of the largest selections in quality eyewear anywhere. They are experts at fitting them properly for optimum comfort and function. You'll look better, AND you'll be able to see better with quality contact lenses from this well known concern.

ANGELO VISION CENTER features the daily wear (thrifty line) soft contact lens, which includes contact lenses, exam, solutions and follow up for only \$108.95. Also look for their bargains on other quality eye wear!

The authors of this 1990 Business Review suggest that if you wear glasses, you consider soft contacts from this optical specialist.



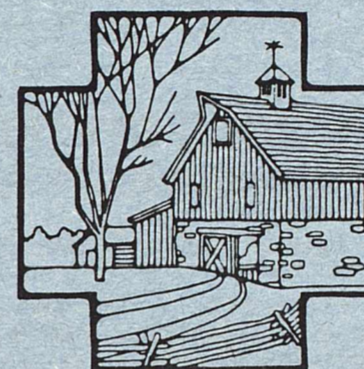
WOOL GROWERS CENTRAL STORAGE CO.

Eddie Stewart - Manager

In reviewing the various leaders of the trade area we're proud to include WOOL GROWERS CENTRAL STORAGE CO. at 607 Ave. H, in Ozona, phone 392-3731. People of this area have come to respect their efforts to serve their customers in the fairest way possible.

WOOL GROWERS CENTRAL STORAGE CO. is widely recognized as offering the fairest high market prices for wool and mohair that they sell on consignment for their customers. Not only have their service helped stimulate the growth and financial strength of this area, but they help to bring greater prosperity to many people.

We are pleased to have this opportunity to make public our appreciation of the community minded efforts this firm has taken, and make a recommendation to the people here that they contact them for fair and honest business dealings.



WESTERMAN DRUG

Ken Windham - Owner

WESTERMAN DRUG at 114 South Chadbourne in San Angelo, phone 655-7378, is in one drug store where you can save money on EVERYTHING you buy!

This respected community member even offers generous reductions on the prices of prescription drugs!

This is one pharmacy where extra service goes right along with the low, low everyday prices. You may open a convenient charge account if you desire...have your prescriptions phoned in DELIVERED or MAILED. Yes, there's low prices AND extra service at WESTERMAN DRUG!

This well known "saving store" also features all of the items you normally look for in a modern drug store.

The writers of this 1990 Business Review suggest that all area residents make it a habit to shop at this fine discount drug store.

RED'S LIQUOR STORE

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PUSTKA PAINTING

Robert & Dorothy Pustka - Owners

"Locally Owned & Operated"

Regardless of what time of year it is...RIGHT NOW is the time to start thinking about making those needed improvements! One thing that will make a WORLD of difference in the appearance of your home or business is a new paint job inside and out and, in the San Angelo area, that means a call to PUSTKA PAINTING!

Located at 7705 Raven Road, phone 658-1040, this experienced contractor stands for quality and integrity when it comes to painting. Since they do both interior AND exterior work, you needn't search for separate firms to do the total job...wallpaper, special finished and many other unique services are also offered by this outstanding contractor!

Did you realize that the exterior of any structure should be painted about every five years to retain that like-new beauty? The interior doesn't have to face the weather but still requires touch-up work and, in some cases, a complete job ever so often. Painting is recommended in the instance that you plan to keep your home or business and is AN ABSOLUTE NECESSITY IF YOU ARE PLANNING TO SELL!

The editors of this 1990 Business Review suggest that you call the best first! Discuss your painting plans with THE area's painting & wallpaper specialists: That's PUSTKA PAINTING!

BONNIE'S UPHOLSTERY

Family Owned & Operated

18 Years Experience

What are some of the reasons that many smart businessmen and homeowners choose BONNIE'S UPHOLSTERY in San Angelo at 815 E. 21 St., phone 655-2431, to take care of their re-upholstering problems? Well, this experienced firm does the entire job, for one! Bring your furniture, in and they'll recover it perfectly and have it ready for you in a very short period of time. Second: They stock one of the region's largest selections of fine fabrics, vinyls, naugahyde and leathers. Another reason is that this respected company features a very competitive rate on all shop labor.

Regardless of what type of furniture upholstery work you need...BONNIE'S UPHOLSTERY will be able to take care of it! Their craftsmen have the tools, the materials and the experience to handle most any furniture upholstery task and they insist on your complete satisfaction. When you're looking for the ultimate in quality furniture upholstery work, just remember to call BONNIE'S UPHOLSTERY!

The writers of this 1990 Business Review think you'll be glad you did!

ESTES BOOKKEEPING & TAX SERVICE

Betty Estes - Owner

Bookkeeping, accounting, tax returns, payrolls, financial statements and records set up are some of the many outstanding services performed by ESTES BOOKKEEPING & TAX SERVICE, located on Highway 87 North in Mason, phone 347-6631.

Nothing can be more important than accurate bookkeeping. They offer an expert service the year around to businessmen, farmers, ranchers and any individual requiring help in keeping accurate records for the purpose of tax returns. They are familiar with government requirements and regulations and can properly report your taxes in a manner that will satisfy government audit and yet give you every deductible advantage possible.

We strongly urge that you call this excellent firm at once for your bookkeeping needs.

CATTLEMAN'S PRODUCTION CREDIT ASSOCIATION

Ronnie Reinisch - Office Manager

Take your financial needs for the year to your Production Credit Association who are specialists in lending money for entire farm and ranching operations. You'll find that you can save considerable money and have the added advantage of having one source which will supply all the funds you need to make maximum profit.

If you need operating money, use Production Credit. A budgeted loan for your needs may be set up for farm machinery, crop expenses, livestock and land loans. This is your best farm tool from planting to harvest. Maturities are fitted to the farmers' repayment capacity. Build a financial plan by visiting your PCA. This is your service, designed for better farming and ranching.

CATTLEMAN'S PRODUCTION CREDIT ASSOCIATION, have five locations in the area - in Goldthwaite, phone 648-3117; in Brady 597-2167; in Llano, 247-5761; in San Saba 372-5151; and in Lampasas 512-556-5491. In this Review we proudly salute the PCA!

PFLUGER CONSTRUCTION CO. INC.



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Travis Pfluger - Contractor

Businessmen, farmers and other needing quality buildings to be used as barns, stores, offices, factories, warehouses and other applications, will always do better if they contact PFLUGER CONSTRUCTION CO. INC. first! Located at 750 Warehouse Road in San Angelo, phone (915) 655-3561, this reputable contractor is your authorized dealer for famous Mesco Metal Buildings and they can place a permanent steel structure on your site in just a matter of weeks!

Acknowledged as some of the best structures available, Mesco Metal Buildings are in use throughout the country and the many satisfied customers are their best testimonial.

So, if you want the utmost in metal buildings AND some of the best service, contact PFLUGER CONSTRUCTION CO. INC. and find out more about famous Mesco Metal Buildings. As the authors of this 1990 New Year Business Review, we think you'll be glad you did!

HOFMANN INSURANCE AGENCY

Wayne C. Hofmann Jr. - Owner

Being backed by years of dedicated service and reliability are just two reasons why Farmers Insurance is known as one of the leading insurance companies in the nation. Most people are most apt to place their trust in a company with this kind of reputation and when they find out that the HOFMANN INSURANCE AGENCY is the local agent for Farmers Insurance...that's about all they need to know!

With offices conveniently located at 207 Austin in Mason, phone 347-5927 also in Menard at 209 Hwy. 83 North, phone 396-2531. This well-known insurance man has won the admiration and confidence of many of the region's leading citizens and businessmen. If you've been searching for an insurance company which will give you good rates, outstanding service and complete coverage...this is the one for you!

So, when it comes to insurance...ANY kind of insurance...remember the names: The HOFMANN INSURANCE AGENCY and Farmers Insurance. They're all you'll ever need to know about insurance!

The authors of this 1990 Business Review give our unconditional recommendation to this fine agency.

LEDEZMA AND SONS CONCRETE

Ysabel Ledezma - Owner

The LEDEZMA AND SONS CONCRETE in Brady, Tx., conveniently located at 905 E. 2nd, phone 597-1210, offers you prompt and dependable service in ready-mixed concrete of the highest quality.

With radio-dispatched trucks, they stand ready to serve you with fast delivery to your construction site. Whether you're pouring one yard or a large slab, this is the place to call! The concrete used is always mixed to perfect proportions and, with the additional transit mixing that they feature, pours smooth and easy and sets hard. No wonder leading concrete finishers recommend the LEDEZMA AND SONS CONCRETE.

No business review of the trade leaders of this community would be complete without prominent mention of this outstanding firm, and we, the compilers of this 1990 Business Review give them our unconditional recommendation.

MASON MEDICAL CLINIC

Dr. Richard Morgan and
Dr. Jackie Hurt - Owners

MASON MEDICAL CLINIC is known as a place where expert medical attention can be had. When you or any member of your family needs medical care, you want to be sure you are getting the best that can be had. This clinic takes great pride in their staff of physicians and may be credited with helping many regain better health.

They have the latest equipment and laboratory facilities to diagnose and treat illness properly. We recommend this clinic in Mason at College and Post oak to all readers in this area. Call them today at 347-5926 (24 hours a day) if you need medical attention and make an appointment.

When you feel that you or a member of your family is in need of medical attention, don't hesitate, go directly to MASON MEDICAL CLINIC in Mason, Texas. You will be treated by a well qualified medical physician with the same compassion as if you had been using his services for years. The care and concern shown you will make you feel better.

SANCO MATERIALS COMPANY

Ted Swiderski - General Manager

Construction firms, farmers, ranchers and homeowners alike depend on the SANCO MATERIALS COMPANY for the best materials and fastest service in West Texas. Located at 1040 Foster in San Angelo, phone 655-7970.

They feature many products, including graded and sized gravel, masonry sand, crushed rock, fill material and much more. SANCO MATERIALS CO. always has the right material for the job and you won't be held up because of their failure to deliver on time. They specialize in service as well as the best in materials.

No matter what the job is or where, you'll always be right when you call SANCO MATERIAL CO. in San Angelo for all sand, gravel and rock needs. We recommend this leading business to all our readers.

DICKSON'S PURE HONEY

"Wholesale and Retail"

Cecil & Andrew Dickson - Owners

One of nature's finest creations, honey, is always better when it's DICKSON'S PURE HONEY. This distinctive health food is 100% pure and completely organic. It's one of the few foods we enjoy which is never subjected to additives or preservatives.

Located at 4331 Hatchery Road in San Angelo, this leading honey producer specializes in packaging only the finest honey available.

They feature only local honey with no import honey and they will collect bee swarms.

Whether you use only a small amount for sweetening drinks or cereals or a large quantity for cooking, making candies and baking...there's a container of famous DICKSON'S PURE HONEY on your grocer's shelf that's just right for you. Pick some up today and taste the difference that real quality makes! Retailers are invited to call 655-9233 for full information on how they can add this fine product to their stock.

The writers of this 1990 Winter Business Review would like to make special mention of this outstanding honey producer.

EIGHT WHEELS SKATING RINK

Monty & Janet Floyd - Owners

What's more fun than roller skating? Why, roller skating at EIGHT WHEELS SKATING RINK of course! This outstanding skating facilities is located at Southwest Plaza in San Angelo, phone 942-8506, and features everything for a fun-filled time!

There's fine music and a friendly atmosphere for your enjoyment. Skate rentals and sales are another facet of the complete services offered by this rink, and instructions is provided for the beginner. Advanced classes are given in figure skating! Open skating sessions are featured most every afternoon, on the weekends and in the evenings. Another popular feature is private party skating...and interested people are invited to call for details!

Whether you skate for fun, relaxation, exercise, or all three...you'll skate better at EIGHT WHEELS SKATING RINK! Their fine snack bar features cold drinks and snacks for your enjoyment and kids' birthday parties are given special consideration. They offer special "Group" rates!

The writers of this 1990 Business Review suggest that you make roller skating at this fine rink a regular habit. Try it today and see if it isn't great fun and good exercise!

ANIMAL MEDICAL CLINIC

Dr. Jack C. Newkirk - DVM

Taking care of the local resident's pets is the full-time job of the ANIMAL MEDICAL CLINIC in San Angelo at 2837 College Hills, phone 944-3557: the area's foremost veterinary clinics! Dr. Newkirk has a mobile vet service for large animals and 24 hr Emergency Service. He also makes housecalls by appointment, he treats all types of animals even wildlife.

This well-known clinic specializes in treating the disorders of all types of small animals, especially dogs and cats. From the time they're born, YOUR pets need regular attention just like you do. Take them to this recommended clinic for their shots and for any treatment necessary when they become ill or are injured. They'll receive tender loving care every time at this well-known veterinarian.

You can leave your pet at this fine facility for treatment, if necessary, and know that it's in the best of hands. Trust Dr. Newkirk and his staff to take better care of YOUR animals!

We are pleased to be able to recommend this fine veterinary clinic for small animals to all of our readers.

TIMELY FINANCE CO.

Need money? The TIMELY FINANCE CO. loans money on ANYTHING of value! This reputable pawnbroker has established an enviable reputation for loaning the most and their large number of repeat customers show it.

Located for your convenience at 111 W. Concho in San Angelo, phone 655-5685, this well-run shop specializes in the making of loans on such items as guns, jewelry, watches, musical instruments, and all manner of other goods.

As a retail store, TIMELY FINANCE CO. has also been very successful in offering their customers some of the area's outstanding bargains on out-of-pawn merchandise. Stop in today and look over the selection of goods that he has to offer...you'll be sure to find something you like!

The writers of this 1990 Business Review urge all price-conscious shoppers to look to this fine shop for bargains galore. Oh yes, they also loan money!

LACY CARPET COMPANY

"Since 1954"


Arthur Kasner & Ed Kasner - Owners

Carpet is one of the major items in the interior decoration of any home. Be sure that you do business with the area's leading carpet dealer: LACY CARPET COMPANY open 8:30-5:30 M-F - 8:30-12:00 Sat. for your shopping convenience. You'll get sound advice, the finest carpeting and expert installation in one convenient stop. "If you don't know your carpets know your dealer."

Located at 119 W. Twohig in downtown San Angelo, phone 653-1965, this reliable community leader specializes in name brand carpeting for every room in your home or office. Their selection is very complete, and they will offer many helpful tips as to which style to use and what's the best value for the money. Their professional staff is constantly researching and analyzing the market to find the latest advances in carpet technology and new products for your floors. LACY CARPET COMPANY has them all! They also offer a wide selection of vinyls and you can rent their host cleaning equipment.

In compiling this Business Review for 1990, we, the editors, would like to take this opportunity to offer our congratulations to the LACY CARPET COMPANY for their part in the growth of the community.

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Have you been searching for a competent attorney thoroughly capable of handling all your personal injury, workers' compensation or criminal law matters?

Many citizens in the San Angelo area have come to depend on **HANZ & MOELLER, ATTORNEYS AT LAW**.

With offices located at 423 South Irving in San Angelo, phone 655-4187 also 1-800-433-0009, these Runnels County natives offer competent legal service. With many years combined experience in the San Angelo area, this law firm offers general practice including, but not limited to, personal injury, workers compensation, domestic relations, real estate and criminal cases. Whenever you are in need of legal services, be sure to think of **HANZ & MOELLER, ATTORNEYS AT LAW** first!

It may not be often that you will be in need of these services but this firm will be glad to assist you in any legal matter. You are always welcome to ask for their assistance or advice about anything with which they may help you.

We the editors of this 1990 Business Review, recommend **HANZ & MOELLER, ATTORNEYS AT LAW** to all of our readers. Not board certified by Texas Board of Legal Specialization.

THE TEACHER STORE

Becky Childress & Camille Jones - Owners

Tasteful, stylish and definitely unique. That's what you'll find at **THE TEACHER STORE** at 908 11th in Ozona, phone 392-3216, where style takes over! here you'll find just what you've been looking for in the way of distinctive ladies fashions!

With a fine assortment of ladies apparel in stock at all times, this is one clothing store where quality doesn't take a backseat to anything! There are fashions to please every taste, every lifestyle AND every budget! The courteous, efficient personnel know just how to fit you for a more personal appearance!

Honesty, courtesy and quality are some of the things that separate **THE TEACHER STORE** from other shops in the area and the customers are quick to acknowledge this by returning again and again. For the finest in ladies apparel shop **THE TEACHER SHOP!**

WILD TURKEY

Mike McCrary - Owner

A hard days work entitles you to the best! the best beer in town AND the best place to unwind after a long day on the job can both be found at 2011 N. Main in Junction, phone 915-446-3290! If you haven't already guessed, we're talking about the **WILD TURKEY!**

Many of the area's working men and women KNOW that this fine pub will provide them with a great glass of beer in a can or bottle AND the spirit of comradeship that they seek. A couple of cold ones to quench your thirst and a game or two of pool and you're ready for another day! No wonder so many working folks stop in most everyday.

In addition to pool, the **WILD TURKEY** features the unusual delights of Happy Hour for your enjoyment from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Mon.-Fri.!

For there angler friends **WILD TURKEY** has a digital scale that weighs to 1/100th of a pound. Check with them about their monthly fishing contest.

WILD TURKEY now offers to all their customers "The Roost" for all their private parties.

In compiling this 1990 Business Review, we, the writers, think you'll enjoy visiting this outstanding tavern as much as we've enjoyed telling you about it!

MARY KAY COSMETICS

Shirley Brooks - Independent Sales Director

Scientific skin analysis and beauty care aids which are specifically designed for *your* complexion are what you get when you specify **MARY KAY COSMETICS**. This world famous line of health and beauty aids is designed and formulated to correct any type of complexion problem and there's something that's just right for YOU! Call Shirley Brooks at 653-1914 to make an appointment for a friendly representative to demonstrate the entire line right in your own home.

Located at 214 W. 44th in San Angelo, your **MARY KAY COSMETICS** representative is a neighbor and a friend. Always ready to show you a new product or to supply you with one of your old favorites, this is one shopping service which is so easy and so much fun that you'll want to have regular visits!

The authors of this 1990 Winter Business Review are pleased to be able to recommend these fine cosmetics AND equally fine distributor to all of our readers.

A CHILD'S WORLD

Under New Management
Carlton Pierce - Owner

One of the favorite places of both busy mothers and children is **A CHILD'S WORLD**. One of the region's finest day nurseries.

Located at 2419 W. Ave. N across from A.S.U. in San Angelo, phone 944-0598, this outstanding nursery features facilities for the care of pre-schoolers and has won the support and approval of mothers from all over the local area. Open from 6:30 a.m. till 6:30 p.m. Mon-Fri. Call now for reservation.

They feature such outstanding programs as breakfast (optional), instructional crafts and projects, hot lunch, supervised play periods, daily naps, and much more. The atmosphere is one of relaxation and fun, so that the children really enjoy coming to this fine nursery.

State licensed and insured, **A CHILD'S WORLD** has a fenced playground with a great assortment of swings, slides and everything else that makes being a kid fun! No wonder children love it.

The writers of this 1990 Winter Business Review are pleased to be able to recommend this outstanding day nursery to all of our readers.

A & M BOOKKEEPING AND TAX SERVICE

E.S. & Mary Martinez - Owners

The importance of keeping accurate records has long been known to businessmen, who are interested in making a profit. It's a good plan for *every* business, no matter how large or how small, to keep good records and **A & M BOOKKEEPING AND TAX SERVICE** can help you do it!

Located at 117 S. Randolph (downtown) in San Angelo, phone 653-5679, this professional bookkeeping firm will take care of your books quickly and easily. From the basic "set-up" of an easy-to-use system for you to a complete tax return preparation, it's the easiest, best way to have your accounts kept in order. Professional bookkeeping is also a great idea for the family who wants to run their finances extra smoothly. They also specialize in Notary and Secretary services throughout the year.

Call **A & M BOOKKEEPING AND TAX SERVICE** and find out how easy it can be to get started with a good bookkeeping system in the 1990's. The writers of this 1990 Winter Business Review know that your home or business will run a lot smoother with this outstanding firm on the job!

MY ANSWERING SERVICE

Fannie Lynn - Owner

Answering in your name with a cheerful, courteous voice is the job of **MY ANSWERING SERVICE** at 801 12th St. in Ozona, phone 392-5440. This experienced firm can answer as well as you and their service is so popular that leading businessmen from throughout the area are requesting it.

This is one answering service which is never off the job! Their switchboard is manned 24 hours a day and YOUR messages are always taken so that you may return the calls at your convenience. They also offer a complete radio paging service so that you are always available for important messages. They have the board set up so that people can dial YOUR number and it will be answered by YOUR service. Contact **MY ANSWERING SERVICE** for full details...today! Also available are Radio phones and pagers.

In compiling this Business Review for 1990, we, the writers would like to make special mention of this leading telephone answering service and recommend it to all of our readers.

RAY VASQUEZ SERVICE CENTER

Ray Vasquez - Owner

Been searching high and low for an auto repair shop that will do just the work you need without the usual hassle of hidden charges, incomplete jobs or costly waiting? Search no more! The **RAY VASQUEZ SERVICE CENTER**, located at 620 S. Irving in San Angelo, phone 655-5469, is just what you've been looking for!

Experts in all phases of automobile repair await your every request with dedicated and courteous service. Electronic diagnostic equipment and the proper tools for the job assure you of a completed repair which will not require your bringing the car in again for the same thing. Qualified technicians are fully trained to deal with any problem in a minimum of time and at the least expense.

Car dealer, fleet operators and other men who depend on a smooth running automobile have found the service and reliability offered by the **RAY VASQUEZ SERVICE CENTER** to be among the very best and as the writers of this 1990 Business Review think you will too!

BRAKE KING OF SAN ANGELO

The area directly responsible for many automobile accidents is the braking system. If your car isn't capable of stopping quickly, the results can be very costly in terms of money and even lives! Be sure that your car's brakes are always working their best by stopping in at **BRAKE KING OF SAN ANGELO** for a thorough safety inspection. This well known firm located at 1018 W. Beaugard Ave. in San Angelo, phone 653-3150, is the place to go for complete brake and wheel service.

They offer to you, the customer, a complete brake service department for American & Foreign cars with same day service for disc or drum brakes. You may use Mastercard or Visa. A quick inspection will tell the pros at this reliable concern if there is any problem with the brakes or steering on your car. Whether your automobile employs a disc or drum braking system, they have the parts, the tools and the knowledge to fix it properly.

Don't take chances with your life, or more importantly, the lives of others. The authors of this 1990 Business Review suggest you make an appointment for a brake and wheel inspection with **BRAKE KING OF SAN ANGELO**.

SMI TRUCK STOP

Stanley Moore - Owner
Bob Moore - Manager



Where can you get the finest tires and save *lots* of money doing it? In the Brady area, people know to go to the **SMI TRUCK STOP**, located on Highway 87 in Brady, phone 597-0761. Here the selection is larger, the service better and because they buy in volume, the prices are much, much lower!

As your dealers for the name brands of Farm Bureau, Safemark and Remington tires, this reliable firm is in the tire business to serve! And they serve you with the best tires at the area's best prices. There are tires for cars, trucks, tractors, farm equipment and recreational vehicles. Their selection is larger so that you can be assured of finding just what you want every time!

This truck stop-open 24 hours a day-also offers complete tire service for their customers. Mounting, balancing, tubes, repairs, as well as a tire service truck for farm or highway repairs and a host of other conveniences are featured to make this the area's complete tire center. And of course, Texaco's quality diesel and gasoline are available along with the benefits of a self service station. Truckers, **SMI TRUCK STOP** has plenty of free parking, bunkrooms and showers for your convenience and personal refreshment. Make **SMI TRUCK STOP** your full service rest stop when traveling through the area.

We, the editors of this 1990 Business Review, suggest that you check with this fine firm first when it comes to tires!

