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Scanning Sutton County

Legislation clears House Committee

Legislation to establish the Sutton County Underground Water District has cleared the House Committee on Natural Resources.

Mark Shurley and Joe David Ross, who have both been active in efforts to establish the water district, were in Austin March 19 to attend the hearings and to testify if necessary.

No objections were raised to the bill during the session chaired by Representative Tom Craddock of Midland. Two minor changes in wording which had no effect upon the purpose of the bill were made. The bill will now be sent to the House for vote.

A similar bill has been introduced into the Senate by Senator Bill Sims. At this time the Senate version has not been scheduled for a committee hearing, according to Walter Pfluger of Senator Sims office.

There appears to be little, if any, opposition to the formation of local underground water districts. Indeed, the statewide water plan now being considered would require the establishment of districts where aquifers exist. This water plan has the strong backing of the Governor, Lt. Governor, Speaker of the House and others.

Sale nets \$1229

Members of the Sonora Lions Clubs braved cold, blustery winds and light rain Tuesday, March 19 during the annual broom sale.

Despite the weather the total sales reached \$4,728. This was down about \$400 from the record 1984 sale. Considering the conditions during the day the sale was a success again.

The sale profits, \$1,229.28, will be used by the Lions Clubs to support sight conservation work as well as local projects.

All of the products sold were manufactured by the Lighthouse for the Blind. These included brooms, mops, dust mops, brushes, door mats, sponges, pot holders, scrubbers and other household cleaning aids.

The Lions appreciate the support of the community which made this project a success.

Teams needed

Attention, Ladies! Anyone interested in playing softball this summer?

The Softball Association needs ladies, sponsors, and coaches. There are only four teams at this time and more teams are needed.

According to U.S.S.A. rules, entry fee per team is \$100.

The season is scheduled to start the first week of May. "Green Dot" balls are now being considered. The next meeting will be Wednesday, April 10, at 7:30 p.m.

If you are interested, please contact Cindy Gonzales at 387-5565 after 5 p.m.

Banquet nearing

Norm Rousselot will be the master of ceremony for annual Sonora Chamber of Commerce Banquet scheduled to take place tomorrow night, March 28 at the Junior High Snack Bar.

The banquet will begin at 7 p.m. and will be catered by Sutton County Steakhouse.

During the evening the 1985 Citizen of the Year will be announced.

Phil George, athletic director for Angelo State University will be the guest speaker for the banquet.

Tickets are \$8 and may be purchased at the door, from any chamber director, or at the chamber office. Make plans now to attend this annual event.

G/T nominations set

Nominations for students to be considered for the Sonora Gifted/Talented program will begin Thursday, March 21.

Students currently in grades 2 through 7 may be nominated.

A student must receive nominations from at least two of the following areas to be considered by the screening committee:

1) a letter of nomination from a parent or community member.

2) a letter of nomination from school personnel.

3) a 95 average from the student's first semester grades in Language, Reading and Math.

Letters of nomination must be received by the student's principal by Thursday, March 28th.

Bake sale slated

The Sonora United Methodist Women are having a bake sale on April 4 at 9 a.m. in the Methodist Church basement.

For further information call Claire Powers at 387-2949.

Lenten services set

Hope Lutheran Church at 417 E. 2nd Sonora invites you to worship with them Wednesday, March 27, at 7:30 p.m.

The sermon topic will be "Peace from the Passion of Christ. Mt. 27:11-24."

Sunday services are at 11 a.m. and Charles Huffman is the Pastor.

Lions to meet

The Downtown Lions Club will hold its regular meeting next Tuesday in the basement of the First United Methodist Church.

Home for Hearts Rock-A-Thon slated Friday

Lillian Hudspeth Nursing Home in cooperation with the American Heart Association will be the scene of the Third Annual Home for Hearts to take place this Friday, March 29.

The annual event will include a bake sale in the dining area with goods donated by the staff.

The residents will also be "Rocking" in the halls for pledges. You may pledge 50 cents or \$1 (or more) per hour to have a resident rock.

An added feature this year will be To Jail - Or Not To Jail starring Sutton County Sheriff Bill Webster, Sonora Mayor Bill Gosney, City Councilman Lemuel Lopez, and Mike Hale, vice president of the First National Bank.

The event has been set up to raise funds for the A.H.A. by getting citizens to pledge funds to either put Webster, Gosney, Lopez and Hale into the local jail for an hour or to keep them from going to a cell.

If more money is pledged to put them in jail than to keep them out, they will serve one hour in jail.

Do you want to see these community leaders serve time or do you want them to go free? Your pledges one way or the other will determine the final verdict - "To Jail or Not To Jail".

Pledging started Friday, March 22 so you may call yours in from now until this Friday.

If you want to donate baked items or make a pledge call 387-3351 or 387-3030. Any donations will be appreciated by the American Heart Association.



THE LAW FINALLY GOT 'EM

These three "outlaws" appear to be begging for mercy. However, they are really begging for pledges to keep them out of jail. [Left to Right] Sonora Mayor Bill Gosney, Sutton County Sheriff Bill Webster, and First National Bank Vice President Mike Hale will be part of

the 3rd annual "Home for Hearts" this Friday at Hudspeth Nursing Home. Starting last Friday, March 22, the local chapter of the American Heart Association began taking pledges to either put these three "Criminals" in jail or to keep them out. To make your pledge [either way] call 387-3351 or 387-3030. [Staff Photo--CJ]

County - City discuss paving problems

Sutton County Commissioners and the Sonora City Council agreed in principal that repair of county roads and city streets should receive top priority during 1985. The severe weather at the beginning of the year has caused major problems for both.

City Manager Jim Dover, Councilmen Hershel Davenport, James Trainer, Margaret Cascadden, Matt Davenport and City Secretary Becky Covington met with the Commissioners' Court at 9 a.m. Monday, March 25th to discuss city-county cooperation in paving and repair of city streets.

Dover presented a list of ten city street projects needing repair. These include; Oak Between Crockett and Tom Green, Plum between Crockett and Glasscock, Poplar between Crockett and Glasscock, W. 5th between Tom Green and Menard, College from Prospect to Murphy, Hightower from Edgemont to dead end (Morris Hill), Prospect from E. 2nd to Water, Chestnut from Glasscock to Taylor, Orient from Chestnut to the dead end and Tres between Tom Green and Rock. The draw crossings on Water, Main, Chestnut and Glasscock also need repair.

County Judge Charles Sherrill and Commissioners Mike Villanueva, Bill Keel and Juan Carlos Gonzales were present at the meeting. Both Keel and Gonzales stated that it would be foolish and wasteful of tax money for the city to purchase paving equipment duplicating what the county has.

An inter-governmental contract is already in existence which provides for the county to do \$30,000 worth of paving for the city. This contract specifies the county provide both materials and labor. However, this amount would probably not cover the cost of the needed repairs.

Cancer Crusade kicks off Monday

The Sutton County Unit of the American Cancer Society will hold the kick-off for the 1985 Crusade Monday, April 1st in the annex of the First National Bank Suite C from 2 to 5 p.m.

Anyone interested and all Volunteers are invited to attend.

Crusade material will be given out at this time. Refreshments will be served and a film shown.

Mrs. Alvis Johnson will be chairperson for the Crusade. This will be 31 consecutive years under her direction.

Dorothy Baker, Treasurer, is in charge of Volunteers Alley Askew, Memorials - Lou Faulks, Business and Public Information - Lena Bell Ross, Secretary - Lama Surber and Dorothy Cusenbury, Public Education - Monty Yantis and Cary Morrison, Nominating Committee - Mary Barrows, president.

Absentee voting to end Tuesday

Tuesday, April 2 is the deadline for voting absentee in the City Election and the School Trustee Election. If you plan to be out of town April 6, you need to go by the city hall and the school administration office by April 2.

Hours for voting absentee in the city election are 8 a.m. until 5 p.m., Monday through Friday at 201 N.E. Main.

Hours for voting absentee in the school election are 8 a.m. until 4 p.m., Monday through Friday at 807 S. Concho.

Candidates for the three city council seats include Hershel Davenport, Matt Davenport, Lemuel Lopez, and Joan Latta.

Candidates for the seven seats on the SISD School Board are precinct 1 - Joe Garcia, precinct 2 - Dr. Johnny Fields, precinct 3 - Carl Teaff, precinct 4 - Julio Samaniego Jr., and at-large - Rosemary Mathews, Scott Shurley, Earnest Lykins and Sam Perez.

If you're not going to be able to vote April 6, vote absentee, but VOTE. It is your duty as a citizen.

Since the city has funds budgeted to purchase paving materials and the county has man power and equipment, the existing contract may be in need of renegotiation. This will be acted upon at the next regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court April 8.

Both governing bodies expressed the desire and need for closer cooperation in order to best utilize tax money. Both are facing a shrinking tax base.

Councilman Trainer pointed out the need for some kind of permanent arrangement so that special meetings were not necessary every time a problem arose.

In other county business the Court deferred acceptance of the new County Annex Building and

voted to withhold payment of the final \$21,000 due the contractor.

Architect Gary Donaldson and the commissioners expressed disapproval of the quality of some of the exterior work. While the interior is essentially complete there are some corrections still needed.

A committee was appointed to handle wage and salary grievances. By law the committee consists of the County Judge, Sheriff, Treasurer, Clerk, Attorney and four citizens selected by lot from the Grand Jury rolls. The four persons selected were Loyce C. Campbell, Earnest Lykins, Jamie Parker and Joe Friess.

Specifications for repainting of the courthouse will be drawn up and presented at the April 8 meeting.

Pool contract awarded

BY CAROL JONES

The Gifted and Talented class from Sonora Junior High School learned first-hand Tuesday, March 19 how a governing body conducts a meeting.

Members of the class and instructor Janet Patton were in attendance for the monthly meeting of the Sonora City Council. Mayor Bill Gosney explained procedures and welcomed the group which listened attentively throughout the session.

The students were actually given the opportunity to participate when Mayor Gosney asked for their opinion concerning the operation of the swimming pool during 1984. Most of the students had used the facilities last summer but none offered negative comments regarding it.

Council members voted unanimously to allow Claudia Dempsey to operate the pool this coming summer again. From general admission to the pool Ms. Dempsey receives 80 percent while the city receives the other 20 percent.

Ranch management computer workshop slated here next week

Computers in ranch management will be the topic of a two day workshop April 2-3 at the First National Bank's Conference Room and the Eddie Sawyer ranch near here.

The workshop begins with registration at 8 a.m. at the bank, according to Sutton County Extension Agent Preston Faris. An overview of the workshop will be given, and participants will then travel to the Sawyer Ranch for a tour. The tour will concentrate on reviewing range and livestock management alternatives. A catered barbeque lunch will be served after the tour from noon to 1:30 p.m.

The group will meet back at the bank at 2 p.m. Larry Lipke of Bryan, Extension economist-management, will discuss computerized decision making on a ranch. Dr. Jim McGrann of College Station, Extension economist-management, and Jose G. Pena of Uvalde, Extension economist-management, will follow on the program with a discussion of range management decisions.

Following the afternoon break, McGrann and Pena will give an overview of livestock and deer management decision aids.

A panel of ranchers from Sonora including Sawyer, Albert Ward and Jim Holman will discuss their choice of systems, computer applications, time requirements and software and hardware, beginning at 4 p.m. Computers will be available from 6 to 8 p.m. for participants interested in "hands on" experience.

The next day's program will begin at 8:30 a.m. at the bank with Lipke giving an overview of ranch management record keeping. Ashley Lovell of Stephenville, Extension economist-management, will discuss ranch accounting requirements at 9:15 a.m. Dr.

In other action the council elected Kathy Morris and Ed Carrasco by acclamation to serve on the planning and zoning committee. Two vacancies were created with the resignations of George Wallace and Vicenta Cervantes.

The council also passed an ordinance adding requirements to Article IV under Buildings and Building Requirements in the Code of Ordinances for the city.

Trucks or any other vehicle transporting hazardous chemicals will not be allowed off of Hwy. 277, Hwy. 290 or Interstate 10 and may not be parked on these highways for long periods of time.

Elizabeth Wallace, city attorney, stated that after the incident on I-10 a few months back involving the wreck of a truck containing hazardous chemicals, the council felt that it should do everything possible to protect the city and the citizens.

City officials attending Tuesday's meeting included Mrs. Wallace, Jim Dover city manager, Mayor Gosney, and council members Hershel Davenport, Matt Davenport, Margaret Cascadden, and James Trainer.

Larry White of Uvalde, Extension range specialist, will follow on the program with a discussion of preparing a total ranch production plan.

Following the morning break, the group will meet in concurrent sessions. Topics will include sheep and goat, cow/calf and forage enterprise analyses, as well as total ranch and deer management and financial statements.

Teaching concurrent sessions will be Jeanne Goins, Extension assistant, economics; Dr. Dwight Guynn, Extension wildlife specialist from Uvalde; Pena, McGrann, White, Lovell and Lipke.

This workshop is designed to provide ranchers and agribusinessmen an opportunity to learn how microcomputers are being used in ranch management.

The purpose of the ranch tour is to discuss range and livestock management activities. Decision making data will be disseminated during the ranch tour and computers will be used during the afternoon sessions to assist in the selection of a course of action.

The second day will concentrate on financial management and enterprise analysis. Six concurrent sessions will be offered to encourage participants to gain "hands on" experience.

The workshop registration fee of \$10 includes a notebook of microcomputer educational information, one meal and refreshments. Participants may preregister by contacting Preston Faris, Box 1047, Sonora, Texas 76950, telephone (915) 387-3101.

Deadline for registration is March 29 although delayed registration at the door will be accepted. The registration fees listed on the form include one meal, materials and refreshments.

Rendition deadline set May 1

Rex Ann Friess, chief appraiser for Sutton County Appraisal District, reminds district residents that property renditions must be in the appraisal office before May 1.

A rendition lists taxable property, on a special form available at the appraisal office, and can include, the owner's opinion of the property's value. Anyone who own

January 1 owns or manages tangible personal property used to produce income must render that property for taxation. Examples of personal property which must be rendered are business inventories, office furniture and fixtures and business vehicles.

Property owners must file renditions with the chief appraiser of the

county appraisal district in which the property is located. The chief appraiser may also require a person to render any other taxable property that he owns or manages, by delivering written notice of the rendition requirement and an appropriate rendition form.

Although Texas law doesn't require the average property owner to render a home or personal property not used to produce income, anyone may voluntarily file a rendition with the appraisal district.

Rendition is a means for the taxpayer to record his opinion of his property's value. By rendering the property, the owner also gains the advantage of being sure he'll get notice if a higher value is placed on the property by the appraisal office, allowing the owner time to protest the value to the appraisal review board.

Any taxpayer who believes that his property's value has decreased

during the preceding tax year, for any reason other than normal depreciation, may make a "report of decreased value" to the chief appraiser. This report describes the property and states the nature and cause of the decrease.

Forms for the renditions and the report of decreased value may be obtained from the Sutton County Appraisal District office. Anyone filing a rendition or report must include all the information requested on the form, and it must be signed by the property owner or authorized agent.

When rendering property, it is not necessary to state a market value for it, Friess said. She also said that renditions and property reports are confidential and not open to public inspection.

The forms should be filed with Friess before May 1 at the appraisal district office, 222 N.E. Main. For more information, call 2809.

Assistance expanded to provide more credit

The Cooperative Extension Service has agreed to expand its assistance to the Farmers Home Administration efforts to provide necessary credit to farmers in Texas, J. Lynn Futch, State Director for Farmers Home, said recently.

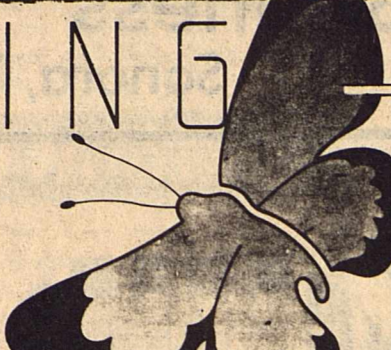
Futch said he had been notified by Frank W. Naylor Jr. Under Secretary of Agriculture for Small Community and Rural Development, that a formal aid agreement

has been completed by the two agencies.

Depending on workloads in local offices, Extension Service may be able to provide professional or clerical assistance, on a case-by-case basis, Futch said.

"In addition, we are continuing our efforts with Extension to locate farm credit and management specialists so that we can provide counseling services at the county level to farmers who want it."

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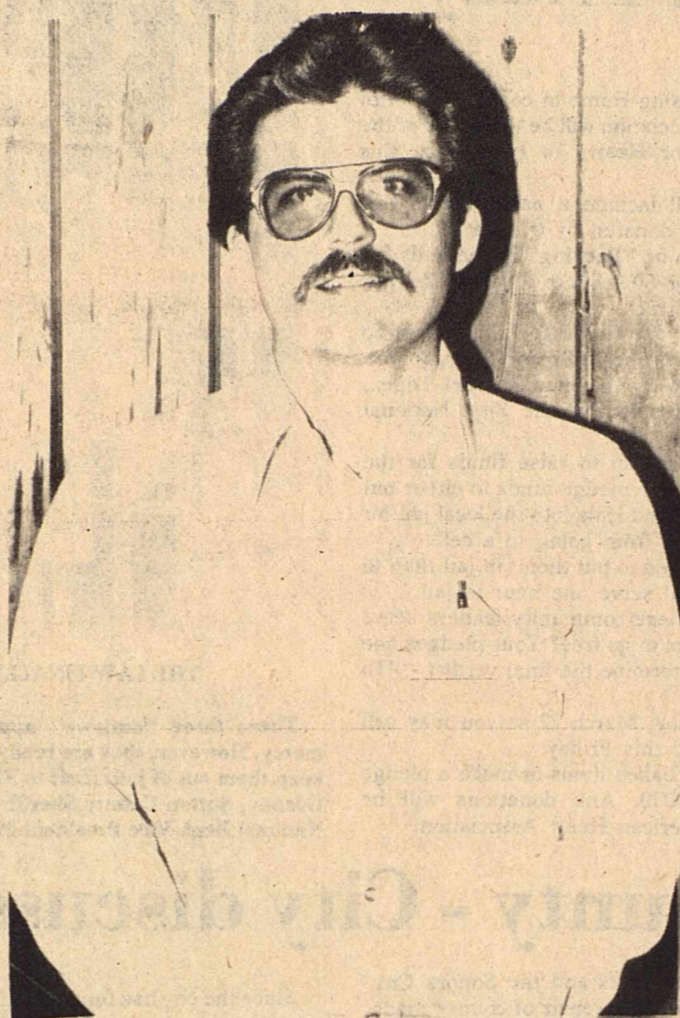
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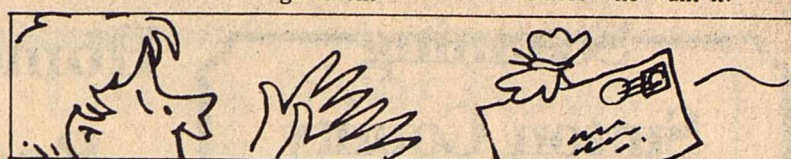
SUPER SIDEWALK DAYS

Prices drastically reduced on Spring apparel. Ladies-Men-Children Boots & Shoes Friday & Saturday March 29th & 30th

SPAIN'S
Downtown Sonora

DAVENPORT RUNS FOR ALDERMAN
Matt Davenport, incumbent, has filed for re-election to the Sonora City Council. Davenport has two years experience on the council. He is a graduate of Sonora High School and attended Angelo State University. He is assistant manager of Hershel's Foodway and a member of the Downtown Lions Club. Matt and his wife Pam have two children: David who is seven and Stefan who is four. Monday Davenport made the following statement: "With economic situations as they are today, the most important thing we, as council members can do is to make sure we do our part to continue to work with all of Sonora's taxing entities to insure that we, as a community receive the most benefit from our tax dollars that are spent." [Staff Photo-CJ]



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Form 1040 U.S. Individual Income Tax Return 1984

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

OMB No. 1545-0047

For year beginning January 1, December 31, 1984, or other tax year beginning

Income

7 Wages, salaries, tips, etc.

8 Interest income (also attach Schedule B if over \$400)

9a Dividends (also attach Schedule B if over \$400)

9b Exclusion

9c

10 Refunds of State and local income taxes, from the worksheet on page 9 of Instructions (do not enter an amount unless you itemized deductions for those taxes in an earlier year - see page 9)

11 Alimony received

12 Business income or (loss) (attach Schedule C)

13 Capital gain or (loss) (attach Schedule D)

14 40% of capital gain distributions not reported on line 17

15 Supplemental gains or (losses) (attach Form 4797)

16 Fully taxable pensions, IRA distributions, and annuities Total received 17a

17a Other pensions and annuities, including rollovers Total received 17b

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18 Rents, royalties, partnerships, estates, trusts, etc. (attach Schedule E)

19 Farm income or (loss) (attach Schedule F)

20a Unemployment compensation (insurance) Total received 20b

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21a Taxable amount, if any, from the worksheet on page 10 of Instructions

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22 Other income (state nature and source - see page 11 of Instructions)

23 Add lines 7 through 22. This is your total income

24 Moving expense (attach Form 3903 or 3903F)

25 Employee business expenses (attach Form 2106)

26a IRA deduction from the worksheet on page 12

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27 Enter here IRA payments you made in 1985 that are included

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Adjusted Gross Income

AROUND TOWN

HAZEL McCLELLAND

The Sonora Art Club met March 18, at the Art Club building. Mrs. Gloria Gordon, president, presided. Mrs. Verna Raphael read the minutes and gave a financial report. Mrs. Wilna Schweining gave a lesson in oil painting. Hostesses were; Mrs. Carmen Adams, Mrs. Wilna Schweining, Mrs. Louise Smyers, and Mrs. Ayako Manges.

Members present were: Mrs. Gloria Gordon, Mrs. Wilna Schweining, Mrs. Etta Hill, Mrs. Fern Wipff, Mrs. Mary Lu Gilly, Mrs. Pauline Ringgold, Mrs. Mary Guest, Mrs. Lorene Taliaferro, Mrs. Ayako Manges, Mrs. Carmen Adams, Mrs. Verna Raphael, Mrs. Louise Smyers, Mrs. Janette Cooper and Mrs. Hazel McClelland.

New officers elected for the coming year were: President, Mrs. Pauline Ringgold, vice president, Mrs. Carmen Adams, and Secretary & Treasurer, Mrs. Verna Raphael.

The S&O Sewing Club met March 19, at His Handiwork (and Hers). Mrs. Avis Baney was hostess. Fresh fruit salad, hot biscuits, jelly, butter ham loaf, coffee and juices were served.

Members from Sonora were: Mrs. Lucille Coleman, Mrs. Leona Bishop, Mrs. Peggy Dover, Mrs. Barbara Savell, Mrs. Midge Shurley, Mrs. Sadie Archer, Mrs. Mattie Nix, Mrs. Jerry Wallace, Mrs. Lucy Ward, Mrs. Bobby Thompson, Mrs. Odessa Fields, Mrs. Marty McLain, Mrs. Vicki Shannon, Mrs. Bernice Savell and Mrs. Joan Cusenbary. Members from Ozona were: Mrs. Mary Friend, Mrs. Benny Gail Hunnicutt, Mrs. Luetta Kost, and Mrs. Marie Pearson.

Mr. & Mrs. Vestal Askew and Mrs. Guila Vicars were in San Antonio this past week.

Our sympathy to the family of Earl Smith who died March 20th.

Mrs. Edwin Sawyer entertained the Tuesday night bridge club at her home March 19, with a dinner and bridge.

Club members present were: Mrs. Guila Vicars, Mrs. Metha Trainer, Mrs. Vivian Crites, Mrs. R.A. Halbert, Mrs. Vestal Askew, Mrs. Leo Merrill, Mrs. Mary Barrow and Mrs. Ruth Shurley. Mrs. Crites won the high score prize. Mrs. Trainer won the traveling prize. Mrs. Halbert won the bingo prize.

The Ladies Golf Club had a

Band Boosters hold regular meeting

Band Boosters met Monday night, March 11, in the band hall at the high school with Earnest Lykins, president, presiding.

A nominating committee was selected to nominate officers for the 1985-1986 school year. The committee consists of Trevelin Luttrell, Margaret Cascadden, Belia Castaneda, Forrester Halamicek and Kathy Knight.

The nominations for officers will be presented to the Band Boosters for voting on, at the April 8, meeting.

A clean up committee met at the concession stand to clean up the stand March 8, to be ready for the Bronco and Colt relays March 22 and 23.

There was some discussion about the Sandy Lake Music Festival April 26.



luncheon March 20 at the Golf Club building. Mrs. Becky Johnson, president, presided. The club will sponsor a one day partnership tournament, April 27. Mrs. Faye Morgan and Mrs. Nelwyn Churchill were hostesses. About 20 members were present.

Our sympathy to Mrs. Lena Belle Ross on the death of her brother.

Mr. & Mrs. Latto Turner from Hurley, New Mexico were here last week visiting Mr. & Mrs. Buster Jennings and other friends in Sonora and Eldorado.

Mr. & Mrs. Jack Chaney & boys were here from Florenceville, Texas visiting Mr. & Mrs. Buster Jennings.

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Cusenbary from San Antonio were here visiting his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Cusenbary.

Mr. & Mrs. Phil Sheldon of New Mexico were here last week visiting her family, Mr. & Mrs. Calvin Van Hoozer.

Mrs. Ruth Shurley was in San Antonio this week.

We are glad to hear Armer Earwood is in San Antonio hospital and is doing better.

Mrs. Dante Riley is in San Angelo in the hospital - Hope you will be well soon and back home.

Zane Dunnam is back home from the hospital in San Angelo. Glad you are better.



Tedford Jewelry

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Mrs. Stephen Terry, nee Kim Schroeder

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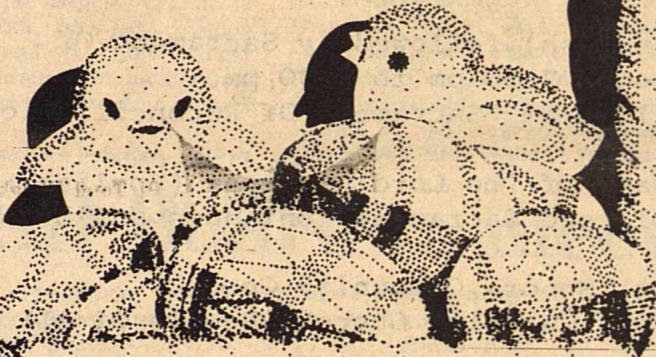
FOR THE CHILDREN - send a cute Easter basket with coloring book or stuffed animal or even balloons.

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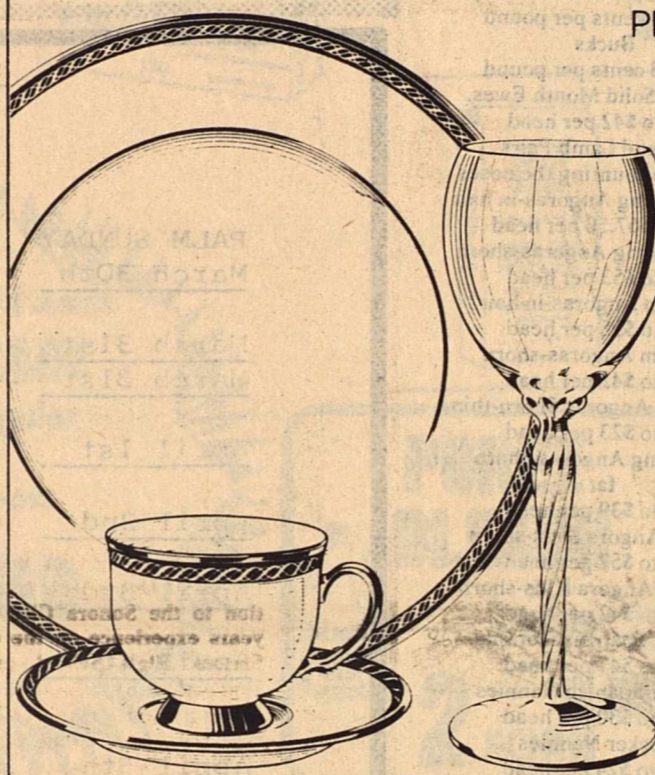
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Lenox China is on sale now. Save 20% on all patterns on the Presidential shape in 20-piece Sets and on 5-piece Serving Sets. Save 15% on all individually purchased accessory pieces. Also enjoy savings of 15-25% on all active Lenox Crystal patterns in sets of four-of-a-kind.



Patterns shown above:
Lenox China - Tyler 24 karat gold trim
20-piece Set (Four 5-piece place settings, dinner, salad/dessert, and butter plates plus cup and saucer) Reg \$ 392 Sale \$ 313.60

Lenox Crystal - Ana
Individual piece (water goblet, wine glass, dessert/champagne glass or iced beverage/highball glass) Reg \$ 21.75 Sale \$ 18.50

Individual piece (flute champagne) Reg \$ 22.75 Sale \$ 19.50
(Also available as Monroe with 24 karat gold banding or as Madison with platinum handlines)



Lenox China - Holiday®
20-piece Set (Four 5-piece place settings, dinner, salad/dessert and butter plates plus cup and saucer) Reg \$ 399.00 Sale \$ 316.80
Lenox Crystal - Intrigue (24 karat gold trim)
Individual piece (water goblet, wine glass, dessert/champagne glass or iced beverage/highball glass) Reg \$ 20.75 Sale \$ 17.50
Individual piece (flute champagne) Reg \$ 21.75 Sale \$ 18.50

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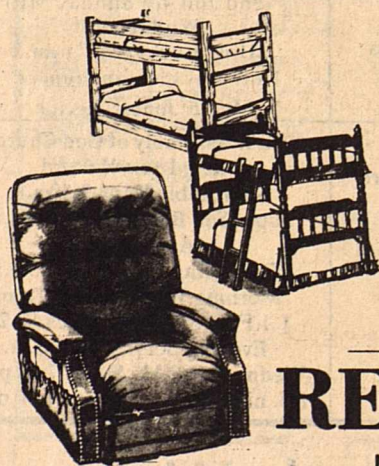
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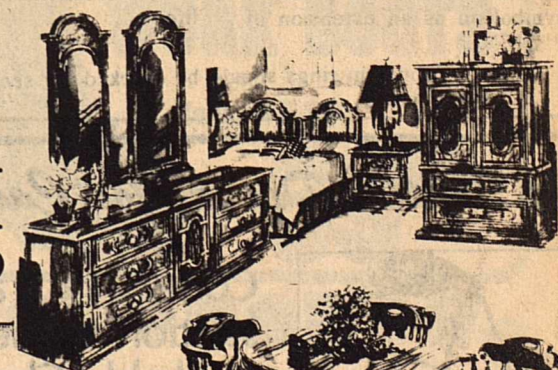
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A.W. Bishop, President and Chief Executive Officer at Sutton County National Bank, presents Jeanne Jackson, Assistant Cashier, with a \$50.00 U.S. Savings Bond on behalf of the San Angelo Chapter of the American Institute of Banking. Mrs. Jackson was presented this award for having made the highest grade average in Consumer Credit Analysis for the 1984 fall semester. Continued banking education and employee training is a top priority at Sutton County National Bank. Officers and Employees attend American Institute of Banking classes each semester as well as various workshops and seminars held throughout the state during the year in their specialized job areas. Seven employees at SCNB are presently attending Bank Accounting classes in San Angelo. [Staff Photo---CBY]

Junction Livestock Report

Bidding was active on all classes of cattle Friday, March 15 despite a very light run. One hundred four head were sold with steers selling steady. Choice light and medium heifers were \$1 to \$2 higher. Packer cows and bulls were steady.

Cattle Report
Choice Light Steer Calves 83 to 92.5 cents per pound
Choice Medium Steer Calves 73 to 80 cents per pound
Choice Heavy Steer Calves 66 to 73 cents per pound
Medium Quality Steer Calves 60 to 68 cents per pound
Choice Steer Yearlings 67 to 71 cents per pound
Mixed Steer and Bull Calves and Yearlings 58 to 67 cents per pound
Choice Light Heifer Calves 62 to 70.5 cents per pound
Choice Medium Heifer Calves 60 to 65 cents per pound
Choice Heavy Heifer Calves 59 to 63 cents per pound
Medium Quality Heifer Calves 57 to 61 cents per pound
Choice Heifer Yearlings 59 to 60 cents per pound
Mixed Heifer Calves and Yearlings 57 to 60 cents per pound
Commercial and Utility Cows 35 to 46.25 cents per pound
Canners and Cutters 33 to 39 cents per pound
Low Yielding Canners 28 to 32 cents per pound
Bulls 40 to 56.75 cents per pound
Stocker Cows \$400 to \$465 per head
Stocker Pairs \$450 to \$550 per head
no outstanding pairs offered
On Monday, March 18 there were 2327 head of goats and sheep sold. Lambs were selling \$1 higher, ewes and bucks were steady. Angora and fat Spanish goats were

steady and thin goats were \$1 to \$2 higher.

Goat and Sheep Report
Choice Spring Lambs 70 to 73.75 cents per pound
Heavy Lambs 64 to 69 cents per pound
Fat Ewes 32 to 39 cents per pound
Thin Ewes 18 to 23 cents per pound
Bucks 32 to 38 cents per pound
Stocker Solid Mouth Ewes \$32 to \$42 per head
Ewe and Lamb Pairs \$28 to \$36 counting the noses
Choice Young Angoras-in hair \$58 to \$67.50 per head
Choice Young Angoras-shorn \$42 to \$53 per head
Medium Angoras-in hair \$45 to \$55 per head
Medium Angoras-shorn \$32 to \$42 per head
Weighing Angoras Shorn-thin \$18 to \$23 per head
Weighing Angoras Shorn fat \$32 to \$39 per head
Choice Angora Kids-shorn \$42 to \$52 per head
Medium Angora Kids-shorn \$35 to \$42 per head
Big Fat Spanish Muttons \$35 to \$47 per head
Big Fat Spanish Nannies \$20 to \$30 per head
Stocker Nannies \$18 to \$24 per head
few thin-\$14 to \$7 per head
Fat Kids \$20 to \$28 per head
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Seven 4-H'ers competed in the District 4-H Food Show, Saturday, March 23 in Uvalde. These contestants had previously won first place in the County 4-H Food Show held in Sonora last November. Laura Lee Barlemann won third place in the Junior Breads and Cereals division, she was awarded a blue ribbon. Also receiving a blue

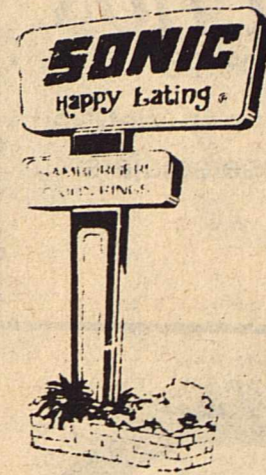
ribbon was Blake Adkins, who placed fifth in the Preteen Main Dish division.

Laura Chalk won a red ribbon for her entry in the Junior Main Dish division. Those winning white ribbons were Cleve T. Jones and Terry Duren - senior division, David Kemp - junior division, and Elaine Martinez - preteen division.

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PALM SUNDAY

March 30th - 6:45 pm Blessing Of Palms in Hall. Procession to Church followed by Mass at 7:00 pm.
March 31st - 8:00 am Bless Palms in Church followed by Mass (Spanish)
March 31st - 10:45 am Blessing of Palms in Hall. Procession to Church followed by Mass at 11:00 am (English)
April 1st (Monday) 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm Sacrament Of Reconciliation (Confessions)
April 2nd (Tuesday) Mass 7:00 pm (English) followed by Sacrament Of Reconciliation (Confessions) 7:30 pm to 8:30 pm.
April 3rd (Wednesday) 10:00 am to 11:00 am Sacrament Of Reconciliation (Confessions)
April 4th (Holy Thursday) 8:00 pm Mass Of The Lord's Supper (English & Spanish) Adoration Of Blessed Sacrament Continues until midnight.
April 5th (Good Friday) - 12:00 Noon Sonora Community Good Friday Service At St. Ann's Catholic Church (People Of All Faiths invited)
8:00 pm - Celebration of the Lord's Passion. Liturgy Of The Word, Veneration of the Cross, Holy Communion At St. Ann's (English & Spanish)
April 6th (Holy Saturday) 8:00 pm - Easter Vigil Night Watch Of The Resurrection - Service Of Light, Liturgy Of The Word, Liturgy Of Baptism and Confirmation, Liturgy Of Eucharist (English & Spanish) Service begins in Parking Lot At the site of Easter Fire.
April 7th 6:30 am - Easter Sunrise Services, Ritz Theater Parking Lot
11:00 am - Easter Sunday Mass, with Renewal Of Baptismal Promises (English)

Church of Christ Minister-Don Jones Bible School-10 a.m. Worship-11 a.m. Sunday night-6:30 p.m. Wednesday night 6:30 p.m.	First United Methodist Church David W. Griffin-Pastor Sunday School-9:45 a.m. Worship-10:55 a.m. KVRN 98 AM-11 a.m. Children's Choir-5 p.m. UMYF-6 p.m. Wed. Chancel Choir-7 p.m.	St. Ann's Catholic Church Rev. Bernard L. Gully Saturday Night Mass-7 p.m. English Sunday Mass-8 a.m., Spanish; 11 a.m., English Holy Day Mass-7 p.m.	Live Oak Baptist Church Jon Bratton - Pastor Sunday Morning Worship-10:30 p.m. Evening Worship-7 p.m. Wednesday Evening Services-7 p.m.
Primera Baptist Church Rev. Crescencio Rodriguez Sunday School-9:45 a.m. Worship-11 a.m. Training Union-6 p.m. Worship-7 p.m. WMC Wednesdays-1 p.m. Wed. Church Service-6 p.m.	Hope Lutheran Church Charles Hultman-Lay minister Sunday School-10 a.m. Worship Service-11 a.m. Wednesday Youth Classes-6 p.m. Adult Classes-7:30 p.m.	First Baptist Church Rev. Jim Stephen-Pastor Sunday School-9:45 a.m. Morning Worship-11 a.m. Church Training-6 p.m. Evening Worship-7 p.m. Wednesday Service-7 p.m.	St. John's Episcopal Church Sunday Holy Eucharist-8 a.m. Holy Eucharist-11 a.m. (2nd and 4th Sunday MP) Wednesday Holy Eucharist-7 p.m. Holy Days are announced Monte Jones, Rector
Jehovah's Witnesses Sunday Public Talk-10 a.m. Watchtower Study-10:50 a.m. Tuesday Theocratic School-7:30 p.m. Service Meeting-8:30 p.m. Thursday Bible Study-7:30 p.m.	Sonora Tabernacle United Pentecostal Rev. Kenneth Doyle, pastor Sunday School-10 a.m. Worship-11 a.m. Evening Worship-7:30 p.m. Wednesday Services-7:30 p.m.	The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian USA Rev. Rodney Sunday Church School-10 a.m. Fellowship-10:45 a.m. Worship Service-11 a.m. (Communion first Sunday of each month)	First Assembly of God Church Rev. Louis Halford Adult Bible Hour-9:30 a.m. Super Son Bible Hour-9:30 a.m. (Ages 2 to 12) What's Happening?-10:45 a.m. Morning Worship-11:00 a.m. L.I.F.E.-3:30 p.m. (ages 12-25) Evening Service-6:00 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study-7:00 p.m. Fri. nite Spanish service-7:30 p.m.

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Jewels & Gems

by John Tedford

Jewelry has been worn since pre-historic times by men and women of all cultures. Why? Usually for ornamentation, but also as a badge of social or official rank, and sometimes as emblems of a religious belief. Today, as ever, jewelry is important for its beauty, its long lasting quality, the sentiments it represents, and possibly, its symbolism as an extension of the "self".

Hint: Stones in rings should be checked for security twice a year.

I am John Tedford, and I welcome readers to this column. Together we will explore some little-known but interesting facts about jewelry, china, porcelain, precious metals, gemstones, art works-in short, the things of beauty which man can own and which, if held in proper perspective, can enhance the quality of his life.

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Police Report

The five officers of the Sonora Police Department logged a total of 246 hours between March 15 and March 21, 1985.

During this period of time there were no accidents reported. Officers issued 12 traffic citations, 3 warnings and three failure to appear complaints were issued. The breakdown of the traffic citations was as follows; speeding-8, one of which was in a school zone; expired license plate-1, no license plate-1; no liability insurance-2.

During this period of time officers made seven adult arrests: public intoxication-2; driving while intoxicated-1; burglary of a building-1; driving while license suspended-2; fugitive from justice-1.

City ordinances citations were issued for the following: City Code 5-29 (allowing dogs to stray)-4; City

Code 5-73 (dogs running loose without tags)-4.

During this period officers made the following calls: domestic disturbance-1; alarms-2; animals-7; assist motorist-9; house checks-61; miscellaneous-47; open doors-6; welfare assistance-3.

The Animal Control Officer logged 21 hours during this period, picking up three dogs, and one opossum. A notice of impoundment is posted each week at the Court House, City Hall and Big Tree Restaurant.

Texas Department of Public Safety (Drivers License Office) will be open on Monday April 1, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and closed during the noon hour.

Judge Martin's office is located at 304 N.E. Oak Street, and telephone number is 387-5237.

Funeral rites held for Floyd Ridley

Floyd Ridley, 75, of 2604 Palo Duro Drive in San Angelo, died Friday, March 8 in El Paso.

Funeral services were held at 11:30 a.m. Monday, March 11, in Johnson's Funeral Chapel with burial in the Miles cemetery under the direction of Johnson Funeral Home.

Ridley was born May 25, 1909 in Bandera. He moved to Sonora two years later with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Ridley.

While in Sonora, Ridley attended Sonora schools where he was a football player. Following graduation from Sonora High School he attended Howard Payne College in Brownwood for a while.

He was married to Lois Thomas December 24, 1934. He was a

prominent West Texas rancher in the Barnhart area. He was one of the early importer breeders of Charolais cattle in Texas. Ridley also drenched sheep in Crockett County for several years.

A 50 year member of the Masonic Lodge, Ridley retired in 1971 due to bad health.

Survivors include his wife, one sister-in-law, and several nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Pallbearers included his nephews: Tim Sellman, Lynn Ellis, Jim and Tom Tidwell, Bob McGuffin, and John Burns.

Honorary pallbearers were Bode, Buck and Tommy Clint Owens, Clyde Perry, and Steve and Mike Elkins.

David Earl Smith funeral services held

David Earl Smith, 69, of 2515 Glenwood, died at 11:15 a.m. Wednesday, March 20 in Shannon Hospital.

Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church in Sonora with the Rev. Clifton Hancock and the Rev. Edgar Tatum officiating. Masonic graveside services followed in Sonora Cemetery.

Smith was born February 5, 1916

in Sonora and was married to Rowena Doran, February 25, 1938 in Junction. He was a retired plumber and was a member of the First Baptist Church of Sonora.

Survivors include his wife; one daughter, Erline Skains of San Angelo; one son, Charlie Smith of Midland; five grandchildren; one great-grandchild; one brother, Louie Smith of San Angelo; and one sister, Mrs. Fred White of Tuscola.

SISD Board to meet

The Sonora Independent School District Board of Trustees will meet in regular session Tuesday, April 9 at 7 p.m.

The meeting will take place in the School Administration Building and is open to the public. The newly formed board will be in effect at that time.

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Table for Thursday 3/28/85, Sonora TX/RIVER NEWS 6850. Columns include CABLE PM, WFAA CH.8, CNN, SIN, SHOW, CBN, ESPN, KLST CH.8, KRBC CH.9, USA, WTBS, WGN, KERA CH.13. Rows show program schedules from 6:00 to 1:00.

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Broncos sweep own track meet

BY CHARLIE ADAMS

The Sonora Varsity Boys and Junior Varsity Boys track team came behind in the final two events to capture the championship trophies at the Bronco Relays here in Sonora this past weekend. It was a 1-2-3 Bronco finish in the 1600m. run led by senior Jose Escalante (4:29.97) that propelled the Broncos from a 17 point deficit to a six point lead going into the 1600m. relay.

The ultra important second and third places were captured by freshman Alex Duenes (4:57.12) and sophomore brother Ismael Duenes (4:57.26). This super effort combined with a second place finish in the 1600m. relay gave the Broncos a 140-138 victory over previously undefeated Colorado City.

In the junior varsity division it was a 1-3 finish in the 1600m. that put them ahead going into the relay event. Paul Badillo finished first and Eddie Perez finished third.

Other outstanding Bronco performances were Wayne Collins taking first in the discus with a toss of 143'7". Esau Ramirez second in the long jump with a jump of 20 ft. 1 inch. Jim Cooper third in the discus at 138' 5" and third in the shot put at 46' 1 1/2". Billy Collins second in the pole vault at 11' 6". Jose Escalante set a new record in the 3200m. in

9:50.42. Javier Galvan third in the 3200m. in 10:42.59 and Manuel Ramirez fourth in the 3200m. in 10:44.09. John David Martinez third in the 110m. high hurdles in 16.42. Richard Sanchez first in the 800m. in 2:04.28. Santiago Faz second in the 800m. in 2:05.44 and Manuel Duran fifth in 2:10.42. Esau Ramirez and Elias Torres combined for a 5-6 finish in the 400m. Doug Chandler was sixth in the 200m. The 400m. relay team of Torres, Duenes, Sanchez and Chandler were fourth and the 1600m. relay team of Ramirez, Sanchez, Toires and Duran were second at 3:33.00.

In the JV division Peter Perez was fifth in the long jump at 17'8 1/2". Thomas DeHoyos was fourth and Peter Perez sixth in the high jump. Shannon Rushing and Robert Harris were 1-2 in the pole vault. Mike Hooper was sixth in the discus at 94' 2". The 400m. relay team was fourth. Thomas DeHoyos and Rodney Haltom were 1-2 in the 110m. high hurdles. David Ramirez and Louie Gonzales were 1-4 in the 800m. Mike Fullen was fourth in both the 100m. and 200m. dash. David Ramirez was second in the 400m. and the 1600m. relay team was second.

The Bronco Fems completely crushed a small field as they amassed 206 points to completely dominate the girls division over runner-up Reagan Co., Eldorado and Ozona.

Outstanding performances for the Bronco Fems

showed Rachel Merck second in the Triple Jump at 30' 10 1/4", fourth in the long jump at 15' 1 3/4", second in the high jump at 4' 6", and sixth in the 100m. hurdles. Kate Mathews was third in the high jump and Julie Jackson fifth. Kathy Richter, Elsa Galindo and Bonnie Jackson were 2-3-4 in the discus and 4-3-1 in the shot putt. Alma Zapata and Lancy Love were 2-3 in the 3200m. The 400m. relay team was third.

Gina Heffernan held-off teammate Gayann Dobbs for a 1-2 finish in the 800m. Robbie Dickenson was fourth in the same race. Leah Evans and Mary Ann Rogers were 3-4 in the 100m. The 800m. relay team was fourth. Gayann Dobbs and Debbie Shannon were 1-2 in the 400m. Alicia Sanchez and Michelle McCleary were 3-6 in the 200m. Gina Heffernan and Robbie Dickenson were 1-2 in the 1600m. and the 1600m. relay team of Merck, Sanchez, Chavez and Dobbs were first in 4:28.25.

Congratulations Broncos on a super effort and victory.

The Sonora Broncos and their coaches would also like to say a great big "Thank You" to all the townspeople that helped work-in and put on the Bronco Relay and also the Colt Relays on Saturday.

Without your help it would be impossible to have such an excellent weekend of Track and Field.



CATHY DORAN

Cathy Doran places 3rd in pole bending

Cathy Doran, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Doran, has been notified by the American Jr. Quarter Horse Association that she and her horse, Runnin Grace, were third in the World for 1984 in Pole Bending.

This is quite an honor as youth all over the United States and Canada compete in Quarter Horse Shows for points.

Cathy has competed in Western Pleasure, Reining and Barrel Racing. She has also competed in the Open Reining, Open Barrel Racing and Open Working Cow Horse classes. The open classes are for participants of all ages.

Cathy has traveled throughout Texas and Oklahoma with her parents and her horse trainer, Jerry Kinsey of Corsicana. She has been very successful in winning points to qualify herself and her horse for the American Jr. Quarter Horse World Show of 1985 to be held in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Points accumulated from May 1, 1984 through April 31, 1985 qualify a member for the 1985 World Show. You must be in the top 10 in the nation or the top 2 in your state to be invited to this show.

Cathy, who is a senior at Sonora High School, has represented Sonora well. She is Secretary of the SHS Student Council, a member of Who's Who of American High School Students, received the 4-H Gold Star Award and is the 1984 4-H Sweetheart.

She is also a member of the AJRA, National High School Rodeo Association, AJQHA and Texas Jr. Quarter Horse Association. As a member of the West Texas Quarter Horse Association, Cathy was first in Barrel Racing and 2nd in Pole Bending for the year 1984.

Cathy plans to attend Tarleton State College in Stephenville next year and to continue her horse related activities. She will travel this summer with her horse trainer and other youth to gain points for the 1986 World Show.

City to enforce junk vehicle ordinance

Enforcement of the City of Sonora's "Junk Vehicle" Ordinance has begun here, according to officials of the Sonora Police Department.

The Ordinance, enacted in 1970 allows the city to issue an abatement order and file complaints on persons keeping junked vehicles inside the city limits.

When a vehicle defined as "junked" or "abandoned" under the ordinance is spotted, it will be marked with a red tag.

When a junked vehicle is tagged the owner has a period of 10 days in which to remove the vehicle or file a request for a hearing before the City Council.

If the vehicle is not removed before the end of the ten days, the owner becomes liable for a fine not to exceed \$200. Each day after the 10th day constitutes a separate offense so fines could in effect amount to \$200 per day.

After 10 days, owners of junked vehicles will receive a certified letter informing them of the city's intent to

impound the vehicle. Once the vehicle is impounded, the owner will become liable for impoundment and storage fees in addition to the accumulated fines before the vehicle can be reclaimed.

Vehicles impounded and unclaimed after 45 days will be auctioned off by the city.

A junked vehicle is defined in the ordinance as one which does not have both valid Texas license plates and valid Texas Department of Motor Vehicles Inspection Sticker, and which is wrecked, entirely or partially dismantled, inoperable, discarded, or remains inoperable for a continuous period of time of more than one hundred and twenty (120) days.

Under the terms of this ordinance, such vehicles are deemed a public nuisance and it shall be unlawful for any person to cause or maintain such a public nuisance by wrecking, dismantling, partially dismantling, rendering inoperable, or discarding any motor vehicle on the real property of another, or to suffer, permit or

allow any junked motor vehicle to be parked, left or maintained on his own real property, provided that this section shall not apply with regard to:

(1.) A vehicle or part thereof which is completely enclosed within a building in a lawful manner where it is not visible from the street or other public or private property; or

(2.) A vehicle or part thereof which is stored or parked in a lawful manner on private property in connection with the business of a licensed vehicle dealer or a junk yard; or

(3.) unlicensed, operable, or inoperable antique and special interest vehicles stored by a collector on his property, provided, that the vehicles and the outdoor storage are maintained in such a manner that they do not constitute a health hazard and are screened from ordinary public view by means of a fence, rapidly growing trees, shrubbery, or other appropriate means.

Sonora receives \$25,670.45

Sonora received a \$25,670.45 check last week from State Comptroller Bob Bullock who sent checks totaling \$68.8 million in local tax payments to the 991 cities that levy one percent local sales tax.

This amount sent to Sonora was \$10,214.14 over the payment for the same period in 1984. The year-to-date total of \$62,331.53 is up 9.53 percent over 1984's year-to-date for the same period.

Eldorado's year-to-date total is up 9.16 percent over last year. The check Eldorado received last week was for \$3,353.32, \$1,014.52 over 1984 for the same period.

Overall the checks sent by Bullock represented large increases over city payments made last March, but Bullock warned that the increases resulted from the way the city money was processed and did not necessarily indicate anything about the economy.

"Simply, in January several really large national corporations paid late and their money is included in the March checks," Bullock said.

Houston's check was the largest—\$11.7 million—and represented 17 percent of total payments. Allocations to Houston in 1985 total \$39.4 million. Dallas received \$8.8 million to bring this year's checks to \$29.2 million. San Antonio's payment of \$4.2 million increased 1985 payments to \$14.2 million.

Austin received \$3.4 million to push this year's total to \$11 million. Fort Worth's March check was for \$2.6 million and a total \$8.4 million so far in 1985. El Paso's payment was \$1.6 million bringing total payments this year to \$5.4 million.

Bullock also sent checks totaling \$28.1 million to the state's four Metropolitan Transit Authorities. Houston's MTA check of \$13.6 million brought total payments this year to \$45.5 million. Dallas' DART received \$11.5 million for 1985 payments of \$38.8 million. San Antonio's VIA payment of \$2.3 million pushed this year's total to \$7.8 million and Fort Worth Transit Authority's check for \$612,172 brought its total to \$1.9 million.

March checks represent taxes collected on sales made in January and reported to the Comptroller by February 20.

Deadline for insurance near

March 31 is the last day to apply for Crop Insurance for Grain Sorghum in Sutton County, according to Dottie Sampley, a representative of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation (FCIC).

Crop insurance covers unavoidable loss of production resulting from adverse weather conditions, wildlife, earthquake, or fire.

"Three coverage levels (50, 65, or 75 percent) are available for insurance protection. Additionally, FCIC offers three optional price elections for valuing production lost or damaged," says Sampley.

A new Crop Insurance plan, called Actual Production History (APH), is available this year to producers of

corn, grain sorghum, peanuts, cotton, and rice. Producers of these crops may now qualify for higher yield guarantees by proving their yield history. Rates have been developed to offer reduced premium for producers with above-average yields. "This change could sharply reduce the cost of carrying Crop Insurance," says Sampley.

To find out more about the APH plan, producers should contact a local, authorized agent. To select an agent, producers may check the list of agents at their local ASCS office. March 31 is the final deadline for applications.

Poetry competition set

The Ashland Poetry Club is sponsoring its Second Annual Poetry Competition, open to all poets. Four prizes are being offered: Grand Prize is \$200, First Prize is \$100, Second Prize is \$50, and Third Prize is \$25. Total prize value is \$375.

"We are a small poetry group, from a small town," says Contest

Chairperson, Julie Cameron. "But our sights are big. We expect our contest to result in the discovery of wonderful, new poets—poets who may have never entered a contest before!"

Poems of all styles and on all subjects are eligible to compete. For a list of rules and prizes send to, Ashland Poetry Club, 477 Rock Street, Ashland, Oregon 97520.

Public Notice

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company has filed a tariff with the Public Utility Commission of Texas to introduce a new service offering called ESSX-400 and to limit all rate plans for Centrex services to existing customers.

Rate plans for all Centrex services, as provided in this tariff, are applicable only to customers with service as of the effective date of this tariff. Centrex customers will be able to expand existing systems and enhancements will continue to be provided. The net effect of this tariff would be no change in total billing for Centrex customers.

The Commission has assigned this matter to Docket 6146. A prehearing to discuss the proposed change is scheduled at 9:30 a.m., Wednesday, April 17, 1985, in the Commission offices at 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard in Austin, Texas.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.



Aviso Público

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company anuncia a los usuarios que ha registrado una tarifa ante la Comisión de Servicios Públicos de Texas, con el fin de introducir un nuevo servicio denominado ESSX-400 y de limitar todo plan tarifario para servicios Centrex a los usuarios actuales.

Los planes tarifarios para todos los servicios Centrex, según dispone dicha tarifa, corresponden solamente para los usuarios que tengan servicio a partir de la fecha de vigencia de dicha tarifa. Los usuarios de Centrex podrán expandir sus sistemas actuales, y se seguirán proporcionando mejoras. El efecto real de esta tarifa no constituirá ningún cambio en la facturación total de los usuarios de Centrex.

La Comisión ha registrado este asunto bajo el Docket 6146. A fin de discutir el cambio propuesto, se realizará una preaudiencia el miércoles 17 de abril de 1985, a las 9:30 de la mañana, en las oficinas de la Comisión, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, en Austin, Texas.

Toda persona que desee intervenir o participar en el presente 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 Boulevard, 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 personas con impedimentos de audición.

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7th & 8th grade track results

The Sonora seventh grade boys track team placed second in the Cub Relays scoring 145 points compared to Crane's 155 points. The only first places came in the pole vault and the 1200 meter run.

The high point men for the Sonora team were Keith Wallace and Juan Ramirez with 22 points each.

The final results were:

RUNNING EVENTS
 400 m. Relay - 3rd Todd Keller, Keith Wallace, Chacho Cahill, Juan Ramirez; 600 m. run - 2nd Jake Kimbrel; 3rd Abel McGee; 4th Jason Donaldson; 110 m. int. Hurdles - 2nd Bruce Morgan; 100 m. dash - 3rd Juan Ramirez; 300 m dash - 3rd Keith Wallace; 4th Abel Gamez; 200 m Low Hurdles - 6th Abel McGee; 200 m. dash - 4th Tracy Love; 1200 m. run - 1st Jake Kimbrel; 2nd Jason Donaldson; 3rd Abel McGee; and 1200 m. Relay - 2nd Keith Wallace, Chacho Cahill, Tracy Love, Juan Ramirez.

FIELD EVENTS
 Shot put - 5th Sammy Sentena; discus - 4th Lingo Sanford; 6th Keith Wallace; high jump - 2nd Keith Wallace; 3rd Juan Ramirez; 5th Jason Taylor; pole vault - 1st Todd Keller; tied 3rd Jason Donaldson; and long jump - 2nd Juan Ramirez; 4th Todd Keller.

7th grade girls track results from Ozona are:

FIELD EVENTS

Shot put - 1st Valeri Perez, 5th Johnette Yarborough; discus - 1. Valerie Perez, 5th Tammi Adams; high jump - 1st Christi Adkins, 4th Deborah Harris, 6th Nikki Ritz; long jump - 2nd Deborah Harris, 4th Christi Adkins; and triple jump 6th Abby Samaniego.

RUNNING EVENTS

400 m. relay - 4th Ladonna Snyder, Donna Person, Valerie Perez, Christi Adkins; 600 m dash - 5th Lorena Coronado; 100 m. dash - 3rd Valerie Perez; 800 m relay - 3rd Ladonna Snyder, Sheryl Wallace, Deborah Harris, Christi Adkins; 300 m. dash - 1st Deborah Harris, 2nd Leticia Chavez; 200 m. dash - 5th Ladonna Snyder; 1200 m run - 4th Lorena Coronado; 1200 m. relay - 2nd Sheryl Wallace, Vonna Pierson, Donna Pierson, Leticia Chavez.

The team came in third with 120 points.

The eighth grade girls track results in Ozona were:

RUNNING EVENTS

1200 meter relay - 3rd Kay Williams, Michelle Perez, Wheless Baker and Michelle Villanueva; 400 meter relay - 3rd Kim Cooke, Wheless Baker, Mitzi Joy, and Anna Balch; 200 meter dash - 1st Kay Williams; 100 meter dash - 2nd Wheless Baker; 1200 meter run - 6th Norma Ramirez; 600

meter run - 4th Mitzi Joy, 100 meter dash - 1st Wheless Baker and 6th Kim Cooke.

300 meter dash - 5th Mitzi Joy and 6th Brandi Ware; and 800 meter relay - 3rd Kim Cooke, Lisa Martinez, Jennifer Ivy, and Kay Williams.

FIELD EVENTS

Discus - 5th Monica Garza; triple jump - 4th Kay Williams; long jump - 3rd Kay Williams; high jump; 2nd Jennifer Ivy.

The Sonora Eighth Grade Boys placed fourth in last weeks Cub Relays at Ozona. The following boys placed in the meet:

RUNNING EVENTS

110 intermediate hurdles - 5th Michael Todd, 6th Melvin Yarborough; 600 meter dash - 6th Eddie Virgen; 300 meter dash - 4th Jimmy Keese; 200 meter low hurdles - 2nd Melvin Yarborough and 4th Michael Todd; 200 meter dash - 6th Ersmo Perez; 1200 meter dash - 6th Eddie Virgen.

FIELD EVENTS

Pole vault - 2nd Trey Rushing, 3rd Robert Harris; high jump - 5th Michael Todd, 6th Ben Cayce; long jump - 5th Jimmy Keese, 6th Ben Cayce; discus - 1st Melvin Yarborough, 6th Kevin Richter and shot put - 1st Melvin Yarborough, 5th Kevin Richter.



JACK WARD

Happy Birthday

Jack Ward!

Jack Ward was honored Friday, March 22 on his 84th birthday by employees and participants at the Sutton County Senior Center.

Ward was born in Buda or Onion Creek - March 22, 1910. He was employed as a school teacher and last taught at Gouldbusk in Coleman County for nine years. Before that he taught in Burtroom for five years and in Liberty Hill for one year.

Jack moved to Sonora 36 years ago to work in the Brushy Top Liquor Store.

He is one of the most recognized people in Sonora due to his daily walks around town.

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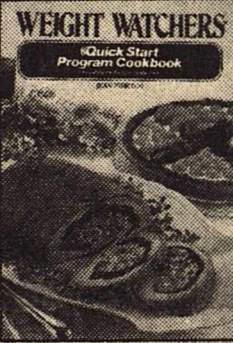
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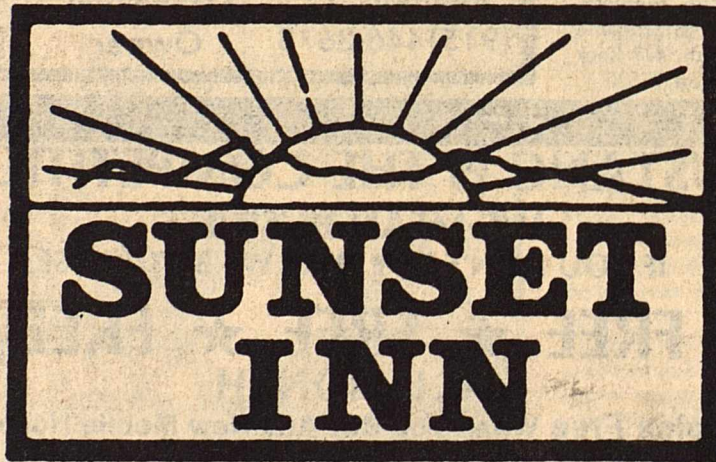
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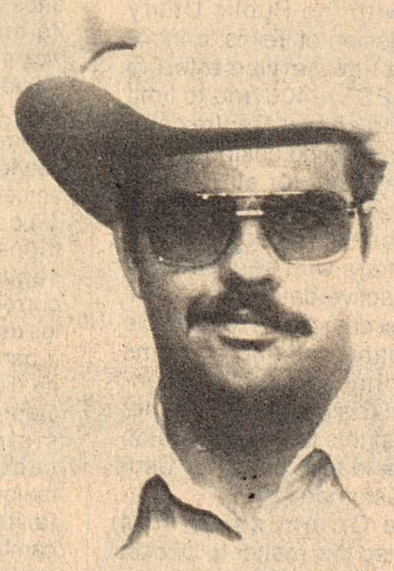
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Law requires rabies vaccination

Editor's Note: The following article was made possible by the use of several pamphlets given to me by Patil Strach D.V.M. of Sonora. We hope that the article will help make pet owners more aware of the need for proper inoculations of their animals.

BY CAROL JONES

In past issues of *The Devil's River News*, the importance of rabies has been strongly emphasized, as well as the importance of following the city ordinances on leash laws. Citizens were also encouraged to report violators.

I want to emphasize the importance of other inoculations as well this week.

Dogs and cats have been part of our lives since before recorded history. They give us companionship, status, affection, a sense of responsibility, and protection. They work for us, participate in our recreational activities, and keep us in contact with nature.

However, too often dogs also give us noise, bites and

other injuries, diseases, unwanted puppies and kittens, and scattered garbage.

Whether pets are enjoyable members of our communities or undesirable nuisances depends almost entirely on our attitudes as pet owners.

Dogs and cats that are not always restricted to their owner's premises are the ones that trip over garbage cans, get into fights, chase children on bicycles, harass adults walking or jogging, and get killed by cars and trucks.

Back to the rabies and how to control the outbreaks. Things to be aware of are bold, friendly or apparently tame "wild" animals; night animals that are seen in the daytime such as skunks and foxes; and pets that have difficulty walking, eating, or drinking.

Also remember that man as well as any other warm-blooded animals are susceptible to rabies and each case is almost invariably fatal.

The disease can be transmitted by an infected

animal's biting or licking, and the virus enters the victim's body through a break in the skin, or rarely, through mucous membranes in the eyes, nose or throat.

According to one brochure, "Rabies...and how it can be controlled", rabies occur in all seasons and in all sections of the country, contrary to popular belief.

The pamphlet also lists other signs to watch out for in suspecting rabies. Those include signs of excitement or viciousness in normally quiet animals; animals that tear at or scratch an old wound until it bleeds; cattle that "strain" for long periods; and bats that are unable to fly.

In the early stages for a rabid animal, the personality of the pet may change. A normally friendly dog may stay alone, another may begin to seek more attention. Some animals scratch at the place the virus entered their bodies.

Dogs need daily exercise. The Sonora Code allows for a dog to be walked on a leash and a daily walk quietly at heel on a loose leash.

A brochure published by the Ralston Purina Company entitled "On Being a Good Pet Neighbor" gives a few "do's and don'ts" of dog ownership.

Do teach your dog to be obedient and well-behaved; walk your dog on a leash and curb your dog when necessary; teach your dog to stay in your yard; train your dog to stay quietly within his quarters while you are away; train your dog to walk quietly at heel on a loose leash; have your dog properly licensed and vaccinated against diseases; take your dog to the veterinarian at least once a year for a vaccination and a checkup—a healthy dog makes a good pet neighbor; and spay your female, unless you plan to selectively breed her.

Don't let your dog roam the neighborhood; let your dog bark excessively; let your dog soil your neighbor's lawn or gardens; let your leashed dog jump on passer-by.

Several infectious diseases and their prevention include canine distemper, which is a universal viral infection which does not require direct bodily contact for transmission among dogs. With today's large pet population, nearly every dog will be exposed to CD virus at some time during its life.

In the 1970's, scientists identified an interesting phenomenon: A dog's immune system cannot distinguish between canine distemper virus and human measles virus stimulates immunity to CD.

Another infectious disease in dogs is canine parvovirus which made its worldwide appearance in the summer of 1978. Since that time much has been learned about parvovirus (CPV) infection. It is generally transmitted through direct contact with an infected dog's feces, CPV is highly contagious to other organisms.

In a concerted effort to develop a vaccine against previously-unknown CPV, researchers in 1978 discover-

ed resemblances between canine parvovirus and feline panleukopenia virus both inactivated and modified live CPV vaccines are widely available and provide safe, effective protection.

Infectious tracheoepithelitis, also known as "canine cough" is an inflammation of a dog's trachea, bronchi and bronchioles. Characterized by coughing, tracheo-bronchitis is primarily attributed to two viruses: canine parainfluenza (CPI) and canine adenovirus type 2 (CAV-2).

CIP is highly virus which causes tiny hemorrhages in the lungs, and injures the surface of the bronchi and bronchioles.

CAV-2 is somewhat similar to parainfluenza in that it also causes respiratory organ injury which may be complicated by secondary bacterial and viral involvement. Extensive lung damage leading to pneumonia may follow.

Protection against the major tracheobronchial pathogens is possible with vaccines for prevention of CIP and CAV-2. Vaccination against these viral agents results in reduced susceptibility to significant secondary infection as well.

Infectious canine hepatitis (ICH) is a contagious, viral disease spread primarily by virus shed in an infected dog's urine. With signs varying from slight fever to fatal illness, ICH affects dogs of all ages and may cause sudden death in puppies. In adult dogs, symptoms if ICH typically are quite similar to canine distemper and infection with both ICH and CD may occur.

The pathogen responsible for infectious canine hepatitis is canine adenovirus type 1 (CAV-2). For many years modified live CAV-2 vaccines have offered protection against ICH. In recent years, a new generation of vaccine—canine adenovirus type 2 has been introduced.

A disease of animals and man, leptospirosis is caused by infection with *Leptospira* bacteria. Leptospires may enter a dog's body through the mouth and nose, cuts scrapes or even unbroken skin. Localized in the kidneys of dogs which have been acutely infected, leptospires may be shed in the urine for months or years, thus contaminating water, the primary transmission vector. While many leptospires infections are mild or asymptomatic, progressive inflammation of the kidneys may result. Dogs so affected may die long after clinical illness has subsided.

Because of the potential severity of infection with *Leptospira*, annual revaccination is recommended.

Prevention is always superior to treatment as a means of controlling disease. Preventive vaccination is less expensive than treatment, avoids suffering and disability, and limits disease transmission. However, vaccine is not effective against a disease that is already present, or in animals that are incubating disease but have not begun to show signs.

'84 deer season ranks high

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department has released the final results of the 1984 white-tailed deer season. The data from the survey indicates that 1984 ranked as one of the best on record in Texas.

Superlatives included the highest total harvest since statewide surveys were initiated in 1972; the largest harvest of antlerless deer on record; the best hunter success rate and most hunter-days; and the highest pre-season deer population estimate.

"We anticipated a good season early last fall when our population estimate indicated the deer population was nearing 4 million," said assistant deer program leader Mike Reagan. "The season turned out even better than we expected, especially in terms of the antlerless deer harvest."

Reagan said the total estimated

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harvest of 373,262, which exceeded the previous year by 17 percent, included more than 108,000 antlerless deer. "This is about 10,000 more antlerless deer than any other hunting season," said Reagan.

Antlerless deer made up 29 percent of the harvest, accounting in large part for the record total since the buck harvest of 265,041 actually was not an all-time record, Reagan explained.

An estimated 552,000 hunters took advantage of the high deer

population and favorable range conditions to achieve a 54 percent success rate, spending four million hunter-days in the field.

Reagan said although the antlerless harvest figures indicate progress, he feels this segment of the harvest should be increased further to help control deer populations which remain too high in most regions of the state. "I would like to see the antlerless harvest roughly equal the buck totals," he said.

Reagan said the harvest increased over the previous year in every major ecological region of the state except South Texas, where the 65,720 total was down two percent. The harvest totals in the other regions and percentage increases were: East Texas Pineywoods, 50,646 (31 percent); Post Oak Savannah, 44,976 (27 percent); Cross Timbers, 29,971 (23 percent); and the Edwards Plateau, 163,563 (20 percent).

OTHER SPECIES

The harvest of turkeys in Texas during the 1984-85 season was not as spectacular, with an estimated 34,396 birds being about eight percent above the year before but well below 1981-82 levels. The Edwards Plateau still ranks as the largest producer of turkeys, with 18,630 taken during the season for an increase of 13 percent over 1983-84.

The harvest of mule deer in West Texas increased somewhat, at 4,411 animals, but it remains below historic levels. Success rate for mule deer hunters was 38 percent. Hunters also harvested an estimated 20,636 javelina, for a success rate of 43 percent.

SPRING TURKEY SEASON

Prospects are good for the upcoming spring turkey gobbler hunting season in Texas, despite a lower than normal hatch during 1984.

George Litton, regional wildlife director for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department at Waco said good numbers of mature birds hatched prior to 1984 should make the season a fairly successful one for spring hunters.

The spring season is being offered in all or portions of 158 counties, with most hunting activity traditionally occurring in the Edwards Plateau and West Texas.

The limit in all counties is one gobbler per hunter per season. Litton pointed out that a two-gobbler spring limit has been proposed for the 1986 spring season, but this year the limit will remain at one gobbler.

The spring turkey season is April 13-28 in most of the state, with exception of portions of five East Texas counties where eastern-strain turkeys have been successfully reintroduced. The season in those areas is March 30 through April 14.

Litton said range conditions are excellent in virtually all the state's turkey range this year. "There is plenty of ground moisture and an abundance of weeds and other food items for turkeys," said Litton. "It's too early to make predictions, but if weather conditions don't change drastically we could have a very good turkey hatch this spring."

The spring turkey season is timed to offer hunters the opportunity to harvest surplus gobblers without interfering with the birds' nesting activities.

In East Texas where the eastern strain of wild turkey has been reintroduced, the birds had an excellent production year in 1984, according to biologist Gary Spencer of Jasper. "The eastern birds are opposite from the Rio Grande turkey found in the rest of the state," Spencer noted. "Eastern turkeys do their best nesting during dry spring seasons, and that's what we had in 1984."

Spencer said restoration of eastern turkeys is slow process, but populations have grown steadily since the program started in 1979.

A spring season is authorized this year for portions of Newton, Jasper, Tyler, Polk, and Trinity Counties. Spencer said the boundaries of the areas offering the season are listed in the department's 1984-85 Texas Hunting Guide, available at TPAWD offices and hunting license outlets across the state.

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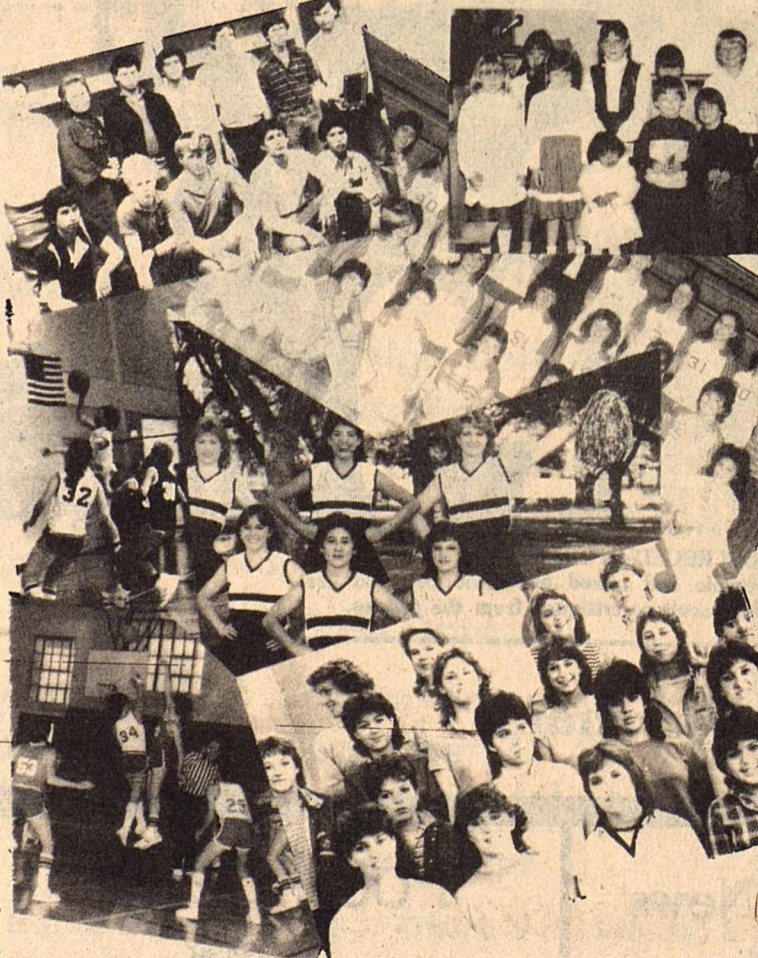
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 Golf-Big Lake

Art show winners announced

An art show was held during open house Thursday, March 14, for High School and Junior High students. In the sixth grade places were as follows: 1st Jason Jones, 2nd George Garcia, 3rd Joey Dunlap, 4th Marey Adams, 5th Minday Sanchez, and 6th Bridgette Scott. The 7th grade places were as follows: 1st Dannielle Ritz, 2nd Lulu Coronado, 3rd Carl Vargas, 4th Nicole Ritz, 5th Robin Kinney and 6th Carl Speers.

The 8th grade places were as follows: 1st Andy Galindo, 2nd Skitter Hulsey, 3rd Amanda Covey, 4th Anna Mesa, 5th Becky Spiller, and 6th Jody Hobbs.

The High School results were as follows: 1st Rebecca Coronado, 2nd Lee Castro, 3rd Zeke Ramos, 4th Tony McGon, 5th Ruben Garza, and tying for 6th were Javier Garcia and Sonny Samaniego.

Conservation Contest Winners are as follows: 6th grade
 1st Maria Gomez
 2nd Karl Owings
 3rd Melissa Sanchez
 7th Grade
 1st Dannielle Ritz

2nd Robin Kinney
 3rd Benjamin Marshall

2nd Cleto Coronado
 3rd Manuel Villanueva

2nd Milton Castilleja
 3rd Javier Galvan
 Winners in the Special Ed. division were as follows:
 1st-Clifford Smith
 2nd-Freddie Herrera
 3rd-Elsa Trevino

8th Grade
 Grand Prize-Andy Galindo
 1st Jody Hobbs

High School
 Grand Prize-Primo Gonzales
 1st Kelle Taylor

Golfers bring back trophy

The Sonora High School Golf team traveled to Junction last Tuesday and the team as a whole shot a 359 and brought back a second place trophy.

Two of Sonora's top golfers were Mario Sotelo and Jessie Paredes. Mario was a third place medalist shooting an 83. Jessie shot an 86.

The SHS golf team will be traveling to Llano on March 29.

UIL holiday Friday

Friday is a student holiday from school, although the District 7-AAA tennis tournament will be on tap for Friday, and the University Interscholastic League Literary meet will be Saturday in San Angelo.

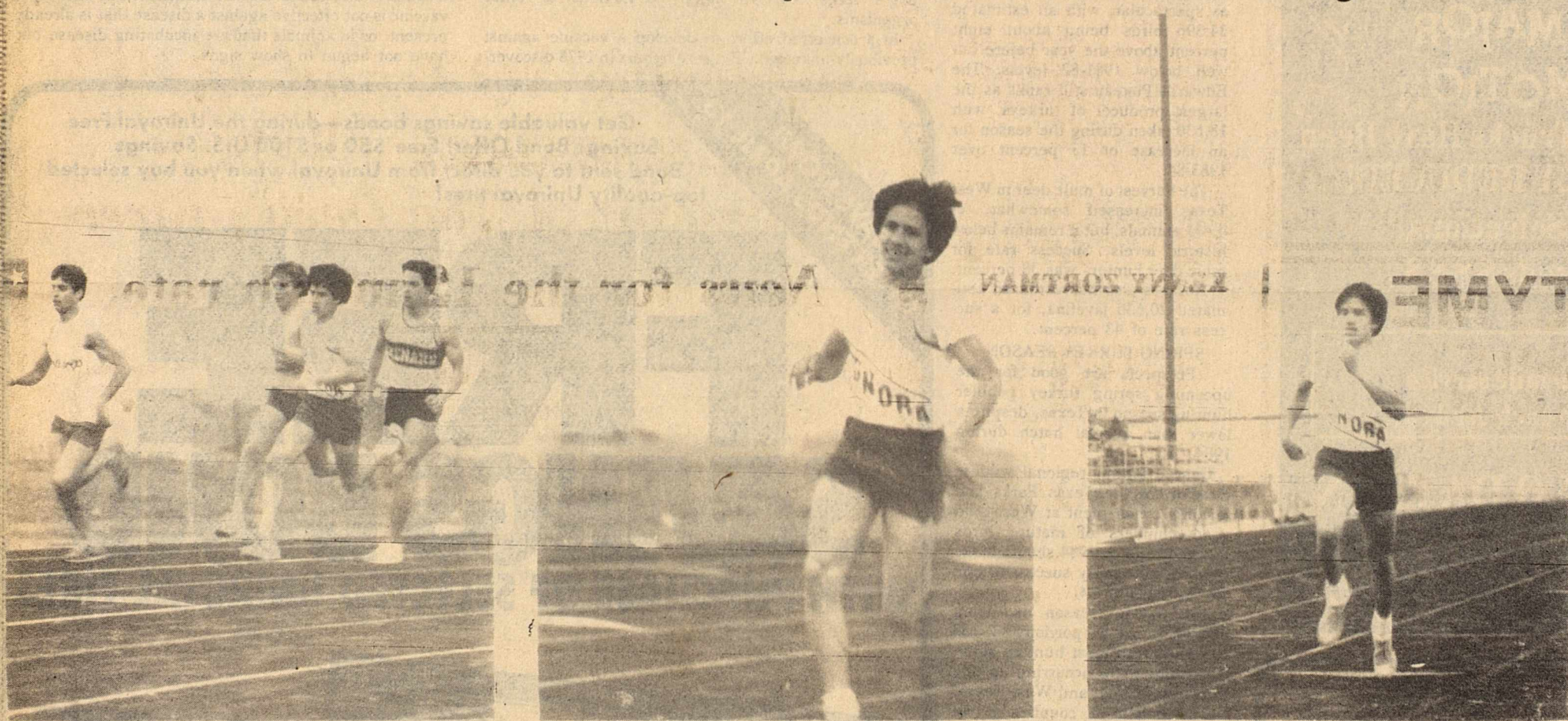
UIL district meet Saturday

The District 7-AAA University Interscholastic League literary meet will be Saturday at Angelo State University in San Angelo.

All events will have at least one participant from Sonora. Other schools in the district, besides Sonora are Crane, Ozona, Ballinger, Coahoma and Colorado City.



Track photo essay



SANCHEZ TAKES

A VICTORY

During a recent track meet, Ricardo Sanchez displays his running ability in the 800 m. dash. In the far left photo Sanchez is rounding the corner of the first 400 m. In which the race is still a close one. But by the center photo, Sanchez has gained a sizeable lead on the rest of the field. And the last photo shows him crossing the finish line victorious. Sanchez has won this race in all four track meets and will be going for gold medal number five in the San Angelo Relays this Friday and Saturday.

Caballo Diabolo

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Choir wins honors in UIL competition

During the Spring Break, the Sonora High School Choir participated in UIL Solo and Ensemble competition in Brownwood.

The Girls Ensemble and Mixed Ensemble both placed 1st division ratings with excellent critiques from both judges.

Many Soloists participated in the competition. Those placing 1st on Class I Solos are eligible for further competition and include: Kristin Keel, Cindy Gomez, Shellie Lykins, Scott Miller, Edward Mata, Teri Williams, and Rachel Chavez.

Those placing second on a Class I solo were: Cara Adams, Michelle Adams, Lori Balas, Courtney Cauthorn, Peter Chavez, Robbie Dickenson, Yvonne Gamez, Glen Love, Prissy Samaniego, Shaumarie Scoggins, Shannon Scott, and Rachel Stephen.

All of these students are to be congratulated on their hard work.

Thursday, March 28, the Girls Choir and Mixed Choir will be competing in Stephenville during the Concert and Sightreading Competition. The students are under the direction of Mrs. Bevely Caldwell, assisted by Mrs. Bridgette Griffin.

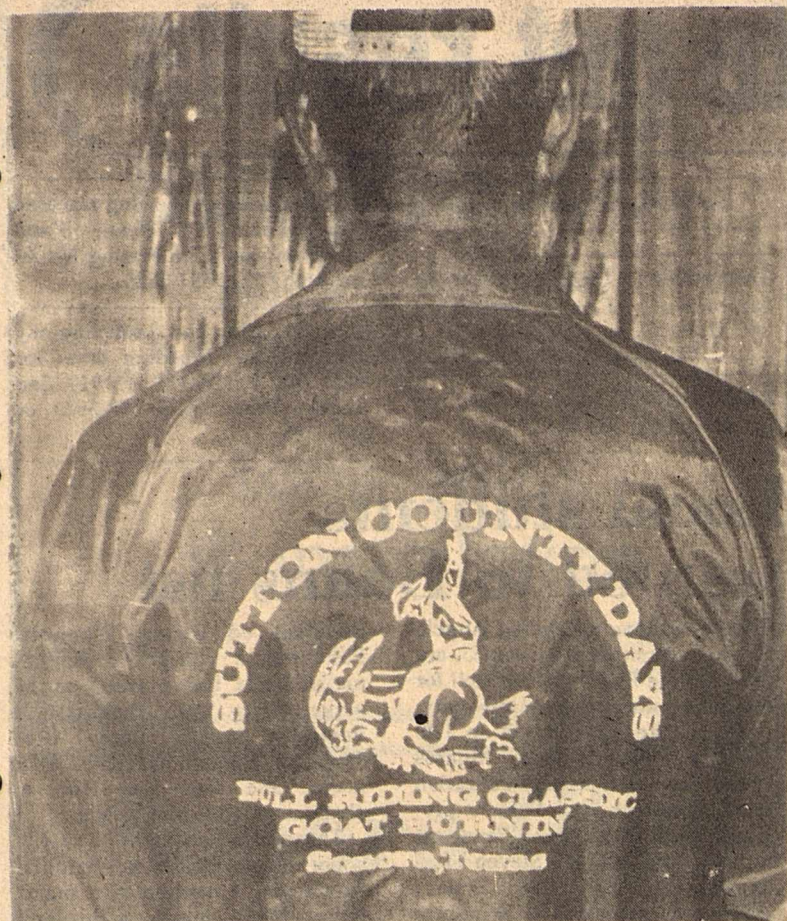


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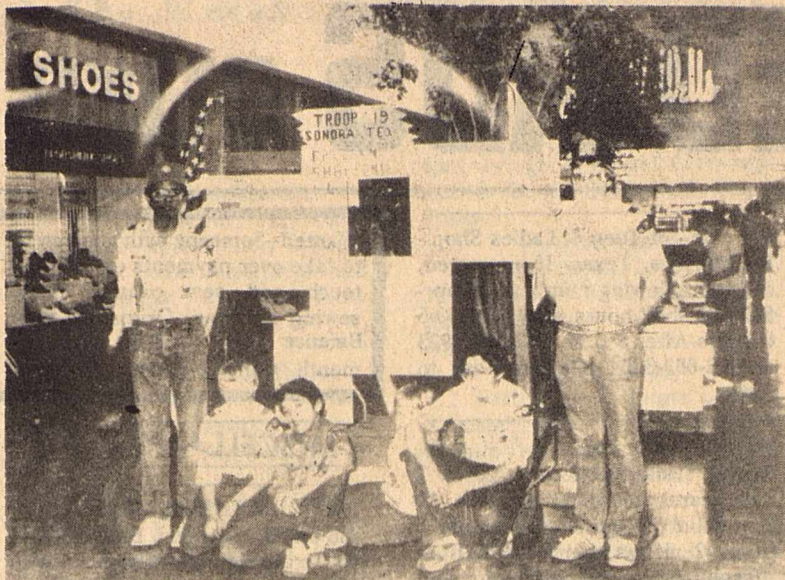
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Sonora Scouts at Mall Show

Troop 19 receives 2nd for skill display

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KENNY ZORTMAN

The troop also offered to customers of the Mall a chance to sharpen their knives.

The troop received second place on their skill display.

Kenny Zortman, son of Mr. & Mrs. Ken Zortman, received third place in the nine year old division in the Pinewood Derby Race.

The District Pinewood Derby Race was also held in conjunction with the Mall Show. This event is for Cub Scouts.

The boys design their own cars from a block of pinewood and enter it in the race.

Boys participating in the event were: 8 year olds - Peter Noriega and Marcus Reed; 9 year olds - Adam Mirike, Kenny Zortman and Brian Rogers; 10 year olds - Wesley Griffin, Jared Brosig and Harvey Badillo.

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Those listed on the 3.00 to 3.49 honor roll include Mary Mijares Perez, an elementary education major, Deborah Gail Pohl, a pre-engineering major; Jane Penalver, a business major; Steven Ray Martin, an undecided major; Eugene B. Gonzales, a computer science major; Annabelle T. Gonzales, a health and physical ed major; Vicki Lynne DeMarco, a computer science major; Jessica Janice Robledo, a health and

physical ed major; Nannette Sanchez, a computer science major; Julie Lynn Martin, an art major; Tracy Lynn Thompson, a business major; Larry Glen Jennings, a health and physical ed major; and Kari Kay Hill, an elementary education major.

Those listed on the 3.50 to 4.00 honor roll include Chase Wightman Snodgrass, a mathematics major; Kerry Mark Jones, a business major; Cheryl Ann Dunn, a computer science major; Marney Keith Sorenson, a chemistry major; and Nancy Jo Benson, an undecided major.

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Sixth Grade Social Studies
 1. Tate Fincher, 2. Tana Churchill, 3. April Spiller, 4. Betsy Knight, 5. Ector Castilleja and Trine Sentena, and 6. Vicky Anderson.

Seventh Grade Texas History
 1. Donnie Weaver, 2. Christie Adkins, 3. Juan Ramirez, 4. Chris James, 5. Sallie Merrill, and 6. Luis Lira.

Eighth Grade American History
 Michelle Perez, 2. Daymon Skains, 3. Lisa Martinez, 4. Kevin Richter, 5. Ginger Landon, and 6. Clay Graves.

Sutton County History
 1. Karl Owings and 2. Jake Kimbrel.
 Science Fair Awards were given to:

Sixth Grade
 1. Julie Adams, 2. Vicky Anderson, 3. Nicole Ducioame, 4. Karl Owings, 5. Russell Crenwelge and 6. Lewis Baker and Blayze Sykes.

Seventh Grade
 1. Chacho Cahill, 2. Tracy Love, 3. Todd Keller, 4. Kristi Lykins, 5. Raina Newbury and 6. Fernie Jimenez.

Eighth Grade
 1. Brad Pohl, 2. Jinger Landon, 3. Jesse Lynch, 4. Cleve Jones, 5. Jennifer Ivy, and 6. Kanda Kropp.

Math Awards went to:
 Posters
 1. Brad Morgan, 2. Jeremy Gibson, 3. Michelle McEwen, 4. Brad Pohl, 5. Hal Snider, 6. Clay Graves and Anna Balch.

String Art
 1. Jesse Lynch, 2. Erasmo Perez, 3. Decky Spiller, 4. Wheelless Baker, 5. Blake Trainer, and 6. Kanda Kropp, Cleve Jones, and Mirta Faz.

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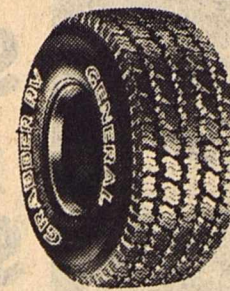


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March 2	Junction	Junction	Junction
March 9	Eldorado	Eldorado	Eldorado
March 16	Wall	Wall	Wall
March 22	Sonora	Sonora	Sonora
March 29, 30	San Angelo		Ozona
March 30		Ozona	Iraan
April 6	Brady	Brady	Colorado City
April 13	Colorado City	Colorado City	Sonora
April 19	Sonora	Sonora	



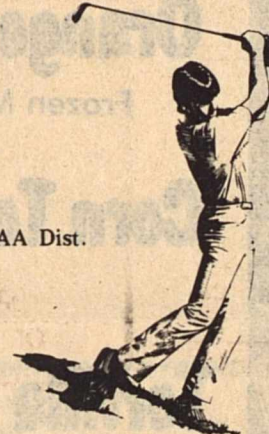
Tennis Schedule

DATE	DESCRIPTION	SITE	TIME
March 5th	Dual Eldorado	Sonora	4 p.m.
8-9th	Tournament	Mason	8:30 a.m.
9th	Tournament J.V.	Iraan	4 p.m.
12th	Dual Ozona	Sonora	8:30 a.m.
15-16	Tournament	Big Lake	4 p.m.
19th	Dual Eldorado	Eldorado	9 a.m.
23-25	Tournament	Kerville	
29-30	Tournament	Sonora	5 p.m.
April 2nd	Dual Big Lake	Sonora	4:30 p.m.
11th	Dual Big Lake	Big Lake	5 p.m.
19-20	District Varsity	Sonora	
29th	Regional	Odessa	

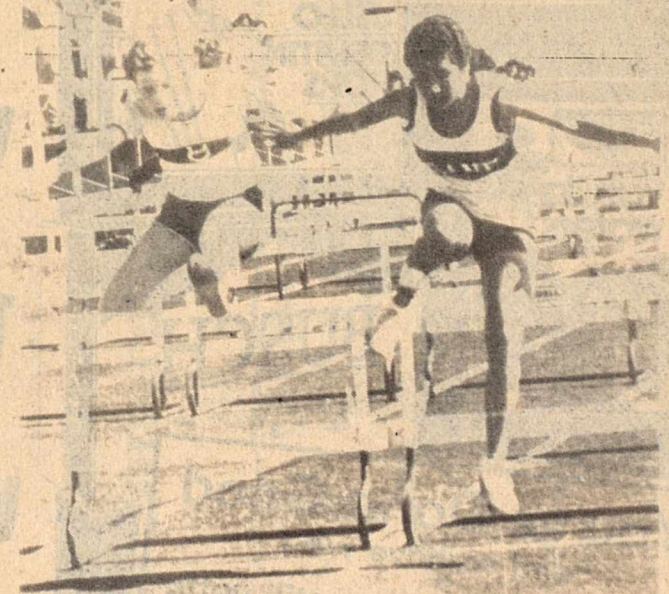
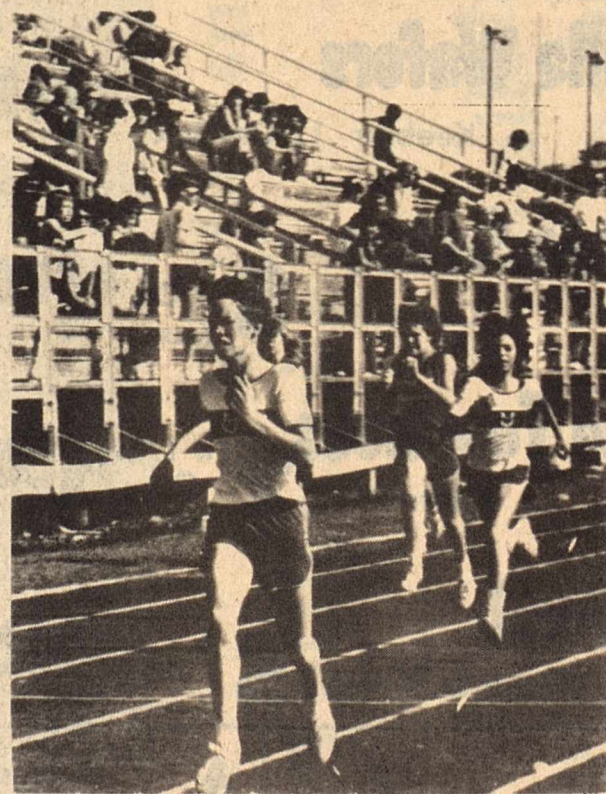


GOLF SCHEDULE

DATE	SITE
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March 19	Junction
March 29	Llano
March 30	Big Lake
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April 19-20	Sonora 7-AAA Dist.



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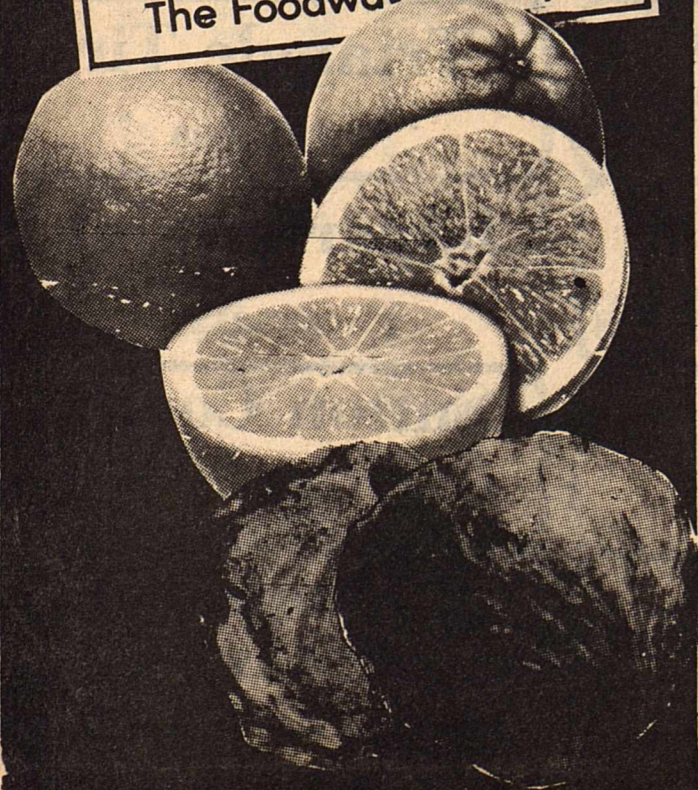
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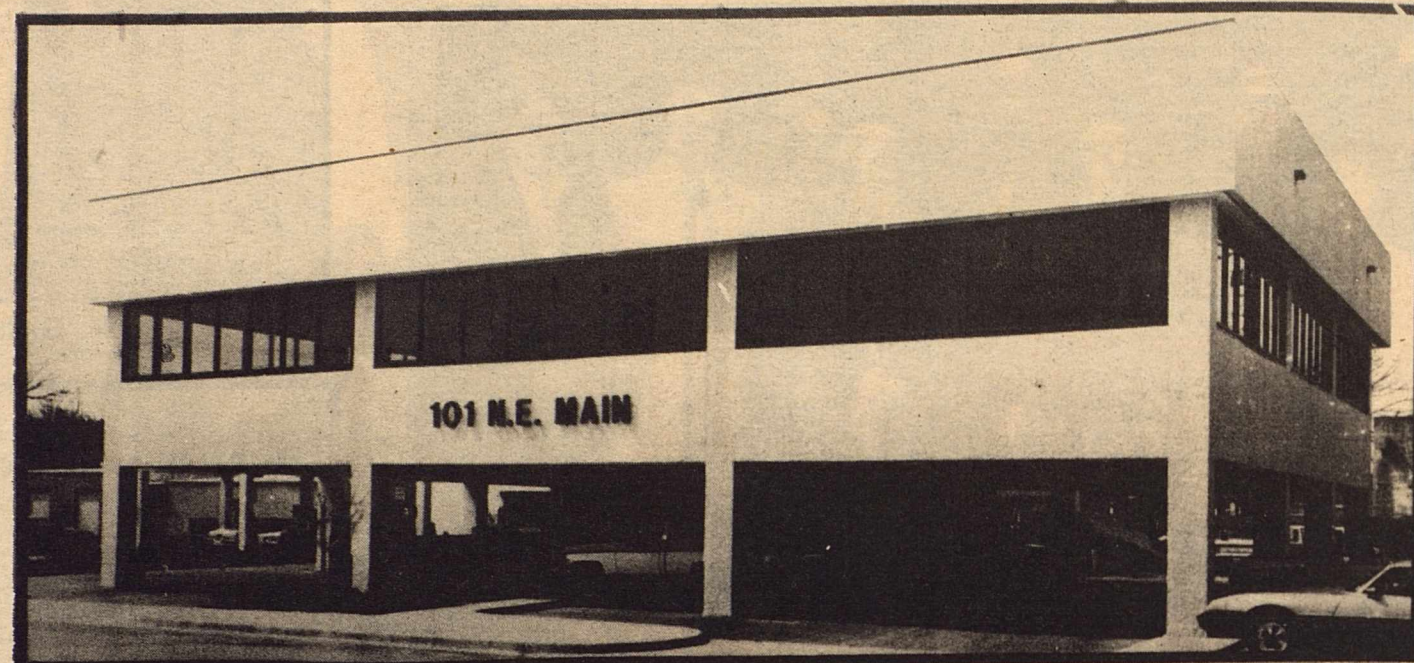
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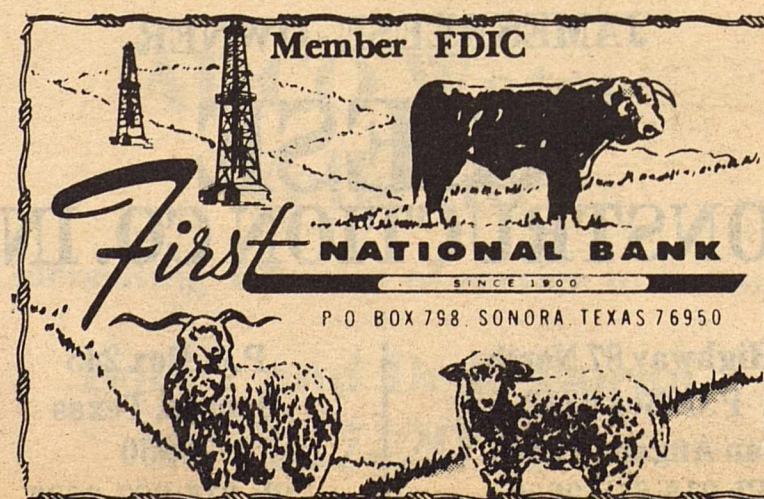
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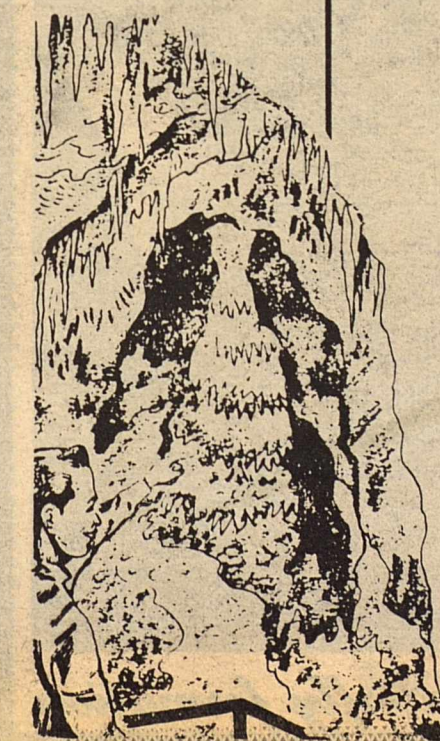
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Re-Cap of 1984 for Chamber of Commerce

BY EDITH JAMES

The Chamber of Commerce has just completed another year, the fiscal year being from April 1st to March 31st of each year. The Chamber ended the year with an Annual Banquet, featuring Senator Bill Sims as guest speaker. The banquet was a lot of fun, good food and beautiful decorations, along with our good-byes to five out-going members of our board and welcoming five new members to the board of directors.

A.W. Bishop started the New Year off as President and has led the chamber through a busy and productive year, we shall miss Mr. Bishop and the other out-going board members, a wonderful group to work with, and much was accomplished this past year. One of the little extra services by the chamber, was to recognize a Business of the Month and let them know we appreciated them as a business and as a member of the chamber and the support given for the past years.

Numerous Grand Openings and Ribbon Cuttings were sponsored by the chamber during the past year. An Industrial Committee was set up as an extension of the Chamber of Commerce and a Clean-Up program organized and put into action, some good results have been seen as a result, many eyesores have been removed.

A Christmas Decorations Committee was set up and as a result of contributions from the people of Sonora to this fund and with the help of the CVAE Students and Reggie Williams, all the old units have been refurbished and five new units purchased for use this past Christmas Season. This was a project that will be of benefit to the community for many years.

A Tourist Development Committee was set up to work on the tourist program. As a result, all events and attractions in Sonora and Sutton County have been advertised in many ways, media, magazines, West Texas Travel Agency, State Department of Highways and Public

Transportation, brochures, bill boards and Travel Time USA, being the Pecos Trails. Also, hunting information has been sent out by the chamber to people all over the country as well as several spots on the Radio.

Jeanine Hicks, with the Sesquicentennial and Program Director for this area, came to Sonora and set up a program for the Sesquicentennial Year 1986. At the present, a number of chairmen have been named to lead the community in activities during 1986. Also, the City of Sonora has been sanctioned by the State Sesquicentennial Committee. Miss Hicks will be in Sonora for the Annual Banquet March 28th to give a brief talk on the Sesquicentennial activities.

Each county can have a Logo for 1986, and the chamber sponsored a program for having a picture painted depicting the history of the county for the Sesquicentennial Year. The response was great. Twenty-three participants entered the contest. A com-

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Bishop bids farewell & says thank-you

BY A.W. BISHOP

Your Chamber of Commerce has had a very busy and I think a very productive year.

The Chamber is involved in economic development. Groundwork has been laid for work in this area that I

hope will continue and that we will eventually see some results for these efforts.

The Chamber moved into its own new building in 1984. We are very proud of the building and it has proved to be very functional.

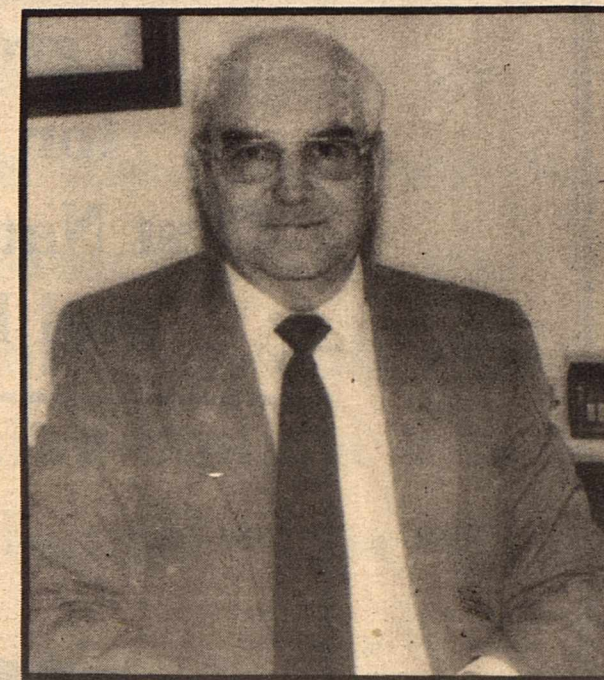
I appreciate the efforts of the whole community in

many of the 1984 Chamber projects. The new decorations certainly enhanced the beauty of our city during Christmas. The shop under the guidance of Mr. Williams did an excellent job refurbishing the old Christmas decorations.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the

directors and officers for their work for the Chamber this past year. It was a pleasure working with each of you and I appreciate the time and efforts you gave in directing the Chamber.

My congratulations to the newly elected officers and directors. May you have a successful year.



A.W. Bishop



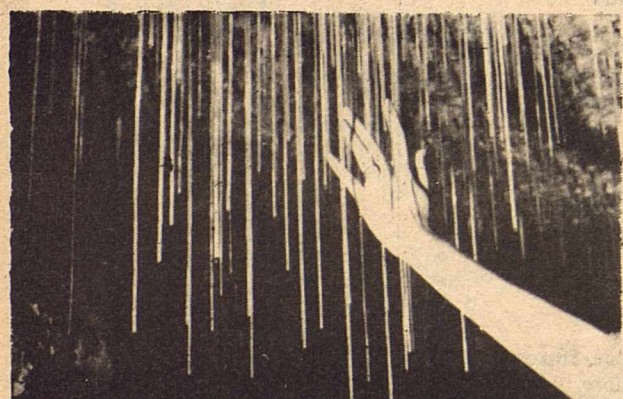
JANUARY BUSINESS OF THE MONTH
Morris Brothers Construction Company was named January's Business of the Month last week by the Chamber of Commerce. Morris Brothers is located in the Shurley Industrial Park and is owned by Bill

Morris and Tommy Morris Jr. On hand for the chamber presentation were Bill Morris, Jesso Cook, Rowena Anderson, Taylor King, George Smith, Lanny Hooper, A.W. Bishop, Ernest Lykins and Edith James. [Staff Photo--CBY]

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MARCH BUSINESS OF THE MONTH

WTU was March Business of the Month

West Texas Utilities was honored last week by the Sonora Chamber of Commerce as the March Business of the Month. Earl Johnson has been the manager of WTU since 1963.

Other employees include Winnie Allen, bookkeeper and cashier; David P.

Flores, line serviceman; Robert Noriega, line serviceman and apprentice; and Royce Miers, salesman for Sonora, Junction and Eldorado.

WTU recently assumed an extra workload with the purchase of the municipal electric system of Sonora. A building program has been placed on the agenda since

a larger space is needed to handle the extra workload.

Present for the recognition last Thursday were Earl Johnson, David Flores, Robert Noriega, Royce Miers, Earnest Lykins, Roberta James, Jeanne Jackson, and Chamber manager Edith James.

Honorary Directors

- Sutton Co. Judge
Charles Sherrill
- Sonora City Manager
Jim Dover
- Sonora Mayor
Bill Gosney
- Sonora ISD Board President
Johnny Fields
- Sonora Ministerial Alliance
Rev. David Griffin

RE-CAP (con. from p.2)

mittee of three persons was asked to judge the art work and choose the best suited for the Logo.

Mrs. Armer Earwood's painting was selected as the winner and will be used during the 1986 year as the Sutton County Logo for 1986 Sesquicentennial Year. 1986 will be a big year for Texas. Tourists will be coming to Texas to be a part of the celebrations, and the Chamber is making every effort to attract as many tourists as possible to Sonora.

The Chamber helped with the Bike-a-thon and it was a success. Several hundred dollars were collected for St. Jude's Hospital.

The National Guard Unit, being a Helicopter Unit, was hosted by the chamber. The chamber also helped with hosting the visit of Senator Phil Gramm.

The Chamber co-sponsored the Sutton County Days Celebration and had a great turn-out and a lot of fun. The Sutton County Days Association reported a good rodeo and dance. Many people came to Sonora to take part in this event.

The Queens contest was a very special part of the celebration, and a new

Miss Sutton County was named, Kate Mathews being the winner and queen for a year.

A money making project during the celebration was the raffle of a 3-wheeler Honda, all money going to the Christmas Decoration fund.

The chamber helped with the Annual Game Dinner, sponsored by the Game Dinner Association to welcome hunters coming to Sutton County to hunt.

The chamber was active in the Underground Water District Program to try and establish an Underground Water District in Sutton County.

The Chamber of Commerce has donated money to the Firemen's Convention to be held in Sonora. The Motel Tax funds can be used for conventions and promotional purposes.

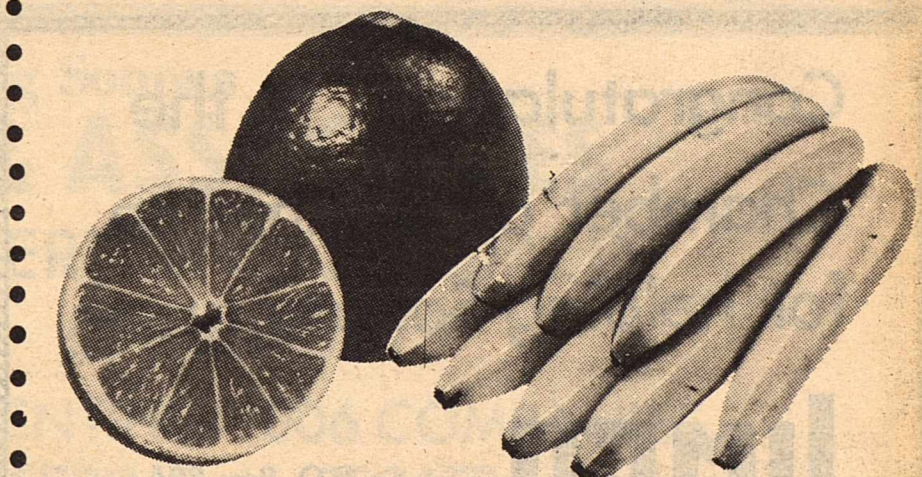
The Sonora Chamber of Commerce has become a central information gathering place in Sonora, and is used extensively by local as well as out of town people. Information of all nature is given out to tourists traveling through Sonora. Tourism is a very important factor in the economy of Sonora and the chamber has been very instrumental in keeping the city before

the public.

Another year is coming to an end, and many things have been accomplished, most of which are on-going projects and will continue to be. Promotion is a never ending undertaking. Many steps have been taken, some gained, some lost, but the future is out there, and the Chamber of Commerce will continue to strive forward and Promotion will become PROGRESS.

Our Good-byes to outgoing members and welcome to the new. We are all looking to another year of action. The Chamber is a part of the Community, the very same people that have taken pride in building a Community and are proud to be a part of it.

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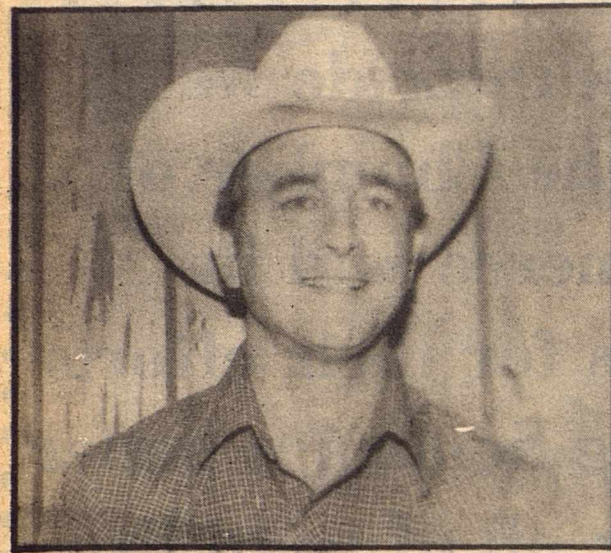
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MICHAEL SMITH

Mike Smith is elected director

Michael Smith, president of the local Federal Land Bank, has been elected director of the Sonora Chamber of Commerce. Smith moved to Sonora about 18 months ago from Colorado City and is a member of the Downtown Lions Club and the Lutheran Church.

He earned his Bachelor and Master of Science degrees from Texas Tech University and a Master of Arts degree from Texas A and M University.

Smith and his wife, Martha have two children, Matthew and Hadley.



Honorary Director
Judge Charlie Sherrill

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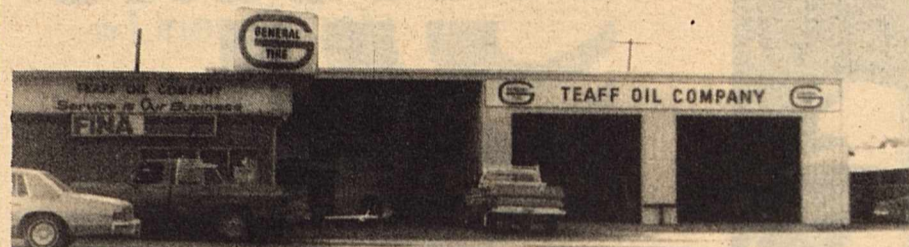
DAVENPORT HONORED

Hershel Davenport was named 1984 Citizen of the Year during last year's Chamber of Commerce Banquet.

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Diana Trainer -new director

Diana Trainer, a 26 year resident of Sonora, has been elected by members of the Sonora Chamber of Commerce to serve on the board of directors for the next two years.

She graduated from Sonora High School and attended Texas Tech University for two years.

Mrs. Trainer is a member of the Sonora Women's Club and the Sutton County

Garden Club, and she works part time at Western Auto.

She and her husband have two children, Blake who is 13 and Spencer who

is 7.

Mrs. Trainer stated that she would like to see a facility established that could be used by the children of this community.

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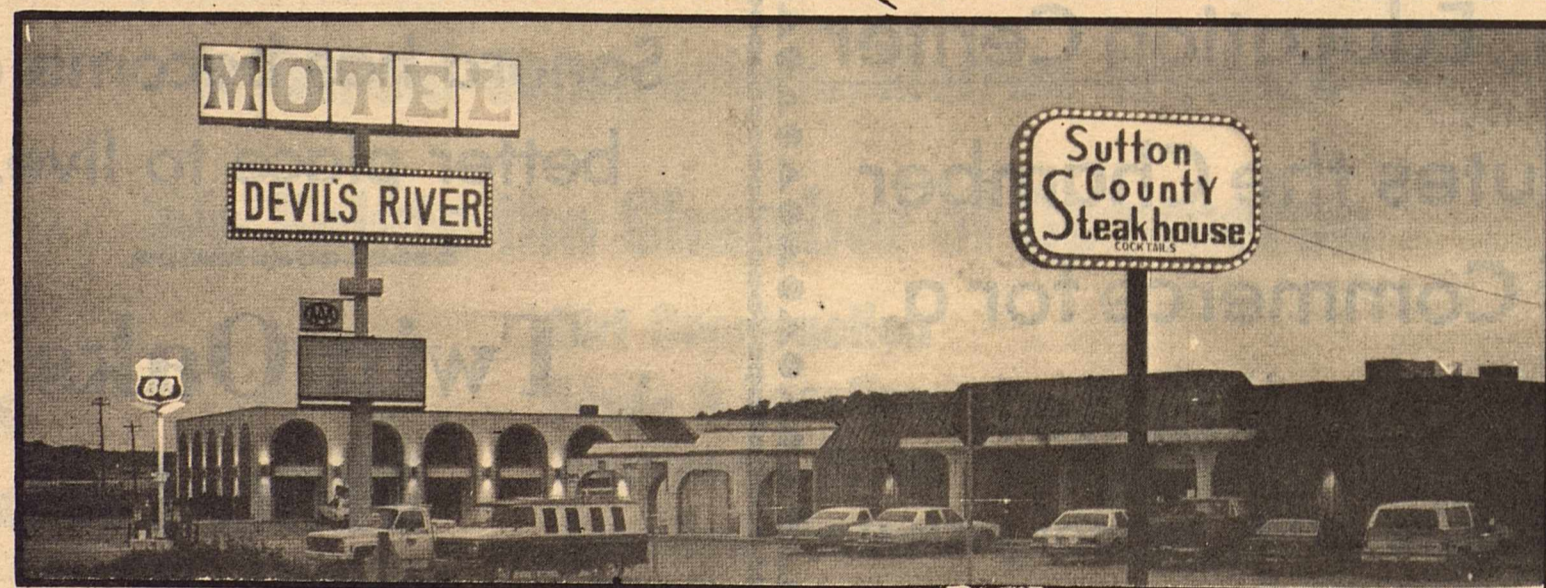
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Cirrincione elected director

Todd Cirrincione, a Petroleum Engineer and a six year resident of Sonora, has been elected to serve two years as a director of the Sonora Chamber of Commerce.

He is a member of the Society of Petroleum Engineers (SPE), the Fling-Ding Club, Sonora Golf Club, and the Roman Catholic Church. He also volunteers his time to cook for the Annual Game Dinner.

A graduate of Oklahoma State University, Cirrincione received a Bachelors

Degree in petroleum engineering technology.

He and his wife have two children, Austin Sipes and Cristen.

Cirrincione stated that he would like to see a community center built with

enough capacity for Sonora's largest social events such as the Fling-Ding and Game Dinner. He added that a community theatre with emphasis on adult participation would also be nice.



TODD CIRRINCIONE

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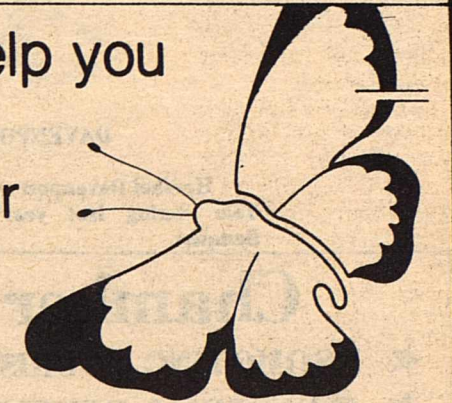
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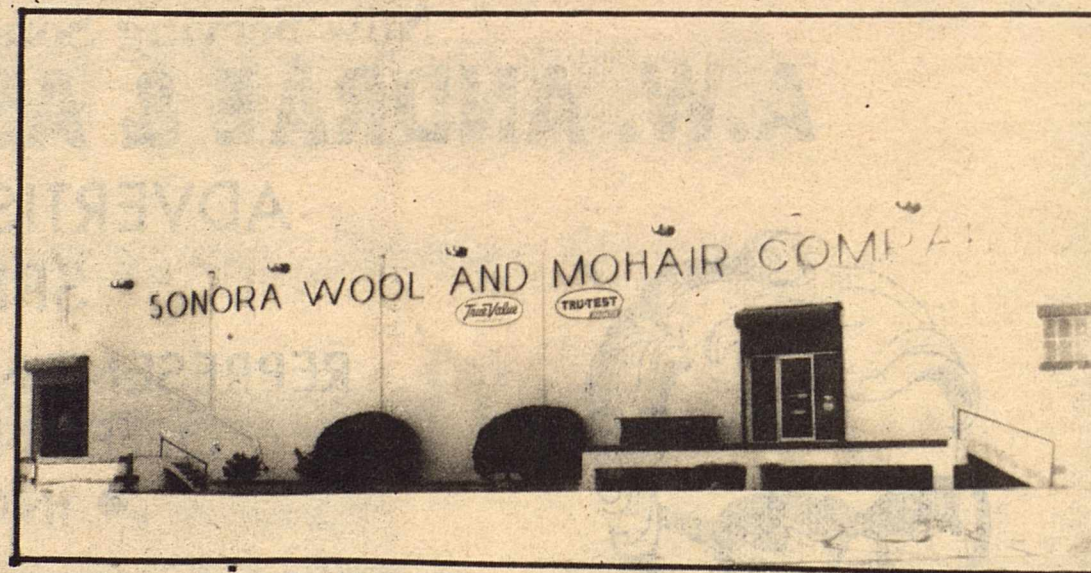
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Sonora Chamber 1958-1985

The Sonora Chamber of Commerce was formed in October, 1958 with the first meeting being held October 20, 1958.

Attending the first meeting was a group of interested citizens who came together to discuss the forming of a chamber of commerce.

The next meeting was held October 27, 1958 at which time the first official board was elected.

Edwin Sawyer was elected as the first president, Carl J. Cahill vice president, and Cecil Westerman treasurer.

Other persons serving as president of the chamber have been Carl J. Cahill, Dr. C.F. Brown, Thomas B. Thorp, Ralph Finklea, Cecil Westerman-two terms, John King, Marvin Elliott, Jimmy Harris, Marion Elliott, Glen Fisher-two terms, Sandra Cooper, Hal Spain, Mike Street, A.W. Bishop, and Earnest Lykins.

Names of presidents serving in the 1970's were not available.

Now, after 28 years, the chamber is still working toward progress, making an effort to bring small industry to town, and promoting Sonora to tourism and hunters-both contribut-

ing factors to our economy.

Not much has changed in the efforts made by the chamber-some are only renewed efforts, but enthusiasm is still high and Sonora is a community to be recognized as a progressive and healthy community.

Loyalty is a very noted factor in the citizens.

Many of the charter

members of the Chamber of Commerce are still members-still proudly in the membership book and contributing a part of themselves to a worthwhile project they believed in.

So, in 1985, the chamber says "Thank You" to all of our old friends for promoting Sonora and for the PROGRESS made, in keeping the faith of 28 years.

Businesses of the month

March, 1984 - Halliburton

April, 1984 - Foxworth Galbreath

May, 1984 - Thorp's Laun-dry

June, 1984 - Carol's Merle Norman

July, 1984 - The Traveler's III

August, 1984 - H.N.G. Oil Company

September, 1984 - Twin Oaks Motel

October, 1984 - P.M. Office Supplies

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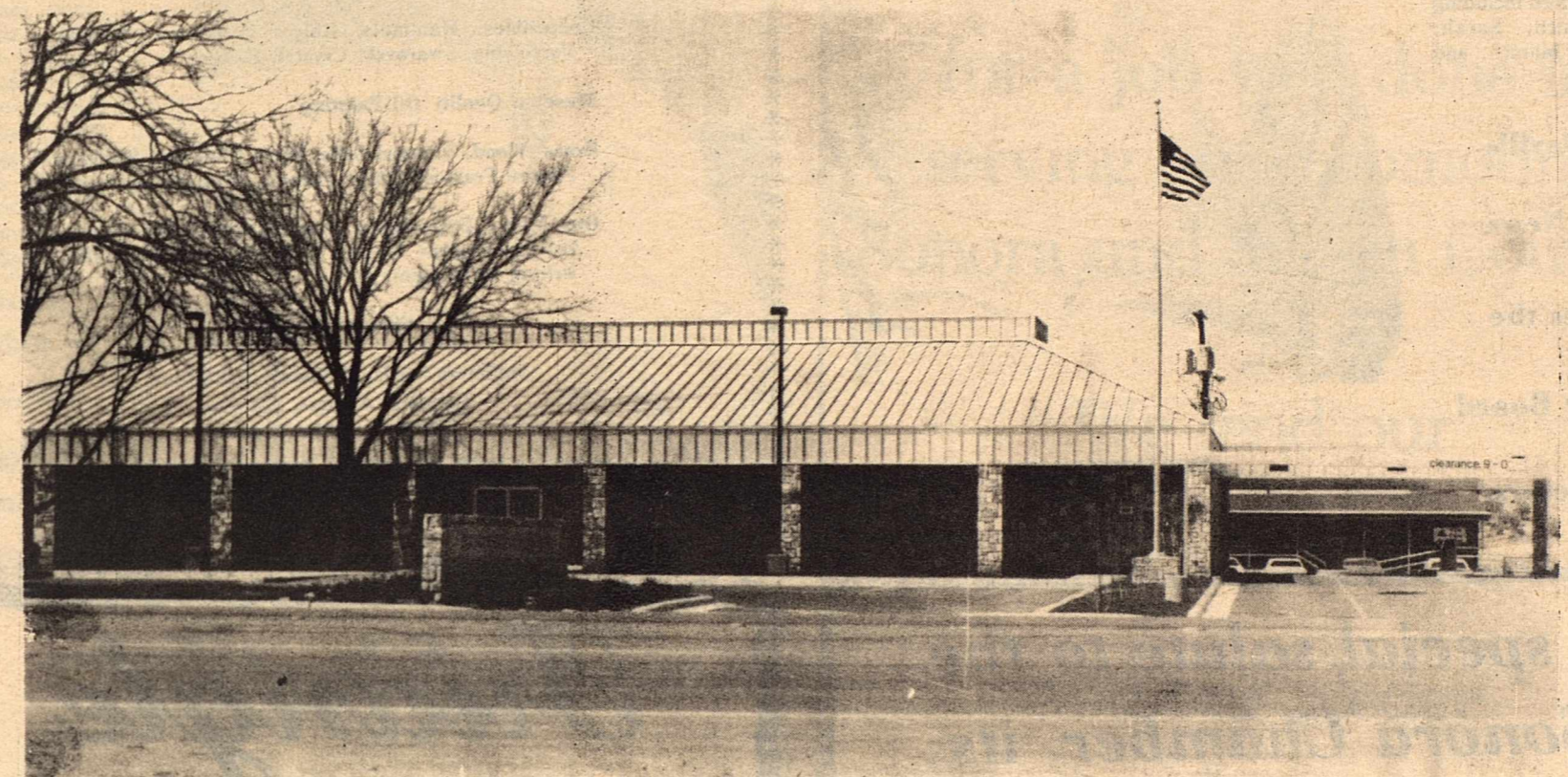
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Chamber Banquet set for 7 p.m. tomorrow

Earnest Lykins was elected president of the Sonora Chamber of Commerce at the regular monthly meeting March 7 which was also the last meeting of the board for the 1984-85 fiscal year.

Preston Love was elected vice-president and Roberta James was elected treasurer.

Ballots sent in by chamber members were counted for new directors during the meeting. Dr. Alvis Johnson Jr., Diana Trainer, Mike Smith, Todd Cirrincione and Jeanne Jackson were named new directors for the upcoming year.

Jeanne Jackson was also an outgoing board member, but since she was appointed instead of elected the first time, she was eligible to be elected this term.

The Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet will be held Thursday, March 28 at 7 p.m. in the Junior High Snack Bar with Phil George of San Angelo as the guest speaker.

George, athletic director at Angelo State University, is considered a very gifted speaker and is known by many people in Sonora.

He was first employed at San Angelo College in 1949 and since then has worked with the basketball, football, track, baseball, and golf programs. For 11 seasons, George served as football line coach. During this span, seven linemen received All-American honors. George was Ram basketball coach from 1949 until 1978. He is one of the winningest college coaches in the country with a record of 514 wins and 244 losses.

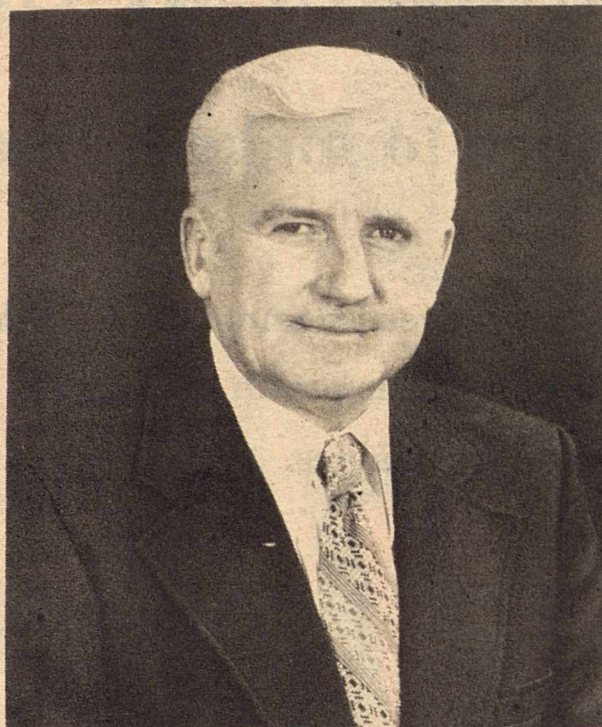
Conference Coach-of-the-Year honors have been bestowed on Coach George eight times including NJCAA National Coach-of-the-Year in 1957, NAIA District 8 Coach-of-the-Year in 1967, and NAIA District 4 Coach-of-the-Year in 1976. The Rams' Junior College cage squads won Pioneer Conference titles in 1954, 1955, 1957, 1959, 1961, 1962, 1963 and 1964 under George.

In addition the Rams won NJCAA regional titles in 1957, 1959, 1961, 1962 and 1964, and the 1957 squad won the NJCAA National Junior College crown.

George earned his Bachelor of Science and Master of Education degrees, plus additional work toward a

Doctoral Degree from the University of Texas at Austin. Jeannie Hicks, program director with the Sesquicentennial 1985 from Austin, will also be on the program at the banquet March 7.

Tickets for the banquet may be purchased at the chamber office or from any board member for \$8 each.



PHIL GEORGE



JEANNE JACKSON

Jackson to serve two more years

Jeanne Jackson will continue serving as a Sonora Chamber of Commerce director for another two years following her election to that position this month.

Mrs. Jackson was appointed to this position to finish the term of Mary Adele Balch. She served as the treasurer last year.

She is an assistant cashier at Sutton County National Bank and is a

member of the National Association of Bank Women, Sonora Women's Club, Library Association, and the First Baptist Church.

She and her husband Jerry have three children: Bonnie, Julie and Jerry.

A graduate of Lovington, New Mexico High School, Mrs. Jackson is currently attending the American Institute of Banking.

New President comments

BY EARNEST LYKINS

During the past year, I have had the privilege of serving as a director of the Chamber of Commerce under the direction of A.W. Bishop as president and eight other very qualified and concerned citizens.

The Chamber has been very active this year with our annual events plus acquiring new Christmas decorations, obtaining highway signs, advising people of the facilities available in Sonora, and promoting business in Sonora, all year around not just Christmas time.

During the coming year as President, I would like to see more new businesses for our city; promote and educate the people of Sonora of the necessity to shop locally when at all possible; and to help play down attempts by groups to shop elsewhere.

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I am very pleased with the selection of Directors we have for the coming year and look forward to working with them. I would like to thank the directors

who have completed their terms this year for their involvement in the past and hope they will continue to support the Chamber as they have done so far.



EARNEST LYKINS

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A.W. Bishop [far right, back row] presented the CVAE class of SHS with a plaque from the chamber of commerce last week in appreciation for the work the class did on the city's old Christmas decorations. Pictured are [back row, left to right] Reggie Williams,

Instructor; Edith James, chamber manager; Arturo Reyes, Alberto Luna, John Dale Gordon, Steve Bolton, Jaime Castillo-president, Bishop, [front row, left to right] Santiago Luna, Don Pittman, Rosco Armstrong, Hugo Lujan, and Armando Contreras.

Thank you Chamber for your hard work and efforts towards Sonora!!

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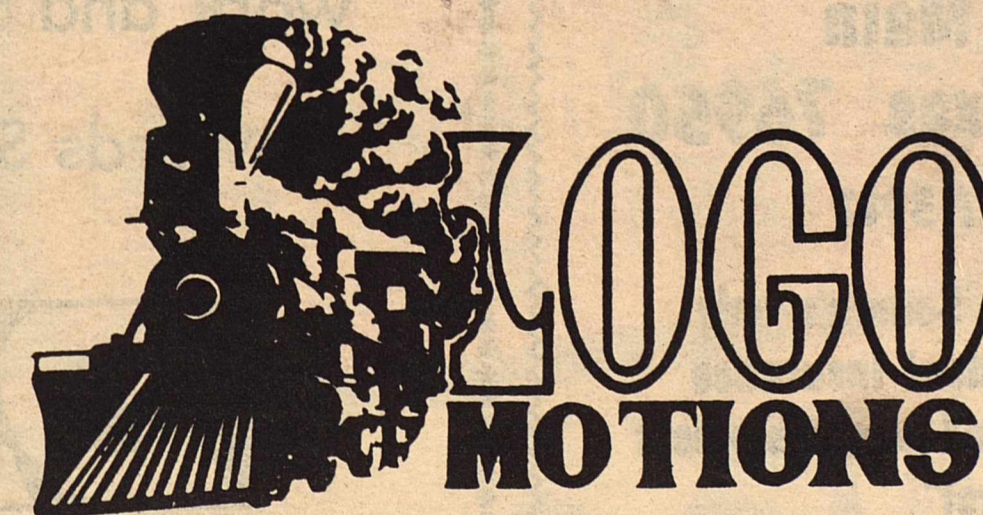
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