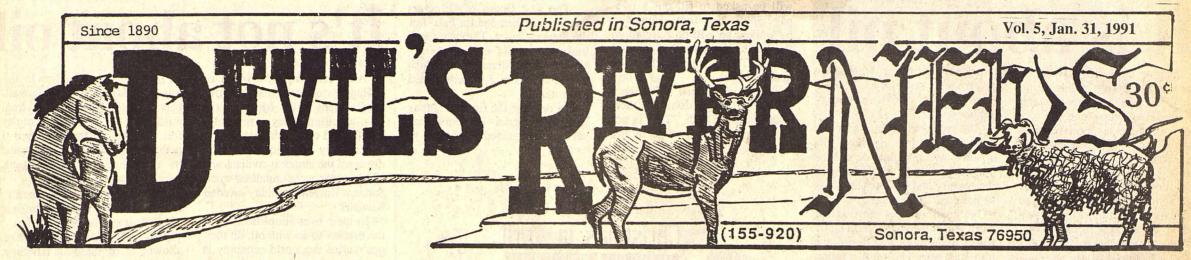


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Briefly

Valentines dance

The Sutton County Senior Center will be holding a Mexican dinner and dance on Thursday, February 14 at 6 p. m.

Entertainment will be provided by the Ole Tyme Country Band. Tickets are \$5 for adults and \$3 for children and are available at the Sutton County Senior Center or from members of the board.

Retirement party

Everyone is welcome to attend a retirement party in honor of Herman Moore at the Annex building on Thursday, February 7 from 4:00-6:00 p.m. Please come and visit with Mr. Moore.

Social security

Garland Gregg, representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his February visit to Sonora. He will be at the County Courthouse on Thursday, February 21, between 9:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.

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

Over 40 million benefit statements are being sent out during the month of January.

The primary users of the statements are beneficiaries who pay Federal income tax on their Social Security benefits. The statements should be kept by beneficiaries who may need proof of their benefit level.

No one pays taxes on more than one-half of their benefits. Some pay taxes on a smaller amount of their benefits according to a formula developed by the IRS.

For more information about taxation of these benefits, call the toll-free IRS number, 1-800-829-3676. Or you may call the San Angelo office at 949-4608.

70th reunion

The Second (Indian Head) Division Association is currently conducting a nationwide search for anyone (male or female) who ever served in the Second Infantry Division.

A 70th annual reunion is planned for July 17-20, 1991 in Omaha, Neb. For additional information about the reunion and the Association contact the National Secretary, Bill Creech, P. O. Box 460, Buda, Texas 78610.

EMT course

An EMT course will be offered February 7 thru May 9, 1991 in Sutton County. Classes will be held Tuesdays and Thursday nights from 7 p. m. to 10 p. m. Registration must be made in advance. Call 387-5132 or come by the Sutton County Emergency Service Building at 211 E. 3rd.

DRN Deadline

The deadline for information to be included in the Devil's River News is 5 p. m. Friday for the following week's paper.

Information can be brought to the office located at 220 N. E. Main St. or mailed to the same

For pictures taken on Monday or Tuesday a two day notice should be given to our office.

Guilty verdict reached in Ramirez drug trial

By Griffin B. Cole **DRN Editor**

The 112th Judicial District Attorney's office made it four convictions in a row on local drug cases Tuesday afternoon.

A six-man, six-woman jury deliberated just 15 minutes before convicting Ernesto Ramirez on one count of delivery of a controlled substance.

Assistant District Attorney Albert Valdez was pleased with the quick verdict.

"None of them had any doubt," said Valdez.

Ramirez's attorney, Bradley Miles of San Angelo, did not want to comment on the verdict.

Ramirez is the fourth person of 14 arrested on drug charges in March 1989 to be found guilty. Prior convictions include "Tiny" Favela, Jose Galindo and Richard Carl Harris.

Two others, Norman Barbee and David Pendleton, pleaded guilty to charges. Galindo's verdict is currently being appealed and Harris is awaiting sentencing.

Valdez said the introduction of an O'Haus scale may have been the most damaging evidence presented.

During cross-examination of Ramirez, Valdez brought in the scale. Asked if the scale looked familiar Ramirez replied, "It looks

Valdez then asked if Ramirez used the scale to measure out drugs. Ramirez replied, no, "I use it for tomatoes and peppers."

"The last time I was at the store tomatoes and peppers were measured in pounds," said Valdez. "This (scale) measures in grams."

In an interview after the verdict Valdez said, "(The O'Haus scale) is the most popular brand scale of drug dealers.

Leaving the stand after being cross-examined, Ramirez said to the jury, "I'm just innocent."

As with prior trials, the prosecution built their case on the testimony of Sutton County Sheriff, Bill Webster; former deputy, Rusty Frazier; agent, William Lonnie Hood and David Lake, chemist with the Department of Public Safety in Midland.

Webster testified that he hired Hood in October 1988 as an undercover agent after meeting

him in Odessa. Webster said Hood was payed \$2,200 a month and given just the name of the three bars that were in business at the

Hood said the drug transaction took place at Ramirez's residence Feb. 24 after he heard Ramirez was looking for him.

Ramirez answered the door with pants on, but no shirt and said he would be right out, said Hood. He then went back to the van and waited for Ramirez.

Hood recounted Ramirez told him he had what he wanted, an eight-ball of methamphetamine. Hood said he paid \$350 for what

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No decision made on Galindo appeal

SAN ANTONIO - A one to six-month wait is expected before a decision of the Jose Galindo appeal will be announced.

In a telephone interview from Dallas Friday, Galindo's attorney Damingo Garcia, said he was told by the appellate court the decision will take longer than usual because of a back log. Garcia said he was informed the court will take into consideration Galindo is being held in the Texas State

Garcia said the court appeared to be favorably disposed on the side of Galindo. When asked why he felt that was the case, Garcia said, "By the questions asked. They were defense oriented."

During the oral arguments Jan. 24, no attornies for the defense showed

Garcia said he considered the line of questioning to be a good sign, but that did not necessarily mean the court would rule on the side of Galindo. Galindo was convicted of delivery of a controlled substance and sentenced to 99 years on Oct. 27, 1989. He had been arrested March 6, 1989 along with 13 others during a drug raid.

DRN staff photo by Griffin B. Cole

WHOA! - Nancy Brockman reacts to some conversation with friends while at the Fling Ding at Sonora Wool and Mohair Saturday evening. While it was cool outside, the building remained comfortable for those that attended. See page 6 for related story.

D.A. deleted from civil suit

By Griffin B. Cole **DRN Editor**

MIDLAND - Mary Turner will not collect any damages from 112th Judicial District Attorney J.W. Johnson Jr. in connection

with her civil rights lawsuit. "The (Federal) Court has entered an order where any judgement against J.W. has been deleted," said Johnson's attorney Eric Augsen in a phone interview Tuesday from Midland.

Augsen said he is expecting a supplemental from the court clerk on the case that will provide the details. He did say the most important point of the order was,

"There was just not any evidence to link him to wrong doing."

A judgement by the U.S. District Court in Midland earlier this month originally awarded Mary Turner \$3.6 million as a result of violations of her constitutional rights. Johnson was hit for \$1.5 million in the lawsuit.

The case was tied to the 1987 trial that followed Turner's arrest on drug charges in 1985.

Turner and her attornies, Ray McKim and John Gunter, contended former Upton County Sheriff Glenn Willeford and snitch

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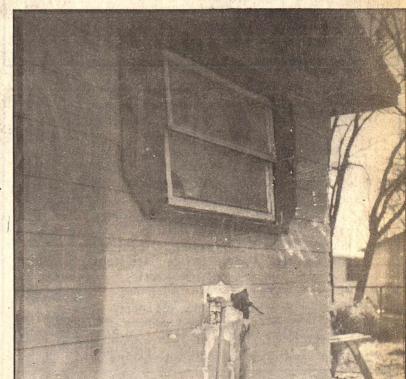


Photo courtesy of Carole Thorp

HOME REPAIR - All repairs done during the Christmas in April program will be worked on by volunteers. Those who wish to help should contact any Board of Directors member.

Volunteer improvement program sets strong foundation for future

By Griffin B. Cole **DRN Editor**

With a strong base of support built, the Christmas in April program looks like it will be a

reality in Sonora. Almost 30 people showed up at a meeting Jan. 22 at the First National Bank building to organize the project. To help get things organized a Board of Directors was elected.

Those elected included Johnny Jones, Nelda Mayfield, Lewis Allen, Louis Olenick, Carole Thorp, Harold Martinez, Sonny Anderson, Roberta James and Mike Street.

While the board has just been formed, the idea is not a new one. Senior Citizens named housing and home repairs as the most critical issue during a White House Conference on Aging meeting in Sonora last July.

The Christmas in April program, started in Midland in the early 1980s, appeared to be a natural solution.

Senior Center director Carole Thorp said a booklet on the program explaining how to get the ball rolling was provided. Thorp said Lewis Allen and Nelda Mayfield got together and studied the booklet.

After some background work, Allen and Mayfield believed following the booklet would provide the best way of getting the Christmas in April program

That is what led to the Board of Directors election Jan. 22.



Photo courtesy of Carole Thorp

WORK NEEDED - Senior Citizens who live in homes that need work will be able to benefit from the Christmas in April program which is currently in the early stages of formation.

"We have had nothing but good response from the community," said Thorp.

The affect on the community will be wide. Thorp said there are almost 600 senior citizens in Sutton County and of that number 130 are in the low income bracket.

Of those 130 in the low income bracket, 75 are Hispanic. "Those who don't have any kind of extended family don't have any

way of getting help for their

house," said Thorp.

That is where the Christmas in April program steps in.

Thorp said communities have have found the volunteer home repair project works for one major reason, "It won't be any great sacrifice to a group or individual...because it is one day."

With the one day of work, it has been found that volunteers are much easier to find. At the same

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It is about oil

Imagine the possibility of the boom in Sonora not ending in the mid 1980s, but continuing along for who knows how long.

From indications received most people would have preferred such an instance. It would have been possible too, if the government had continued the trend of increasing reliance upon the domestic oil and gas industry rather than looking to the Middle

An excellent article by John Paul Pitts of the Midland Reporter-Telegram appeared in the San Antonio Light last week.

Pitts did a story about Mack Wallace, former commissioner of the Texas Railroad Commission. Pitts wrote how Wallace showed Saudi oil which is purchased at about \$20 per barrel actually costs

Why? Wallace factored in the Middle East defense costs before the current buildup.

Wallace was quoted in the article. "We are better off paying our domestic producers \$50 a barrel than \$20 to the Arabs."

Fifty dollars a barrel! Just think how the oil industry would respond to that. There would be drilling permits all over the place.

Sonora has strong ties to natural gas. Wallace said he has been a big backer of an energy policy which would shift the demand to alternative fuels. Among the alternative fuels mentioned by Wallace is compressed natural gas.

Just right for Sonora. Again, there would be a lot more activity in the fields thus boosting not only the nation's economy, but Sonora's as well.

If the United States put more emphasis on domestic energy supplies it would be less inclined to be affected by Middle East political affairs.

The use of United States troops to protect that source would become less important. Perhaps

should have been 3.5 grams of

Lab results in Midland showed 1.6 grams of methamphetamine in

Ramirez contended Hood

stopped by his house on Feb. 24

to inquire about the special rollbar

on his truck and to see if Ramirez

could find him something similar.

"There was no talk about drugs,

no nothing," said Ramirez. "...We

talked about the rollbar and then

he came up with this. I don't

the package.

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even to the point where the government says forget it, we'll just provide our own energy

Ah yes, but what about the dastardly Saddam Hussein. The coaltion was put together to kick him out of Kuwait for taking over the country and the terrible things he has done to the people.

No coalition was put together when Hussein gassed thousands of Kurds in northern Iraq during the Iran-Iraq war. The only reaction from the United States was a letter strongly protesting the action.

The reason we acted so strong to the invasion of Kuwait was that Saudi Arabia could have been next. They have a weak military so the United States helped out with a few hundred thousand

If we produced a greater percentage of our own energy supply we might have just sent another letter strongly protesting the action.

There is a lot of gray area concerning the war in the Middle East and United States troops being present.

One of the common news items seen and heard is about protesters of the war clashing with those who have turned out for a rally to back our soldiers.

These groups should not clash at all because it is two very different questions. Just because somebody is against United States involvement doesn't mean they are against the troops in the Middle East.

There should be little argument the troops are brave men and women representing the United States when they have been called

As a friend said, the nation "dropped the ball" on treatment of soldiers following the Vietnam War. It was a painful lesson to learn as a nation and one that should not be forgotten.

"Everyone's tried to discredit

District Judge Brock Jones

Lonnie Hood...they're (the jury) not being fooled," said Valdez after

ordered a pre-sentence report and

said the report will be made by the

adult probation officer and given

Jones said the punishment phase

will begin in the next 14 to 30

Valdez said the current schedule

shows the trial of Eriberto (Beto)

Bernal is to begin Monday with

the verdict.

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jury selection.

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time, a lot of work can get done. Businesses or individuals who are interested in participating are urged to contact any of the Board

Senior Citizens who would like to have work done on their house will be asked to fill out a twopage application form. Homes to be worked on will be selected on the basis of greatest need, said Thorp. That will include work inside and out.

"A Senior Citizen will have a say in what is done in their house," said Thorp. "This is not going to be where we go in and say 'This needs to be done'."

Thorp said only preliminary work is done by technical people, that is: electricians, plumbers and the like. Everything else will be done by volunteers from the community.

The first Board of Directors meeting is scheduled for Feb. 7 at the Senior Center. The board will look at matters including taxexempt status, determining which homes to repair, fundraising and other items.

The date for the first Christmas in April program in Sonora has yet to be determined.



Christmas In April Sonorals Volunteer Housing Repair Project

APPLICATION FORM

Christmas in April homes can only be repaired if there is a Christmas in April Team available to do the repair work.

Christmas in April homes will be selected on the basis of greatest need. You will be notified by a Home Review and Selection member of C. in A. ONLY if your home is selected.

COMPLETE AND RETURN TO: Christmas in April Sutton County Senior Center Sonora, Texas 76950 PLEASE PRINT Address City, State, Zip Phone Yes ___ Own Home? Age Number of people living in your home Number of handicapped people living in your home Number of children below the age of 13 living in Number of full time adult workers living in home Number of part time workers living in home Total income for household per month Number of people receiving Medicaid or AFDC

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Number of people receiving Supplemental Security

By M. Scott Gilmore Hospital Administrator



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Bah humbug to the fat of holidays past

During the holidays we all have traditional favorites that we look forward to and, in moderation, we can enjoy these foods. But when we use the word 'enjoy', do we mean savoring the taste, savoring the ambiance of the entire event, or do we mean eating our favorite food until we are sick? Moderation is the operative word to maintaining our weight year

Nation of Dieters

Roughly 34 million Americans are obese, or more than 20 percent over their ideal body weight. And at any given time, one-third to one-half of the adult population is on some kind of diet. Magic weight-loss cures spring up in many forms: be it a liquid diet, protein diet, no protein diet, grapefruit diet, carbohydrate diet, celebrity diet, or any number of franchised diet-clinic diets, a nation of 65 million dieters has tried them all. Hungry to shed unwanted pounds, our weight rolls off. . .and too often back on again. . .to the tune of \$33 billion a

Yet there is no magic to losing weight. If you eat fewer calories, whether it's ice cream or carrots, you will lose weight. Even if you only cut back 500 calories a day, in a week you can lose 3,500 calories (one pound). Just cutting out dessert can make a pound of difference.

Once you learn how food choices can sabotage your success, you get choosy about what you eat and discriminating about where you put your calories. It's not the potato, it's the topping. It's not the pasta, it's the sauce. It's not the bread, but the spread. Fat is clearly the focus. And, if you watch out for food fats, it gives you a lot more flexibility in deciding what other foods you can

The word 'diet' suggests a shortterm solution. But, in fact, diet should suggest a lifestyle, a question that people with weight problems ask themselves daily: Do I Eat Thoughtfully?

The people who are successful in maintaining their weight are not the people who never slip. The ones who are successful are those who, when they do slip, catch themselves and get back on their diet plan before letting that slip turn into days or months of overindulgence.

When people think of dieting and weight control, they often think of abstinence and denial, and that is a mistake. If you lust for a piece of fudge, eat that piece of fudge. . . just don't eat the whole plate. If you deny yourself, you'll probably overdose on something

If you overindulge at dinner or a party, don't try and make up for it the next day. Go back to your regular diet plan.

Many times when this happens guilt will step in and you'll starve yourself the next day to make up for it. . . but that only gets you in more trouble. If you overeat, the chances are high that you'll overeat at the next meal. And if you skip a meal, the chances are high that you'll overeat. The answer then, is truly moderation.

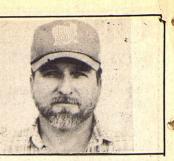
People need to learn to separate eating from the emotional and celebratory sides of their lives. If we can keep eating for sustenance and develop other habits for celebration and emotional outlets, we'll have a lot less trouble controlling our weight.

Moderation. It's an obvious answer. But for those of us who gain weight at the mere sight of pumpkin pie, moderation is the only way to eat the fatted goose without becoming one.

Ramblin'

By Jim Fish

Contributing writer



It's not about oil

After listening to a panel of college students discuss our involvement in the Middle East, I've decided they are quite uninformed concerning issues.

Are they so callous that they disregard the innocent civilians and children who were brutalized when Saddam Hussein's military invaded Kuwait?

In their over-simplification of the matters to do with oil; do they not realize the world economy is presently based on oil as a commodity? It seems they would turn their backs on the needs of the less fortunate while we, as Americans, enjoy the excesses and benefits of a "land of plenty."

I cannot speak for all veterans, but when human rights are being ignored and have seen the brutalization of people; how can we not cry out, "No more!" while we watch a madman devastate a body of water with a valued energy source and cause his own people untold hardships; how can we not ask, "Why?" as we hear and see a world leader do his best to start a holy war among the Arab nations that would escalate into a world war? How can we not feel the compulsion to arrest it before it gets out of hand?

I shudder to think that our future lies in the hands of isolationists who would turn their backs on the rest of the world because they allow fear to dictate actions.

Someone should let them know that we can no longer ignore the plight of third world countries because they now have a direct bearing on our own national security.

Certainly; sons, husbands, fathers, daughters, mothers and wives will die as they place their lives on the line so that others might enjoy a taste of freedom during their short life-span.

What price do we put on such

freedom?

Who has the right to say that life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness is good for those of us who live in the free world but not for those who do not?

If I hear, "No blood for oil" one more time, I think I'll scream.

I became incensed at first by the tragedy endured by the Kuwaiti people at the hands of the Iraqi military. My sense of security fell on shaky ground when I realized the world economy rested in the hands of a militant, religious zealot.

Just look at what happened to the price of oil when only the fear of oil shortages began to surface.

Folks, if Saddam Hussein was allowed to continue his rampage, we would have been paying five to ten dollars for a gallon of gas within the year. The price of even a package of gum would have increased by the same percentile.

To say that this war is over oil, is not only irresponsible but a blatant show of ignorance.

I wholly support the right of free speech, but in this case I feel it is an indication that we are falling short of moral obligation and resolution.

I was amazed to hear the vocabulary of second and third year college students this past Sunday evening, blithely expose their lack of awareness.

We need to impress upon our children the importance of human rights and the fact that we can no longer rest in peace while the world at large is in utter turmoil.

Regardless of race, color, creed, or national origin, every individual should experience the perogative of a free spirit, and respect for the rights of others.

However, it is comforting to know that such ignorance affects only a small percentage of our population. The vast majority of Americans support the reasons for our presence in Saudi Arabia and are proud that our military personnel are fighting for world peace. Never before has so many

come together, so quickly and so adamantly.

For the first time since World War II, patriotism in the United States is displayed with dignity and fervor. It is a time when most of us spiritedly proclaim to the world, "I'm proud to be an American!"

For Your Information...

By Lolabeth Jones County Extension Agent-Home Economics



Rating shellfish look-alikes

A new form of processed seafoods, pseudo-shellfish, imitates the taste, texture and appearance of real shellfish, but costs a third to a half less than the real counterparts. Imitation crab, shrimp, scallops

and lobsters, found in supermarkets across the country, are actually quite nutritious as well as economical, providing a new incentive to include more low-fat, high-protein fish in your

These shellfish look-alikes are made from Pacific white fish, primarily pollock. The fish is washed repeatedly to remove any color and odor and is then processed into products with the shapes, colors, taste and texture of a variety of different kinds of shellfish. The next processing step is steaming, after which the shellfish substitutes are frozen and packaged for the market.

The nutritional content of the pseudo-shellfish is comparable to whitefish rather than shellfish. While providing a low-fat source of protein and a variety of essential minerals, they are much lower cholesterol than some real shellfish, such as lobster and shrimp. This is good news for people who enjoy shellfish, but must closely monitor every milligram of dietary fat and cholesterol.

Salt is added to the fish, so be aware that he sodium content of these look-alikes can be much higher than that of unsalted fresh

Convenience of imitation shellfish is a real asset. Since these products are fully cooked, they can be thawed and served cold in seafood salads. If you include them in a hot dish, be sure to hold them out until near the end of the cooking time. Put them in just long enough to heat through since over cooking can make them tough, just like real shellfish.

So, there's no need to bypass those tempting recipes that call for expensive lobster or shrimp. . . you might want to try the lookalikes. They offer sound nutrition at a reasonable price.

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Walter Woolf Jr. planted dope in the store she and her father owned.

Johnson was the district attorney in the case. He dropped the case against Turner on the fifth day of court when it was learned Woolf had perjured himself on the witness stand.

Johnson eventually prosecuted Woolf and Willeford.

Augsen said Johnson was an innocent party caught in the middle of situation he could do nothing about.

"There is no way he should or could be responsible for the wrongful acts of someone else," said Augsen. "Clearly the order reflects J.W. had nothing to do with it."



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by Corie Avila

Visiting from Midland this past weekend were Clay and Kisha Garner.

Congratulations to the Sonora UIL contestants for their great achievement last weekend.

Placing first in accounting was Shannon Escalera, third, David Mirike and fifth John Russell. Placing first in Biology and Physics was Adam Youngblood. Blake Adkins placed first in Chemistry and Allison Schwiening placed first in ready writing.

Happy Birthday to Maria Sanchez.

Belated Birthday wishes go out to Yvonne Mata.

Belated Birthday wishes go out to Karen R. Anderson.

Congratulations to the newlyweds Steve (Alpo) and CJ Harrison. They were married January 27 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ronspiez in San Angelo, Texas. The Rev. Andrew officiated. Many close friends were in attendance.

After a short honeymoon the couple returned to Dallas, Texas where they will reside. Best wishes.

Yolanda C. Garcia was in town Sunday afternoon to visit with her daughter Sandra Luz and Sandrita Gonzalez.

Sending get well wishes to (P) Susie Casillas from the girls at the DRN.

Birthday wishes go out to Myra Carabajal.

Birthday wishes go out to Rosie

A special thanks to Gandy Ink in San Angelo for the bumper stickers that read Support Our Troops.

A 15th Birthday Celebration was held in honor of Adrianne Noriega on January 26, 1990. Adrianne is the daughter of Mrs. Dora Gonzales and George Noriega, Sr. and the sister of George Noriega, Jr.

The ceremony was held at Saint Anns Catholic Church. The reception and dance followed at the Clint Langford Memorial Building.

Adrianne's dress was of white taffeta and embroidered with sequins. It was strapless with slip on sleeves. She wore a shawl during the church ceremony.

Adrianne's honor escort was Ricky Gandar. Her Dames were Jennifer Ponce escorted by Michael Campos, Tabatha Sanchez escorted by Javiel Jimenez, Alma Sanchez escorted by Adrian Sanchez, Erica Lozano escorted by Joey Guerra, Gloria Escalera escorted by Gilbert Vara, Linda Cervantez escorted by LeRoy Martinez, Virginia Talamantes escorted by Freddy Perez, Stefanie Virgen escorted by Michael Escalera, Elsa Lumbreras escorted by Lee Gamez, Becky Lumbreras escorted by Max Gamez, Leanna Cervantez escorted by Michael Fay, Yvone Mata escorted by Joe Mendoza, Cindy Chavez escorted by Marcos Palos, Diane Tabarez escorted by Diego

For tradition Adrianne danced the Waltz Las Mari Posas with her father, George Sr., Ralph Gonzales, her brother, George, Jr., and Uncle John Noriega.

And a great time was had by all.

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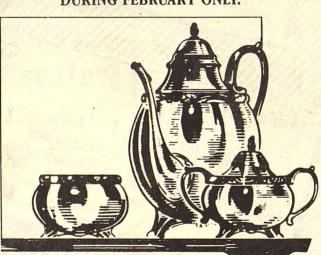
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Russell, Spain make dean's list

Kelly Russell and Christie Spain were among the 1,590 students whose 1990 fall semester grades earned them places on the dean's list at Southwest Texas State University.

To qualify for the academic honors listing, an undergraduate student must have earned a grade point average of at least 3.5 during the semester while taking at least 12 semester hours of course work.

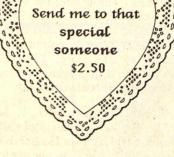


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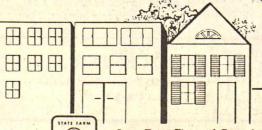
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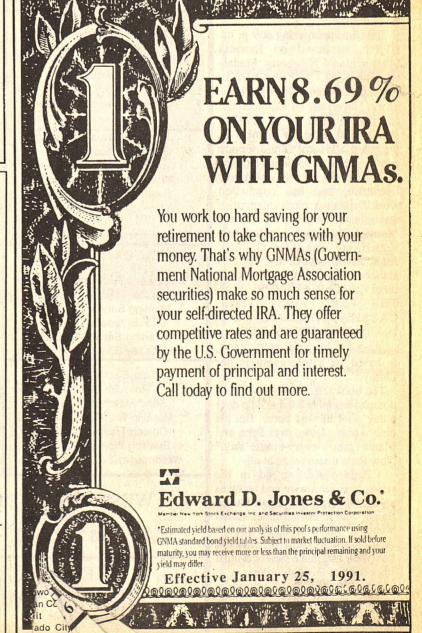
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Sonora Police Reports January 21 - January 29

January 21 - At 9:45 a.m. a female called said her closet door locked and requested an officer to assist with unlocking it.

January 21 - At 11:38 a.m. a male caller said he locked is keys inside his car with the engine running. Vehicle was located in the 200 block of

January 21 - At 1:49 p.m. a welfare case requested gasoline assistance. January 21 - At 3:09 p.m. a female caller said she locked her key inside her car with children still in the vehicle. Car was located at a West Main

January 22 - At 9 a.m. a minor traffic accident is reported in the 400 block of West First Street. There were no injuries.

January 22 - At 9:15 a.m. a report of a theft at TV Cable Service is taken by Chief Gesch and Officer Jarratt.

January 22 - At 10:20 a.m. keys are reported locked in a vehicle at Circle

January 22 - At 10:25 a.m. there was a report of unauthorized people entering the school gymnasium on Water Avenue.

January 22 - At 11:14 a.m. an office is requested to unlock a U-Haul truck at the Devil's River Inn.

January 22 - At 2 a.m. a complaintant at Town and Country #1 reported that a female friend had assaulted him at about 1 a.m. Complaintant said she bit and scratched him on the back.

January 23 - At 7:34 p.m. two suspicious men on a motorcycle are reported to be handing around Mr. D's on Highway 277 North. January 25 - At 10:27 p.m. a Poplar Street resident reported the theft of a

stereo amplifier. January 25 - At 10:48 p.m. a mior accident is reported at the Sonic Drive-

January 25 - At 10:10 p.m. a complaintant reported that person or persons had taken his stero amplier from his car that had been parked at the Sonora High School. Total loss was reported at \$200.

January 26 - At 9:33 p.m. a passer-by reported a suspicious pickup truck in the downtown area.

January 26 - At 12:52 p.m. there was a report of a 1960s model blue Chevy pickup spun out of the parking lot near the football stadium. January 26 - At 8:28 p.m. a report was lodged of hot rodding on Rock

January 27 - At 3:12 p.m. a caller from the 400 block of Poplar Street reported that her neighbor had company and they have their old car blocking her driveway.

January 27 - At 3:45 p.m. a guest at the Holiday Host Motel reported that someone is shooting a gun and having target practice up on the hill behind the motel.

January 27 - At 5:50 p.m. Officer House was contacted by phone at the Sonora Police Department. Complaintant reported that Holmes Wrecking had picked up one of their trucks by their request. Homes would not release the truck until a debt was settled.

January 28 - At 7:55 p.m. a resident in the 400 block of Glasscock reported that her patio door had been broken.

Library news

New books available at the library are: GALAPAGOS by Kurt Vonnegut, THE FATAL CROWN by Ellen Jones, THE CITY WHEN IT RAINS by Thomas Cook, A PRIVATE CRIME by Lillian O'Donnell, WIDOWS by Ed McBain and CIRCLE OF FRIENDS by Maeve

A review of CIRCLE OF FRIENDS: Brimming with the rich perceptiveness that immediately identifies the writing of Maeve Binchy, CIRCLE OF FRIENDS is that rare, intensely pleasurable novel to be cherished from first page to last. Beginning in an Irish village and moving to Dublin, this intimate portrait of friendship captures the coming of age of two unusual young women, Benny Hogan and Eve Malone, and the drama that emerges unexpectedly, in their lives.

On Sunday, February 3, 1991, the Hallmark Hall of Fame proudly presents "Sarah, Plain and Tall" on CBS-TV. It features exceptional performances by Glen Close (as Sarah), Christopher Walken (as Jacob), and Lexi Randall and Christopher Bell (as the children).

The film, premiering at 9 p. m. ET/PT, is based on Patricia MacLachlan's Newberry Medalwinning book. She was born in Cheyenne, Wyoming. A graduate of the University of Connecticut, she has worked as an English teacher and an active member of the board of a local family service agency. She is frequent lecturer on the subject of children's literature, and has conducted workshops at several universities and colleges. She lives in western Massachusetts with her husband, Robert, and has three children, John, Jamie and Emily. She is author of several picture books and three novels; ARTHUR, FOR THE VERY FIRST TIME, CASSIE BINEGAR AND UNCLAIMED TREASURES.

SARAH, PLAIN AND TALL is based on a true event in her family.

The book tells about how Caleb doesn't remember Mama, who died a day after he was born. But his older sister, Anna, says Papa and Mama sang "every-single day." Now Papa doesn't sing at all.

Papa places an ad in the newspaper for a wife and receives an answer from a woman named Sarah, who lives in Maine. Caleb wants to know if Sarah snores Anna wants to know if Sarah can braid hair and make stew and-most

important of all-if she sings. Sarah writes, "I will come by train. I will wear a yellow bonnet. I am plain and tall." And so Caleb, Anna and Papa wait.



DRN staff photo by Griffin B. Cole

LIONS QUEEN - Tana Churchill, senior at Sonora High School, was named as the 1991 Lions Queen during the annual 1991 Ladies Night and Queen's Contest held Jan. 22 at the Junior High School snack bar.

Public health week Feb. 3-9

February 3-9, 1991 has been proclaimed as Public Health Week in Texas. Throughout the week and coming year, you are encouraged to live healthier lives. Your local Texas Department of Health at 211 Hwy. 277N is available to help provide services and education about your health.

Robert Bernstein, M.D., F. A. C. P., Texas Commissioner of Health, said "It's Your Health! It's Your Life!" has been chosen to illustrate that each of us is responsible for choosing a healthy lifestyle. Helping you make healthy choices and protecting the health of your community is the job of the Texas Department of health care professionals.

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For more information about the services at our local health **Assault Victim Services** announces logo contest

Assault Victim Services is conducting a contest to create a logo for the agency.

AVS offers assistance to victims of sexual assault and other violent crime and their families in Coke, Concho, Crockett, Irion, Kimble, Mason, Menard, Reagan, McCulloch, Runnels, Schleicher, Sterling, Sutton and Tom Green Counties. Although people contact the agency as a result of interpersonal violence, the goal is to provide support, resources and the courage to heal. Education and prevention are also important components of the program.

The logo needs to bear the mission of the agency in mind. Deadline for entries is February

For more information, write to MHMR, 244 N. Magdalen, San Angelo, Texas 76903, to the attention of the AVS Director Linda Shelton or Phone (915) 944-8728.

The logo should focus on the hope and healing the agency provides, rather than the violence that has occurred. The AVS motto is, "A light of hope in the darkness of crime."

The first place winner will receive \$50 cash, a \$50 savings bond from Bank of the West in San Angelo, a \$25 gift certificate from Sunset Mall, two dinners from Zentners Steakhouse, two movie passes from United Artists, one free golf lesson from Bentwood Country Club and a free carwash from Auto-Magic Car Wash. The runner-up will received \$25 cash, a free golf lesson from Bentwood and one free carwash from Auto Magic Car

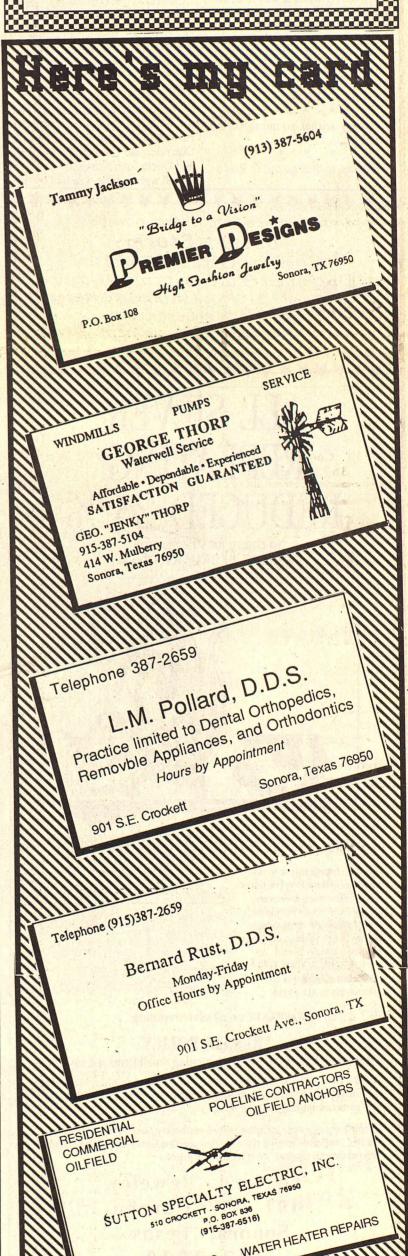
Assault Victim Services will become the owner of the winning entry and will prepare it for reproduction. All entries will be displayed in Sunset Mall during the first week of March.

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CHURCH GUIDE

The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian Worship Service-11:00 am Church School-9:45am Communion first Sunday of each month Lewis Allen, Pastor

Sarah comes in the spring with

her cat, who she calls Seal because

she is gray like the seals that

swim in the sea near her home.

Everyone hopes she will stay.

But Sarah misses the sea, her

brother and the "three old aunts

who all squawk together like crows at dawn." When Sarah

takes the wagon to town alone,

Caleb and Anna worry. What

happens tells much about

happiness and hope, and what it is

that makes a family.

New Life Assembly of God 306 N. 4th Street Sun. Worship 10:30 am Sun. evening worship 6:00 pm Weds. Study 7:00 pm Daniel Timmerman, Pastor

Primera Igelsia Bautista Sunday School-9:45 am Worship Service-11:00 am Training Union-5:00 pm Evening Service-6:00 pm Wednesday Service 7:00 pm W.M.U.-Sunday-2:00 pm Between Santa Clara & Chestnut

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)-3:00 pm Evening Service-6:00 pm Wednesday Bible Study-7:00 pm

First Baptist Church Rev. Jim Stephen Sunday School-9:45 am Morning Worship-11:00 am Church Training-6:00 pm Evening Worship-7:00 pm Wednesday Service-7:00 pm

Sonora Tabernacle United Pentecostal Rev. Kenneth Doyle, Pastor Prayer Meeting-6:30 pm Evening Worship-7:00 pm

Sunday School, etc. -10:00 am Prayer Meeting-6:00 pm Wednesday Service-7:00 pm Jehovah's Witness

310 St. Ann's / 387-2679 or 7-3947 **English Meeting** Public Talk-10 am Sun. Watchtower Study-11:55 Sunday Theocratic School-7:30 pm Wed. Service Meeting-8:15 Wednesday Bible Study-7:30 Monday

New Hope Baptist Mission 511 Cornell Sun. morning bible Study-10 am Sun. morning Worship-11 am Sun. evening Worship-7 pm Weds. Childrens Bible Study-7 pm Dana Floyd-Pastor

> Church of Christ Minister-Don Jones Bible School-10 am Worship-11 am Sunday Night-6:30 pm Wednesday Night-7 pm

First United Methodist Church Kent L. Kepler Sunday School-9:45 am Worship-10:55 am KHOS 92.1 FM-11 am Chancel Choir Wednesday-7:30 pm

Jehovah's Witness 310 St. Ann's / 387-2679 or 7-3947 Spanish Meeting Public Talk-1 Sunday Watchtower Study -1:55 Sunday Theocratic Ministry-7:30 pm Tues. Service Meeting -8:15 Tuesday Bible Study-7:30 Thursday

> 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. Lawerence D'Mello Deacon E. Samaniego Saturday Night Mass-7 pm English Sunday Mass : 8 am Spanish 11 am English Holy Day Mass-7 pm

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- Wed. 7:15 pm Rev. J. Monte Jones, Rector

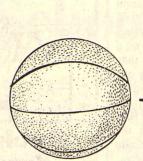
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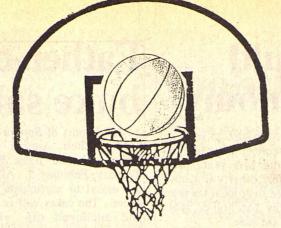
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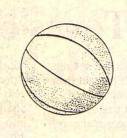
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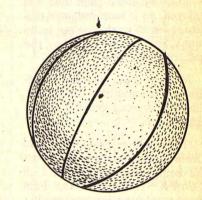






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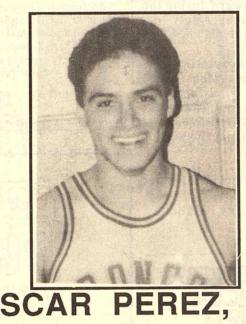
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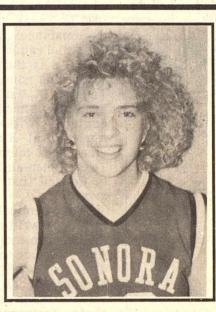
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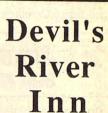
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Oscar is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Perez, Sr. Oscar plays guard for the Broncos and is a senior at Sonora High School.



TANA CHURCHILL

Tana is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Todd Churchill, Tana plays guard for the Ladyn remore Broncos and is a senior at Sonora High School



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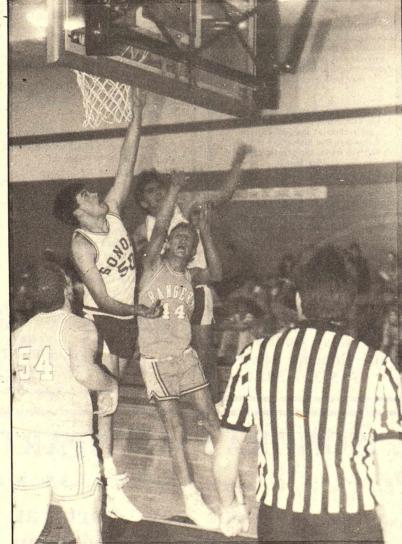
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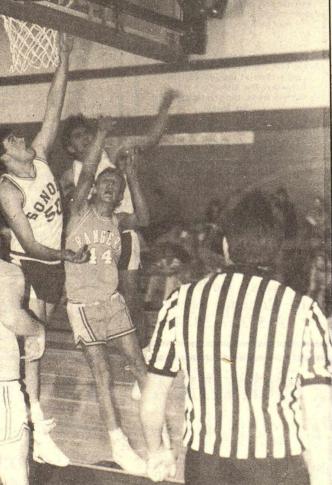
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Local sales tax revenues could signal improving Texas economy

AUSTIN - State Comptroller John Sharp says his office sent checks this month totaling \$91 million to the cities and counties across Texas that collect local This month's sales tax rebates

is due to Texas' stronger economy,

Fling Ding members thanked for hard work

Another Fling Ding has wrapped up and a good time was enjoyed. As in most events of this size, a lot of work was put in by many people to make the gathering a success.

Melissa Teaff was decoration chairwoman and Ebie Sutton and Carolyn Earwood joined in as cochairwomen. They give a special thanks to

Carla Fields and Rex Ann Friess for being in charge of the Fish Contest. Honey Hicks, Pam Armke and Anna Eustace get a big hug for the gorgeous mermaids and the merman.

The City of Atlantis was designed and created by Jessie Kerbow and Janice Caruthers. Ebie Sutton and Carolyn Earwood designed the shipwreck. Joining Ebie and Carolyn in painting all the wall was Sandi Elliott.

Melissa Teaff thanks all the Fling Ding membership who designed a fish for the ceiling decorations. Melissa said it added to all the fun of the night.

Best fish went to Sonny Anderson. Honorable mentions included Sam Dillard, Bob Teaff, Carolyn Earwood, Mrs. Robert Kelly, Joanne Wilkinson, Kay Campbell, Kathy Jones, Janice Caruthers, Ethel Olson, Rosalee and Glen Richardson, Matthew Jennings, Sandi Elliot, Bobbie Thompson, Linda Fisher, Kristen Hicks, Ruthie Cahill and all the others that made fish.

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but some of the rise is because to cities increased 15 percent over the January 1990 figures. "A good portion of that increase

more cities collect sales tax this year than did last year," said Sharp. "A few other cities have also increased their local tax rates which makes for higher rebte checks from the state."

> Sharp recently reported in his Biennial Revenue Estimate to the state Legislature an increase of \$1.9 billion in available revenue for fiscal year 1992-93 because of Texas' growing and increasingly diversified economy. However, Sharp also warned that the state could face a potential shortfall due to increased spending

Father-daughter cake bake sale to be Feb. 5

Girl Scouts of Sonora will be holding their Annual Father-Daughter Cake Bake Sale on Tuesday, February 5. All troops are asked to participate in this event. The cakes will be judged and auctioned off, with the proceeds going to each individual's

So, come on Dad's put your thinking caps on and help your daughter's create a very special cake, your contribution is greatly appreciated.

Rules for the cake bake are as follows: 1. Father and daughter do the cake, no help from mom. 2. Must be made from scratch, NO BOX MIXES. 3. Girls name and troop number should be placed under cake out of sight. Also, label the cake as to what it is on a card. 4. If you have more than one daughter in a troop, only one cake is required. 5. Mom does not have to help with clean-up. 6. All cakes must be at the Fire Hall between 5 p. m. and 5:45 p. m., February 5. Any cakes brought after this time may not be judged.

Trophies and ribbons will be given. All Girl Scouts should notify their troop leaders if they plan to participate.

This space provided as a public service.

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Buckle Up Bundle Up

Texas Coalition for Safety Belts

Submit applications for heroism awards

Wanted: A few heroic Arlington. people.

Nominations are being sought for the state's annual rural heroism award, which honors an individual who saved the life of another during 1990 in Texas, preferably in circumstances related to farming and ranching.

Feb. 8 is the deadline for submitting nominations, said Thomas D. Valco of College Station, an agricultural engineer with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and member of the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council that presents the

"The nominations should include a written account of the heroism incident," Valco said. "Include the names, addresses and telephone numbers of all persons involved. When available, include newspaper clippings and photos."

All nominations, Valco added, should be sent to the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council, Box 2689, Waco, Texas 76702-2689.

The 1990 award winner will be announced March 18 during the 53rd Annual Texas-Southwestern Safety Conference and Exposition at the Convention Center in

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The 1989 rural heroism winner was Bill Penix of Garland, who rescued his stepfather, C.S. Hines of Quitman, from a tractor-posthole digger accident. Penix received his award during the council's annual safety exposition last March in Houston.

For more information, contact Valco in Texas A&M University's department of agricultural engineering, telephone (409) 845-3931, or contact the local Extension Service office.

Contact: Thomas D. Valco (409) 845-7453

Writer: Mary Mahoney (409) 845-2889

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SHAPING UP FACTS ON FIGURES by Fred Adkins

Endurance athletes get better results if they refuel at intervals during exercise, study at the Human Performance Laboratory in Austin found. Runners were able to ward off fatigue and keep going 22 to 35 percent longer by having high-carbohydrate drinks now and then.

Don't drink coffee before a workout, says a professor of medicine at the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center. Both exercise and caffeine can raise blood pressure temporarily and the combination may push pressure too high.

Dried beans are best, but even canned beans help lower cholesterol levels, say researchers at the University of Kentucky. The higher the original cholesterol levels, the greater the drop, they found.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

This notice is to advise of an increase in Texas intrastate Directory Assistance rates by AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc. Effective March 2, 1991, AT&T will increase its Directory Assistance rates from \$0.40 to \$0.50 per call. In addition. AT&T will no longer provide free Directory Assistance calls. Currently AT&T provides two free Directory Assistance calls if the customer places at least two AT&T intrastate long distance calls during the same billing period.

Handicapped customers who qualify for exemption from local Directory Assistance charges under Local Exchange Company Tariff(s), or in the absence of a local Directory Assistance charge plan, receive special rates on other Local Exchange Company Services, are exempted and will continue to be exempted from AT&T's intrastate Directory Assistance charge. This exemption applies only to calls to Directory Assistance which are billed to the handicapped customer's residence telephone number.



Focus on education

School funding

Bill I has been declared simple explanation for this unconstitutional by the Texas transfer of tax levies is as follows: Supreme Court. The Supreme all students in the state.

Sonora I. S. D.'s current tax levy is \$.87, all of which goes to Local Maintenance (operating the school). In 1984, the I & S (Interest & Sinking) tax rate was set at \$.20 for the purpose of paying off the new high school. This I & S tax levy was gradually transferred to Local Maintenance between 1984-1989 and, at the present time, the Sonora I. S. D.

The funding portion of Senate does not levy an I & S tax. A

1. During 1984-85-86 (boom Court gave the legislature until years) Sonora's values rose to the April 1, 1991 to devise a finance extent that reserves were created plan that would achieve equity for that could be put aside to pay off the high school. Values have declined since that time with the exception of a slight increase in 1989-90.

> 2. I & S Taxes (building fund) were not needed to raise revenue (bond payments) so they were transferred to Local Maintenance to meet rising costs within the district.

3. This transfer of tax levies increased the Local Maintenance (operating) Tax but at the same time decreased the Interest and Sinking (building) Tax.

With the school district debt free on February 1, 1991 the existing \$.87 tax rate is, at the present time, very close to being sufficient to meet the operating costs of the district. However, the big concern is what type of plan the legislature will come up with to achieve equity. With a statewide local property tax averaging over \$1.00 and with Sonora's having a tax rate of \$.87, it is very likely that we will not be pleased with the legislature's equity plan.

Eighth-grade Lady Broncos fall in OT

The Sonora Eighth-grade Lady Broncos dropped a 27-23 decision to Eldorado in overtime Monday evening.

Sonora (5-3) opened a 9-7 lead at the end of one quarter then held Eldorado scoreless in the second period to extend its lead to 15-7.

Eldorado returned the favor of strong defense in the third quarter. While Eldorado hit for 12 points, Sonora went cold from the field and failed to score giving the Eaglets a 19-15 lead.

The Lady Broncos found their offense in the fourth quarter to tic the game at 23-23 at the end of regulation.

Eldorado outscored Sonora in the overtime 4-0 to pick up the

Beth Covington continued to shoot well as she led the Lady Broncos in scoring with eight points. Candie Sessom added five, Vicky Richardson and Katie Burge four, Jennifer Covey two and Sara Reston onc.

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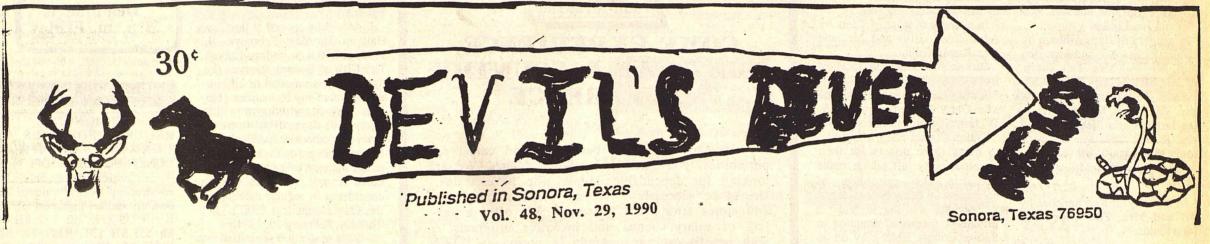
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(800) 333-INFO



Chris Crowder

Sonora, Texas 76950

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Sonora, Texas 76950 in Sonora, Texas. Since 1890 Yol. 48, Dec. 6, 1990

Jennifer Covey





Joel Salazar

Bauer Financial Reports, Inc., a Coral Gables, Florida research firm is pleased to announce that Sutton County National Bank has been awarded a five-star rating. This prestigious award identifies this institution as one of the safest, most creditworthy banks in the United States.

The award is based on a zero to five-star rating assigned by BFR based on its analysis of the June 30, 1990 financial data as filed with federal regulators.

A five-star rating, for the safest banks in the country, indicates that the bank's tangible capital exceeds 9.0% of tangible assets, that there are no excessive delinquencies or repossessed assets and that the bank is profitable. "Customarily," notes Paul A. Bauer, President, "the five-star rating is awarded to traditional banks, profitable, well capitalized institutions that serve the local community. Out of 12,504 banks reporting for that period ended June 30, 1990, 3,228 banks, only one out of four, received our five-

1990 donations to the EMS

Sutton County Emergency Medical Service received the following donations for 1990.

In memory of Ester Loeffler, Gene Wallace, Bill Thompson, Rip Ward, Roy Ward, Edwin Sawyer, Jr., Mrs. George Hamilton and Hattie Epps by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mayer and Robert. In memory of Polly Lewis by

Carla Fields. In memory of Granville Barker by Carla Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Ben

Pool and Jim Luckie. In memory of Ruth Ashburn by Jonnie Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pool, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Thorp, Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Powers, Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Voy Julius, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Jarvis, Carla Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Louis M. Rancatti, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Miller and Mrs. Jo Ann

In memory of Red Sanchez by Mr. and Mrs. Tim Thorp and Carla Fields.

In memory of Vernon Gilchrest by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pool, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Thorp and Mr. and Mrs. George Keese.

In memory of Duwane Genini by Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mooney and

In memory of Laura Humphreys by Mr. and Mrs. George Keese. In memory of Harva Cooper by

Anna Rose Gillit. and Anna Rose Gillit.

In memory of Travis Walthall by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pool.

Private donations were received from Caverns of Sonora, Larry Finklea, Lura Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Ashburn, Sonora I. S. D., Jimco/Dicon and James Nall.

to thank these donors for their generous gifts, all which make possible the purchase of equipment for better patient care.

Anyone wishing to make a private or memorial donation to Sutton County EMS may do so by going by the EMS building at 211 E. 3rd or mailing them to P. O. Box 1067, Sonora, Texas

New police officer for city of Sonora

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Sonora, Texas 76950

(915) 387-2884

Applicants should submit resume or complete an application

Officer Tim Jarratt joined the Sonora Police Department Jan. 7.

Jarratt, 23, completed 440 hours of Basic Law Enforcement Training at the Concho Valley Regional Law Enforcement Academy in San Angelo Dec. 18. The following day Jarratt passed his State Peace Officer's examination.

Jarratt was born in San Angelo and raised in Wall. He graduated from Wall High School in 1986 and attended Angelo State University where he concentrated on Criminal Justice, government and history.

Currently single, Jarratt is engaged to Carol Schwartz who is



JARRATT

a Radiologic Technologist at Shannon Medical Center in San Angelo.

(915) 387-2558.

Sealed proposals, addressed to the City of Sonora will be received in the City Hall until 9:00 a.m., Tuesday, February 19, 1991 for furnishing necessary materials, equipment, and labor

Public Notice Notice is hereby given that the

City of Sonora is now calling for

bids for a utility tractor and mower

combination. Specifications may

be obtained from City Hall, 201

NE Main, Sonora, Texas 76950.

All bids must be sealed and

addressed to the City Secretary.

The bid envelope must be clearly

marked "SEALED BIDS -

TRACTOR/MOWER" and

returned to the City Secretary's

office prior to Tuesday, February

19, 1991 at 9:00 a. m., at which

time the bids will be publicly

opened and read. The City of

Sonora reserves the right to reject

Inquiries should be directed to

Jim Garrett, Public Works

Coordinator, 201 NE Main,

Sonora, Texas 76950 or call

INVITATION FOR BIDS

any and all bids.

Installation of a Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition System

Bids will be opened at the City Hall on Tuesday, February 19, 1991, at 9:00 a.m. and read aloud. The City of Sonora reserves the right to reject any and or all bids and to waive any formalities. No bids may be withdrawn within thirty (30) days of bid opening. No bidder otherwise qualified shall be denied award on the basis of his or her national origin, race, color, creed or sex. Awards will be considered in regular meeting of the City Council at 9:00 a. m., Tuesday, February 19, 1991.

Bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes upon blank forms of proposal provided and marked in upper left hand corner as to which contract the bid is for and the time and the date the bid is to be Bids are to be opened. accompanied by an acceptable cashier's check, upon a national bank or state bank in the amount of five percent (5%) of the maximum bid payable without recourse to the City of Sonora or an acceptable bid bond in the same amount from a reliable surety company. Bids without the required check or bid bond will will not be considered. All bid securities will be returned after the bids are opened except those of the three (3) lowest bidders which Owner may elect to hold until successful bidder has executed the contract. Thereafter, all remaining securities, including security of the successful bidder, will be returned. Bid security will be

waived if bid is less than \$25,000. Forms of proposal, contract and bonds, plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of David Todd, Todd Engineering, Inc., 2500 South Willis, Ste 202, P. O. Box 5052, Abilene, Texas 79608, 915/698-4330. A \$25 non-refundable deposit is required for each set of plans and specifications requested. The plans and specifications will be released upon receipt of the deposit. Checks are to be made pable to Todd Engineering, Inc. City of Sonora

Billy C. Gosney, Mayor (2/7)

Public Notice

ORDINANCE NO. 376 Article IV. Television Enterprises, Inc.

An Ordinance amending Article IV and Substituting Therefor this Ordinance Granting to Television Enterprises, Inc. a Renewal of Its Franchise to Maintain and Operate a Cable Television System in the City of Sonora, Texas; SETTING FORTH CONDITIONS ACCOMPANYING THE GRANTING OF THIS FRANCHISE; PROVIDING FOR DURATION, CANCELLATION. Penalty, Option and renewal; Providing Regulations Governing the Use of Public Property by Grantee; Providing for Indemnity to the City; Providing Rules Governing the Operation of the System; Providing for a Franchise Payments to the City; Conflict; Validity;

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SONORA, TEXAS: APPROVED, this the 15th day of January, 1991.

Billy C. Gosney, Mayor (1/31)

> Deadline is 5 p. m. Friday

Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 199.957 miles of seal coat on various limits on US 83, IH 10, US 277, Spur 239, SH 41, Sh 55, SH 131, RM 674, RM 1120, RM 2748, RM 1024, FM 2083, RM 3008 and RM 1973 in Real, Crockett, Sutton, Edwards, Val Verde and Kimble Counties, covered by CPM 36-3-23, CPM 36-5-27, CPM 140-11-32, CPM 141-1-39, CPM 160-1-26, CPM 160-2-20, CPM 160-3-20, CPM 160-5-36, CPM 161-1-15, CPM 161-161-3-11, CPM 201-6-20, CPM 235-1-20, CPM 299-1-49, CPM 375-1-13, CPM 375-2-10, CPM 375-6-16, CPM 554-2-12, CPM 554-3-3, CPM 1280-1-11, CPM 1280-2-13, CPM 1280-4-8, CPM 2012-3-7 and CPM 2969-1-10 will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 p. m., February 5, 1991, and then publicly opened

and read. Plans and specifications cluding minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available for inspection at the office of Robert C. Parker, Resident Engineer, Del Rio, Texas, and at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, Texas.

Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction Division, D. C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

Usual rights reserved. (1/31)

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., February 11, 1991, at which time the bids will be opened in open court at the Commissioner's Courtroom on the 2nd 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 refect all bids or award a lease to the highest and best bidder.

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

The proposed lease shall be for a term of one year, with the Commissioner's Court retaining the option to cancel said lease or leases in the event of sale or exchange of said property, with a pro-rata refund of any lease payments previously tendered.

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 bids, 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.

For further information, please contact Charles Crossfield at 309 East Main Street, Round Rock, Texas (512) 255-8877

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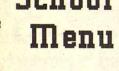
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Tuesday, February 5 - Sausage, biscuits, juice and milk. Wednesday, February 6 - Waffle w/syrup, fruit and milk.

Thursday, February 7 - Cream of wheat, cinnamon toast, fruit and

Friday, February 8 - NO SCHOOL LUNCH

Friday, February 1 - Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes w/gravy, green beans, cinnamon roll and milk.

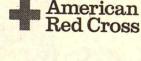
Monday, February 4 - Sausage pizza, fried okra, vegetable salad, banana pudding and milk.

Tuesday, February 5 - Beef & cheese chalupas, pinto beans, spanish rice, sliced peaches and

Wednesday, February 6 -Steakfingers w/gravy, peas & carrots, potato wedges, lemon ello, whole wheat roll and milk. Thursday, February 7 Hamburger, french fries, lettuce, tomato & pickle, bread pudding and milk. Friday, February 8 - NO

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Secretary prior to February 8,

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Help

Wanted

Public Notice

LEGAL NOTICE

Selection of County Depository NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of SUTTON County, Texas, will, at its regular February Term, 1991, select a County Depository of and for the public fund of SUTTON County, Texas, for the years 1991 and 1992. Also included in the public funds are funds of the County Permanent and Available School Funds and trust funds in the hands of the County and District Clerk. The applications will conform to the provisions of the County Depository Law, Articles 2544 to 2588A inclusive, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas; the rules and regulations of the Board of Governors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; and the requirements of the SUTTON County Commissioner's Court.

Any banking corporation, association or individual banker of SUTTON County, Texas, desiring to be designated and/or selected as such Depository shall make and deliver to the County Judge of SUTTON County, Texas, an application applying for such funds stating the amount of paid up capital stock and permanent surplus of said bank, together with a statement showing the financial condition of said bank at the date of said application, which shall be delivered to the County Judge of SUTTON County, Texas, on or before 9:00 o'clock a. m. on the first day of the regular February Term, 1991, of the Commissioners' Court of SUTTON County, Texas, the same being on or before 9:00 o'clock a. m. February 11, 1991.

Said application shall also be accompanied by a certified check for not less than one-half (1/2) of one percent (1%) of SUTTON County's revenue for the year 1991, as a guarantee of the good faith on the part of said bank, corporation, or individual banker, that if said bank, association or individual banker is accepted and/or selected as County Depository it will enter into the bond and/or bonds provided therefore by law.

Said application, so filed with the County Judge of SUTTON County, Texas, and prepared as required by the laws of the State of Texas, will be considered by the Commissioner's Court of SUTTON County, Texas, at 9:00 o'clock a. m., February 11, 1991, and a County Depository selected in accordance with the above referred to laws and all other laws of the State of Texas covering such matters.

Application forms are available in the office of County Judge and shall be used by all interested parties. The Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any and all applications received.

Bids submitted shall be sealed and marked on the outside "Application for Depository of Sutton County Funds." (1/31)

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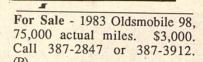
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