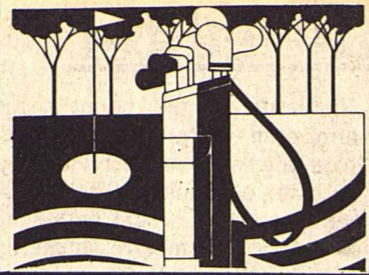


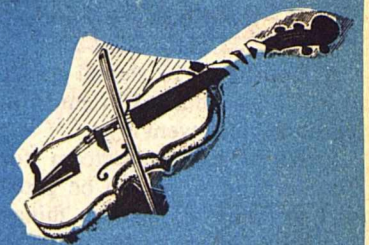
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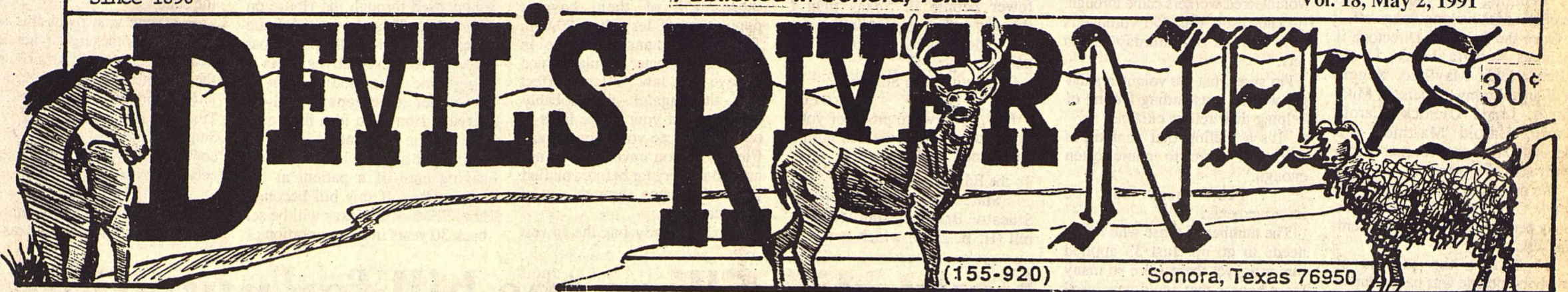
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Briefly

Commodities

Distribution of commodities will take place Wednesday, May 15 from 1-3 p. m.

Items being distributed are: veg. beans, applesauce, raisins, pork, butter and flour. The senior center does not discriminate due to race, religion, sex, age, handicap or ethnic origin.

Junta publica

El Futuro De Su Hospital Esta En Sus Manos. En un caso de emergencia que haria usted sin un Hospital?

Favor de atender esta junta y se le explicara que puede hacer usted. Donde: St. Ann's Parish Hall, Cuando: El 14 de Mayo 1991. Hour: 7:30 p. m. Dr. Alvis Johnson, Jr. President Board of Directors, Sutton County Hospital District.

Country store

The Episcopal Church Women of St. John's will have their annual Country Store Sale on Friday, May 10, beginning at 9:00 a. m. It will be held at the new Parish Hall where home-baked items, coffee, home delivery and convenient parking will be offered.

For more information call 7-2983 or 7-2955.

Social security

Garland Gregg, representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his May visit to Sonora. He will be at the County Courthouse on Thursday, May 16, between 9:30 a. m. and 10:30 a. m.

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.

ICA

The Independent Cattlemen's Association will hold its monthly business meeting and Dutch-treat dinner on Monday, May 6 at 6:30 p. m. at the Sutton County Steakhouse.

All members and interested persons are urged to attend.

Barrel race

On Wednesday, May 8 a practice jackpot barrel race will be held at the County Park Arena. Open-\$10 plus \$2 timer fee. May enter on different horses. Exhibition after open-\$3 run. This event is sponsored by Sutton County Days Association.

Slide show

Famous artist, Frank Covino, will present a slide show on Monday, May 6 at 7:30 p. m. at the Junior High auditorium.

During the slide show Mr. Covino discusses composition of portraits, landscapes, and photography by using the golden means. Basic instruction is also given on how to paint like the old masters of the Renaissance era. The presentation also shows the progress and work of some of his students as well as many of the paintings of Mr. Covino.

The public is encouraged to attend.

Miles for meals

On Saturday, May 11 the Sutton County Committee on Aging and Tri-Co Nutrition will sponsor a miles for meals benefit walk at 9:00 a. m. at the High School track.

Christmas in April a success beyond every expectation

By Griffin B. Cole
DRN Editor

Volunteers showing much enthusiasm along with a level of work which went beyond what the projects called for, made the first Christmas in April in Sonora a success.

Lewis Allen, President of CIA in Sonora, said 23 houses saw some type of repairs done by 21 crews which totaled more than 300 volunteers.

Patty Johnson, Executive Director of CIA, USA in Washington D.C., said the largest turnout has been in Hartsville, S.C. where about 10 percent of the population helped.

"We think we're close to that," said Allen.

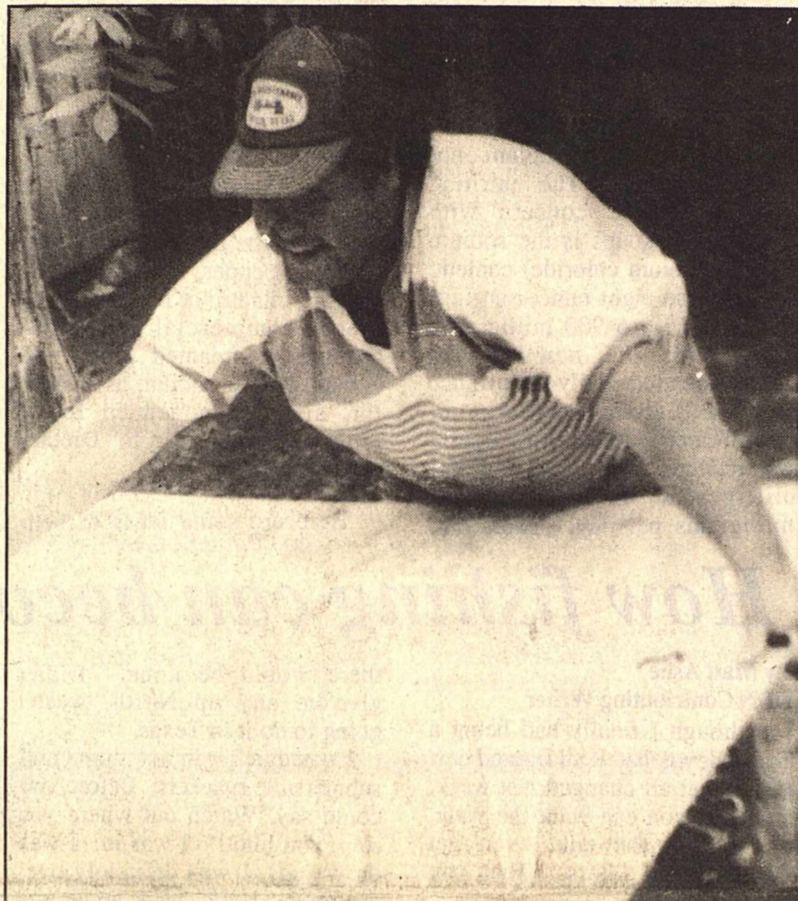
The work may have been hard, the projects ranged from roofing jobs to replacing floors, but volunteers were laughing and enjoying themselves.

"Volunteers were singing Christmas carols," said Senior Center Director Carole Thorp.

Allen said the success of the volunteer projects had two points which were most important.

"Number one is that the quality of work would be up to standards...secondly to make sure to get projects volunteers (felt) were rewarding so they would come back next year," said Allen.

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DRN staff photo by Griffin B. Cole

CHRISTMAS IN APRIL - A Graham Resources crew member grabs a plank of wood while working during Christmas in April last Saturday. Graham Resources had two of the largest crews on a day which drew more than 350 volunteers.

Espinosa heads back to state meet

ODESSA - For the second consecutive year Eric Espinosa has advanced to the state track meet in Austin.

Espinosa finished the 110-meter hurdles in 14.49 seconds in the Regional finals Saturday in Odessa.

It was Espinosa's best time of the year in the event.

Eddie Parker of Abilene Wylie placed just ahead of Espinosa at 14.25 to take the other hurdle spot from Region I-3A.

The state meet is no stranger for either of the rivals as both advanced last year in the 300-meter hurdles. Espinosa finished sixth in the 300-meter hurdles while Parker captured the event to also head to state.

In a tight race last year, Espinosa finished fourth in the hurdles at state.

Espinosa advanced to both finals during Friday's qualifying runs, but seemed to struggle during both races.

Winds holding steady around 20 miles per hour during Friday's qualifying runs held down times in most events.

Espinosa along with the boys 1,600-meter relay team were the

All-sports banquet info

The opportunity to review the banner 1990-91 Sonora High School sports year will take place during the All-Sports Banquet Monday evening at the high school.

Sonora athletic director Bob Bellard said tickets are \$8 each. Bellard said to buy early since tickets will not be sold at the door.

Students are currently trying to sell tickets. If a student sells two tickets they receive a ticket to the event said Bellard. Tickets are also available through Bellard and Charlene Terry.

The ticket goes toward the meal. Bellard said if a person wishes to just view the film there is no cost.

Dinner will begin at 6:45 p.m. with the program to begin at about 7:30 p.m.

only competitors to advance to the finals from Sonora.

The relay team, made up of Adam Youngblood, Espinosa, Blayze Sykes and Michael Escalera, advanced when two teams were disqualified.

Sonora finished sixth in the 1,600 meters final.

Youngblood received a medal after finishing third in the pole vault with a jump of 14-feet.

Youngblood was in the hunt for a spot to state to the last.

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Where to go to vote

Saturday is election day for City Council, Sutton County Underground Water District, Hospital District and the School Board. If you have any questions as to where to vote refer to the chart below. The polls will be open until 7 p.m.

What	Who	Where
City Council (At Large)	Registered Voters within the city	City Hall
Underground Water District Director	Precinct 1 Precinct 4	4-H Building Fire Station
Hospital District Board Member	Precinct 1	4-H Building
Board Member (At Large)	Precinct 2	New Jr. High Gym
Board Member (At Large)	Precinct 3	Courthouse
Board Member (At Large)	Precinct 4	Fire Station
School Board (All At Large)	Precinct 1 Precinct 2 Precinct 3 Precinct 4	4-H Building New Jr. High Gym Courthouse Fire Station

Sonora Sensation to be held May 17-19

An eight-calf match roping contest featuring Keith Hudson of Sonora will be just one of many highlights during the annual Sonora Sensation May 17-19 at the rodeo grounds.

All tickets are \$5. Proceeds will benefit the youth of Sonora.

Hudson, who won the calf roping at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, will be challenged by Jerry Alley of Del Rio. The match will be held Saturday, May 18 following the Open Calf Roping at 1 p.m.

The Open Calf Roping will include \$400 added money and a saddle given to the winner.

The Sonora Sensation opens Friday evening at 7 p.m. with a Team Roping Draw Pot.

One partner must be designated and four more will be drawn. The match will be a three header.

Ropers enter a 6 p.m. and the

entry fee is \$125 per man.

It will be free to the public.

Saturday's activities will begin at 11 a.m. with the first go round of the WPROA Open Approved Barrel Race.

The event will have \$250 added money and a saddle will be awarded to the winner. Entries may be called in to 387-2949 or 387-2038 on May 15 from 9 a. m. to 5 p.m.

The Louis Powers Memorial Senior Steer Roping will kick things off Sunday morning at nine with a saddle being given away to the winner.

At 11 a.m. the second go round of the barrel race takes place and at 1 p.m. there will be an Open Single Steer Roping with a \$500 added pot and a saddle to the winner.



DRN staff photo by Griffin B. Cole

WELCOME HOME GATHERING - The Mesa's and relatives gather around the old oak tree at the county courthouse during the welcome home for Ricky Mesa last week. Mesa (center of photo with white t-shirt and cap) returned after a tour of duty in the Middle East during Operation Desert Storm.

Mesa welcomed back amid laughter, tears

For Ricky Mesa it is home, sweet home, after spending months in the Persian Gulf region during Operation Desert Shield/Storm.

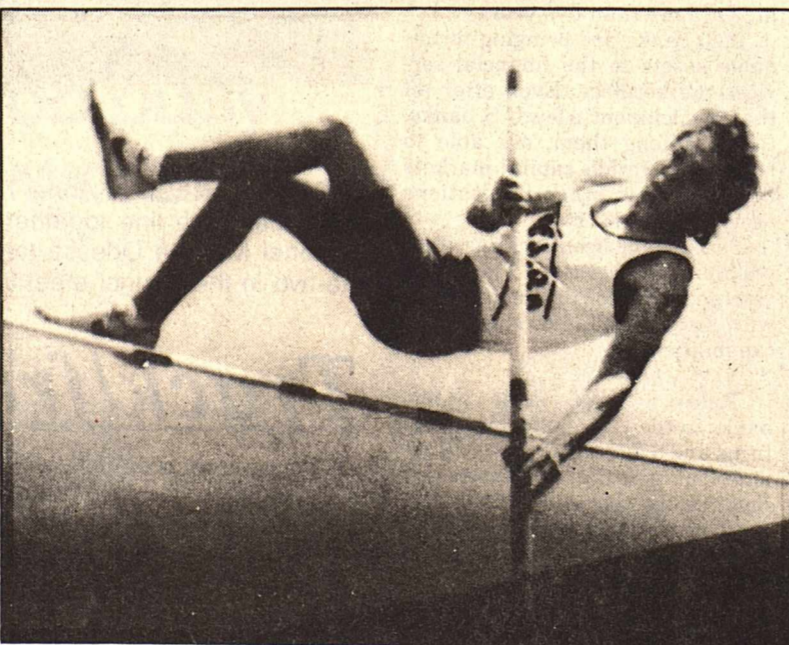
Mesa made it back home April 23.

Like so many other soldiers that have previously returned, Mesa was treated to a hero's welcome including a police escort and the usual honors during the ceremony.

Large crowds continue to show during the ceremony sessions at the courthouse. The gathering for Mesa numbered about 50.

Mesa said the mail he received, it was often delayed, was very supportive and helped him continue with his work. Often he would pass the letters around to his friends who also appreciated the positive words said Mesa.

There are still more than 30 soldiers who have yet to be honored for their part in Operation Desert Shield/Storm. Welcome Home ceremonies will continue until each of the soldiers have been honored.



SUCCESSFUL VAULT - Adam Youngblood of Sonora holds his breath as he clears 14-feet in the pole vault at the Regional track meet in Odessa Friday.

Editorial

A pat on the back should go out to those who made Christmas in April the great event it was.

While the brainstorm for Christmas in April can be dated back as far as last summer, things really did not get rolling until the latter part of January.

Carole Thorp got things started by bringing the idea to the forefront then kicking things off.

Once the Board of Directors, it includes Roberta James, Lewis Allen, Nelda Mayfield, Reggie Williams, Sonny Anderson, Mike Street, Louis Olenick, Carole Thorp, Harold Martinez and Hershel Davenport, formed events really started moving.

The most successful part of the whole CIA project was getting as many people involved as the board was able to.

I believe the success of involving people was partly due to the strength of the community to help, strong organizational skills by the board and excellent timing.

Each portion of Christmas in April was well thought out. From getting applications to which houses would be selected to carrying out the actual work.

Many times the best of plans can end up in the wayside.

It didn't happen with Christmas in April. Why? Mostly due to excellent communication.

Communication can never be overestimated. I can just imagine the amount of time spent on the phone by directors, house captains and others.

A big pat on the back must go out to the volunteers.

It is easy to commit to something and then just pull out at the last second. Not so with Christmas in April. Lewis Allen said that each group who volunteered workers came through.

The result was 350 volunteers who worked on Saturday for no pay.

I'm sure what the volunteers did get was an outstanding feeling of helping their fellow citizens.

It's a feeling that sometimes does not seem to come often enough.

Yes, there can be improvements.

The number of those who apply needs to go up. Just 33 applied this year, yet there were so many more houses that could have used help.

The word may need to get out more. Maybe people going house to house to see just what the true situation is at the household.

One thing that can be counted on; what problems that occurred were minor. That means Christmas in April not only got off to a fantastic start, but will continue to be a positive outlet for community relations.

Dear Editor,

There were some very interesting facts that came to light last weekend.

It was said that 45,000 people throughout Texas participated in the Christmas in April program. In Sonora alone there were nearly 300 participants or close to 10% of our community lending a helping hand.

That means there must be a lot fewer people in Texas than I thought or that Sonora is way up the ladder when it comes to neighboring.

Congratulations Sonora.

Bronco Bob

P. S. Eric we're proud of your State qualifying in the 110 hurdle dash, Good Luck in Austin.

To the Editor:

State Representative Mark Stiles of Beaumont introduced a bill (H. B. 2022) which is a slap

Letters to the editor

in the face to those Texans who have chosen to live in the rural areas of our state. The bill, if passed, would allow emergency ambulances in counties of less than 20,000 population to be staffed by only ONE individual with minimum training. There are 254 counties in Texas and, of those, 150 of them have a population of less than 20,000. To those Texans who live in counties of greater population and believe this law will not effect you - think again! - you probably do not spend your entire lives in one area nor do your families and friends. If you travel, you do not have to go very far before you find yourself passing through one of these counties.

Texas already has the lowest

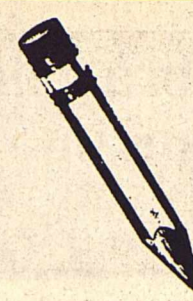
standards in the country for minimum ambulance staffing, requiring two personnel with only 40 hours of training. This bill, if made into law, would be a state and national embarrassment by reducing the standard to only one person. The sad part about this is that Mr. Stiles' bill sailed unopposed through the House on April 18. This shows a definite uncaring attitude on the part of our elected Representatives. As a long-time paramedic with a volunteer emergency medical service, I have no idea how only one person is going to drive an ambulance and provide proper life-saving care of a patient at the same time. If this bill becomes law, E. M. S. in Texas will be set back 30 years in a large portion of

the state.

Everyone who reads this letter needs to contact his or her State Senator, as well as the offices of the Governor and Lt. Governor, to show concern for our fellow Texans. Demand that your Senator vote **NO** on this bill. It could literally make a difference between life and death.

Sincerely,

Tom Vaught, EMT-Paramedic
Mount Enterprise, TEXAS



Soup still filling the bill for nutrition

With more cold days still ahead, soup is definitely on in many Texas homes. What better way to take off the edge of a chill than to serve a hot bowl of soup. But how does soup fit within guidelines of a nutritious diet recommended by guidelines from different health organizations?

The U. S. Dietary Guidelines state to "use salt and sodium only in moderation." The nutrition issue of major concern with commercial soups is the sodium or salt (sodium chloride) content. Most of the eight ounce servings between 650 to 900 milligrams. Now with the new revised Recommended Daily Allowance for the Estimated Minimum Requirement, sodium for adults was reduced from 1,100 to 3,300 milligrams down to 500 milligrams per day. Therefore,

some of the soups could account for a large portion of sodium intake.

Consumers need to shop for various soups containing lower amounts of sodium. Many soup companies are now providing commercial soups with lower amounts of sodium with as few as 19 to 71 milligrams.

Many consumers find these commercial soups rather bland, but can remedy this by adding a variety of non-salt seasonings such as herbs like basil, bay leaf, oregano, pepper, onion or garlic powder, cilantro or hot peppers to these commercial varieties. Ordinarily, creamed soups will contain higher sodium as well as fat, also recommended to be reduced by the U. S. Dietary Guideline.

Here are some ideas to help

For Your Information...

By Lolabeth Jones
County Extension Agent-
Home Economics



reduce the sodium and fat content of soups:

*Read all commercial soups labels for sodium, fat and calories. Remember that you should make comparisons on an 8 ounce serving. Serving sizes vary on labels.

*Add more water but keep serving size the same to increase the number of portions per package, thus reducing calorie, fat

and sodium content.

*Spice up soup by adding more herbs, especially if you diluted which changes the taste.

*Add lean meat, poultry, fish or vegetables to soups and create your own "homemade" main dish.

*Make more soups from ingredients containing less sodium. If you use tomato juice, choose a low sodium one and avoid adding commercial bouillon cubes.

Just Chatting

By Griffin Cole
DRN Publisher



Feeling mighty good

The Westside Lions Club should have known they were in trouble about a week or two before Christmas in April actually started.

It was at that time Todd and Wayne Munn along with myself went and checked out the house we were going to help fix up.

A good look revealed some work needed on the back porch, some work on an eave and the always troublesome painting. The trio (including myself) decided there would be no real trouble spots.

We quickly deduced the type and amount of materials needed.

It was the paint that threw us off.

Todd, Wayne and myself made the easy decision it would take five gallons. Some quick math showed we were right on.

It was the color which confused us. The faded green looked something on the lines of avocado. Perfect, we decided, we're all set.

On Saturday, we broke out the paint. In front of about eight team members we learned just how bad the decision was.

I'm not blaming anybody, but if that was avocado green I would suggest avoiding the color. It looked more like florescent green.

As we started painting, the folks of the Church of the Good Shepherd had no trouble missing it. We knew we were in trouble when they all started putting on sun glasses when there was no sun showing at all.

Next came the comments.

Nice comments like, "Well, she certainly will be able to find the house no problem," and "Yes, that's really a beautiful color, if you live in California."

Members of the Westside Lions Club kept hoping we would get used to the color as the day wore on.

We finally gave up hope at 10 a.m. Anna Munn, Ben Solis and I

gathered and decided the color wasn't going to cut it. Ben said we should paint the whole house.

Being of sound mind and body, the club had only painted the back portion that beautiful green color. Thought was, maybe nobody would see it.

After purchasing the paint (heck, we didn't have to pay for it. Get 20 gallons. Just kidding.) about 10 of us started.

We know we did the right thing; the folks next door started taking off their sun glasses and saying things like, "Hey, that's a nice color."

About all the jokes on the original color, Wayne had the best answer, "Not everybody took the time to put primer on the house they painted."

Attending the Regional Track Meet in Odessa Friday, I was again reminded what high school sports are about.

Anna Teaff and Jessica Ortiz represented Sonora during the 3,200 meters run. The two young ladies knew something I didn't.

They knew they weren't going to finish in the top two for state competition. So they did what sports is really for, they had fun.

Anna and Jessica ran the entire race together and crossed the finish line side-by-side smiling. It really was kind of neat.

The two girls were in each others arms following the race and congratulated each other on finishing.

Looking back, remembering the heat, the difficult wind situation and the distance of the race, all those competitors should be congratulated.

I saw Anna and Jessica later wandering around the stadium wearing matching t-shirts, shorts and smiles.

I couldn't help but smile. They were the epitome of high school athletics.

How fishing can become a dangerous sport

By Matt Ashe
DRN Contributing Writer

I thought I finally had being a Texan down, had it all figured out. Well, that all changed last week. You see, you can walk the walk, try to talk the talk, even get thrown from a horse. Then you go fishing!

I headed out to Allison Park, pole in hand. Sunny and warm, I knew the fish were waiting. Yep, pretty soon them bass would be begging for mercy, asking for terms of surrender. Of course,

there would be none. Didn't give'em any up North, wasn't going to do it in Texas.

I was quickly in my shorts and submersible sneakers. Before you could say, "Watch out where you step, you idiot!" I was in. I was drowning. I was definitely over my head. Hmm, back home you could wade in, not here. Well I didn't drown and found a new spot. Banged up my elbow pretty good though.

I eased on into the water and soon was waist deep. That's when

I saw him about twenty five yards out. By golly, that was the nicest looking eel I'd seen since I left Massachusetts. I let a perfect cast go. Like a hanging device, the worm bounced that of eel right off the head. Now that fool eel was heading right at me. I reeled in quickly ready to make another cast. Darn, that eel sure was

moving. Wait a sec, heck that wasn't no eel. That was a snake. Well, I beat feet and barely beat him to the bank. Now my skin

was pretty banged up but I didn't care. I beat that fool snake out of the water. I looked around for the snake and spotted something. Nope, not the snake, my fishing pole laying in four feet of water.

I figured it was time to go home. I left the fishing pole in the water. Shucks, I'd probably broke the tip of it in the door of my car anyway. I think I'll take up camping, this fishin's as hard as horseback riding.

newsworthy trends

Good News Forecast For Banks, Depositors, Borrowers

By Thomas G. Labrecque,
Chairman
The Chase Manhattan Corporation

Outlook for U.S. banking: the industry is on the verge of what may well be a fundamental, significant, long-term renewal.

Behind us is the erosion of our competitive position, which is already a documented fact.

•Of the top 50 banks in the world, ranked by market capitalization, none are from the United States.

•Not a single U.S. bank ranks among the top 25 deposit-takers in the world.

•Only one U.S. bank ranks in the top 25 measured by assets.

•In the early 70's, U.S. offices of foreign banks had less than \$40 billion of U.S. assets. Today it's 15 times as much!

On the encouraging side, U.S. banks are much stronger than many people would have you believe.

•Taken together, American commercial banks earned just under \$16 billion in 1989. It would appear that 1990 aggregate profits will approach \$20 billion.

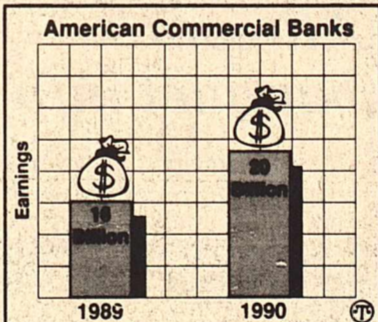
•U.S. banks collectively hold more than \$200 billion in capital.

•The percentage of banks on the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation's "problem list" is down by one-third since 1985.

The largest and most serious banking problems of the Southwest region are essentially behind us now. The Texas bank restructurings, for example, are virtually completed.

•U.S. banks have reduced vulnerability to less developed country debt. Over the last five years, the eight largest U.S. banks have lowered their exposure from \$61 billion to \$33 billion, while increasing related reserves by \$11 billion.

The commercial banking in-



dustry's problems are altogether unlike those of the "S&Ls"—the U.S. thrift industry.

•Different accounting standards prevail in the two industries. Commercial bank accounting standards have been more rigorous.

•Lending standards are different. S&Ls were allowed to lend 100 percent of capital to borrowers. But banks can make unsecured loans to a single obligor up to only 15 percent of their regulatory capital, and secured loans up to 25 percent.

•Regulation and supervision of commercial banks remain rigorous. This is in total contrast to the thrift industry where 225 insolvent S&Ls were permitted to continue operating for more than five years.

U.S. banks are bringing formidable assets to the financial services marketplace. Even after all the retrenchment, a few U.S. banks, Chase among them, are able to bridge the world's capital markets in a way few other institutions around the world can.

Banks have been tackling their problems forcefully. They will emerge from the current recession with distinguishing strengths and capabilities.

Today we have some 13,000 banks in the U.S., 6,000 brokerage firms and 3,000 thrifts. We will see lots of mergers that bring costs savings, new products and capabilities to clients and new clients to banks.



DRN staff photo by Griffin B. Cole

TOGETHERNESS - Anna Teaff and Jessica Ortiz of Sonora cross the finish line together in the 3,200 meters race at the Regional Meet in Odessa last Friday. Teaff and Ortiz finished one-two in the District meet to advance to the Regionals.

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All three vaulters left missed at 14-feet-6-inches. The judges went back to 14-feet and found Youngblood had made it on his second vault while the other two made it on their first. That left Youngblood odd man out.

Ramiro Luna, competing in the 3,200 meters, finished sixth in the preliminaries Friday.

Luna ran among the top eight

runners for the first portion of the race before making his move. Luna ran with the top four until the final lap.

Robert Gallion finished fourth in the discuss.

Others who competed in the Regional meet were; Yvonne Mata, Jody Trainer, Laura Hearn, Alma Sanchez, Dana Evans, Anna Teaff and Jessica Ortiz.

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MR. AND MRS. BYERL DILLARD

Dillard retires after 42 years

A 42-year veteran of GTE and the man folks in Sonora know as Mr. Telephone will retire, effective April 30.

Byerl Dillard began his career with GTE in 1949, working as a lineman with the unlocated crew for 70 cents an hour. He came to Sonora as a combination man in 1955 and at the time, was responsible for both the central office and outside plant facilities.

"Byerl has been great to work with all these years," said Kyle Donaldson, a communications technician in Sonora who's worked with Dillard for 27 years. "He takes providing quality customer service to heart. He's given the best of his years and effort here. There's not been a better man taking care of Sonora than Byerl Dillard."

Byerl was honored with a dinner by his co-workers on March 29 and a formal reception was held on April 18.

ACS recognizes health advocates

Serving as a link between school teachers and the ACS, School Health Advocates can take Public Education a step forward and educate those still forming life-long habits - our youth.

School Health Advocates play a vital role in offering materials and assistance to teachers who wish to promote cancer control through education in the classroom.

By teaching youth to adopt healthy habits, a significant reduction in the risk of developing cancer will result. The advocate supports use of American Cancer Society materials an education about cancer in the classroom. The advocates requests resources

GTE converted the North All Relay switching equipment in the Sonora central office with Automated Electric's Step by Step equipment in 1966, and Byerl Dillard played an important role in that conversion. Three years later, a change to central office repairman resulted in Byerl being responsible solely for the central office.

"Byerl's conscientious effort and cooperation in providing professional, quality service to our customers is an example for us all," said Hardy White, Mid-West Texas Division manager. "He will be missed."

"There were so many evenings when the family would be going out to a movie or out to eat and someone would call with a phone problem," Donaldson said. "Byerl would always take care of the customer first. He always gave of himself."

for teachers to use and evaluate the education process through educator's feedback.

Because children are developing their lifestyles while in school, cancer education is vital in positively shaping their habits and their future.

A new video is available through the ACS' Public Education Chairman, Lomia Surber, to acquaint volunteer School Health Advocates with ACS education material available for youth education.

The American Cancer Society receives no Federal Funds for their programs.

Keeping you posted from the post

by Carole Thorp

Carole's Corner - As I write this column, my palms are sweating and my heart is beating fast. Tomorrow is the big day. Christmas in April is real and has already improved the lives of several deserving senior citizens. What a community we live in! Even as last minute crises occur (mostly in my mind!), I am overwhelmed with the generosity of my fellow Sonorans. I'm proud of each of you. Thanks.

Commodities - Distribution will take place this month on May 15, from 1 to 3 p. m. Items being distributed are: veg. beans, applesauce, raisins, pork, butter and flour. The senior center does not discriminate due to race, religion, sex, age, handicap or ethnic origin. Volunteers are welcome!

1991 Senior Mother of the Year - We'll find out who the lucky lady is this year on May 10th following the noon meal. This year's winner will receive a corsage from Jane's Floral, a

dinner for herself and her entire family (up to ten) on Mother's Day at the Pizza Hut, and other gifts. Of course, she will ride in a place of honor on the Senior Center's float during Sutton County Days!

Intergenerational Style Show - This year's annual style show will be held on May 17th at 12:30 in the Cauthorn Addition. Fashions from Carol's, The Bright Spot and Sugar and Spice will be modeled by local folks of all ages. Be sure not to miss it!

Miles for Meals - On May 11th, the Sutton County Committee on Aging and Tri-County Nutrition will co-sponsor a walk-a-thon to raise money for meals for the elderly. Half of the money will go directly to our nutrition program and the other half will go for equipment and improvements needed here at the Center. So grab a form from the Senior Center or a committee on aging member, find a few sponsors, and start walking! The entire walk is five miles at

the High School track at 9:00 a. m. on the 11th, but you may walk it in segments if you like. Local merchants are providing prizes and every body who raises \$50 or more will receive a T-shirt with the Miles for Meals logo. See you at the track!

Senior Spring Fling - Load up and head for San Angelo with us on May 8th for a full day of fun and games at the City Auditorium. We need to turn in our lunch reservations by May 3rd, so let Gina or Carole know if you want to attend this annual fling hosted by Pat Atteberry and filled with entertainment, prizes, and fellowship. We'll leave the senior center between 8:00 and 8:30. This year the theme is Southwestern if you want to dress accordingly.

Birthdays for May - Maria Barrera, Beto Duran, Minnie Gonzales, Santos Gonzales, Ramona Noriega, Dorothy Redman and Nancy Taylor. The birthday party will be May 29th.

New arrival Shelby Lynn Onofre

Felipe and Lynn Onofre are proud to announce the arrival of their daughter, Shelby Lynn. Shelby Lynn was born at Angelo Community Hospital on April 25, 1991 at 10:06 p. m. She weighed 8 pounds 2 ounces and measured 20 3/4 inches long.

Shelby Lynn is welcomed by her proud grandparents Pedro and Alicia Virgen of Sonora. Grandmother Germana Onofre of Ozona.

Great-grandparents are Edward and Francis Guajardo.

Shelby Lynn is also welcomed by proud aunts and uncles, Alex and Norma Gonzales of Hobbs, New Mexico, Alfredo and Viola Gonzales of Harvey, La. and Terri Perez of Dallas. Very proud cousins are Edward Virgen, Marc Alfred, Alex (AJ), Crystal Nicole and Desiree Gonzales.

Out and about town

By Corie Avila

Happy Birthday wishes go out to Nancy Taylor who will celebrate her birthday May 1st.

Visiting from Hobbs, New Mexico last week was Floyd Cisneros, Floyd did some visiting with some old and dear friends.

Happy Birthday wishes go out to Lisa Parades who will celebrate her birthday May 2nd.

Welcome home to Chad Stewart who was serving in Operation Desert Shield/Desert Storm.

Get well wishes go out to Johnny Torres who recently had surgery. Hope your feeling better Johnny Boy.

Welcome home to Ricky Mesa who was serving in Operation Desert Shield/Desert Storm.

Happy Birthday wishes go out to Edna Vargas who will celebrate her birthday May 3rd.

Congratulations to the newlyweds Ruben and Lauri Garza. Good luck and best wishes.

Sandra Luz and Sandrita Gonzalez were in Del Rio this weekend visiting with family, and while in Del Rio they also attended a Baby Shower.

Get well wishes go out to Teo A. Castro from all of his friends at the Senior Center.

Card of thanks

We would like to thank everyone that supported us, for all the prayers, letters and cards. Thank you very much and May God Bless you.

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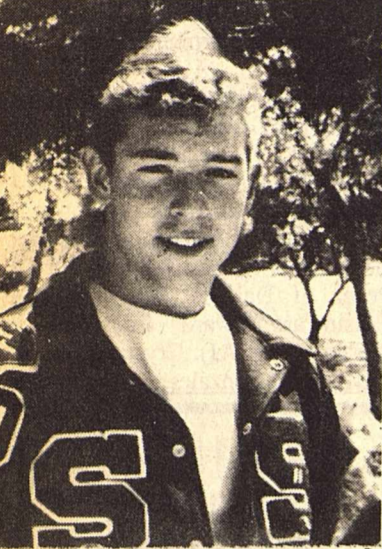
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Youngblood, Heyman named winners of essay contest

Names of winners of an essay contest, sponsored by Southwest Texas Electric Cooperative, were announced this week by Jim Martin co-op manager.

Area youths whose essays qualified them for an expense-paid Rural Electric Youth Tour trip to Washington, D. C., are Adam Youngblood of Sonora and Bobbi Heyman of Menard.



ADAM YOUNGBLOOD

Adam is the son of Raymond and Debi Youngblood. He is a junior at SHS. He is also a regional qualifier in UIL science and track and he was also named to the All District and All West Texas Football teams. He is a member of the National Honor Society.

The Washington Rural Electric Youth Tour winners were chosen from a field of entries who



BOBBI HEYMAN

submitted essays on the subject "Electricity: Its Value to Rural America."

They will be among 75 young people from all over the state participating in the Texas Tour to the nation's capitol city, June 6-18.

All the participants in Texas' Youth Tour are eligible to compete to represent the state on NRECA's Youth Consulting Board. Texas' representative will attend NRECA's February 1992, annual meeting in Anaheim, California and participate in a variety of other activities throughout the year.

Approximately 1,000 Youth Tour participants from 37 states will meet in Washington, D. C. for the 29th National Rural Electric Youth Tour.

Thursday golf scrambles begin

The Thursday afternoon scrambles at the Golf Club have begun. Interested players should be signed up by 5:00 p. m. with play to begin around 5:30. Cost is \$5 per person and 9 holes are played with a select shot format.

At the April 25th scramble, there were 55 entrants, forming 10 teams. The team of Jack Smith, Oliver Wuest, David Martin, Max Martin and Steve Turland were the winners, shooting 8 under par.

Bob Hariss' team of Randy Sparks, Kyle Donaldson, Manuel Muñoz and Harvey DuRussell took second with 7 under par.

There was a three-way tie for third at 6 under par. The tied teams had a putt-off to determine the winners.

The team consisting of Primo Gonzales, James Edmondson, Don Deel, Ricky Day, Kathy Davis and Savell Shannon won the coin toss and selected the putt they wanted to attempt. Kathy was the first to putt for her team, and sank the long 30 footer, for what looked like a sure victory.

But the team of Edward San Miguel, Matt Davis, Frances Tackel, Ed Price, Dingo Ortiz and Mike Holley weren't ready to give in just yet. Edward, as team captain, was last to putt and he also sank his putt to keep his team in the putt-off.

Next up was Erasmo Lumbreras'

team of Norm Rousselot, Shelly Shannon, Ron Woodard and Joe Bob Ragsdale. They failed to put any of their putts in the hole, so were eliminated.

In the second round of the putt-off, Kathy once again came through for her team as she got closest to the hole, and the other team in contention failed to get closer than her, giving her team third place.

Other teams playing were: Devoe Smith, J. T. Hill, Rich Gonzales, James Barton and Freddie Virgen. Gene Thompson, Mark Holt, Virgil Burge, Brad Brenard and Freddie Garza. Albert Bosmans, Doyle Morgan, Benny Frasier, George Noriega, Mike McBride and Bobby Farrell. Jesso Cook, Willie Gutierrez, Wes Henson, Bill Savell, Alfred Enriquez and Donny Holquinn. Steve Tackel, Joe Turner, Harold Martinez, Pete Maldonado, John Adams and Paco Ramirez.

Clean air week May 6-12

"During Clean Air Week, May 6-12, the American Lung Association of Texas (ALAT) will focus attention on the increasing problem of air pollution and its damaging effects on lung health,"

said Edward Carter, executive director of the American Lung Association of Texas. "We also want Texans to speak out and take action for clean air."

FACTS AT A GLANCE

1. The American Lung Association estimates that as many as one half of all Americans live in areas where the air quality is still judged "unhealthy."
2. Lung disease, including lung cancer, is the third-leading cause of death in the United States.
3. The health costs of air pollution are estimated to be \$40 to \$50 billion each year. In Texas, estimates are as high as \$5 billion.
4. Studies of office buildings and homes in the U. S. and Canada indicate that 30 to 50 percent of all structures have damp conditions which may encourage the build-up of biological pollutants.
5. Biological pollutants, including molds and bacteria, promote poor indoor air quality, and may be a major cause of days lost from work or school.
6. Tobacco smoke, a major indoor air pollutant, contains about 4,000 chemicals, including 200 known poisons such as formaldehyde and carbon monoxide.
7. Extended exposure to ozone levels at or below health-based air quality standards can produce significant decreases in lung functions, inflammation of the lung lining, and respiratory discomfort.
8. Running in a polluted urban area for half-an-hour produces as much carbon monoxide in the blood as smoking a pack of cigarettes in one day.
9. Over 40 percent of outdoor air pollution is caused by motor vehicles emission.
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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	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	Jerusalem Assembly of God Ministry to the Bi-lingual Community Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday Eve. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Family Night 7:00 p.m. Daily Prayer 5:30 a.m. Daniel Diaz de Leon, Pastor

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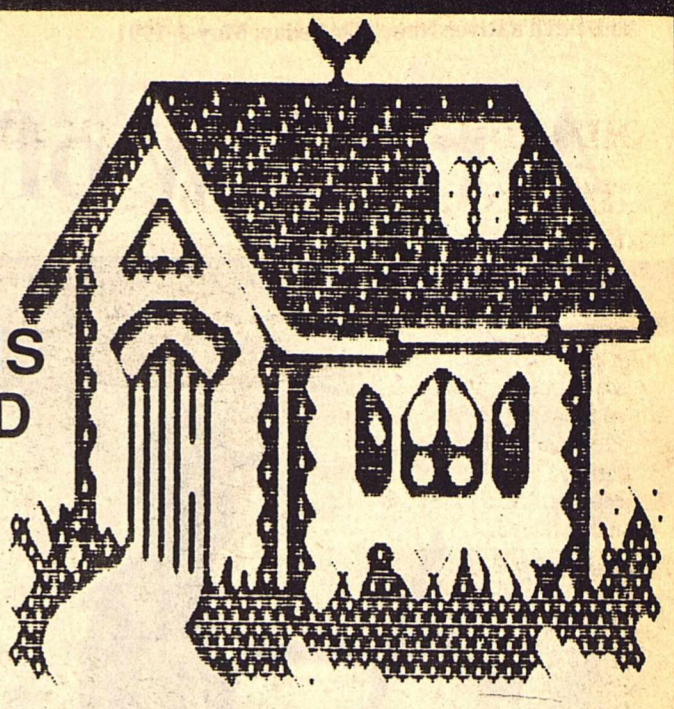
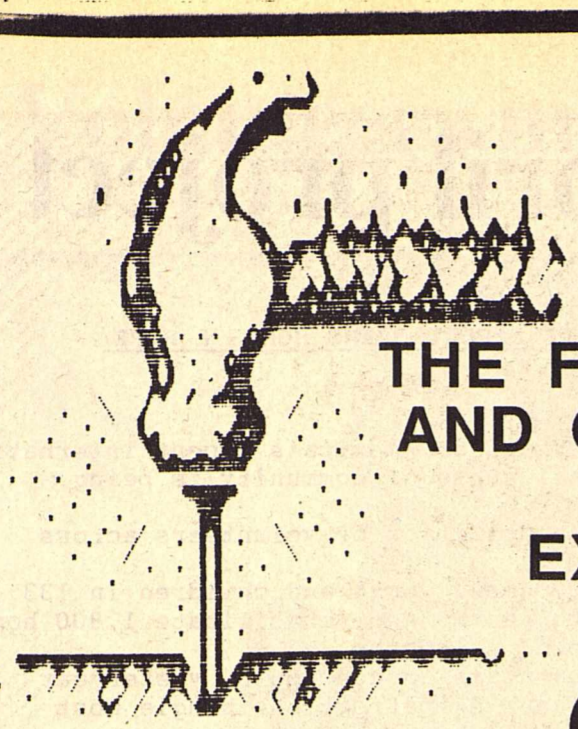
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Friday, May 10 - Waffle w/syrup, sausage, juice and milk.
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Wednesday, May 8 - Burrito w/chili, mixed vegetables, applesauce, cinnamon roll and milk.
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This return to the American barnraising concept of yesteryear makes the Christmas in April*USA one-day effort the single most productive day in home rehabilitation history.

Communities from Connecticut to California will turn out volunteers from law-firms, banks, labor organizations, colleges, civic and community organizations, and endless other public-spirited individuals to make this housing miracle real.

While Americans are among the best-housed people in history, the dream of homeownership is at risk for many vulnerable citizens who, because of age, physical or financial limitations, cannot maintain their homes. Over 22% of homeowners can now be defined as "shelter poor." Millions are only a step away from foreclosure, institutionalization or the streets.

By taking steps to alleviate the housing needs of entire cities, Christmas in April*USA provides compelling evidence that American neighbors are caring more and more about the well-being of their communities and about each other.

Christmas/from page 1

"We pretty well fulfilled both goals."

Allen said success was due to the people of Sonora knowing how to work. Projects like the Game Dinner and Sutton County Days proved that said Allen.

While many of the repairs were of technical nature, Allen said it created no problems, "Our local folks handled every aspect."

Thorp said the recipients of the work were also a major factor.

"They were real deserving people," said Thorp.

The idea for Christmas in April started last summer when the White House Conference on Aging was held. During that meeting, living conditions was chosen as the single most important issue facing senior citizens in Sonora.

Actual formation of CIA began

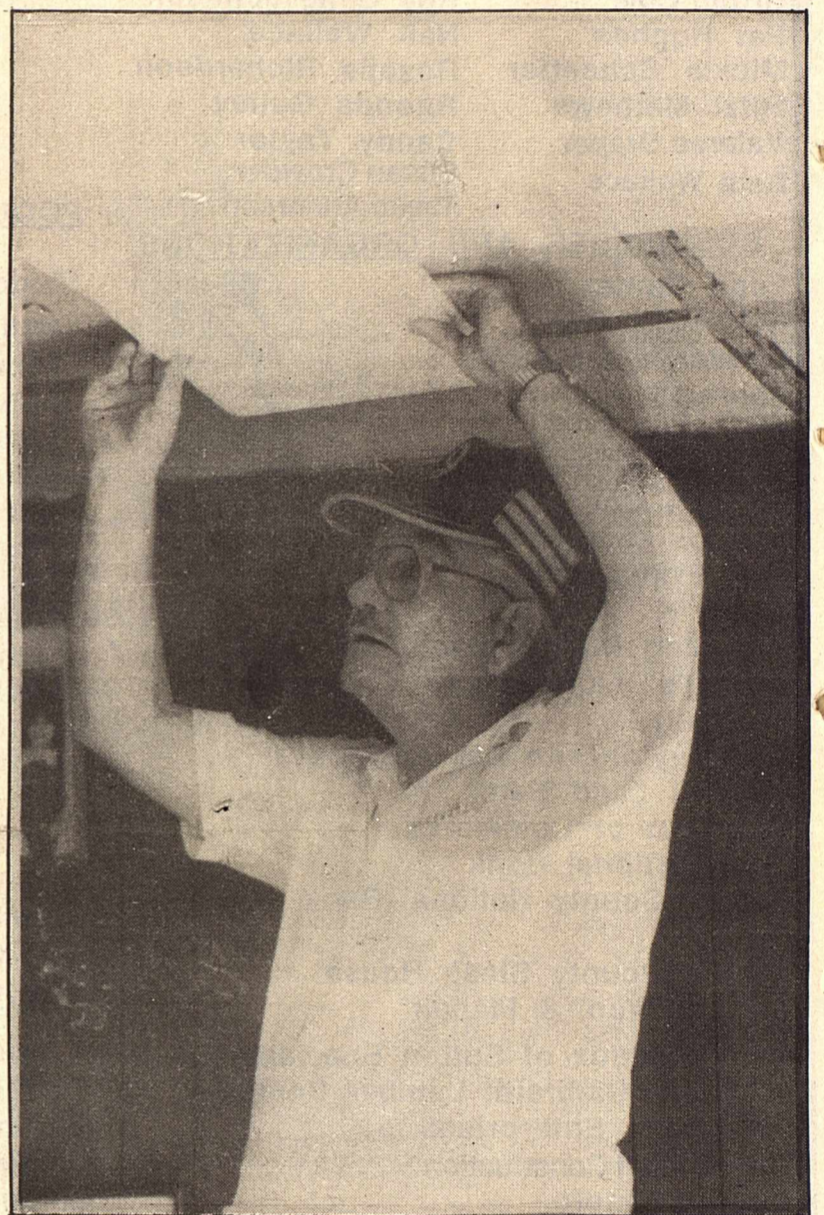
Jan. 22 with the selection of a board of directors.

Allen gives the board of directors plenty of credit for the success of Christmas in April. He described the board as a "very gifted group because they combined technical people with others who were very people oriented."

Timing may have also played an important part to Christmas in April exploding on the scene in Sonora.

"(CIA) allowed us to do a duty for our country here...a means of paying those soldiers back (who fought over seas)," said Allen. "Hard times do call forth the best from people."

Allen also said many of the repairs were in connection with the hail storm which occurred last May.



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 28, 1991

I am delighted to send greetings to all the volunteers participating in this year's "Christmas in April" program.

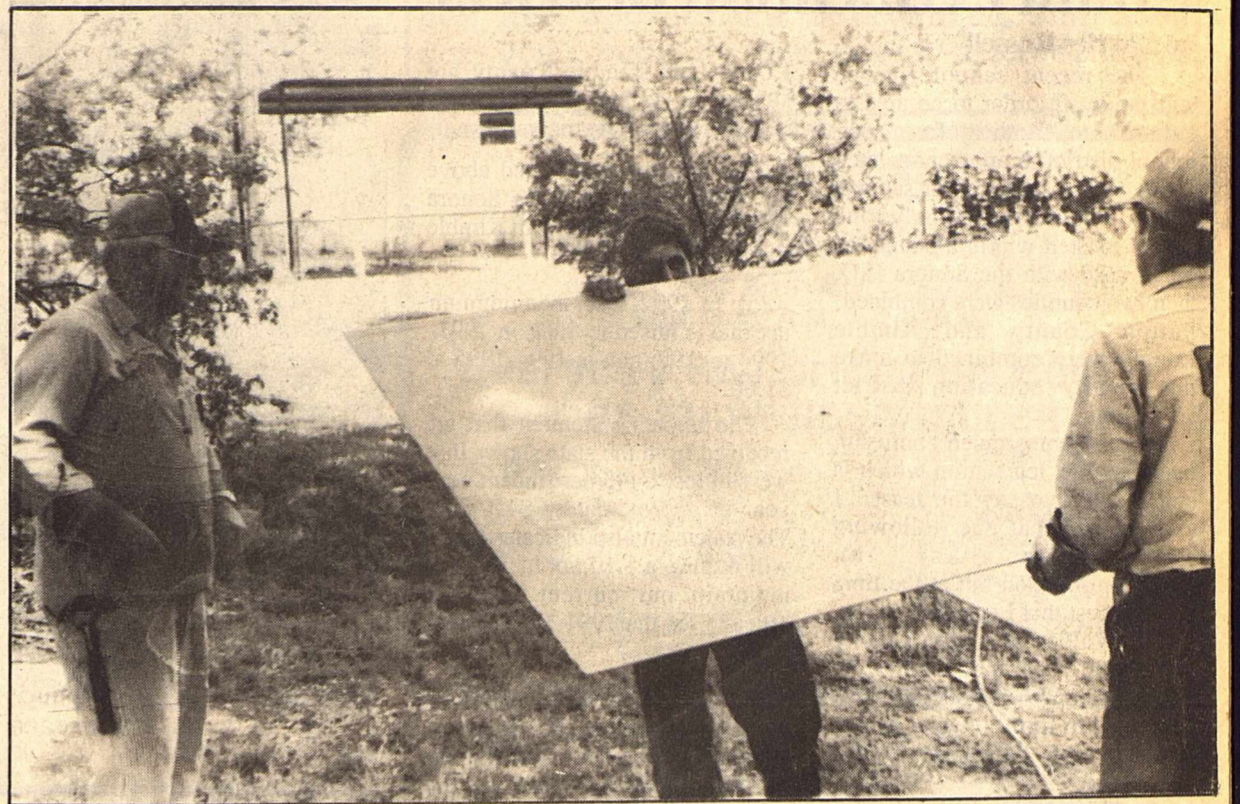
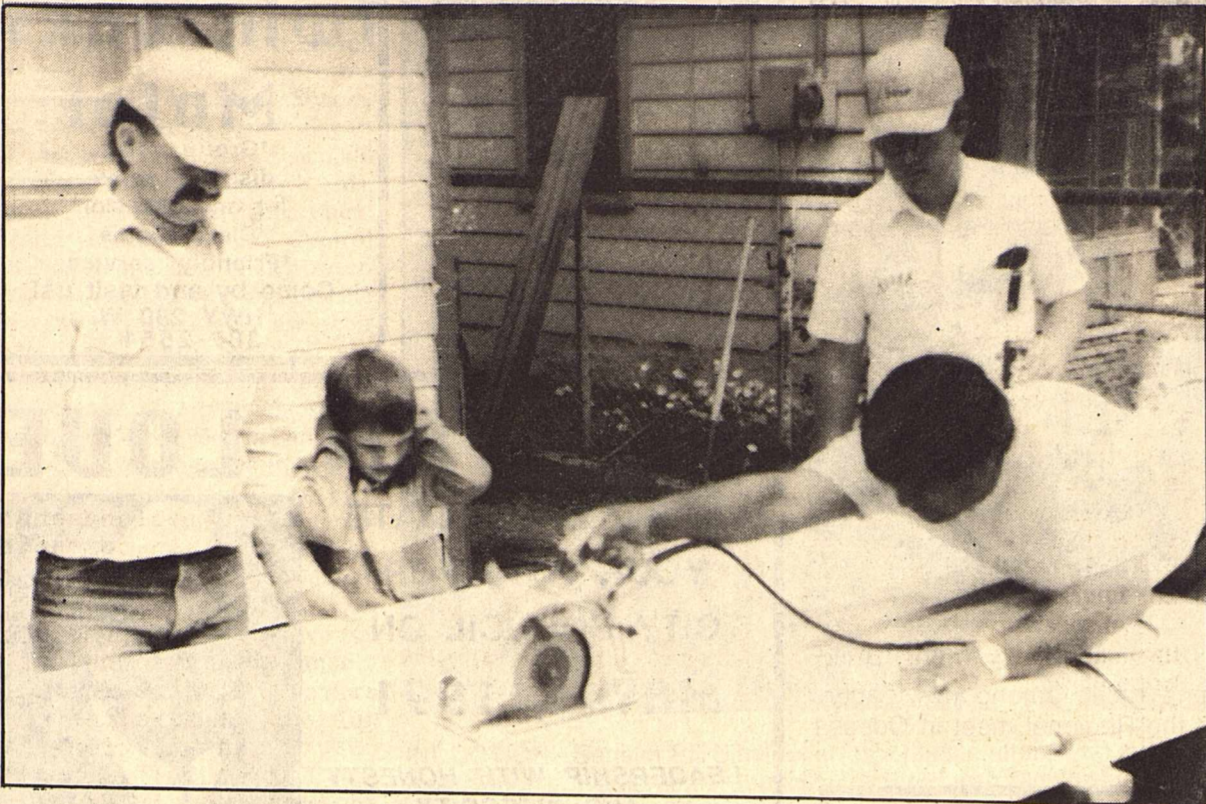
One of our Nation's greatest strengths is the spirit of generosity that guides the efforts of concerned individuals and service organizations throughout America. Since its inception, "Christmas in April" has presented thousands of Americans with an ideal opportunity to give something back to their communities; and judging by the success of this annual event, it is obvious that the American tradition of neighbor helping neighbor is alive and well. Each of you is making a real difference in your community, and I commend you for your enthusiasm and hard work.

Barbara joins me in sending best wishes for a successful and enjoyable program. God bless you.

Cap Burt



Volunteers make the difference at Christmas in April



Focus on education

County education districts

by Charles Russell

The recent school finance legislation—in order to be able to redistribute funding from one school district to another—created taxing units composed of schools within counties. If only one school existed within a county as is the case with the Sonora ISD, then two counties were combined. Sutton County and Kimble County were combined to make one county education district taxing unit.

There remains much confusion over the new legislation which is complicated to say the least. I assure you that the following explanation is an oversimplification but at the time it is the best that I can do:

(1) Values of Sutton County (\$449,000,000) and values of Kimble County (\$88,000,000) are combined to form the total values of the county education district taxing unit.

(2) The minimum tax rate of a district to receive state aid is \$.72. (This is considered the first tier of a two tier system.)

(3) Tax revenue raised on the \$.72 of the combined of the combined values of Sutton

County and Kimble County are shared on a per student basis between the two districts.

(4) Tax revenue raised above the \$.72 is retained in the Sonora ISD and is not shared with Kimble County (2nd tier.)

(5) In 1992-1993 the minimum tax rate is raised to \$.82; in 1993-1994 to \$.92; and in 1994-1995 to \$1.00.

The impact statement that we received from the state shows that we will lose \$443 per student next year or approximately \$450,000. The statement also indicates that it will require a \$.10 tax increase to maintain our current level of revenue for the 1991-1992 school year.

The new finance bill is a complex document. However, one thing is very clear and simple: property taxes in many of the school districts in Texas will increase next year and if the present tax system is not restructured within a few years, property tax rates in all school districts in Texas will be unreasonably high.

Junior High band competes in contest

Saturday, April 27, over 300 students from our district competed for chairs in one of two Junior High All-District Bands. Sonora Junior High sent 32 students and placed 15 and one alternate.

Those making the first or "Symphonic" Band are: 4th chair flute, Sara Chavez, 8th; 9th chair flute, Serina Torres, 8th; 12th chair clarinet, Melissa Hearn, 7th; 14th chair clarinet, Linda Cervantez, 8th; 2nd chair bass clarinet, Amber Barnes, 7th; 2nd chair, cornet, Chris Neal, 8th; 1st chair french horn, Vicky Richardson, 8th--2nd year; 1st chair percussion II, Callie Moore, 8th.

Those making the second or "Concert" Band are: 2nd chair flute, Prissy Castilleja, 7th; 4th chair clarinet, Gayla Frederickson, 7th; 5th chair clarinet, Jodi Johnson, 8th; 14th chair clarinet, Elaine Jimenez, 8th; 6th chair trombone, Cody Renfro, 8th; 8th chair trombone, David Velez, 8th; 2nd chair percussion II, Curt Dempsey, 7th; 1st alternate on tenor saxophone, Casey Fitzgerald, 8th.

These students will be performing in the Junior High All-District Band Concert on May 4 at Ballinger High School Auditorium at 5:30 p. m.



DRN staff photo by Griffin B. Cole

KEEPING PACE - Ramiro Luna races among the leaders during the 3,200 meters race at the Regional meet in Odessa last Friday.

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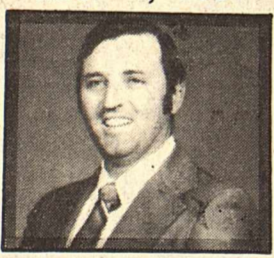
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TO THE S.I.S.D.
MAY 4, 1991



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Public Notice

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ORDINANCE NO. 377**

An ordinance making findings on the effects of substance abuse in the public sector, providing for drug testing procedures as a condition precedent to all prospective employees of the City of Sonora, providing further for such testing to all personnel, The City Council, all appointed members of city boards, the City Manager, department heads, to the Animal Control Officer, to operators of city owned vehicles and to city personnel and to city personnel who use their personal vehicles on a reimbursement basis in pursuit and furtherance of city business, to personnel involved in on-duty accidents resulting in injury or damage to employees or city property, establishing procedures to assure the integrity of the drug testing process, providing further for discharge from public service any personnel testing positive for such contraband substances, repealing all ordinances in conflict herewith and providing for severability.

PASSED, THIRD AND FINAL READING on the 16th day of April, 1991.

City of Sonora
By Billy C. Gosney, Mayor
(5/2)

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the City Council will receive bids for depository of the City's Investment Fund of a sum of One Million Three Hundred Seventy Five Thousand Dollars (1,375,000.00) for the period commencing June 1, 1991 and ending May 31, 1992.

Such bids must include terms of payment of interest at such rate or rates as may be lawful under any act of Congress of the United States and any rule or regulations that may be promulgated by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and the Board of Directors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Such bids must include provisions for a bond executed by some solvent surety company authorized to do business in the state of Texas or not less than five (5) solvent sureties, to be in an amount not less than the total amount of the revenue of the City fund, OR in lieu of personal bonds or surety bonds, the amount of said City fund on deposit in said depository bank, to wit: United States Bonds, Certificates of Indebtedness of the United States Treasury notes of the United States and other evidences of indebtedness of the United States which are guaranteed as to both principal and interest by the United States Government, bonds of the state of Texas or any county, city, or town.

If you desire to act as depository of the investment fund, you should submit written application therefore, sealed and marked on the outside "APPLICATION FOR DEPOSITORY OF CITY INVESTMENT FUND". Such application shall be received in the office of City Manager, Sonora City Hall, 201 N. E. Main, Sonora, Texas not later than 9:00 a. m. on the 21st day of May, 1991, at which time such Application shall be opened publicly and read aloud at the Regular City Council Meeting.

The City of Sonora reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in bidding.
See PUBLIC NOTICE pg. 10



INDUCTION - Senator Bill Sims receives a plaque after being inducted into the Independent Cattlemen's Association's "Cattlemen's Council". Pictured with Sims are Ruth Espy, Adele Wilson both of Sonora and his wife Sue.

Senator Sims inducted into ICA "Cattlemen's Council"

State Senator Bill Sims of San Angelo was inducted into the Independent Cattlemen's Association "Cattlemen's Council" during the association's board of directors meeting in Austin. The Cattlemen's Council honors individuals who have made outstanding contributions to improving Texas agriculture.

Sims, chairman of the Senate Natural Resources Committee, has been instrumental in guiding legislation on behalf of the Texas agricultural economy. Sims, a cattleman in his own right, also serves as executive director of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association.

Presenting the award to both Sims and his wife, Sue, on behalf

of the ICA was Mrs. Adele Wilson and Mrs. Ruth Espy, both of Sonora.

"I've known Bill since he was a young boy," Mrs. Wilson said. "He's always been a strong supporter of agriculture, and we're proud to have him in Austin representing the cattle industry's interests."

ASCS news

If you participate in the Wool and Mohair Program, ACP, or any other program administered by the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS), please be advised of changes that may affect you. Provisions of the 1990 Farm Bill recently signed into law include sodbuster/swampbuster provisions (highly erodible land determinations), Producer eligibility for ASCS programs, and Payment Limitation provisions as they may affect county ranchers. The Food, Agriculture, Conservation and Trade Act of 1990 contains several new program provisions that make wool and mohair producers subject to regulations that are consistent with limitation provisions for other ASCS payment programs.

Some of the specific provisions are the following: (1) Spouses considered separate "persons" for payment limitation purposes for 1991. (2) The May 1, 1991 Status Date (Established date when partnerships, joint ventures, or other entities are to be formed or "set" for incentive and other

payment purposes). The status date is used to determine if individuals or entities are formed and what shares each member had as of the status date. (3) Program payment shares received must be comparable to the inputs a person makes to the ranch operation. (4) For Incentive, Wool and Mohair will EACH carry a payment limitation for 1991. (5) Under the 1990 Act, wool and mohair producers are also subject to a nonrefundable one percent deduction from price support payments earned, up to the payment limitation, beginning with payments on 1991 marketings.

It is important that agriculture producers become acquainted with these options and program changes. The "Spouse" provision is especially important for consideration in 1991. After 1991, any spouse interested in obtaining a separate payment limitation must be able to show a separate and distinct interest in an operation that is separate and distinct from any other person.

4-H news

Spring Dance and officer elections - The annual spring dance preceded by election of club officers for 1992 will be on Friday, May 10, 1991.

District Roundup - May 4 is District 13 Roundup in Jourdanton. The following 4-H members will be representing Sutton County: **Pre-junior share the fun** - Brad Mogford, Brady Lock, Erin Marrs, Kayla Shurley, Alan Nicholas, Russell Dempsey, Cindy Jones, Jackie Bellard and Jared Percifull. **Junior share the fun** - Will Allen, Drew Dempsey, Kristen Shurley, Jason Jacoby, Sarah Marrs, Justin Morley, Erin Payton and Cara Jackson. **Junior method demonstration** - Lora Hale, Shawna Faris, Jason Morley and Curt Dempsey. **Senior method demonstration** - Julie Jones. **Pre-junior method demonstration** - Ashley Brockman and Cassie Jackson.

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May 4, 1991
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Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE from pg. 9

PUBLIC NOTICE JOB NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the City of Sonora is now accepting applications for the positions of senior lifeguard and lifeguards for the Municipal Swimming Pool. Applicant must be at least 16 years of age and have obtained an advanced lifesaving certificate. Interested persons can pick up an application at City Hall. Applications will be accepted thru May 10, 1991. The City of Sonora is an equal opportunity employer. (5/9)

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the City of Sonora is now calling for bids for street paving materials. Specifications may be obtained from City Hall, 201 N. E. Main, Sonora, Texas 76950. All bids must be sealed and addressed to the City Secretary, 201 N. E. Main, Sonora, Texas, 76950. The bid envelope must be clearly marked "SEALED BIDS - STREET PAVING MATERIALS" and returned to the City Secretary's office prior to May 21, 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 any and all bids. (5/9)

PUBLIC NOTICE

Sutton County is accepting sealed bids for the sale of a used water truck. Final receipt of bids will be at 9:00 a. m., May 13, 1991, at the County Commissioners Regular meeting at the Sutton County Annex. At such time bids will be opened and accepted or rejected by the Sutton County Commissioners Court. For additional information please contact Carla Fields, County Judge-915/387-2711. For viewing of water truck contact E. J. Wipff, Road Superintendent, 387-3010. Please deliver or mail sealed bids to Judge Carla Fields, Box 1212, Sonora, Texas 76950. (5/2)

Services

SALES & SERVICE - Need person to sell downhole tools (packers, plugs, etc.) in Sonora area. Call (915) 884-3751 or 884-2066 for more info. and interview. (5/16)

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For Sale - Muffler shop equipment, Scotti model 40 bender with 1 1/2 in. - 2 1/2 in. pipe dies. Three-ton lift and some inventory. 387-3683. (5/9)

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Hiring for all positions at Pizza Hut. Must be 18 years or older. Apply in person. Hwy 277 N. (5/23)

Help wanted - Maid required, also a person for several hours per week. Apply in person at Twin Oaks Motel, 907 N. Crockett. (P)

Part time office help needed in Sonora, call 1-800-477-8348. (5/9)

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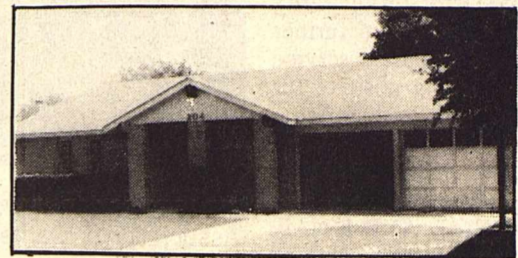
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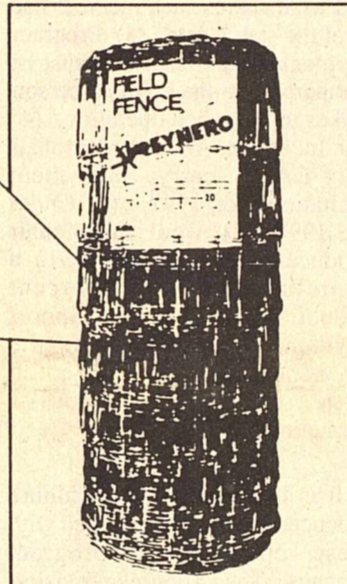
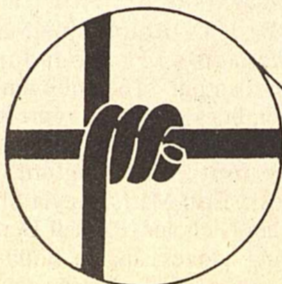
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