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Benefits Scheduled For Bryson

Bobbie Bryson, the 16 year old daughter of Robert Bryson of Sonora, was diagnosed with juvenile leukemia. She is currently at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in Memphis, Tennessee undergoing chemotherapy, blood transfusions, and other medical treatments.

Bobbie is a sophomore at Ozona High School. She leads the Lady Lions basketball team

to a two time state championship. Maida Simms, Bryson's business partner, said "A few weeks ago, Bobbie asked to have a street dance at the auction barn for all the surrounding towns and especially the kids they beat on their way to state champs - just to get to know the other kids as people instead of rivals."

Towns all over west Texas are organizing benefits to help

defray the medical costs. In Sonora, a trust fund has been established at Sutton County National Bank. Sonora Golf Club will have a 9 hole benefit scramble Thursday, April 25. A \$10 entry fee will be charged and the club will waive green fees for non-members. Tee time is 5:30 p.m. The Sonora Livestock Auction will have an auction in conjunction with the regular sale on

Saturday, May 11. Any items will be auctioned, livestock, tack, crafts, bakery items, and others.

Bobbie is a real trooper. She said Elvis called her to Memphis just so she could see Graceland. To write Bobbie, address to: Bobbie Bryson, c/o St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, P.O. Box 318, Memphis, Tennessee 38101-0318.



Foxworth-Galbraith Names Sonora General Manager

submitted

Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Company of Dallas, Texas, announces the appointment of Elaine Kaiser as General Manager of its Building Materials Center in Sonora, Texas.

A native of Center Point, Texas, she attended Schreiner College in Kerrville and Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos, Texas, before joining Foxworth-Galbraith's Kerrville operation in 1987. There she held a variety of positions prior to being promoted to inventory coordinator in 1990. Four years later, she moved to the Central Texas District Office in Waco as district operations coordinator, the position she held at the time of her promotion to general manager.

Kaiser says her top priority at the Sonora facility is customer service. "I want us to be able to get exactly what our customers need no matter what type of company they operate

or type of project they are doing," she explains. "They come first, and whatever it takes to meet their needs, that's what we'll do."

She is also happy personally about the move. "Having been brought up in a small town, this is much more how I prefer to live. The people are nice and friendly, and I already knew many of them while I was district coordinator," Kaiser says.

Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Company is a successful family-owned business serving the building materials needs of the Southwest since 1901. The company has been a part of the business community in Sonora since 1939. With more than 50 operations throughout Texas, New Mexico and Arizona, Foxworth-Galbraith has 33 facilities in Texas serving professional builders, tradesmen, ranchers, homeowners, and commercial and governmental customers.

Nursing Facility Cleared

The Lillian M. Hudspeth Nursing Home was cleared of all deficiencies by the Texas Department of Health Services. Surveyors came to Sonora Monday, April 8 in response to a complaint called in by a local citizen and also to reinspect. The facility turned in a request in February for surveyors to perform a follow up inspection. This is the procedure after deficiencies were cited during the later part of 1995.

The facility paid approximately \$24,000 in fines due to deficiencies cited during an October 26, 1995 survey.

The nursing home was cleared of all charges and the complaint was not substantiated according to Hospital District Board president, Dr. Alvis Johnson. He stated he was appreciative of the employees and local citizens who have been supportive and also to Nursing Consultant, Bobbie Rock.

Mr. Goodrich, Hospital Administrator, expressed appreciation to Bobbie Rock, and to the employees for their hard work in correcting the deficiencies. Goodrich stated, "Everybody here did a really super job."

Controlled Burn Measures

The Sutton County Commissioners met Monday, April 4 for a regular meeting. Commissioner, John Wade, requested the commissioners institute measures for controlled burns. David Wallace stated he will confer with area county attorneys with bans already established in their counties. In the interim, any persons planning to conduct controlled burns should notify the sheriff's office, the fire department, and have a representative from the Soil Conservation District present at the burn. Due to the dry conditions, the commissioners will discuss the possibility of enforcing a total ban at the next meeting.

Discussion was held regarding the devaluation of mineral values in Sutton County that will impact the taxing entities. In Judge Garner's opinion, the decrease can be attributed to the declining price in gas and also the decline in the amount of reserves in Sutton County.

Judge Garner reported that Mike Smith, Sutton County Underground Water District

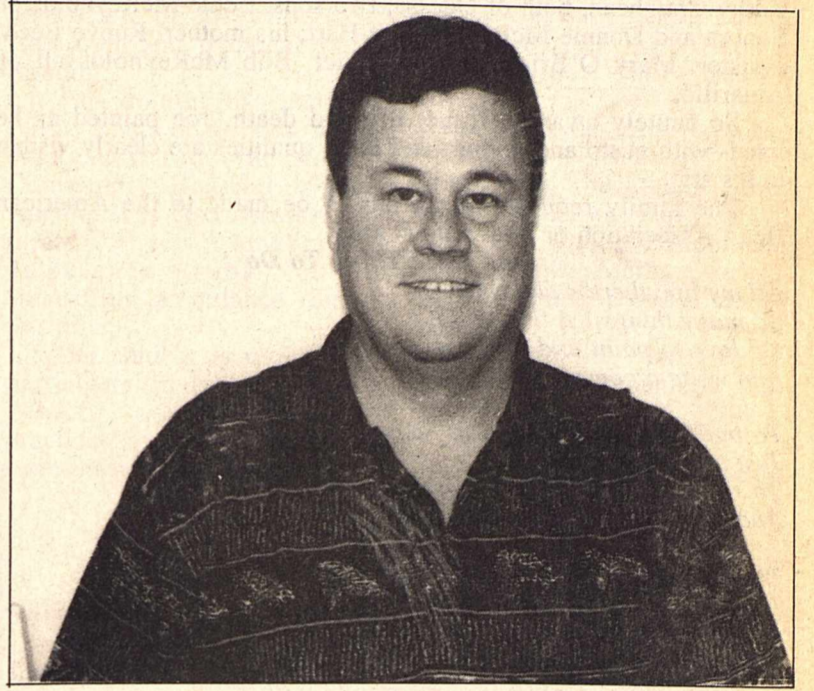
Manager, attended a cloud seeding seminar. It was reported that Crockett, Schleicher, and several other counties in the area will take part in this weather modification program. Smith stated he is trying to set up a meeting in the next two weeks for anyone interested in seeing the presentation.

Joe Lane said the retaining walls at the new library are almost complete. A few things inside the building are in the process of completion. A move in date has not been scheduled at this date.

Nelda Mayfield and Milton Caveness, representing the Presbyterian Church, requested that the county give the church the same consideration the First Methodist Church received regarding parking for the library. They said the church will perform the preliminary work on their parking lot and asked the county complete to it. The church feels the library patrons will utilize the Presbyterian parking lot since the front of the library faces the lot.

Attention Cub Scouts

The Sonora Cub Scouts are invited to join the Eldorado Cub Scouts for a Pinewood Derby Race here in Sonora. The race is sponsored by Louis Dreyfuss Natural Gas and will be held at their office in Sonora. If you plan on attending, you need to call Ronda Hall 387-2891 (home) or 387-2830 (work) ASAP.



Clifton Files For School Board Position

by Tom Clifton

My name is Tom Clifton. I am a candidate for the School Board in Precinct 3. I have two children in Sonora schools, Chris who is a junior, and Becky a sophomore. I feel that it is a great privilege to run as a candidate for the Sonora School Board.

As a Sonora resident for almost twenty years, I am very active in school activities. These include, vice-president of the Bronco Booster Club, co-president of the Band Boosters, a member of the District Site Base Committee for the Sonora ISD, and a member of the Sutton County Child Welfare Board.

I have been involved in the fast food business for the last seven years and currently employ fourteen high school students. Seeing many of our young people each day, I feel a commitment to these children. They are our future.

Quality education and communication between local citizens and the school system is very important to me. I feel that it is most necessary to elect a person who has our children's interest at heart and is willing and able to talk to the parents and citizens of Sonora. I want to serve you and our community. I would appreciate your vote on May 4th.

One-Act Play Advances To Regional Competition

The Sonora High School Department of Theatre and Speech's production of *Sweeney Todd: Demon Barber of Fleet Street* was chosen as one of two plays to advance to the Regional One-Act Play Contest to be held in Odessa on April 19. Critic judge Charles Pulliam, Jr. chose the Sonora play and a production of *The Life and Death of Larry Benson* by Alpine High School. Together, these two plays will compete with four others at the regional level.

Ronnie Watson, Sonora High School Theatre Director said, "I feel we made a very strong showing at the Area contest. I am very proud of our company and am excited about going to Odessa to compete". Those students receiving individual acting honors at the Area contest were: All Star Cast: seniors Rocky Riley, Ben Taylor, and Davis Hale and junior Johnna Adams. Honorable Mention All Star Cast: junior Joshua Akins and sophomore Tracy Escamilla.

Trinidad Receives United States National Award



submitted

The United States Achievement Academy recently announced that Salvador Trinidad Jr., son of Salvador and Leticia Trinidad has been named a United States National Award winner in band.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes less than 10% of all American high school students.

Salvador, who attends Sonora High School, was nominated for this national award by Wayne Warren, the Band Director at the school.

Salvador will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Collegiate Yearbook, which is published nationally.

"Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in America's history. Certainly, United States Achievement Academy winners should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement," said Dr. George Stevens, Executive Director of the United States Achievement Academy.

The Academy selects USAA winners upon the exclusive recommendation of teachers, coaches, counselors, and other qualified sponsors and upon the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy. The criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability, and recommendation from a teacher or director.

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Early Voting

Early voting for Sonora ISD, Sutton County Hospital District, and the City of Sonora will begin Monday, April 15 and continue to Tuesday, April 30. The polling place for the school and hospital districts is located at the school administration office at 807 S Concho. City Hall is the polling place for the city elections.

Al-Anon Family Groups

Al-Anon is a fellowship of men, women and children whose lives have been affected by the compulsive drinking of a family member or friend. Whether or not the alcoholic has found sobriety, the family and friends can do a great deal to help themselves as well as the alcoholic. If you have any questions or need help, call 387-5680 or 387-2490.

VFW Meetings

Sonora VFW Post 8907 and Auxiliary will host the District 22 business meeting April 27th at the Sutton County Senior Center. Mr. Donald L. Wright, state representative will attend the meeting.

Library Pavers

Second round of engraved pavers for the new Sutton County Public Library walkways now available. Price is still \$25.00. Take a look at the pavers already laid in front of the new building, then order yours today at the library, located in the school Vocational Building, 805 Prospect. Form more information call 915-387-2111.

Social Security Bulletin

Garland Gregg, representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his April visit to Sonora. He will be at the County Courthouse on Tuesday, April 30, 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.

Garage Sale

The West Side Lions Club is collecting items for their upcoming garage sale. For more information call 387-3736.

Our Sympathy

Joe Dickey McReynolds

Joe Dickey McReynolds, 69, died Friday, March 29, 1996, in Ft. Smith, Ark. Services were held at 11 a.m. Monday, April 1, 1996, at Paramount Terrace Christian Church in Amarillo with Rev. Roy Wheeler officiating.

Mr. McReynolds was born on January 23, 1927, in Wichita Falls, Texas. He moved to Amarillo in 1928. He was a Navy veteran of World War II. He graduated from The Art Center School in Los Angeles and from the University of Geneva in Geneva, Switzerland. He was a commercial artist and taught art. He was a charter member of Paramount Terrace Christian Church. He moved to Ft. Smith in 1970.

Survivors include: two daughters, Debbie McReynolds and Kathy Craighead, both of Odessa; two sons, Eddie McReynolds of Sonora and Donnie McReynolds of Hart; his mother, Rubye Beck; a sister, Mary O'Brien; and a brother, Bob McReynolds all of Amarillo.

So acutely aware of time, life and death, Joe painted as he lived--with gusto and giving--and these qualities are clearly visible in his art.

The family requests memorials to be made to the American Heart Association or a favorite charity.

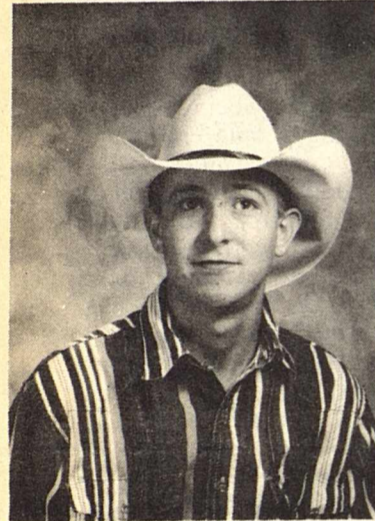
One More Thing To Do

All my life, there's always been
So many things I'd like to do.
I'd love to paint and sing some songs
And write a poem or two.

To build a boat and build a house
Just to name a few.
To read good books and make good friends
And to talk like intellectuals do

While others slept, I've rushed around
To finish all the things I've started
And the things I haven't gotten to
Have left me broken hearted

I suppose when my time comes
And I have lived my whole life through,
I'll say, "Could You hold it for a moment, Lord,
I've still got one more thing to do."
by Joe McReynolds



Kerry Lee Humphreys

Kerry Lee Humphreys, 18, of San Simon, Arizona, was called to heaven on Tuesday, April 2, 1996.

A memorial service was held Friday the fifth at the First Baptist Church in San Simon.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, April 6, at the Church of Christ in Sonora with Don Jones of Three Rivers, Texas, officiating. Burial followed in Sonora Cemetery. Arrangements were by Kerbow Funeral Home.

He was born February 16, 1978, in San Angelo, Texas. He was living with his father in San Simon. Kerry was a friendly, out-going person who was always willing to lend a helping hand to anyone who asked. He loved being outdoors, working on trucks, riding motorcycles, hunting and fishing, and just being with family and friends.

Survivors include his

mother and stepfather, Susan and Ronald Younce of Knob Noster, Missouri.; his father, Johnny Humphreys of San Simon; his sister, Katrina Humphreys of Knob Noster; his half brother, Tye Humphreys of San Simon; his maternal grandparents, Lee and Myrtle Armentrout, and his paternal grandparents, Vernon and Jean Humphreys, all of Sonora; his step-grandparents, James and Dorothy Younce of Knob Noster; his great-grandmother, Maude Clark of Spring Branch, Texas; his aunts and uncles, Sheryl and Michael Williams of Amarillo, Texas, Terry and Matt Shannon of San Angelo, Bobby Humphreys of Midland, Texas, Horace Humphreys of Big Lake, Texas, and Louis and Necia Humphreys of Burleson, Texas; and numerous cousins and other family and friends.

Pallbearers were Carl Quinn, Randy Haws, Bob Lentz, all of San Simon, Matt Shannon of San Angelo, Kenny Brooks of Sanford, Texas, Jimmy Hornfeld of San Angelo, and Michael Williams of Amarillo.

The family requests that memorials be made to the Sonora Church of Christ or The Kerry Lee Humphreys Memorial Account, Youth Crisis and Scholarship Fund, Western Bank, PO Box 490, Lordsburg, New Mexico, 88045, 1-800-687-0423 or 505-542-3521.



Art Herrera, is the new member of the Sonora Police Department. Mr. Herrera was born in Corpus Christie, Texas, and has lived in the San Angelo area since 1973. Art graduated from the Concho Valley Law Enforcement Regional Academy after attending Lakeview High School. Art stated, "I have two beautiful children, Matthew (3), and Kelcey (5), and am glad to be in Sonora, it sure is a nice town."

Card of Thanks

Pam's Purrfect Petals prepared and delivered Easter lilies to some of the churches in Sonora. We thank you for your beautiful job.

Christians of Sonora

Granny Knows Best!

by Judy Edmondson

When you repaint a room, write the color, brand of paint, and amount of paint used on the wall behind a light switch cover. It will be handy when you paint again. It is also helpful to save a small amount of paint in a small jar to use for touch ups.

Granny

If you have any questions you would like answered about arts, crafts, or general information, please write to: Granny Knows!, c/o The Devil's River News, 228 E. Main Street, Sonora, TX 76950.

7 x 3 = 21

School Menu

All Meals are served with milk.

<p>BREAKFAST</p> <p>Monday, April 15 Egg, Tater Tots, Toast w/ Jelly</p> <p>Tuesday, April 16 Pancake, Ham, Fruit</p> <p>Wednesday, April 17 Breakfast Burrito, Juice</p> <p>Thursday, April 18 Muffin, Sausage, Fruit</p> <p>Friday, April 19 Breakfast Pizza, Juice</p>	<p>LUNCH</p> <p>Monday, April 15 Pizza Pocket, Vegetable Salad, Oatmeal & Raisin Cookie, Applesauce</p> <p>Tuesday, April 16 Sloppy Joes, Pork-n-Beans, Potato Rings, Peach Halves</p> <p>Wednesday, April 17 Fish Nugget, Macaroni & Cheese, Cole Slaw, Jello w/Fruit</p> <p>Thursday, April 18 Guiso on Flour Tortillas, Rice, Refried Beans, Diced Peas</p> <p>Friday, April 19 Hamburger, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles, French Fries, Fresh Fruit</p>
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Card of Thanks

The family of Kerry Lee Humphreys would like to express our deep appreciation to everyone for all the prayers, food, flowers, phone calls, and those special hugs that we so dearly needed.

Also, a special thanks to Don Jones for doing Kerry's beautiful service, Tim and Christa Dobbs, and Jim and Betty Stephen for all their help, to all the ladies who served us lunch and to all the men and women that put their hearts into the singing.

God Bless You,
Susan & Ronald Younce
Johnny Humphreys
Tye Humphreys
Katrina Humphreys
Lee & Myrtle Armentrout
Vernon & Jean Humphreys

Happy 4th Birthday

Crystal Love,

Fernando, Josie & Fernie

SENIOR CENTER MENU

Friday, April 12

Fried Catfish, Corn O'Brien, Spinach, Cornbread, Fruit Jello

Monday, April 15

Meat Patti w/ Cheese, Ranch Style Beans, Tomatoes, Lettuce, Onions, Buns, Fruit Salad w/ Topping

Tuesday, April 16

Pork Chops w/ Gravy, Stew Potatoes, Green Beans, Muffins, Cherry Cobbler

Wednesday, April 17

Grilled Chicken Breast, Tossed Salad, Baked Potatoes, Rolls, Banana Pudding

Thursday, April 18

Polish Sausage, Coleslaw, Sweet Potatoes, Rolls, Ginger Bread

Friday, April 19

Beef Tips w/ Mushroom Sauce, Egg Noodles, Broccoli, Wheat Bread, Orange, Mashed Potatoes

Guest meals are \$4.00. Suggested donation for Senior Citizens is \$1.75.

Sonora Church Directory

NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD
James Lee, Pastor
306 N. 4th Street
387-2898

PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA
504 Santa Clara
387-2035

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Tim Dobbs, Minister
304 W. Water
387-3190

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Jim Stephen, Pastor
404 NE Oak
387-2951

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Rev. J. Monte Jones, Rector
404 NE Poplar
387-2955

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Ron Myers, Pastor
201 NW Water
387-2466

JERUSALEM ASAMBLEA DE DIOS
St. Ann's Street
387-3600

HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH
Rev. Charles Huffman
417 E 2nd St.
387-5366



THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD PRESBYTERIAN
Lewis Allen, Pastor
319 NE Mulberry
387-2616

OUTREACH CHURCH OF CHRIST
Hwy. 277 S. Glasscock

SONORA TABERNACLE UNITED PENTECOSTAL
Danny L. Keel, Pastor
509 Amistad
387-5719

ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Father William DuBuisson, O.M.I.
229 SW Plum
387-2278

JEHOVAH'S WITNESS
310 St. Ann's Street
387-5658 or 387-5518

NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
Don Sessom
511 Cornell
387-5215

Attend the church of your choice.

Community Calendar

April 12-18

Friday, April 12

High School Tennis - Big Lake *
8:30 a.m. - Main Street Meeting at the Depot

Saturday, April 13

Varsity Boys Track - Crane*
Varsity Girls Track - Crane*
High School Tennis - Big Lake*

Monday, April 15

Last day to file Income Tax

Tuesday, April 16

2:00 p.m. - City Council Meeting, City Hall
5:00 p.m. - Varsity Boys Baseball vs Crane T
7:00 pm. - Grief Support Meeting at the First United Methodist Church

Wednesday, April 17

1:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. - Health Fair 4-H Center

Thursday, April 18

7:00 p.m. - Junior Varsity Baseball - Eldorado H
Senior Center Van goes to San Angelo

The Community Calendar is made possible

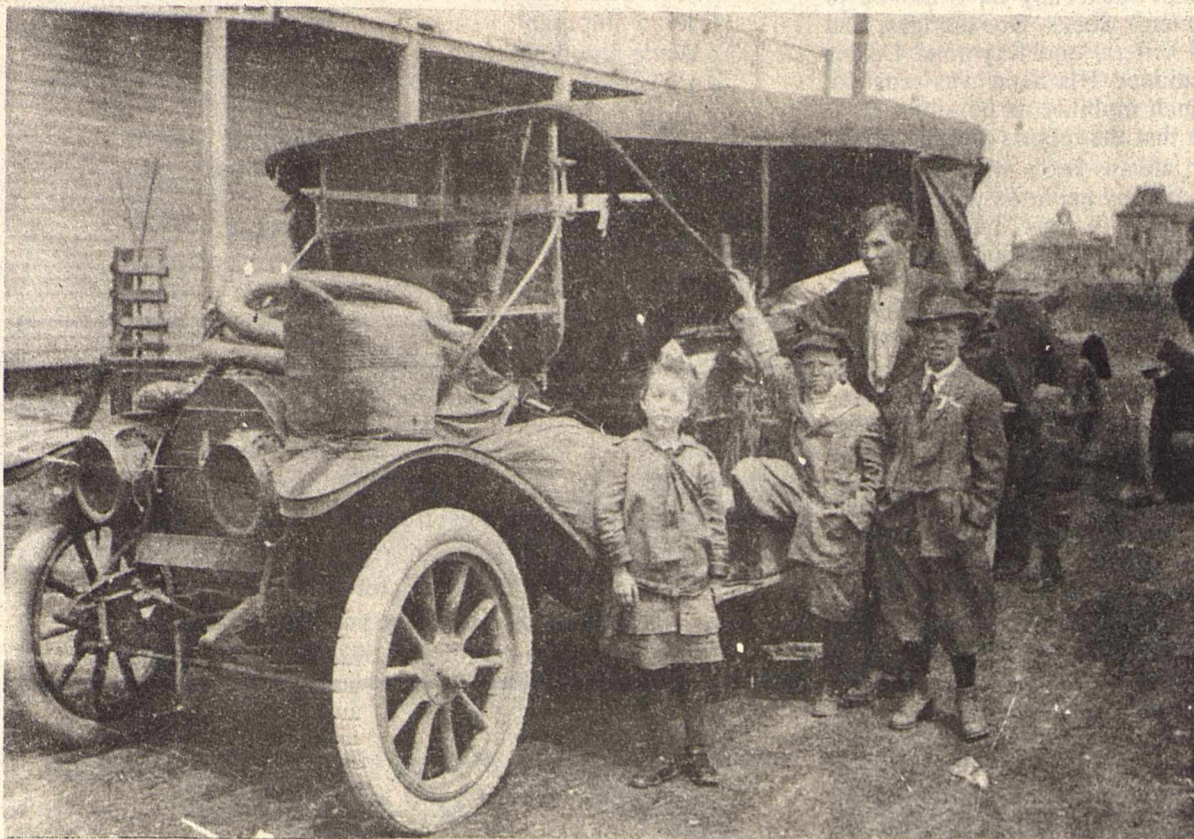
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Member FDIC
102 N. Main 387-3861

Devil's River News
228 E. Main
387-2507

Southwest Texas Electric Co-op
853-2544

Kerbow Funeral Home
387-2266

Ask The Historical Society



This picture was taken on Main Street in Eldorado. You can see their courthouse complex in the background. Can anyone tell us who these people are?

by Jo-Ann Palmer, Secretary, Sutton Co. Historical Society

Q. Do you have any information on the death of O.T. Berry in 1894?

A. Devil's River News, April 21, 1984, ran the following article on Mr. Berry's death:

San Angelo, Texas, April 13.--This morning at 4 o'clock, the inhabitants of San Angelo were awakened from their peaceful slumbers by the ringing of the fire bells, to find the whole city brilliantly illuminated by flames reaching high into the heavens from the Concho Hotel, which burned like timber.

After the fire died out, O.T. Berry's remains, he was a prominent stockman from Fort McKavett, were found among the debris, burned to a crisp. The unfortunate gentleman had driven over fifty miles yesterday expecting to meet his wife on today's train. She in enroute from Ohio, in perfect ignorance of the sad news that awaits her arrival at San Angelo.

The other guests barely

escaped by jumping from the second story windows without any pretense of arranging their toilet. Loss on building and furniture is estimated at \$6,000; no insurance.

Remember that old post office saying: "Neither rain, hail, snow nor sleet can keep this courier from his appointed rounds."

In the same issue were found under Harris Notes, April 10th, 1894, that Mr. Holman, mail carrier, was struck by lightning last Friday night about 11 o'clock, while going into Comstock. He was knocked from his cart and lay unconscious about four or five hours in the rain. He was found next morning by Mr. Shell, the Postmaster at Comstock. He is back at work again and says he does not want any more lightning in his life if he can help himself. (It didn't stop him, but it sure delayed him.)

Some of you have been asking that we publish old recipes in this column from time to time. You are in luck. This week we have had a visitor: Patsy S. Chappellear of

9714 South Rice Avenue, Houston, Texas 77096-4138 has been in town working on her family tree and presented us with a copy of "Fixings by Mixings." This is a collection of family recipes, featuring those of Mercedes (Dee) Nevill, that was published in 1995. The books sell for \$10.00 and this includes the cost of mailing, etc. We thought you would enjoy these recipes for Texas Size Cake and Texas Icing.

Texas Size Cake

- 2 cups of flour
- 2 cups sugar
- 2 tsp salt
- 1/2 cup sour cream
- 2 sticks margarine
- 1 cup water
- 1 tsp soda
- 2 eggs
- 4 Tbsp cocoa

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Use a 9"x 13" pan, may grease lightly or not at all. Mix flour, sugar, salt, soda, eggs, and sour cream together--a little hard to mix. Bring the margarine, water, and cocoa to boil in a saucepan. Mix well and add to flour mixture. Pour into prepared pan and bake for

about 30 minutes. While cake is cooking, make your Texas icing. Ice cake as soon as it comes out of oven. Spread finely chopped pecans over the icing and serve from the pan.

- #### Texas Icing
- 1 box powdered sugar
 - 1 tsp vanilla
 - 1 cup pecans, chopped
 - 1 stick margarine
 - 6 Tbsp canned milk
 - 4 Tbsp cocoa

Bring margarine, milk, cocoa to boil. Add immediately to powdered sugar. Add vanilla. Use icing immediately; spread with pecans.

This little book is just full of wonderful recipes for cakes, pies, vegetables, meats, Mexican foods, cookies, breads, salads, candy, punch, and all kinds of goodies. I think I gained 10 pounds reading it.

Patsy Chappellear has also compiled a Name Index for Stallings Family Records. To get further information on this contact her at 713-723-6658.

She is also working on her other lines and would appreciate hearing from other family researchers. Her names of interest--the lines that are * she goes back to the early 1600's or late 1700's: Adams*, Carroll, Chappellear*, Duke, Estes, Faires, Griffin, Hamilton, Leverett*, McCarty, Murphy, Nicks*, O'Hair, O'Hare, Pence, Ray*, Ricketts, Salisbury/Salsbury, Sanders, Stovall*, Trainer, Vance, Vincent. Give her a call or drop her a line at the Houston address.

If you have any questions concerning Sutton County history, send them to "Ask the Historical Society," P.O. Box 885, Sonora, TX 76950-0885 or give us a call after noon please at 915-387-5144 or 387-2855.

Ronnie Cox
would like to
be your
pharmacist

EMT Training Course Completed

EMT Training Course Completed

April 1, 1996, was the final test day for the Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) class given in Sonora. The course was sponsored by Sutton County Emergency Medical Services.

Starting January 15, these students have worked around their families, jobs, and other schooling to put in three months of rigorous training, consisting of 100 hours of classroom and practical skills training.

This training has included twenty hours of working in the emergency room at Angelo Community Hospital in San Angelo. It is also necessary to make three emergency ambulance runs on a sponsoring ambulance during this time.

The student is required to participate in eight hours of vehicle rescue training, practical skills tests are given

on each required skill, and the final written exam that was given by the state. If the state written test is successfully completed, the student will be licensed by the Texas Department of Health as an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) for a period of four years.

Instructors and Skills Examiners for this course were: Pascal Allison, Patrick Campbell, Carla Garner, Donna Keese, George Keese, Jody Luttrell, Lenora Pool, Eddie McReynolds, Treva McReynolds, and Leslie Thorp.

Congratulations to the following students for completing the course and their families for their patience: Jamie Bozeman, Tonya Brown, Maray Cearley, Karen Frasier, Sonia Gamez, Monica McGee, Travis Osborne, Levi Pool, Dean Rutland, Echi Samaniego, T.J. Thorp, Velma Tyler, Tamela Wall, and Francis Lira.

NOTICE

PATRICK J. ROGERS, Independent Executor of the Estate of Gene W. Rogers, Deceased, is in the process of liquidating the accounts receivables of Gene W. Rogers, M.D., P.A. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the estate shall initiate one of several remedies if a patient account remains unpaid or is not on a payment plan on or before April 30, 1996 including but not limited to:

1. Initiation of collection agency services; and/or
2. Initiation of a suit on a debt, including the recovery of attorney's fees.

Should you have any questions, please contact Patrick J. Rogers at area code (214) 661-2227 or Brigitte R. Rogers at area code (915) 387-3535.

Sincerely,
KELSOE, ANDERSON & KHOURY, P.C.
PATRICK J. ROGERS

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Eldorado Office

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853-2525

800-588-1470

Sonora Office

205 N. Hwy. 277



Scott Jacoby

would appreciate your vote for
School Board Trustee
Precinct 3

Absentee voting will be April 15-30
at the School Administration office.
Election day is Saturday, May 4
at the Courthouse.

Political ad paid for by Scott Jacoby

Need Rehab?

No need to go to San Angelo.
Ask your physician for a referral

Rehab following
orthopedic surgery

Treatment following any
type of injury
(work or sports related)

Call for an appointment!

Schleicher County Medical Center
Christy Brown, Physical Therapist
915-853-2507 ext. 55



On May 4th, vote for Tom Clifton School Board Trustee for Precinct 3

"A voice for our Children"

Political Ad paid for by Tom Clifton

Spring Dresses

Karen Alexander
Eagle River • Misty Lane
Sharon Young • F.L. Malik
My Weekend Clothes
25 % Off

Infant & Toddler Close-Out

Jo Lynn Toddler Dresses
Little Me Bunny Rompers
25% off

Brighton Belts

Limited Styles
40% off

Ol'Sonora Trading Co.

121 North Hwy 277
387-5507

Valliant Effort

by Martha Valliant McLain

The GREEN ALLIGATORS of Baylor University were together again in Salado, Texas for their yearly spring reunion. The group meets at Baylor in Waco for their fall visit. In 1934 a group of girls at Baylor met to celebrate an honor that one of the group had received. Money was limited, but they had enough money to buy each girl a coke. There was enough left over for one package of crackerjacks. The prize in the box was a green alligator. The group (10 girls) named themselves the GREEN ALLIGATORS and promised to attend a reunion twice a year. For fifty-two years, the women have met at Salado in the spring and Waco in the fall. Six of the original group attended this year. There were 20 at this reunion. The group has increased through the years, adding others, who were friends during the college years. Husbands and children feel a part of the group after meeting for so many years. There had been talk in the group that this would be the last year. Many felt that the trip was getting harder and harder to make. After being together for the meeting, they all decided that this year was so much fun that it was worth the effort. The GREEN ALLIGATORS will meet again, and I hope that they will continue meeting, chatting, laughing, shopping, sharing pictures and gifts, just as long as possible. Honored by Baylor University for their loyalty and faithfulness, the women are to be admired for making the effort to keep up with their oldest and dearest friends. Mae Ward is Sonora's GREEN ALLIGATOR. She was accompanied to the meeting by her children, Albert and Cynthia Ward.

Many Easter visitors in town and many eggs were hunted. It was great to see so many families together. The Mae McAngus house was the scene of one of the most active Easter egg hunts around. Big kids and little kids got together for fun, hunting Easter eggs and playing softball. Honored guest was 90 year old C.T. "Bud" Campbell of San Angelo. He chose to participate in the softball game, and at 90 made a good showing for his grandchildren Brenda Valliant, Becky Collins, Bobby Bartz, and his many great grand children, too numerous to name. If the name sounds familiar, you may remember seeing it on many abstracts and deeds. He was a surveyor in this area, and has surveyed much of Sutton County.

The Billie Tiffie family spent Easter in Paul's Valley, Oklahoma visiting Debbie's grandmother, who is also 90+. Lenora Cotton lives alone, cares for herself and her home, and enjoys her independence.

Ruth Shurley entertained the Tuesday evening bridge club last week at the Sutton County Steak House. Supper was a fruit tray, finger sandwiches, potato chips, and chocolate covered strawberries. Kay Bosh helped her mother with the party.

Sonora Woman's Club met last week at the home of Debbie Thompson. Lunch was a shrimp casserole, spinach salad, molded salad, hot rolls, and Easter basket cakes for dessert. The tables were set in white with rabbits and Easter eggs for center pieces. Cynthia Ward reviewed the book, "The Best School Year Ever." It is about the same family, the Herdmans, that we all enjoyed in the book, "The Best Christmas Pageant Ever". It was wonderful, and the club enjoyed the wonderful, warm and funny stories from the book. Many guests attended and associate members attended. It was our largest meeting this year. Cynthia is always so much fun that there is a crowd.

John Paul Hudman and Ty Harrelson were off to play in a special exhibition for college scouts. Good luck!

Karen Porter and son Mac are visiting her parents, A. W. and Leona Bishop.

I don't know how Leona is managing to be Grandmother and

accompany the school choir students. Both are full time jobs. Drew and Lisa Wallace accompanied Amazing Grace to Sonora for the holiday. Someone told me that we should stop calling her "Amazing", but it is a hard habit to break. Dean now refers to her as Princess Grace or just Princess.

Walker Wallace is recovering from a a broken ankle. We hope that you are up and about soon. Include Mabel and Joseph Vander Stucken in your prayers this week. They have moved to San Angelo and will be there for several weeks. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Grandson of Valerie and Raymond Draper is recovering from an industrial accident. His hand was crushed, and doctors are trying to save as much mobility as possible. He is the son of Charles Draper. We hope that the reports are all good.

Sometimes you do things right. I always know what my nieces will like, but I never know for sure what my nephews will like. The girls love to shop and clothes are always a treat. I once ask my nephew what he would like for his birthday. I explained that I was going to get him clothes, and asked if he had any special requests. He was preschool at the time and said, "I don't want my pairs of clothes to all be the same color". If his "pairs of clothes" are the same colors, he might not know it he had worn them the day before. With different colors, he could be sure that they were not the ones he wore yesterday. Makes sense, right? This year, I knew that the boys were too old for frilly, pastel Easter baskets. I found baskets for them that looked like boys and would be nice to hold things in their room. I tied bandanas on the handle and decorated them with "Alamo Heroes Pins" that we are selling to help support the Alamo improvements. I had bought the pins last year and failed to give them to the boys. Trapper got Davy Crockett for his hat, and Travis received a pin honoring William B. Travis. It is a sneaky way to get the boys to learn about history, but both were excited. Travis didn't know that he was named for a Texas hero. Now, I can tell him stories that have a personal message. We forget that things like who you are named for don't always mean much to kids. It's nice to let them know about how their name was chosen. My next project is to tell him about his middle name, Cozy (my mother's maiden name). He will be grown before I run out of those stories. The most unusual name that I have heard recently is Lochellen. A friend of mine named her daughter Lochellen, and says that there have been many women in her family with that as a first name. You can almost hear the bagpipes play when she says the name.

From the "I really can't believe it department", comes a story that I would not believe it I did not know the people. About 50 members of the Methodist Youth Group and their sponsors were on their way to San Antonio for a Spurs game. Many vehicles were in the caravan and many trucks were on 1-10. A few miles from Kerrville, a Sonora car passed a truck and Linda Fisher with her load of kids pulled up behind the truck, preparing to pass. The truck was slowing down as he climbed the hill, and suddenly there was a loud crash. The windshield was shattered, and David Fisher, who had been asleep in the front passenger seat was hit by an object thrown by the truck. Linda had great presence of mind and managed to get the car to the side of the road. David had been hit by about a 5 pound piece of the rim of the trucks tire. Fortunately, many others from Sonora were behind them and stopped to help. Someone chased the truck and stopped him. He had not realized that he had caused an accident. Others took the kids from Linda's car on to the game. David ended up in the emergency room in Kerrville and received many, many stitches. The miracle is that the piece of steel would have done grave damage if it had hit the eye, throat, nose, or chest. Doctors felt that the chin was the one place that would do the least damage. Also the piece had a flat side and a sharp side. He was hit by the flat side. The sharp side might have done permanent injury or killed him. We all do believe in miracles, don't we. If we didn't before, we certainly do now. Congratulations David, you are a very lucky young man.

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APRIL

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Wade Shipman
Vicki Downing
Alvin Gutierrez
14th
Pat Campbell
Kenley Black
Katie Burge
Marcos Quiroz Jr.

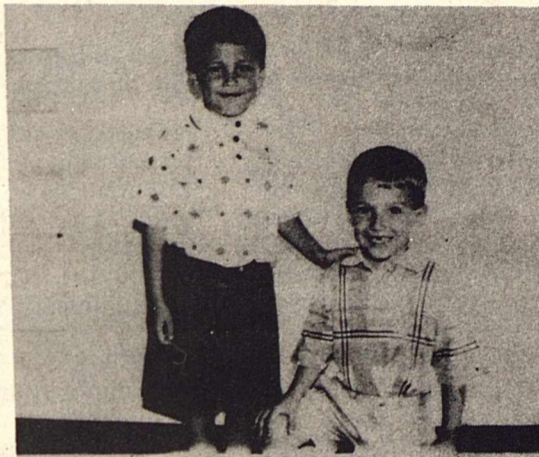
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Austin Lee Castaneda
Bill Sawyer
Carol Anne Mayfield
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Lindy Castillo
Dakota Daniels
17th
Stoney Holmes
18th
Stephanie Marcum
Marcus Perez
19th
Frank Avila
Eric Cardenas
Brianna Cascadden

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(A los votantes registrado del Condado de Sutton, Texas:

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on May 4, 1996, for voting in a school trustee election, to elect two (2) members, one from Precinct 1 and one from Precinct 3, for the three year terms of office and one (1) member from Precinct 2 for a two year term of office.

(Notifíquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 4 de Mayo de 1996 para votar en la eleccion para elegir dos (2) miembros que van a ocupar la oficina tres (3) anos. Los dos representan a los distritos primero (1) y tercero (3). Tambien, hay que elegir un miembro que va servir no mas dos anos. Este representa el distrito segundo (2).

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES (DIRECCIONES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES

PRECINCT 1 - 4-H Center, Hwy., 290 W.
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Precinct 2 - Junior High Gym, E. 1st St.
(Distrito 2 - gimnasio de la escuela secundaria)
Precinct 3 - County courthouse
(Distrito 3 - corte del condado de Sutton)

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at (La votación en adelantada en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en) Administration Office, 807 S. Concho, Sonora, Texas between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. beginning on April 15, 1996 and ending April 30, 1996. (Oficina de las escuelas entre las 8 de la mañana y las 4 de la tarde empezando el 15 de Abril 1996 y terminando el 30 de Abril 1996.

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:
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Early Voting Clerk
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Sonora, Texas 76950

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on April 26, 1996.

(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia or correo deberán recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el 26 de Abril 1996.)

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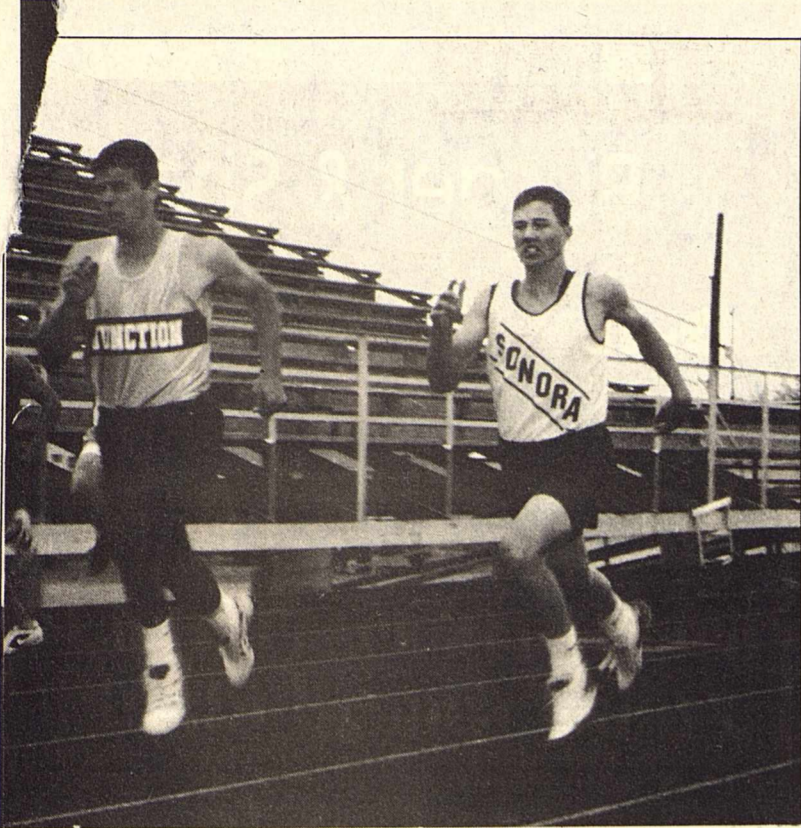
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Anthony Renfro gives all he has at the Bronco Relays.

JV Tracksters Place 2nd In Bronco Relays

Pole Vault: Brad Legan, 1st, 10'0"
 400 M Relay: Chris Braly, Will Allen, Brad Legan, Anthony Renfro, 1st, 47.43
 110 M Hurdles: Brad Legan, 1st 16.06
 100 M Dash: Chris Braly, 4th, 12.28
 300 M Hurdles: Brad Legan, 1st, 46.56
 400 M Dash: Kevin Gann, 2nd, 56.51
 200 M Dash: Anthony Renfro, 3rd, 24.71; Jeremy Shaffer, 6th, 25.59
 1600 M Relay: Chris Braly, Anthony Renfro, Kevin Gann, Brad Legan, 2nd, 3:53.10
 Team Total: 2nd, 86



Laura Castilleja is pictured above competing at the Bronco Relays.

Lady Tracksters Place 4th In Bronco Relays

High Jump: Cara Mayfield, 4th, 4'8"
 Triple Jump: Daisey Mireles, 3rd, 31'7"
 400 M Relay: Laura Castilleja, Daisy Mireles, Karie Purvis, Liza Ramirez, 3rd, 55.44
 3200 M Run: Katie Cook, 4th, 13:45.27
 800 M Run: Betty Samaniego, 2nd, 2:35.58
 100 M Dash: Laura Castilleja, 3rd, 13.78
 400 M Dash: Kellie Downing, 1st, 1:05.70
 1600 M Run: Betty Samaniego, 2nd, 5:49.10; Misty Castilleja, 6th, 6:30.16
 800 M Relay: 2nd, 1:52.84
 200 M Dash: Camille Marshall, 1st, 27.00; Robin Conner, 6th, 29.00
 1600 M Relay: Liza Ramirez, Robin Conner, Daisy Mireles, Kellie Downing, 4th, 4:29.53
 Team Total: 4th 95

Tennis Team Brings Home 2nd Place Trophy

by Angela Mayfield

On March 29 and 30, the Sonora Bronco Tennis team attended the Crane Invitational Tennis Tournament held in Crane. The team did very well as a whole, and brought home the second place trophy once again with a total of 42 points. First place was again taken by Reagan County with 91 points, and Denver City received third with 36 points. Individual members of the Bronco tennis team did favorably as well.

Those who attended the tournament include: Girls Singles: Angela Mayfield, Ashley Brockman; Boys Singles: David Fisher, Clint Bowers; Girls Doubles: Kristi Burge and Katie Key, Becca Chalk and Stacy Key; Boys Doubles: Curt Dempsey and Justin House, Dustin Harris and Matt Routh.

Results are as follows: Becca Chalk and Stacy Key placed third and were upset in the third round by Graves and Trujillo from Reagan County. Kristi Burge and Katie Key were unfortunately bumped into the consolation bracket by Wade and Wade of Greenwood, but pressed on to win consolation with a score of 6-1, 6-2 against Sartos and Walker from Greenwood.

In boys doubles, Harris and Routh faced off against Bird and Hubble from Reagan County but ended up on the down side after a very promising match. Harris and Routh received fourth place for their efforts. Dempsey and House had a rougher time, however, and were knocked out of the tournament in round two by Leija and Morin of Reagan County with a score of 6-1, 6-1.

In girls singles, Ashley Brockman brought home second place and was beaten by Nichol Castillo in the Championship match with a score of 6-0, 6-0. Angela Mayfield was knocked into consolation in round two by Amy Risley of Denver City, but came back and beat Berzoza from Kermit with a score of 6-1, 6-1 to win consolation.

David Fisher played well in boys singles, but was disrupted by John Luxton in the second round with a score of 1-6, 1-6. Clint Bowers also had a tough time of it being beaten by Kneupper from Iraan in round one and Kohutek from Reagan County in Consolation. Better luck next time.

On April 12 and 13, the Bronco tennis team will be traveling to Big Lake to compete in the District Tournament. They are looking forward to the trip and are very optimistic about the outcome of the tournament.



This student participates in the conditioning program.

Exercise For Fitness And Fun

submitted

What is your child doing to stay fit? During the school year of 1993-4, the elementary school grades 2-5 began a conditioning program along with their other activities in physical education classes. This program consisted of walking or jogging at least 1 mile two times per week. After several weeks, the students could increase their mileage if they wanted to. Goals were set with their number one goal being to increase their cardiovascular fitness and to improve their health. The students also set mileage goals: anyone walking/jogging 50 miles receives a certificate; 51-74 miles a certificate and a refreshment party; 75+ a certificate, refreshment party and a running red road lizard t-shirt.

The students have approximately 35 minutes to walk or jog during their physical education class. The majority of the students complete at least four rounds and some complete as many as 12 rounds. Four laps, or rounds, count as one mile. After receiving at least 4

markers, the students report to the gym where Coach Turner helps them enter their laps on the computer. For the remainder of the class period, the students participate in selected activities such as tether ball, basketball, four square, or jumping rope. At the end of each two week period, their laps are totaled and their mileage is posted. Many students are getting close to reaching their goals.

On days that the students are not working on their walking/jogging program, they are either playing soccer, newcomb, flag football, capture the flag, jump rope, four corner, four square, basketball, bound ball, crab soccer, handball, volleyball, sneak ball, softball, parachutes, or participating in other motor skill activities.

Overall, Coach Bill Dempsey, Coach Sherry Turner, and Coach Carol Sessom feel like the conditioning program has been a success because it has taught them to set goals, encouraged them to improve their physical fitness, and helped to improve their self-esteem.

Summer Football Camp

The Dallas Cowboys are the most popular team in the NFL. This summer several of the Cowboys will join teammate Jay Novacek at his youth football camp. In addition to football, the boys will learn some positive lessons about life from the Cowboys.

"My teammates and I teach each boy a lot of football, but we will also emphasize how they must keep working hard on and off the field. We stress how young players must stay positive no matter how many negative things happen to them," said All-Pro tight end, Jay Novacek. "I feel it is important each boy know they will not catch every pass and make every touchdown in life," continued Novacek.

Jay Novacek's camp will be held June 2-7 and 9-14, at East Texas State University located in Commerce, Texas. The camp will feature instruction from several members of the Dallas

Cowboys and top college coaches. "We will stress upon each young athlete the importance of responsible behavior such as a good education, staying away from drugs and alcohol, and being a good citizen," said Novacek. "I also feel it is important to let each boy know there is life after football and sports in general," continued Novacek.

Dallas Cowboys that are scheduled to instruct at the camp include: Troy Aikman, Nate Newton, Bill Bates, Mark Tuinei, Robert Jones, Kevin Williams, Darrin Smith, Chad Hennings, Tony Tolbert, Derek Kennard, and others. The Cowboys do not make token appearances. They will work with the players each day they are in camp.

For more information concerning Jay Novacek's camp, please call 1-800-555-0801. Enrollment is limited. Overnight housing is available.



Louis Massey receives the first place honor in the 300 meter hurdles. The Booster Club made the awards platform for the Bronco Relays.

Broncos Place 5th In Sonora Relays

Shot Put: Justin Eaton, 6th, 38'8 1/2"
 Long Jump: Raymond Rainer, 1st, 19'5 1/2"
 Pole Vault: Louis Massey, 5th, 11'6"
 100 M Dash: Will Allen, 6th, 11.93
 300 M Hurdles: Louis Massey, 1st, 40.70
 400 M Dash: Davis Hale, 2nd, 52.09
 1600 M Relay: Raymond Rainer, Thomas Hunt, Davis Hale, Louis Massey, 4th, 3:34.86
 Team Total: 5th, 44

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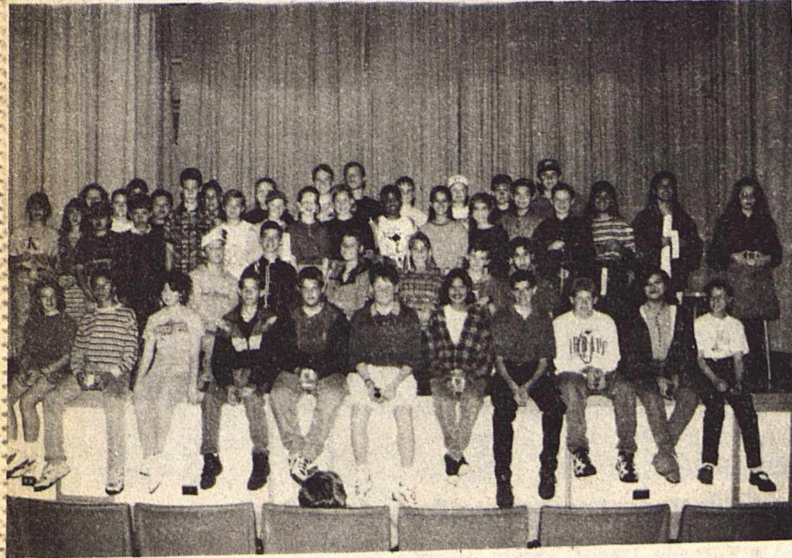
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Grief Support Group Established

by Linda Fisher

Tuesday, April 16 will be the date for the initial meeting of a new support group for those walking the path of grief. The Grief Support Group will be held every first and third Tuesday from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. in the Pastor's office at First United Methodist Church of Sonora.

This group is open to anyone in the community that is dealing with grief issues. This is not a therapy group. Co-facilitators of the group are Mr. Dale Kennemer and Rev. Ronald Myers. Cost is free and babysitting will be provided on request.



Students Compete In Science & Engineering Fair

Sixty-five Sonora Middle School students attended the District XI Science and Engineering Fair in San Angelo on March 27. They had participated in the local Science Fair and qualified for the next level of competition. Many other area schools were also there.

Students winning medals and ribbons are as follows:
 Behavioral & Social Science-3rd Chang Hernandez
 Biochemistry-1st Caleb Taylor, 3rd Lorena Lopez
 Botany-2nd Byron Williams
 Chemistry-2nd Pam Shahan, 3rd Bryce Williams
 Earth/Space Science-4th Ernie Perez
 Engineering-3rd Jared Percifull
 Environmental-3rd Jason West
 Math-Russell Dempsey
 Zoology-3rd Ruben Ynguanzo, 4th Ginny Lee, 5th Allison Benson
 Microbiology-3rd Tommy Gutierrez
 Physics-2nd Cody Ainsworth, 4th James Elliott

Participation in the Sweepstakes round is very competitive with only the very best projects qualifying. Russell Dempsey and Caleb Taylor made it to this prestigious last round of judging. Russell Dempsey received a second place award with a trophy and a \$150 savings bond.

Lorena Lopez received the Surgeon General award with her project about the hazards of smoking.



Myra Alexandra Villinueva, daughter of Cindy Villinueva, won the Easter bunny given away by Vallree's Bright Spot Fashions.

American Cancer Society Welcomes New Board Members

submitted by Lou Faulks

The Sutton County Unit of the American Cancer Society is happy and honored to welcome two new board members, Erica Morriss and Robert Duran. They wish to thank them for the help and energy they will bring to the organization.

Plans are being made for the annual door to door crusade. Regular volunteers and anyone interested in giving time to this effort should contact Smith Neal at 387-2826. There will be a table set up at the Health Fair Wednesday, April 17th at the 4-H Center. Public education material, including, education kits and teaching materials for school classrooms will be on display. Also, a golf tournament and hamburger supper are in the planning stages.

As a reminder, women ages 40 to 49 should have a screening mammogram every one to two years. Women aged

50 and over should have a mammogram every year and a Pap test at appropriate intervals by a health care professional.

Every man aged 40 and over should have a digital rectal exam as part of a regular annual physical checkup. In addition, the American Cancer Society recommends that men aged 50 and over have an annual prostate specific antigen blood test. If either result is suspicious, further evaluation in the form of transrectal ultrasound should be performed.

The American Cancer Society is the nationwide community based voluntary health organization. It is dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major health problem by preventing cancer, saving lives and, diminishing suffering from cancer, through research, education, advocacy, and service.

"If you have cancer, we can help. If not, you can help."

Head Start Registration

submitted

The Tom Green County Community Action Council Head Start Program will be registering new students and current students at Sonora Head Start Center for the 1996-97 school year, Thursday, May 9, 1996. The CAC Head Start Program is a comprehensive child development program that is free to all participants. Children 3, 4, and 5 years of age participate in a program that provides them a "head start" to education, social and self-help skills and their health and dental care.

Registration will take place from 12:00 to 4:00 p.m. It is required that the child be three years old by September 1, 1996, in order to register for the program. Parents or guardians of a child must bring proof of income (three consecutive recent check stubs, 1995 W-2 form, copy of AFDC check), proof of age (child's birth certificate), child's social security number, and up to date immunization records. All of these items must be brought to register for the program.

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General	632,182.46	1,380,299.85		528,270.37	4,200.00	1,480,011.94
General-Payroll	7,678.79		279,316.70	279,531.87		7,463.62
FMFC	684,933.71	452,476.03		152,283.73		985,026.01
FMFC-Payroll	4,827.66		61,431.84	61,225.08		5,034.42
Flood Control	23,956.40	-	1,200.00	-		25,156.40
Law Library	1,952.67	290.00	3,000.00	1,178.75		4,063.92
Lateral Road	13,685.78					13,685.78
State Trust Funds	19,885.82	23,453.76		27,878.23		15,461.35
State Arrest Fees	1,489.29	2,458.78		2,683.36		1,064.71
Juvenile Probation	19,954.07	56,702.63		45,583.47		31,073.23
Employee Benefit	142,374.87	13,500.03		5,788.09		150,086.81
Community-Emergency	4,053.90	41.27		4,081.94		13.23
Community Corrections	6,444.82	65.61		6,489.39		21.04
Sutton County 911	6,847.61	72.10		-		6,919.71
Library Fund	27,422.18	167.67		17,063.99		10,725.86
Sheriff Seizure Fund	12,568.75	57.85		12,261.96		364.64
					TOTAL	2,736,172.49
Checking Accounts		Seizure Fund	364.64			
State Arrest Fees	1,064.71	FMFC	58,745.46	Juvenile Prob	31,073.25	
General	97,892.20	Comp-Emerg.	13.23	Gen-Int. Nat'l	8,438.63	
Community Corrections	21.04	Library Fund	10,725.86	Sutton 911	6,919.71	
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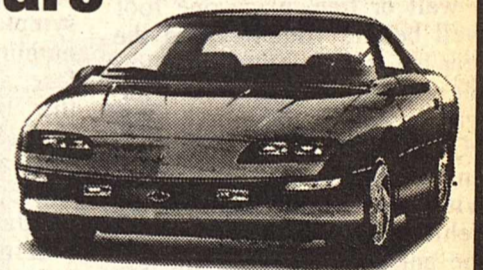
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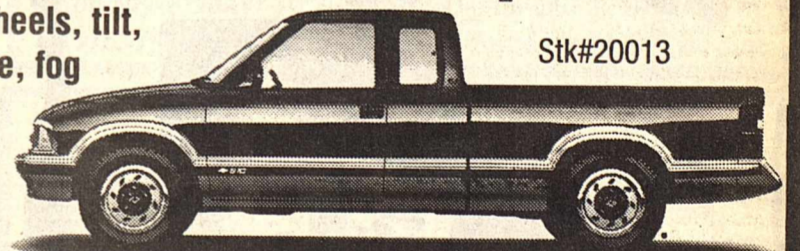
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911 EMSING AROUND

by Barbara Stroud

The weather is beginning to warm, and along with the warm weather are the walkers. To begin a walking program, keep in mind that you are in no big hurry. This is lifetime health, not OVERNIGHT MAGIC. So for now forget stopwatches, heart rates, and technique. Just go for a walk at a comfortable pace slightly above a stroll. Fifteen to thirty minutes would be a comfortable walking time for beginners. All you really need to help get you started is a good pair of shoes, not running shoes. They have a tendency to be too high and squishy. Your walk should be the first item of your agenda for the day. If you are over 45, and this is your first step towards a fitness program, please consult with your physician before beginning.

As you get into the walking program and begin walking at a faster pace than a stroll, then begin timing how long it takes you to walk a mile comfortably on flat ground. Chances are, the time will take 15-20 minutes. That's your starting capacity; begin building from there. You should walk no more than two miles on a starting course.

For the more advanced walkers, I would like to offer these tips. The correct posture, arm swing, and stride add up to higher intensity exercise and lower the risk of injury.

•ARM SWING: This makes walking a total body activity. Keep your elbows firmly bent at a 90 degree angle and swing from the shoulder. Your hand should end its forward swing at breastbone height. On the backswing, if you're moving fast, the upper arm is almost parallel to the ground.

•STRIDE: Make your stride long and smooth. It helps to borrow some moves from competitive race walkers. Keep your supporting leg straight as your body passes over it. Let the hip rise and relax. As the leg moves to the rear, keep its foot on the ground for as long as possible before pushing off.

•Don't forget to S-T-R-E-T-C-H!!!
•ACHILLES, TENDONS, and CALF: With both hands against a wall or tree, place one foot well behind you. Keeping the rear leg straight and its heel on the ground, lean in toward the wall or tree.

•QUADRICEPS: Put one hand on the wall or tree for balance with the other hand reach behind your back and grasp the ankle of the opposite leg. Pull it up toward your buttocks until you feel tension along the

front of your thigh.
•HAMSTRING: Stand on one leg; prop the other leg parallel to the ground on a fence or table. Slide both hands toward the propped-up ankle as far as they will go.

When the weather is bad, you should move your walking indoors. Malls have allowed walkers to walk in the mall before they open. Unfortunately, Sonora has no Mall. There are some community members fortunate to have a treadmill. However, if you're not one of those fortunate people, you may want to check into the nearest health club that has treadmills.

Remember, don't think of walking as an exercise, it's really a time you have set aside for enjoyment. Take along a friend, your family, even your dog. If you are interested in an easy to use walking test that helps you design your own walking program you may write to *Rockport Walking Test, C/O The Rockport Walking Institute, 72 Howe St. Marlboro, MA 01752.*

Congratulations to all the community members and members of the surrounding areas who have just completed their EMT class. The Texas Department of Health's written exams were taken Monday, April 1, in San Angelo. I surely hope those tests given were not taken with erasable pencil marks; after all, it was April Fools' Day!! But then again, I know very well the nervousness those students went through. I was there myself not too long ago. If you ask anyone who has to renew their certification, they'll all tell you they still get very nervous. We would like to take this time to congratulate all of the students in the class on a job well done!!

According to the National Stroke Association, strokes are the third leading cause of death in this country. Uncanny as it may be, the same number of stroke survivors are disabled. This is based on the outcome that most stroke survivors arrive at the hospital too late to receive the best treatment—an average of 10-24 hours after they have suffered the stroke. If you have a family member who is experiencing the following symptoms, call 9-1-1: a sudden numbness or weakness in the face, arm, or leg on one side of the body; sudden loss or blurring of vision in one or both eyes; any speech difficulty; a sudden severe headache; or unexplained dizziness, unsteadiness, or falling.

Until next week...

4D Distributing Brings Original Coors To Sonora

Coors Brewing Company announced major new support for the Original Coors brand. The 123-year-old brand has received a facelift, with new graphics on cans and bottles as well as on outer packaging. The graphics feature a bold new icon and rich blue coloring. The goal of the new look is to better communicate Original Coors' rich brewing history and quality tradition.

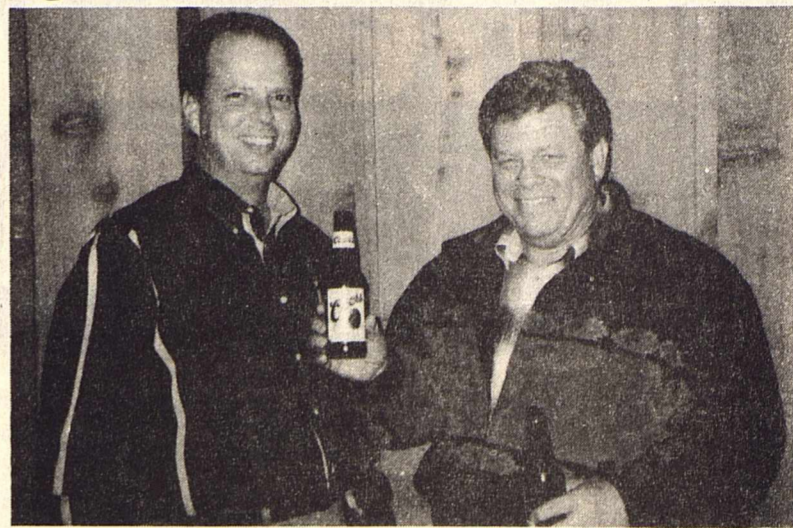
Importantly, Coors Brewing Company has taken Original Coors' quality even higher, while maintaining the brand's traditional character—that unique, real beer taste of the Rockies that consumers have enjoyed for more than a century.

Peter Coors, vice chairman and chief executive officer, said the company is resolute in

its long-term commitment to Original Coors.

"My great grandfather never had to search for a dream. He always had one. He wanted to make the world's best beer. In 1873, he found a place where a dream could flourish—Golden, Colorado. With Rocky Mountain water that was perfect for brewing beer and the finest all-natural ingredients, he began brewing Original Coors.

"Today, 123 years later, Coors is renewing its commitment to our flagship brand, reintroducing Original Coors with bold new graphics, improved product quality, and aggressive advertising and marketing support. Our goal today is the same as my great grandfather's—to make Original Coors the best beer in



4D's, Bill Lyons and Brent Scott show the new Original Coors graphics.

the world."

Coors Brewing Company is the third largest brewer in the United States. Coors uses only

the finest ingredients available in an all-natural brewing process to offer a wide range of high-quality malt beverages.

SENIOR CENTER NEWS




Lupe Mendez

by Juanita Mesa

Thank you to the following Hat Day prize donors at the Senior Center. Carmen Ramirez and Arcelia Carrasco - A&C Beauty Shop, Mary Lou Jimenez - The Cutting Edge, Edna Lopez - Edna's House of Beauty, Victor Chavez - Chavez Barber Shop, and Victor and Diana Virgen - D&V Roustabout. A special thanks to the staff; Amelia, Pete, Lilia and Vicky and the the judges for the day:

Noemi Samaniego, Susie Casillas, Maxine Locklin, Yvette Samaniego, and Shanna Johnson. Everyone had a good time and really enjoyed Hat Day!


The Senior of the Month of March is Guadalupe "Lupe" Mendez. She received a brown bag special from Sonic, compliments of Tom Clifton. Lupe helps out almost every day at the Center as a volunteer. She comes in at 8:00 a.m. and works until nearly one o'clock every day. She delivers meals and is always ready to help out. I asked her why she does this without pay and she said that we were like the family that she doesn't have here in Sonora. It keeps her from being lonely and we make her feel special. Lupe's family lives in California and Houston. Her daughter in Houston just had a beautiful baby girl last week. Thanks Lupe, we love you.



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- ★ **6.026± Commercial Acres • Near Naco Perrin • San Antonio, TX**
 Located on Old Nacogdoches Road north of Loop 410; rear access to Naco Perrin. Selling regardless of price!
- ★ **5,000± SF Office Building & Adjacent Land • San Antonio, TX**
 Situated on a large lot, beautiful wood paneling, walk-in safe, and security system. Excellent property for doctors, lawyers, accountants, real estate and insurance agents, and contractors. Located at 438 W. Maplewood, just off San Pedro. Selling regardless of price!
- ★ **11,937± Acres • Culberson County • Van Horn, TX**
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Ag Calendar

- April**
 11 Mohair Council Executive Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Holiday Inn (Sage Room) Uvalde, Tx.
 11 Incentive Payments will be issued on April, 11 1996 (CFSA)
 30 Private Applicator Training and Licensing Session, 5:30 p.m. (Ed B. Keyes Building, San Angelo)
- May**
 31 End of livestock feeding period. (CFSA)
- June**
 11-13 Sonora Wool and Mohair Show
 13-14 American Boer Goat Judging School, only 40 applicants accepted (Brownwood)

Items for the Ag Calendar should be submitted by 5:00 p.m. Monday, 387-2507 - fax 387-5691

Marketing Perspectives To Be Discussed Steakhouse

Producers' Marketing Cooperative, a mohair and wool marketing cooperative headquartered in San Angelo, Texas, is sponsoring a series of meetings which are open to all ranchers and persons with an interest in the mohair industry. Dr. Jan van der Westhuysen and Mr. Denys Hobson will be guest speakers at these meetings.

Dr. van der Westhuysen is Operating Manager of Cape Mohair and Wool, a producer-owned mohair and wool marketing cooperative which is headquartered in Port Elizabeth, South Africa. Mr. Hobson, an innovative member of one of South Africa's foremost angora breeding families serves on the Cape Mohair and Wool board of directors. This meeting will be an excellent opportunity for area ranchers to meet these two industry leaders, who will share their perspectives about global events and trends which are shaping the future of the mohair industry.

A meeting will be held in Sonora on April 16th at 7 p.m., at the Sutton County Steakhouse.

Ranchers and persons with an interest in the future of the Mohair industry are encouraged to attend. There is no charge for admission.

If you are interested in attending but have a schedule conflict, please contact your local mohair warehouse manager or Lee Appleberry at PMCI headquarters (919) 655-1783 for details about the time and location of other meetings.

Incentive Checks Delayed

Wool & Mohair Incentive checks could be delayed. These checks were originally slated to run on April 11, 1996, but at press time, the date for running the Incentive checks looked very unlikely. Farm Service Agency (FSA) County offices received notice on Monday April 8, 1996 to hold off running 1995 Wool & Mohair Incentive checks.

Wool & Mohair producers are advised to read their local newspapers and listen to their local radio stations for further updates. FSA County Offices will be notifying the local news media as soon as they know when the checks will be issued.

FSA County Offices cannot issue any Wool & Mohair Incentive checks until all the information to print these checks has been downloaded into their computer systems.

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AGRIBUSINESS

Wool and Mohair Statistics

Wool prices were higher than a year ago, but a smaller sheep and lamb inventory led to a decrease in wool production for 1995. Mohair production continued to decline in spite of significantly higher prices in 1995.

According to the annual report released by the Texas Agricultural Statistics Service, wool production totaled 13.47 million pounds during 1995. Texas producers sheared 1.82 million sheep and lambs during the year, 14 percent less than they did during 1994. The average fleece weight was 7.4 pounds compared with 7.0 pounds last year.

Total value of the state's wool production was down 0.6 percent from the previous year to \$15.49 million. Price per pound averaged \$1.15 up \$.10 from the average for 1994.

Texas mohair production during 1995 totaled 11.32 million pounds, down 3 percent from a year ago. Producers clipped 1.47 million Angora goats and kids with an average clip weight of 7.7 pounds. The number of Angora goats and kids clipped decreased 8 percent from the previous year, but the average clip weight was up 5.4 percent from 1994.

Value of the state's mohair production dropped 32 percent to \$20.94 million. Price per pound averaged \$1.85, compared with the \$2.62 average a year earlier.

United States shorn wool production during 1995 was 63.3 million pounds, down 8 percent from a year earlier. Sheep and lambs shorn during 1995 totaled 8.11 million head, a decrease of 9 percent from 1994. Average fleece weight of shorn wool was 7.81 pounds per head in 1995

compared with 7.73 pounds in 1994.

The average price paid for wool sold in 1995 was \$1.04 per pound, for a total value of \$64.1 million, up 22 percent from \$52.4 million in 1994.

Mohair production in the five major producing states, Arizona, Michigan, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas, during 1995 was 12.1 million pounds, down 4 percent from 1994. Goats and kids clipped, at 1.62 million head, were 8 percent below 1994. Average weight per head clipped was 7.4 pounds, compared with 7.1 pounds a year earlier. Value of mohair production was \$22.2 million, up 32 percent from 1994.

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3:00-3:30 P.M. (915-370-3700)

Homeward Bound II-G

2:45 5:00

All Dogs Go To Heaven-G

2:30 4:30

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Sgt. Bilko-PG

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James and the Giant Peach-PG

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SOUTHWEST 7

3:00 Knickerbocker (915-998-3470)

Executive Decision-R

1:00 4:00 7:00 9:50

Fear-R

1:40 4:20 7:30 9:50

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Primal Fear-R

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Direccion de las castillas electorales: Pct. 1 - 4-H center, Pct. 2 - Jr. High Gym Building, Pct. 3 - Sutton County Courthouse, and Pct. 4 - Fire Station.

La votacion en ausencia en persona se ilevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en Sonora ISD Business Office, 807 SE Concho, Sonora, Texas, entre las 8:00 de la manana y las 4:00 de la tarde empezando el 15 de abril y terminado el 30 de abril, 1996.

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el 26 de abril 1996.

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correa deberan enviarse a: Cynthia Keel, 807 SE Concho, Sonora, Texas, 76950.

Emitado este dia 12 de febrero, 1996.
 Alvis Johnson, Jr., President
 Sutton County
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CONTRACTOR'S NOTICE OF HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE WORK

Scaled proposals for contract **MOWING HIGHWAY RIGHT-OF-WAY** in various counties will be received at the Texas Department of Transportation's District Office, Loop 306 and Knickerbocker Rd., in San Angelo, Texas on the date and

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APRIL 19, 1996
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Plans and specifications and proposals for the above mentioned contracts are available at the office of Mr. Dennis W. Wilde, P.E., Director of Operations, 915/944-1501, Loop 306 & Knickerbocker Road, San Angelo, Texas. Mailing address is 4502 Knickerbocker Rd, San Angelo, Texas 76904.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

In accordance with Sara Title III, Section 324, the Sutton County / City of Sonora Local Emergency Planning Committee is informing the public of the following. The Emergency Response Plan and MSDS's are available for inspection during regular office hours of the Sutton County / City of Sonora Emergency Management Office located at 211 E. 3rd Street, Sonora, Texas.

A copy of the Sutton County / City of Sonora Emergency Management Plan is located at the Sutton County Library and the Sonora Chamber of Commerce.

All companies filing Tier II and Tier III reports or reporting spills or releases need to send them to the Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC), P.O. Box 1067, Sonora, Texas 76950. If there are any questions, you can call the Emergency Management Office at 915-387-5132
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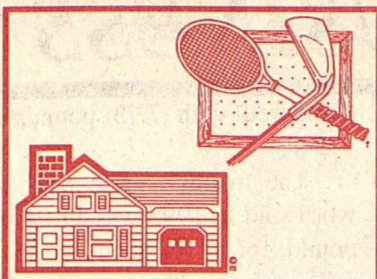
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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF SONORA ELECTION

To the Registered Voters of Sonora, Texas: Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on May 4 1996, for voting in a General election, to Elect a Mayor & Councilmember in Ward 1 and Ward 2.

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES, WARD 1 - CITY HALL, 201 E. MAIN, WARD 2 - SENIOR CENTER, 102 S. WILSON.

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at City Hall, 201 E. Main, Sonora between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on April 15, 1996 and ending on April 30, 1996.

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:

Becky Covington
201 E. Main
Sonora, Texas 76950

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on April 26, 1996.

Issued this the 20 day of February, 1996

Margaret Cascadden

AVISO DE ELECCION SONORA

A los votantes registrados del Sonora Texas; Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 4 de Mayo de 1996 para votar en la Elección para electar de Mayor un concejal - Distrito 1 and Distrito 2.

DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES, WARD 1 - CITY HALL, 201 E. MAIN, WARD 2 - SENIOR CENTER, 102 S. WILSON

La votación en adelantada en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en City Hall, 201 E. Main, Sonora entre las 8:00 de la mañana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el 15 de Abril de 1996 y terminando el 30 de Abril de 1996.

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210 E. Main
Sonora, Texas 76950

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Emitada este día 20 de Febrero, 1996.

Margaret Cascadden

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: Shawn Downs Greetings: YOU (AND EACH OF YOU) ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the 112th District Court of Sutton County at the Courthouse being located at Courthouse Square, in the City of Sonora, Sutton County Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, the date for answer being the 20th day of May, A.D. 1996, to Petitioners' Petition filed in said court, on the 1st day of April, A.D. 1996, in this cause, numbered 4169 on the docket of said court and styled In The Interest of Paul Scott Martinez, A Minor Child.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Petition In Suit Affecting The Parent-Child Relationship In The Alternative Amended First Petition For Grandparent Access.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Witness, Bobbie Smith, Clerk of the 112th District Court(s) of Sutton County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at office this 2nd day of April, A.D. 1996.

Bobbie Smith
Clerk, 112th District Court
Sutton County, Texas

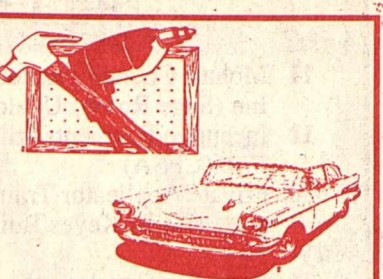
By Genevieve Crenwelge, Deputy, 300 East Oak, Suite 3 Sonora, Texas 76950

You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 A.M. on the Monday next following the expiration of forty-two days after you were served this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you.

Berta Perez Linton
Attorney - Petitioners,
Beauregard Tower Suite 707
103 S. Irving,
San Angelo, Texas 76903
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CONTRACTOR'S NOTICE OF HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE WORK

Sealed proposals for contract **MOWING HIGHWAY RIGHT-OF-WAY** in various counties will be received at the Texas Department of Transportation's District Office, Loop 306 and



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APRIL 17, 1996 2:00 PM

- Contract No. 077XXM1001, Runnels, etc.
- Contract No. 077XXM1002, Irion, etc.
- Contract No. 077XXM1003, Concho, etc.
- Contract No. 077XXM1004, Kimble, etc.
- Contract No. 077XXM1006, Tom Green, etc.
- Contract No. 077XXM1007, Sutton, etc.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

SUTTON COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT NOTICE OF DISTRICT ELECTION

To the registered voters of Sutton County, Texas: Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. on Saturday, May 4, 1996, for voting in a Hospital District election, to elect 4 Directors: 1 Director from Precinct 1, 1 Director from Precinct 3, and 2 Directors At Large.

Locations of polling places: Pct. 1 - 4-H center, Pct. 2 - Jr. High Gym Building, Pct. 3 - Sutton County Courthouse, and Pct. 4 - Fire Station.

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at the Sonora ISD Business Office, 807 SE Concho, Sonora, between the hours of 8:00 A.M. beginning April 15, 1996, and ending April 30, 1996.

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on April 26, 1996.

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: Cynthia Keel, 807 SE Concho, Sonora, Texas, 76950.

Issued this the 12th day of February, 1996.
Alvis Johnson, Jr., President
Sutton County Hospital District

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