

# DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS 30¢

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## Dinner Theater concludes at SCD

This weekend, at Sutton County Days, will end the 1987 season for the "Covered Wagon Dinner Theater".

The final performances at the Caverns of Sonora were held this

past weekend. As has become the custom, the last two nights were wonderful.

Joe Lane was Friday's story teller. Lane related a great deal of history pertaining to Sonora and

Sutton County with a "Stroll through Sutton County Cemetery." He will be performing the same material during Sutton County Days. Don't miss it!

Saturday's story teller was Cynthia Ward who told of being a ranchwoman. Her slow, deliberate delivery of some extremely funny personal stories made Cynthia a natural for audience enjoyment. Laughter filled the air as Cynthia

told "how ranch life really is."

The entertainment for both evenings was a provided by the Soldiers of Fort Concho. Though this was handled by two men the first night, three the second night, the information given by the

soldiers was extremely informative and interesting.

For a complete schedule of story tellers, entertainers and times during Sutton County Days, please see page 3 of the special Sutton County Days supplement to this issue.

With the season drawing to a close, the members of the Outdoor Drama Group wish to extend their sincerest appreciation to everyone who helped with this endeavor.

The group began in March with very limited funds, an all volunteer crew and little else but the desire to create an outdoor event to perhaps spur tourism in Sonora.

The site chosen for the summer's performances was the grounds surrounding the Caverns of Sonora. The choice was a good one, not only for location, but also because of the tremendous cooperation of the Directors of the Caverns.

During the sixteen evenings, approximately 1200 persons attended the performances.

Those attending seemed to be quite pleased with all aspects—quality of story tellers and entertainers, quality and quantity of food served each evening by the Sutton County Steakhouse, and perhaps equally important, the surroundings of the area—decorated by Mother Nature at her best.

The Outdoor Drama Group will continue to meet regularly to work toward next years presentation.



Joe Jane, complete in an undertakers clothing of the late 1800's, took the audience on a "Stroll through the Sutton County Cemetery" last Friday night at the "Covered Wagon Dinner Theater".

### Briefly

#### Vocational programs

Sonora High School offers vocational programs in M.O.C.E. and C.V.A.E. Admission to these programs is based on special needs and desire to participate. It is the policy of Sonora High School not to discriminate on the basis of sex, handicap, race, color, and national origin in its educational and vocational programs, activities, or employment as required by Title IX, Section 504 and Title VI.

Sonora High School will take steps to assure that lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in all educational and vocational programs.

For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator, Charles Russell at 807 S. Concho, 387-6533 or section 504 Coordinator, James Bible at 807 S. Concho, 387-2220.

#### Bronco tickets on sale

Season football tickets for the Broncos will go on sale at 8 am on Monday, August 24. Sale of the tickets will continue through September 11.

Tickets may be purchased at the Administration Bldg., 807 Concho each week day between the hours of 8 and 4.

#### Vanderstucken Appreciation Day

In appreciation of lifelong leadership and service to Sutton County and the surrounding communities, Sonora will honor Joseph and Mabel Vanderstucken with a barbecue on the Courthouse lawn Sunday afternoon, September 13 at 12:30 pm.

The Appreciation Day is sponsored by the Sonora Chamber of Commerce and the Sutton County Historical Society.

The public is cordially invited to the barbecue which will be provided by friends of the Vanderstuckens.

Persons interested in assisting may call 387-5107, 387-5610 or 387-3062.

#### Attention 4-H Members

4-H members are invited to ride on the 4-H float in the Sutton County Days Parade.

Wear blue jeans and a white shirt. Join the float at the parade route on 2nd street by the band hall at 4:30 pm on Friday, August 21.

#### Horseshoe and Washer Pitching

Horseshoe and washer pitching will start at 12:30 on Saturday, August 22 on the Courthouse lawn. Only doubles, no singles.

Events will include double horseshoe pitching and double washer pitching, men or women, \$10 per team.

To sign up or for more information, call Dickie or Nancy Teel at 387-5160.

#### Photos available

Photos that have been taken at the "Covered Wagon Dinner Theater" are available at Ol' Sonora Trading Co.

For additional information, contact LaVerne Benton at 387-5507.

#### Service Coordinators

The Girl Scouts of Sonora are proud to announce that Susan Henderson and Casey Henderson have been inducted as Service Unit Coordinators (Neighborhood Chairmen).

For any information pertaining to Girl Scouts please contact Susan at 387-2969 or Casey at 387-5204.

We would appreciate any and all new volunteers and/or troop leaders.

#### Make It With Wool

The District IV Make It Yourself with Wool contest will be held on October 17 in Menard at the Menard High School. Registration will begin at 1 pm with the fashion show to begin at 7 pm in the Menard High School Auditorium.

Make it Yourself with Wool is sponsored by the Sheep and Goat Industry in Texas, and is a function of the Women's Auxiliary of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association.

Categories include sewing, knitting, crocheting, and weaving. The garment must be made and worn by the contestant, and constructed of at least 60% wool and/or mohair fabric or yarn.

Age divisions include Pre-teen, Junior, Senior and Adult. Entries may be obtained from your local Extension Agent or from the District Director. Entries must be received two weeks prior to competition.

#### S.S. representative

Edwin Draughon, representative for the San

Angelo Social Security Office will be in Sonora on Thursday, August 20, between 9 am and 10:30 am at the Courthouse.

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

#### Sutton County EMS Training Courses

On August 11 a Mini Emergency Course was given at the Sutton County Emergency Service building. This course included the basic care of bleeding, shock, fractures, burns and other first aid.

Those successfully completing this course were Janice Black, Karen, Edmondson, Brandi Edwards, Rachael Pool, and Julie Jones.

Thursday, August 13 a public CPR class was given. Those successfully completing this training were Nilesh Patel, Karen Edmondson, and Janice Black.

#### Cookbooks on sale

The First Baptist Church Youth cookbooks Our Favorite Recipes are now on sale.

They can be purchased at the church, Chamber of Commerce or any of the youth from the First Baptist Church for \$6 per book.

#### Memorials to SCHS

Memorials to the Sutton County Historical Society in memory of a friend or loved one will help to preserve the rich heritage of Sutton County.

Checks should be made payable to the Sutton County Historical Society and sent to Box 885, Sonora, Texas 76950.

#### Pictures are in

Little League pictures are in and can be picked up at Petal's during regular business hours through August 28 or contact Cindy Fields at 387-5234.

#### Raffle for ACS

The American Cancer Society is selling raffle tickets on a beautiful mounted quail in a glass dome. The quail was donated by Frontier Taxidermy.

The tickets are \$1 each, are tax deductible and can be purchased from any member of the Cancer Society Sutton County Unit.

The drawing will be held during Sutton County Days on August 22 at 2:30 pm on the Courthouse lawn.

#### Al-Anon meetings

Al-Anon meets in Sonora on Thursday nights and in Eldorado on Friday nights. Ozona is now having a meeting every Tuesday night.

For more information on the organization or on the meetings, call 387-5775.

#### Legalization Program

A Legalization Committee for persons wishing to apply for amnesty under the new Immigration Law will meet every Tuesday at St. Ann's Catholic Church Parish Hall from 8 to 10pm.

Employers welcomed. \*\*\*

Juntas para personas que desean aplicar para amnistia bajo la Nueva Ley de migracion se llevaran acabo cada Martes de las 8:00 a las 10:00 pm. en el salon de la Iglesia Catolica St Ann's. Amos bien benidos.

#### Donations needed

A fund has been established for eight year old Amy Robertson of Eldorado at the First National Bank of Eldorado.

Amy suffers from a rare blood disease and is in need of a bone marrow transplant. The transplant will be done in Seattle, Washington, with Amy's mother as the donor, as soon as possible. Amy will be required to spend 102 days in the hospital at the time of the transplant and a year, at home, in isolation.

Donations may be made to the Amy Robertson Fund, First National Bank of Eldorado. For information call Rene Calcote, 853-2747 or Sherry Belk (office) 853-2544 or (home) 853-2289.

#### 1987 Kow Kick

The Annual Kimble County Kow Kick will be held Labor Day, September 7, in Schreiner Park (City Park) with a wide variety of arts and crafts booths, food booths, and lots of entertainment.

The Kow Kick opens at 10 am and the event will feature activities throughout the day.

Booth space is available through the Kimble County Chamber of Commerce. Call (915) 446-3190 for information.

#### THIS WEEK

"The Covered Wagon Dinner Theater"  
Saturday, August 22, 1987  
on the Courthouse lawn  
Story telling and entertainment  
all day long

## Crime growing concern

The risk of crime against person and property is a growing concern among all citizens. Why? Personal and property protection against crime is inadequate. You must

invest some time and money to reduce the threat of crime against yourself, your home, the family car, and also against other family members. Imagine a person who is

robbed at gunpoint for a measly three packages of cigarettes, and a woman who is awakened at 4 am in her home by an unknown male standing over her with-- God only knows what on his mind. These types of crimes are typical of today's society.

We are extremely concerned about the continued increase in crime.

We are dedicated to the premise that, by helping others in crime prevention, crime can be reduced. By reducing the potential for crime through public awareness and crime prevention techniques, the fear of crime that has swept across our nation will also be lessened.

We have spent many years studying crime, the methods and techniques available to reduce crime, and the various devices that are readily available to protect the individual and the home. I hope to cover some of the products and methods available to protect both your property and yourself in future articles.

The various products selected are recommended by the Police Department. Remember them when selecting either individual security devices or complete security systems for your property or personal protection. The items work; that's why we recommend them.

We are committed to reducing

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## Combined efforts lead to local arrests

On August 7, 1987 Police Chief Brent Gesch received information from two confidential informants regarding the theft of the PA speakers from the Bronco Stadium Scoreboard. Gesch was given the location of two of the speakers and the names of the thieves, one of which was a juvenile.

On August 11, 1987, Gesch received word that Sheriff Bill Webster was interviewing the Juvenile suspect. Gesch contacted Webster at the Sheriff's Office and found out that Webster was interviewing the suspect regarding the Arroyo Mini Golf Course break-in. Gesch informed Webster of the information that had been collected during the course of the investigation regarding the speaker theft.

Sheriff Webster was able to gain more information from the juvenile that he was interviewing and the additional information allowed Gesch to file burglary charges on two seventeen year olds and one eighteen year old for the burglary of

the Sonora Middle School which occurred July 13, 1987 and Felony theft of the scoreboard speakers which occurred only a few days before the burglary.

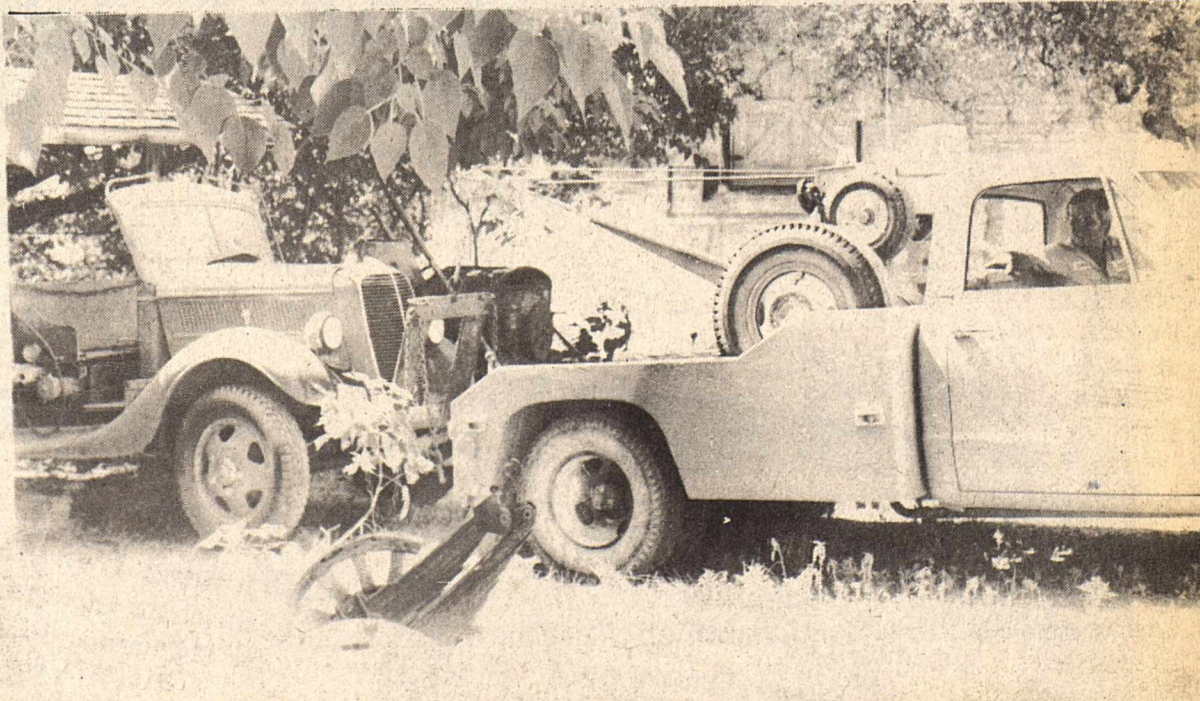
In the combined law enforcement effort, Chief Gesch and Deputy Ladd Turner rounded up the adult perpetrators. Sheriff Webster gathered several of the stolen items while the Juvenile suspect served as his guide.

Charged with burglary of the Middle School is Joe David Garza, age 17, Jose Luis Gonzales, age 18, and Robert Romero Gandar, age 17. Both Gonzales and Gandar are also charged with theft of the scoreboard speakers which are valued at more than \$750 but less than \$20,000.

Bond was set at \$7,500 for burglary and \$2,000 for theft on each of the adults.

The Juvenile was also charged with the theft of the speakers.

Five Juveniles are also charged with burglary and theft of coin operated machine and cash register at the Arroyo Mini Golf Course.



James Benson is shown here removing the old Fire Truck from behind the Miers Home Museum. The Bensons, of Benson Repair Service, plan to fully restore the Fire Truck in time for Sonora's Hundred Year Birthday in 1990. James hopes to have the truck running in time for the Sutton County Days parade.

# Temporary employee. . . a potential liability

Dear Commissioner Nabers: I recently hired some one to do a temporary job for me. He knew it would only take a few days and yet when the work was finished he filed a claim for unemployment benefits. Now TEC says they are going to pay the guy. I thought an employer didn't have to worry about this if someone was just temporary or part-time.

-D.C.  
Marble Falls

Commissioner

Mary Scott Nabers



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your situation, then he is laid off for lack of work and will most likely receive benefits.

Your business will have immediate financial liability on the claim only if the individual worked for you long enough to have wages from your company in his base period. Which brings us to our next question...

Dear Ms. Nabers: Please explain what the "base period" is.

-F.D.

Marfa, Texas

Dear F.D.: The base period is a year's worth of wages. The Commission looks at these wages to determine a claimant's monetary qualification for benefits as well as the actual benefit amount. Employers who paid the wages

earned during the base period are potentially liable on an unemployment claim.

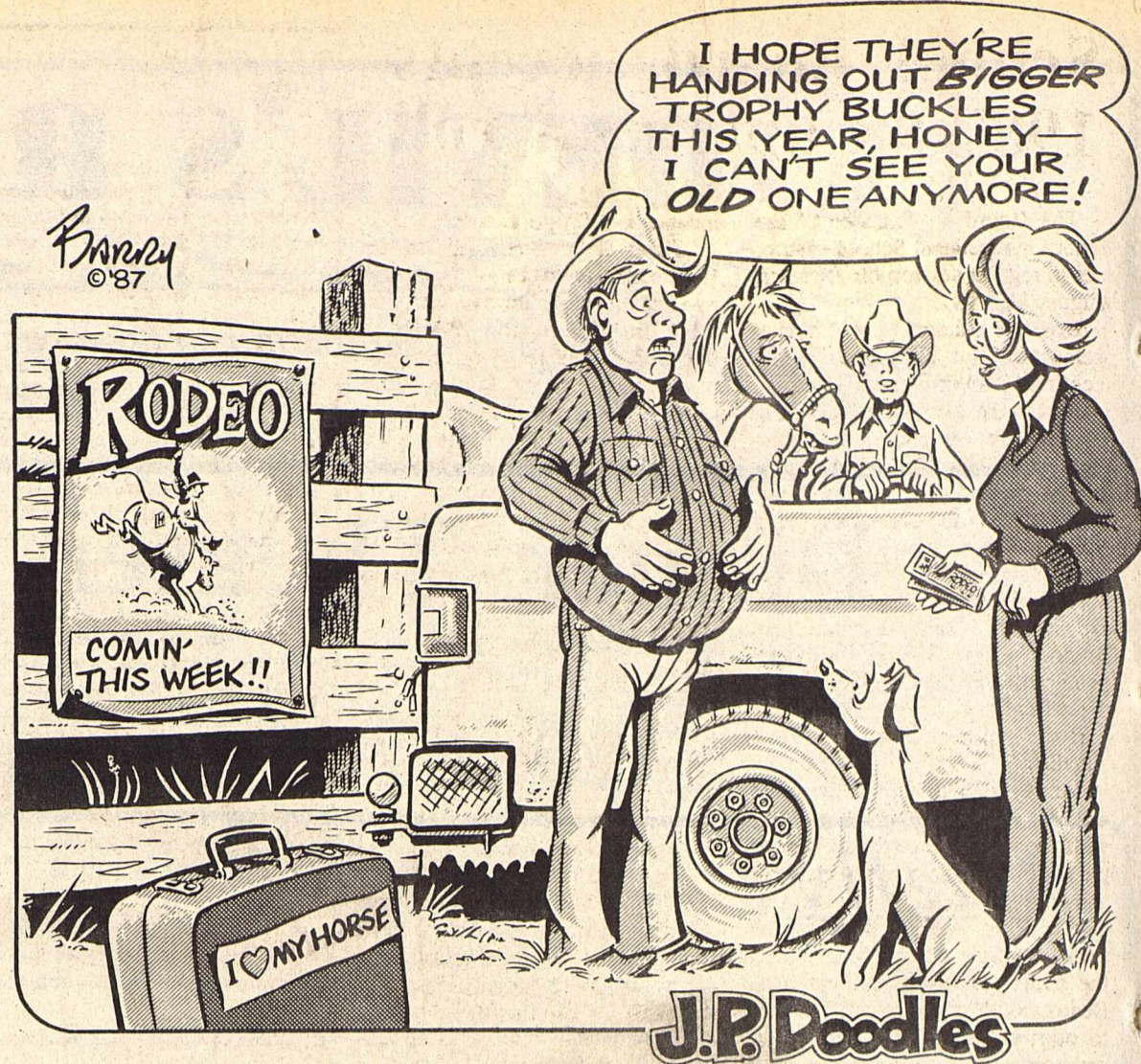
It is not possible to know for sure what the base period on any individual will be until that person files a claim. You can, however, make a reasonable calculation by first assuming a claim date. Then: a). Disregard the quarter in which the claim is filed. b). Disregard the quarter immediately preceding the claim quarter. c). Look at the four quarters preceding those. This is the Base Period.

Keep in mind, of course, that one quarter is three months. If you still are not clear on this confusing concept please call my office or your local office for clarification.

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

Dear D.C.: You cannot imagine how many times a week someone in my office answers this very question. Sometimes I feel like dropping leaflets all over the State to get the word out: There is No Distinction under the law of unemployment compensation between temporary, permanent, probationary, part-time, or full-time employees.

Any unemployed individual can file a claim for benefits. Whether a claimant is paid depends upon the reason he was separated from this last work. If the work ends, as in



J.P. Doodles

## CHAMBER NOTES

by Diana Trainer

Sutton County Days is here!! I hope everyone in Sonora is getting ready for a busy and fun-filled weekend. The celebration will get under way Friday afternoon starting with the parade at 5:00. We have lots of entries this year and our High School band will be marching in the parade.

Right after the parade the Chamber of Commerce will be having its annual Bar-B-Q on the Courthouse lawn. Lots of good food will be served and also, the Seniors of '88 will be selling cobbler and cakes to the crowd.

The rodeo will begin at 8:00 pm and also the dance will get under way at 8.

Saturday will begin with the fun run at 8:00. The official opening will be held at 9:30 with Monte Jones acting as our Master of Ceremonies. From then on you can be just as busy or as lazy as you wish. You can participate in all the games and fun, or you can pull up your lawn chair and listen to the wonderful stories told by the entertainers from the Outdoor Drama Group's Dinner Theater, watch the soldiers from Fort Concho, or listen to the tall tales of the participants in the Muzzle Loaders Rendezvous.

The Seniors of '88 will be

having a "Senior Slave Auction." It will be a great time to "buy" your Fling Ding babysitter, or some stout young man to finish up the yard work this summer.

There will also be plenty for little kids to do. The pet show will begin at 10:30 and then there will be an egg toss, sack race, orange push, watermelon eating contest, seed spitting contest, and tricycle races.

The big people can join in the horseshoe pitching contests, washer pitching contests, and most especially, the pie eating contest.

There are lots of raffles this year, which means there will be lots of lucky raffle winners. There will be a class of '77 reunion and an Old Timers Reunion.

All in all, it looks like a wonderful day with young and old alike gathered together for fun and friendship.

I especially want to thank the people who agreed to appear on television on behalf of Sutton County Days and the Chamber of Commerce.

Preston Love and Jim Stephen really dressed up Monday for the noon news. They both had on costumes from the last century and looked great. Then Preston went back for the 6:30 program (that

means getting up about 4:00 am) to talk about the rodeo and our celebration. JoAnn Jones let us talk her into going for the Wednesday noon news (against her better judgement) and everyone did a great job!! Thanks again to you all for the time you gave to the Chamber of Commerce and Sutton County Days.

The Chamber of Commerce will be going to Fort Worth on Friday August 28, for the Hunter Extravaganza. I have been getting more hunting leases but I would certainly like to have your listing before we head out. We are building a new display and are really going to look first class.

We would like to welcome Tommy McKissack as our newest Chamber of Commerce member. We appreciate it and hope to see our ranks grow in the future.

Don't forget the Fashion Show featuring the Sutton County Days Queen Contests on Thursday, August 20. The luncheon will be held at the Sutton County Steakhouse and you can make your reservations there, at Carol's Merle Norman, image or here at the Chamber.

Hope to see you at the Bar-B-Q on Friday and up on the Courthouse lawn all day Saturday.

## FINANCIAL FOCUS

by Mike Smith

### Mistakes women make with money

I recently picked up an article directed to women and their investment philosophy. The author was anonymous, and you'll understand why as you read on. It began with a quote from Susan B. Anthony, American feminist, leader of women's suffrage and the face on the metal dollar. "Women must not depend on the protection of men," Ms. Anthony warns, "but must be taught to protect themselves."

This advice could have been meant as a suggestion to carry a hat pin on the subway, but the author chose to relate it to mistakes women make when handling money. Although my experience with women has impressed me with their competence rather than mistakes, the points the author makes do carry enough credibility to consider them—for both women and men.

1. Women neglect to establish their own credit identity. This is

often true. Since credit has become a major point of our society, it follows that both men and women should establish credit independently. Although not necessarily vital, it is prudent.

2. Women usually share ownership with husbands of assets that should be in their own name. True again. Property ownership should be totally reviewed in an estate plan. Inherited property, for example, can offer estate benefits if properly segregated as "separate property." A meeting with a competent attorney could save precious dollars.

3. Women tend to be short-sighted when planning the future. This statement was made by the author, but I've found the opposite to be true. Mature women in a decision-making capacity regarding financial matters are generally very much aware of future responsibilities such as children's education or retirement.

4. Women are often shy about seeking expert advice. Again, I question the accuracy of this statement. In my experience, most women are more than willing to admit their limitations. If that happens to be investing, they generally approach it in a candid manner asking questions and

getting answers. Often, however, more time should be spent investigating the "expert."

5. Women may be too reluctant to sell inherited assets. This is true of both men and women. One of the difficult decisions of any heir is to objectively look at an inheritance based on practical versus sentimental value. After all, Dad could have been a wonderful father without being an astute investor, so be objective.

6. Women are likely to be overly-conservative investors. If a woman has not had the experience of a seasoned investor, this "overly-conservativeness" can be an asset rather than a mistake. Often fools rush in where wise men, or women, fear to tread.

7. Women often overlook the need for life insurance. This is a valid point, particularly with women who do not work outside the home. Just because a regular paycheck is not delivered in her name in no way implies that her absence would not be a severe economic as well as emotional burden to the family.

The article concluded that the above mistakes in handling money are more characteristic of women than men, but the important thing is not the gender of the mistake maker, but the fact that if any of these money handling mistakes are part of your investment philosophy, it would be prudent to accept at least part of Susan B. Anthony's advice and protect yourself.

## ONE MAN'S OPINION

by T. Driskell

Humans, it seems to me have more obsessions (preoccupations with unreasonable ideas or feelings) than a stray cat has fleas. I have been recently been entangled in one of the most common of the local area.

The "White Cottage-Green Lawn Syndrome" is an idea brought from England and later from the Atlantic Coast to the semi-arid plateaus of Central Texas. The English painted the brick of their cottages white and their moist air and soil provided an almost indestructible green lawn.

The colonists brought the idea to New England and Virginia; hauled it over the Appalachians and across the Mississippi and on to the Great Plains. Leaving us stuck with an inherited obsession, for which we expend an undue part of our resources, combating nature, to have a green lawn in West Texas in July and August.

It is noted with great interest that

the people in Arizona are letting the desert in their yard look like desert with native plants. It is not an intellectual move, but rather the option between lawn watering or drinking. How long before Texas has the same option? The population glut of California and Arizona must encompass Texas after New Mexico.

It would seem prudent and reasonable to recognize the White Cottage-Green Lawn Syndrome for what it is, and have a bigger yard. Given a one-acre yard seeded in one of the short mesquite grasses and fertilized, the mechanical monster (lawn mower) could be replaced by the four-footed variety for lower maintenance costs and no fuel. Compatibility with nature is cheaper in both monetary and manpower considerations. You get no return from a six-hundred dollar lawn mower, in any case, I have never seen a quote on lawn mower fleece.

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## WTU reveals refund for retail customers

West Texas Utilities Company plans another refund to its retail customers in December of this year.

The Company was to file a request Monday with the Public Utility Commission of Texas requesting permission to refund a total of \$3.8 million in retail revenues collected in excess of actual fuel costs during the months of December 1986 through July 1987. The total includes \$3.4 million actual fuel cost savings,

plus \$.4 million in interest.

Earl Johnson WTU local manager, said recently negotiated contract revisions reflecting the continued soft price of natural gas makes the refund necessary.

"As our cost for broiler fuel went down, we simply over-collected under the fuel rate approved by the PUC," Earl Johnson said.

This will be the sixth refund made to WTU retail customers since the summer of 1985. The fuel rates charged to customers have been adjusted five times since 1985, but the price of natural gas, WTU's main power plant boiler fuel, has continued to decline.

WTU's base rates have not changed since December 1984. However, on May 19, 1987 the Company filed for an increase in base rates necessitated by the completion of the new coal-fired Oklaunion Power Station near Vernon. The assured supply of coal under a long-term contract is expected to help stabilize WTU's power plant fuel costs.

The refund will be made through one-time credits to retail customers in December subject to approval of the PUC. The typical residential customer will receive about \$7.00

# School Board accepts 1987-88 appraisal roll

The Board of Trustees of the Sonora Independent School District met in regular session on Tuesday, August 11, 1987.

Board President Scott Shurley welcomed the audience to the meeting, thanking them for their interest in the local school district.

He then acknowledged the presence of Mrs. Kathy Morris and turned the floor over to her so she could address the crosswalk guard situation. Mrs. Morris stated that she was surprised that the district did not provide crosswalk guards at the elementary and intermediate schools. Mrs. Morris said that people did not drive safely around the school and that parents double parked making it a dangerous situation.

Mr. Bible stated that Mr. Cade and Mr. Sotelo had worked together with the City of Sonora to reroute the traffic to enable parents to load and unload students on the curb side of the street. After discussion, the board reassured Mrs. Morris that the administration and the school Board would do whatever possible to educate the public on safety procedures around the schools.

Lolabeth Jones, Food Service Director, was present to provide information on the utilization of the cafeteria employees. Mrs. Jones used the chalkboard in the board room to explain all the cafeteria personnel assignments for all the personnel in all the five serving areas. Mrs. Jones showed the possible need for one more three hour employee. Board President Scott Shurley stated that he appreciated her efforts and the Board expressed their appreciation for a job well done.

After a brief question and answer period concerning several bills, current accounts payable in the amount of \$292,923.47 were unanimously approved for payment on motion of Sam Perez and a second by Joe Garcia.

Rebecca Friess, Chief Appraiser for the Sutton County Tax Appraisal Office, informed the board that the tax collection rate stood at 97 percent, the same as the previous month. She stated that the current month's collection was \$7,465.11.

Mrs. Friess then presented the board with the certified appraisal roll for Sonora Independent School District:

\$ 86,364,100	Local roll value
252,450,000	Taxable value
350,250,100	Mineral roll
\$ 436,614,100	Total roll value

On motion of Joe Garcia and second by Gary Hardgrave the board accepted the Certified Appraisal Roll for 1987-88 for Sonora

Independent School District.

Director of Business Warren McCarron gave reports on the revenue and expenditure budget, and a fund balance report. All were in line with the budgetary projections.

Superintendent James Bible reported that the doors at the elementary campus looked very good and the doors would be ready by the time school starts.

Mr. Bible reported that Jim's Pest Control had indicated that he found termites at the teacherage on Castle Hills Road and that the apartments would be sprayed.

Mr. Bible then informed the Board that the local Lions Club had requested the use of the High School Auditorium for a district meeting in October. After a brief discussion the board directed Mr. Bible to stay with the Board policy on renting the school facilities.

Assistant Superintendent Mario Sotelo presented the board with ACT test scores for students from the 1984-85 graduating class to the class of 1987-88. The scores indicated that the Sonora Independent School Districts students are scoring well compared to students across the state.

Mr. Sotelo then presented the board with the plan and application for funds for the Gifted and Talented program for the 1987-88 school year. On motion of Joe Garcia and second by Jim Garrett the plan and application were approved.

After a brief discussion, on motion of Julio Samaniego and second by Sam Perez, the budget in the amount of \$5,869,546 was approved.

On motion of Sam Perez and second by Joe Garcia the Dairy Products bid by Gandy's was accepted.

On motion of Joe Garcia and second by Julio Samaniego the bakery products bid by Holsom Bakery was accepted.

After a lengthy discussion by the board and a presentation by Mark White and Bobby Zesch, representatives of Great West (the current school insurance carrier), on motion of Sam Perez and second by Julio Samaniego the board voted to table the awarding of the insurance bid until Tuesday, August 18. The Board decided to hold a special board meeting to decide on the matter. Scott Shurley and Jim Garrett voted against tabling the matter.

Assistant Superintendent Mario Sotelo presented the Policies and Procedures for the Menard Special Education Co-Op for the 1987-1990 school years. On motion of Julio Samaniego and second by Joe Garcia the plan was unanimously approved.

## "OVER the HILL GANG"

News from the Nursing Home  
by Doris Cahill

Molly, Sarah, and David Cook, and Heather Floyd, were here for Bible Study Tuesday am. They, along with 28 other members of the 1st Baptist Church, spent the week at the Paisano Encampment near Alpine. Molly was most impressed by the sermon about "The Parable Of The Lost Son" (Luke 15-11, which she read to us), the remark "You don't have to leave the farm to leave the father," and the difference between relationship and fellowship as expressed. They learned about Singapore from a missionary, and the children enjoyed special programs, "critter races," ping-pong, dressing up like Indians, and climbing around on rocks.

About books--read more, as a learning experience, as well as for pleasure. Not surprisingly, the Bible is still the best seller of all time. As Will Rogers once said, "We are all ignorant, but about different things." You: "Are you interested in book-ends?" Me: "Sure. That's part of the book I always read first."

Thanks to Lois Mc Calmont for the Arizona Highways magazines. They are full of interesting information, delightful poetry, and gorgeous photos. We can't journey around any more, and they, and listening to some of the residents travel tales, are the next best things.

Chances on a uniquely lovely quilt, made in Thailand, and are on sale, and a drawing will be held Sutton County Day Saturday August 22, by the Nursing Home at the Auxiliary booth on the courthouse lawn.

Facts and Fancies (printable): "I like it here, it's a nice place." "NO worse than some and better than most." "I want to go home,

myself." "I have no place to go." "I am here because they didn't want to take care of me at home any more." "I can't remember anything, that is why I am here." "I am alone, and not able to take care of myself." "I am not allowed any extras because the less I spend the more they will have when I die." "No one ever comes to see me." "The nurses don't like me." "You get more attention than I do." Mid-morning-N.A.: "We will be here to get you up in just a few minutes." Patient: "What's the HURRY?!!!" "We'll have to hire a lawyer to get us out of this place to go shopping, or anywhere else." "Are you going out?" "No." "Why are you dressed-up then?" "When else would I wear my clothes?" "Is that supposed to be MUSIC?" (where's the MELODY--no BEEF!) "I can't eat this with my fingers." "If it's true carrots are good for eyes, no one here will go blind." "Finances are one of my concerns." "They can move ALL of the furniture out for all I care." Dog Days- "Is it cold out side?" "YES, it's 100 degrees." At a certain time of life, I suppose it behooves one to practice passive acceptance.

Civilization is a limitless multiplication of unnecessary necessities.

Mark Twain Lilia called Bingo Wednesday am and Becky was here to help. George Noriega Jr., who worked in the Nursing Home during the summer- until football practice beckoned- came to visit just as the game started, and was drafted to help some of the ladies play. Cordie Drennan made 3 Bingos, Mary Bruton 2, Della McLaughlin 1, Muriel Hamilton 1, Ruby Brotherton 1, Dora Luna 1, Edna

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# LETTER TO PARENTS

Dear Parent or Guardian:

The Sonora Independent School serves nutritious meals every school day. Students may buy lunch for 90¢(grades K-5) \$1.00(grades 6-12) and breakfast for 50¢. Children from households that meet Federal Income guidelines are eligible for free meals or reduced-price meals at 40¢ for lunch and 50¢ for breakfast. If your child does not bring an application home, you may obtain one at the principal's office in your child's school.

**FOOD STAMP/AFDC HOUSEHOLDS:** If you currently receive Food Stamps or "Aid to Families with Dependent Children" for your child, you only have to list your child's name and food stamp or AFDC case number, print your name, and sign the application. Since you have already given income information to the welfare office, the school can confirm your eligibility.

**ALL OTHER HOUSEHOLDS:** If your household income is at or below the level shown on the scale listed below, your child is eligible for either free or reduced-price meals. To apply for meal benefits, you must provide the following information and sign the application: (1) list the names of everyone who lives in your household. Include parents, grandparents, all children, other relatives and unrelated people who live in your household, (2) list the social security number of each adult age 21 or older. If an adult does not have a social security number print "none", (3) list total monthly income and amount of income (before deductions for taxes, social security, etc.) each person received last month and where it is from, such as wages, retirement, or welfare. If you have a household member for whom last month's income was higher or lower than usual, list the person's expected average monthly income.

**VERIFICATION:** The information on the application may be checked by school officials at any time during the school year.

**REPORTING CHANGES:** If you list income information and your child is approved for meal benefits, you must tell the school when your household income increases by \$50 or more per month (\$600 per year) or when your household size decreases. If you list a food stamp case number or AFDC number, you must tell the school when you no longer receive food stamps or AFDC for your child.

**FOSTER CHILD:** Your foster child may be eligible for meal benefits. If you wish to apply for meal benefits for a foster child, contact the school for help with the application.

**NONDISCRIMINATION:** Children who receive free or price-reduced meal benefits are treated the same as children who pay for meals. In the operation of child feeding programs, no child will be discriminated against because of race, sex, color, national origin, age or handicap. If you believe you have been discriminated against, write immediately to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250.

**FAIR HEARING:** If you do not agree with the school's decision on your application or the result of verification, you may wish to discuss it with the school. You also have the right to a fair hearing. This can be done by calling or writing the following official:

James Bible, Superintendent of Schools,  
807 Concho, Sonora, TX 76950, 387-2944

**CONFIDENTIALITY:** The information you provide will be treated confidentially and will be used only for eligibility determination and verification of data.

**REAPPLICATION:** You may apply for benefits any time during the school year. If you are not eligible now but need to apply later in the year, please fill out an application at that time. You will be notified when the application is approved or denied.

### INCOME ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES 1987-88

Family Size	Annual		Monthly		Weekly	
	Free	Reduced	Free	Reduced	Free	Reduced
1	\$7,150	\$10,175	\$ 596	\$ 848	\$ 138	\$ 196
2	9,620	13,690	802	1,141	185	264
3	12,090	17,205	1,008	1,434	233	331
4	14,560	20,720	1,214	1,727	280	399
5	17,030	24,235	1,420	2,020	328	467
6	19,500	27,750	1,625	2,313	375	534
7	21,970	31,265	1,831	2,606	423	602
8	24,440	34,780	2,037	2,899	470	669
Ea. Add. Family Member	\$ 2,470	\$ 3,515	\$ 206	\$ 293	\$ 48	\$ 68

# Police apprehend drug smuggler

On Tuesday afternoon August 11, 1987 at 5:30 pm Texas Department of Public Safety Trooper Richard Barton stopped an eastbound 1987 Cadillac Sedan de Ville for a speeding violation just outside of Ozona, Texas.

The occupants of the Cadillac were interviewed and one of them, Calvin Ford, turned out to be a fugitive wanted in California on drug distribution charges. Barton asked Ford for permission to search the Cadillac and Ford refused the request. The other occupants stated that the vehicle was Ford's and that they were just riding with him.

Ford was arrested on the fugitive warrant and transported to the Crockett County Jail. The Cadillac was taken to a secure impound and the 112th District District Attorney, J.W. Johnson was notified. Johnson interviewed the suspect and then drew a search warrant on the Cadillac.

At 12:00 midnight District Attorney Johnson contacted Sonora Police Chief Brent Gesch and asked if Gesch could bring Sonora Police Department's drug detection dog, Elsa, to Ozona Wednesday morning and assist their officers in the search of the Cadillac.

Johnson stated that he wanted Elsa because he had seen her perform during the search of a 1984 Cadillac in Sonora in July of 1986 and he was confident in her ability to detect drugs.

At 10:45 am August 12, 1987 the Search Warrant was executed on the 1987 Cadillac by Trooper Barton, Chief Gesch, Crockett County Sheriff's Deputies Aldo Gonzales and Danny Simmons and Elsa.

At 10:47 am a quantity of white substance believed to be Cocaine was found in a white and red sock, in luggage in the trunk of the Cadillac.

At 11:11 am a small zip-loc bag approximately 3/4 of an inch square, containing a white powder substance believed to be cocaine was found in the left pocket of a red bath robe which was in a hanging bag in the trunk of the Cadillac.

Elsa detected this small zip-loc bag after a physical search of the robe had already been completed by an officer.

Several empty capsules and empty zip-loc bags were also found in the hanging bag. The presence of these items usually indicate an intent to sale and distribute the drug.

On August 13, 1987 at 4 pm Trooper Barton notified Chief Gesch that the white substance had been analyzed by the Department of Public Safety laboratory in Midland, Texas to be 130 grams of 87% pure cocaine. Cocaine this pure will cause death to the user and must be cut several times before use. The current street value

of Cocaine is \$125.00 per gram. One hundred and thirty grams of Cocaine would be valued at \$16,250 at its street purity, however this figure could be multiplied by at least four times because of the 87% purity of the seized cocaine.

The quantity of cocaine seized appeared to be approximately the size of a softball and was wrapped in a piece of plastic similar to the plastic used by dry cleaners to wrap cleaned garments.

Gesch stated that he and Elsa have assisted the local Department of Public Safety, U.S. Border Patrol, Edwards County Sheriff and 112th District Attorney's Office, in drug searches since Elsa's arrival in Sonora, Texas in June of 1986.



Chief Gesch rewards Elsa after she detects substance in clothing of suspect in Ozona case this past week.

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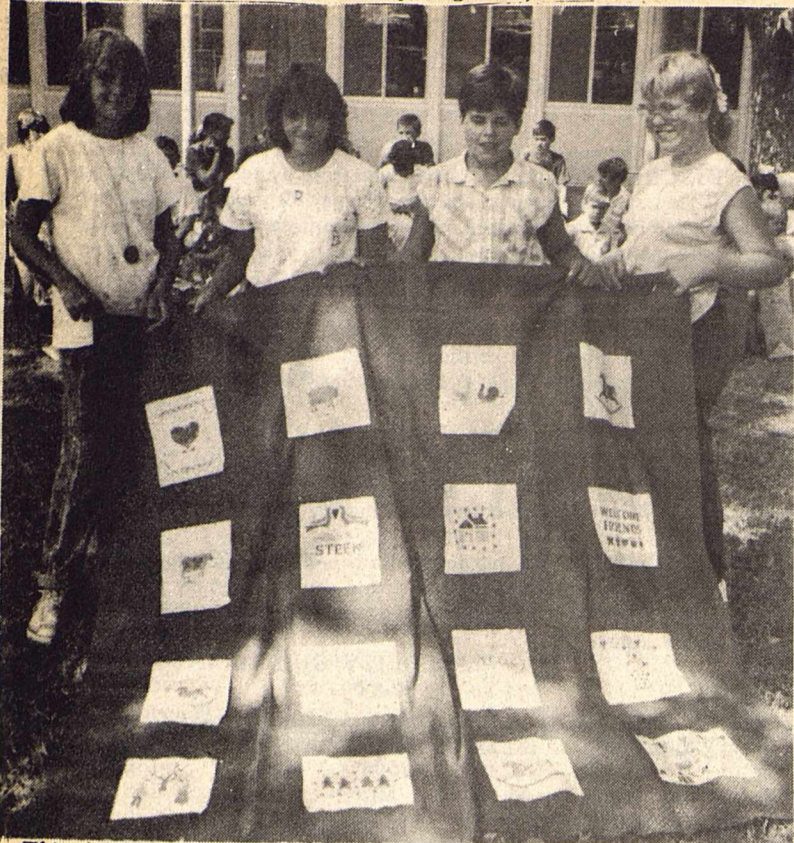
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This group of young people are making a quilt for some one special. (Pictured r to l) Mandy Whitaker, Lorna Olenick, Jody Trainer, Dede Moore, and not pictured Reitt Johnson. Leaders helping these youngsters are Verna Jones and Lola Beth Jones.

## Vacation Bible School has good turnout

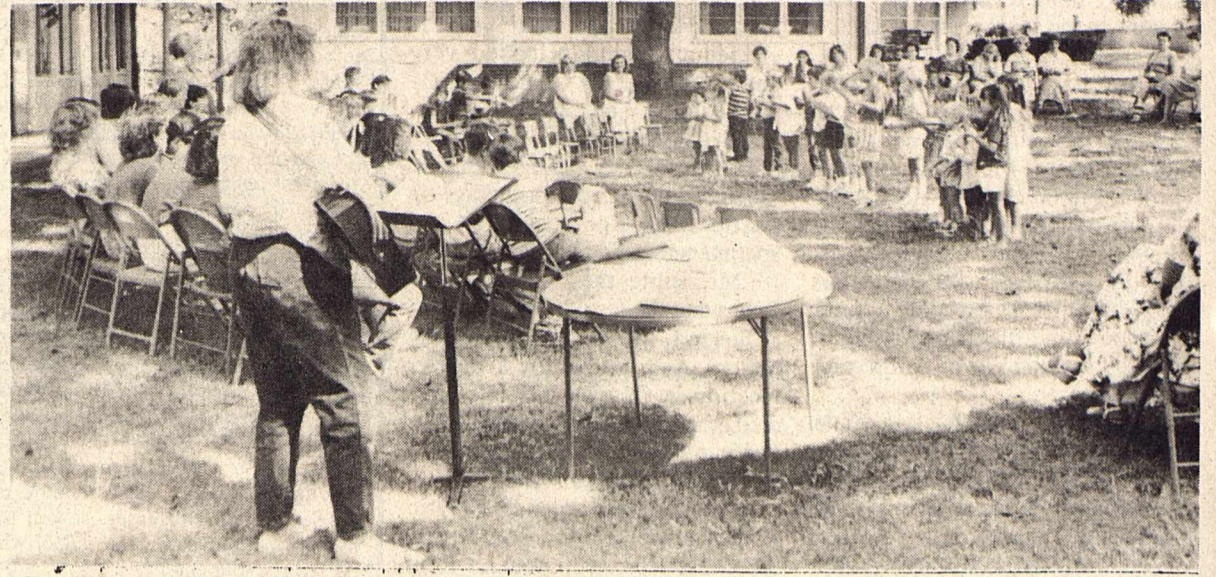
Vacation Bible School, sponsored by the Episcopal, Presbyterian, and Methodist churches, was held last week. Approximately 75 children ranging from age 3 to 6th grade attended. The theme of VBS this year was "Serve the Lord." A closing ceremony was held on the lawn of the Methodist Church Friday. A video tape of the program was presented to the nursing home.

A special thanks goes to the following leaders: 3-4 year olds, Nancy Brockman and Virginia Kepler; lead teacher, Karen Brown, Sarah Wade; 5 year old and kindergarten, Pat Russell; lead, Mattie Nix, Sandra Elliott, Celeste Prugel; first and second grade, Becky Johnson; lead, Marta Brown; third and fourth grade, Kathy Lind; lead, Pam Payton, Mary Ann Shurley; fifth and sixth grade, Lola Beth Jones; lead Vera Jones. Music was lead by Virginia Jones and Cynthia Kepler. A story telling time at the beginning of each day was provided by Kelly Russell. Seeing to the refreshments were Pam Browning

and Judy Dwyer. Recreation was lead by Cleve Jones. The director was Rita Hale assisted by Claudia Dempsey. Student helpers who volunteered

their time to help include Catherine Kepler, Dawn Keese, Dana Evans, Laura Chalk, Brandy Edwards, Terrie Craddock, Tammy Fisher, Susan McCleery, Christi

Spain, Kristi Farmer, LaDonna Snyder, Julie Jones, Sarah Lind, Lance Castro, John Lind and Chuck Harris. A fun time was had by all!



Over 75 children during the Episcopal, Presbyterian and Methodist Vacation Bible School performed for their parents and friends last Thursday morning and a video was made and shown to the residents at the Nursing Home.

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Call now to register  
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### Crime

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crime in all its various forms, and we solicit your assistance. Support your local police efforts in crime prevention. Your support and assistance, in addition to taking steps to reduce crime and techniques suggested by them will result in a safer environment.

Home security and safety are concerns of everyone. All of us fear personal violence and/or the threat to the sanctity of our home and possessions.

The staggering crime statistics show that people will resort to crime "to succeed," even though the crime itself may be minuscule compared to a bank robbery, drugs, prostitution, or murder. In 1979 there were 238,806 burglaries in Texas, 21 of these were in Sutton County, and 16 of the 21 occurred in Sonora, Texas. In 1986 Texas reported 341,750 burglaries and 70 of these burglaries occurred in Sutton County, and 52 of the 70 county wide burglaries occurred in Sonora, Texas.

To compare our rising burglary rate let's look at a table of these statistics for a moment. These statistics contain the figures used by the Texas Uniform Crime Reporting Division of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Burglaries in Texas		Year Statewide Sutton Sonora County	
1979	238,806	21	16
1980	253,728	32	23
1981	275,652	38	28
1982	285,757	46	28
1983	262,214	37	28
1984	266,032	58	45
1985	289,913	34	24
1986	341,750	70	52

Between January 1, 1987 and August 11, 1987 the Sonora Police Department has investigated 28 burglaries. This equals the yearly total of burglaries reported to the Police Department per year during

1981, 1982 and 1983.

The Sonora Police Department has been budgeted as a five (5) man Police Department since 1979, however, the department has worked as a four man department since 1985 when a hiring freeze was placed on the department by the city managers office.

The funding has been allocated in the budget each year for a five man Department, and each year the funds were not used. Instead they were returned back to the General Fund at the end of the budget year.

If you will look back at the number of Burglaries that have occurred during this time period, you can denote the increase opposed to the manpower decrease in the department.

A Police Department consisting of four men instead of five provides no provisions for schedules which allow any member of the department to be out ill, vacation time for officers or proper coverage of the population. Only by placing some members of the department into an extended overtime situations can any of these conditions be satisfied.

The needed manpower during daytime patrol of our school zones and residential neighborhoods suffers because of the inability to provide the coverage.

I feel that Sonora has been blessed with its people and most of you are not like most people, you are special. you are the people that we serve and protect, however I feel obligated to inform you of these facts so that you may better understand why the response time of the Police Department might be a little bit slow or we are not able to be quite as visible as you expect. We are struggling to provide you with the best protection that we possibly can and we do need help more now than ever.

Help Take the Bite out of Crime.  
R.B. Brent Gesch

## Church Directory

Church of Christ Minister-Don Jones Bible School-10 am Worship-11 am Sunday Night-6:30 pm Wednesday Night-7 pm	The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian Rev. William R. Jones Worship Service-10 am Communion first Sunday of each month	Somebody Cares Center Rev. Louis Halford 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	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
Primera Iglesia Bautista Sunday School-9:45 am Worship Service-11 am Training Union-5 pm Evening Service-6 pm Wednesday Service-7 pm W.M.U.-Sunday-2 pm Between Santa Clara & Chestnut	First United Methodist Church Kent L. Kepler-Pastor Sunday School-9:45 am Worship-10:55 am KVRN 98 AM-11 am UMYF-6 pm Chancel Choir-7 pm	Hope Lutheran Church Sunday School-10 am Worship Service-11 am Thursday: Adult Bible Class-8pm Charles Huffman, Pastor	St. Ann's Catholic Church Rev. Lawrence D'Mello Saturday Night Mass 7 pm English Sunday Mass- 8 am Spanish 11 am English Holy Day Mass-7 pm
Sonora Tabernacle United Pentacostal Rev. Kenneth Doyle, Pastor Sunday School-10 am Worship-11 am Evening Worship-7:30 pm Wednesday Service-7:30 pm	Live Oak Baptist Church Rev. Charles White Sunday School-10:00 am Sunday Worship-11:00 am Evening-6:00 pm Wednesday Service-7 pm	Jehovah's Witness 310 St. Ann's 387-2679 or 387-3947 Spanish Language Meeting Public Talk-10:00 Sunday Watchtower Study-11:00 Sunday Theocratic Ministry-7:30 Tuesday Service Meeting-8:15 Tuesday Bible Study-7:30 Thursday	St. John's Episcopal Church 404 NE Poplar Holy Eucharist-Sunday 8 & 11 am Sunday School-9:45 am Holy Eucharist w/Prayers for Healing, 1,3 & 5 Wed., 7 pm Daily Morning Prayer-8:45 am Monday-Friday The Rev. J. Monte Jones, Rector

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## HEALTH CARE

by Scott Gilmore  
Hospital Administrator

It's easy to ignore our feet, hidden in a pair of shoes all day. Yet we rely on them heavily, exerting hundreds of pounds of pressure per foot with each stride. It's no surprise that they rebel from time to time, becoming swollen, callused and sore.

**CORNS AND CALLUSES** are layers of dead skin that result from constant rubbing or ill-fitting shoes. Remove calluses by soaking the foot, then gently rubbing them with a pumice stone. Be careful with over-the-counter corn removers; they can injure surrounding skin if not used properly. *Seek professional medical attention for difficult corns or calluses.*

A **BUNION** is a painful, inflamed swelling at the joint of the big toe. The big toe turns toward the other toes and the joint bulges outward, causing inflammation of the bursa (soft tissue sac between bone and muscle). Wearing wider shoes or special pads for the bunion provides some relief. If pain persists, surgery may be recommended.

**AN INGROWN TOENAIL** is usually due to trimming toenails too short or on a curve; the corner of the nail digs into soft skin, which may become red and sore and even infected. To avoid ingrown toenails, trim nails straight across.

**PLANTAR WARTS** are small, hard growths, usually on the ball of the foot. Since they grow inward, they can be quite painful. Caused by viruses, they are spread through wet materials, such as bath mats. Self-medication includes direct applications of over-the-counter acid preparations. Professional treatment may include acid applications, excision, cryotherapy, lasers or electric needle.

**ATHLETE'S FOOT** is a fungus infection causing itching and cracking of the skin, particularly between the toes. People whose feet perspire heavily are most susceptible. Many non-prescription medications help, but a persistent case may require professional attention.

A **HAMMERTOE** curls under

unnaturally because the middle toe joint bends the wrong way. People with high arches are more susceptible, and high-heeled shoes can aggravate the condition. Special prescribed devices may relieve the pain, but only surgery can straighten hammertoes.

*With a little care, you can avoid most common foot problems.*

**KEEP YOUR FEET DRY TO PREVENT INFECTIONS AND VIRUSES.** If your feet perspire, dust them with powder. Wear cotton socks, which absorb moisture, and change them daily. Select shoes made of material that "breathe," like leather and canvas.

**WEAR THE RIGHT SIZE SOCKS.** Socks that are too long or too short can cause blisters, calluses and ingrown toenails and restrict circulation.

*Buy shoes that are comfortable as well as stylish. Look for three things:*

1. **FIT.** Try on both shoes. If one foot is larger than the other, buy shoes that fit the bigger foot and if necessary adjust the other shoes with pads or inner sole inserts. You should be able to spread your toes inside the shoe; a cramped foot may develop corns, ingrown toenails and bunions.

2. **HEELS.** High heels push the foot into an unnatural position that can restrict circulation, shorten the Achilles tendon and lead to pain in the feet, legs and back. Heels should be low to medium height.

3. **SUPPORT.** Properly fitted shoes will support the arch of your foot. Height of the instep and distance between heel and arch are important. A thick, flexible sole made of crepe, rubber or leather absorbs shock, cushions the ball of the foot and provides more comfort.

**REMEMBER:** *People with diabetes or circulatory problems are especially prone to foot infections and sores; they should seek prompt medical attention for any foot problem and should avoid self-treatment. If you're concerned with your health, call your doctor or Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital, 387-2521.*

Lozano, Heather Lawson, Wilson Wallace, Phyllis and Chris Jones, and Betty and Jim Stephen. Auxiliary members Monica DuRussel, Martha Wallace, and Faye McClelland come to visit, and Gertrude Webb and Pauline Ringold attended the church service Sunday pm.

Get along little doggies, wiki-wiki, and undale pronto, to Sutton County days this week-end!  
Bueno-Bye, until next week.

## Pope completes training

Marine 2nd Lt. Walter C. Pope, a 1981 graduate of Sonora High School of Sonora, Tx., was graduated from The Basic School.

While attending The Basic School, located at the Marine Corps Development and Education Center Command Quantico, Va., Pope was prepared, as a newly-commissioned officer, for assignment to the Fleet Marine Force and given the responsibility of a rifle platoon commander.

The 26-week course includes instruction on land navigation, marksmanship, tactics, military law, personnel administration, Marine Corps history and traditions, communications and the techniques of military instruction.

Pope was also taught leadership by example and the importance of



Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morales

## Anniversary party held

A 50th Anniversary Party supper was held for Lola and Frank Morales at their home.

Lola and Frank Morales were married August 11, 1937 and have lived in Sonora all their married life.

The Party Supper was given by

daughter Odilia and husband, Santiago Gonzales. With them were grandsons, Frankie and Luis Gonzales, Jimmy Gonzales and his wife Marcelina and their daughter, Kathy. Also attending, Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Galindo, Mr. and Mrs. Lalo Guajardo and friends, Florie Mesa and Rene Porras.

## NEW ARRIVALS

### Catherine Ashley Herrera

John and Nadine Herrera would like to announce the birth of their daughter, Catherine Ashley. She was born August 5, 1987 at 10:40 am at Shannon Memorial Hospital. She weighed six pounds, fifteen ounces and was twenty inches long.

Paternal grandparents are Robert and Juanita Herrera. Maternal grandparents are Armando and Estella Sanchez. Paternal great-grandmother is Manuela Mendez. Maternal great-grandparents are Jesus and Luz Ramos.



Dr. Pajestka and family were honored last Thursday evening by the Hospital Auxiliary and Hudspeth Hospital Board. Over 70 people from the community were on hand to welcome them to our town.

### Card of Thanks

We the daughters of Florencia Morin, would like to thank each individual that helped with prayers, food, plants and flowers. We appreciate your cards and your presence in our moment of grief and mourning.

Thank you, Oralia Gandar, Elida Martinez, Maria Aguilar, Olivia Pruneda

## Nall receives PE degree

James Graham Nall from Sonora is among 134 candidates who completed graduation requirements from Eastern New Mexico University on July 26.

Four Eastern students received associate degrees with 54 students receiving bachelor's degrees. There was 79 candidates for master's degree.

Nall received a master of science degree in physical education.



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## AROUND TOWN

by Hazel McClelland

Mrs. Ruth Shurley and Mrs. Guila Vicars were in San Antonio Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vestel Askew, Mrs. Bobby Fawcett, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Fisher, Tammy and David, Mr. and Mrs. L.P. Bloodworth were in Ruidoso and Cloudford last week for a Halbert family reunion.

Mrs. Lena Belle Ross was in Lampasas last week for a family reunion. Her daughter Catheryn Chastane of New Orleans came home with her for a weeks visit. Catheryn spins and weaves mohair and makes so many beautiful rugs, throws and many other things, she has 16 spinning wheels, and gets her mohair from the Ross ranch.

Harvey DuRussell has returned from Reese Michigan where he had been visiting family and friends for a week.

Mrs. Monica DuRussell has returned home after visiting her daughters, Beth Barton, Mary Howell and Maxine Klein and grandchildren.

Mrs. Vivian Crites and Mrs. Carlos Welch were in San Angelo Wednesday visiting Mrs. Wilma Jones, who is in the St. John's Hospital. Glad you are better and will be home soon, Wilma.

Mrs. Pauline Ringgold and Mrs. Luan King attended the Food Show in Abilene Civic Center in Abilene Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey DuRussell were visiting in San Angelo Wednesday.

Mrs. Mazie Barker of Carriso Springs was here several days visiting her sister and brother in law, Mr. and Mrs. James Morris.

Eddie Sawyer is home from Maine where he spent several weeks. He said it had been beautiful weather and they had all had a good summer. The Sawyers

will all be coming home the last of this month.

Mrs. Harva Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Don Cooper Becca and Donald Patric, Mrs. Betty Jack Rains and children have been out to the Bloys Camp meeting in the Davis Mountains. Preachers from all demonations held the service.

Mrs. Vivian Crites spent the weekend in Kerrville visiting her sisiter in law.

Mrs. Ruth Shurley was in Austin several days this past week for a district meeting of the Hospital Auxiliary.

Our Covered Wagon Outdoor Theater had their last production Friday and Saturday nights. This has been a wonderful thing for Sonora and everyone who has attended has had a wonderful time. Mrs. Cynthia Ward was the story teller for the last night and everyone who had heard her said it was one of the best programs. Hope they can have this again next year. Thanks to all the people who made this possible. Scott and Charlotte Gilmore were in charge and they really worked to make this a success. There were many others who helped. Thanks to all of you for all you have done for Sonora.

The Hudspeth Hospital Board and the Hospital Auxiliary gave a reception for Dr. and Mrs. Charles Pajestka and Amber at the Sutton County Bank Building. He is the new doctro at the hospital. Punch, cookies and nuts were served to about 69 people. Board members and Auxiliary members served as hosts. We are so glad to meet you Dr. Pajestka and Patti and hope you and your family will enjoy Sonora and stay a long long time.

Mrs. Wilma Jones has returned home from hospital in San Angelo, glad you are home, Wilna.

## Home town news

Petty Officer Johnny Reyna and his wife Veronica and sons Jason and Jay were in Sonora visiting his mother Frances Reyna and family.

Reyna is stationed at the naval base in Beeville, Texas.

While here they met the new nephew Steve Anthony.

Also visiting from Van Horn was David Reyna who is stationed there as a Border Patrol Officer.

## Tedford Jewelry

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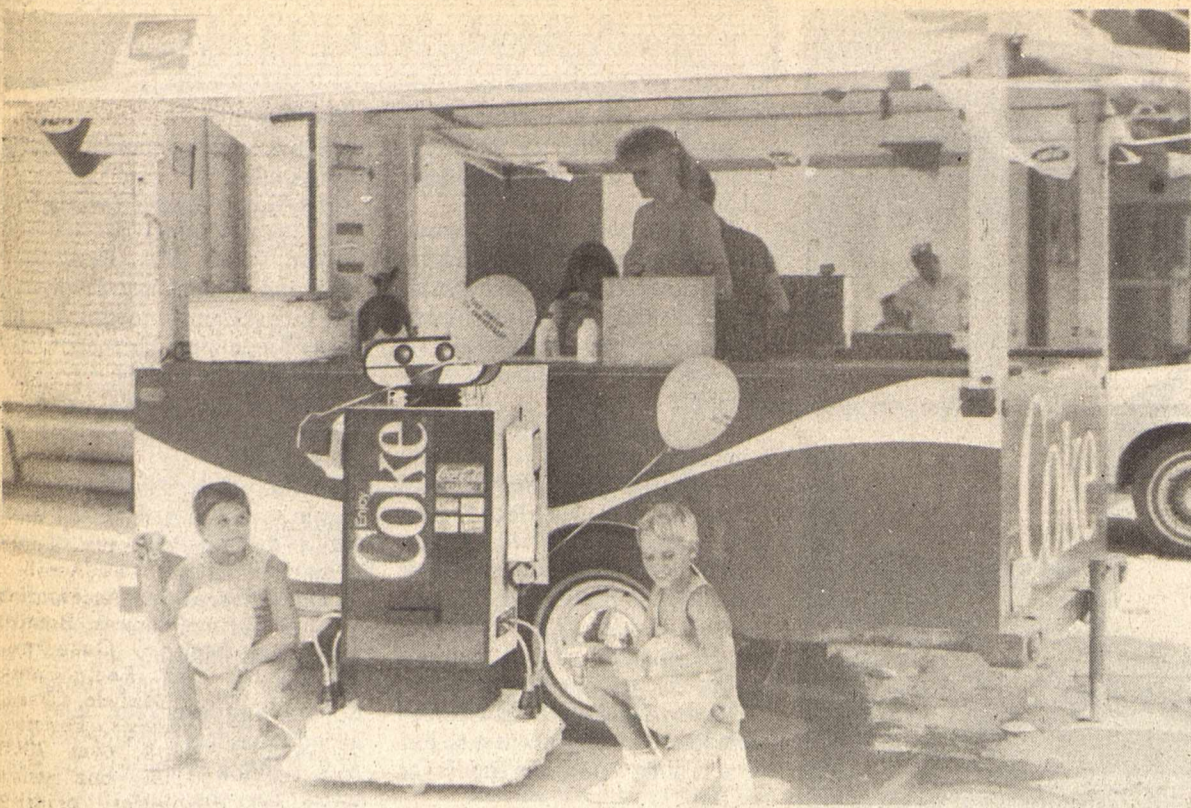
## 9 am to 12 noon

This clinic is for routine illnesses or for routine office visits which can not be taken care of during the week.

Se abraira una clinica para su convenencia cada Sabado de 9am al doce de medio dia.  
Esta clinica es para enfermedades oh visitas rutinias que no se pudieron hacer durante la semana

L. M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital  
Hudspeth Drive

387-2521



Food Center had an unusual visitor during their 12th anniversary a couple of weeks ago. Steve Barnes with Coca-Cola brought Cobot, an electronic robot that entertained all with his song and dance.

### Immunizations prevent childhood diseases

With all of the back-to-school hustle and bustle, the Texas Medical Association reminds parents to take time out to immunize their children.

In fact, children must receive vaccinations for five diseases--diphtheria, tetanus, polio, measles, and rubella--before they can enter Texas elementary and secondary schools. Certain vaccinations also must be given to children who attend day or child care centers.

Additionally, TMA recommends pertussis (whooping cough) and mumps immunization.

These seven major childhood diseases can in some cases cause complications like brain injury, ear infection, and pneumonia, or even death. But they can all be prevented by immunization.

Some parents who hear about child deaths from vaccinations may decide not to have their children vaccinated. TMA notes that serious reactions are infrequent and that immunizations continue to play a major role in reducing illness and death at an early age. Smallpox, for example, has been completely wiped out due to immunizations.

However, if your child is ill at the time of immunization, be sure to tell the doctor.

For a free pamphlet, "Immunizations--Investing in a Healthy Future," write to Texas Medical Association, Communication Department, 1801 North Lamar Blvd., Austin, Texas 78701 or call 512/477-6704, ext. 212.

### A healthy lunch makes a happy child

Most parents will agree that a healthy, hearty lunch is an important and fun part of every child's school day. But school lunches and bag lunches have different advantages that deserve some attention from parents, says the Texas Medical Association.

Public school lunch programs in Texas provide one-third of the daily nutritional requirements for children. Each school district's menu planners must follow strict standards when deciding what to serve, including the number of servings from the four basic food groups, as well as the quantity of each serving.

Another plus for school lunches is that certain children are eligible for free or reduced-price meals.

Possibly the only disadvantage of the school lunch program is that your child may not always like what is being served and consequently may not eat well.

TMA suggests following the school lunch menu and packing a lunch for your child on those days.

When packing a lunch,

remember that children have different nutritional and caloric (energy) needs than adults.

TMA offers these tips for parents:

\* In general, children need more nutrients and calories than adults because they are very active and have rapid growth "spurts".

\* Iron tops the list of nutrients needs during early childhood and adolescence. Iron is necessary for the formation of red blood cells and other functions and is especially important for adolescent girls.

\* Protein is necessary for bone and cell growth and calcium is vital for building strong bones and teeth.

\* Use the four basic food groups--meat, milk and cheese, fruit and vegetables, and bread--to plan lunches. Include a wide variety from each group to ensure that your child gets a balance and enough of the essential nutrients.

\* Finally, remember that a child's eating habits often stay with him or her to adulthood!

### Senior menu

Thursday August 20

- Liver Creole
- Baked Potato
- Green Beans
- Combread Muffins
- Cucumbers w/Buttermilk Dressing

Friday, August 21

- Chicken Fried Steak
- Buttered Rice
- Okra Gumbo
- Rolls or Biscuits
- Fresh Green Salad w/Green Peppers
- Pumpkin Pie

Monday, August 24

- Salmon Croquettes w/Tartar Sauce
- Butterbeans
- Spinach
- Mexican Combread
- Lettuce/Tomato Salad
- Butterscotch Pudding w/Topping

Tuesday, August 25

- Pork Chops
- Golden Hominy
- California Mix Vegetables
- Yeast Roll
- Fruit

Wednesday, August 26

- Meat Sauce w/Cheese Spaghetti
- Buttered Broccoli
- Garlic Toast
- Cucumbers w/Buttermilk Dressing
- Brownies w/Chocolate Icing

### Seven-month sales of savings bonds in Texas up almost 19 percent

United States Savings Bonds sales in Texas for the first seven months of fiscal year 1987 amounted to \$259,442,734, an increase of \$41 million or 18.9 percent over the same period of 1986. T.J. Morrow, District Director for the U.S. Savings Bonds Division in Texas, announced today. These sales represent 66.8 percent of the state's 1987 assigned dollar goal of \$388 million.

Sales of Series EE Bonds amounted to \$3,825,000 during April, 1987 in Sutton County, Volunteer County Chairman, said. The October 1986-April 1987 total for the County was \$37,700, which represents 62.8% of the County's 1987 assigned dollar goal.

Nationally, April 1987 sales of Series EE Bonds totaled \$706 million, slightly higher than those for March 1987. Sales of U.S. Savings Bonds of \$7.72 billion for the first seven months of fiscal year 1987 increased 107 percent and redemptions declined 14% compared to the same period for 1986. The increase in amount outstanding during April 1987 was \$755 million, for a total of \$95.42 billion, up 16% over April 1986.

The market-based interest rate for the six-month period beginning May 1, 1987 is 5.84 percent. The average yield for Bonds held since the beginning of the market-based interest rate on November 1, 1982 is 8.68 percent. Outstanding Series EE Bonds, Series E Bond and Saving Notes held and earning interest for at least five years after November 1, 1982 are also eligible for this market-based yield. All Series EE Bond purchased on and after November 1, 1982-and held at least five years-will earn 85 percent of the average market yield on Treasury marketable securities. Bonds held less than five years earn interest on a fixed, graduated scale.

For current rate information, call 1-800-US-BONDS-TOLL FREE.

Texas Baptist volunteers have erected the first new house at Saragosa, the West Texas town destroyed by a tornado on May 22, and plans are being made to rebuild the entire community August 24-September 11.

Included in the rebuilding plan is an around-the-clock building effort by volunteers on Labor Day weekend, September 4-7.

About 450 Southern Baptist volunteers will take part in the August 24-September 11 building project, in which as many as 60 homes are expected to be rebuilt. Among the laborers will be 75 to 100 retired couples who work regularly with Olen Miles and the Texas Baptist Men Retiree Builders.

A group of Southern Baptists from Waco erected the first house at Saragosa July 29-August 2.

They were assisted by two Varones Bautistas (Hispanic Baptist Men) from Dallas. Their labor provided a two-bedroom home for Sophia Gomez, a 60-year-old widow who is rearing two children.

The home was prefabricated on the parking lot at Woodway First Baptist Church and raised on-site by the volunteers. Most of the materials used in building the house were donated by Waco-area

merchants, and other materials were purchased by churches in Waco Baptist Association.

Two Texas Baptist couples from Second Baptist Church, Lake Jackson, are working on a one-bedroom Red Cross model home that is expected to be completed by August 15. A group of Mennonite families from Kansas are erecting a three-bedroom home that also is being built with Red Cross funds.



The Hospital Auxiliary is raffling a beautiful handmade quilt donated by Charlotte Gilmore. Tickets are \$1.00 each and can be purchased at First National Bank, Sutton County National Bank, Westerman Drug, Hudspeth Nursing Home or from any Hospital Auxiliary member. Tickets will be sold on the courthouse lawn at the Auxiliary membership drive booth, during Sutton County Days, August 22. Drawing will be held sometime that afternoon.

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Bids are invited upon the several items and quantities of work as follows:

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 Title: County Judge

## PUBLIC NOTICE

The Sutton County Commissioners Court will consider final adoption of the Sutton County Budget for the fiscal year 1988, on Monday, August 24, 1987, at 9:00 a.m., in the Sutton County Annex. Such budget consideration will include proposed use of Federal Revenue Sharing Monies. Any taxpayer of Sutton County has the right to be present and participate in such hearing. Prior to the time of the hearing, the proposed budget will be available for examination at

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Throughout the summer, the Outdoor Drama Group has presented the "Covered Wagon Dinner Theater" each weekend at the Caverns of Sonora.

With the 1987 season at an end, the Outdoor Drama Group would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to everyone, financial backers, volunteers, entertainers & audiences, who worked so hard to make this venture successful. A special thank you goes to the wonderful people at the Caverns, the Directors and the Morris', who not only provided the location for the "Covered Wagon Dinner Theater" but also gave their full support and cooperation.

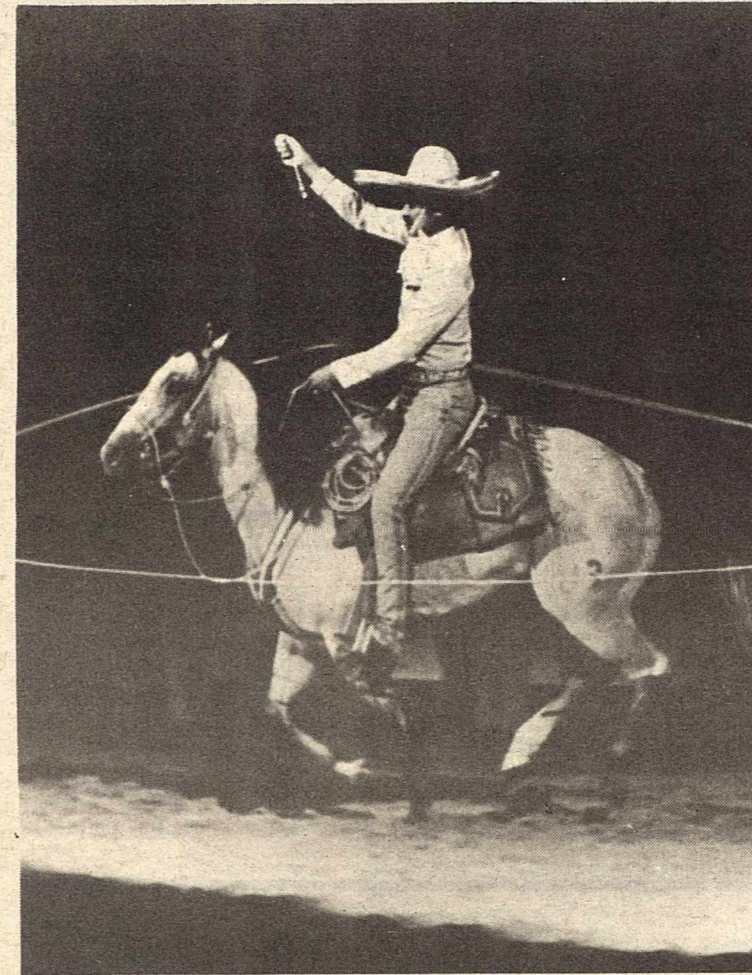
Please join us on the lawn at the Courthouse during Sutton County Days for the conclusion to our season with non-stop story telling and entertainment.

Thanks, ODG

## Devil's River News

# SUTTON COUNTY DAYS 1987

### Come celebrate with us



GERARDO "JERRY" DIAZ

Sonora's largest annual event is Sutton County Days. It is enjoyed by record crowds each year.

The festivities will begin Friday, August 21, 1987 with a parade. The parade will feature local and non-local entries and will begin at 5 p.m.

Immediately following the parade, the Sonora Chamber of Commerce will be having a barbecue supper on the Courthouse lawn. The meal will be a good "western style" barbecue with goat and brisket and all the trimmings. Cost for the meal will be \$4 for adults and \$3 for children.

The "Covered Wagon Dinner Theater" will provide entertainment starting at 6 p.m.

The PRCA rodeo will begin at 8 p.m. at the County Park arena. Phil Gardenhire will be the Master of Ceremonies for both evenings of the rodeo.

Barrel men and bull fighters for the rodeos will be Michael "Smurf" Horton, Tony Johnson and J.G. Crouch.

Sonorans entered in this years rodeo include:

**Barrel Races:** Jessie Kerbow, Anna Balch, Rachel Merck, Allison Powers, Sherry Ingham, Anita Balch and Brenda Smith.

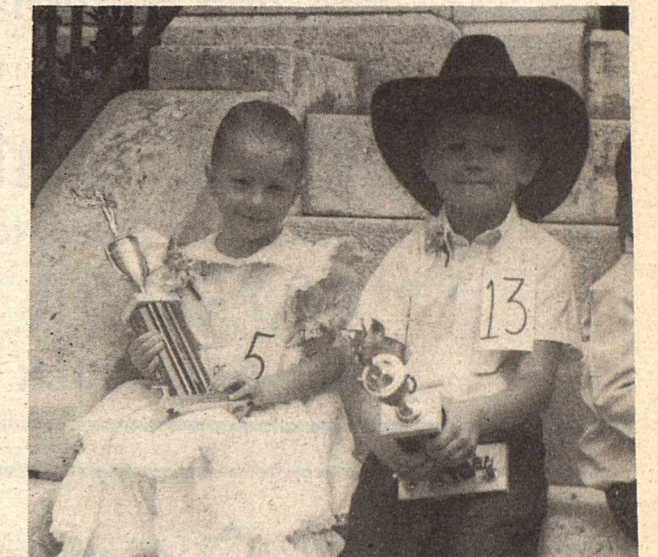
**Calf Roping:** Mike Friess, Bob Blanford, Olie Smith, Ben Ingham and Mack Altizer.

**Steer Wrestling:** Houston Powers and Tim Roberts.

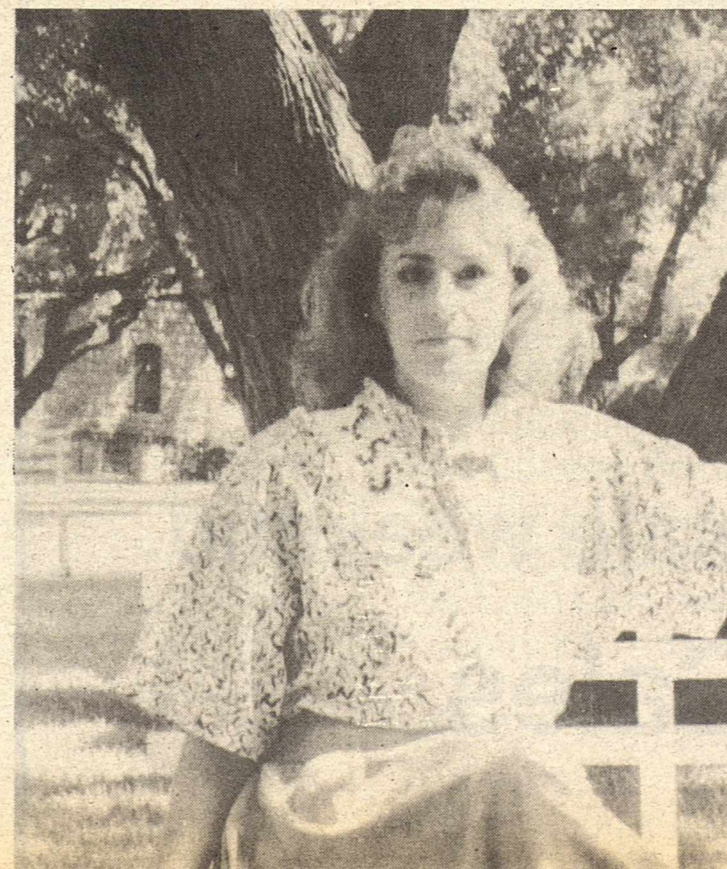
**Team Roping:** Tony Renfro, Mike Friess, Steve Morriss, Jimmy Powers, Ben Ingham, Olie Smith and Bob Blanford.

**Steer Roping:** Bob Blanford, Mickey Powers, Olie Smith, Ben Ingham and Mack Altizer.

**Bull Riding:** Duane Jones.



1986 LITTLE MISS AND MR. SUTTON COUNTY Haley Jardee and Larry Don Luckie



MICHELE ADAMS

### Miss Sutton County 1986 says farewell

*I will soon pass on my title as Miss Sutton County to this year's lucky winner with much appreciation and affection. It has been as much fun as an education to represent Sutton County. I have learned that Sonora has so many supporters, neighbors and friends working to show how much we as a community have to offer. I would like to say a special thank you to Carolyn Earwood, Dede Doran and the Chamber of Commerce for all their help and support. God bless you all. I am proud to say "Sonora is my home".*

Michele Adams

### Sutton County Days-1987

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*The Kountry Kousins will be entertaining for the crowd Saturday*

### "Covered Wagon Dinner Theater"

The Outdoor Drama Group will be a part of Sutton County Days as they offer performances both Friday evening and all day Saturday. The performances will be free, however, donations will be accepted. The sing-a-long, led by Scott Gilmore, will begin at 6 pm Friday evening after the Chamber of Commerce barbecue.

Following the sing-a-long, Vera Jones will relate the "Legend of the Bluebonnet". Oscar Galindo will provide music when Vera's story concludes.

Saturdays schedule of story telling and entertainment will be as follows:

- 10:00 Joe lane will be taking a stroll through Sutton County Cemetary. This well written narrative is both educational and entertaining.
- 10:30 Kent Kepler, minister of

(Con't on p.4)

# We hope that you enjoy the 1987 Sutton County Days Celebration.



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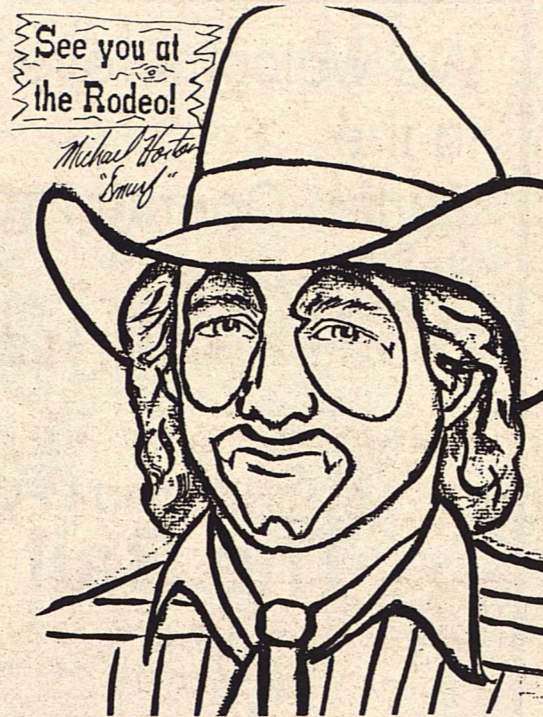
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**'Smurf' puts on a show**

Michael first began assisting the cowboys in the practice pens while in the eleventh grade. Their encouragement and confidence in his abilities strengthened his desire to pursue a career in bullfighting.

He first received a membership card in the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association in March, 1980. He achieved this by fulfilling the required permit, winning one thousand dollars in as little as two rodeo bullriding events. In February, 1982 after exhibitions of his talent for Bob Donaldson and Bobby Romer, the CL (Clown) was added to his card.

He has participated in some capacity in events such as bullriding, saddle bronc riding, and bareback riding in twenty or more states. He has worked with the following contractors namely: Bob Barnes of Cherokee, Iowa, Silver Spurs of Kissimmee, Florida, Five Star Rodeo of Zolfo Springs, Florida, Mac Altizer (Bad Co. Rodeo) of Sonora, Texas, Mesquite Championship Rodeo of Mesquite, Texas, Swanny Kerby (Bar T) of Salt Lake City, Utah, Jim Shoulders of Henryetta, Oklahoma, and the famed Calgary Stampede in



Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

In December, 1986, during the National Finals Rodeo in Las Vegas, Nevada, Michael was chosen to compete in the Wrangler Jeans Pro-Rodeo Bullfighting Tour. Along with fifteen other elite bullfighters, he will compete in eight matches during the course of the year, working for a spot in the top six, which will take him to the 1987 National Finals Rodeo in Las Vegas, Nevada with a chance to win the World Championship Bullfighter title.

Being chosen for the Wrangler Tour brings Michael one step closer to the World Championship goal he has set for himself. Another is to have the honor of working the National Finals Rodeo in the near future.

**SUTTON COUNTY DAYS SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 21, 1987**

- 5:00 Sutton County Days Parade  
Bar-B-Q immediately following the parade on the Courthouse lawn
- 6:00 Sing-a-long (*Covered Wagon Dinner Theater*)
- 6:30 Vera Jones, story teller, "Legend of the Bluebonnet" (*Covered Wagon Dinner Theater*)
- 7:00 Oscar Galindo (*Covered Wagon Dinner Theater*)
- 8:00 PRCA Rodeo
- 8:00-12:00 Sutton County Days Dance (*Music by Clay Blaker*)

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 22, 1987**

- 8:00 Fun Run
- 9:30 Opening Ceremony-*Monte Jones, Master of Ceremonies*
- 9:30 Old Timers Reunion Registration
- 9:30 Food Booths Open
- 10:00 Little Miss and Mr. Sutton County Days
- 10:00 Joe Lane (*Covered Wagon Dinner Theater*)
- 10:00 1977 Class Reunion Registration
- 10:30 Pet Show
- 10:30 Fort Concho Soldiers
- 10:30 Kent Kepler as Bro. Dunn (*Covered Wagon Dinner Theater*)
- 11:00 Muzzle Loaders Rendevous (*all day*)
- 11:00 Tricycle Races
- 11:00 Jim Stephen as Muzzler Loader (*Covered Wagon Dinner Theater*)
- 11:30 Orange Push
- 11:30 John Eaton tells of Dr. McGuire and Tom O'Toole (*Covered Wagon Dinner Theater*)
- 12:00 Eldorado Town Band (*Covered Wagon Dinner Theater*)
- 12:15 Senior Slave Auction
- 12:30 Fort Concho Soldiers
- 12:30 Don Jones as Judge Orland Simms (*Covered Wagon Dinner Theater*)
- 1:00 Sack Races
- 1:00 Monte Jones as "Biscuits O'Brian" (*Covered Wagon Dinner Theater*)
- 1:30 Egg Toss
- 1:30 Olive Hays and Company (*Covered Wagon Dinner Theater*)
- 2:00 Watermelon Eating Contest
- 2:00 L.P. Bloodworth (*Covered Wagon Dinner Theater*)
- 2:30 Seed Spitting Contest
- 2:30 Fort Concho Soldiers
- 3:00 Announce Five Sutton County Days Queen contestant finalists
- 3:00 Gus Clemons (*Covered Wagon Dinner Theater*)
- 3:15 Pie Eating Contest
- 3:30 Kountry Cousins, Square Dance Club (*Cover Wagon Dinner Theater*)
- 4:00 Crowning of Miss Sutton County
- 5:00 Closing Ceremony
- 8:00 PRCA Rodeo
- 9:00-1:00 Sutton County Days Dance (*Music by Clay Blaker*)

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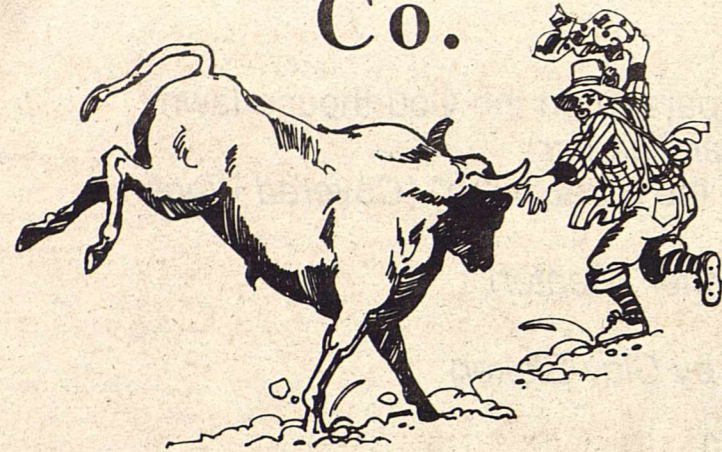
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(Con't from p.2)

the First United Methodist Church will recite a piece involving a bull fight which took place in front of the church after a trail drive through Sonora in the early 1900's.

11:00 Jim Stephen, minister of the First Baptist Church, will live the life of a muzzle loader. Jim's involvement with the old way of life certainly qualifies him to speak with authority.

11:30 John Eaton, noted historian of this area, will tell of Dr. McGuire and Tom O'Toole.

12:00 Eldorado Town Band will be performing at least one of your favorites as they play some oldies, guaranteed to start your toes to tapping and you'll probably sing along!

12:30 Don Jones, minister of the Church of Christ, will relate the life and times of Judge Orland Simms, a pioneer of this region of Texas.

1:00 Monte Jones, minister of the Episcopal Church, will once again delight the audience with his tale of

(Con't on p.5)

# WELCOME TO SUTTON COUNTY DAYS

We welcome everyone to the Sutton County Days celebration



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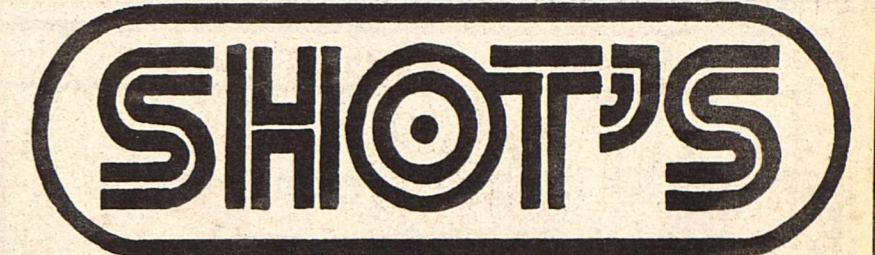
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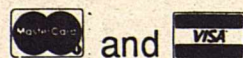
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WELCOME TO SUTTON COUNTY DAYS

# Just name it, they can play it!

Clay Blaker and the Honky Tonk Band to preform at Sutton County Days

Sonora and the Sutton County Days Association will welcome Clay Blaker and the Texas Honky Tonk Band to Sutton County August 21 and 22. The Band will be playing Friday and Saturday nights at the Park Slab following each PRCA Rodeo Performance.

Clay Blaker has been performing with his Texas Honky-Tonk Band since 1975. Born and raised in the Houston area, Clay relocated his band and music business to the hill county of Texas in 1983 in order to be more centrally located for their touring schedule and because of their love for that region of Texas. They tour mainly the southwestern portion of the U.S. playing mostly one-nighters. Also Clay and the band have made four tours of Europe along with Europe's #1 country band, the Emsland Hillbillies of West Germany. They have performed in Wales, Scotland, England, Holland and West Germany.

In the U.S. Clay Blaker and the Texas Honky-Tonk Band are very popular, playing mostly dance halls and honky-tonks, but because of their excellent rapport with audiences and performances of original material they play

showcase clubs and concerts as well. Several of the band members write songs and they always include some of these in their show. Clay recently had one of his songs, "The Only Thing I Have Left," cut by George Strait on his Strait From the Heart album. The band's material consists mostly of traditional country and western swing. However, they also include in their shows some of the other influences to which they have been exposed such as Cajun music, blues, jazz, rockability and rock.

Clay and the band have appeared on several television shows and radio programs in Texas and have appeared in many concerts with national headliners.

Clay Blaker and the Texas Honky-Tonk Band have released two albums in Europe which are unavailable in the United States. They have released two singles in Texas on "D" records and had their first single released nationwide last year on the "Paid" record label. They are currently releasing their first and long-awaited U.S. album entitled What A Way To Live on the "Texas Musik" label out of Austin.



CLAY BLAKER AND THE TEXAS HONKY TONK BAND

WELCOME TO SUTTON COUNTY DAYS

## Sutton County Days Celebration

(Con't from p.1)

The Sutton County Days Dance will begin at 8 till 12 midnight. The dance will feature music by Clay Blaker and the Texas Honky Tonk Band.

Blaker will also play for the dance on Saturday which will begin at 9 p.m. and last until 1 a.m.

Saturday's activities will include something for everyone from food, games, contests, arts and crafts, and entertainment. For a complete schedule of events, please see page 3 of this edition.

The Little Miss and Mr. contest will be held at 10 a.m. with a total of twenty-two entries. The judges will have their work cut

out for them as you can see from the pictures of the entrants which begin on page 14.

The five finalists for Miss Sutton County will be announced at 3 p.m. They are determined by high dollar rodeo ticket sales. The finalists will each be interviewed, by judges from outside Sonora, to determine the new Miss Sutton County who will be crowned at 4 p.m. The contestants pictures begin on page 10.

The beautiful tiara that each Miss Sutton County wears is donated by Tedford Jewelry.

Come join us for the weekend of August 21 and 22. The whole family will enjoy it!

"Biscuits O'Brian", camp cook. The humor in this selection is excellent!

1:30 Olive Hays and Company will please the crowd with rag time piano selections. Olive will play through the afternoon when there is no one else on stage.

2:00 L.P. Bloodworth will deliver some of his wonderful humor which will be spun into a

story of his family and their history as it relates to Sutton County. Gus Clemons, of San Angelo, will tell of Texas' history beginning several hundred years ago and working to the present. Kountry Kousins, a square dance group made up of residents of Eldorado and Sonora, will do some fancy stepping for your entertainment.

## We salute Miss Sutton County 1986 Michele Adams



Michele drew names at the Game Dinner this past fall.

Michele at Crowning Ceremony



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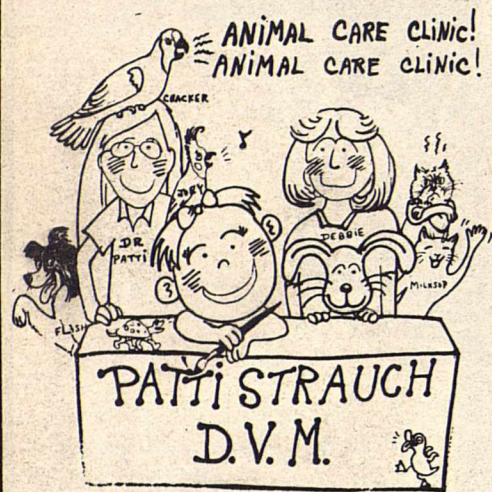
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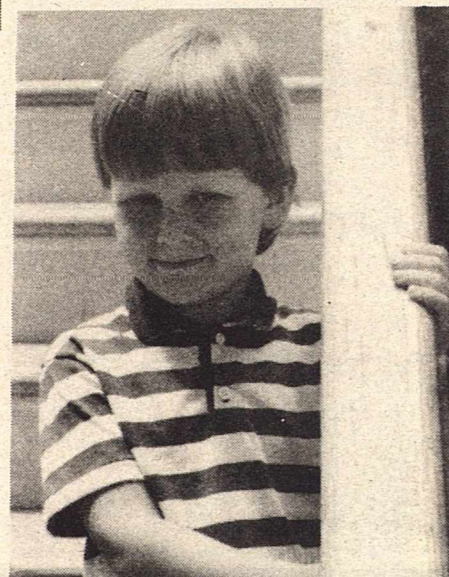
These items can be seen at my booth during Sutton County Days

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**Kimberly Thompson**

Kimberly Thompson is the four year old daughter of Bill Thompson. She enjoys swimming. Kimberly's favorite food is spaghetti and meat sauce.



**Walker Thompson**

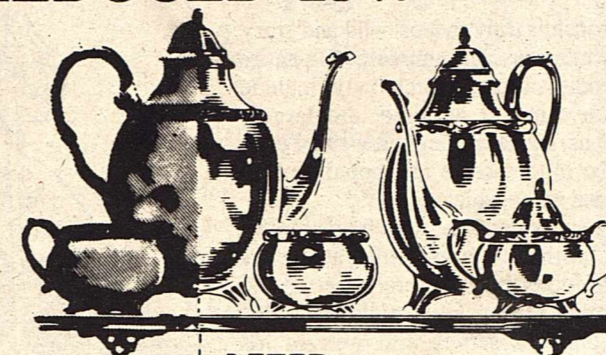
Walker is the four year old son of Gene and Jeanette Thompson. His favorite food is meat and spaghetti. Walker enjoys swimming and riding his bike.

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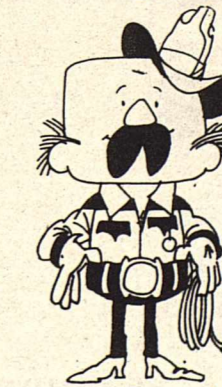
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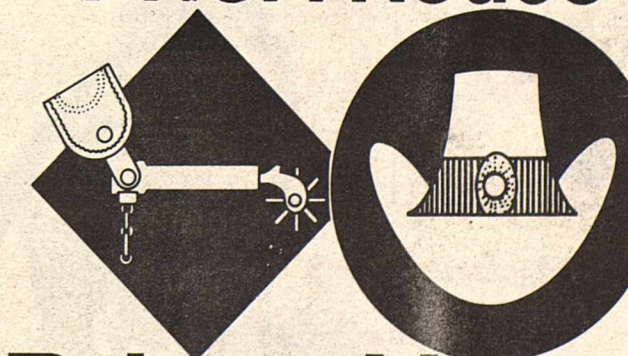
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Four year old Daisha Henson is the daughter of Wes and Tressa Henson.

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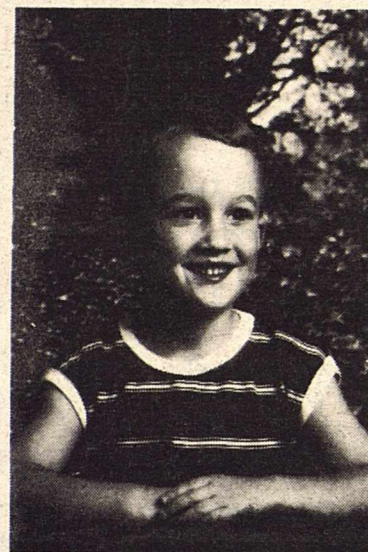
Her favorite food is peanut butter.

**Stetson Blayne Hall**

Stetson is the three year old son of Calloway and Rhonda Hall.

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Stetson's favorite food is hamburgers.



**Marisha Henson**

Marisha Henson is the five year old daughter of Wes and Tressa Henson.

She enjoys playing babies, fishing and picking peas.

Ketchup is Marisha's favorite food.



**Emily Rachael Lind**

Emily Lind is the three years old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Greg Lind.

Her favorite foods are yogurt and cantaloupe.

Emily enjoys listening to books, playing dolls and being a "little mother" to her friends.

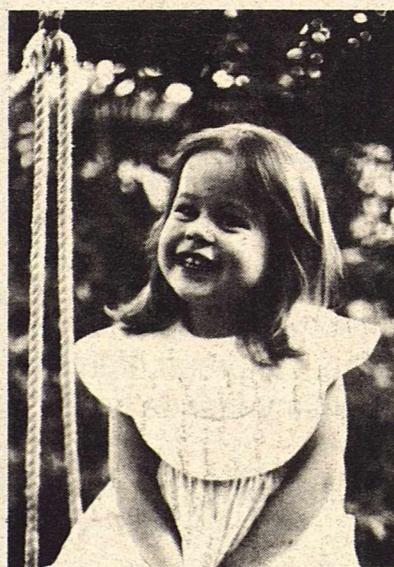


**Kasey Melyn Kearney**

Three year old Kasey Kearney is the daughter of Kent and Brenda Kearney.

Kasey is interested in learning to swim, playing on her swingset, and playing dolls with her little sister. She also enjoys Mother's Day Out which she calls "school" and going to church and Bible class.

Her favorite foods are chicken, cheese, fruit and ice cream.



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Traci Lopez is the three year old daughter of Diana Lopez of Sonora and Arturo Lopez of Brownweed.

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Three and a half year old Amy King is the daughter of LaDonna King.

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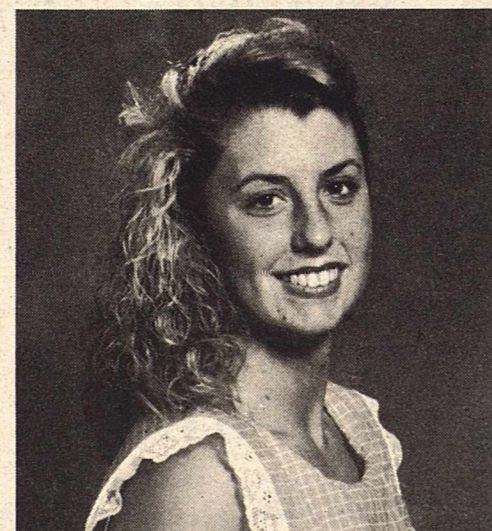
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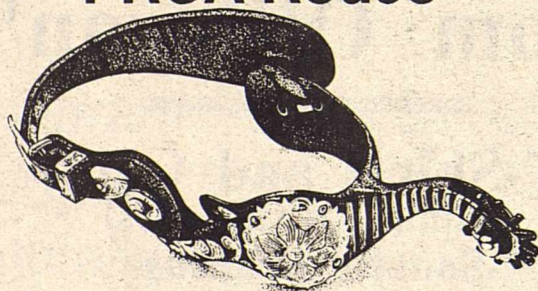
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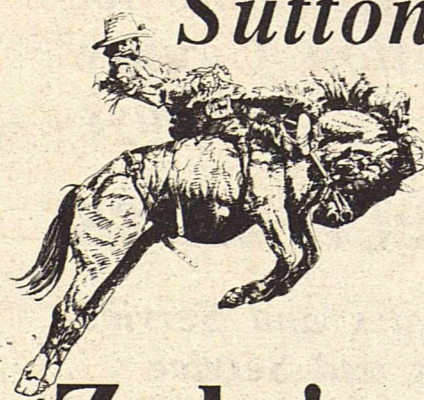
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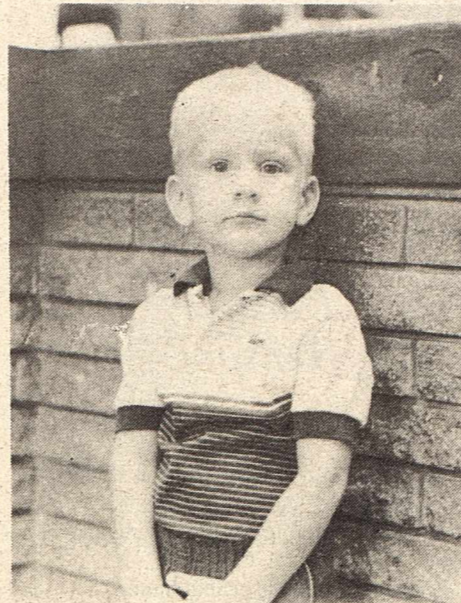
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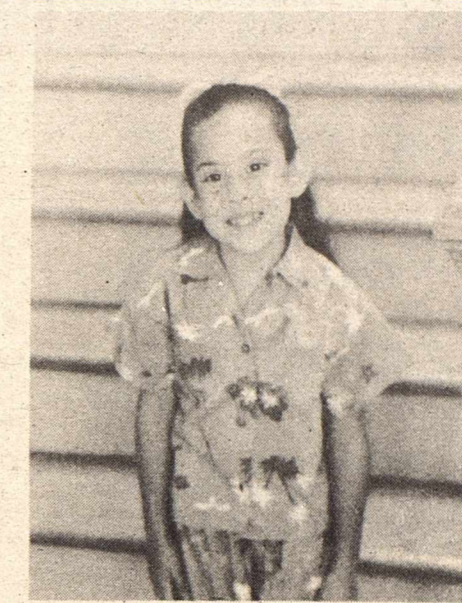
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Sean Fields is the three year old son of Tryon and Cindy Fields. He enjoys riding his tricycle, playing with his cars and playing Davy Crockett. Sean's favorite foods are cereal and cookies.



**Bianca Elise  
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Bianca Gamboa, daughter of Frank and Sylvia Gamboa, is five years old. She enjoys swimming and dancing. Bianca's favorite foods are pizza and hamburgers.



**Michael  
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Five year old Michael Floyd is the son of James and Kathy Floyd. Michael likes to swim and to ride horses. His favorite food is spaghetti.



**Desiree  
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Desiree Gonzales is the three year old daughter of Alex and Norma Gonzales. Her favorite food is cheese. Desiree likes riding her tricycle, playing baseball with her brother and collecting pets.

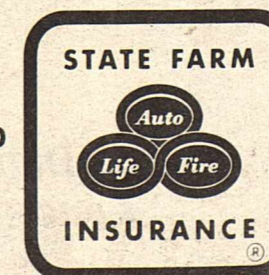
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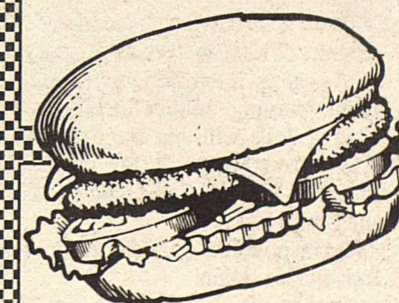


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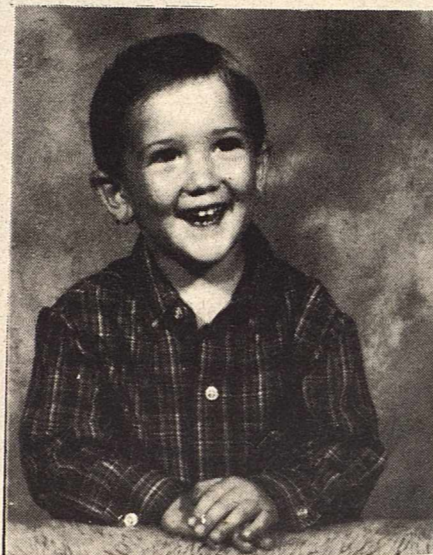
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Allison Benson is the five year old daughter of James and Dianne Benson. She likes books as is interested in starting school. Allison's favorite foods are spaghetti and ice cream.



**Landon  
Brockman**

Landon is the three year old son of Bob and Nancy Brockman. He likes roping. Landon's favorite food is ketchup.

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CAUTHORN**

Camille is the seventeen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan C. Cauthorn. She is a senior in high school and is sponsored by First National Bank of Sonora.



**PRECCIA  
MILLER**

Preccia is the seventeen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Johnson. A senior in Sonora High School, Preccia is sponsored by San Angelo Savings Association.

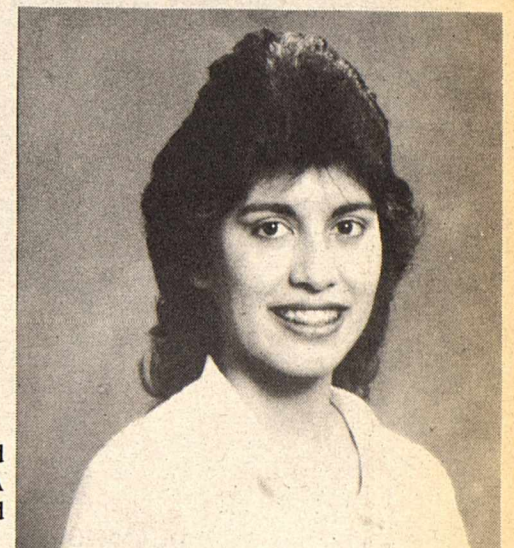


**ROBBI  
DICKENSON**

Robbi is the seventeen year old daughter of Bobby and Ruth Ann Dickenson. She is a senior at Sonora High School and is sponsored by Shurley Industrial Park.

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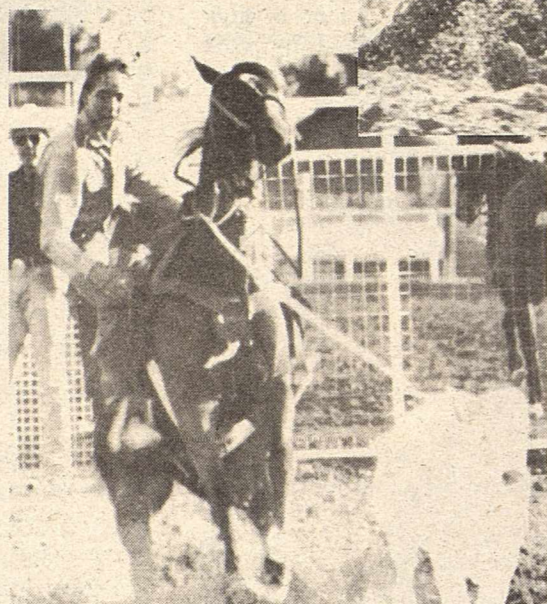
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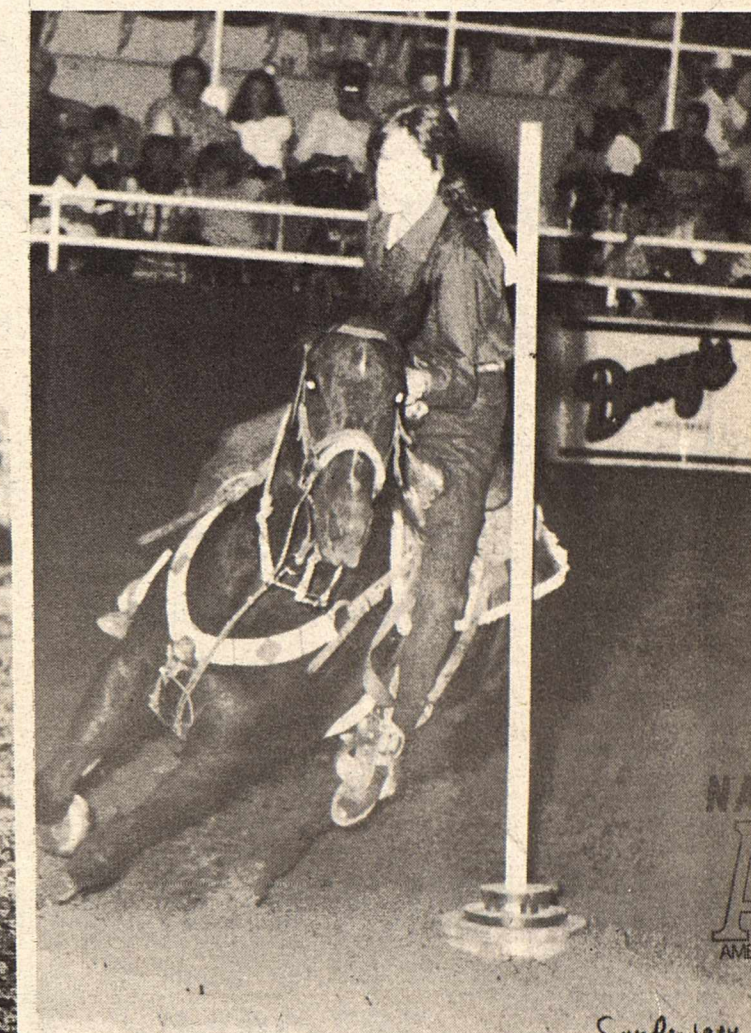
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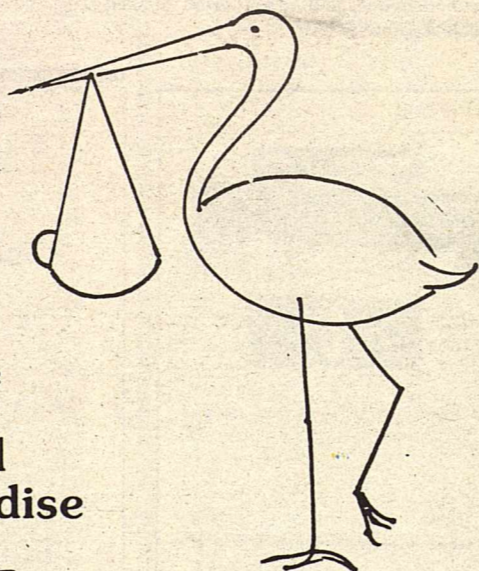
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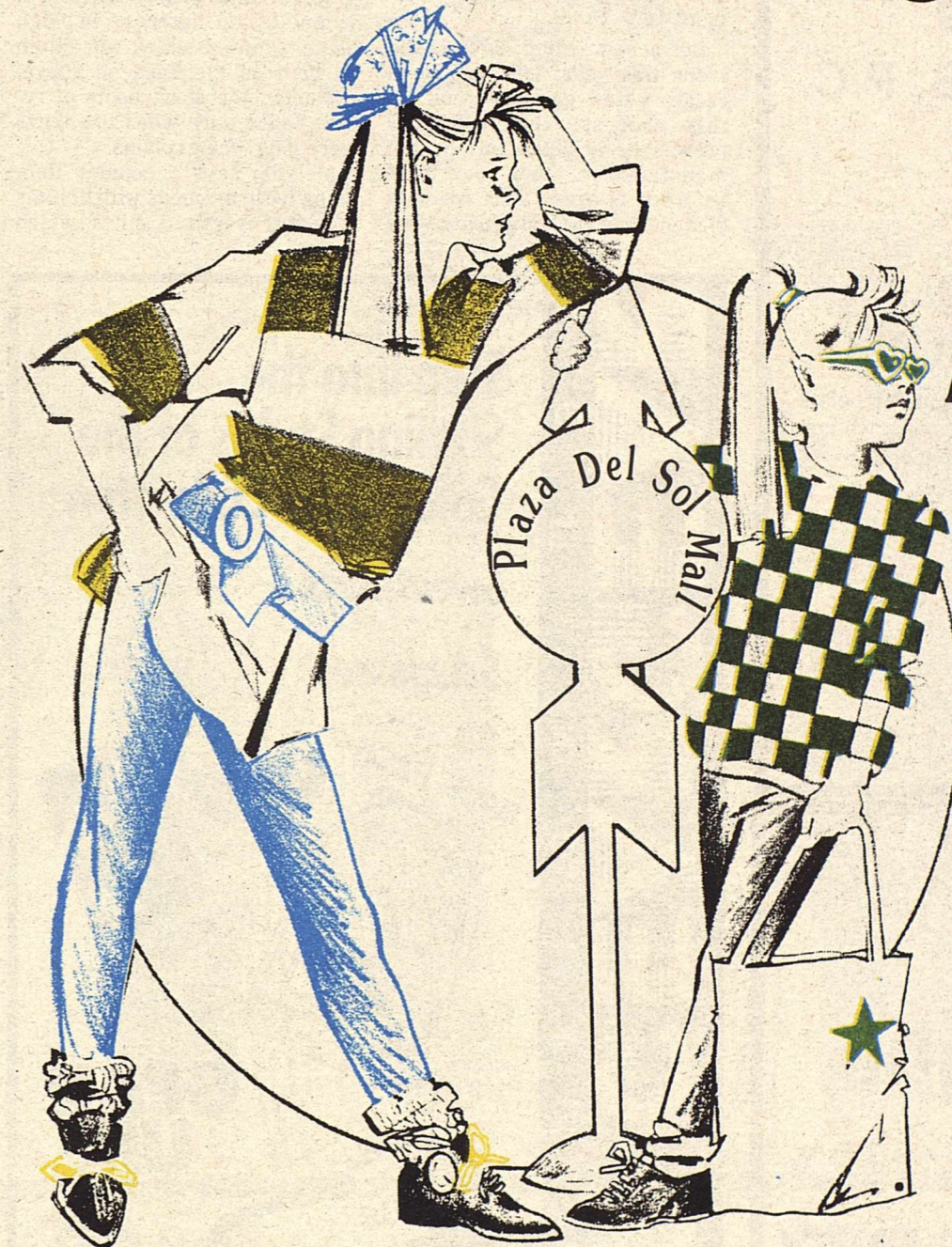
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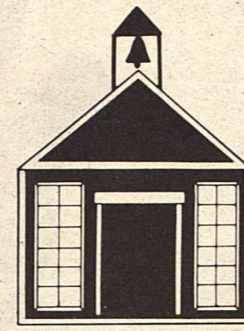
# Back-to-school fashions arrive in Del Rio

All of the latest back to school fashions have arrived at Del Rio's Plaza del Sol Mall according to mall merchants. Skirts will be short, boots high and sweaters loose on coeds at America's college campuses this fall, according to fashion merchants. And that longtime fashion favorite — faded blue jeans — will continue high on the

popularity list, says Terry Melville, vice president and director of women's fashions for Macy's of New York. The advent of miniskirts is expected to be greeted with enthusiasm on the campus, according to Melville. "It's a whole new experience for today's college kids, who've never worn them" she explains. "People who've been around

since the '60s remember miniskirts — but this is a new generation." The short skirts are available in a wide assortment of stonewashed denims, cottons, rayons or silks, in plaids or in solid colors, Melville adds. According to a recent national survey, faded or worn jeans are the favorite garment on campus. Many are stonewashed so they won't look like they just came from the factory. In stonewashing, the manufacturer washes the denims along with pumice stones to make them appear worn. But acid washing, new on the scene this year, is expected to create a new campus trend. In this process, the fabric is prewashed in chemicals by the manufacturer, then overdyed before it is sewn. This not only bleaches out the color before the

dying but softens the fabric as well. The big news in denims this season is acid washing — plus overdyed," says Melville. "They are faded by the washing, then colors such as different shades of brown, beiges, greens and the like, are added. In fact, they might be called rainbow or Technicolor denims." Acid washing, she notes, applies to denim jackets, shirts and dresses as well as the traditional blue jeans. The fashion forecaster also predicts that short skirts will stimulate an interest in high boots, some of which will climb as high as the knee or above, replacing the short boots of recent years worn when the skirts were long, she explains. Melville says a popular item being worn by coeds with denims is white, oversized shirts, which



look like blouses. "The key element is that they're white and 100 percent cotton," she says. "They're crisp and clean-looking." The collegiate look, says Melville, also will embrace oversized sweaters such as shetlands and cardigans, along with turtlenecks, which can be worn with skirts and pants, and perhaps displaying crests or monograms. "What we call 'Stretch to the Limit' fabrics — especially stretch leggings — also are relatively new," she says, adding that the mostly cotton knit mixed with stretch fabric will be found in skirts, dresses and tops. The shorter skirts also will bring the need for new stockings, preferably opaque and formfitting, according to Melville. The best colors will be black, brown or navy, "depending on what color skirt is being worn." The short leather skirt will be another important item in campus wear, she predicts. "If you were to buy one important skirt to carry you through the fall, the leather skirt would be perfect," Melville says. "It can be worn as a casual item, perhaps with a plaid shirt or turtleneck, or it can be worn with a white blouse to make it softer and more romantic." And the animal kingdom is not forgotten, she adds, explaining that leopard and pony skin prints will be seen on sweater knits and accessories, along with belts in leopard and crocodile patterns.

# A fall fashion adventure for children

As summer vacation time ticks away, a sense of anticipation signals the beginning of a new school year. But, there's still lots to do before that magic first day of school, including shopping for new clothes and a visit to a special museum for kids, where "learning is an adventure." "This year's back-to-school clothes

have a strong visual appeal," says Madeline H. Guyon, Children's Fashion Coordinator for JCPenney. "Color and comfort are key. Both girls' and boys' fashions are reved up with bright colors played off black." For girls, the new proportion, reminiscent of the '60s, is big tops over slim bottoms like leggings, or stirrup pants. And,

they'll have stars in their eyes as star prints take top fashion billing. Easy wear, easy care knits in everything from dresses to sweats are the season's essentials. Even accessories take on a bright role with bold beads and eye-catching hoisery. Boys can choose from action-packed sweatshirt tops in a variety of bold puff-print sports designs. Plaid and print shirts can top a bright tee, or pair with coordinating vests and sweaters. Still getting high marks are sweat pant bottoms and classic jeans, funky when braced with bright suspenders. The JCPenney fashion adventure features eight ready-for-action kids on a visit to the Capital Children's Museum in Washington, D.C. Outside, at the stop sign, a life-size schoolgirl sculpture attracts two real girls who compare their JCPenney dresses, and strike a pose. The two older girls are off to International Hall wearing bright oversize sweaters and leggings. They demonstrate fall's big-over-slim silhouette by trying on a gigantic Mexican sombrero. Deep within the ice-age cave, two would-be Huck Finns wearing JCPenney jeans and shirts explore early communications, before heading off to try out the musical computer and Ben Franklin printing press. Two little guys find action in the City Room's fire station. Lights flash and alarms ring as the real-life helmets and boots just about cover their bright sweat pants, shirts and sweaters. Then, they're off down the manhole, under the city street and over to crawl through the Metamorphomaze. Catering to children of all ages, the Capital Children's Museum is one of many "hands-on" children's museums across the country where visitors can touch, taste, test, try on and talk to the exhibits. It's a great place to play and, also, to learn.



TWO GIRLS WEARING NEW FALL DRESSES from JCPenney, pose with their new schoolgirl statue friend, while visiting the Capital Children's Museum in Washington, D.C. On the right is a bright tulip-pocketed blue stripe dress with solid yoke and hem. A bouncy pull-on knit dress with red heart button is paired with tights and bright socks, on the left.

# Neighborhood playground safety

Every two minutes, somewhere in the U.S., a child receives an injury on a playground and receives emergency hospital treatment, according to data compiled by the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission. Serious injuries occur at a rate of 200,000 annually, and the most common involve youngsters sustaining head injuries resulting from falls onto unsafe surfaces, says James P. Donovan, president of Breakfall, Inc., Milwaukee, Wisconsin, a manufacturer of a protective playground surface.

- What can parents do to help ensure their child's safety? When at playgrounds, look for:
- Any visible cracks, bending, warping, rusting or breakage of any components;
  - Worn swing hangers and chains;
  - Exposed ends of tubing that should be covered by plugs or caps;
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## Expert advice on selecting youngsters' shoes

Parents of youngsters going to school for the very first time — be it nursery school or kindergarten — will begin the yearly tradition of buying "back to school" shoes. Parents should be aware that growing feet need careful attention when it comes to footwear.

"Proper fit is extremely important for young children," says buyer Jeff Glackin of Kinney Shoes. "Children's feet grow in spurts. One size might fit them for several months, then all of a sudden they need three sizes larger."

Mr. Glackin suggests having children's feet measured by a shoe salesman every four to five weeks. At Kinney, this serv-

ice is provided at no charge.

Width, as well as length, should be checked. "Measuring how long feet are is, of course, important, but measuring width is a major concern, especially at a very young age," Mr. Glackin says.

When selecting styles, parents should look for quality in construction and materials. Shoes made of leather are a good choice since leather doesn't restrict a child's movements. Leather also provides a natural cooling process for feet because of its breathability.

Mr. Glackin advises that shoes fit the child's purpose. In other words, dress shoes should not be worn in a play-

ground.

A good rule of thumb to follow is that soles on play shoes should be about a quarter of an inch thick for good support. Dress shoes can have thinner soles. All soles should be firm yet flexible and the arch area of a shoe should give ample support.

Parents with very active children might be interested in knowing that Kinney has an exclusive line of shoes called Tuff Kritters, which are scuff-resistant. The leather of the shoe is coated with polyurethane, which increases durability significantly.



BACK TO SCHOOL SHOES come in a variety of styles, like these from Kinney Shoes, for young children. Parents should keep in mind that a proper fit is very important for growing feet.



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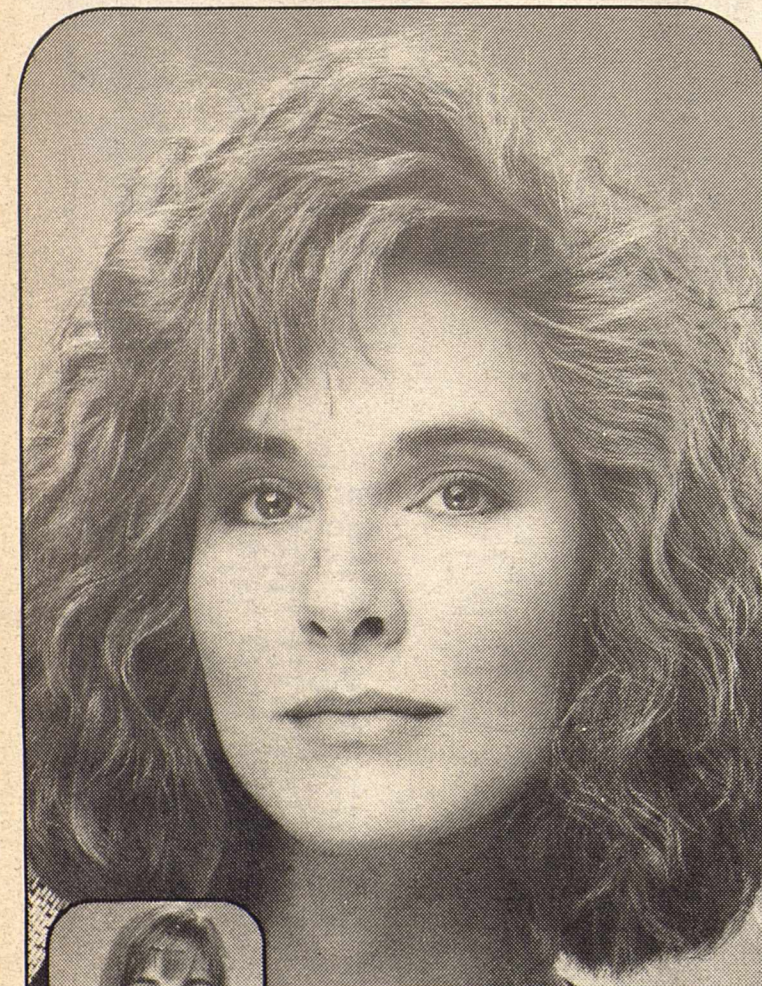
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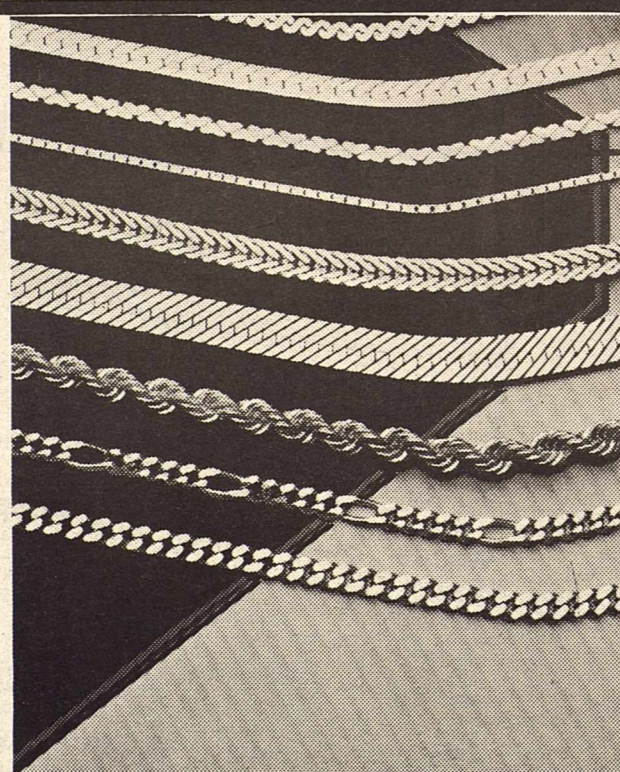
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### PROPER EYE CARE ESSENTIAL TO A CHILD'S DEVELOPMENT

More and more children are getting back-to-school eye examinations these days but some may be receiving inadequate care.

Not all eye examinations are the same, says the American Optometric Association. Sometimes corners are cut to save costs. At other times, a child may receive an adult's examination instead of a child's.

There is a difference. Children are not miniature adults, optometrists say. While some examination steps are the same, a child's vision needs to be considered in terms of growth factors and stages of achievement.

To be sure their child is getting thorough care, parents should make certain, when setting the appointment, that the following will be included:

- Review of the family's and child's health and vision history;
- Internal and external eye health examination;
- Tests of the child's current ability to see sharply and clearly at near and far distances;
- Tests of eye coordination and eye muscle function to be certain the eyes are working together as a team;
- Tests of the ability to change focus easily from near to far and vice versa;
- Tests of eye-hand-foot coordination and depth perception;
- Tests for lazy eye, nearsightedness, farsightedness, astigmatism, cross-eyes and color vision deficiencies.

If the child's developmental, behavioral, learning or health history indicates a need, the optometrist should also provide a series of tests to determine whether or not the development of the child's vision skills is normal.

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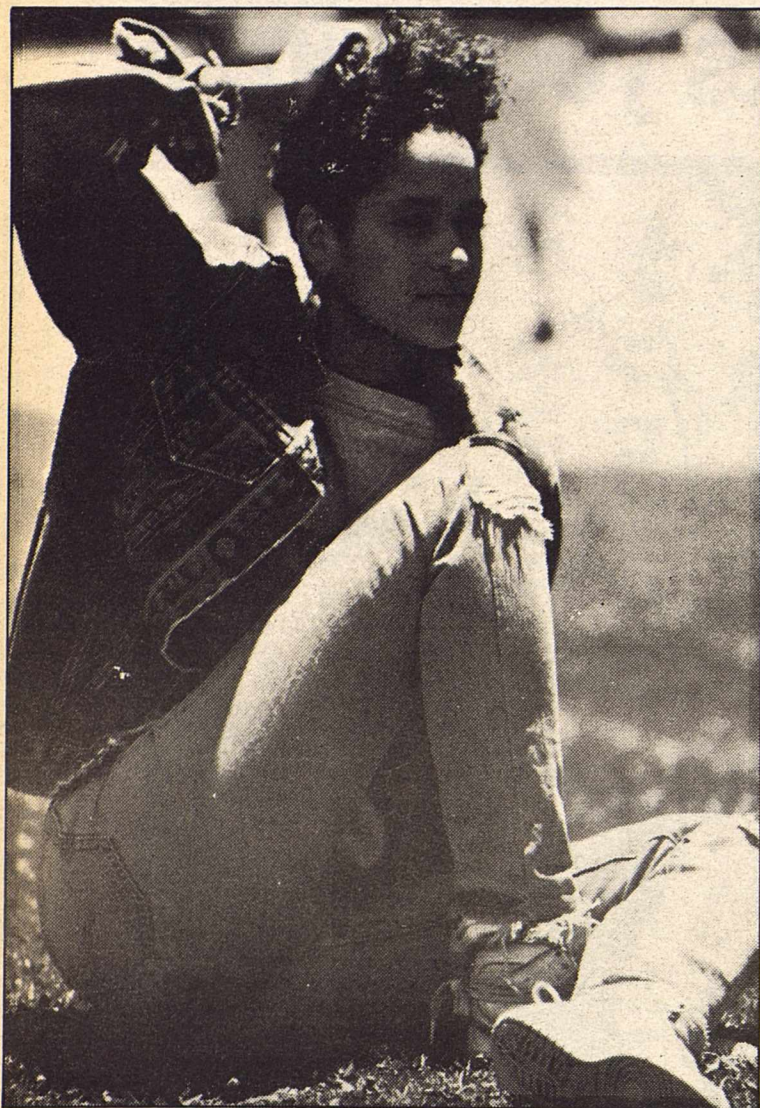
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**BACK TO SCHOOL TIPS FOR PARENTS: LET YOUR CHILD'S FEET GROW!**

Foot growth takes place entirely between infancy and adolescence. What can parents do to ensure this healthy growth period? According to podiatrist, Dr. Marc A. Brenner, "A yearly checkup at the podiatrist is as important as a yearly checkup at the dentist."

Here are some tips he recommends for parents to ensure that their child's feet are well cared for during their most important developmental years:

- Shoes should be checked regularly (every month for children ages one to three and every two months for children ages three and up). Children's feet grow in spurts and they can outgrow their shoes very quickly.

- Here's a quick-check tip: While your child is standing, press the toe of the shoe to see how far the foot extends. About a half inch of free space should be left between the end of the longest toe and the front of the shoe.

- Children should spend time out of their shoes and let their feet take their natural shape. Young girls will especially enjoy Isotoner Stretch Footwear—which shapes to their feet and fits perfectly—and will stretch as her foot grows.

- Athletic shoes protect feet from possible injuries caused by excessive jumping and running. Make sure they are well-fitted.

- Proper foot hygiene is important for all children and should include: Washing feet and drying them thoroughly after bathing, using a foot powder, cutting toe nails straight across, and changing socks daily.

- After-school activities such as gymnastics and dance can wear feet out if not protected properly. A flexible ballet-style slipper (such as the Isotoner Footwear mentioned above) would be ideal so that the foot can bend and move easily.

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*First day of school is difficult for parents and children*

The first day of school is a difficult one for parents as well as children, says early childhood educators.

Parents may feel apprehensive, reluctant or even guilty about sending a youngster off to school.

The first day of school is a new beginning for everyone, whether it is a kindergartner, older elementary age child — or parent.

The start of school provides a chance for children to make new friends and develop new interests, while parents will have more time to devote to their own personal or professional needs.

These suggestions for preparing for the first day of school can help:

- Start planning for back-to-school early, by talking with your children and other family members about new routines and new schedules.

- Listen carefully to your children for clues of anxiety about going to school. Encourage discussion.

- Create a project, like a back-to-school calendar, that helps children say goodbye to summer while looking forward to the school year.

- Take advantage of programs offered by the school to visit the classrooms and meet the teachers.

- Familiarize your child with the school route.

- Try to arrange a "buddy" for your child to walk or ride with to school.

- Try to recall your own memories of the first days of school so you can better understand your child's expectations and concerns.

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