

Waiting for the judge to make his decision can be handeled in various ways as these 4-H exhibitors will testify. The Stock Show and Auction will conclude this weekend. Staff photo/Clay Cates.

Goat Show largest in ten years

The 41st Annual 4-h Show and Sale kicked off this past weekend with the Carcass Show held Saturday morning followed by the Goat Show in the afternoon. The Goat Show was the largest in ten years with twenty-two exhibitors showing 107 goats.

Results of this portion of the show are as follows.

Live Finewool Carcass 1st Todd Keller, breeder, C-J; 2nd Sara Patton, Rousselot; 3rd Shanna Patton, Rousselot; 4th Anna Balch, Balch; 5th Decky Spiller, TAES; 6th Bobby Joe Mogford, Wesley Sawyer; 7th Davis Hale, Edwin Sawyer; 8th

Justin Morley, Rousselot; 9th Brandon Faris, Hill Country; 10th Cody Renfro, Renfro.

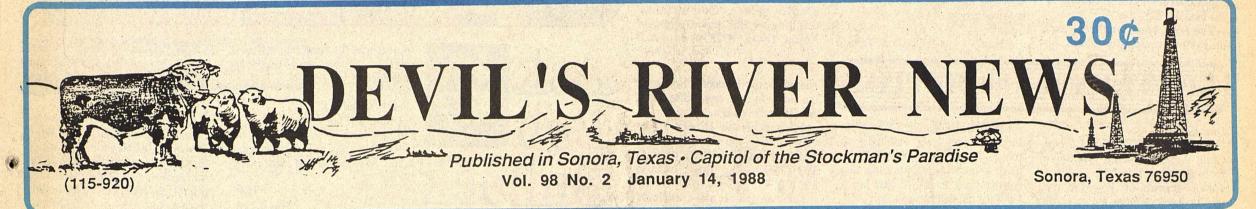
Live Finewool Cross Carcass

1st Lewis Baker, Wheless Ranch; 2nd Amy Patton, Rousselot; 3rd Walker Wallace, Rousselot; 4th Shanna Patton, Rousselot; 5th Shawna Faris, Renfro; 6th Cole Crenwelge, Renfro; 7th Cody Renfro, Renfro; 8th Tracy Crites, Rousselot; 9th Keith Wallace, Wheless Ranch; 10th Matthew Smith, Encino Ranch.

Reg. Angora Buck Kids 1st Shane Keller, Ruth Espy; 2nd Brian Faris, Vernon Faris; 3rd Brian Faris, Vernon Faris; 4th Todd Keller, Ruth Espy; 5th Cody Schenkel, B.E. Wilson; 6th Todd Keller, Ruth Espy; 7th Barndon Faris, Vernon Faris; 8th Cody Schenkel, B.E. Wilson; 9th Bonner Walsh, Walsh; 10th and 11th Russell Chalk, Ruth Espy.

Reg. Angora Doe Kids 1st April Spiller, Mary K. Ross; 2nd April Spiller, Hayden Haby; 3rd Shane Keller, Ruth Espy; 4th Brian Faris, Vernon Faris; 5th Todd Keller, Ruth Espy; 6th and 7th Cody Schenkel, B.E. Wilson; 8th Brian Faris, Vernon Faris; 9th Russell Chalk, Joe Will Ross;

(con't. on page 3)



Dog Trials run January 24

The 4th annual Sheep Dog Trials will be held here in Sonora at the County Park on Sunday, January 24. Some of the top dog handlers in the United States will be competing. Contestants and their dogs will be coming from Illinois, California, Georgia, Arizona, Iowa, Tennessee, and all parts of Texas.

The judge for this years event will be Allen Mills, an experienced Border Collie Breeder, trainer and judge, from Goldwaite.

In addition to trophies of

Briefly

Democratic ticket

County Treasurer

County Attorney

State House

Republican ticket

County Attorney

Cooper at 387-2111.

and 10:30 am.

this time.

Super Bowl parties on the 31st.

serving will begin at 11 pm.

Dog Trials on January 24.

5336 or 387-2795.

rental.

Sheriff-

Who's filed . . .

Commissioner-Pct. 1 Mike Villanueva

Commissioner-Pct. 3 Bill Keel (incumbent)

Bill Webster (incumbent)

(incumbent) unopposed

Ann Hill (incumbent)

David Wallace (incumbent)

Woodie Howell

unopposed

unopposed

Betsy Johnson

Mark Shurley

We can help

Please call the Sutton County Library at 387-2111.

Are you interested in reading or writing English?

Would you be interested in tutoring? Call Sandra

UYF Bake Sale

The United Youth Fellowship will hold a bake

SS Representative

Social Security Office, has scheduled his January

visit to Sonora for Thursday, January 21 between 9

Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get

information, or transact other business with the

Social Security Administration may contact him at

Baby-sitting or

breakfast for Fling Ding

The Class of '88 will be doing baby-sitting at the

Firehall from 5 pm till ? for the Fling Ding on

Saturday, January 30. The fee will be \$1 per hour

The Class will also be hosting an "all you can

eat" breakfast buffet at Fiddlers Restaurant for the

Fling Ding. Cost will be \$4.95 per person and

To reserve space for either of the services cal 387-

Exhibitors needed

Exhibitors are needed to display their wares in art,

Booths will be 8 x 10 outdoors. Bring your own

tables and chairs and dress warmly. Wear western or

old-timey garb if you can. Cost will be \$10 per

Photos available

crafts, and handiwork booths at the Sonora Sheep

per child. Entertainment and food will be provided.

Garland Gregg, representative for the San Angelo

sculptured Border Collies created by Dr. Patti Strauch, prize money will be awarded in all classes. The competition will be stiff.

Local ranchers and dog handlers will get a chance to compete among themselves without having to run against the professionals.

If anyone needs a good trained ranch dog or young pup, several will be on hand as many trainers bring extra dogs to sell and good buys can be made.

There will be arts and crafts

booths with all kinds of items on display.

Let's give our visitors a hearty welcome-they help our local economy by staying in motels, shopping for food, gasoline, and other items, and eating in local restaurants. Sonora is a good place for holding activities of all kinds. The more events we can host, the better.

Come on out and enjoy top performances by superbly trained dogs. And be sure and dress

warmly.

Fashion Show are available for viewing and ordering

Prints of each picture will be 40¢ each and must be paid for at the time the order is placed. "Adopt-a-foot"

of prints at the Devil's River News office.

In order to "top off the Depot" persons may "adopt" one square foot of the Depot roof for \$4.00. Names of all donors will be placed on a plaque in

For more information or to "adopt" a square foot, contact Patricia Johnson at 387-5921 or 387-5334, Gil Trainer at 387-2028, or Preston Love at 387-

Al-Anon meetings

Al-Anon meets in Sonora on Thursday nights and in Eldorado on Tuesday nights. Ozona meets every Tuesday night and Al-Ateen meets every Sunday afternoon in Ozona.

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

Legalization representative to be in Sonora

A representative from the Legalization Office will be in Sonora on Monday, January 21 from 7 til 10 pm at the St. Ann's Parish Office.

Employers of special agricultural workers are welcome to attend and persons applying for sale on Saturday, January 30 (the morning of the legalization or registry.

Fling Ding) starting at 9 am at the Methodist Please have all information and documents ready so applications can be completed by the If you wish to make special orders please call 387-2466 mornings. "Trash" will be available for your

For more information call 387-3622 from 8 am-1

Legalization Program

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

Employers welcomed.

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

Meeting for Little League

A meeting has been scheduled for Thursday, January 14, 1988 at 7 pm in the HNG building to further discuss the topic of a local Youth Baseball

A representative from the Eldorado Youth Baseball Association has been scheduled to present the pros and cons to this type of organization. All prospective coaches, parents, and interested individuals are invited to attend this important meeting.

News?

Does your club or organization have news items you would like to share with the community?

Press packets are available at the Devil's River Call Dr. Patti Strauch at 387-3784 for booth News which will help you assemble the facts for a news article. These packets are free and we would like to encourage all groups and organizations to drop by, pick one up and then tell Sonora what's Photos of the Hudspeth Hospital Nursing Home happening.

Big buck contest

Points and pounds

The annual Big Buck contest sponsored by the Sonora Chamber of Commerce pleased quite a few of the entrants especially those who by accumlative point scores were winners in the contest.

Winners included: Overall Best Buck-over 17 years of age

There were fifteen entries in this division.

1st place went to Jimmy

Becks of Beaumont with an eleven point buck with a twenty and a half inch spread. The buck, killed on Mickey Powers ranch weighed 110 pounds.

2nd place was won by James Miculka of San Antonio. Hunting on Seco Mayfield's ranch, Miculka killed a thirteen point buck with a seventeen and a quarter inch spread weighing 113 pounds.

Becks won a .270 Remington for his efforts. Overall Best Buck-under 17

With three entries, 1st place was won by Ashlie Herndon of Uvalde. The nine point buck with an eighteen inch spread weighing 115 pounds was killed on the Tommy Morriss ranch.

Marcus Brooks of Waco won 2nd with a 91 pound buck who had thirteen points and an eighteen inch spread.

Herndon won a Ruger 77 .243 for her entry.

Heaviest Doe With two entries in this division, Paula Flowers of Monahans won 1st with a doe weighing 84 pounds. The doe was killed on Hensel Mathews ranch and Flowers won a double gun

Allen Caudle of Houston won 2nd with a 79 pound doe killed on the Rousselot ranch.

Longest spike Jerry Speights of Mexia won

a McKissack Knife with a twenty inch spike killed on Mickey Powers' ranch. Bill Daniels of Houston won

2nd with a seventeen and three eights inch spike killed on the Shurley ranch.

Local Overall

The 1st place winner and recipient of a Ruger 77 .270 was David Martin. Martin's buck was a thirteen pointer with a twenty inch spread. Weighing 98 (con't. on page 3)



Ashlie Herndon of Uvalde won first place in the Best Overall Buck, under 17 years of age, division of the Big Buck contest sponsored by the Sonora Chamber of Commerce. Photo by Royce Miears.

Outdoor Drama Group gearing up for '88

Members of the Outdoor Drama Group are beginning to think about their 1988 season which will begin on Friday, June 10 and run through August 20.

The "Covered Wagon Dinner Theater" specializes in sketches from the past with performances for the entire family.

The gounds at the Caverns of Sonora will once again be the site for the shows but some exciting changes have taken place in preparation for the shows. A permanent stage is being constructed southeast of the Caverns office and attention is being paid to the seating arrangement. The adjacent area will provide for easier parking and walking access to the performance

The format of the shows will be much the same as last year with a new show each Friday and Saturday evening featuring talent from within the state of Texas. Several big surprises will be in store for theater goers as some excellent talent has already been contracted for the season.

The delicious fare from the Sutton County Steakhouse will once again be available for those attending. However, the beautiful grounds surrounding the Caverns are perfect for a family picnic, should you prefer, before the performance.

Persons interested in performing for the "Covered Wagon Dinner Theater" may either write to Outdoor Drama Group, Box 885, Sonora, Texas 76950 or call the Devil's River News at 387-2507 and an application will be sent by return mail. Auditions will be held within the next several months.

A Saturday retreat is planned for

the first weekend of February for all Outdoor Drama Group members and parties interested in either becoming members or in helping in some way. There is no membership fee to become a member of the Outdoor Drama Group and all that is required is a willingness to work as all functions of the group are done on a volunteer basis. The Outdoor Drama Group is under the very capable direction of Charlotte Gilmore. For additional information call Ann Cates at 387-2507.

Another case of rabies reported

Contrary to popular belief, rabies occurs in all seasons of the The fourth rabid fox in Sonora,

in the time period from April '87 to January '88, was just confirmed. According to Guy Moore of the Texas Department of Health, "There is a 'hotspot' of rabies cases in town."

The disease is extremely dangerous, it's fatal to humans and animals alike. A young boy recently died of rabies in San Francisco, California.

Once a human or animal gets the disease, there is no cure.

Rabies is always present in our wildlife especially bats, skunks, foxes, and racoons. Pet dogs and cats do not have to leave the yard to be exposed to rabies by a wild animal; the wild animals will meet them more than halfway! In fact, mice and bats often enter homes.

If a pet develops rabies, the people most likely to be exposed to this deadly disease are the owner and his family. Rabies is a serious public health problem-help protect your neighbor, pet and yourself by vaccinating pets for rabies once a

New immigration regulations are a real hassle!

Dear Commissioners Nabers:

Concerning I-9 forms, do I have to fill out a form on people I use for extra help during busy times? They are not full time employees and sometimes one or two will have a total of about six days for the entire year.

If someone comes in for only three hours to rake leaves at my place of business, do I have to fill out an I-9?

Orange, Texas

Dear J.P.: Yes, you do have to fill out the I-9 on these people. The only exemption from the process is for casual and sporadic domestic (in

the home) labor.

Dear Editor:

Project.

Anyone who works for you less than three days must have a completed I-9 on file at the end of the first working day.

The I-9 is good for three years on these occasional workers. So

In behalf of the Sutton County

Child Welfare Board, I would like

to extend our "THANKS" to each

and everyone of you for the

tremendous response we received

to the Christmas Angel Tree

everyone individually. The

response was far greater then we

ever anticipated. Besides the First

National Bank and the Sutton

County National Bank who

allowed us to decorate their tree

with our little angels, there was

Roberta James and Jeanne Jackson

who assisted me in so many

different ways. We received such

warm, enthusiatic support from all

The members of the Order of the

Eastern Star made and colored our

little angels for the trees, and there

were those who collected the list

of children's name along with

Terry Kinard helped to address

and label all the gifts and Virginia

Jones drove and put up with my

poor directions in locating and

delivering all these gifts the bigger

the gifts were purchased at home,

which helped to make this project

a success and our merchants help

in correcting our errors and

"THANKS" to those of you who

went to the banks, picked up a

little angel and saw to it that some

We are already making plans for

next year. So when any of you get

Most of all a great big

I was very aware that many of

concerned in both banks.

needed information.

part of two days.

exchanging sizes.

child had a Christmas.

It is impossible to thank



Texas Business Today

once you've done it, you need not worry about that individual again for a while

Dear Commissioner Nabers:

I was fired from by job a week ago and my ex-boss will not give me my check. He says I have to wait till the next payday. I can't wait that long. What are my rights here and what can I do?

ready to have a garage sale or clean

out a closet, we ask you to

remember this project, and if you

have any children's clothing that

can be used as a gift, just lay it

So again, we the Sutton County

Child Welfare Board (Monte

Jones, President; Kent Kepler,

Vice President; Maxine Locklin,

Secretary/Treasurer and members

Mary McCarson, Terry Kinard,

Ben Solis, and Doris Samaniego)

say Thank you, Thank you, Thank

I can assure all of you of one

thing. You made this Christmas

the happiest and most rewarding

Christmas, one with the REAL

CHRISTMAS SPIRIT, that I

have known in a long, long time.

Near the end of November my

husband and I spent about thirty

minutes in Sonora. We discovered

hospitality there--information

graciously given in a supermarket

and a good reception from one of

your staff members who was

helping you meet a dead-line. We

also met an interesting, friendly

Spanish-speaking man on the

court house lawn. He spoke with

pride of his son who is employed

in your local bank and of a

daughter attending Midland

Thanksgiving issue of the News

one of you staff gave us. I

commend you for your active

Angelo over sixty years ago, my

Although I was born in San

community involvement.

We have enjoyed the

Dear Editor Cates:

College.

WE'RE

Thank You!

Maxine

back for next Christmas.

-S.T. Houston, Texas

Dear S.T.:

Under Texas Pay Day Laws, an employer must pay a terminated employee within six days if that employee requests his pay. This rule does not apply to political subdivisions such as city, county, and state governments, but it applies to everyone else.

You should contact your nearest Texas Department of Labor and Standards office and file a wage claim. The department advises that you have, if possible, written proof of the date of termination and demand for payment.

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

parents were residents of Sonora at the time. In fact, my father Mark A. (Bronc) Wilson, was editorpublisher of the Devil's River News during the years (as best I can calculate) of 1925 through 1931. We moved to Big Lake in

There are people and events that I recall from my Sonora days. A woman named Mrs. Gilliam, who had two daughters, Sue and Nora, cared for me while my mother assisted my father in the News office. I would like to get in touch with the Gilliam "girls" or anyone who remembers my family.

I attended First Baptist Church Sunday School, and I remember going to the local hardware store and admiring the brightly colored pane samples. My dad, without the knowledge of my mother, took me on a plane ride, which I do not remember.

My husband, Bill, and I are retired teachers. He now works for Postelle Rod Service, and I have done part-time teaching at Odessa College.

My father, Bronc, passed away in 1951; my mother in 1973. My only sister, Jane Brown, live in Giddings.

It would be interesting to me if, in your archives, you can find an announcement of my birth, June 18, 1927. Also, may I ask for a copy of your paper for my sister? Sincerely yours,

Ruth Wilson Goree P.O. Box 4918 Odessa, Texas 79760

Dear Mrs. Goree,

Bound issues of the News begin with the year 1928 so it's not a matter of finding your birth announcement easily, however we will keep your request and if the information can be found we will send you a copy. We are also mailing you two issues of this paper, one for you and one for your sister.

Thank you so much for taking the time to write your most welcome letter. The people of our community appreciate knowing how we are viewed by visitors and former residents.

> Sincerely, Ann Cates

Support your locál 4-H



THAT'S YOUR UNCLE, MY BROTHER BILL-HE ALWAYS SWORE THAT OUR DAD LIKED ME

BETTER THAN HIM ,,,

Dear Bob Bullock:

I own a small bakery with tables and chairs for customers to use when eating on the premises. Should I collect tax on orders that are eaten in the bakery and on orders that are "to go"?

B.L.M. Waco

Dear B.L.M.:

That's a good question. You should collect tax on bakery good that are sold for consumption on the premises. You should not collect tax on baked goods that are sold "to go."

Dear Bob Bullock:

I am the treasurer for a for-profit private club, and I need to know if some of our club fees are taxable. The ones I'm not sure of are our liquor pool fees, membership fees and scholarship fund fees. M.B.

Dallas

Dear M.B.:

I'm glad you asked. The liquor pool and membership fees are taxable since they are fees charged for an amusement service that entitles members to bar privileges. But fees for the scholarship fund ... are not taxable.

Dear Bob Bullock:

We provide chemical and cleaning services to residential swimming pool owners. All of our chemicals are purchased in bulk quantity and we pay tax to the supplier at the time of purchase. We bill our customers a flat rate each month for our services. Are we required to collect sales tax on our service fees?

T.J.O. San Antonio

Dear T.J.O.:

Yes, you are. The total charge for materials, labor, transportation and other items is taxable, whether billed as a lump sum or charged separately.

But any materials that are transferred to your customer, such as the chemicals you put into a pool, can be purchased tax-free with a resale certificate. You do owe tax to your supplier on equipment and supplies you buy

to perform the service, such as a suction hose or chemical container.

Dear Bob Bullock:

I rent, sell and lease plants and I'm not sure when I should be collecting sales tax, and on what items. Maybe you can clarify this

G.P. Fort Worth

Dear G.P.:

You bet I can clear it up for you. You need to collect tax when you sell, lease, rent or take care of plants. The collection of tax used to depend on who was reponsible for the plant, but this changed when the new tax law went into effect on October 1 last year.

You can issue resale certificates for plants you buy and sell and for plant food, soil and other items that you transfer with the plant to your customer.

TIL DAD RETIRED AN' LEFT ME

THE RANCH!

Landscaping services are now taxable, except for mowing rightof-ways, trimming trees for power lines, and some services performed on farm or forest land when the plants and trees grown for selling purposes.

Bob Bullock, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts, answers questions from taxpayers in his monthly column, "Ask Bob Bullock." If you have a question about state taxes, write to: Bob Bullock, Comptroller of Public Accounts, Austin, Texas, 78774, or call 1-800-252-5555.

The comedy goes on and our stock market is no longer based on the economic performance. The new base is a "pie-in-the-sky Irish Sweepstake" sort of lottery with the object being to pick a takeover candidate, or a rumored takeover target mentioned on a national TV "business" show.

An example; Phillips Petroleum turned in the worst third-quarter financial report in two years. Phillips was mentioned as a takeover candidate. The following five trading sessions saw Phillips' stock increase forty-five percent which has the aroma of a twothousand plus annual percentage (only an arithmetic exercise). Realistically a seven-day in and out would give (deducting negotiated brokerage fees) a net of about thirty-seven percent of invested capital. The ground for insider trading can be fertile.

The international comedy is even more delightful. Six central banks of economic powers and the

U.S. Treasury are spending billions in hard currencies to check the fall of the dollar. Their purposes in these expenditures are diametrically opposed.

The U.S. Treasury is motivated by the urge to prevent a free drop of the dollar with the associated complexities in oil pricing. The drop they are trying to stop; they started to improve the trade deficit.

The foreign central banks see the U.S. as the "goose of the golden egg." We have the freest export market and a non competitive work force. We also loan billions (which we borrow at eight plus percent) to third world countries to improve foreign trade. Foreigners outsell us in the third world, bleeding off our loan. We are a real "sugar plum!

The two opposed dollar buying factions are main-line addicts. Who will quit first? It is a real melodrama, and the trade restriction bills in Congress boost it into a genuine dilemma.

Homemakers Update

Don't just talk, communicate

Talking is a good step toward improving family communication, but don't stop there. Talking is just one of the many ways to communicate and draw your family closer together.

Being empathetic also facilitates communication. Try imagining what someone else feels like, and it may help you better understand their situation.

Placing blame and making accusations tends to close communication lines. Explaining your own feelings instead of blaming can improve family communication.

Avoid easy answers and meaningless questions. You can communicate more effectively if you take the time, and say what's really on your mind.

Also be aware of nonverbal communication. Watch for gestures and facial expressions which can convey a variety of emotions and subtle messages.

Effective communication takes practice, and requires skills beyond simply talking. Communication can help make family relationships stronger, and help members get to know each other better. Visit your County Extension agent to find helpful brochures on communication.

Just in time for the Sutton County 4-H Club Livestock Show and Auction this Friday and Saturday at the Clint Langford Memorial 4-H Barn

1/2 price

10% off all Rocky Mountain Jeans

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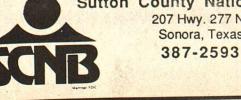




As bankers, we realize the importance of budgeting and of responsibility. We know these are some of the important lessons that members of the 4-H organization learn. We salute the youth members, the parents and the leaders of our Sutton County 4-H Club!



Sutton County National Bank 207 Hwy. 277 N. Sonora, Texas





Coming or going?

There seemed to be some question in the minds of at least one sheep as a some of the animals to be shown during the Stck Show were unloaded at the 4-H Center last week. Staff photo/Clay Cates.

Publishers Comment

You must make frequent trips to Ol' Sonora Trading Co. in order to keep up with all the new things they continue to offer.

With this thought in mind, I do. In fact I've made three trips out there this week alone to view several paintings by Herman Walker. (I also like to see what new things LaVerne Benton has created. She is amazing!)

I've never met Walker and I don't know much about him other than the fact that the man is an absolute genius with a paint brush and pallette. His works are so perfect that it's is only on very close scrutiny that you discover they are oil paintings and not

As an amateur, and I stress amateur, with a brush, I am in awe of Mr. Walker and his ability to give every blade of grass it's own distinct character.

You may not be affected by his work as I am but it's worth a trip to Ol Sonora just to see it. In my opinion, I wouldn't be surprised to see Walkers name listed with those of Remington and Russell at some point in time.

We steered you wrong last week by stating an incorrect date on the Sheep Dog Trials. They will be held on Sunday, January 24 not the 31st.

If you have never attended a Sheep Dog Trial you might want to make plans now to attend. Even if you have no interest in ranching or sheep, you will be amazed at these dogs and their capacity to follow the commands of their master's.

The trials will start around 8 or 9 in the morning and continue through the day until the last dog has competed so you will have plenty of time during the day to drop by and watch for awhile. There will be trainers and working dogs from all across the U.S.

The Sheep Dog Trials in Sonora are held under the direction of Patti Strauch, DVM. Should you have any questions you may call her at 387-3784.

Speaking of out and about, stop by the 4-H Center this weekend where the 4-H Livestock Show will be

4-H is such a worthwhile youth organization because it covers so many facets of life and development for young people not the least of which is responsibility.

The young people who showing sheep have, in most cases, earned the money to purchase that sheep, have fed and cared for it and they also pay for the upkeep of the animal. Very little is "given" to them except the tireless assistance and support of family and 4-H leaders.

Incidentally, the Sutton County 4-H Club is rather unique among 4-H clubs in that it is self-supporting with most of it's funding coming from the annual

All are to be commended on their efforts.

Almost a year ago we established a "pen pal", Eric Moutter, in Palmerston North, New Zealand. He had somehow gotten the name of Sonora and wrote asking for any information regarding America.

We have sent him papers containing any of Sonora's special events since that time and have received some delightful replies from him.

Our mail several days ago contained a calendar from him depicting scenes from within New Zealand which is beautiful. We'd be happy to share it should you like to drop by and see it.

Thinking that calendars were standard regarless of their origin, we hung this one up to use. Then we discovered that all calendars are not created equal--this one runs Monday through Sunday instead of Sunday through Saturday. We will use it and enjoy though, not only because it is so pretty but also because it will keep us on our toes.

Convention set for San Antonio

The First American Sheep annual meetings in conjunction which will be interspersed with Industry Convention will take with the show. place in San Antonio beginning January 16 through the 20th. About 1,000 persons in various aspects of the sheep industry are expected to attend the event.

The National Wool Growers and Auxiliary, American Sheep Producers Council and the National Lamb Feeders Association will be holding their



by Diana Trainer

The Sonora Chamber of Commerce Big Buck Contest was a big success this year. We had many, many more entries than we did last year and we are planning on making it bigger and better

every year. Trey Wardlaw won a double gun guard with the heaviest local doe, and David Martin won a Ruger 77 .270 with the local overall best buck. Ronnie Henderson won \$30.00 worth of steaks from Vivian's Modern Way, Sam Nance won a nice Wrangler jacket from Spain's, Keith Wallace won a gift certificate from the Commercial Restaurant and Larry Finklea won a very large bottle of Wild Turley. The remainder of the prizes were won by lucky hunters from out of town, and hopefully they'll be back next year to try for more.

All you area rachers need to start thinking about listing with the Chamber of Commerce for next years hunting. I would like to have the list ready by the middle of February so we can get the jump on other counties.

The Chamber of Commerce has lots of projects in the works for the coming months, including the Chamber Banquet to be held March 29, and the Goat Burnin' which will be May 14 this year, so watch the paper for information concerning these projects.

I will be in Austin Monday, through Wednesday of next week so if you need anything urgent, please contact one of the Chamber

Thank you for supporting

The theme for the convention is "Connections" and will highlight how each of the industry organizations are making connections for the producers from legislative action to the lamb and textile industry and with educators and the industry leaders of the

Young people from across the U.S. will model their wool creations in the NWGA Auxiliary "Make It Yourself With Wool" contest finals.

In addition to the meetings and workshops of the four-day event the sites, sounds and tastes of San Antonio, the convention will also feature a Trade Show on January 19 and 20.

The Trade Show is aimed at giving sheep producers from across America a firsthand look at the agri-business people who make the industry work. From a local level, products from Ol' Sonora Trading Co. will be on display at the show.

Ol' Sonora Trading Co. is unique in the industry in that it uses locally grown mohair for all of the mohair products it distributes.

First National Bank of Sonora and Sutton County National Bank will both be closed on Monday, January 18 in observance of Martin Luther King's birthday

All facilities at both financial institutions will re-open regular hours on Tuesday, January 19.

Goat show . . .

(con't. from page 1) 10th Russell Chalk, Ruth Espy; 11th Barndon Faris, Mary K. Ross; 12th Farah Gee, Farah Gee; 13th Callie Moore, Rudasil; 14th Brandon Faris, Vernon Faris; 15th

Bonner Walsh, Bonner Walsh. Reg. Angora Yearling Does 1st Christopher Crowder, Corky Schwiening; 2nd Bonner Walsh, David Walsh; 3rd Farah Gee, Farah Gee.

Reg. Angora Aged Does 1st Cody Schenkel, B.E. Wilson; 2nd Bonner Walsh, Walsh.

Champion Reg. Angora Goat-Christopher Crowder, Corky Schwiening.

Reserve Champion-Shane Keller, Ruth Espy. Commercial Angora Buck

Kids 1st Brian Faris, Vernon Faris; 2nd Billy Fish, Juno Ranch Co.; 3rd Bonner Walsh, Margaret Galbreath; 4th Billy Fish, Juno Ranch Co.; 5th Bonner Walsh, Margaret Galbreath; 6th and 7th Farah Gee, Farah Gee; 8th Rebecca Chalk, Sammy Espy; 9th

Big buck . . .

(con't. from page 1) Downtown 387-2755 pounds, the buck was killed on Bill Stewart's ranch.

Sam Nance won 2nd with a sixteen point buck killed on the Harrison ranch. The eighty-eight pound buck had an eighteen inch spread.

Heaviest Doe Local

Trey Wardlaw won 1st with a sixty pound doe killed on the Wardlaw ranch. Wardlaw received a double gun guard.

Tracy Fincher won 2nd with a fifty-one pound doe.

All entrants had two chances to win since, in addition to the various divisions, their entry fees also entitled them to be included in a General Grandprize Drawing.

Winners of the Grandprize Drawing and their prize are: Bob Garst, Irving-Buck Knife; Willie Eckert, Lafayette-Overalls; Larry Finklea, Sonora-Wild Turkey; Sam Nance, Sonora-Jacket; Keith Wisniewsk, Kaufman-Skilsaw; Jim Mogonye, Elgin-Thermos Airpot; Bob Johnson, Dallas-Buck Knife Set; Steve West, Mansfield-Old Charter; Keith Wallace, Sonora-Gift Certificate from Commercial Restaurant; and Ronnie Henderson, Sonora-\$30 worth of steaks.

Phyllis Gee, Farah Gee; 10th and 11th T.S. Thorp, Tim Thorp; 12th Phyllis Gee, Farah Gee.

Commercial Angora Doe

Kids 1st Brandon Faris, Joe David Ross; 2nd April Spiller, Joe David Ross; 3rd and 4th Bonner Walsh, Margaret Galbreath; 5th April Spiller, Joe David Ross; 6th Cherie Morrow, Larry Finklea; 7th T.S. Thorp, Tim Thorp; 8th Farah Gee, Farah Gee; 9th Cody Renfro, Joe David Ross; 10th Billy Fish, Juno Ranch Co.; 11th T.J. Thorp, Tim Thorp; 12th Cherie Morrow, Larry Finklea; 13th Farah Gee, Farah Gee; 14th Phyllis Gee, Farah Gee; 15th Billy Fish, Juno Ranch Co.

Commercial Angora Yearling Does

1st Bonner Walsh, Margaret Galbreath; 2nd and 3rd Billy Fish, Juno Ranch Co.; 4th Farah Gee, Farah Gee; 5th Bonner Walsh, Margaret Galbreath; 6th Farah Gee, Farah Gee.

Commercial Angora Aged

Does 1st and 2nd Bonner Walsh, Margaret Galbreath; 3rd and 4th Cody Renfro, Renfro.

Champion Commercial Angora Goat-Brandon Faris, Joe David Ross.

Reserve Champion-April Spiller, Joe David Ross.

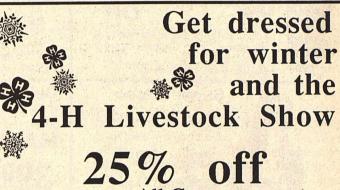
The conclusion of the 41st Annual show will be held this weekend at the 4-H Center. Come on out and watch, these young people will appreciate your support.

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Thursday, January 14

7:00 PM Arrival Deadline for Lambs

Friday, January 15

3:30 PM Market Lamb Show 5:00 PM Lamb Cooking Demo 7:00 PM Lamb Cooking Demo

Saturday, January 16

11:30 AM Barbecue Lunch 12 noon Auction Sale 1:30 PM Awards Presentation



First National Bank of Sonora

proud to be a sponsor of the 4-H Livestock Show

by Jackie Jaquez Yes, Sonora Cub Scouting is

"going great guns!" The scouting committee felt it would be nice to let-you-m-on what is going on.

First, let me say we have one of the fines bunches of boys there is. They are hard workers and have been a source of real joy as well as being a learning experience for each one of us.

Special thanks to all our den leaders and assistants and parents who have given of their time and efforts to make the year, thus far, such a success. A really special thanks goes to our Cubmaster, Claudia Dempsey, who has gone "above and beyond the call of duty" to make Cub Scouting the community and family oriented project it is meant to be; for making Cub Scouting fun ie., the participation skits at the pack meetings (you'd just have to be there!), etc.; for her dedication.

We would like to encourage all parents to attend the pack meetings and participate in the other projects going on--not only parents but all the citizens of

These boys are your future leaders, Sonora--and it's up to each one of us to help mold these boys into "trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean, and reverent" citizens.

So, come on, Sonora, let's back out Scouts in everyway!

Our December pack meeting was held on the eleventh at the Junior High Snack Bar.

Following the opening ceremony presented by Jeannette Thompson's den number 4, announcements were made and awards were presented.

Receiving awards were: Jamie Floyd, Handyman; Jerry Jackson, Bobcat, Artist and Showman; J.D. Jaquez, Handyman; James Jones, Bobocat; and Robert Carl Teaff, three silver arrows.

Then we had a participation skit followed by presentation of Christmas gifts to the boys. The gifts were Pinewood Derby kits

Next we had refreshments of peanut butter and jelly sandwiches, chips and soft drinks which were Fitzgearld's den number three and

Sylvia and Daniel Ponces' den number one was in charge of clean

We then left the Junior High and proceeded to the Nursing Home where we were joined by the Girl Scouts and were afforded the opportunity to share the joy of Christmas with the residents through the singing of Christmas Carols.

After caroling, the Cub Scouts were invited to the Fire Hall where we were treated to hot chocolate and cookies furnished by the Girl Scouts and their parents and leaders--a truly super ending to a very rewarding and special evening. Thanks, girls!

meetings the boys made gifts for some of the special people in our community. Each den made festive gift baskets which they distributed to the Nursing Home and the Senior Citizen's Center following the meal with the Senior Center on the twenty-third.

allowed to learn the joy giving and sharing and loving which is, after all, the spirit of the season. Our popcorn and candle sales in

terrific success. Thanks, Sonora, for your generosity and support. Several boys received awards in

The October pack meeting found Kerry Humphreys, Timmy Baldree, Jon Jon Zook, Junior Odom, Les (Robert) Holden, Mike Finn, Colely Thompson, Jeffrey Dietz, Jacob Mendez, Ricky Ponce, Pablo Moreno, Drew Dempsey and Jeremy Surber, all receiving Bobcat badges. Jamie Floyd, Curt Dempsey and Davis Hale all received Silver Arrow Points which were earned last year

During the November pack

for the Cubs and Lego Building sets for the Tigers and were from Pack 19.

furnished Mike Hale's and Wade Gloria Lopez's den number two.

Then Joe Jaquez's Webelos den number one closed this portion of the meeting with a prayer of thanksgiving and dedication.

One of the nicest treats of the month was the invitiation from the Senior Citizens Center to share in their Christmas dinner.

This writer was unable to attend but has been told that the turkey. dressing and trimmings were delicious!

Everyone went away, not only stuffed, but also bearing gifts from the Senior Citizens. Each parent received a handmade pin to wear and the boys all received fruit.

Thanks to everyone who helped to make this event possible.

During the December den

In this small way the boys were

November and December were a

the previous pack meeting and definitely deserve recognition.

but not awarded.

meeting Raymond Rainer received his Bobcat badge; J.D. Jaquez, Artist and Showman; Jamie Floyd, Artist and Showman:

First Baptist Church

Rev. Jim Stephen

Sunday School-9:45 am

Morning Worship-11 am

Church Training-6 pm

Evening Worship-7 pm

Wednesday Service-7 pm

St. Ann's Catholic Church

Rev. Lawrence D'Mello

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7 pm English

Sunday Mass-

8 am Spanish

11 am English

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Evening Service-6 pm

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Sunday SChool-10 am

Worship Service-11 am

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Walter Jack Couch

Walter Jack (Sonny) Couch died . January 3 at Harris Methodist Hospial in Dublin, Texas. Services were held January 5 at the First Baptist Church in Dublin. The Reverend Steve Hillhouse officiated with Reverend Randy Lynn assisting.

Couch is survived by his wife Dessie Couch, one daughter Glenna Hulsey, Sonora; sons Jimmy Couch, Dublin; Danny Couch and Richard Couch from Brownwod; two sisters, Mrs. Alvis Cates, Gustine, Texas; Mrs. Doug Hillhouse, Newburg, Texas; three brothers, Fred Couch, Gustine; Paul T. Couch, Arlington; Cullen Couch, Gustine; 14 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Pallbearers are W.D. Rustin, Ronald Paul Mathews, Tommy Mathis, Levi Adcock, Robert Mathews, Rocky Reed, Wayne Hulsey and John Couch, Jr.

Perry Henderson of Houston, Jack

Henderson of Austin and Gene

Henderson of Murchison; 27

grandchildren and 48 great

grandchildren; one sister, Mon

McDonald of Marble Falls; and

Clyde Henderson

Clyde Henderson, 88, of 2400 A Cottonwood in Georgetown, died Wednesday, January 6, 1988.

He was born September 20, 1899, to J.L. and Cornelia Ida Tooke Henderson in Valley Spring. Besides his parents, five sisters, three brothers and one son, Clyde C. Henderson of Oregon City, Oregon, preceded him in death.

Henderson was a racher most of his life near Sonora. After retirement, he moved to San Angelo where he was a member of Emmanuel Baptist Church. Two years ago, he moved to

Georgetown. Survivors are his wife Percy of Georgetown; four daughters, Mrs. Carl (Dorothy) Barho of Austin, Mrs. Evertt (Billy) Hearn of Sheridan, Mrs. John (Jill) Watkins of Carlsbad and Mrs. Gene (June) Parter of Georgetown; three sons,

Timmy Baldree, one Gold Arrow;

Robert Carl Teaff, Bear badge and

two Gold Arrow points; Jon Jon

Zook, Bear badge and one Gold

Arrow and two Silver Arrow

points; Colely Thompson Bear

Congratulations to all boys who

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guests on occasion at various

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of and an asset to our monthly

pack meetings. Thanks, Tigers for

your devotion to such a

worthwhile organization and we

are looking forward to you

becoming full-fledged members

next year. The Tigers also need

your encouragement, parents. So

Be sure and watch the paper for

keep up the good work.

future activities.

have received awards thus far.

badge.

one sister-in-law, Zelma Henderson of Eldorado, along with many nieces and nephews and loved ones, including Allie Askew of Sonora. Pallbearers are grandsons Carl Barho Jr. of Georgetown, Eddie Barho of Oak Hill, John Hearn of Arlington, Billy Don Hearn of Houston, Jay Taylor of Carlsbad,

Family will receive friends one hour before services at Harrell Funeral Home.

Chris Henderson of San Diego,

Calif., and Gary Prater of Carson,

Arrangements by Harrell Funeral Home in Austin, (512)443-1366.

Center Menu

Thursday, Jan. 14

Salmon Loaf W/Tartar Sauce, Hominy, Butter Broccoli, Mexican Corn Muffins, Coleslaw, Peanut **Butter Bars**

Friday, Jan 15

Baked Ham, Candied Yams, Buttered Brussel Sprouts, Hot Rolls, Fig Cake

Monday, Jan. 18 Beef Tacos w/Cheese, Spanish Rice, Lettuce & Tomatoes, Taco Shell, Salsa, Butterscotch Pudding

Tuesday, Jan. 19 Oven Fried Chicken, Lima Beans Buttered Broccoli, Corn Bread

Wednesday Jan. 20 Sweet'N'Sour Pork, Rice, Sweet Peas, Hot Rolls, Peanut Butter

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Queen contestants previewed

On Monday, January 18, the Sonora Lions Club will again be hosting their annual Ladies Nite and Queen Contest. Twelve young ladies from Sonora High School have been nominated by their classes to compete in the contest. Members of the District Lions board will serve as judges selecting the queen based on individual interviews.

Lions Club members and their spouses as well as the parents of the contestants and their escorts will be able to see the twelve contestants and their escorts presented at the dinner program to be held at 7 p.m. in the Junior High Snack Bar.

Senior Class Queen candidates and their escorts are: Delma Chavez, daughter of Victoriano and Rosalva Chavez, who will be escorted by George Arrendondo; Alicia Sanchez, daughter of Enrique and Antonio Sanchez, escorted by Peter Perez; Jannifer San Miguel, daughter of Mary and Blas Solis, escorted by Eddie Perez; Mary Ross, daughter of Joe David and Frances Ross, escorted by Justin Condra; Michele Adams, daughter of John and Elaine Adams, escorted by Mike Fullen; and Rachel Merck, daughter of Susan Bloodworth, escorted by Robert Harris.

Junior Class Queen candidates and escorts are: Kim Cooke, daughter of Mike and Vicki

Army News

Second Lt. Larry D. Cade was presented the Air Assault Badge upon graduation from the U.S. Army's air assault school at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii.

Trainees learned to rapidly and safely exit a helicopter from a variety of difficult situations, whether descending into tree tops or lowering themselves or injured soliders down sheer drops.

He is the son of Clay and Gaile Cade of 108 Kesselburg, Sonora,

The lieutentant is a 1979 graduate of Texas Tech University, Cooke, escorted by Decky Spiller; Lisa Martinez, daughter of Yolanda Martinez, escorted by John Gonzales; Anna Mesa, daughter of Modesto and Juana Mesa, escorted by Ruben Mesa; Norma Sosa, daughter of Bobby and Juanita Sosa, escorted by Eddie Virgen; Michelle

MARY ROSS

Villanueva, daughter of Miguel and Amparo Villanueva, escorted by Hugo Lujan; and Kay Williams, daughter of Alvis and Betty Williams, escorted by Trey Wardlaw.

Photo of Rachel Merck not available. All photos of contestants contributed.



MICHELE ADAMS





DELMA CHAVEZ



KAY WILLIAMS

Bronco's scratched by Bearcats

MICHELLE VILLANUEVA

by Gil Trainer

Christi Adkins, Kay Williams and Traci Teaff scored eight points each while the Ballinger Girl Varsity came from behind to win

NORMA SOSA

The Sonora team held a comfortable 36-28 least at the half and continued to lead until early in the fourth period. The Ballinger team went ahead to stay with

about six minutes left in the game. Agressive defense by Ballinger and cold shooting for the Broncos kept Sonora from getting any closer than three points.

The Sonora Boy's Varsity used a stingy defense and accuracy at the foul line to pull within three points of the Bearcats in the third period, but then Ballinger's height advantage came into play as they pulled away to win 60-39 and remain undefeated with a 15-0 record.

Michael Harris lead all Broncos scorers with 20 points.

and 0-1 in District play. In J-V action, the girls lost 35-31 and the boys were defeated by a

score of 45-39.

Sonora's season record is 8-7



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"A time to look back and a time to look forward." This is a good definition of the years end.

The month of January was named for the Roman god Janus who had two faces, one looking forward and one looking backward.

Be at war with your vices, at peace with your neighbors, and let every New Year find you a better person.

Smile at people. It takes 72 muscles to frown--only 14 to

Patience is a good thing to exercise, but a bad thing to

Sims listed in Who's Who

LeeAnn Sims, a senior physical education major from Sonora, has been selected to the 1988 Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

A campus nominating committee and editors of the annual directory selected Ms. Sims based on her academic achievements, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and potential for continued success.

She joins an elite group of students from more than 1,400 institutions of higher learning in all 50 states, the District of Columbia and several foreign nations.

Outstanding students have been honored in the annual directory since it was first published in 1934.

Fifty-six Angelo State University students were selected to appear in the 1988 directory.

> "Ronnie Cox would like to be your pharmacist"

It's a dirty shame there is so much pollution. The world changes so fast that a man couldn't be wrong all of the

Burn the candle at both ends and you double your chances of getting your fingers burned. Thirty days hath September,

April, June and the speed offender. Happiness is finding your glasses soon enough to remember

If you insist on a place in the sun-expect blisters. The worst thing about growing

old is having to listen to alot of Failure always follows the path advice from one's children. of least persistence.

A bachelor is a man who has no ties except those that need pressing.

what you needed them for.

If you would keep up with the Joneses, you must increase your

People gamble on anything. Some people save money on the chance it may be valuable some

If there's anything we can't stand

is people who talk while we're interrupting.

Lift for the Week

Be generous with praise--cautious



Mohair the Diamond Fabric is available in all forms at Ol' Sonora Trading Co. including these gorgeous throws for only \$79.

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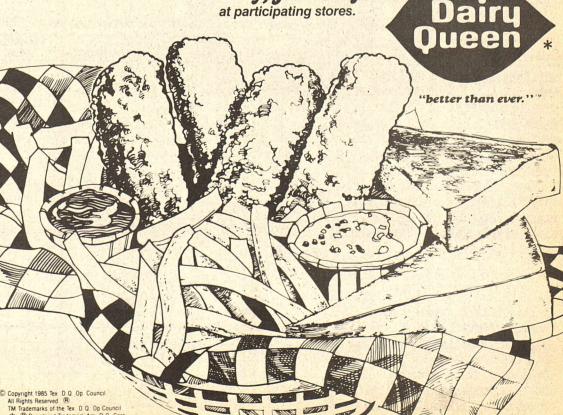
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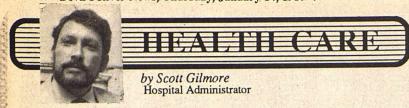
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Fortunately, most food-drug interactions are not so hazardous. But they can still cause problems.

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Here are a few you should know: dairy products impair the absorption of tetracycline compounds; natural licorice flavoring raises blood pressure and can conteract high blood pressure medications; eating lots of vitamin K-rich foods like liver and leafy green vegetables may hinder the effectiveness of anticoagulants.

Drugs can also effect the way your body uses foods. Colchinine, used to treat gout, and mineral oil, found in some over-the-counter laxatives can prevent nutrients from being absorbed into the body through the bowel wall. Oral contraceptives deplete folic acid and vitamin B6. Diuretics or "water pills" deplete potassium.

The good news is that undesirable food-drug interactions can be avoided. Start by asking your doctor or pharmacist exactly when you should take your medication and whether you should avoid consuming food or beverages. Be sure to read labels on all medications.

Take drugs with water. Don't take them with milk, soft drinks, or juice unless your doctor approves.

And remember: ALCOHOL IS A DRUG. It reacts badly with many other drugs including antibiotics, antihistamines, anticoagulants, antidiabetic drugs like insulin, high blood pressure drugs, MAO inhibitors, sedatives and antidepressants. Even alcohol and aspirin taken together can severly irritate the stomach lining. It's best to avoid alcoholic beverages when taking any type of medication.

Six-weeks exams are over and it

is time to move on to bigger

things. The exam schedule for this

week is First Period Exam on

Wednesday; Second, Fourth and

Sixth Period Exams on Thursday;

and Third, Fifth and Seventh

Period Exams on Friday. School

will be dismissed at 3:30 on

Thursday and Friday. Report cards

evening for the Lion's Club dinner

and annual crowning of the Lion's

Club Queen. The high school

Monday, January 18, is the

will come out next Wednesday.

Classified rates to increase

Classified advertisers in the Devil's River News could find themselves paying slightly higher rates beginning February 1, 1988.

According to Ann Cates, publisher and editor of the paper, the greatest difference in the pricing stucture for the word ads will come in the form of the one time ad if it is not paid when it is placed.

"In the past we have offered a slight incentive to classified advertisers to pay for their ad at the time of placement. When the increase goes into effect on February 1, that incentive will be

greater," Cates said. "It's a matter of simple economics, if we do not have the billing time nor the postage, we can offer the classified service at a lower price.

"It will also work as an inducement for people to pay for their ads. It's easy to forget to pay a two or three dollar statement when it's received. While, as a one time incident, this does not represent a great loss to the newspaper when it is multiplied by several users over a period of time it adds up.

"Each time that statement is

forgotten, it costs us additional time to prepare and mail another statement and in time, the unpaid ad winds up costing the paper. To cover losses, most businesses eventually pass the costs on to their paying customers in some form. We wish to avoid doing this." Cates concluded.

The rate increase will not affect the cost of ads in place on the effective date of the increase. The new rates will be published prior to their implementation. This is the first classified ad rate increase since February, 1986.

Low income households may be eligible for energy assistance

Some low-income Texans may be eligible for help in paying heating bills this winter through the Home Energy Assistance Program, according to Texas Department of Human Services Commissioner Marlin Johnston.

Johnston said the one-time payment is available to many lowincome households. Applications for energy assistance were mailed to households that receive food stamps, Aid to Families with Dependent Children, or Supplemental Security Income in December. Other low-income individuals may request an application from local DHS offices during the enrollment period of January 15 through

choir will be singing for this

event. Congratulations to all the

girls who were selected by their

peers and good luck to all of you.

Chuck Harris, Mark Wooten and

Catherine Kepler will be traveling

to Stephenville this weekend for

All-Region Clinic and Concert.

Solo and ensemble contests will

be held in San Angelo on

February 20. Best of luck to all of

Show will begin Friday at 3:30 at

the 4-H Barn. Everyone is

welcome to come watch and

support the youth who will be

competing. Sandwiches and drinks

will be available for those who

want to stay through dinner. On

Saturday, January 16, there will be

a free barbeque lunch followed by

the sale. Please come and

The Sutton County 4-H Lamb

the participants.

News from Sonora High School

by Heather Bunkley

Eligibility is limited by gross income and resources. Aid is available for a one-income household having less than \$589.49 gross income per month. The gross income limits are \$781.49 for household of two persons, \$973.49 for three, \$1,165.49 for four, \$1,357.49 for five and \$1,549.49 for six.

Households are eligible if the cost for heating is included in the rent payment or if the household pays a portion of its home energy

Energy assistance checks are sent directly to the people who are eligible for assistance. However, the checks are made payable to the energy provider.

State law takes effect

Under a law passed by the 70th Texas Legislature, hospitals are required to identify potential organ/tissue donors at or near death, inform the family of the option to donate, and document the approach and its disposition. The state law became effective January 1, while a similar federal law took effect November 20,

A written protocol for conforming with the state law is required of each hospital in the state, and hospitals in the Medicare and Medicaid program must comply with the federal law, according to Matthew T. Wall, staff attorney with the Texas Hospital Association.

"The protocol must provide for trained individuals to perform the approach to the family of a dying patient and inform them of the option to donate," Wall said.

"Neither the federal or state laws require asking the family for the organs or tissues of their loved ones. This is not the intent of these new laws. Rather, they envision the approaching of the family to determine/identify whether the deceased or dying patient was an organ or tissue donor, as evidence for example by a signed donor card. If not, then the hospital must simply inform the family of their option to donate or decline donation, and document the approach and its disposition," the attorney explained.

Under the new state law, no

inquiry is required: if the decedent is medically unsuitable for donation, there is actual notice of objections to donation by the decedent or persons authorized to make a donation, or if the hospital has not been notified by a procurement organization as to current medical needs for organs/tissues and the organization's availability for retrieval.

"In considering organ or tissue donation, families should keep in mind that no costs are incurred by the donor family, and that the identity of both the donor and recipient are kept confidential. No visible alteration to the body and no interference with funeral arrangements is anticipated," Wall noted.

"The best time to think about organ or tissue donation is while you are well, and decisions to donate should be shared with family members," noted THA President Terry Townsend. "These laws were drafted in response to a critical shortage of organs and tissues. In complying with these laws which the health care industry supported, hospitals will be sensitive to dying patients and families. Organ and tissue donations from dying patients literally will provide life for others. For donors and their families, it can be a final act of love, a way to make death meaningful. For recipients, it's a chance to live a productive life once again."

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Trappers-beware

by Patti Strauch

Plague, or Black Death, as it was called in the middle ages, is an extremely infectious disease caused by the bacillus, yersenia pestis. It is primarily a rodent disease transmitted from animal to animal by fleas. Carnivores such as foxes, coyotes, bobcates, dogs

and cats can be infected also. Plague can be trasmitted from infected animals to humans either by fleas or by direct contact (skinning varmints). Hunters and trappers are at special risk because

of this. Plague can take three clinical forms: Bubonic, Pnemonic and Septicemic. Since the mortality rates for untreated plague can run as high as 70%, anyone showing signs of illness after skinning varmints should contact their physician. Trappers can use insect repellants on themselves and spray the varmints for fleas before skinning. Rubber gloves can be worn to protect the hands from blood and body fluids.

Wax not harmful

Which would you choose -- a bright, shiny orange or one one with a dull matte finish?

The average consumer will choose the shiny orange, which is one reason why more varieties of fruit and vegetables are bing waxed before they reach the market.

Marilyn Haggard, a food marketing expert with the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service, says that over 20 varieties of fruits and vegetables, including apples, cucumbers, eggplants, citrus, sweet potatoes and tomatoes are waxed.

"In spite of the fact that people like the look of waxed produce, we also get questions about its safety," says Haggard. "Like other food additives, food waxes made in the U.S. have been tested and

found safe by the Food and Drug Administration." According to the specialists,

some of the most common food waxes produced in this country are carnauba, which is made from a type of palm leaf and petroleumbased waxes which contain the same ingredients as chewing gum Some imported produce may be

coated with a substance containing beef tallow, Haggard says, although tallow-based wax is not used on domestic produce.

"In addition to eye-appeal, the waxes have the advantage of reducing the loss of moisture and keeping the product from shriveling," she adds.

Washing will reduce, but often not completely remove food waxes, the specialist observes.

What are the uses of a newspaper?

According to Publishers' Auxiliary, Gaither Perry, editor and general manager of the Clinton, North Carolina Sampson Independent wanted to know what its readers did with the paper once they got it.

Perry is reported as saying, "We decided to have some fun, so we sponsored a contest asking readers

to submit a list of all the uses they could think of for a newspaper. The response in this rather difficult task was great. The responses themselves were extremely imaginative as well as

unusual uses submitted gave him

practical."

practical. Well, most were Publishers' Auxiliary states that Perry said some of the more

newspaper is.

a new outlook on how versatile a

· Wrapping paper for gifts.

· To carry logs.

 To hide Easter eggs. To make a four-leaf clover.

· To make life-size clothes. · To find a date.

· To cover up ugly things.

· To puff up a book bag.

· To cut out letters for secret messages. · To wrap hams.

· To roll up and kill bugs.

• To use as a hat.

number 107 on the list.

· To use as a rug.

· To use as curtains.

· To wrap your used gum. · To put false teeth in. Incidentally, reading ranked

REPORT OF COUNTY TREASURER OF SUTTON COUNTY, TEXAS, OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FROM October 1, 1987 TO Dec. 31, 1987

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Interest & Sinking, 19	71,459.36	7,694.22		68,975.97			63,756.27
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Public Notice

Sutton County Commissioners' Court is soliciting sealed bids for a contractor for general finish work at the Road and Bridge Building, including carpentry, painting, concrete, electrical, heating and cooling, plumbing and gasoline Angelo. bay. Bid forms and specifications can be obtained at the office of the County Judge in the Courthouse Annex Monday through Friday 11 month old male miniature Collie, A.M. and 5:00 o'clock P.M. All bids should be delivered to the County Judge at the above address or mailed to P.O. Box 1212, Sonora, Texas 76950, by 9:00 o'clock A.M. on Monday, February 1, 1988, at which time bids will be opened and accepted or rejected in a meeting of the Sutton County Commissioners' Court, to be held Courthouse Annex in Sonora, Texas.

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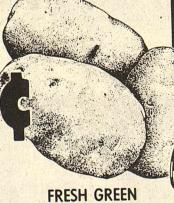
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