

Davenport honored by Chamber

by CAROL JONES

Hershel Davenport was named Citizen of the Year by the Sonora Chamber of Commerce Thursday night at the annual chamber banguet.

Davenport has been a resident of Sonora since he and his wife Jeanne moved here in August 1969 to manage the Foodway store. The store was then owned by Kimbell Corp. who later sold to Winn Dixie. Mr. and Mrs. Davenport bought the Foodway in 1977.

Born in Wetumka, Oklahoma, Hershel and his family moved to Las Cruces, New Mexico when he was one and a half years of age. At the time of the move, Hershel's family was a "one-mattress" family, heading for California in a touring car.

After many days and nights on the road, combined with car trouble and five children, his parents decided that Las Cruces would be their "Los Angeles".

Hershel's father bought a farm there after working seven to eight years on other people's farms. Hershel went to a one-room schoolhouse, graduating as valedictorian from the eighth grade out of four other eighth graders.

He was not able to participate in sports in high school due to the 11 mile school bus ride and because of the cows waiting patiently for him to milk them.

Being the baby of the family, his two brothers and two sisters had moved on to other things so it was up to him to do the chores.

Hershel graduated from Las Cruces High School (now Mayfield High) in 1941. It was during his senior year that he met a freshman, Jeanne Walter, who had moved to Las Cruces in 1939. According to that freshman, "I was quite in awe of him and this admiration was to continue although we didn't know this way back in 1940".

After graduation from high school, Davenport attended New Mexico State (then A and M) and planned to be an engineer, but in November of his sophomore year, he enlisted in the United States Army Air Corps (now the U.S. Air Force).

While serving in Hawaii he was accepted for cadet training and was sent to Massachusetts, Alabama, and Nevada, and graduated sixth in his class of 166 from Big Spring after 18 months of training.

About this time that "Freshman" referred to earlier showed up again. Her father had gone to England as a Red Cross Field Director and the family was moving to Shreveport, Louisiana.

Since Jeannne and Hershel had been corresponding sporadically over the four years since they had last seen each other, Hershel invited her to attend his cadet graduation May 31, 1945. According to Jeanne, "This was nice as by then, we were engaged, but **not** to each

graduation May 31, 1945. According to Jeanne, "This was nice as by then, we were engaged, but not to each other and this would give us the opportunity to find out if the 'spark' was still there before I moved on to Shreveport and Hershel went wherever." Jeanne and Hershel were married June 2, 1945 in Hershel's sister's home. Wedding announcements were promptly sent to their fiances. Upon separation from the service, the couple

returned to Las Cruces to live in late November 1945, moving to California in 1946.

They returned to Las Cruces in March 1950 and Hershel went to work for Safeway Stores, Inc. He was recalled to service December 21, 1950 for the Korean conflict.

After training in Texas and Kansas, he and his crew were sent to Okinawa for three months or 25 missions in their B-29's. Hershel was made Squadron Radar officer which entitled and forced him to fly with new crews to teach the different radar being used since it was different from the type all had received training for.

After some months and 39 missions and an air medal (his crew got 28), they all returned to Davis-Monthan in Tucson, Arizona.

Hershel was again separated in May 1952 and went back with Safeway in Las Cruces the next month. In October 1953 he was promoted to store manager in Fort Stockton, then transferred to Midland in 1957, Andrews in 1969, Tucumcari in 1961, and Amarillo in 1966.

He quit Safeway in 1969 to move to Sonora.

Hershel and Jeanne have three children, Sharolyn Perry of Amarillo, George Davenport of Brighton, Colorado, and Matt Davenport of Sonora. They also have four grandchildren with a fifth one expected in April in George's home. According to Mrs. Davenport, Hershel has never

According to Mrs. Davenport, Hershel has never lacked for things to do. His work has been so frantic at times that his children would refer to him as "Uncle Daddy".

Some of Hershel's activities have included past representative on the Boy Scout Council in New Mexico, a 30 year member of Lions Club International here and in New Mexico, past president and a current secretary-treasurer of the local Downtown Lions Club, formerly board member of the local chamber of commerce, past president of Band Boosters here and in New Mexico, 14 years as a band booster member, helped with the construction of the Girl Scout Camp in New Mexico, Little League coach in Fort Stockton, a member of the District Lions Club bowling team while in Midland, and a former member of the Methodist Church board here and in New Mexico.

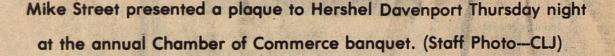
Also, a member of the Concho Valley Council of Governments serving on the executive board for nine years, two years as a vice president then two years as president, and presently serving another two year term as vice president; a member of the regional advisory board of the COG commission on Aging, is currently serving his 10th year as a Sonora city alderman, past Master of Dee Ora Lodge of Freemasonry and currently an active member and an immediate past district deputy grandmaster of Texas, and Hershel is serving his third year on the board of Independent Grocers, Inc. in Abiline.

He is also a past deputy District Governor of the District 2A-1 Lions Club, a life member of the Lions Crippled Camp, past zone director, past Eye Bank director, and past activities and environment director.

Hershel and his "First" wife, as he affectionately refers to Jeanne, will be celebrating their 39th wedding anniversary this June, another source of pride for them, Jeanne added.

In a statement Davenport said, "Living in Sonora is exactly where I want to be. Moving here in 1969, both myself and Jeanne quoted Brigham Young when we said 'This is the place!!!' There is no better place to live and all the citizens of Sonora and Sutton County MUST feel the same gratitude and pride."

The **Devil's River News** joins the chamber in saluting Hershel Davenport, Sonora's Citizen of the Year.



School and city candidates summarized

by Becky Collins

Saturday, April 7th is the day for all qualified voters to go to the polls and cast ballots in the City and School Board elections. These elections have already shown to be an attention grabber with absentee voting in both elections already cast nearly doubling those of the election last year.

The candidates for election in these two races are to be commended for speaking out on the issues and for making themselves aware of public opinion.

The Board of Trustees of the Sonora Independent School District make many important decisions concerning the education of all our children. The job they undertake will be a full-time one with the construction of the new high school, and in the implementation of new recommendations by the State Board of Education's committee on the reform of public education. The board must be aware of all of the issues in our own district as well as those educational issues high on the national conscience.

Running for seats on the SISD Board of Trustees are incumbent Dr. Johnny Fields opposed by Glen Fisher and Juanita Mesa for the Place 1 seat. Incumbent Sam Perez is being opposed in his re-election bid for the Place 2 seat by Gina Gamez. Board-appointed Rosemary Mathews is being opposed for the Place 5 seat by Sandra Cooper.

All of these persons have shown a great concern and willingness to serve on the board, and deciding between the candidates will be a difficult choice.

As a public service, we would like to once again present the candidates running for seats on the board in this election.

Dr. Johnny Flelds, local veterinarian and four-year veteran of the school board is seeking another term on the Place 1 spot on the board. He was originally appointed to fill a vacancy created by a resignation on the board in the summer of 1980. According to Dr. Fields, the most important accomplishment by this board is the insuring of ample educational facilities for future generations of Sonora's citizens. The planned high school complex, which will see the beginning of construction this summer, will allow for expansion not only at the secondary level, but throughout the district.

Glen Fisher, candidate for election for school board Place 1 states: "If elected, I intend to make every effort to: (1) make sound decisions based on all the available facts, (2) keep the public informed, (3) ask for public input, and (4) return the general public's confidence in the school board for the benefit of all the students and residents of Sutton County." Fisher is the manager of the Sonora Wool and Mohair Company.

Juanita Mesa, candidate for the Place 1 seat on the SISD Board of Trustees has commented, "I do not believe that any particular group of people or any particular background is automatically more capable than others when it comes to helping guide the school system." "We all know the qualifications for this place on the school board go beyond financial and social standing." "No one approaches his or her first term as school trustee with all of the knowledge necessary to the job." "I do pledge to approach the job of school trustee with fairness, honesty, dedication, intelligence, and determination." Juanita is a cashier at.

Hershel's Foodway.

Sam Perez has served on the SISD Board of Trustees for the past six years. He is seeking re-election to the Place 2 seat. Sam stated in an interview that he had enjoyed his six years of service on the board. "Now that the new high school complex construction will start this summer, I look forward to continued service in an exciting, expanding school system." Perez added, "During my terms of office, the district has started some vital new programs, among them the gifted and talented program, the bilingual program, and creation, of a computer education department." In closing Sam reiterated his feelings, "My highest interest has always been a better education for all the children of this community."

Gina Gamez is also seeking Place 2 on the Board of Trustees. Gina has an extensive management and business background. She stated her reasons for desiring a place on the board. "I am fully aware of the tremendous responsibilities that go with the construction of our new high school, the new curriculum changes that are taking place, but the most important intent is that I am willing to give my time and effort for the benefit of all tax payers, students, faculty, and administrators." "I feel that in order to have good communications, it is of great importance to be an

M. Brock Jones appointed judge

M. Brock Jones of Ozona was appointed by Governor Mark White as Judge for the 112th Judicial district on Monday, April 2, 1984.

Jones is a native of Crockett County, and the son of two Crockett County Judges. His father was Judge at the time of his death, and his mother was appointed to serve at that time. . She held the post for several years until she was defeated in the County elections by Troy D. Williams.

Brock Jones is 46 years old, and a graduate of the University of Texas Law School. He is a member of the State Bar Association, and served Travis County Court at Law #1 for eight years. While living in Austin, Jones was very active in the Palmer Drug Abuse Program.

Brock Jones was appointed to succeed Judge Troy D. Williams, who resigned his post effective April 15th.

Vote Saturday

active listener and to put oneself in the other person's shoes."

Rosemary Mathews was appointed by the board upon the resignation of Sam Stewart. She is seeking re-election for this unexpired two-year term. Mrs. Mathews stated that she is seeking re-election to the board because she has a genuine interest in the progress and continued improvement of the academic and athletic programs of the Sonora School System. "This is such a crucial period for our school with the new state-imposed curriculum changes and the building project for the high school that the decisions should be deliberated," she noted. Mrs. Mathews concluded by stating, "I feel my experience in dealing with business and financial matters is a valuable asset for this position." Rosemary Mathews is the manager of the Sonora Branch of San Angelo Savings Association.

Sandra Cooper is also vying for the Place 5 seat on the Board of Trustees. Expressing her interest to serve all the residents of Sutton County, Sandra stated that she had "no ax to grind or grudges to settle." She further stated her willingness to listen to differing viewpoints and to consider equitable solutions to the best of her ability. She stated that her familiarity with the building business would be most helpful in the up and coming building program. In closing, Mrs. Cooper stated, "I wish to have the privilege of serving on the school board. The youth of Sonora are the keys to our future. A sound education is the only lasting gift that we as adults can leave to our children. It is my intent to safeguard this legacy." Sandra Cooper is the Sutton County Librarian.

Many local persons have tossed their hats in the political arena this election year. This year the voters of Sonora will decide between the candidates running for

see "CANDIDATES" p.9



Cheerleaders for the 1984-85 school year were selected by the student body of Sonora High School March 15th. Tryouts for the six cheerleader positions were held before the student body and the following young ladies' were selected from these tryouts. Cheerleaders include

Gina Black, Carrie Craddock, Janice Gomez, Rachel Stephen, Bonnie Jackson, and Della Heffernan. Sidonna Ridgeway was selected as alternate. (DRN Staff Photo BAC)

Community Calendar

Friday, April 6 First Assembly of God Spanish Revival 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, April 7 VOTEfor the candidate of your choice in City and School Board elections.

Sunday, April 8 Musical Concert "We Shall Behold Him" 7:30 p.m. First Baptist Church Car Wash by PresbyterianYouth Group 3:30 p.m. Presbyterian Church parking lot

Thursday, April 12

Kindergarten Round-up elementary School



Around Town

BY HAZEL McCLELLAND

you are feeling better, Bet-Mrs. R.A. Halbert entertained the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club in her

home March 27th. Mem-

bers of the club present included Mrs. Dorothy Cusenbary, Mrs. Ada Wynn, Mrs. Elizabeth Cu-

senbary, Mrs. Guila Vicars,

Mrs. Lena Belle Ross, and

Mrs. Belle Steen. Guests

were Mrs. Pauline Thomp-

son, and Hazel McClelland.

score prize, Mrs. Thomp-

son won second high, and

Mrs. Vicars won the bingo

prize. Cake and ice cream

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Savell

spent several days in Waco

last week visiting their son

and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cody Savell.

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Mrs. Metha Trainer was in San Angelo Tuesdayvisit-ing her daughter and grandson Mrs. Terry Kines and Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Askew were in San Angelo Wednesday.

Our sympathy to the family of Mrs. Lucille Barton who died March 30.

Mrs. Hazel McClelland was in San Angelo Saturday visiting her granddaughter,

Tracey Thompson. Mrs. Harva Cooper is in San Angelo in the hospital.

Sure do hope you get well soon, Harva. Our sympathy to Mrs. Margaret Barker and Mrs. Mary Belle Stubblefield on the death of their brother, Morris Bein.

Savell Shannon, student at T.C.U. in Ft. Worth was

here several days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Shannon and his grandmother, Mrs. Bernice Savell

is in San Angelo in the' Shannon Hospital. Sure do hope you are well soon, Randee.

gone a week on vacation in Houston starting the 9th.



The first woman dentist in the United States was Lucy Hobbs Taylor, who opened her practice in Cincinnati in 1861. By 1900, nearly 1,000 women had followed her example.



The seventh grade girls of Sonora Junior High won first place in the Colt Relays held last Saturday at Bronco Stadium here in Sonora.

Some outstanding performances were given by the girls, and the first place trophy was just desserts for their overall team effort. Final results were:

Field Events Discus - Brenda Lewis 4th Elisa Reyes - 5th Michelle Villanueva - 6th Shot Put Brenda Lewis - 1st Triple Jump Kim Cooke -3rd place Kay Williams - 5th Long Jump - Kim Cooke 3rd place Kay Williams - 4th High Jump Jennifer Ivy 1st place with a new record Angie Heffernan - 3rd

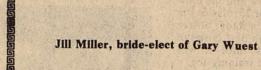
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Lucille Barton services held

Lucille Barton, 67 of member of the First Baptist Sonora died at her home Friday morning March 30, 1984. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 4 p.m. at the Frist Baptist Church with Rev. Jim Stevens and Rev. J.C. Hancock of San Angelo officiating.

Burial was in Sonora Cemetary under the direction of Kerbow Funeral Home.

Mrs. Barton was born April 12, 1916 at Moffett, Arkansas. She moved to Sonora from Big Lake in 1939. She operated Lucille's Beauty Shop and was married to Jess Green Barton in Sonora January 26, 1970. Mrs. Barton was a

Church. Mrs. Barton is survived by her husband of Sonora, 3 daughters: Lou Kight of Del Rio, Nita Rainbelt of

Seguine, and Norva Sibley of San Antonio, one son, Tommy Smith of Hurst. She is also survived by her mother, Mrs. Gladys Davis of Sonora, two sisters; Bet-ty Gardner of McGregory, Ethel Mae Clark of Winters; one brother James Clements of Liman, Colorado, as well as nine grandchildren and seven great-

grandchildren. Pallbearers were: Lee Roy Valliant, Philip Cooper, Pat Buntyn, Pat Brown, James D. Trainer, and Matt Davenport.

Edith James named leader

St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital is proud to announce that Mrs. Edith James has been named to lead the 1984 Spring Bike-A-Thon in Sonora.

Clifford Damstrom, St. Jude Director of the Southwest Region stated, "We are extremely proud to find such a dedicated person for this very important

job. "St. Jude Children's Research Hospital is the largest and one of the leading childhood cancer research centers in the world and it is the first research and conquest of catastrophic diseases of children, such as cancer and other life-threatening diseases," Danstrom stated

"When St. Jude accepted its first patient in 1962, the survival rate for children diagnosed with acute lymphomatic leukemia was less that 5 per cent. Today, the disease free survival figure for children has been brought closer to reality," stated Damstrom. "Thomas is still extremely active in pursuing this goal, and he inspires all of us in this cause.

Details of the Bike Ride will be announced later



Musical Slated

"We Shall Behold Him" will be presented by the combined choirs of the First Baptist Church at 7 p.m. Sunday, April 8.

Everyone is welcome and encouraged to come. The musical is by Dottie Rambo and David T. Clydesdale and is arranged by David T. Clydesdale. "We Shall Behold Him" is a testimony of praise,

through music, of who Jesus Christ is to all mankind.

The musical program will feature soloists: Youth -Clalene Stewart, Shellie Lykins, Kathryn Parker, Billye Laxton; Soprano - Molly Cook, Betty Stephen, Deborah Collins; Alto - Rose Spencer; Tenor - Curtis McDole; Bass - Joe Lane.

Revival set

Sonora's First Assembly of God will be having a two-day Spanish Revival on April 6-7 at 7:30 p.m. Pastor Louis Halford and Francisco Gomez invite everyone to the Spanish services.

The Reverend Pedro Cervantez of Austin, Texas will be preaching.

Car wash scheduled

The junior high and high school youth group of the Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian will participate in a car wash slated for Sunday, April 8 beginning at 3:30 p.m. The car wash will be held in the church parking lot.

The price of the car wash will be \$5 per car. All proceeds from the event will go toward a trip by the Youth Group to Six Flags Over Texas this summer.

The Youth Group members are looking forward to having as many cars to wash as possible, so come on by and get your car "spring cleaned" this weekend.

Voting planned

Regular City Officers Election will be held on Saturday, April 7 at City Hall. Polls will be open from the Hours of 7 a.m.-7 p.m.

Vying for the position of the following are: Mayor, Billy Gosney and Hershel Davenport. Alderman (2 Places), Margaret Cascadden, James Trainer, and Ann Cates.

Fire Dept. Report

man, and Dora Noriega. The 3-Man Team will be

Richard Gonzales, George

Noriega and Allan Prather.

be Dora Noriega, Jennie Wipff, and Patti Prather.

run by Gene West.

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The 3-Woman Team will

The 1-Man Race will be

The Men's Water Polo

The firemen and their

wives practiced Sunday for

the races and ate after-

will be run by Richard Gonzales and George Wipff

The Sonora Volunteer Fire Department held a regular meeting Wednesday, March 28th. There was a discussion on the pumper races to be held in Winters.

Members present includ-ed Martin Alonzo, James Blackman, George Keese, Kyle Donaldson, Richard Gonzales, Oscar Jimenez, Erasmo Lumbreras, Joe Luttrell, Harold Martinez, James McLaughlin, George Noriega, Sammy Odom Jr., Louis Olenick, Allan Prather, Julio Samaniego Jr., Carl Teaff, Tim Thorp, Gene West, and George Wipff Jr.

The 6-Man racing team in Winters will consist of Martin Alonzo, George

Wipff Jr., George Noriega, David Flores, Richard Gon-

zales, and Harold Martin-

To the voting public:

My wife and I feel strongly that this school election is a crucial one because of several facts pertinent to changing school board members at this time. As ex-school teachers we are both concerned about the quality of education that all children in Sutton County will receive in the future.

Each member of this Board of Trustees has spent literally hundreds of hours of study of plans and financing prior to and during the high school bond election last fall. Each of them knows all the background, all the detailed planning from step one which was necessary to lead up to beginning construction on the building this summer. They have worked well together to bring about something which will be in use for the education of our children for many, many years to come. Our own grandchildren, and many of yours, will benefit from the long hours of work these people have put in to insure that present and future generations have the necessary physical facilities to get that all-important education.

Senate Bill 246, due to be implemented almost immediately in all the public schools in Texas, will also have a long-range effect on our children's education. There is not a single member of this Board who has not soaked up facts concerning these State-mandated changes in course requirements, in attendance, in teacher qualifications and training, and so many other areas of public education.

The point we want to make is that it would be a criminal waste of the taxpayers' dollars, not to utilize all this accumulated knowledge by returning the incumbent candidates to office to finish what they have started-that is, the completion of the new high school and whatever adjustments to the school operations are necessary after Ross Perot's Committee recommendations are acted on. They, and only they, have the background to make the job here in Sonora the most effective and painless for our students and teachers.

While we have nothing against anyone who is running for the School Board, we believe strongly that it would take a new Board member many months to learn what these incumbents already know about coming changes and this major construction project. We equate it with missing a day of school--you may make up work, but there is always some little something that slipped by that may never be picked up.

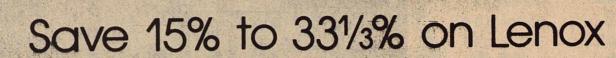
We therefore urge you, the voting public, to weigh these facts before you go to the polls on Saturday, April 7, to elect three members of your School Board, and to vote for the three incumbents who have worked so long and so hard to better this community--Johnny Fields in Place 1, Sam Perez in Place 2, and Rosemary Mathews in Place 5.

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Engagement told

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Higgins of Coahoma announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Jana Michelle to Scott Douglas Savell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Savell of Sonora.

The couple will be mar-ried June 2, 1984 at 3:p.m. in the Cedar Ridge Church of Christ in Big Spring. They will reside in Big

Merger ban rejected

The U.S. Senate nas rejected another major effort to ban oil company mergers. The vote was 57 to 39 against the ban on mergers. The sponsor of the bill, Louisiana Democrat Bennett Johnson, said he thought the vote would be closer. So far, 29 billion dollars in mergers have been announced and, the Wall Street Journal says between 44 and 51 billion dollars in additional mer-gers could develop in the near future.

In other news, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission says there will probably be a nine-to twelve month delay in the Comanche Peak nuclear power plant near Glen Rose. Utility officials say it costs \$2.47 million a day for each day of delay in loading the fuel. The plant has cost \$3.89 billion up until now. The original estimate in 1974 was \$779 million.

And, the 23rd Annual Meeting of the Permian Basin Petroleum Association is set for Arpil 26th, 27th and 28th in Ruidoso, New Mexico. Texas Senator John Tower (R-Wichita Falls) and the Editor of the Oil and Gas Journal, Gene Kinney, are among the featured speakers. Our Permian Basin rig count for this week is 307.

Last week 307 and one year ago 234.

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Order and Notice of Regional Hearings to Hear Public Comments

On February 17, 1984, General Telephone Company of the Southwest (GTSW) filed an application for a rate increase with the Public Utility Commission of Texas in Docket No. 5610. Pursuant to Section 43(c) of the Public Utility Regulatory Act (PURA), Tex. Rev. Civ. Stat. Ann. art. 1446c, the Commission has determined that it is in the public interest to collect testimony at regional hearings for inclusion in the record. At the regional hearings the Commission will hear protests and comments from members of the public. Those members of the public desiring to make such statements under oath shall have that opportunity.

Regional hearings will be held at the g locations and times:

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TSCRA discusses national issues

Over 2500 members of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association meeting last week in San Antonio, looked into political issues facing both Texas and the United States. The meeting was the 107th annual convention for TSCRA members and included a large trade show and Heritage Sale.

Americans should not be naive in their thinking about Central America and the influence it has on the U.S., warned Dr. Henry A. Kissinger at the TSCRA Kickoff Luncheon. To abandon these countries could mean large scale mass immigrations to the U.S., political disruptions, and an open door for Communism. The former secretary of state went on to say his commission's recommendation for \$12 billion in aid is only slightly more than is already budgeted by the U.S., but should be used to foster private industry cooperation instead of working through government agencies.

Statewide attention was focused on a debate between U.S. Senate candidates Rep. Phil Gramm (R-Texas) and former Democratic representative Bob Krueger. The two squared off on issues as diverse as illegal aliens and taxation. Texas Rep. Kent Hance (D-Texas), also a candidate for the seat of retiring Sen. John Tower, addressed TSCRA members at a later session.

Changes proposed for the Texas education system drew a sellout audience to hear H. Ross Perot, chairman of the State Select Committee on Education, talk about his committee's recommendations. Chief among them was a plan to restructure the State Education Commission from an elected body to an appointed group. This would bring "accountability" to these educational leaders.

Perot also called for schools to be less concerned with entertainment and more concerned with teaching, citing numerous examples of time spent away from the classroom during regular school hours.

In his final address, retiring TSCRA President Frates Seeligson, San Antonio, called on cattlemen to become more involved in the political process. He urged them, both as cattlemen and citizens, to make their lawmakers more aware of their views on state, local, national and livestock industry topics.

Clayton Yeutter, president and chief executive officer of the Chicago Mercantile Exchange, was in San Antonio to discuss the upcoming test program for the trading of options in agricultural commodities. Options will probably be offered on fat cattle and fat hogs at the outset. Yeutter told the cattlemen, with the possible addtion of trading in feeder cattle options later on. Noting the controversial outlook on futures trading by many cattlemen. Yeutter stressed the value of options--as well as futures--as a marketing tool which every cattleman should make a point to understand and possibly use.

TSCRA Secretary-General Manager Don C. King of Fort Worth told TSCRA members the 107-year-old association has increased its membership to 14,652 representing ownership of 2,174,101 head of cattle. This is the largest cattle ownership total by association members since 1974

The TSCRA field inspector force, working closely with state and local law enforcement officers, developed 150 theft cases during 1983. Of these, 112 came to trial resulting in dispositions totaling 96 years in prison sentences. 212 years of probated sentences, fines of \$16,777 and restitution totaling \$301,892.55. During the year field inspectors recovered or accounted for 1,100 strayed or stolen bulls or steers, 1,220 strayed or stolen cows and heifers, 412 strayed or stolen calves, 160 strayed or stolen yearlings, 30 stolen horses, 34 saddles. 13 trailers and miscellaneous ranch property with a total market value of \$1,759,121.62. over 6.6 million head of livestock were inspected at 159 auction markets during 1983.

"The average value of property recovered or accounted for each day by TSCRA field inspectors was \$4,819.75," noted King.

The Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Foundation continued to grow and expand its scope of educational activities, continued King in his address to the association membership. A life-sized bronze of a brand inspector was installed in front of the ISCRE headquarters building in Fort Worth in 1983. In heavily-attended committee meetings during the four-day convention in San Antonio, cattlemen discussed issues in the area of animal health, animal research, environment, marketing, legislation and taxation, land use and labor.

research in line with Subtitle M-Cooperative Rangeland Research as introduced into the 1981 Farm Bill by Rep. Kika de la Garza (D-Texas). A funding level of at least \$1 million is sought. Also passed was a resolution calling for oversight hearings into the Soil and Water resources Conservation Act to be held in Texas.

The TSCRA membership also approved a resolution opposing all changes in the Forest and Rangeland Renewable Resources Planning Act of 1974 and asking the President and secretary of agriculture to remove the U.S. Forest Service from intrusions into private land use planning. Another resolution opposed the shift of

funding for the national brucellosis program from government to industry. Members also went on record in support of H. Ross Perot and his efforts at school reform and supporting the work of the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board.

The TSCRA membership elected John M. "Jack" Shelton III of Amarillo as president succeeding the retiring Frates Seeligson, San Antonio. J.E. Birdwell II, Lubbock, was elected vice president, and James L. Powell, Fort McKavett, was elected second vice president. Joining the board of directors were Ricard H. Bennett of San Antonio, Patrick E. Boyt of Devers,

Vance Duncan of Eagle Lake, James M. Eller of Bryan, Donald L. Neal of Rochelle, Wilson Scaling of Henrietta, Guy F. Stoval Jr. of El Campo, and J.A. Whittenburg IV of Amarillo. Directors will meet again this summer June 14 at Los Colinas in Irving.

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The Texas CowBelles held their annual meeting in conjunction with the TSCRA convention. TSCRA also sponsored a 160-exhibit trade show.

The annual Heritage Sale of bulls, Quarter Horsees and Western art grossed \$193,850. Houston cattleman Mike Reyes was the high bidder at the sale, offering \$40,000 for a Simmental bull bred by Diamond C Ranch



The membership passed a resolution in favor of a funding priority for grazing land conservation and

Cure being sought for "Lou Gehrig's disease"

Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis is a devastating nerve disease for which no cure has been found.

Also known as "Lou Gehrig's disease," it cut short the career and life of that great professional baseball player in 1941.

The good news, says the Texas Medical Association, is that much research is being directed at finding the cause and cure of this relatively uncommon disorder. Among the researchers is the Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

What researchers do know is that ALS generally affects the nerves leading from the brain to the spinal cord and from the spinal cord to the muscles. This results in a progressive weakening and wasting of those muscles that have lost their nerve supply, as well as taut muscles and exaggerated muscle reflexes.

ALS eventually causes complete paralysis. At the same time, the victim's five senses nonetheless remain functional, and intellect is often unaffected.

Most ALS patients are 40 to 70 years old, though it can strike as early as 20 or as late as 80. About half of all patients die within three years, and only 10 percent survive beyond 10 years. ALS claims twice as many men as women, and race or nationality is not a factor. About 5 to 10 percent of cases occur in families that

already have had a victim, but there is no way to predict if a particular family member will get the disease.

Three major signals can warn of the possible onset of ALS. In a third of all cases, the hands become clumsy. Another third experience weakness or cramps in the legs, or involuntary jerks of the limbs, causing the patient to stumble or trip because of a slight foot drop. A third sign is slowed speech or difficulty in swallowing.

Researchers have determined that ALS is not an active virus infection, an autoimmune disease, or a toxic reaction, but possibly may be a metabolic abnormality. Some researchers feel that if ALS is caused by failure of skeletal muscle to produce a nerve growth hormone, it may be possible to supply this hormone to patients as insulin is supplied to diabetics.



Rugby, North Dakota



America's first successful newspaper was the Boston News-Letter, which made its first appearance in 1704. It was without competition for 15 years.

Hance, confident about voters

At a morning news conference in the heart of Texas union country, Democratic Senate candidate Kent Hance called on members of labor unions to support who they want on May 5, even if that choice differs from politicians endorsed by union leaders.

'I told the state AFL-CIO convention in Austin that I didn't expect their endorsement, that's because I back organized labor when I think they are right -- but I don't mind opposing them when I think they are wrong," Hance said. He added, "Unlike Bob Krueger and Lloyd Doggett who are courting every special interest group in Texas, telling each of them exactly what they want to hear, I believe it is more important to be independent. I am after the endorsement of the voters of Texas. That's the kind of independence I think Texans want from their elected officials, and that's the way I intend to operate as a United States Senator.

When Hance attended the convention he also pointed out that he may not have backed labor positions 100 percent of the time, but he always listens. "Union workers, and any other organization can come to me with their problems and concerns, my door is never

closed," Hance observed.

Hance went on to say that he knows and understands the working people of Texas. "I learned early the importance of hard work, my father was a letter carrier most of his life, and during the Depression when there were no jobs he worked for the WPA," Hance said. "I believe in using government to help working people get the most out of their labors," he added. "That's why I helped write this country's largest tax cut so workers could keep more of their own hard earned money. I am also working hard in Washington to get a bill passed that would impose quotas on foreign steel imports that are being illegally dumped in America. I'm tired of seeing American jobs being exported overseas, putting our own workers on unemployment compensation and other public assistance," Hance said.

Congressman Hance said he is confident he will do well among union voters. "Texas voters are just as independent as I have been in Washington. They want someone who will call them just like they see them,' Hance said. "And that candidate is me."

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The second annual Oilfield Olympics is planned for May 19-20 at the Ector County Coliseum grounds during the Odessa Boomtown Days Festival, a celebration of the oilfield heritage of the 1930's and 1940's in the Permian Basin.

The popular two-day

Governor White to be honored at reception

Governor of Texas Mark White will be in Midland Wednesday April 18 to attend a reception saluting his efforts in obtaining Drought Relief Aid for West Texas farmers and ranchers. To honor him for his job well done he will be presented a special award by Upton County Judge Peggy Garner. State Senator Bill Sims D-San Angelo (Dist. 25) will emcee this event. The reception sponsored by the Midland County Democratic Party will be held at downtown Midland's Hilton hotel large 2nd floor ballroom, 5-7 p.m. This event is intended for the citizens of the Drought designated or pending counties which include almost the entire west one-half of the state. Due to the lack of any significant rainfall in the area, Drought relief is still of vital concern. Invitations are being sent to the County Judges in the drought counties. The County Judge is the one responsible for initiating the designation of a drought county. Invitations may be obtained from your County Judge or by calling the Midland County Democratic Party at (915)-658-3733 or JoAnne DeWitt at (915)-686-8718.

ing to an Olympic Games spokesperson.

Seven games are planned for this year including rod and tubing pull with a pole unit similar to those used in past years and rod and tubing pull with a double/ triple derrick, used today in the oilfields. This event will be judged on finesse, skill and smoothness of operation. The bit throw, judged on distance; and the ladder climb, flow line laying and stake driving all judged on speed; are from last year's competition. A bit pull will be a new event for the games this year.

Companies can enter a maximum of two teams consisting of four team members each. Each team must have a certified operator of well service equipment as a member. Original designed trophies using oilfield equipment will be presented to the winning teams and their sponsoring companies.

In addition to the program of competition for well servicing personnel a reunion honoring pioneer well servicing contractors will be a part of this year's If you or celebration. anyone you know, was associated with well servicing industry in 1964 or earlier, this reunion is for

you! For 1984 we will be honoring J.C. "Calvin"

son's company we are soliciting names, addresses, information and attendance of all pioneer well servicing personnel. aside in the Olympic Games area, with food and drink available for you, to meet, discuss, enjoy the games and reminisce about the

'good ole' days''. During the reunion we will request recommendations for future years honorees. For further information on the Oilfield Olympics or the "Oldtimers Reunion" contact Eunice Ramsey at the Odessa Convention & Visitors Bureau, P.O. Box 3626, Odessa, Texas 76769 or call (915) 332-8189.

a likely special session this spring. In order to give the legislature time to act, Mat-

tox said he is filing a notice of appeal on a ruling by state District Judge Harley Clark that struck down the statutory exclusion of farm and ranch laborers from insurance coverage under the Texas Workers' Compensation Act.

Attorney General Jim Mattox Friday said he

strongly supports insurance

coverage for farm and

ranch workers and urged

Gov. Mark White and the

Texas legislature to act

quickly to see that such

egislation is passed during

'Farm and ranch workers have been excluded from insurance coverage in Texas for more than half a century," Mattox said. "A change is long overdue. These workers face the same or greater hazards as other workers in our soci-

notice of appeal with the Third District Court of Appeals concerning Judge Clark's ruling," Mattox said. "I am doing this in order to give our legislators time to act on a bill that Tony Korioth and his committee have worked hard to put together."

In the meantime, Mattox said he recommends that the state's farmers and ranchers proceed immediately to obtain insurance coverage for their workers.

cated legal ramifications because there are questions about whether this court ruling in Travis County has statewide applicability.

proper place for this issue to be resolved is in the legislature, not the courts," Mattox said. 'Therefore, I hope quick action will occur when the legislature meets in special session.'

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Mattox for farm and ranch coverage

"I will at such time reconsider the State's position

Company, in accordance with rules

and orders promulgated by the

Public Utility Commission of Texas,

hereby gives notice of a public hear-

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May 14, 1984, in the offices of the

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concerning proposals made by the

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Persons who wish to intervene or

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ceedings should notify the Com-

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request to intervene, participate, or

for further information should be

mailed to the Public Utility Commis-

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Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin,

Texas 78757. Further information

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Public Notice Aviso al Publico Southwestern Bell Telephone

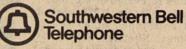
Por medio del presente aviso y en conformidad con las reglas y dictámenes de la Comisión de Servicios Públicos de Texas, la compañía Southwestern Bell Telephone anuncia la audiencia pública que se llevará a cabo a partir de las 10 de la mañana del día lunes 14 de mayo de 1984 en las oficinas de la Comisión de Servicios Públicos, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Austin, Texas, con respecto a la propuesta de la compañía, que consiste en agregar tres servicios opcionales y suprimir dos servicios de la lista de servicios telefónicos locales a disposición del usuario en Texas.

Las adiciones propuestas al arancel del servicio telefónico local incluyen un Servicio Medido Local opcional según el cual todos los clientes residenciales y los clientes comerciales con línea única pagarían tarifas mensuales menores que la tarifa fija para servicios de línea única, con un cargo adicional por cada llamada completa efectuada desde ese teléfono, establecido según la hora, la distancia y la duración de cada llamada; así como un servicio local subvencionado de LIFELINE que estaría disponible para determinadas personas, según lo establezca la Comisión de Servicios Públicos. La tarifa mensual para el servicio de LIFELINE incluiría 25 llamadas mensuales con un cargo adicional por cada llamada en exceso de 25.

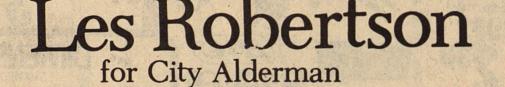
Se propone suprimir del arancel del servicio telefónico local las opciones de servicio medido de un elemento para clientes residenciales y clientes comerciales con línea única, pero ésto no afectaría a los clientes actuales

La compañía no espera que estos servicios adicionales produzcan un aumento de ingresos para Southwestern Bell Telephone.

Toda persona que desee intervenir o participar en el proceso debe notificar a la Comisión lo antes posible. Las solicitudes de intervención, participación o información deben dirigirse a: Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757 Para obtener mayor información debe llamar a Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division, (512) 458-0223 o (512) 458-0227, o al (512) 458-0221 si requiere teletipo para sordos.



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Congressman gets Houston endorsement

In its lead editorial on Sunday March 25, the Houston Chronicle urged Texans to vote for Congressman Kent Hance in the May 5th Democratic Senate primary. The Chronicle said, "We believe his views reflect the philosophy that best serves our state and our nation."

Noting that Kent Hance is from Lubbock, the Houston newspaper said he may not be as well-known to its readers, "but Houstonians are familiar with and should be thankful for, Hance's achievements in Congress, such as the income tax cut that shows up in our paychecks and the Social Security rescue legislation that he helped get approved," the editorial said.

The Chronicle also said Hance displayed brilliance an leadership during his four years in the Texas State Senate. The editorial said even though Hance is from West Texas he is easy to get to know especially when it comes to the issues... "because he takes firm stands on matters that are important as we decide how to cast our votes.

The editorial praised Hance's positions on: -restoring American credibility abroad and recognizing that this country has vital interests in the Mideast and Central America.

--strength as the only means to negotiate balanced and verifiable arms reductions with the Soviet Union.

--the Hance-Conable tax cut bill, which gave us the largest tax reduction in American history and spurred economic recovery.

--fighting for continued cuts in government spending while holding the defense budget accountable and recognizing the need to protect some domestic programs such as Social Security.

The editorial closed by quoting Kent Hance, "I know the philosophy of this state and I can represent that The Chronicle said, "His strong philosophy.' character, his outstanding achievements and his independent voting record fully justify that statement."

In welcoming the endorsement Hance said, "I'm pleased that the Houston Chronicle, after studying my record, has decided to support my candidacy. While endorsements alone won't win this race, I'm confident that if the voters of this state also check my record they will come to the same conclusion.'

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The seventh grade boys

scored 147 points to win

their division in the Sonora

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graders also won the 1200 M Relay and came in

second in the 400M Relay.

Field Events

Trey Rushing

High Jump - 5th Mario

Long Jump - 3rd Dido

Shot Put - 3rd Richard

6th - Melvin Yarborough

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Discus - 4th Richard Mar-

5th - Kevin Richter

Vault - 1st Dido Garcia

The final results were:

2nd - Michael Harris

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Seventh graders win their

1200 M Run - 3rd Hugo

Traffic accidents decline in past year

Statistics compiled by the epartment of Public Safe-percent decline in 1983 Department of Public Safeollows a reduction of 430 ty show 448 fewer persons lost their lives in Texas fatalities in 1982. 'This is the first time in

traffic accidents last year Private property week set Governor Mark White

has proclaimed April 8-14 Private Property Week to remind Texans of their right to own, protect, and revitalize property. The week is sponsored by the Texas Association of Realtors as part of the annual nationwide observance.

"We want everyone to be aware of the significance of private ownership rights in their lives. Home ownership brings out the best in people because it allows them to assume a responsibility, put down roots and make a commitment to the community," said William C. Jennings, president of the Texas Association of Realtors.

1984 is the 29th consecutive year that Realtors nationwide are marking Private Property Week. Over 600,000 Realtors nationwide and over 50,000 **Texas Realtors enlist public** participation in observing private property rights.

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fatalities for two years in a row," said Colonel Jim Adams, DPS director. This represents a saving of 878 lives over the past two years and would not have been possible without the cooperation of many Texas drivers and increased law enforcement activit-

ies. A total of 3,823 persons died as a result of motor vehicle crashes in Texas last year compared to 4,271 in 1982 and 4,701 in 1981. The mileage death rate

for 1983, three deaths per hundred million miles traveled, was the lowest in statistic substantially un-

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experienced a reduction in

Texas history. The 1982 mileage death rate was 3.4. The DPS director said public sentiment has contined to build against drunk 25 years that Texas has

and unsafe drivers. "I'm hopeful that this concern will lead to a long term change in attitudes which will encourage safe driving habits by motor-ists," Adams said. "Since law enforcement resources are limited, we must continue to seek voluntary compliance with the traffic laws.

Adams noted that at least 26 percent (1,006) of the 1983 fatalities involved DWI. Since state law did not

require blood alcohol measurements from drivers involved in fatal accidents last year, we believe this

By Ace Reid

derstates the drunk driver's role in fatal accidents,' Adams said.

Statewide DWI arrests in 1983 totaled 149,621, as increase of 33 percent com-pared to the 1982 figure.

Motorcycle operator and passenger deaths totaled 349 last year, a decline of 13.4 percent compared to the previous year. About

wearing helmets when the Texas,' accidents occurred.

"Widespread use of these Almost 98 percent of the lifesaving devices would persons killed in passenger substantially reduce the vehicles were not wearing number of deaths and serseat belts at the time of the ious injuries in vehicle crash. The number of per- crashes." sons injured in 1983 traffic

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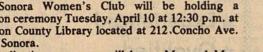
The Sonora Women's Club will be holding a dedication ceremony Tuesday, April 10 at 12:30 p.m. at the Sutton County Library located at 212.Concho Ave. here in Sonora.

The dedication ceremony will honor Mr. and Mrs. Lea Roy Aldwell, who gave the library building to the public.

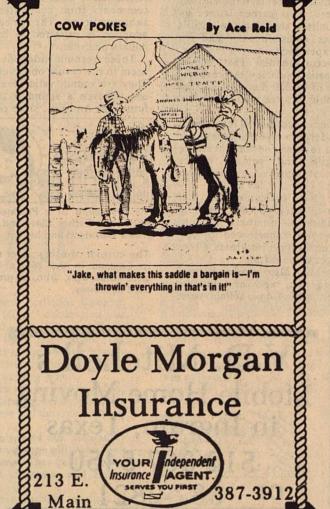
invitation to the public to attend the dedication ceremony

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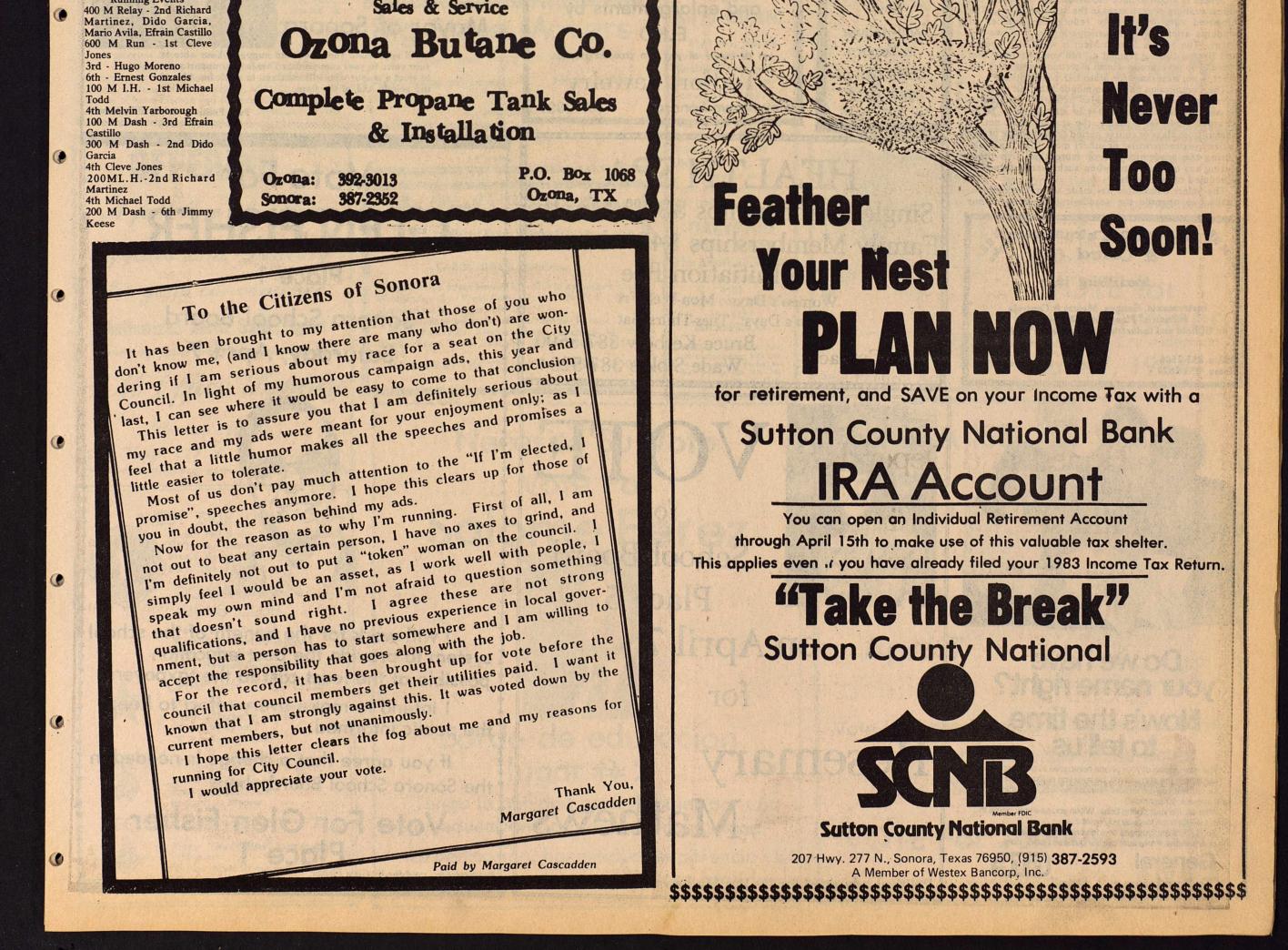


Sonora Women's Club would like to extend an



"Jake, what makes this saddle a bargain is-I'm

throwin' everything in that's in it!"



Recommendations reviewed

by Becky Collins

Who is H. Ross Perot? Why is he chairing a committee which could make drastic changes in the curriculum of Texas public schools?

I asked these same questions to so many people so many times, that I think I might have started something.

An Esquire magazine documentary by George Leonard answered a few of the questions. In his article, Leonard stated, "When the Soviets put a basketballsized object named Sputnik 1 in orbit in October, 1957, America's opinion makers concluded that it was our school's fault that the Sovets had beat us to space. This questionable piece of reasoning served the purpose of turning the spotlight on Public education, getting the federal government involved in educational financing, and inspiring an ambitious curriculum reform program.

High interest in the reformation ot the educational process remained throughout the sixties, but lagged in the seventies due in part to the declining enrollment of our schools and the taxpayers concern with lowering tax rates. By the early eighties, school reform had dropped from the national conscience.

On April 26, 1983, the report from the National Commission on Excellence in Education detailed the failings of the American educational system. The report dramatically entitled, "A Nation at Risk: The Imperative for Educational Reform" caused dramatic effects throughout the nation. The report caused a tidalwave of interest in curriculum reform. Politicians, news media and educators all jumped on the bandwagon. Soon, almost every state had its own special commission or task force to research the findings and proposed reforms outlined in the Commission's report.

The findings of the report cause many reactions in the parent of school age children. First, we want and expect a quality education for our children. We don't want them to "be left out in the cold" when they graduate from high school and go out into the job market. We want quality educators and quality curriculum. We expect our children to have a sound education that will be suited to the ever-changing technology of today's world.

The State Board of Education appointed Dallas businessman H. Ross Perot to chair the Select Committee on Public Education last summer after the Legislature failed to take significant action on several education issues.

This committee has made many proposals and aired them in public meetings which have been emotional

hearing in San Angelo, the Standard Times reported that the audience broke into applause when board

will feel the blow of this rule.

there is no pressure to win in a certain event since the

youth. The recommendations start at the top with the recommendation thath the State Board of Education consist of nine members appointed by the Governor with Senate confirmation for staggered six-year terms. The Governor, in making the appointments, would be required to consider appropriate geographic and ethnic representation.

The Committee has recommended that the Univer-sity Interscholastic League (UIL) be placed under the supervision of the SBOE.

The boards of local school districts will be required to provide annual performance reports to the public and the SBOE. All school board members will be required to receive training and orientation. Local districts will have the authority to offer vocational and distributive education courses as electives, but such electives will receive no special state funding.

The Commission has also recommended that school districts adopt a Texas Education Agency approved discipline management program by 1986. The approved program will include the development of a Student Code of Conduct that is clearly defined and enforced. The school districts will be required to submit to the SBOE verification that every teacher in the district has received specific training in the approved discipline program.

An evaluation-based career ladder program was recommended by the Committee to replace the current salary schedule for teachers. This career ladder as recommended by the Committee shall include criteria for advancement, in essence, comprehensive and fair

evaluations and teaching experience. The Committee has recommended that school districts offer attractive starting salaries to teachers, with a perferable minimum of \$1,520 monthly, so that all school districts will be able to attract and maintain capable educators.

The Committee has recommended that all teachers in the Texas public schools undergo competency testing in which they will be required to offer one-time evidence of basic professional skills and subject matter knowledge by means of a test approved by the Texas Education Association.

The Select Committee has recommended that legislative action be taken to attract to the teaching profession substantial additional numbers of outstanding recent graduates and experienced professionals through alternate certification programs either inside or outside the colleges of education.

The Perot Committee has also made several recommendations involving the age of students entering schools, class size, school day, school year,

The Committee has recommended that the state provide pre-kindergarten education for children beginning at age four. Compulsory school attendance was recommended by the Committee. They also have recommended that the state fully fund full-day kindergarten for the full academic school year.

Pre-kindergarten classes through classes in grade four should not be comprised of more than fifteen students.

The Committee has recommended that the school day of each school district should be a seven-hour day with rest periods for children in pre-kindergarten through middle school. The committee has proposed this seven hour day be as distraction free as possible. A two-hour period following the academic day for optional "TEA-approved enriching programs" should also be provided according to the Select Committee.

A school year of 185 days provided by each school district was among the recommendations of the committee.

Other recommendations by the Committee have called for year-round schools, 12 month contracts for teachers and a common calendar for school districts.

The TASB Board of Trustees adopted positions at a March 3 meeting on these key issues being considered by the Select Committee.

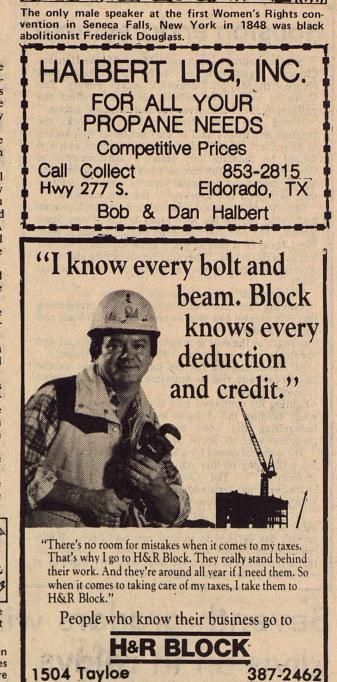
The State Board of Education Select Committee is scheduled to meet again in April and May to consider comments from committee members and from the subcommittees. The price tag of recommendation adoption is expected to be an estimated 2.6 billion dollars per year.

These recommendations by the Select Committee seem to the casual observer to be of the purest intent. They are sound, valid ideas that hopefully will insure our children a sound basic education and a secure future for America, since our children are our future.



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Board hears roller rink proposal **** CANDIDATES two Alderman positions and for the M

by Becky Collins

The Sonora Independent School District Board of Trustees held a noon meeting Tuesday, March 27 in the board room of the school administration office.

Following the call to order by board president Jimmy Condra, and invocation by superintendent McAndrew,

the meeting got underway. Chamber of Commerce president Mike Street, leading a delegation of interested individuals, approached the board concerning land that is currently under lease by the school district. The group is interested in leasing the portion of land for use as the construction site of a skating rink. This parcel of land was leased by the district for a

period of five years, and has been earmarked for use by

the district for recreational purposes. The board was intrigued by the proposed skating rink, which will include an area for the youth of the community to meet under controlled supervision.

Sheriff Bill Webster, a member of the Youth Action Committee stressed the need for this type of facility in our community. He stated, "If we had someplace like this, it wouldn't be just a skating rink, but rather a gathering place for the youth of our community." He noted that the incidence of alcohol-related accidents and deaths in this area are well above the average for a community of our size. He called the proposed Center a "commendable project" and urged the board's participation in this matter.

The proposed skating rink would be a partnership business, and if the board approves the proposal, the next stumbling block will be raising the funds needed for such a business.

The board suggested that the group meet with a legal advisor to go over all the aspects of the business and then to present them to the board at their next meeting. The board's major concern in this matter is the possible failure of such a venture. They would like to have a clause in the land lease to cover such an eventuality stating that if the business should fail, the district would then resume lease rights on the land.

Janet Patton, coordinator and teacher of the district's program for gifted and talented students gave a report on the group's recently completed field trip. The students travelled all over West Texas visiting the McDonald Observatory in the Davis Mountains in conjunction with their space studies program, toured Fort Davis, Fort Lancaster, and Fort Stockton, and learned many interesting facts about these historic Texas forts. Twenty-six students from the SISD participate in the gifted and talented program and all took part in the field trip. Mrs. Patton reported that the students had behaved commendably on the trip, and had shown such enthusiasm and eagerness to learn, that the adult sponsors enjoyed the trip as much as the students had. She thanked the board for allowing the group to go on the field trip, and in return was thanked by the board for her involvement in the program.

Superintendent McAndrew submitted four items to add to the job description for the Construction Supervisor of the new high school project. A completed job description will be approved by the board in the April 10, board meeting. The board will begin accepting applicatons for the post on May 1, 1984, and hope to select the right person for the job before June 1, 1984. Construction bids on the project will be opened during the week of July with the beginning construction set for late July or early August.

Superintendent McAndrew presented to the board a report on the progression of the lighting of the tennis courts. He reported that there had been difficulties in the lighting project due to the materials needed for the project not being in stock. According to McAndrew, the lighting project should be completed shortly.

In other business, the board set Monday, April 9, 1984 as the date for canvassing votes of the April 7 school board election. They also approved a new application form for auxiliary personnel, with the stipulation that the form provide a space for a hand-written resume. The school calendar for the 1984-85 school year was presented to the board, having been approved by the district's teaching staff. The board is expected to approve the calendar in their next meeting.

two Alderman positions and for the Mayor spot on the Sonora City Council.

Candidates seeking positions as Aldermen on the Sonora City Council include incumbent James D. Trainer, Les Robertson, Ann Cates and Margaret Cascadden. Incumbent Mayor Bill Gosney is up for re-election opposed by write-in candidate Hershel Davenport.

Bill Gosney is seeking re-election to the office of Mayor of Sonora. Gosney has served as Mayor for the past four years. In a prepared statement to the Devil's River News, Gosney commented, "I have been privileged to serve in this capacity for the past four years. I feel the City has accomplished much, but there are still problems to be solved and decisions to be made. I would like to be part of the decisions and believe my knowledge and understanding of the issues will benefit the city. I would appreciate your vote on April 7th.

Sonora also has a write-in candidate for mayor, Hershel Davenport. Davenport is presently serving asa city alderman, a position that he has held for 10 years.



Mrs. Mary Gilly contributed three beautiful oil paintings to the American Heart Association's Home With Heart Celebration. Raffle tickets for the paintings are still on sell for \$1 each. Drawing for the winner's name will be held April 6th.





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He is the owner/operator of Hershel's Foodway which he has owned since 1977. In a statement to the Devil's River News, Davenport stated, "I will strive to coordinate city and county government and not duplicate services in order to not duplicate tax money."

James Trainer, seeking re-election for a fifth term on the City Council, is a lifetime resident of Sonora. He served as Postmaster for our community from 1946 to 1978. In a statement to the Devil's River News, Trainer commented, "I have and will continue to give my full attention to any civic problem or concern of individuals or groups, I appreciate the voters' support in the past and ask for their support again on April 7th."

Les Robertson, local businessman and civic leader, is also seeking an Alderman position on the City Council. the viewpoints of individuals. He also stated that he intends to be instrumental in his efforts to promote bid for a Council seat in last year's election. She has urged all registered voters to go to the polls this year

and vote regardless of voter preference. County governments. Robertson pledges to keep the public involved and informed on the City government.

Ann Cates, also vying for an Alderman seat on the City Council is most interested in the senior citizens and the youth of our community. Ann pledges if elected to conduct city business in an objective and businesslike manner. She also pledges to consider all sides of an issue before making a decision as a member of the City Council.

Margaret Cascadden, candidate for City Council Alderman stated that she, "won't make any promises I'm not sure I can keep." "I do have a fair amount of common sense, I'm not afraid to stand up for what I believe in, and I'm a dedicated worker," she noted. Margaret lost by a slim margin of 57 votes in her election bid for a Council seat in last year's election. She has urged all registered voters to go to the polls this year and vote, regardless of voter preference. Well, there it is! It sure is going to be hard to chose

between these people on Saturday, because all of them have expressed a genuine concern and interest in our community and all are qualified individuals.

As voters of this county, you the voting public are responsible for choosing the right person to represent you in your city and school governments. Be sure your voice is heard this election year. Use your voting priviledges to their fullest extent. Get out and vote for the candidate of your choice!



"Home With Heart" proves successful

The Sutton County Chapter of the American Heart Association held a "Home With Heart" celebration in cooperation with the residents and staff of Lillian M. Hudspeth Nursing Home.

Families of the residents contributed baked goods to the extravaganza, which were sold to raise money for the Heart Association. Several members of the nursing home staff also contributed baked goods to the sale.

Mrs. Mary Gilly, one of the nurses at the nursing home has donated three beautiful oil paintings to the festivities. The collection entitled, "Indian Pots and Wheat" in earth tones will be raffled off on Friday, April 6th. Raffle tickets for the paintings are still on sale for \$1 each.

Many different individuals and groups contributed to the success of the "Home With Heart" celebration. Donations from several businesses were gathered by workers. The following businesses donated financially to the success of the celebration: Commercial Restaurant, Sutton County National Bank, Westerman Drug, Live Oak 66, Commercial Printing, and the Devil's River News. Sonora Floral and Gifts donated corsages to the nursing home for the residents to wear. The Sonora Chamber of Commerce donated a

centerpiece of flowers to dress up the lobby. KVRN Radio Station broadcast the event live from the nursing home.

All proceeds from the event will go toward research

Lilia Gonzales, Nursing Home Activities Director, stated that the "Home With Heart" celebration was held as a cooperative effort of the Texas Nursing Home Association and the American Heart Association. The activities afforded the residents of the nursing home a chance to become actively involved in civic activities and to bring people into the nursing home.

National Nursing Home Week will be held from May 13 to May 20. One activity currently being offered to the residents of the nursing home and the community is the Auxiliary's Sunshine Pals.

The Sunshine Pals are members of our community who take time out to visit and exchange gifts with their special friend in the nursing home. They host monthly birthday parties and also the Christmas and Easter parties at the nursing home.

The Sunshine Pals have been actively involved in attaining mini-blinds and valances for the residents' rooms at the nursing home.

Persons interested in learning more about the Sunshine Pals should contact Mary Barrow, president of the Hospital Auxiliary.

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and development in heart disease prevention. According to Sutton County Heart Association vicepresident, Tom Clifton, education of children on the causes of heart disease and the prevention thereof is the main thrust of the work now underway by the American Heart Association.

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Orange Juice Blueberry Muffin Milk

Thursday, April 12 Grape Juice Cereal Milk

Friday, April 13 **Orange** Juice Sausage **Biscuits/Jelly** Milk

LUNCH Monday, April 9 Tacos Pinto Beans Tossed Salad Cinnamon Roll

Milk Tuesday, April 10 Steak Fingers Mashed Potatoes/Gravy Broccoli Casserole Hot Rolls Jello with Pears

Milk Wednesday, April 11 Mexican Cornbread with Meat Pinto Beans Fruit Salad **Butterscotch Squares** Milk Thursday, April 12 Hamburger Steak/Gravy French Fries Spinach & Cheese Casser-Hot Rolls Pineapple Slices with Whipped Cream Milk

Friday, April 13 Chick Burger (or Fish) Tossed Salad Nachos Ice Cream Milk

Track team makes fine showing

The Sonora eighth grade girls made a fine showing at the Colt relays held in Sonora last weekend. Final results of the eighth grade girls efforts are as follows:

Field Events Long Jump - Sandra Martinez - 6th place

Running Events 200 M Dash - Alicia Sanchez - 3rd place

points to claim the overall championship with Ballin-The Sonora eighth grade boys ran their unbeaten ger coming in a distant second. The Colts also streak to four Saturday with a victory at the Sonora Colt claimed the 400 M Relay trophy with a 1st place Relays. The Colts scored 181

Local 4-H ers do well in food show

4-H'ers did a fine job representing Sutton County at the District 13 Food Show Saturday.

Laura Lee Barlemann placed second in the Pre-teen Main Dish category. Todd Keller placed fifth in the Junior-Nutritious Snacks and Desserts category.

Other strong competitors included Laura Chalk, Shane Keller, Pat Perez, Andrea DeMarco, April Spiller and Terra Duran Discourse and Terra Discourse Strong Charles and Terra Discourse Strong S Spiller, and Terry Duren. There was lots of competition with 12-17 county winners from throughout the District in each category.

Each participant received a ribbon for their outstanding efforts at the show.



finish in that event. In the 1200 M Relay, the team from Ozona brought home first place with the Sonora Colts finishing second.

The teams making up the field for the 8th grade division inlcuded; Brady, Ballinger, Crane Ozona, and Sonora. Here are the individual finishes in each event of the relays for Sonora.

Field Events Pole Vault - L.French 3rd R. Harris - 4th D. Jones - 5th High Jump - A. Duenes -

High Jump - A. Duenes 4th L. French - 5th Long Jump - A. Duenes 5th Shot Put - J. Hearn 1st S. Castilleja - 2nd T. Priess - 4th Discus - G. Noriega 3rd T. Priess - 4th

Running Events 400 M Relay - 1st L. French, P. Perez, F. Mc Gee, S. Mata,

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Perez, L. French, A. Duen-

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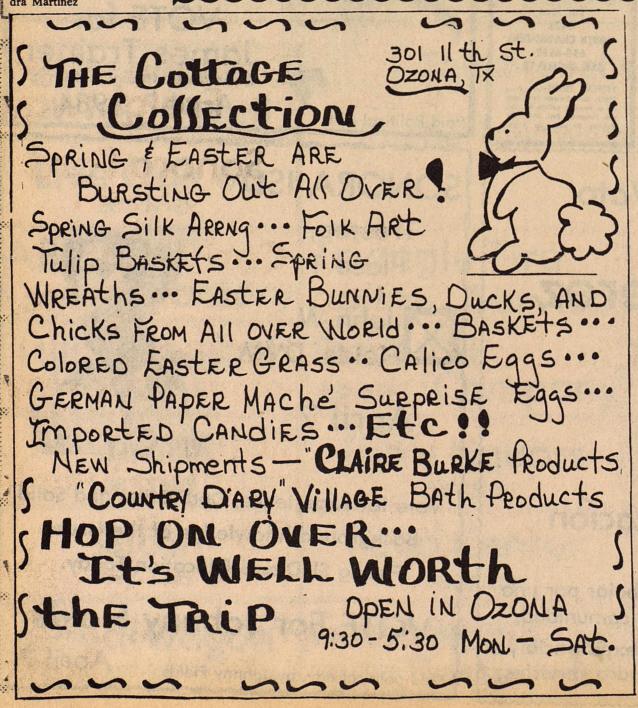


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1984 SHS Track

BY CHARLIE ADAMS

Escalante runs for gold in Angelo meet

Sonora's Jose Escalante captured the heart of the crowd at the San Angelo relays this past weekend. He also captured two gold medals and set two meet records in his specialties, the 3200m and the 1600m.

The 3200m race featured last year's third place finisher at the state meet, Floydada's Ralph Espinoza and Muleshoe's Tony Luna who tied for third at regional last year. The race went as predicted, that being a three man race with Espinoza leading followed closely by Luna and Escalante as they entered the gun

lap. The gun might have fired at the start of the final lap but the cannon went off as the three runners hit the 300m mark as Escolante blasted into the lead and completely ran away with the victory and also set a meet record of 9:45.8.

The record was held by Lubbock Roosevelt's John Warner (second at state meet 1983) at 9:46.96. Luna was second in a fine time of 9:52.33 and Espinoza finished third at 9:59.90.

In the 1600m it was the same one-two-three finish.

Escolante took first with a 4:34.07, breaking the record of 4:43.0 set in 1980 by San Angelo Central's Ricky Buentello. Luna was second in 4:40.11 and Espinoza third at 4:41.58.

The Broncos also got a season best performance from 800m specialist Ricardo Sanchez. He finished sixth but with a fine time of 2:02.45. Mike McBride finished eighth and Esau Ramirez was twelfth.

It was quite an accomplishment just to make the finals as they took the top 12 of 66 original entries. The same was true for Edward Mata as he was 12th in the 1600m with a personal best of 5:00.07.

the 1600m relay team posted a season best in the prelims at 3:28.98 and then ran a 3:30.50 to take sixth in the finals. The team is made up of Ricardo Sanchez, Eddie Castro, Mike Polocek and Mike McBride.

The team finished ninth in a field of 22 teams. It was a good performance and effort on the part of all the athletes and they will be gearing up for Saturday at the Brady Bulldog Relays.

Sonora girls do well in Mason meet

The Sonora girls scored 79 points and were runners-up in the team competition at the Mason Puncher Relays this past weekend. Boerne captured the 14 team division with 141 points.

Bonnie Jackson got things off to a good start with a third place finish in the shot putt with a throw of 32 ft., 9 in.

The 400m relay team of Evans, Powers, Mathews, and Crites came in third with a fine time of 52.95.

Lorri French won the 800m in 2:26.99 and Gay Ann Dobbs was third in the 2:30.45 and then placed in the 400m later. In the 1600m run, Gina Heffernan was first in a great

time of 5:42.58 setting a new school record. Sister Della was fourth at 5:53.

The 1600m relay team took first place with a time of 4:11.95. The team is made up of Lorri French, Casey Crites, Becca Powers and Anita Balch.

The 800m relay team also placed with a 1:56 time. The team is composed of Mathews, Evans, Shannon, and Dobbs.

It was a good meet for the girls as they prepare for the district meet this Friday here at Bronco Stadium. The field events start at 1 p.m., the prelims at 3 p.m. and the finals at 6 p.m.

Come out and support the Broncos.

District meet forecast

A preview look at the girls 6-AAA district meet shows a very exciting event with many quality athletes.

Colorado City's Sandra Williams, a sophomore, is one of the top sprinters in the state. Last year as a freshman, she was third at the state meet in the 100m. She will be exciting to watch in the 100m and the

200m events. She should receive a very stiff challenge from Ballinger's freshman sprinter in the 200m in the person of Laura Rains.

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events where she is one of the top performers in the state. She ran in the state cross-country meet earlier to state state because this year and has improved upon her 3200m time to a 12.15 which will rank her among the state's best. She has also run a fine 5.42 in the 1600m.

Colorado City comes in with the best 400m relay ceam. They were third at regional last year. Sonora sports one of the best 1600m relay teams. They have run a 4:11.98. This is the best time thus far in Region I of Class 3A in the 1600m relay.

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iura nas in her record-setting run of 26.34 at the Bronco Relays. Coahoma will bring one of the top 400m runners in the person of senior Tobie Henry. She has run a 56.8 and was sixth at the state meet last year.

She is also one of the state's best long jumpers with a jump of 18 plus feet at the state meet last year. Sonora will add some quality of their own. Lorri

French will be back to defend her title in the 100m low hurdles. She was sixth in that event last year at the state meet with a fine 14.78 time. This year she is running the 800m instead of the 400m where her 2.24 time is one of the best in the state.

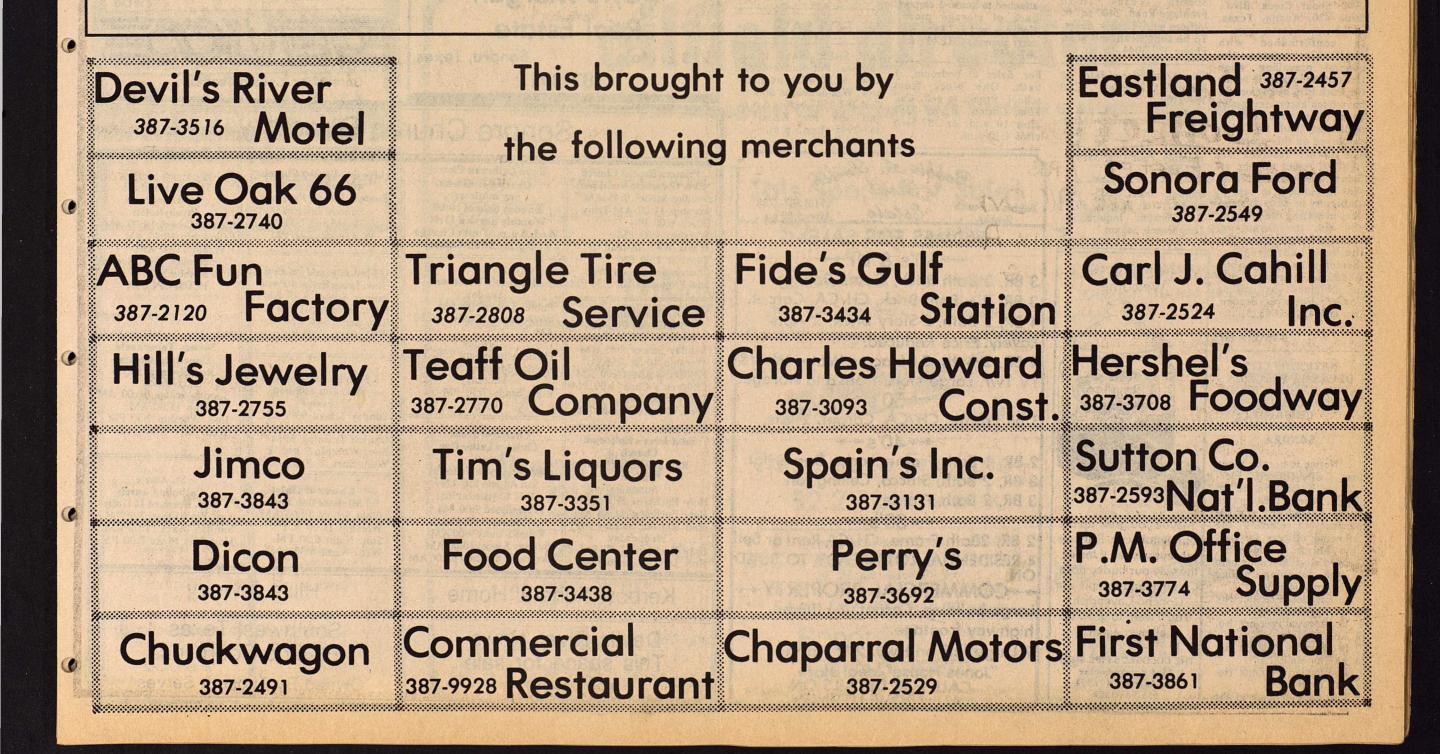
Gina Heffernan will also add quality to the distance

Casey Crites, and Lorri French.

The meet should be very exciting with the inside edge going to the Sonora Broncos due to their strength and depth in the running events.

Colorado City will challenge being very strong in the jumps and sprints. Crane will show strength in the field events but probably not have enough strength in the running events to be there in the end.

But then there is always the unexpected! So be there Friday, April 6 starting at 1 p.m. with the field events followed at 3 p.m. with the running event prelims and the finals starting at 6 p.m. at the District 6-AAA girls track meet at Bronco Stadium.



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4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8:00 o'clock a.m. and 5:00 o'clock p.m. Dated this the 23rd day of February, 1984.

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2 nice location lots. Starting price \$9,000. Call after 5 p.m. 387-5583.

23 acres hunting country. Turkey, \$595 per acre. deer & javelina hunting. 5 percent down payment with owner financing. Call 1-800 292-7420.

20 acres fertile ranch land off Hwy. 385 only \$495.00 down, \$95.55 monthly. Call 1-800-592-4806.

For Sale: 780 acres, 10,000 ft. Hwy. Front completely fenced. Combination white tail & Mule deer. \$179 per acre. 5 percent down, 20 years at 9 3/4 percent. Call Rock 512/774-7267.

House For Rent

House for rent: 3 Bdrm. 2 bath. 309 E. Plum. Call 387-5768 or 512/345-8521. HOMES FOR SALE

heat and air-carpeted-many extras. Property includes 2 **Billy Gosney** lots and a small apartment. Priced to sell-call 387-5231 and after 5 p.m., 387-2764 or 365-2044.

For Sale: 5 Bedroom, 3

Bath, 111/2 acres. \$90,000. See to appreciate. after 5 p.m. 387-2191. For Sale: 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, 2 living areas, fireplace, utility room, garbage disposal, ceiling fans,

port, storage buildings,

House for sale by owner. 421 E. Popla. 387-2446. 2-Story, 3,000 sq. feet. hardwood floors downstairs, new carpet upstairs, ceiling fans, 3 full baths, 6 bedrooms, double garage with apt. Central heat and air. Has many extras.

MOBILE HOMES

Must Sell: Good, little, or no credit needed, 1983 new 2 bdrm 1 bath, \$700 dwn. \$199 per mo., 1983 new 2 bdrm 2 bath, \$865 dwn. \$230 per mo., 1983 new 3 bdrm. 2 bath \$900 dwn. \$235 per mo., 1983 new 4 bdrm. 2 bath, \$1100 dwn. \$275 per mo., 1983 new double wide \$1400 dwn. \$360 per mo. Will trade for anything of value. Call Ron, Collect 915-333-4595.

For Sale: 1976 14X60 Titan Mobile Home. Call J. Galindo Jr. at First National Bank, 387-3861.

1983 14X70 Mobile Home for sale. No equity, assume payments. Furnished, carpet, and appliances. Set-up and ready to move into. 333-3213.

For Sale 1980 14X70 Melody Mobile Home. Call J. Galindo Jr. at First National Bank, 387-3861.

Mobile home repo, assume payments of \$270 per month. Three bedroom, two bath, ready to move-in, local park. Call 915-333-3212 or 915-362-4571

New 14X80 3 bdrm. 2 bath hardborad siding vaulted ceiling & fan only \$16,900. Call Al or Carl collect at 915-658-2711.

For Sale: 1970 14X50 New Moon Mobile Home. Call J. Galindo Jr. at First National Bank, 387-3861.

For Sale or Rent 1978 two bedroom, two bath mobile home. Phone 915-292-4610 weeknights or 387-2261 weekends.

AUTOMOTIVE

GE Electric Refrigerator. See at 468 Poplar or Call 387-2787.

For Sale: 8' slide on camper. Sleeps 4 selfcontained. Good condition. Call 387-2433 or come by 605 Orient.

Crane for sale. Model 357 Unit. 30 ton rubber tires. \$4,750 cash (bargain). Abilene, Texas 672-1731.

Cable Tool Drilling Rig for Sale. Drill your own oil or water well. Fort Worth H Cable Tool Rig with all the a steal. Hurry! Abilene, appointment. Texas 672-1731.

For sale: 1972 HD-11 Dozer 407 S. Crockett, Sonora. with grubber, \$9000. Also 1963 International Cable Handyman needed to clean

between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. or (915)365-5392 after 5:30 p.m.

Repossessed Office Furniture. Enough to furnish 4 complete offices; conference room, coffee room, secretary chairs, file cabinets, electric typewriter. Sale or lease. 915/672-1862.

For sale: 8 track stereo with speakers. Cheap. Call 387-3658.

JOBS WANTED

Employment Wanted: Mature dependable woman with background in retail sales, desires permanent position in Sonora. Call 387-5953.

I have the lawnmower and the fuel and I want to mow vour vard. Reasonable rates. Call 387-6019.

FOR SALE 427 Poplar-Three bedroom,

Housecleaning with no job too large or small. Will clean ovens, carpets, and windows. We can do commercial cleaning, reasonable rates. For estimate 512/477/5009." call Ron at 387-3857.

Sewing done by pattern or measurements. Specialized in bridal dresses. Come by 1403 Tayloe Ave. 387-3683.

HELP WANTED

Immediate opening for man with mechanical ability. Must be able to weld and tools in good condition. do light work. Permanent \$9,500 cash (firm). This is position. Call 387-2543 for do light work. Permanent

Help Wanted. Apply in person Longbranch Saloon,

Dump Truck, good engine, \$2500. Call (915)365-3158 sweep parking lots, small repair work, painting. Full repair work, painting. Full time or part time. Apply in person at the Twin Oaks Motel.

MISCELLANEOUS

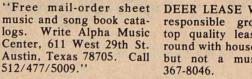
Moving Sale continues at The Little Fish. Furniture, appliances, clothing, misc. Come by 608 S.E. Crockett.

Need help with Math? Call Ron 387-3857.

Own your own Jean-Sportswear, Ladies Apparel, Combination, Accessories, Large Size store. National brands: Jordache, Chic, Lee, Levi, Vanderbilt, Izod, Gunne Sax, Esprit, Brittania, Calvin Klein, Sergio Valente, Evan Picone, Claiborne, Members Only, Bill Blass, Organically Grown, Healthtex, 300 others. \$7,900 to \$24,000, inven-

tory, airfare, training, fixtures, grand opening, etc. Mr. Loughlin (612) 888-6555.

Center.(Staff Photo)



DEER LEASE WANTED: responsible group wants top quality lease. Yearround with house preferred but not a must. (713)

Sherry Ellison, a Junior Distributive Education student at Sonora High School, came away from the State display contest in San Antonio with the blue ribbon for first place. Sherry's display featured

greeting cards and appeared at Gibson's Discount

BUILDING SPECIALISTS PRE-ENGINEERED **DELTA BUILDING SYSTEMS OR CUSTOM BUILT** COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL, **INSTITUTIONAL OR** AGRICULTURAL BUILDINGS. FEEDLOTS, ROPING ARENAS, BARNS, PENS, ETC.

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Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 420, Austin, Texas 78758; The Associated General Contractors Offices: Abilene, Lubbock, San Antonio, El Paso; Dodge Reports Offices: Abilene, Midland, San Antonio. Lubbock, El Paso.

They may be examined without charge at the preceding locations or will be forwarded to prospective bidders or suppliers upon receipt of a refundable deposit of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) to the Engineer at 8900 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 420, Austin, Texas,

78758. In c conformance with applicable statutes, the general prevailing , wage rates in the locality in which the work is to be performed have been ascertained, and such rates shall be the minimum paid for labor employed on this project. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive informalities in bidding. In case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating the prices in any bid, the Owner reserves the right to consider the most advantageous thereof, or to reject the bid. Additional information may be obtained by calling Turner, Collie & Braden, Inc. at (512) 454-0323.

SONORA ISD **NOTICE OF CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION AVISO DE ELECCION DE FUNCIONARIOS DE LA** CIUDAD

SONORA

Notice is hereby given that a City Officers' Election will be held on the 7th day of April, 1984 in the above named city for the purpose of electing the following officers for said city: Mayor, 1, Aldermen. 2. Said election will be held at the following polling places in said city: In Election Precinct No. 1, at City Hall; In Election Precinct No. 2, at City Hall;

- In Election Precinct No. 3, at City Hall;
- In Election Precinct No.
- 4, at City Hall.
- The polls at each of the

discussion of possible uses of general revenue sharing appointment only. funds at Sutton County Courtroom. All interested citizens will have the opportunity to give written and oral comment on uses of the funds. Senior citizens are 853-2418. encouraged to attend and comment.

House for sale-3 bedroom bath and 1/2, paneled, draped, new carpet, fire-place dishwasher, and FOR RENT/LEASE garbage disposal. Central heating and cooling, vent a hood in kitchen. 2 carports attached to house-1 carport

after 4:30 p.m.

Chemical Weed Building, Texas IH-10 Frontage Road, 2400 sq. ft. back of storage place. House is on 1 1/2 lots. Will offices and 2 truck doors. To be kept clean and neat. Phone 387-3044. carry papers, CHEAP, call 387-3658.

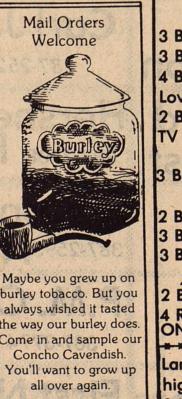
our new rates at For Sale: 2 bedroom, 1 bath. One block from Korner. Call Kasey's school. Priced to sell. Call 387-2104. Tom Clifton at 387-3351

Shurley Enterprises Mini Storage. 8 X 12, \$20 monthly 12 X 24, \$45 monthly. Phone 387-3619 or 387-5409

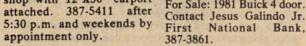
Sonora,

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Storage units, \$35 per month. Well lighted, 4075 Crockett. Inquire at Longbranch Saloon.



THE COLONEL'S PIPE SHOP 3544 Knickerbocker San Angelo, TX 76904 915/944-3322



Rock house on 79% acres. 2,000 sq. ft. 3X2X2 cross fenced. 70 acres in cultiva-1978 Chevrolet van. Contact J. Galindo at First National Bank. 387-3861. tion, 6 mi. W. of Eldorado,

> For Sale: 1981 Chevrolet, 4 door. Contact Jesus Galindo Jr. First National Bank, 387-3861.

For Sale: 1975 Ford 4-door. Contact Jesus Galindo at First National Bank. 387-3861.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Baby Easter bunnies. Put your order in now! \$5.00 Also available now. Will deliver in Sonora. Call 387-2507 before 5 p.m. and ask for Kristi or after 10 a.m. or 387-5166 387-2945 after 5 p.m.



30's 2 BR, 2Bath Frame, CH/CA-Rent or Sell **4 RESIDENTIAL LOTS -READY TO BUILD** **COMMERCIAL PROPERTY**

Large building, Carpet, 2 offices, highway frontage. 2 Large lots on Hwy. 277 North. "Jones House"-Ideal store. CALL FOR DETAILS ON ALL ABOVE LISTINGS





