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## Sonora bands bring awards home

The Sonora 8th Grade Colt Band and the Mighty Bronco Band competed in the Region VII (West Zone) U.I.L. Band Concert and Sightreading Contest on April 13 in Coleman.

The Junior High Band, the last band to perform before lunch, paved the road to success with three straight 1st Division ratings in the concert contest and then continued their streak with three more 1st Division ratings from the sightreading judges.

As a result of their accomplishment, the 8th Grade Band received the coveted Sweepstakes trophy, the highest award that the University Interscholastic League bestows upon Junior high bands. This is the first Sweepstakes award for Sonora Junior High in eight

years and was the only Sweepstakes trophy awarded to a junior high band at Thursday's contest.

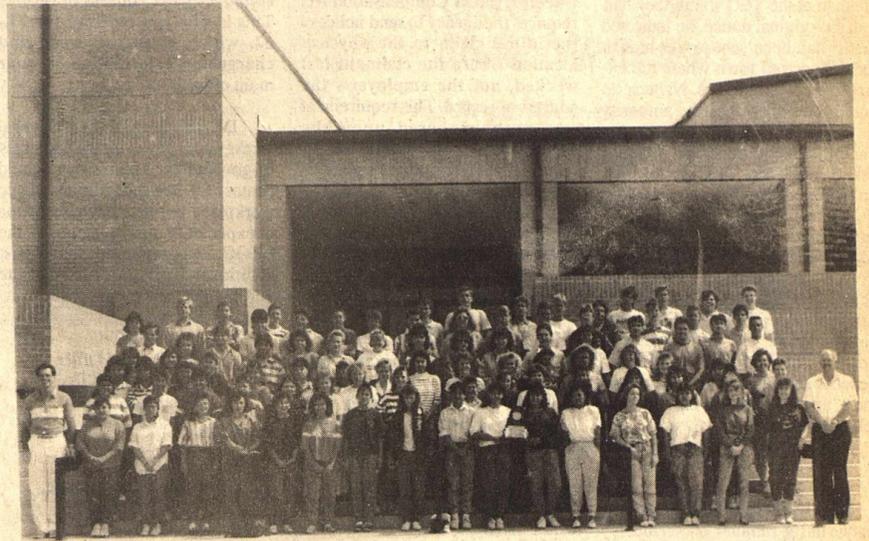
After their performance, the junior high band went to the Coleman Pizza Hut for lunch. As they were leaving, the manager, who was weary from feeding numerous band groups for several hours, commented to Mark Nelson, the Junior High Band Director, that the Sonora students were the most polite and well-behaved group she has served that day.

The Mighty Bronco Band, under the direction of Bryant Harris, was the last band of the day to perform. Their performance slot, following the Fredericksburg High School Band which was just this year moved down from the AAA

category, was considered by many directors to be the "coffin corner" of the day.

The high school students proceeded to put on their finest performance of the year and walked away with six 1st Division ratings from the concert and sightreading panels. The high school band received the Special Award trophy for high school bands receiving 1st Division ratings in these two categories.

Mr. Harris and Mr. Nelson would both like to express their thanks to the band students for the hours of hard work required to have winning bands and to the parents, administration, school board and the town of Sonora for their continued support.



The 8th Grade Band received the Sweepstakes trophy for the first time in eight years. It was the only Sweepstakes trophy awarded to a Junior High Band in the competition. Contributed photo.

## Board accepts June resignation of both Mr. and Mrs. Ramos

Among the items of the agenda for the Board of Trustees of the Sonora Independent School District as they met in regular session on

The Board adopted the following school calendar for 1989-90

Aug. 25	Local Inservice	
Aug. 28	Local Inservice	
Aug. 29	Co-op Inservice	
Aug. 30-31	Teacher Preparation Days	
Sept. 1	Begin 1st Six Weeks	
Sept. 4	Labor Day Holiday	
Oct. 13	End 1st Six Weeks	30 days
Oct. 16	Begin 2nd Six Weeks	
Nov. 22	End 2nd Six Weeks	28 days
Nov. 23-24	Thanksgiving Holidays	
Nov. 27	Begin 3rd Six Weeks	
Dec. 23-Jan. 1	Christmas Holidays	
Jan. 2	Classes Resume	
Jan. 11	End 3rd Six Weeks	28 days
	Days in 1st Semester	86
Jan. 12	Teacher Preparation Day	
Jan. 15	Begin 4th Six Weeks	
Feb. 9	Teacher Work Day (Speech Meet)	
Feb. 23	End 4th Six Weeks	29 days
Feb. 26	Begin 5th Six Weeks	
Mar. 14-16	Spring Break	
Mar. 19	Classes Resume	
April 12	End 5th Six Weeks	31 days
April 13, 16	Easter Break	
April 17	Begin 6th Six Weeks	
May 25	End 6th Six Weeks	29 days
May 26	Teacher Workday	
	Days in 2nd Semester	89
	CLASS DAYS IN SCHOOL YEAR	175
	Total Teacher Inservice and Work days	8
	Bad Weather Makeup Days: March 14, 15, 1990	
	Commencement, Class of 1990: Friday, May 25, 1990.	

April 12, was the resignations of Miquel Ramos, Intermediate School principal, and Mrs. Ramos, Primary teacher, effective June 5. Mr. Ramos is going to Sweetwater as Junior High Principal and Mrs. Ramos as a teacher.

Chief Appraiser Rex Ann Friess told the Board that after review of protests, the State Tax Board had lowered its estimate of the value of Sutton County pasture land to a more realistic figure. She concluded her report with the status of delinquent taxes and stated that current collections are down one-half of one percent from this time last year.

Superintendent James Bible continued with the suggestion of closing off the high school student parking lot exit adjacent to the apartment complex in order to reduce the number of accidents caused by poor visibility. The Board agreed to the installation of a chain across the drive as a deterrent.

Bible concluded his remarks with presentation of a request from the tennis coach to use the tennis courts for a public tennis clinic from May 29 through June 9. Permission was granted.

Principals reported campus enrollment as follows: High School, 302; Junior High, 228; Intermediate, 251; Primary, 279; for a total enrollment of 1,060 students.

Nathan Kiser, president and CEO of Kiser Engineering, Inc., of Seguin, addressed the Board on the federally-mandated asbestos abatement program. He said the federal grant and 20-year interest-free loan in the amount of \$225,000 submitted by his firm on behalf of the district was being evaluated in Washington, and news of its standing and progress should be available within two or three weeks.

Mr. Kiser continued with a cost estimate of \$120,000 to \$150,000 for the priorities one and two friable asbestos removal work which should be done during the 1989 summer months.

## Meeting set for April 20, 7 p.m.

Family violence deeply affects all that it touches and it perpetuates from generation to generation. There are alternatives to situations involving family violence.

Concerned citizens of Sonora are invited to attend a meeting on Thursday, April 20 in the basement of the First United Methodist Church to discuss the establishment of a temporary safe-house in Sonora. The meeting will begin at 7 p.m.

The purpose of the temporary safe house will be to provide temporary shelter to the women of abuse and their children while transportation to the San Angelo Family Shelter is arranged. The premise of the temporary safe-house in Sonora is in the early planning stages and input from local citizens is most important. Volunteers will play the leading role in helping to rebuild the lives of the victims of abuse in our area.

If you are a person who is committed to helping others, you are encouraged to attend this planning meeting.

For additional information concerning the establishment of the temporary safe-house please call the Devil's River News, 387-2507.

If you are a victim of abuse, the San Angelo Family Shelter maintains a 24-hour Hotline---655-5774--- for help, referral and information regarding domestic violence.

## Informational Guide included in issue

The Sutton County and City of Sonora Emergency Management Service Disaster Warning and Public Information Guide, prepared by Sutton County and the City of Sonora, is included in this issue of the Devil's River News. For your convenience, the guide is presented in both English and Spanish.

The pamphlet contains material pertaining to natural and man-made disasters which could save your life or that of a loved one by helping you be prepared for emergency situations.

It explains the difference between "watches" and "warnings"; what to do in cases of heat exhaustion or hypothermia; how to react to high pressure blow-outs or spills of hazardous materials; and it includes phone numbers to call in case of emergency.

Please read and discuss the material included in the guide with your family. After reading the information, it's suggested that you put the pamphlet in a place for easy reference should the need arise.



The Mighty Bronco Band played their way to six 1st Division ratings in concert and sightreading. They were given the Special Award for placing first in both categories. Contributed photo.

## Briefly

### Absentee voting

Absentee voting by personal appearance began Monday, April 17 and will continue through Tuesday, May 2 at 5 pm.

With the change in voting laws, a voter is no longer required to have a valid reason in order to vote absentee.

### Immunization clinic

The Texas Department of Health will be conducting an Immunization Clinic on Tuesday, April 25. The hours for the clinic are 9:30 to 12 and 1 to 3.

The clinic is located at 107 Wilson, next door to the Senior Center.

### Testing and counseling

Planned Parenthood of West Texas, Inc. will begin confidential AIDS testing and counseling in San Angelo on the following dates and times: Wednesday, April 12, 2-6 pm; Thursday, April 13, 8 am-1 pm; Wednesday, April 26, 2-6 pm; Thursday, April 27, 8 am-1 pm.

The clinic is located at 2619 Sherwood Way, phone 944-1901.

### Team tryouts

Major League tryouts will be Saturday, April 22, 10 am at the County Park Baseball Field.

### Mother's Day Raffle

Los Amigos Club will be having a Mothers Day Raffle on May 7, 1989 to benefit the Cindy Favila Memorial Scholarship Fund.

First prize is a \$25 gift certificate from Sutton County Steakhouse; Second prize is a \$25 gift certificate from Flowers by Irene; Third prize is a \$25 gift certificate from Enequina's Hair Fashions. Donations are \$1 each and may be purchased from any member of Los Amigos.

### Applications available

Applications for the Cindy Favila Memorial Scholarship are now being accepted at Sonora High School.

This award is presented annually by the Los Amigos Club. All Sonora High School Seniors are welcome to apply. The deadline for this application is April 21, 1989. Contact Jeryl Fields or Delia

Samaniego.

### Lodge meeting

Dec Ora Lodge #715 stated meeting is the third Thursday of every month with a meal served at 6:30 pm and the meeting following at 7:30.

### Predator problems

Ranchers of the area need to be aware of an increasing predator problem in some areas.

If you would be interested in joining a trapping club or if you have questions regarding predator control call John Wade at 387-2908.

### Al-Anon meetings

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

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

### Hotline number

Violence need not be a part of your life. Call the Family Shelter in San Angelo at 655-5774. Transportation to the Shelter is available.

### Gifted, talented program

Sonora ISD's Gifted and Talented program is available for those students who will be in kindergarten through 12th grades next year and who meet certain eligibility criteria.

In order to be considered for the program, a student must meet at least one of the following criteria on the current achievement test: have an IQ of 120 or above; score in the 95th National Percentile (NP) or above in math or in reading.

All tests scores are reviewed by administrators and those students who meet the above criteria are automatically considered for the program.

As a means of insuring that no eligible student is overlooked, parents of eligible students are asked to nominate their student in writing to the building principal no later than Friday, May 12, at 3:30 pm.

## Depot Roof Countdown

Weeks remaining in campaign: 20  
Sq. Ft. left to adopt: 968  
Make checks payable to SCHS-Depot Roof and mail to Depot Roof, P.O. Box 885, Sonora, Texas 76950 or drop by Westerman Drug.

## On-site claim response is vital

DEAR COMMISSIONER NABERS: We received a notice, FL 62, today from the TEC on a former employee of ours who has evidently been given unemployment benefits. This is the first we have heard about this claim, yet the form ask for no information and refers to the PRIOR NOTICE we were sent. When I called the local office, I was told that a notice of the initial claim had been sent 12 days ago and because we did not respond, we were not an interested party to the claim. Furthermore, when I asked the man at the TEC where they had sent the original notice, he indicated that it had been sent to our branch location across town where the ex-employee worked. Mrs. Nabers, no one in that office has the authority to respond to a claim for unemployment benefits. When I asked why the TEC sends one notice one place but can send this FL 62 to the main office, the man said that was just the law. Meanwhile, I located the original notice which was lying on someone's desk at that branch office. Why does the TEC do this, and what are my options at this point? The individual claiming benefits absolutely does not deserve them, and we have had no chance to tell our side of the story.

B.L.  
Dallas, Tx.

DEAR B.L.: The TEC sends notice in the manner prescribed by

Commissioner

Mary Scott Nabers



Texas Business Today

law and your option at this point are minimal to non-existent. Let me explain.

Section 6(b) of the Texas Unemployment Compensation Act requires the agency to send notice of the initial claim to the physical location where the claimant last worked, not the employer's tax address of record. This requirement was probably based upon the assumption that someone in authority at the employer's place of business is likely to know the circumstances of the claimant's separation from work because the claimant actually worked there on the premises. The agency needs this separation information in order to make a timely, well informed decision on the claim.

You should designate one individual at all of your branch locations to deal immediately with claims for unemployment benefits. Have them call the main office for instructions if necessary. I do not recommend requiring them to forward any notices to your main office because too much time is

lost in the mail. The employer has only 12 days to respond or it waives all right on the claim. Checks the address on the notice of initial claim you found at the branch office. If the address is correct, there is nothing more you can do. By failing to respond within the 12 days you have forfeited your company's right to protest the claim. If the address is defective in some way, you should write a letter of appeal to the Appeal Tribunal in Austin and raise this as an issue.

Notices other than the notice of initial claim are always sent to the employer's tax address of record. This is why you received the FL-62, which gives you wage and chargeback information, at your main office.

DEAR READERS: Several weeks ago, I gave you the addresses of government agencies you could contact for free federally mandated workplace posters. Because of the unexpectedly heavy demand, the EEOC has requested that I list additional EEOC locations where you can get their poster:

EEOC  
Dallas District Office  
8303 Elmbrook Dr.  
Dallas, Tx. 75247  
214/767-7015

EEOC  
Houston District Office  
405 Main St.  
6th Floor  
Houston, Tx. 77002  
713/226-2601

Commissioner Mary Scott Nabers represents all Texas employers. If you have any questions you want answered, please write Commissioner Nabers at: TEXAS BUSINESS TODAY, 614 TEC Building, 15th and Congress, Austin, Tx. 78778.

### Social Service Providers to host seminar

San Angelo Social Service Providers will host a seminar April 27 and 28 in the Houston Harte University Center at Angelo State University. The seminar will run from 8:30 to 4:30 both days. Cost is \$20 which includes lunch both days and Continuing Education Credits.

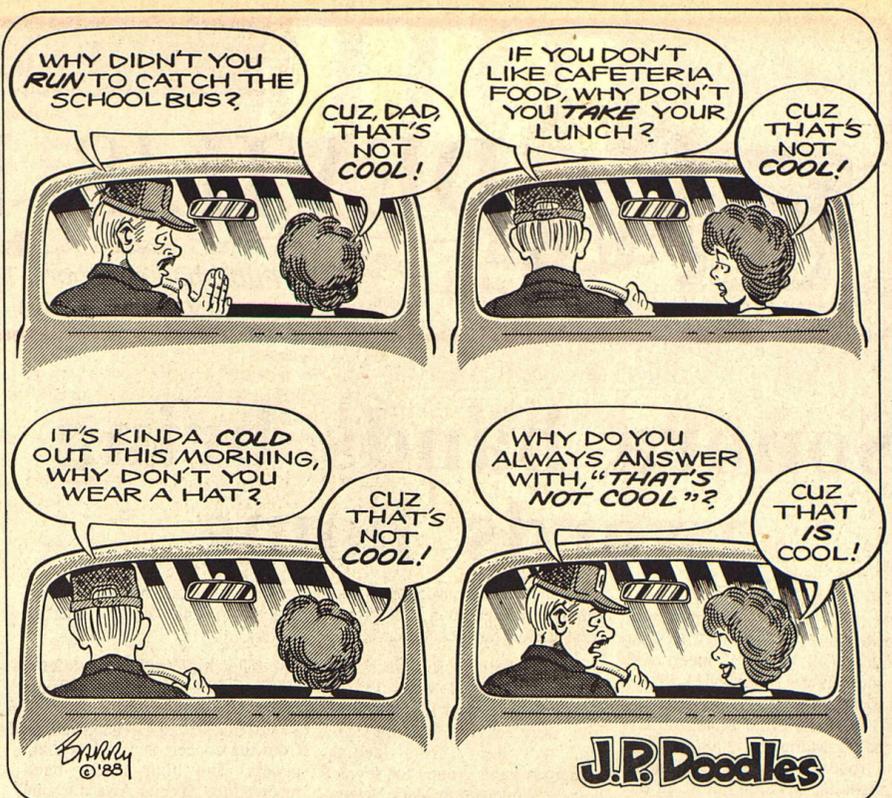
A number of issues will be addressed including "Getting Access to Governmental Agencies", "Liability Insurance for Non-Profit Agencies", "The Alien Dilemma", and "Minority Recruitment for Staff and Boards."

Other topics to be presented include "Inter-generational Communication", "Skills for Strengthening Your Marriage", "Dysfunctional Helping Relationships-The Happy Helper", and "You Are What You Write: Graphology as a Tool for Improving Self-Esteem" along with several others.

Several public and non-profit agencies will be giving presentations concerning their services. There will also be a "Share Fair" which will be an information exchange for public and non-profit agencies as well as interested private agencies. This will allow for pamphlets, posters, and other handouts to be exhibited. Space will also be available for displays.

Guest speakers for lunch will include Reverend Craig Meyers who will speak on Thursday concerning professional ethics and State Representative Robert Junell who will address the group Friday on the topic of legislative concerns in Social Services.

The public is invited to attend. Reservations must be made by Friday, April 21. For reservations or for more information call 949-8056.



## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Editors note: Letters to the Editor must be signed and include a telephone number or address where the author can be contacted for verification of authenticity.

Dear Editor,

The Sutton County and City of Sonora Emergency Management Service Disaster Warning and Public Information Guide pamphlet project started more than a year ago. The Sutton County Emergency Management Office and the Sutton County Emergency Medical Service are one combined county office. Therefore, with many on-going projects and training programs, this project seemed like a large task to complete.

Today the pamphlet is inserted in the *Devil's River News*, and I am thankful to the people who have helped support this endeavor.

Those involved were: Brent Gesch, my sounding board when I wasn't using common sense. Mona Simpler put words on paper when they wouldn't come together for me. Treva McReynolds spent hours and hours of typing and retyping. The County Judge listened to me moan and the commissioners gave their support to the project. Sylvia Ponce was my life saver in doing the Spanish translation. Last, but not least, I could not have completed this project without Ann Cate's witty artwork and helping with proper form and correction.

Appreciation falls as a gentle rain from heaven on parched land, I certainly appreciate these people for their support, help, and friendship.

### Can physical exercise help prevent cancer

Nobody knows for sure, reports *Prevention*, but some studies reveal an interesting link between exercise and some kinds of cancer.

Take colon cancer. Three separate studies in the last four years show that men with physically active jobs are much less likely to develop colon cancer than accountants, lawyers, and others who are more sedentary.

Then there's breast cancer. Harvard University researchers found that women active in college sports later developed significantly less breast cancer than their inactive peers.

These students don't prove that exercise prevents cancer. But researchers say the studies have all reached the same conclusion: physically active people are less prone to certain types of cancer.

I sincerely hope this pamphlet is never needed, but odds are you will need some of this information. I hope it will be helpful to you and your family.

Lenora Pool

Dear Editor,

On my recent trip through Sonora I met some fine people.

I would like to thank everyone for their kindness and hospitality, recognizing in particular Mr. Cahill who was kind enough to haul water for my horses; LaVerne Benton who helped me find those who helped; Dr. Johnny Fields for putting my horses up while I was there; and Preston Love for giving me a place to stay.

God bless all of you,  
Johnny Granger

Dear Editor,

We would like to express our heartfelt thanks to the Sutton County Sheriff's Department.

Sunday night we were stranded about six miles east of Sonora on IH-10. One of your observant deputies noticed our hazard flashers

from the service road and promptly came to our aid. He was very courteous and helpful and stayed with us until the wrecker arrived. We wish we knew his name but since we didn't get it, we hope he'll know he's appreciated.

The next time you see a deputy with someone "pulled over," realize that he may be doing a good deed instead of handing out a ticket.

We would also like to thank Lonnie Holmes and his family for their help too.

Sincerely,  
Dr. and Mrs. Richard Morgan  
Mason, Texas

We would like to take this opportunity to thank each of the persons who help with donated food and money for all our funeral meals.

Without your help we could not do it.

Thanks and God bless all of you.

Ladies in charge  
of Funeral Meals  
Bea, Maggie, Anna,  
Ofilia, Elida, and all helpers

## ONE MAN'S OPINION

by T. Driskell

We do not have much time, if any, to begin correction of what ails us. Look, I invite you, at the welfare system, talk to the people, and project the changes into the future. Like any other facet of local, state, or national government one examines closely; the hulking image of a gigantic deceptive charade looms over it. The first thing that one sees is the percentage which is totally void of any work ethic.

The contrast is painful against the 1929 to 1932 work force that refused, as unethical, welfare if they could not work to earn it. Go, then to Brownsville and observe the so called "political refugees" and evaluate their adapt-ability to our work force. Your answer must be parasitic rather than contributory, along with how many million illegals? Our work force's fundamental work ethic is on the very verge of extinction. Our money is being spent protecting river snakes, minnows, coyotes, and red wolves; the dementia of misdirection supposedly.

The welfare system is overloaded by two groups: First, the non-working recipients, for obvious reasons. Second the program's administrators whose salary, promotion opportunity and employment depend on the number of welfare cases they care for. The remuneration is great incentive to get more individuals to go on welfare and to stay on welfare, and on the sleazy edge to opportunely miss duplications. A traffic count between Puerto Rico and New York when New York benefits are paid and between Atlanta and Birmingham during the payment period, followed by a check for duplication in welfare payments among repetitive travelers should be very enlightening. Indubitability, the ACLU would jump on that with both feet and call it infringement on personal rights. It is unfortunate that taxpayers have no rights.

The welfare system is not unique, and before we adjust it, we must sweep in front of our own stoop. We are a complex conglomerate of "holy cows" bred in misconception and nurtured in the inability or unwillingness to consider the

reality of today and take appropriate action to meet the eventualities of tomorrow.

Where did we get the Holy Cow: "We are responsible for the welfare of the free world"? It began to emerge in the World War I period and was a roaring monster by the end of World War II. It was so hale and hearty that some cattle raising group must have decided to crossbreed it with the economic concept of using military adventure to eradicate the slumps in the normal capitalistic cycles. What emerged was a real rip-snorting hybrid that was a major contributor to our present position. We have a whole herd of these and other hybrids all equally devastating and infected with hoof and mouth disease. If you doubt, sit one day in the legislature (you pick the state).

Let's look at our present position. We have believed that money is the only motivator and we have dissipated the greatest blend of indigenous raw materials in any nation on this earth. The work ethic of our work force and product pride is nearing extinction. We advocate free trade which has allowed foreign producers to dominate our market with their products to such an extent that they are buying up our means of production.

The bottom line is not very palatable; Loss of means of production; an ever diminishing raw material base; an almost extinct work ethic; and education system at the bottom of the industrialized nations; a spiraling national debt; and an unwillingness to look at, much less cope with the problems. How do YOU spell bankruptcy?

The exclamation points are in today activities. Our major import is petroleum. Close behind is NARCOTICS and Japan carries away 10 to 20 billion or more a year from free trade (which we do not enjoy in Japan). Can we not bite the bullet, review our fundamental arithmetic and rigorously apply it to our personal activities then our government activities, or are the Roe versus Wade and Evolution versus Creationism more important questions than national survival?

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## CHAMBER CHATTER

by Debbie Farrar

The Chamber is working on the annual Goat Cook-Off. The Goat Cook-Off is set for May 20, 1989 along with the Trade Days.

The Sutton County Days Association will be holding a Play Day. We will be having Horseshoe and Washer Pitching, Trade Days, and Food Booths. We are still making plans so watch for more to come.

We are also getting underway our 5th annual Tennis Tournament to be held on June 3, 1989.

Sutton County Days will be August 25 and 26 this year. We are in process of getting it underway. Our Centennial is approaching rapidly, if you have ideas or would like to help in any way, please contact the Chamber Office at 387-2880.

Also if you know of an upcoming event and would like it posted on our Chamber sign at the

Sutton County National Bank, please feel free to call us.

Thanks to several people of the community we now lack \$700.00 to hit the \$1500 fee for our 1987-88 Miss Sutton County, Preccia Miller to compete in the Miss Texas-USA pageant in San Antonio. Deadline is May 1st.

If you would like to donate to support Preccia in the pageant, please drop by the Chamber of Commerce. Preccia has supported, promoted, and has worked hard for our community, and the Mohair Industry. Let's get behind her and promote her. On the night of June 26, you can watch the Miss Texas-USA Pageant and say-hey, there is Preccia-I know her she's from our home town Sonora, Texas and What do people think of when they hear SONORA? The home owned Sonora Caverns and the Wool and Mohair and Hunting.

## Hill's Gift Registry

Gayann Dobbs, bride-elect of Shon Parker

## Hill's Jewelry

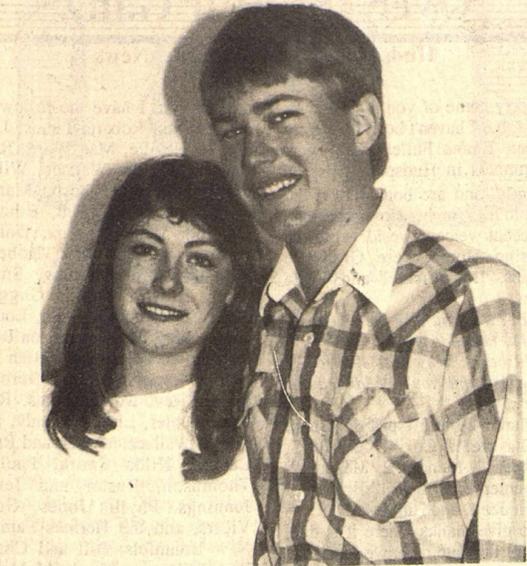
Downtown Sonora 387-2755

## Tedford Jewelry Bridal Gift Registry

Nancy Benson, bride-elect of Gary S. Law  
Linda Thompson, bride elect of  
Billy Bryan "Chip" Savell Jr.

15 Celebration  
Angie Samaniego

Downtown Sonora 387-3839



GAYANN DOBBS and SHON PARKER

## May wedding planned

Gayann Dobbs and Shon Parker will be married May 12, 8 p.m., at First Baptist Church in Sonora with Jim Stephen officiating. Friends and relatives are invited to share and witness this event.

The future bride is a 1987 graduate of Sonora High School and

is attending Angelo State University.

Graduating from school in Bordon County in 1986, the prospective bridegroom is attending San Angelo Police Academy.

The couple will reside in San Angelo.

## Snips, Quips & Lifts

by Lottie Lee Baker

Just over the hill is a beautiful valley, but you must climb the hill to see it.

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Many people have a good aim in life but for some reason they never pull the trigger.

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Americans have come to learn it is easier to vote for something they want than to work for it.

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The thing raised most abundantly in the United States is taxes.

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Income-tax forms should be more realistic by allowing the taxpayer to list Uncle Sam as a dependent.

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The new income tax form is printed in red, white and blue. When you have filled in the white, you're left in the red, and that makes you blue.

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Some tasks must be put off dozens of times before they slip our minds completely.

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No man is so full of wisdom that he has to use his mouth as a safety valve.

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Most of our troubles arise from loafing when we should be working, and talking when we should be listening.

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Many with the strength to diet lack the strength to keep it quiet.

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If hard work is the key to success most people had rather pick the lock.

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Success depends partly on whether people like you WHEREVER you go or WHENEVER you go.

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Tact is considered to be the pause that refreshes.

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One of the biggest advantages of being poor is that you'll never have to undergo the trauma of a tax audit.

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the Devil's River News  
office for information.



LINDA THOMPSON and CHIP SAVELL

## Engagement announced

T/Sgt. and Mrs. Frank McGehee of Austin are pleased to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Linda Thompson, to Chip Savell. Savell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Savell of Sonora.

The wedding is planned for June 12 at the Lakeway Ecumenical

Church in Austin.

The bride is employed by InBank in Austin.

The future bridegroom is a graduate of Sonora High School, attended Baylor University and received a masters from A&I. He is a teacher and coach at Travis High School in Austin.

## American Poetry Contest

The best 152 poets will win over \$11,000 worth of prizes in the American Poetry Association's new contest. The contest is open to the public now, and entry is free.

The Grand Prize is \$1,000 and the First Prize \$500. Other prizes include cash and book awards. All 152 winners will be published.

"Originality, sincerity, and feeling are what the judges look for," said Robert Nelson, publisher for the Association. "Many unknown poets have those talents in abundance. We want to encourage those poets to keep on writing."

Poets may send up to six poems, no more than 20 lines each, name and address on each page, to American Poetry Association, Dept. CT-33, 250 A Potrero St., P.O. Box 1803, Santa Cruz, CA 95061-1803. Entries should be mailed by June 30.

Each poem is also considered for

publication in the American Poetry Anthology, a leading collection of today's poems. Accepted poets may be asked to buy a copy to insure inclusion. All poets are eligible to win prizes. There is no obligation to buy a book to win.

Every poet who enters the contest receives a free copy of the "Poet's Guide to Getting Published", a four-page booklet full of helpful advice and information.

During seven years of sponsorship, the American Poetry Association has run 30 contests and awarded \$120,000 in prizes to 2,900 winning poets.

## Make Your Vote Count on May 6

Re-elect

**Hershel Davenport**

City Council

Absentee Voting April 17 thru May 2

Pol. Adv. Pd. by Hershel Davenport

## Locals to instruct

Members of the Sonora Volunteer Fire Department will be among the instructors for the 19th Annual Concho Valley Fire Control Conference to be held May 11 through the 13 in San Angelo.

In a letter sent to instructors and students by San Angelo Fire Department Chief Paul White, this fire school has the reputation for giving excellent fire course classes and the instructors' show a dedication that has allowed San Angelo to celebrate 19 years of service to the Concho Valley.

Instructors from Sonora are: House Fires-Louis Olenick, Kyle Donaldson, and Carl Teaff; Instructor Pool-George Keese.



## VOTE Campbell for Council May 6

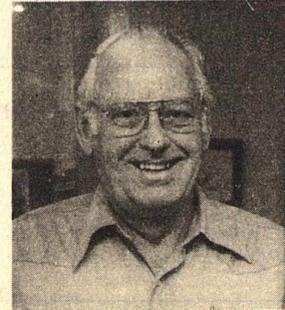
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### A LIFT FOR THE WEEK

Kind actions begin with kind words.

You are invited to join us as  
The Off-Season Dinner Theater  
presents

**Biscuits O'Bryan**  
reading selections from John Gould's  
*Montrous Depravity*  
on Saturday, April 22  
7 p.m.  
at the

## Sutton County Steakhouse

Biscuits terms John Gould a fellow gourmand and fancier of good old fashioned made-from-scratch vittles.

Musical entertainment for the evening will be provided by John Henry and Patti Strauch playing banjo and mandolin.

Show tickets are \$4 and may be purchased at the door.  
Dinner may be ordered from the menu.

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## Austin to host four-day conference on aging in April

The Texas Department on Aging and four other aging-related organizations will sponsor the eighth annual Texas Joint Conference on Aging April 23-26 at the Austin Hyatt Regency Hotel.

The theme for this year's conference--one of the state's largest annual gatherings of professionals in the field of aging--is "On-Line in '89." It reflects the growing importance of computer technology in all areas of the aging services network, from accounting to actual service delivery.

This year's conference will not only feature workshops in traditional formats, but will also have many "hands-on" workshops involving computers.

Austin's selection as host city for

the JCoA insures that delegates will have plenty to see and do during the conference. The Hyatt Regency is located on the shores of Town Lake, and a few of the sights and activities located within a few minutes of the hotel are colorful Sixth Street, the State Capitol, Barton Springs, Zilker Park and the LBJ Museum.

Hotel facilities include two dining rooms, a pool and easy access to hiking, biking and jogging trails along the shores of Town Lake.

Renowned humorist John Henry Faulk will deliver the banquet address.

In addition, there will be a Riverboat Cruise on the lake and sightseeing tours to the Governor's

Mansion, the State Capitol and elsewhere.

Activities held concurrently with the JCoA will include the State Senior Citizens Spelling Bee Championship and a legislative breakfast honoring Texas lawmakers.

Small fees will be charged for the legislative breakfast and some of the other optional activities.

Co-sponsors with the Department on Aging include the American Association of Retired Persons, the Texas Association of Senior Centers, Texas Association of Area Agencies on Aging and Texas Association of Nutrition and Aging Services Programs.

For more information on the

conference, call Ann Ammons at the Texas Department on Aging, or write to Ammons care of the Texas Department on Aging, P.O. Box 12786, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711.

### Center Menu

**Thursday, April 20-Meat Loaf w/Tom, Macaroni & Cheese, Okra Gumbo, Corn Bread, Bread Pudding w/Raisin Sauce**

**Friday, April 21-Turkey Ham, Candied Yams, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Creamy Coleslaw, Brownies**

**Monday, April 24-Cheese Enchiladas w/Meat Sauce, Spanish Rice, Spinach, Crackers, Pears w/Cheese, Chocolate Pudding w/Topping**

**Tuesday, April 25-Chicken Creole, Red Beans, Carrots, Corn Bread, Rice Crispie Squares**

**Wednesday, April 26-Polish Sausage, Macaroni & Tomatoes, Cooked Cabbage, Hot Rolls, Apple Cheese Crisp**

**Thursday, April 27-Beef Tips w/Mushroom Sauce, Rotini Noodles, Green Beans, Corn Bread, Vegetable Salad w/Dressing, Fruit Cup w/Topping**

**Friday, April 28-Chicken Fried Steak w/Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli, Hot Rolls, Over-Nite Coleslaw, Peach Cobbler**

### Birthdays

**April 21**  
Daniel Vara  
Mrs. Doyle Morgan  
Wayland Dobbs

**April 23**  
Priscilla Luna  
Brian Dietz

**April 24**  
Estella Sanchez  
Thelma Phillips

**April 26**  
Cindy Fields

**April 27**  
George Joseph  
Julie S. Jones  
John Ed Jones  
Melissa Patlan  
Melinda Patlan

### Death Notice

#### Vivian Vasquez

Vivian Vasquez, 82, died Friday, April 14, 1989 at his residence.

Services were held at 5:00 p.m. Monday at St. Ann's Catholic Church. Burial followed in Sonora Cemetery, directed by Kerbow Funeral Home.

He was born March 27, 1907, in Del Rio, and had been a Sonora resident since 1927. He was a retired sheep shearer and a Catholic.

Survivors include his wife, Paula Vasquez of Sonora; one son, Vivian Vasquez III of Arlington; three daughters, Thelma Gonzalez of San Jose, Calif., Aurora Bernal and Maria Elena Favila, both of Sonora; sixteen grandchildren and twenty-four great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were his grandchildren.

## "Over the Hill Gang"

### Hudspeth Nursing Home News

by Doris Cahill

Sorry some of you have felt let down, but I haven't been feeling up to par. Emma Fuller and I were roommates in Hudspeth Hospital recently, and are both glad to be back in the Nursing Home again.

Recent welcome residents to the Nursing Home were Granville Barker, Jim Luckie, and Belle Steen.

*Wife: will you love me when my hair has turned to gray?*

*Husband: Why not? I've loved you every time you've changed the color so far.*

March 29 and April 12 Bingo results were: Cox 4, Cahill 3, Drennan 2, Mendez 2, Mezuca 2, Carpenter 2, Reiley 1, Bruton 1, Rodriguez 1, and Hinojosa 1.

To give thanks where it is due, even at this late date, we loved the miniature Easter Basket tray favors made by Evelyn McDonald and Tina Gallegos. I passed mine on to little Teresa Lozano, who shared it with her classmates at "Show and Tell." They liked it very much, too.

Hostesses at the Auxiliary Birthday Party in April were Charlotte Wilson and Vicenta Lopez. Melvin Hearn, Alice Hardy, Mary Bruton, Thelma Phillips were honored. Refreshments of delicious cake, made by Clara Brooks, sandwiches and punch were served.

The trouble with malls is the high cost of browsing!

Some of our visitors do not

register, but I have the following list for you: Roberta James, J.W. and Jo Neville, Mae Ward, Ruth Shurley, Martha Wallace, Wilma Patrick, Carole Thorp, Mandy Turk, Gertrude Webb, Ethelda Holland, Ilene Stewart, Dollye Barron, Phoebe and Roberta Leyena, Libbye Young, Smith Neal, Bobbie Smith, Guggles Thorp, Evelyn McDonald, Louise Hearn, Mary Earwood, Lena Belle Ross, Monica DuRussell, Ruth Lee Eaton, Peggy Fowler, Dorothy Baker, Rev. Monte Jones, Rev. Kent Kepler, Linda, Brandy, and Shawn Wallace, Vernon and Ruby Luckie, Hilda Smith, Pauline Thompson, Buster and Jewel Jennings, Phyllis Jones, Guila Vicars, and the Hermes Family, New Braunfels; Bill and Charla Ray, Eldorado; Myrtle McMillan and Hanson Nixon, Eldorado; Edith Henshaw, San Angelo; Ellen Ray, Eldorado; The Hooper Family, Odessa; Jack Ward, San Antonio; Myrtle Bridges, Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Curry Campbell, West Germany; Violet Jarrett, Del Rio; Ruby Thiers, San Antonio; Tuff and Carol Whitehead, Clay and Steve Swenke, Jim Perry and Amy Whitehead, Del Rio and Bernice Gibson, Eldorado.

Bueno Bye until next time. Everyone has a right to be wrong sometimes! Sincerely hope you agree!

## Biscuits to read from Gould book

During a performance of the Off-Season Dinner Theater at the Sutton County Steakhouse on Saturday, April 22, Biscuits O'Bryan will read from *Monstrous Depravity*, a jeremiad and a lamentation by John Gould "who believes that food should consist mostly of good things to eat."

"A worthy and illustrious, and perfect exegesis; possessing magnitude, in pleasing language, using the several modes of expression, citing examples and warning of pitfalls, which, if sagely digested will make you glad you came to the picnic."

Biscuits was tickled plumb pink to discover that author, editorialist, and professional guide, John Gould, a Mainiac--"Ain't that what you call them folk from Maine?"--was a fellow gourmand and fancier of good old fashioned made-from-scratch vittles, who believes the American people in general, and especially American wives and

mothers have been duped and betrayed by food processors and producers.

In hopes of upgrading the quality of thinking and eating in Sutton County and environs, Biscuits has decided to share the wisdom and down-home thinking of Mr. Gould with the people of Sonora.

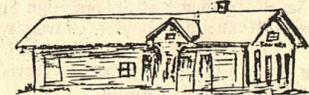
In keeping with the spirit of the evening, Biscuits will bake and bring along a big batch of Gaston's Quickies, cookies from a "recept" by Gaston Poulin, who cooked for the lumberjacks of Scott Paper Company.

Musical entertainment for the evening will be provided by John Henry and Patti Strauch playing mandolin and banjo.

The performance will begin at 7 p.m. Tickets for the show are \$4 and may be purchased at the door. Dinner may be ordered from the extensive Steakhouse menu which features something for everyone. Call 387-3833 for reservations.

## Depot Diary

by Patricia Johnson



On June 22, 1986, the old Santa Fe Depot was moved in behind the Miers Home Museum. In 1987, the windows and freight doors were restored.

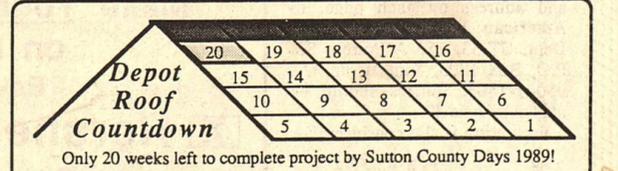
During Sutton County Days 1987, the Adopt-a-Foot campaign to reroof the depot got underway. There are 3,000 square feet on the roof. Over the past twenty months, 2,038 sq. ft. have been adopted. We would like to wind this project up on Sutton County Days 1989. That leaves just twenty weeks to adopt 968 sq. ft. at \$4 per sq. ft. We are so close to the goal!

Those of you have been saying since 1987 that you wanted to help with the roof--now is the time to do

it. The names of all donors will be permanently displayed inside the depot.

Most recent contributors are: J.W. and Jo Neville; Frank Bond; Lawson and Debbie Farrar; Kip and Jenni Mooneyham, Arlington; Kevin and Jenny Reilly, Montgomery, Alabama; Ken and Lois Andrews, Yucaipa, California; Juliann Mull, Commerce; Sean Gilmore and Jackie Gilmore, Torrance, California; and Peggy Fowler.

Send your contributions to SCHS Depot Roof, P.O. Box 885, Sonora, Texas 76950 or drop it by Westerman Drug and Watch This Roof!



## A Tribute to Irving Berlin Menard to present show

Plan to spend an evening with Margaretta "Betto" Reeve Bolding and Friends on Friday, April 28 at 8 p.m. in the Menard High School Auditorium.

A Tribute to Irving Berlin will be presented in a lively enchanting program; a time for remembrance and enjoyment. Margaretta Bolding, known as "Betto" to her hometown friends of Menard, is well-known for her unique style of comedy and good clean humor for over thirty years. Currently living in Houston, she has had professional engagements in over 285 cities and towns across ten states. She was honored recently as a Distinguished Alumna of Texas Woman's University.

She is joined on stage by songstress Elizabeth Real of Kerrville, who makes any music stirring, romantic and lifting just as Mr. Berlin intended. She received her most recent award at Fort Worth in a Theater Festival.

Will Adler, a pianist also from Kerrville, completes this trio who are very much in demand for conventions, private clubs, fundraisers, private parties and all special occasions.

The program is being sponsored by the Menard Historical Society. Admission will be \$5 for adults and \$2.50 for students, for an hour of lovely songs and lively entertainment.

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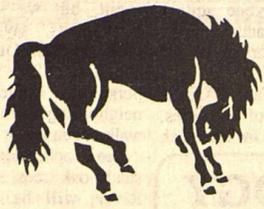
For the NAPA Store nearest you call 1-800-LET-NAPA.

# Church Directory

Church of Christ Minister-Don Jones Bible School-10 am Worship-11 am Sunday Night-6:30 pm Wednesday Night-7 pm	The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian Worship Service-10 am Church School-11 am Communion first Sunday of each month Fred L. Campbell, Pastor	Somebody Cares Ministry Rev. Louis Halford Sunday Adult Bible Hour-9:30 am Super Son Bible Hour-9:30 am Morning Service-10:45 am L.I.F.E. (youth)-3 pm Evening Service-6 pm Wednesday Bible Study-7 pm	First Baptist Church Rev. Jim Stephen Sunday School-9:45 am Morning Worship-11 am Church Training-6 pm Evening Worship-7 pm Wednesday Service-7 pm
Primera Iglesia Bautista Sunday School-9:45 am Worship Service-11 am Training Union-9 pm Evening Service-6 pm Wednesday Service-7 pm W.M.U.-Sunday-2 pm Between Santa Clara & Chestnut	First United Methodist Church Kent L. Kepler Sunday School-9:45 am Worship-10:55 am KVRN 98 AM-11 am Children's Choir-Mon. 4:30 pm UMYF-Wednesday 6 pm Chancel Choir-Wednesday 7:30 pm	Hope Lutheran Church Sunday School-10 am Worship Service-11 am Thursday: Adult Bible Class-8 pm Charles Huffman, Pastor	St. Ann's Catholic Church Rev. Lawrence D'Mello Saturday Night Mass 7 pm English Sunday Mass 8 am Spanish 11 am English Holy Day Mass-7 pm
Sonora Tabernacle United Pentacostal Rev. Kenneth Doyle, Pastor Sunday School-10 am Worship-11 am Evening Worship-7:30 pm Wednesday Service-7:30 pm	Jehovah's Witness 310 St. Ann's 387-2679 or 387-3947 Spanish Meeting Public Talk-1 Sunday Watchtower Study-1:55 Sunday Theocratic Ministry-7:30 pm Tue. Service Meeting-8:15 Tuesday Bible Study-7:30 Thursday	Jehovah's Witness 310 St. Ann's 387-2679 or 387-3947 English Meeting Public Talk-10 Sunday Watchtower Study-11:55 Sunday Theocratic School-7:30 pm Wed. Service Meeting-8:15 Wednesday Bible Study-7:30 Monday	St. John's Episcopal Church 404 NE Poplar Holy Eucharist-Sunday 8 & 11 am Sunday School-9:45 am Holy Eucharist w/Prayers for Healing, 1, 3, & 5 Wed., 7 pm Daily Morning Prayer-M-F 8:45 am Rev. J. Monte Jones, Rector

The following businesses urge you to attend the church of your choice

<b>Westerman Drug</b> COX DRUG, INC. 387-2541	<b>SW Texas Electric Co-op</b> 853-2544	<b>Food Center</b> Home owned and operated 387-3438	<b>Kerbow Funeral Home</b> 387-2266
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# School News

## High School district tennis results

On Saturday April 8th and Monday April 10th the Sonora Bronco Tennis Team traveled to Mason to compete in the District Tennis Tournament. Other schools competing were Llano, Fredericksburg, Brady and Sonora.

Overall in the varsity division the boys team placed second. Team members are Wayne Tyler, Sean Peck, John Russell, David Mirike, Ronnie Woodard and Matt Hodges.

In the Girls Division Sonora tied with Brady for second. Team members are Charla Kramer, Cynthia Kepler, Allison Schwiening, Susen McCleery, Laura Chalk, and Jessica Johnson.

In the Junior Varsity division the boys placed first. Team members are David Rotter, Brad Morgan, Mark Wooton, Larry Chalk, David Hooper, Bruce Morgan, and David Kemp. The girls placed fourth in the Junior Varsity Division.

The results were: Boys singles-Hostettler (Fredericksburg) def. Wayne Tyler 6-1, 6-3. Sean Peck def. Martin (Fredericksburg) 6-0, 6-1. Peck def. Sturdevant (Llano) 6-4, 6-1. Playing for first place hostetter (Fredericksburg) def. Peck 6-0, 6-2. Sean Peck won second and will be competing in the Regional Tennis Tournament in Odessa April 26th and 27th.

Girls singles-Wilson (Brady) def. Charla Kramer 6-7, 6-4, 6-4. Cynthia Kepler def. Dearing (Llano) 7-5, 6-1. Smedley (Fredericksburg) def. Kepler 6-2, 6-2. Playing for third place Kepler def. Wilson (Brady) 6-1, 6-2.

Girls Doubles-Black-Finn (Brady) def. Chalk-Johnson 6-0, 6-4. McCleery-Schwiening def. Kolb-Martinez (Llano) 6-0, 6-1. Schmidt-Schmidt (Fredericksburg) def. McCleery-Schwiening 6-4, 7-5. McCleery-Schwiening placed fourth.

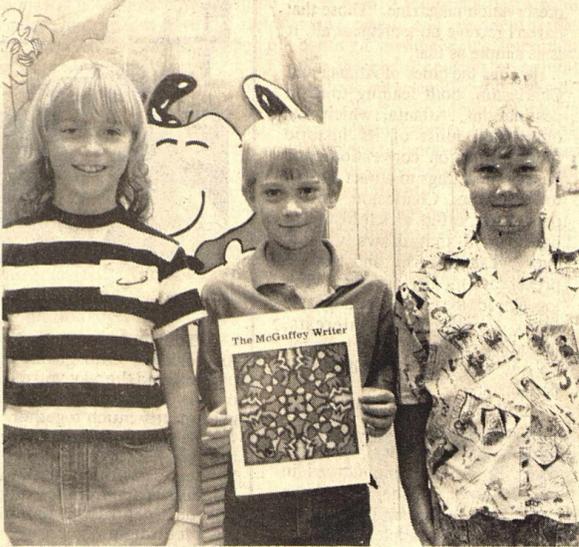
Boys doubles-Hodges-Woodard def. Kaiser-Klein (Fredericksburg) 6-1, 6-1. Ortegon-Underwood (Brady) def. Hodges-Woodard 7-5, 6-4. Mirike-Russell def. Schwintz-Staedtler (Llano) 6-3, 4-6, 6-2. King-King (Brady) def. Mirike-Russell 6-3, 6-4. Mirike-Russell def. Hodges-Woodard 1-6, 6-3, 6-3. Mirike-Russell won third place.

Jr. Varsity Division: Boys Singles-Brad Morgan def. Lewis (Fredericksburg) 6-2, 6-4. Morgan def. Klein (Fredericksburg) 6-3, 7-6. Moreno (Brady) def. Morgan 7-5, 6-3. Playing for third Morgan def. Rotter 6-2, 3-6, 6-3. David Rotter def. Reininger (Llano) 6-1, 6-4. Rooter def. Kaiser (Fredericksburg) 6-3, 6-1. Huerta (Brady) def. Rotter 6-1, 6-2. Playing for third Rotter lost to Morgan.

Girls singles-Dearing (Llano) def. Amy Fields 6-0, 6-0. Eckhardt (Fredericksburg) def. Shari Franklin 4-6, 6-1, 6-3.

Girls doubles-Scott-Spoons (Llano) def. Chalk-Johnson 6-2, 6-1.

Boys Doubles-Kemp-Morgan def. Hurd-King (Brady) 3-6, 6-0, 6-3. Kemp-Morgan def. Houston-Goodson (Llano) 6-2, 6-3. Reeves-Scott (Fredericksburg) def. Kemp-Morgan 6-2, 6-3. Playing for third Kemp-Morgan def. Schaintz-Staedtler (Llano) 6-1, 6-2. Chalk-Hooper def. Bauman-Monroe (Llano) 6-3, 3-6, 6-4. Chalk-Hooper def. Hurd-Thompson (Brady) 6-4, 6-3. Chalk-Hooper def. Schaintz-Staedtler 6-4, 6-3. Reeves-Scott (Fredericksburg) def. Chalk-Hooper 6-2, 6-3. Chalk-Hooper won second place.



Authors Kellie Downing, Jason Jacoby and Tracy McKnight

## Friendship brings honors

The subject of friendship brought honors to members of Mrs. Lynch's third grade writing class as they had their submissions printed in the Spring 1989 *McGuffey Writer*.

Contributions printed in the *McGuffey Writer*, published at Miami University, may include short stories, essays, poems and cartoons. Items are accepted based on merit, originality, and suitability to the overall balance and theme of the issue.

Following are the stories by Sonora students:

### Man's Best Friends Friendship

I have a very good friendship with my dog, Peanuts. I love him and he loves me. We care about each other a lot. I throw his toy and he goes to get it but he won't bring it back. So I have to run and run to get it but I can not get it because he runs so fast. He goes to bed with me and keeps me company and in the morning he is ready to play again.

Tracy McKnight

### Friendship

Sandy is a dog. She's not my dog. She's Mr. Bacon's, my dad's old boss. Mr. Bacon died a little over a year ago, so we are taking care of Sandy. I'm the only one in my family that really cares for her. Everybody always kicks her when she jumps on them. Me, I just let

her jump on me. Most of the time when I come through the gate, she goes to the porch by the stairs. There she waits for me to come pet her. I call that our Pet Place. That's a friendship to me.

Kellie DeAnn Downing

### Cultivate Friendship Friendship

Friendship is a lovely thing. Friendship shows caring. When people move away that doesn't mean they're not your friends. They can still be your friends. Friendship is important and special.

When you want friends you have to treat them like friends. Friends are special to people in many ways. People even have pets for friends. When you talk and play is another way of showing friendship. People think friendship is lovely.

Jason Jacoby

### Tis bits of information

Good things in small packages: The entire island nation of Madagascar is about the size of Texas, but don't let its size fool you. The number of different animal species found only in Madagascar is unmatched anywhere else in the world. *International Wildlife* magazine reports that more than 90 percent of the island's primates and reptiles are found nowhere else on earth.

Words can hit a child as hard as a fist.



Get the picture?

Stop using words that hurt.



## Rodeo Team News

The Sonora High School Rodeo Team was in Odessa April 15 and 16. Results are as follows: Calf Roping-Trey Wardlaw 5th; Barrels-Wheless Baker 7th and 8th; Breakaway Roping-Anna Balch 4th; Steer Wrestling-Trey Wardlaw 2nd and 3rd; Pole Bending-Anna Balch 1st and 6th, Wheless Baker 10th and 4th; Team Roping-Lewis Baker and Blayze Sykes 1st, Mack Wardlaw and Tooter Jones 2nd.

The participants of the team are working hard at accumulating points. Sonora and Ft. Stockton are the last two regional rodeos and the top four in each event will qualify for state competition.

The team will be hosting Region II of the National High School Rodeo Association at the Sutton County Arena on Saturday and Sunday, April 22 and 23. Performances will begin at 2 p.m. on Saturday and at 11 a.m. on Sunday.

Tickets are on sale at Vivian's Modern Way and at the Bait Stop or they may be purchased at the gate. Prices are \$4 for adults and \$2 for students.

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## SCHOOL MENU

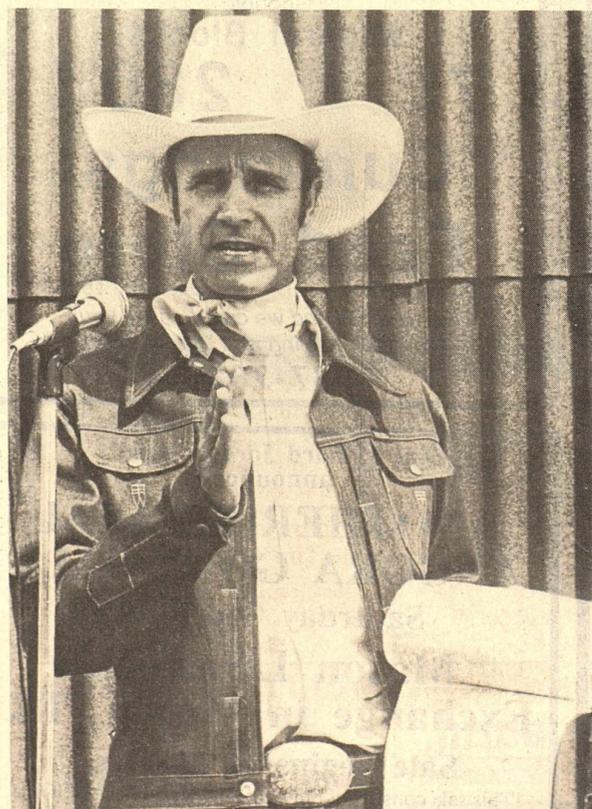
Monday, April 24- Sausage, Flour Tortillas, Pasta Salad, Carrots, Banana Pudding & Milk

Tuesday, April 25- Chicken & Vegetables, Steamed Rice, Green Beans, Bread Pudding, Milk

Wednesday, April 26- Cheese Burger, Curly Q Potatoes, Lettuce, Tomatoe & Pickle, Fruit Cobbler, Milk

Thursday, April 27- Chicken Pot Pie, Harvard Beets, Parsley Potatoes, Fruit Salad, Milk

Friday, April 28-Pizza, Peas & Corn, Sliced Cucumbers, Rice Krispies, Milk



## High School Rodeo to have Coy Huffman of Pro Rodeo Ministries

Coy and Donna Huffman of Chandler, Arizona conduct Cowboy Church at many of the P.R.C.A. rodeos in the U.S. and in Canada. They have home Bible studies and monthly meetings in Fort Worth, Andrews and in their home in Chandler, Arizona.

Region II of High School Rodeo is looking forward to having Coy

in Sonora at 9:00 a.m. in the Rodeo Grandstand for a come-as-you-are Cowboy Church Service. Everyone is welcome to come and join in the fellowship and worship service.

Ronnie and Sharon Ross of Sonora will be ministering in music, so come expecting great and mighty things of the Lord Jesus.

## BRONCO TAILS

News from Sonora High School

by Cynthia Kepler

The last district competitions took place last week with Sonora high faring very well. Watch out, Region! Here comes the Broncos!

Coach Gonzales and the golf team held on to take 2nd place team in the golf tournament! These boys have worked hard this year and will be facing some very good competition at Region. Jason Donaldson also took the individual 2nd medalist honors. Best of luck, guys-you're the only team we have that tries not to score points.

The track team will also be sending quite a few athletes to Odessa. Qualifying for Region from the girls varsity are: Christie Adkins 1st, High Jump; Rachel Pool, 2nd, 100 m. Dash; 800 m. Relay Monica Gonzales, Vonna Pierson, Rachel Pool, Christie Adkins; 1600 Relay 2nd Donna Pierson, Vonna Pierson, Debbie Harris and Christie Adkins. Alternates include Debra Harris (800 M. Dash) and the 400 M. Relay team.

Boys varsity members qualifying for Region are: Todd Keller 1st, Pole Vault; Alberico Capuchina 1st, 3200 M; Russell Crenweige 1st, Shot Put and 2nd, 400 M Relay; and Ector Castilleja 1st, 1600 M. Alternates are: Ramiro Luna (3200 M), Luis Lira (Long Jump), Robert Gallion (Shot Put), and Alberico Capuchina (1600 M). Lets hear it for all the Sonora tracksters.

Not only did our track teams shine at district, we have also had some athletes recognized as All West Texas Bests. These include Capuchina, Sanchez and Luna (3200 M); Espinosa (300 M. Hurdles); Capuchina (1600 M.); Terry (Shot Put); Lira and Espinosa (Long Jump); Keller (Pole Vault); Adkins (High Jump) and the girl's 800 M. Relay team. Congrats!

And way to go Bronco Band. Band members played their way to a Special Award last Thursday in Coleman. They received superior ratings in both their concert and sightreading. We're looking forward to a sweepstakes next year.

The Choir tried their hand at contest Wednesday in Granbury. Selections from their concert included "Take O Take These Lips Away", "All Things Bright and Beautiful", and "Ave Maria." Hope you sang well.

Some of the Region contests I've been speaking so much of are being

held this weekend in Odessa. The One-Act Play will be performed Friday at 2:05 at the Odessa High Auditorium. Good luck! All other literary and speech contests will be Saturday. Those placing in the top three will advance to the State Meet in Austin. Good luck to all of you too!

Twelve new member took part in the NHS induction last Sunday. The newest members of the NHS are Kay Williams, Liza Allen, Vicki Anderson, Ector Castilleja, Tana Churchill, April Spiller, Catherine Keller, David Mirike, John Russell, Allison Schwiening, Amie Gibson, and Angie Stewart.

Several seniors spent a busy day at the ASU library-yes, it's research time once again. Just this one last hurdle to conquer and it's over. Also seniors, all local scholarship applications are due in the office by April 21 better hurry!

Several more SHS students will be in competition this weekend. The SHS Rodeo Team will be hosting the annual Sonora High School rodeo at the rodeo arena. I you are planning to go-take some sunscreen. Best of luck and hope for continued safety in you competitions.

Remember, Prom night is this weekend-all juniors and seniors are invited to the dance. The theme will be "A Night in the Orient."

Well, that about wraps up the news. See you next week.

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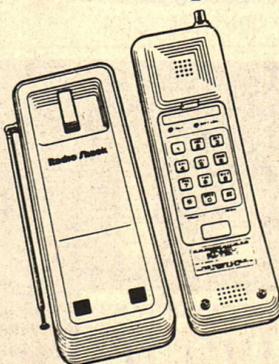
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## Tourism linked to historic preservation

When you travel, are you likely to visit historic sites or museums? In a survey recently completed by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, it was found that most people answer "yes." In fact, next to shopping, visitors to Texas enjoy visiting historical attractions more than any other activity.

It's no accident that sites such as the Alamo in San Antonio, the barque Elissa in Galveston, and the Capitol Building in Austin draw millions of visitors each year.

This fascination with history is being noticed by state lawmakers, too. With the slump in oil prices and a growing concern about the state's economic stability, government leaders are looking for other ways to increase revenues.

One answer is tourism, a \$17.3 billion dollar industry in Texas, and growing. Tourism, particularly in the coming decade, will be inexorably linked to historic preservation—a partnership that will benefit us all.

Already, communities are capitalizing on this interest in history by maintaining local and county history museums, opening bed and breakfast inns, offering historical walking and home tours, and rehabilitating historic buildings for retail or cultural uses. All along the state's highways and byways, one can now view a variety of billboards advertising a community's museum or historic shopping area.

According to Arthur Frommer, author and operator of one of the

largest tour companies in the nation, there are three major reasons why people travel; rest/recreation; a desire to view great natural sites; and an interest in the achievements of the past.

"Among cities with no particular recreational appeal, those that have substantially preserved their past continue to enjoy tourism." Frommer wrote in a recent preservation magazine. "Those that haven't receive no tourism at all. It is as simple as that."

He cites the cities of Atlanta and Charleston, both leading tourism destinations. Atlanta, which has obliterated most of its historic fabric, relies on conventions and business meetings to attract out-of-town visitors. Charleston, on the other hand, offers a rich historical background that draws visitors every year. Tourism and historic preservation, he argues, work together for the entire economy, and other commercial interests, including real estate development, do not suffer as a result of this partnership.

"Little towns, too, have learned that preservation can create a thriving tourist industry," Frommer adds. In Texas, communities in every corner of the state have organized successful tourism programs. For example, the city of Georgetown in Central Texas has recently hired a tourism director to oversee that community's tourism efforts; Goliad, a small community in South Texas, has launched an aggressive tourism plan; and Waxahachie near Dallas, already well-known as a popular on-the-spot location for various Hollywood films, has also hired a tourism director.

The key is to support the entire breadth of our Main Streets and historic districts. A sole historic home in a town will not turn the economy around, but a concerted effort on the part of city government and the private sector may. (A message from the Texas Historical Commission.)

## Utopia Plans springfling festival to be held May 6

A Springfling festival will "bloom" in Utopia on Saturday, May 6.

The festival includes a country arts and crafts show, CASI chili classic, volksmarch and 10K plus fun run. Plan for live entertainment,

including the Honeybee square dancers, Flat Creek Band's country music and other performances are also being finalized.

"The Utopia-Lost Maples Area is planning a full day of activities. Entries are coming in for each

event, but we will need more participants," says Lanell Kellner, president of the Utopia-Lost Maples Chamber. "We would like to personally invite our friends in neighboring towns to show, cook, walk or run at our festival."

The Utopia Park, covered in large shady oak trees, along the Sabinal River, will be the site of the festival. The volksmarch will be held at the Lost Maples State Natural Area above Vanderpool.

Throughout the day, visitors are invited to swim or pitch, just for the fun of it, horseshoes and washer. And Old McDonald's Petting Farm and mule drawn wagon rides will be other added attractions.

Winners of the CASI Chili Classic will receive a beautiful eagle trophy while showmanship winners will be awarded large buffalo trophy. 10K participants receive T-shirts and winners will be presented with a Utopia-Lost Maples plaque. The runners will also be given a chili dinner. Proceeds from the Chili Cookoff will benefit Utopia EMS. The Utopia Lions will donate proceeds from the Fun Run to the Lions Club childrens camp.

Kellner adds, "Support wonderful charities and at the same time enjoy a day with your family in 'Paradise'. Visitors can shop, eat a variety of foods, and then relax, enjoying the beautiful Sabinal River and good music."

Entry fees are \$20 for an arts and crafts booth, \$30 food booth, \$16 chili cookoff and \$15 10K run. All entries may be obtained by sending a SASE to Utopia-Lost Maples V.I.A., P.O. Box 561, Utopia, Tx. 78884 or by calling Lanell Kellner at 966-2300.

## Many Americans seeking healthier lifestyles

Up to 80 percent of cancers may be related to the way people live, rather than hereditary causes.

Dr. Mary Kinney Sweeten, nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, said a recent report from the National Cancer Institute (NCI) indicates that lifestyles have a vital role in an individual's cancer risk.

Sweeten said NCI has suggested that each individual consider seven areas of cancer risk in relation to lifestyles, including use of tobacco, diet, alcohol, radiation, work place, estrogens and viruses.

"Whether we smoke and what we eat, for example, may have a lot more impact on cancer risk than forces beyond our control, such as heredity," she said.

Offering the greatest potential for reducing cancer risk, according to the NCI report, are avoiding use of tobacco and eating right.

The report indicated that about 30 percent of cancer deaths are attributable to tobacco use and about 35 percent may be associated with diet.

Sweeten said the percentage of cancer deaths associated with the other five risk factors ranged from 1 to 5 percent each, according to the report.

Several surveys show that people are trying to stop smoking and cut their fat intake, the report indicated. Smoking among men 20 years and older dropped 10 percent between 1977 and 1983, but the percentage of women who smoke grew during that period.

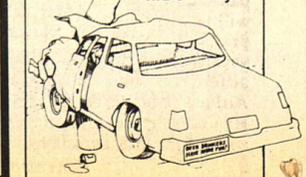
Sweeten said people are beginning to take positive steps related to diet and alcohol consumption, but these changes are more modest.

She said a survey by NCI and the Food and Drug Administration found some improvements in public knowledge, attitudes and practices in the areas of tobacco use, diet and alcohol consumption.

Compared with respondents in a 1983 survey, more of those who were surveyed in 1985 said that avoiding, reducing or stopping smoking can reduce cancer risk, and reported they had taken action to improve or maintain health. Others mentioned that eating too much fat and not eating food with enough vitamins or fiber may be a health risk.

Sweeten said the report concluded that much educational work remains to be done to increase public knowledge about prevention of cancer.

Beer Drinkers Have More Fun ...Do They?



## COWBOY ASTROLOGY



By Mary Ellen Doty

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** Any old boy who glistens like panned gold the way you did last month, generally pretends he's got it pretty much together. But there's trouble in paradise far as the self-esteem is concerned. Your ego's got its fly open and the contents is apparent to everyone but you. Spend a little time alone 't get it straight.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** Now there's those who think you're faster 'n the first rattle out of a box when it come 't coin. Truth is, you are. The only drawback is not trusting what you know. Spit it out.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** Maybe you're the one askin' Taurus for advice! Then maybe ya ain't - considering you already know how t make a wad o' cash. You don't need advice, you need a kick in your pants. Gamblin' won't do it.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Shake it off, Cancer. When ya gonna figure out you're about welcome as a rattler in DogTown at that old sweetie's door? (I said "old"). She ain't comin' back and you ain't going forward until you admit it. Ridin' kills the pain.

**LEO (July 23-August 22)** There ain't much applause in stayin' home cleaning the cat box, Leo. That's probably why you ignore the place. Sorry. This week you get KP. Home is the missing piece of your puzzle.

**VIRGO (Aug 23-Sept 22)** It's good to be around kids this week, Virgo, so as you can see how accepting they are. Why,

all we got under our hats is hair next to them. I sentence you to a messy ice cream cone with your favorite little side-kick.

**LIBRA (Sept 23-Oct 22)** Libras tend to swallow their own harsh words so often they got no room for grits. This makes life pleasin' as snake punch for the other hands but just gives you a bellyache. Blow off steam before you get sick.

**SCORPIO (Oct 23-Nov 21)** Resentments will kill you easier 'n a necktie social. So which resentment is killing you? The resente could care less. You're off your mental reservation if you let this one wax up your love life.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov 22-Dec 21)** Nobody has ever fooled a Sagittarian about the truth - except the Sag himself, of course. This week somebody's trying to slip one by you. Hunt up something you can use for a backbone and let 'em know you know.

**CAPRICORN (Dec 22-Jan 19)** Your recent fix which has you cornered like a Wells Fargo agent at the other end of Jesse James' shootin' stick ain't goin' away. The regular options don't work. You gotta be unconventional as a polecat at a picnic to solve this one.

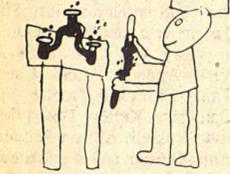
**AQUARIUS (Jan 20-Feb 18)** You've had a cow in every corner this winter, Aquarius. This week you round-up all those projects and see if they fit together like a picture puzzle. If you've followed The Boss the pieces all fit.

**PISCES (Feb 19-March 20)** Notice how you've been dreamin' for the last 1 1/2 months - both day and night? Everybody else thinks your brain's pulled its picket pin, but I say those dreams are what becomes your reality in 11 months. Don't dream too small now!

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# 'SELF' CONTROL

by J. Michael Fish

## ...In a Crisis

The German farmland sped past, broken by an occasional wooded area or the Volkswagen proving ground, as it did every morning following the "mid-shift." Thoughts traversed ten thousand miles back to West Texas, during the twenty-mile drive from Radenbeck to Ehra-Lesain. I rarely encountered other traffic on the narrow, two-lane highway and usually drove the four-wheel drive, Dodge Powerwagon at sixty five miles per hour in my haste to return to the apartment to "catch some z's."

However, on such trip ended prematurely at a gradual curve between the famous test track and the village in which I lived.

About two miles out of Ehra, I noticed a new Mercedes-Benz negotiate the turn at such a high rate of speed it seemed unable to remain in the appropriate lane to travel. My concern peaked when it failed to return to its lane.

Thinking it was best to remain in the right lane, I simply hugged the steering wheel, because I wasn't "buckled-up" and took my foot of the accelerator. Applying the brakes or leaving the road surface was decided against due to a three-foot deep ditch paralleling the highway on either side.

Still twenty-five yard from impact I watched as the driver looked up, saw his expression as he realized the approaching dilemma witnessed his fruitless attempt to veer from a head on collision with the olive green pick-up.

By this time I was resigned to the probability of being seriously injured, yet everything seemed to slow down or revert to slow motion. Adrenalin was flowing, allowing my senses to convey information and me to execute reactions in micro-seconds. My life was saved by my organized, split-second reactions.

Both arms wrapped around the wheel, I steered as far to the right as possible without going into the

ditch, in hopes of a possible 'near-miss.'

No such luck. When our left, front fenders collided; both were sheared from the vehicles, along with the two driver-side doors of the Mercedes. Still in enough control to keep from going into the ditch; I was able to steer the pick-up a little to the left, in order that an approaching tree would land on the passenger side of my vehicle, rather than on me, when I hit it.

Unfortunately; impact with the tree caused my pick-up to do a 'nose dive' into the ditch, then to flip end over end, sideways.

When everything stopped, I was still hugging the steering wheel, the engine was still running, and I was still alive!

I killed the engine and crawled out. The front-end was down in the ditch, the pick-up bed had come off and was laying on the passenger side, the back tires had been ripped from the rims when they made impact with the asphalt during the flip, and the back-end was resting up on the road.

My only injury was a bruise which later appeared on my chest, from holding the steering wheel so closely. The man in the car escaped without a scratch, but liable for the accident and all damages.

Most people perform well in routine accomplishment of their skills. It is the performance of those skills in a crisis situation that will "make or break" a person. Many people panic or react emotionally under pressure which further complicates the crisis.

Panic and emotional reactions are brought about by over estimating a situation, while under estimation allows them to take their toll. Allow you natural functions to work for you, be alert to eminent dangers or crises and keep you thoughts organized or directed toward an objective.

Miracles do happen, especially in a crisis.

# American Cancer Society Look-alikes

Residents of Sutton County who want to be certain that the money they donate to cancer research is used in the most effective way, should be aware of look-alike cancer organizations.

Kent Kepler, President of the American Cancer Society Sutton County Unit said, "When you contribute to a charity, it makes good sense to find out exactly where your money is going and how it will be spent. Contributors have the right to know if their donations are being spent in an effective way."

The term look-alike is used because some organizations may include words such as, "national," "society," "institute," "research," or "foundation" in their names in an attempt to be mistaken for organizations like the American Cancer Society (ACS) or the federal government's National Cancer Institute (NCI). Look-alikes may actually spend an overwhelming proportion of the donation they receive on their fund-raising and administrative expenses. ACS relies primarily on volunteer-run fund-raising.

Kent emphasized that there are many reputable organizations that sponsor legitimate cancer research and offer services to cancer patients. "We do not want to discourage people from contributing to other organizations but would just like them to take note of how their funds are being distributed," he added.

ACS urges all donors to ask questions before writing a check to a charity. The American Cancer Society and the National Charitable Information Bureau (NCIB), a charity-rating agency located in New York, have both developed a set of guidelines for donors to follow:

\*Check to see if the organization's fund raising efforts are cost-effective. The NCIB stipulates that a charity should not spend any more than 30% of one dollar of fund-raising. The American Cancer Society spent 13% of money raised in 1988.

\*Check to see if the organization produces an annual report. This

report may be helpful to inform the contributor how much money the organization spends on research, fund-raising and other expenditures.

\*Find out what are the organization's administrative costs. The NCIB recommends that these costs should not exceed 15% of the budget. The American Cancer Society's administrative costs are among the most effective at 5%.

\*Learn if the group has a solid management and an identifiable board of members. It's important that the board consists of several medical and scientific professionals.

ACS can be identified by its copyrighted Sword of Hope symbol. The Society works with more than 137,000 volunteers in Texas and approximately 2.3 million volunteers nationwide.

According to Lou Faulks, Public Communications volunteer, ACS and other highly respected charitable organizations rely on the generosity of the public in order to continue their work. "If the public knows exactly where its charitable dollars are going, and contributes wisely, we'll all benefit," Faulks said.



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## The Great Texas Bike Ride To Be Held In Sonora

The American Diabetes Association will host the Great Texas Bike Ride in Sonora on Saturday, May 6 to help raise funds for diabetes. The event will begin at the Methodist Church parking lot at 2 p.m. and conclude there. The length of the ride will be six miles. Participants of The Texas Bike Ride raise funds for diabetes by enlisting sponsors, who donate a certain amount of money for every mile the participant completes on the day of event. The donations should be collected when pledged and turned in to the person in charge on the day of the ride. Prizes will be awarded to participants who collect a minimum of \$35.00 from sponsors. The participant who collects the most money in the community will win a prize. If the participant collects \$3,000 he/she will be eligible for the state grand prize, a Nashville Tennessee vacation that includes roundtrip airfare for four on Southwest Airlines, complimentary rooms at Hyatt-Nashville, and tickets to some of the local attractions.

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How does transportation affect our daily lives? If you can express your answer well in writing, and you are a junior or senior in high school, you can win a cash award.

To celebrate its 75th anniversary,

the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) is sponsoring an essay contest. The writer of the national essay will win \$1,000 and a trip to Atlanta Georgia, in October, as the guest of the

association's annual conference. Two national runner-ups will receive \$750 awards.

"We're kicking off the competition in Texas through local contests coordinated by our highway districts," said Raymond Stotzer, engineer-director of the highway department in Austin. "Each district will select two winners from local high schools who will compete for the state awards."

Stotzer said the writer of the first-place essay from Texas will win \$500, donated by the Texas Good Roads/Transportation Association. The group will also honor two state runners-up with \$250 awards.

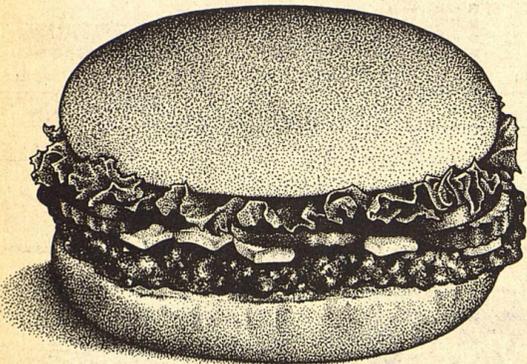
Contest rules specify that essays be 600 to 1,000 words, dependents of AASHTO employees and other AASHTO officials, and relatives of contest judges, are not eligible.

"Our high school students are invited to participate within their schools," said Walter McCullough, district engineer in San Angelo. "We are coordinating with school officials to provide contest rules and guidelines."

McCullough said essays will be judged on how well they communicate the importance of transportation in America. The deadline for selection of winners from each high school is mid-May, he said. A district winner will be selected from the school winners by June 1 and then compete at the state level.

"We're excited about the opportunity this gives students to explore the role transportation has played in our nation," said Stotzer. "In everything from economic growth to recreation, transportation is a significant part of our daily lives."

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## PUBLIC RECORDS

### MARRIAGES

Tobin Mace Joy and Sherry Lou Haines 3-4-89

Robert Galindo Luna and Emma Perez Luna 3-12-89

Victor Almaguer Virgen and Diana Guerra Ramos 3-10-89

Boyd Clay Lynn and Fannie Elizabeth Southern 4-1-89.

### DISTRICT COURT

February 23, 1989

State of Texas vs. Virginia Esquivel-Order terminating Felony Probation.

State of Texas vs. John B. Trevino-Motion to Dismiss.

State of Texas vs. John B. Trevino-Order to Dismiss.

State of Texas vs. John B. Trevino-State's motion for Adjudication of Guilt.

State of Texas vs. Eric John Whalen-Motion to Dismiss.

State of Texas vs. Eric John Whalen-Order to Dismiss.

State of Texas vs. Eric John Whalen-State's motion for Adjudication of Guilt.

State of Texas vs. Danny Lee Fry-Motion for Admending Condition of Probation.

State of Texas vs. Danny Lee Fry-Order Amending conditions of Probation.

February 27, 1989

State of Texas 6th Administrative Judicial Region-Order of Assignment by the Presiding Judge.

December 2, 1988

Debra K. Reed vs. Jerry L. Reed-Motion to transfer.

Debra K. Reed vs. Jerry L. Reed-Movant's supporting Affidavit for Transfer.

March 1, 1989

Debra K. Reed vs. Jerry L. Reed-Order Transferring suit affecting Parent-Child Relationship.

State of Texas vs. Homero Palacios-Motion to Revoke Probation.

State of Texas vs. Homero Palacios-Order to Revoke.

State of Texas vs. Joe West a/k/a Rudy Lock-Order of Compensation.

### March 7, 1989

Location Builders vs. William Perlman-Motion to Dismiss with Prejudice.

Robert G. Wilson vs. The Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York-Settlement Agreement.

### March 8, 1989

Deborah Ann Reinhardt vs. Daniel L. Reinhardt-Final Decree of Divorce.

March 9, 1989

Location Builders vs. William Perlman-Order of Dismissal with Prejudice.

Robert G. Wilson vs. The Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York-Final Judgment.

### March 15, 1989

Delma Noriega Fierro vs. John Fierro-Agreed Decree of Divorce.

Ciriaco Menchaca vs. Florentino Ramirez Menchaca-Final Decree of Divorce.

James B. Whiddon vs. Bud Lee Whiddon, ET AL-Order Nunc Pro Tunc.

State of Texas vs. Stephanie Adriana Neill-Affidavit of Defendant for court appointed Counsel.

State of Texas vs. Stephanie Adriana Neill-Order Appointing Attorney.

State of Texas vs. Norman Laurence Barbee-Affidavit of Defendant for court appointed Counsel.

State of Texas vs. Norman Laurence Barbee-Order Appointing Attorney.

Houston General Insurance Co. vs. Juan A. Garcia-Motion for Non-Suit.

Houston General Insurance Co. vs. Juan A. Garcia-Order for Non-Suit.

State of Texas vs. Ricardo Buitron-Affidavit of Defendant for Court-Appointed Counsel.

State of Texas vs. Ricardo Buitron-Order appointing Attorney.

State of Texas vs. Ricardo Buitron-Order of the Court Deferring further Proceedings.

State of Texas vs. Earnest Lykins, Jr.-Judgment on Plea of Guilty or Nolo Contendre before Court Waiver of Jury Trial.

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State of Texas vs. Santos Duran-Discharged from Probation.

State of Texas vs. Robert Ybarra-Discharged from Probation.

State of Texas vs. Domingo Cumpian-DWI, \$350.00 fine, 2 yrs. probation, \$107.50 court cost, \$40.00 month probation fee, attend DWI school within 6 months, Drivers License suspended for 6 months and attend AA weekly.

State of Texas vs. Domingo Cumpian-Order for Occupational Driver's Permit.

State of Texas vs. Donald Earl Pancost-DWI, 30 days with credit for time served.

State of Texas vs. Wesley Allen Williams-Possession of Marijuana, \$750.00 fine, plus court cost \$107.50.

### March 21, 1989

Mary Villanueva, Henry Villanueva, Individual and as next friend of minor child- vs. Phillip Cleo Butler-Motion to Dismiss.

Mary Villanueva, Henry Villanueva, Individual and as next friend of minor child-Order of Dismissal.

### COUNTY COURT

March 8, 1989

State of Texas vs. John Franz Hassenful-Speeding, \$100 fine, 6 month probation, \$107.50 court cost.

### March 10, 1989

State of Texas vs. Jimmy Allen Tillotson-DWI, \$350 fine, 2 yrs. probation, \$107.50 court cost, \$40.00 a month probation fee, attend DWI school within 6 months.

State of Texas vs. Antonio Ledesma-DWI, Nolo Contendre, \$350 fine, 2 yrs. probation, \$107.50 court cost, \$40.00 month probation fee, attend DWI school within 6 months.

### March 16, 1989

State of Texas vs. Chris Allen Walden-Discharged from Probation.

State of Texas vs. James Crusty Covey-Motion to Dismiss.

State of Texas vs. James Crusty Covey-Order to Dismiss.

State of Texas vs. Mikal Jay Martin-Wavier of Speedy Trial and Voluntary Agreement to Participate in the Pre-Trial Diversion Program.

State of Texas vs. Marie Barrera-Motion to Dismiss.

State of Texas vs. Marie Barrera-Order to Dismiss.

### March 18, 1989

State of Texas vs. Richard C. Abalos-Deferment of Adjudication, Speeding, \$100.00 fine, \$107.50 court cost.

### March 27, 1989

State of Texas vs. Jimmy Holman-Wavier of Speedy Trial and Voluntary Agreement to Participate in the Pre-Trial Diversion Program.

State of Texas vs. James Andrew Herber-DWI, \$350.00 fine, \$107.50 court cost, \$40.00 month probation fee, 2 yrs. probation, attend DWI School within 6 month and 30 days to pay.

State of Texas vs. James Andrew Herber-Motion to Dismiss Cause #6187. Convicted in Cause #6186.

State of Texas vs. James Andrew Herber-Order to Dismiss.

### March 30, 1989

State of Texas vs. Santos Duran-Discharged from Probation.

State of Texas vs. Robert Ybarra-Discharged from Probation.

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## HOME EC BRIEFS

by Micki Miller, CEA-HE

### How you complain can make a difference

Got a complaint? When you complain about a product or service, be sure to do it the right way.

To register a complaint:

\*Describe clearly your current problem or complaint. Use facts like dates, costs and problems.

\*State exactly what you want the company or agency to do to make things right.

\*Print (don't write) your complaint legibly. Better yet, use a typewriter if you have one.

\*Use standard (8 1/2 x 11) paper, preferably white. Colored

paper often does not photocopy well. Since several people or departments may be involved in handling your complaint, your letter and other documents may be photocopied several times.

\*Use a pen with dark ink (blue or black) and medium point so that the letter will be legible when copied.

\*Include copies (not the originals) of all related documents, purchase receipts, service receipts, past correspondence with service agencies and the manufacturer.

\*Date your letter and other documents.

\*Provide your daytime telephone number.

\*Reread your letter several times before sending. Put yourself in the reader's shoes. Your letter is not a place to vent your anger; only state the facts and what you would like as a resolution to the problem.

\*Be polite and remain calm. Customer relations and personnel with a company or agency may be instructed NOT to deal with rude or offensive customers.

Once your complaint is in process:

\*Don't delay providing any additional information that is requested.

\*Follow the exact directions for procedures and filling out forms.

\*Let the company know immediately of any new developments, such as, the product was repaired or is working a new problem has developed.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap or national origin.

**Texas Bike Ride...**

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For the past two years the American Diabetes Association, Texas Affiliate, Inc., has hosted a similar event called Bike Ride Plus,

a nationwide fund-raiser coordinated by the national organization of the American Diabetes Association. Although all money raised for The Great Texas Bike Ride will still benefit the small cause, the name was changed to personalize the event to better meet the needs of our Texas market. The Great Texas Bike Ride is scheduled to take place in over 30 communities throughout Texas.

The American Diabetes Association is the nation's leading voluntary health organization supporting diabetes research and education.

## Public Notice

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Williamson County Commissioner's Court invites the submission of sealed bids for the lease of the surface estate (including grazing and hunting rights) to the following described tracts of land in Sutton County, Texas, which form a part of the Williamson County School Lands. Bids must be received by the undersigned prior to 10:00 a.m., May 15, 1989, at which time the bids will be opened in open court at the Commissioner's Courtroom on the 1st floor of the County Courthouse in Georgetown, Texas. Bids received after that time will be returned unopened. As to each tract listed in this notice, the court may either reject all bids or award a lease to the highest and best bidder.

All bids submitted must comply with the following restrictions, conditioning and limitations which the Commissioner's Court has determined to be necessary and proper:

The proposed lease shall be for a term of five years, with an option to renew for an additional five years at an agree price.

The lessee shall be obligated to manage the land in a prudent rancher-like manner, and shall employ the highest degree of care in conserving the land and its produce.

It is the intent of the Commissioner's Court to award leases separately for each tract. However, any bidder who wishes to bid on more than one tract may do so. Unless the bid received expressly states that the bidder will accept only the award of all items bid, each item in the bids will be considered separately and will be rejected or awarded on a high item basis.

No more than one bid will be awarded for any tract. All bids may be rejected for some tracts, even though awards are made for others. The convenience of having a single lessee for several adjacent or close tracts will be taken into consideration together with the experience of the bidder and price in determining the highest and best bids.

SURVEY	ABSTRACT	DESCRIPTION OF TRACTS	
		ORIGINAL GRANTEE	APPROXIMATE ACRES
16	793	WILLIAMSON COUNTY	320
17	794	SAME	320
18	795	SAME	320
23	800	SAME	320
28	773	SAME	320
29	774	SAME	320
30	775	SAME	320
31	776	SAME	320
32	777	SAME	320
33	778	SAME	320

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# CLASSIFIED ADS

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE ELECTION**  
(AVISO DE ELECCION CONSEJO DE ADMINISTRACION)

To the Registered Voters of Sutton County, Texas: (Precincts 2 and 4)  
A los votantes registrados del Sutton County Texas: (Precintos 2 y 4)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on May 6, 1989, for voting in a School Trustee election, to elect two Trustees from Precinct 2 and 4.  
Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 6 de mayo de 1989 para votar en la Eleccion para elegir dos consejos de administracion, recintos 2 y 4.

Location(s) of Polling Places  
Direccion(es) de las Casillas Electorales  
Precinct 2-Junior High Gymnasium Lobby, 1st Street  
Precinct 4-Fire Station, Concho Avenue.

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at the Administration Building, 807 South Concho, Sonora, Texas between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. beginning on Monday, April 17, 1989 and ending on Tuesday, May 2, 1989.

La votacion en ausencia en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en el Edificio Administrativo, 807 South Concho, entre las 8:00 de la manana y las 4:00 de la tarde empezando el lunes 17 de abril de 1989 y terminando el martes 2 de mayo.

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:  
Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan enviarse a:

Phyllis McLaughlin  
Absentee Voting Clerk  
Secretario de la Votacion En Ausencia

807 South Concho  
Address (Direccion)

Sonora, Texas 76950  
City (Cuidad) Zip Code (Zona Postal)

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on April 28, 1989.

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el 28 de abril, 1989.

Issued this the 15th day of April, 1989.

Emitada este dia 15 de abril, 1989.  
James Bible  
Superintendent of School

**SUTTON COUNTY UNDERGROUND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT**

**NOTICE OF DIRECTORS ELECTION**  
(AVISO DE ELECCION DIRECTORES)

To the Registered Voters of Sutton County, Texas:  
(A los votantes del Condado Sutton, Texas:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 6, 1989, for voting in a Water District election, to elect 2 Directors; 1 Director from Precinct 1, and 1 Director from Precinct 4.)  
(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 6 de Mayo de 1989 para votar en la Eleccion para elegir 2 directores; un director de precinto 1, y un director de precinto 4.)

Location(s) of Polling Places  
(Direccion(es) De Las Casillas Electorales)

Precinct 1: 4-H Center  
Precinct 4: Fire Station

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at Sonora City Hall, 201 N.E. Main, Sonora, Texas, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning April 17, 1989, and ending May 2, 1989.  
(La votacion en ausencia en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en Sonora City Hall, 201 N.E. Main, Sonora, Texas, entre las 8:00 de la manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el 2 de Mayo, 1989.)

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(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el 28 de Abril, 1989).

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: Becky Covington, Sonora, City Hall, 201 N.E. Main, Sonora, Texas 76950.  
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan enviarse a: Becky Covington, Sonora City Hall, 201 N.E. Main, Sonora, Texas 76950).

Filing applications may be picked up at the office of Iris Garza, Board Secretary, located on the third Floor of Sonora City Hall, Sonora, Texas, between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. weekdays. Filing deadline is April 14, 1989.

(Solicitudes se pueden recoger en la oficina de la secretaria, Iris Garza, localizada en 3rd Floor, Sonora City Hall, entre las horas de 8:00 a.m. a 4:30 p.m., lunes a viernes. La fecha del expediente es el 14 Abril, 1989.)

Joe David Ross, Chairman

Sutton County Underground Water Conservation District

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3rd St. 3 B, 2 B, 1 B. Good financing. \$27,000.  
Mobile Home Lot- 100 x 100 corner lot, storage building. Call today! \$12,500  
Taylor St. 3 BR, 2 B, 1 B, 1/2 acre. Call today. \$48,000.  
Water St. 4 BR, 3 B, was \$85,000 now \$75,000.  
Taylor St. 4 BR, 2 B, Stone const. \$1,500 paid in closing. \$26,900.  
Crockett Ave. Brick, 4 BR, 2 B. \$52,700 \$48,000.  
Deerwood St. 2 BR, 2 B, Brick-Relo Co. SOLD up to \$3,000 in closing. \$46,900.  
Taylor St. Nice 2-1 home. Lots of trees + a mobile home to rent. Owner anxious \$20,000 Cash  
Glasscock St. 3 BR, 2 B, Good buy Mid \$30's.  
Crockett Ave. 3 BR, 2 B, Great Buy \$28,200 \$24,000 \$19,900.  
College Ave. 2 BR, 2 B, Garage \$39,000.  
College Ave. CONTRACT, 2 B, CUNDER CONTRACT, \$18,000.  
Cahill: 10 Acre-Custom built home 3/2. Dbl. car garage & carport, satellite. \$115,000  
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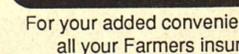
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**Large 2 BR, 2 bath brick home.** Sprinkler system, huge trees, close to school and hospital. Low 40's.  
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**Several selected 2 BR homes, priced in your range.**

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Sonora, Texas

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## MONOPOLY MATCH 'N WIN

PRIZE	NUMBER OF PRIZES	ODDS CHART	ODDS 13 TICKETS	ODDS 26 TICKETS
\$2,500	12	403,333	31,026	15,513
\$1,000	18	268,889	20,684	10,342
\$500	20	242,000	18,615	9,308
\$200	30	96,800	7,446	3,723
\$100	100	48,400	3,723	1,862
\$50	200	24,200	1,862	931
\$25	400	12,100	931	465
\$10	1,000	4,840	372	186
\$5	2,000	2,420	186	93
\$2	9,000	538	41	21
\$1	35,715	136	10	5
TOTALS	48,515	100	8	4

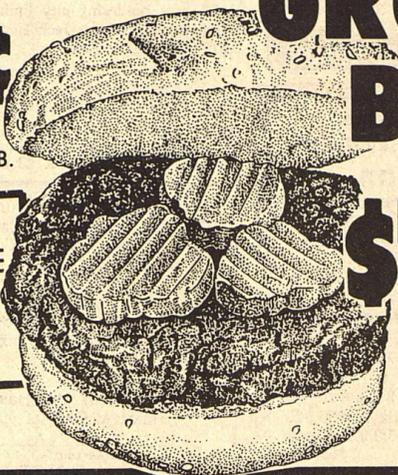
**PROGRAM DATA**  
\$196,115 prize money available during 13 week program.  
48,515 total winning game pieces available during promotion.  
1 in 100 tickets are winning game pieces.  
NUMBER OF OUTLETS: 73  
PROGRAM SCHEDULED THROUGH: June 18, 1989.  
AREA COVERED BY PROGRAM: North Texas, West Texas, Eastern New Mexico & Southern Colorado.  
SWEEPSTAKES: There will be one (1) more drawing in each participating store for \$100 prize per store per drawing. The date for this drawing is May 1, 1989. There will be one (1) drawing for the \$10,000 Grand Prize. Closing date for the Grand Prize Drawing will be seven (7) days after game termination. The odds of winning the sweepstakes will vary depending upon the number of qualified entries submitted.  
GAME PRIZES: \$171,715  
TOTAL GAME PRIZES \$196,115  
NO PURCHASE NECESSARY

WHOLE-SMOKED 6 TO 8 LB. AVG.

**PICNICS 79¢ LB.**

FRESH FAMILY PAK-3 LBS. OR MORE

**GROUND BEEF \$1.19 LB.**



**FRESH MEAT**

HEAVY GRAIN FED BEEF BONELESS

- CHUCK ROAST** . . . . . LB. **\$1.59**
- 80% LEAN FRESH BEEF **\$1.69**
- GROUND CHUCK** . . . . . LB. **\$1.69**
- DELTA PRIDE FARM-RAISED **\$2.39**
- WHOLE CATFISH** . . . . . LB. **\$2.39**
- DELTA PRIDE FARM-RAISED **\$2.19**
- CATFISH NUGGETS** . . . . . LB. **\$2.19**
- DELTA PRIDE **\$99¢**
- HUSH PUPPIES** . . . . . 1 LB. BAG **\$99¢**
- SAN ANTONIO MEXICAN **\$1.39**
- CHORIZO** . . . . . LB. **\$1.39**
- WISCONSIN RED RIND OR CALICO JACK MARKET CUT **\$1.99**
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**PAMPERS**

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**\$8.59**

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**LAY'S**

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7 OZ. BOXES

**4 FOR \$1**

Absorbent Paper Towels



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**79¢**

\$1.50 OFF LABEL LAUNDRY DETERGENT



**TIDE**

147 OZ. BOX

**\$6.69**

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CORN OIL OR REGULAR



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48 OZ. BTL.

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**PUDDINGS**

4 PAK

**\$1.19**

ORVILLE REDENBACHER



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**POPCORN**

10 1/2 OZ. PKG.

**\$1.99**

25¢ OFF LABEL CREAMY OR CRUNCHY PEANUT BUTTER

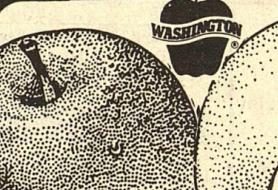


**PETER PAN**

18 OZ. JAR

**\$1.89**

WASHINGTON GOLDEN DELICIOUS



**APPLES**

LB. **49¢**

RED RIPE

**STRAWBERRIES**

**69¢ PT.**

FRESH TANGY **LEMONS** . . . . . 5 FOR **\$1.00**

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CALIFORNIA CRISP **CARROTS** . . . . . 4 1 LB. BAGS **\$1.00**

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WELCH'S GRAPE



**JELLY**

32 OZ. JAR

**\$1.59**

HUNT'S



**MANWICH**

15 1/2 OZ. CAN

**\$1.19**

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**JUICE**

64 OZ. BTL.

**\$2.79**

Kellogg's



**SPECIAL K**

12 OZ. BOX

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**FROZEN**

BANQUET



APPLE/ PEACH/ CHERRY

**FRUIT PIES**

20 OZ. BOX

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