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## Jeffs remains quiet on child's whereabouts

Warren Jeffs, jailed leader of the Fundamentalist Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, ignored an order Friday issued by Utah District Judge James L. Shumate and refused to answer questions regarding the whereabouts of 2-year-old Levi Musser.

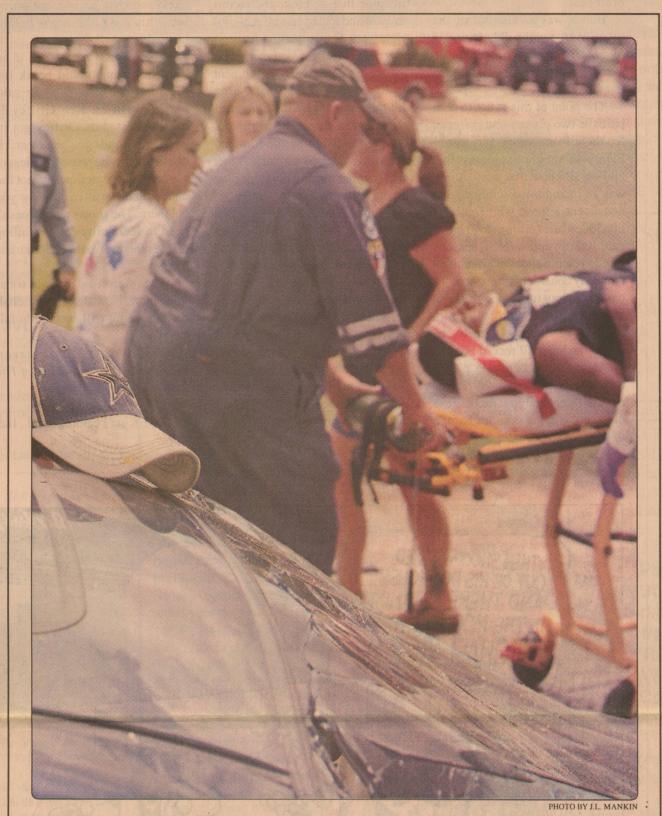
Wendell Musser, 22, has been prevented from having contact with his young son ever since he was stripped of his "priesthood authority" in the FLDS Church just over a year ago.

Musser had been assigned to safeguard a number of Jeffs' wives during the time he was listed on the FBI's Ten Most Wanted List. However, when he was picked up by Colorado authorities on a drunk driving charge, Musser was exiled from the FLDS church, and forbidden to see his wife Vivian and their infant son, Levi, while he "repented from a distance."

But Musser was never forgiven by Jeffs and soon he learned that his wife and child had been reassigned by church officials to another man. In recent months, Musser has actively sought a reunion with his family, even going so far as to file a lawsuit against Jeffs. That prompted a meeting in May of this year with his wife and child. But, Vivian was accompanied by several men from the FLDS church and Musser was neither allowed to touch his son, nor discuss his parental rights.

Judge Shumate ruled recently that Jeffs must assist Musser in establishing ongoing contact with his son. And, as if to emphasize the point, Shumate gave Jeffs until Wednesday, July 25th to comply.

But Jeffs either wasn't convinced by the judge's ruling, or was concerned that heeding he order might cause him even more legal grief. During an hour-long deposition attended by Musser, his attorney Roger Hoole, and private investigator Sam Brower, Jeffs and his attorney Richard Wright declined to provide information concerning the whereabouts of Levi Musser. At one point, when asked by Hoole to identify a group of people in a photo, Jeffs refused to answer on the grounds that it might incriminate him in a criminal case. Jeffs now faces \$600 per day penalty as ordered by Judge Shumate. Musser may access Jeffs' jailhouse commissary fund in order to pay a private investigator to search for his son. Musser may also claim any property seized when Jeffs was arrested in Nevada on August 28th of last year.



EMS volunteers rolled Johnathan Mejia toward the front door of Schleicher County Medical Center

## Eldorado man killed in rollover

Rodolfo Iglesias, 54, of Eldorado died Saturday, July 28, 2007 of injuries sustained when the 2000 Chevrolet flat-bed pickup he was driving overturned about a half-mile west of Eldorado on County Road 412 (Rabbit Road). The accident occurred at about 11:00 p.m. and was reported to the Schleicher County Sheriff's Department by 9-1-1 call.

According to investigators at the scene, Iglesias was driving westbound on CR 412, when his truck left the roadway and rolled. The vehicle crashed through a fence before coming to rest in a pasture on the north side of the road.

Iglesias was reportedly ejected from the truck during the accident. Emergency personnel found his body at the base of a Mesquite tree near the wreck vehicle. He was taken by ambulance to Schleicher County Medical Center where he was pronounced dead by Dr. Gordy Day.

DPS Trooper Van Gundy investigated the accident assisted by Deputy Kevin Herbert.



Rodolfo Iglesias, 54, was killed Saturday when this 2000 Chevrolet rolled on

It is also possible that Jeffs will be brought before Judge Shumate and ordered to answer. Failure to comply could result in criminal charges for contempt of court. last Thursday moments following a head-on collision on West Murchison Avenue, directly in front of the hospital. Mejia was treated at SCMC then airlifted to San Angelo where he underwent surgery to repair a broken leg.

## Head-on collision injures three

Two Eldorado youths were hospitalized Thursday, July 26, 2007 following a head-on collision on West Murchison, directly in front of Schleicher County Medical Center.

Jonathan Mejia, 16, of Eldorado suffered a broken leg and lacerations, while passenger Rudy Sanchez sustained lesser injuries, when Mejia's 2000 Mercury Sable was struck by a 2000 Chevrolet pickup driven by Michael Blaylock, 62, of Eldorado.

DPS Trooper Steve Torres of Mertzon investigated the crash. He reports that Blaylock was headed westbound on F.M. 915 (W. Murchison) when his pickup crossed into the oncoming lane of traffic and struck the car driven by Mejia.

Blaylock was cited for driving on the wrong side of the road. Meanwhile Mejia was cited for driving without a license. Neither of the youths in the Mercury were wearing seat belts, according to Trooper Torres.



## Bulldogger

Travis Sikes of Huntsville bulldogged this steer Saturday night during the Steer Wrestling event at the 38th annual Top of the Divide Rodeo. Sikes turned in a time of 6.0 seconds.

TOP MONEY WINNERS included: Bareback: 1st Jason Kornegay \$865.20. Barrel Racing: 1st Bobbi Wagner \$572.34; 2nd LeeAnn Graham \$429.25; 3rd Andrea Cline \$286.17. Break Away: 1st Kayelen Helton \$508.00; 2nd Morgan McMillan \$381.00; 3rd Glenda Ivy \$254.00. Bull Riding: 1st Donny Baer \$674.61; 2nd Wayne Curd \$518.93; 3rd Martin Jeffers \$363.25. Calf Roping: 1st Ace Slone \$726.45; 2nd Justin Maass \$601.20; 3rd Tanner Morrison \$475.95. Saddle Bronc: 1st Cole Hardin \$457.30; 2nd Casey Sweat 274.38; T3rd Don Henderson \$91.46; T3rd Bryan Hammons \$91.46. Steer Wrestling: 1st James Lockhart \$465.60; 2nd Jon Bailey \$310.40. Team Roping: 1st Tory Morrison, Cooper Hogg \$1,071.84; 2nd Joel Bach, Martin Lucero \$887.04; 3rd Russell Riggan, Jay Waller \$702.24.

PHOTO BY J.L. MANKIN

County Road 412, about a half-mile west of Eldorado.

## S.C. Community Resource Center August News

#### by Patsy Kellogg

It is time for parents to come in and register their children to ride the Thunderbird bus to and from school. No child will be picked up until they have been registered and paid for in advance. Rides will be limited to first sign up only.

Blood pressure and blood sugar tests will be offered on August 14th, 21st, and 29th from 9:30 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. This service is free to all.

August 13th at 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. the Community Action Agency will be in the office for utility assistance. Call for more information.

WIC will be in four times in August. Call to check for their times.

D.P.S. will be here Tuesday, August 14th, 21st and 28th for any driver license needs.

Angel Food payments will be accepted until August 8th. Come in and get an August menu.

A representative from the Area Agency on Aging will be at the Resource Center on August 8 at 9:30 a.m. to help any seniors with questions on aging or the 211 phone information system. They also have available funds to help anyone over 60 persons with special needs.

The Thunderbird van goes to San Angelo August 3rd and 15th. This is a shopping trip. Call and make arrangements for those trips.

Medicaid trips to San Angelo and Sonora are free and those arrangements need to be made at least 3 days in advance of an appointment or to pickup medication from a pharmacy.

Our office is at 105 West Callender and our phone # is 853-2574. Come by and see what we can help you with.

## **The Last Hawk Standing**

WASHINGTON -- This is the center of the storm in the debate over the Iraq War, George W. Bush's White House. The president is meeting in the Roosevelt Room with nine conservative journalists to discuss the war, and, as with a hurricane, the eye of the storm is unbelievably calm.

Bush is as confident and upbeat as ever. Even once-friendly commentators like The Wall Street Journal's Peggy Noonan wish he'd show some strain and worry as the war drags into its fifth year. But Bush must have confidence and optimism



written into his DNA. As leaks, GOP defections and plummeting approval ratings swirl all around him, he remains resolute: The Iraq War must, and can, be won.

Asked about persistent reports that he is looking to find a compromise with Congress around the recommendations of the Iraq Study Group for a troop drawdown, Bush is adamant that he is going to see the troop surge through September and then rely on the advice of Gen. David Petraeus on how to proceed.

"What you're asking me is that in order to placate people in Congress, am I going to write a strategy before the military reports back?" he says. "And the answer is, 'no."

Bush gives the impression that he is more steadfast on the war than many in his own administration and that, if need be, he'll be the last hawk standing.

He says he'd like a compromise on Iraq for the long term, but sounds skeptical that it will happen: "The ideal world is that there would be some kind of bipartisan consensus at some point in time, to be there for a while. And can we achieve that? I don't know. It's worth trying, it's worth talking to people about it." But when he says that he's not going to abandon the surge, "it's just very important for you all to understand that's exactly what I mean."

Bush curtly rejects the suggestion that he will be forced by troop constraints to pull back the surge come next spring, no matter what. Nor will Bush allow the political environment to constrain his policy. He cites his decision to go forward with the surge in January, even though the "outcry was quite significant." He knew what people were thinking: "How can he possibly do this? Didn't he see, didn't he hear?"

What he saw was a war effort that was stumbling, so he removed his top generals and

## It's Just a Record



When Hank Aaron broke into

the big leagues, he wasn't allowed

to walk through the front doors

of most buildings. When Barry

Bonds broke into the big leagues,

he waltzed into his manager's of-

fice without knocking and intro-

duced himself as the team's No. 1

Bonds was kicked out of the

office; Aaron, as he did most other

nights at the start of his career, ate

a dinner of pork chops and french

pare the two players and their run

for the all-time home run record.

Plenty of media are doing that

and we all know that story. Aaron

was an incredibly disciplined and

consistent athlete who routinely

hit .300, while turning in 40 home

run, 100 run and 100 RBI seasons.

Bonds is a prodigy who remained

relatively consistent throughout his

career, but put together a streak in

his final years that propelled him

to where he is now -- namely, the

top of the baseball record books.

through segregation and had to

endure threats on his life because

of the color of his skin. It's hard to

Aaron was a hero. He played

The point of this is not to com-

draft pick.

fries.

imagine that he broke the record in 1974 and had to endure pre-civil rights-era discrimination up until that point. In fact, you can make the case that that single moment in time, the moment that Aaron hit the record-breaking home run, the moment those two white college students ran beside him and jubilantly slapped his back -- that was the true turning point for racebased hatred in sports.

Bonds is not a hero. He's just a darn good ballplayer who thinks he's the center of the universe and is nearly universally despised by all sports journalists who've ever met the man.

There were said to be 40 beat reporters following Barry Bonds around as he went for the recordbreaking shot. Bob Hope, who handled public relations for the Atlanta Braves during Aaron's day, laughs at that number. More than 100 reporters followed Aaron around. Bonds wants to know where his entourage is. Bonds wants to know why everyone was so upset when he pulled out of the home run-hitting contest during the All Star Game to "rest," but ended up admitting on national television that he was out partying with Jay-Z the night before instead.

When Aaron was asked if he thought anyone could break his record in the late '90s, he said, barring injuries, Ken Griffey Jr. had the best shot. Griffey got injured, but Bonds got "the clear." It doesn't make the record any less of a record, but sometimes its not the end result that matters, it's how you got there. The sports world doesn't need to feel guilty for not falling all over themselves to congratulate the guy.

When Aaron did it, it was something more. Now, it's just a baseball record. And it will eventually fall.

Mark Vasto is a veteran sportswriter and publisher of The Parkville (Mo.) Luminary.

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## Austin renames • **Town Lake in** honor of Lady **Bird Johnson**

#### by Ed Sterling

AUSTIN - The city council on July 26 voted unanimously to rename Austin's Town Lake "Lady Bird Lake."

The name change honors Lady Bird Johnson, who TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

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By Ed Sterlin

died at age 94 on July 11. She was the widow of the late President Lyndon B. Johnson.



to honor the former first lady's life because of her personal efforts to improve the lake, its surrounding trails and greenbelts.

#### Weather prompts preparations

Weather experts are saying a 10year drought appears to be over in all but a few sections of the state. And the rain keeps on falling in areas that have had more than their share.

With Gov. Rick Perry out of state on July 26, Lt. Gov. David Dewhurst exercised his official authority to beef up and position Texas military forces, in preparation for continuing severe weather and flooding.

"I will continue to monitor this situation closely and work with the governor's office and state emergency coordinators to ensure the state is doing everything necessary to keep Texans safe," Dewhurst said.

For San Antonio-Martindale Airfield, Dewhurst called for 30 more personnel, 10 more vehicles and three more helicopters and crew.

Also, for Camp Mabry in Austin, he called for 30 more personnel and 10 more vehicles, including Humvees and so-called "high profile vehicles."

Dewhurst asked all Texans to heed the warnings of local officials and take every possible precaution to

brought in Gen. Petraeus and his surge plan. His confidence in Petraeus is total: "My job ... is to say to David Petraeus, 'I trust your judgment, I trusted you going in and I trust you now." He calls Petraeus "the most credible person in the fight at this moment."

Bush says that one of his most important audiences is not just the American public, but the enemy, who "thinks we're weak." He says "these are sophisticated people and they listen to the debate." They doubt "that we're going to be tough enough. I really believe that the additional forces into Iraq surprised them -- a lot."

In trying to game out the future U.S. policy in Iraq, there is an intense focus on the periphery -what is Defense Secretary Robert Gates thinking, what's the Lugar-Warner plan? But what's still most important is the center of this storm, where President Bush sits, apparently in no mood whatsoever to budge.

#### Rich Lowry is editor of the National Review.

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## Canine horror stories

## Tulsa's famous buried Belvedere

It's one of those stories you just can't pass up. When I first heard about the 1957 Plymouth Belvedere that was buried in 1957 in Tulsa as part of Oklahoma's 50th year of statehood celebration (they called it Tulsarama), I became curious. Then when I heard it was going to be unearthed on June 15th of this year, I was chomping at the bit to get up there. Imagine. A 57 Belvedere wrapped up in a hermetically sealed plastic cocoon and placed in a concrete vault with 6-inch walls and buried on the courthouse lawn. What an idea. The car sold for \$2,000 in 1957. I never did find out just why that particular make and model of vehicle was chosen as a symbol of the age.

About two days before the big dig, a friend of mine who currently resides in Tulsa, Bill Murchison, told me he would cover it for me. He did a fabulous job. He interviewed all sorts of folks and got their opinions about the event. He sent me tapes of the interviews along with two copies of the Tulsa World newspaper.

When the car rose from its grave, crowds cheered. People paid good money to get a seat in



bleachers that had been set up. Participants in an antique car show that was going on in Tulsa got special passes. News people from all over the world were in Tulsa to report on the condition of the car. Some people actually thought it could be driven away. Boy, were they wrong. The thing was a mess. A big mess.

The concrete vault was full of water that had seeped in over the years. One person said the water might have come from a busted water main. One man, when he saw the car up close after it was hoisted out the ground, said, "It looks like it's been at the bottom of the ocean for 50 years." Mud was everywhere. The upholstery was gone and springs were showing through the seats. The door hinges were frozen. The tires were flat. It was a ghastly sight.

A time capsule that was buried with the car survived just fine.

Contents inside it were dry. They included 812 contest entries from people who guessed what the population of Tulsa would be in 2007. The winner got the car. The closest guess to Tulsa's current population of 384, 743 was submitted by Raymond Humbertson, who guessed 382,457. Tulsa's population in 1957 was 264,300. Raymond died in 1979 and his heirs will decide what to do with the car. Some people recommend it should be left as is and placed in a museum, since it is the only car buried for 50 years.

Some folks in Tulsa have burying cars on the brain. To celebrate Tulsa's 100th anniversary in 1998, a new Plymouth Prowler was entombed in an above ground mausoleum in Centennial Park. It will be unveiled in 2048. The Prowler was encased in a seamless plastic box especially manufactured in Tulsa. Officials drained all the fluids and replaced them with synthetics that won't degrade. The vault was filled with an inert gas to keep the exterior in good shape. The car's garage for 50 years was sealed and covered with dirt. Officials expect the Prowler to be in much better shape than the Belvedere.

stay safe

#### Funding veto prompts action

One of Gov. Perry's line-item vetoes in the \$151 billion 2008-2009 state budget was about \$154 million to fund community college employees group health insurance.

Lt. Gov. Dewhurst on July 25 said lawmakers and college officials across the state had let him know their concerns about the veto.

Dewhurst said he doesn't want community colleges to have to raise tuition or limit enrollment or have local taxes increased as a result of the veto.

In his June 15 veto statement Perry said money appropriated from general revenue may not be expended for employee benefit costs, and that community colleges wrongly have been using such funds to pay the benefits on non-state paid employees.

Dewhurst said he wants the matter addressed right away and plans to bring it up in a fall meeting of the 10-member Legislative Budget Board. The board has the power to reauthorize the vetoed funding.

Meanwhile, Dewhurst said, he plans to meet with Sens. Zaffirini, Hinojosa, Shapiro, Duncan, Ogden, other interested lawmakers, the governor 's office and state agencies to work out a solution before the year's end.

#### Teen birth rate ranks highest

Texas currently has the highest teen birth rate in the nation: 63 births per 1,000 females ages 15-19.

Nationally, there are 41 births for every 1,000 teens.

The data comes from the KIDS COUNT Data Book, a national stateby-state report released by the Annie E. Casey Foundation and reported July 25 by the Austin thinktank, Center for

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## **Betty Wilson**



time with her family. Betty and Raymond lived and

ty's greatest pleasure was spending

worked in the San Angelo area until they bought a stock farm in Eldorado where Betty worked at the Tax Assessors office. She really enjoyed this job where she would see almost everyone in the community. Betty was a den mother to her son's scout troops and a Sunday school teacher. Upon retirement she helped with the elementary reading program and continued to help Raymond on the stock farm. She was a member of the Lakeview Methodist Church of San Angelo and then the First United Method-ELDORADO — Betty Wil- ist Church in Eldorado.

son, 82, passed away quietly at her home in Eldorado on Sunday husband Raymond of 64 years, her wife and mother and will be dearly Heather Oxley and husband Matt, missed.

Angelo Business School. Betty met Gayle Hryb. her lifelong love on a blind date with him while he was in the Navy and Maria Guadarrama. until she and Raymond Wilson liam and wife Mary Ann of Brady, Home. Steve and wife Suzan, John and husband Wayne of Eldorado. Bet- Angelo.

Betty is survived by her dear July 29, 2007. She was a loving children and her grandchildren Shay Wilson, Amanda Hryb and Betty was the only child of husband Adam, Julie Wilson, Tra-Billie and John Lee Hollingsworth vis Joiner, Rachel Joiner and Evan of San Angelo. She attended San Joiner. Great-grandchildren Laura Angelo High School and San Ann and Abagail Oxley and Kora

The family would like to thank and continued correspondence her wonderful caregivers, Hospice

Graveside services will be were married on June 16, 1943 in held at 11:00 Thursday August 2 San Angelo. They were blessed at the cemetery in Eldorado at the with four children, three sons, Wil- direction of the Kerbow Funeral

All memorials can be made to wife Sonya both of San Angelo, the First United Methodist Church and daughter Shirley Joiner and of Eldorado or Hospice of San

## **Rodolfo Pina Iglesias**



Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church with burial in Eldorado Cemetery. Services were by Kerbow Funeral Home.

Survivors include wife Alicia Iglesias; children Juanita Iglesias Avila and Rodolfo Iglesias Avila, all of Muzquiz; parents Jose Raul and Maria Iglesias of Eldorado; brothers Edmundo of Muzquiz,

Jose Javier, Raul Jr., all of Eldorado,

Luis of New Braunfels and Rogelio

of Denton; sisters Dora Iglesias,

Quirina Iglesias, Guadalupe Romo,

Gloria Granados, all of Eldorado,



Hospice of San Angelo honored local and area volunteers on Thursday, July 26 with a luncheon at Rosa's Casita in Eldorado. Pictured (L-R) are: Donna Ferguson, social worker; Jim Martin, Eldorado volunteer; Jenny Sue Trainer, Sonora volunteer; Jerre Holley, Eldorado volunteer; and Toni Pfluger, volunteer coordinator

## **Running of BULL successful** despite inclement weather

submitted by Jim Runge

The overall rainy weather in furniture, CD's, candles, children's the state during the past several clothes, crosses, jams, jellies, jewweeks and the weather forecasts elry, knives, leather goods, purses, that predicted that the rain would religious tracts, roasted nuts, rock continue, created hesitancy on night lights, rope baskets, sauces from making the long drive. And courthouse lawn. the rain that did appear in the surby, no pun intended.

and game booths to provide quite a midway for visitors. Shoppers

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potential travelers and contrib- and toys. The children's activities uted to the smaller than normal included a plethora of inflatables, attendance at this year's Running plus numerous game booths. Satof the BULL. The rain failed to urday began with 5K and one mile materialize at all on Sunday and runs, organized by Evelyn Gordon. only reared it's head late Satur- Annie Arispe did her usual bang day afternoon. This was enough up job of organizing probably our though, to keep the anticipated best parade ever. Janna Pridemore, visitors from Austin, San Antonio, as usual, conducted a washer tour-Houston and the DFW metroplex nament at the tossing cups on the The lineup of speakers however, rounding counties dampened those was the best ever. Dennis Gaines residents' enthusiasm for dropping from Kerrville and Monte Jones

from San Angelo, both national Surprisingly however, most ven- award winners from the Academy dors reported good sales and some of Western Artists, thrilled the even reported larger sales than last listeners with their wit and wisdom. year, despite the sparse crowds. Steve Smith, a multi-talented art-The food booths did exceptionally ist from Carrizo Springs returned well, and joined the arts, crafts to keep his five year record of SEE BULL ON PAGE 4

> Winner of this week's \$100 drawing is Mary Leigh Dunagan. Mary Leigh is shown here accepting her prize from Stacy Haynes.



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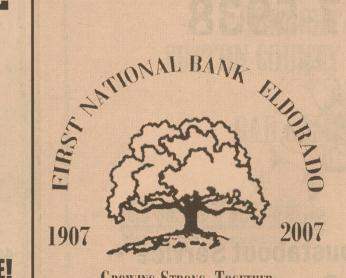


ELDORADO — Rodolfo Pina Iglesias, 52, died Sunday, July Norma Iglesias of Denton and Ma-29. 2007. Service was Tuesday at ria Rodriguez of New Braunfels.



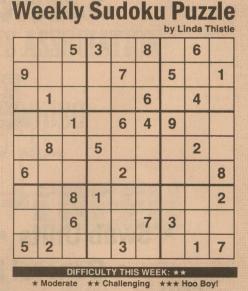
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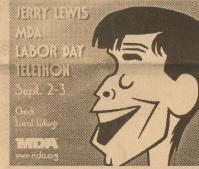


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## **Conaway explains vote** against '07 Farm Bill

night, the U.S. House of Repre- mittee with hard work from both sentatives began consideration of sides. We thought we left the com-H.R. 2419, the Farm, Nutrition mittee with a great bipartisan bill; and Bioenergy Act of 2007. The a bill that would have Democrats bill passed by a vote of 231-191. and Republicans for it and perhaps Earlier in the week, Congressman some against it, but nevertheless, Mike Conaway (TX-11) voiced a bipartisan bill. We were assured support for the bipartisan Farm at every turn that there would Bill that passed through the Ag- not be a tax increase in the bill. I riculture Committee without any worked diligently as a member of of the rumored tax increases or the bipartisan whip team working anti-business provisions that were to increase bipartisan support for injected into the bill. The day be- the bill, until we were told that a fore the Farm Bill was to be taken \$4 billion tax increase would be up by the full House, Republicans included, breaking the promises on the House Agriculture Com- previously made. All of the good mittee learned that a tax increase bipartisan work accomplished by on companies with U.S. subsid- the committee has been squaniaries had been inserted into the dered by the Democratic leaderbill without their knowledge or ship in a way that will strip biparconsideration. Conaway made the tisan support from this bill. following remarks regarding the 2007 Farm Bill:

in Congress. I have voted against ever, support the non-agriculture New Postmaster the single most important piece of approved tax increase that has legislation that agriculture produc- been disgracefully attached to this ers in District 11 find important. legislation. Over the last 48 hours, When I came to Congress, I was poison pills have been added to honored to sit on the Agriculture the Farm Bill. Last week at this Committee and to have the op- time, I fully expected to be here portunity to work on the 2007 supporting this bill, perhaps fight-Farm Bill. Never in my wildest ing off bipartisan opposition to this dreams could I have imagined that bill, but nonetheless supporting the the Democrats would so poison a bill. This bill is pro-producer and bill that is of such importance to will help the hungry around the agriculture producers across the world, but it is anti-business and nation that I could not support it. anti-manufacturing jobs. The tax For the past eighteen months, I increases included in this bill will have worked with my Democratic jeopardize millions of manufacturthat we could be proud of. Last on companies that do business in turn around and not attempt to go ard.

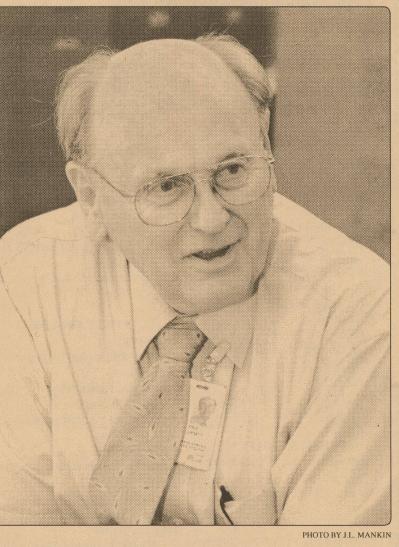


**BIRTHDAY LIST** 

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Last week, the bill passed out of com-

"I want to make it clear that I support the Farm Bill as it came "Today is a momentous day here out of committee. I do not, howrogate treaties with other nations, ment of Public Safety. leading to significant consequences

support for the Farm Bill."



Dale Lipsett took over last week as the new Postmaster in Eldorado, the town he has called home for nearly thirty years. He says he is pleased to be working here so that he can "go home for lunch." Lipsett most recently served as Postmaster in Ozona, Before that he was Postmaster in Snyder. He commuted to both jobs from Eldorado.

## **DPS reminds motorists... Turn Around, Don't Drown!**

If you see water running across flash flooding than in any other the U.S. and could possibly ab- through it, says the Texas Depart-

for U.S. companies with operations 12 inches of water, and two feet It's impossible to tell the depth of in other countries. We sadly have of rushing water will carry off the water-or whether the road gone from a bill that should have pick-ups, SUVs and most other ve- or bridge is damaged or missing. passed with broad bipartisan sup- hicles," says Col. Thomas A. Davis Don't endanger yourself or the first port to one that will not enjoy that Jr., director of the DPS. "Six inches responders who may try to rescue support. It is sad that partisanship of water can be enough to stall a you," Col. Davis said. has trumped rural America and car or cause a loss of control over has inevitably destroyed bipartisan the vehicle." Each year, more people die in recognizing dangers can be more SPREAD THE NEWS **Eldorado Middle School** Registration **Thursday, August 16 Come and Go** 5th & 8th Grade 9:00-9:45 a.m. 6th Grade 10:00-10:45 a.m. 11:00-11:45 a.m. 7th Grade Southwest Texas Electric Cooperative, Inc. 62<sup>nd</sup> Annual **Membership Meeting** 

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colleagues to craft a bipartisan bill ing American jobs by raising taxes a roadway, you should immediately type of thunderstorm-related haz-"You might think that you can

easily get across a flooded road-"Many cars will float in only way, but it's not worth the risk.

> Bottom line: stay aware and cautious, especially at night, when



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-PROGRAM-7:00 p.m. **Barbecue for members** and their guests. 8:00 p.m. **Business session begins.**  difficult. Pay attention to the weather and the road conditions. Remember: Turn Around, Don't Drown.



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## **Back to School Checklist**

School Supplies School Clothes Shoes Athletic physical Immunizations



Make sure your children are up to date on their immunizations before school starts. If you do not have insurance or your insurance does not cover immunizations, let us know and we can help! Call the Family Clinic today to schedule you appointment and plan to bring your shot record with you.

Remember two-a-days begins August 6th for high school football players.

## Schleicher County Medical Center & Family Clinic

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#### Senate passes border funding

The U.S. Senate on July 25 lights that illuminate the UT Tower passed an amendment to the Friday night July 27 through Sun-Department of Homeland Secu- day night July 29. The insects are rity appropriations bill that would attracted to the lights. provide \$3 billion in emergency funding for border security.

did not turn on the burnt orange

Kleenex - 200 count - 2 boxes Zipper pouch for notebook 1 Spiral notebook (70 pages) Composition notebook (not a Set of 6 highlighters-fluorescent; 1 pkg. of white-letter size (8 1/2 by \$5.00 for National Geographic 2 green pocket folders WITH 2 red pocket folders WITHOUT 2 yellow pocket folders WITHOUT 2 blue pocket folders WITHOUT NO 3-RING BINDERS OR TRAP-

EVERY STUDENT MUST HAVE TENNIS SHOES FOR PE. ALL SUPPLIES SHOULD BE LA-**BELED WITH CHILD'S** NAME IN LARGE PRINT **TEACHERS MAY REQUEST ADDI-**

TIONAL SCHOOLSUPPLIES DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR

#### **FIFTH GRADE**

Zipper Notebook (large rings) 1 Zipper Bag (cloth-no plastic) to fit inside notebook (if notebook does not have a place for

1 Large (Cloth-No Plastic) Zipper Bag (for colors and colored

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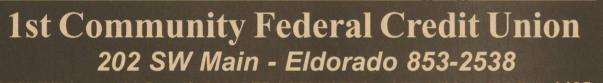
Red grading pens or pencils 1 Box of 24 count map colors

1 Box of 24 count crayons

& 2 large) 2 Large boxes of Kleenex

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\* 1 Pkg. white copy paper (1 ream-500 sheets 8 1/2" x 11")



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The amendment includes a John Cornyn, R-Texas, to allow ment of Health from 1980 to 1991, the money to be used for enforcing died July 2 3. Bernstein was 87.

Former health agency chief dies

Dr. Robert Bernstein, who provision drafted by U.S. Sen. served as head of the Texas Depart- paper

• This ream of paper will be used all year for your child's math papers instead of notebook

P.E. Supplies: Shorts, T-shirt, and Tennis Shoes

Teachers may request additional supplies for their classroom at the beginning of the school year. We will have an updated supply list in your child's registration packet in August.

#### **SIXTH GRADE MATH SUPPLY LIST** 1 Ream white copier paper

1 Pkg wide-ruled notebook paper

1 Pkg index tabs 2 One-subject spiral notebooks with holes (2 different colors) 1 Two-inch 3 ring binder Pencils 1 Red pen or pencil **1** Box Kleenex

### 8th Grade Supply List LANGUAGE ARTS

(Please place your name on all materials.) 2 composition books 4 folders with pockets and brads 1 package of notebook paper Markers Map colors (one set will do if you are buying them for social studies)

- Pens (dark ink)
- 1 box of tissues
- Small package of post-it notes

### MATH

1 three subject notebook 1 blue folder with brads 1 package graph paper 1 ruler with inches and centimeters 1 ream of copier paper 1 box of tissues Notebook paper Pencils **Red Pens** 

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## Gas station violations now posted online

paying for. Now, keeping an eye on allowable tolerance. their local gas station is as easy as logging on to the Internet.

Todd Staples announced today the Texas Department of Agriculture is now posting results of gas sta- fuel. A TDA inspector will then tion inspections on its Web site, so consumers can see which stations it has been tested and found to be around the state failed their recent gas pump inspections.

protection. We want Texans to know fines since 1996. our inspectors are on the frontlines ensuring they are receiving what reports go to the Texas Department they are paying for," Commissioner of Agriculture's Web site at http:// Staples said. "By visiting the TDA www.tda.state.tx.us/ and click on Web site, drivers will have the infor- "public information reports." Bemation they need at their fingertips sides gas pump inspection reports to know where gas pumps have consumers can also review weights been found out of compliance."

sures inspectors throughout the stations owners had to pay for the state checking more than 65,000 out of order violations.

AUSTIN - With gasoline prices fuel pumps a year. An inspector hovering around \$3 a gallon, Texas will place an "out of order" tag drivers want to make sure they are on any pump not dispensing the receiving exactly what they are correct amount of fuel within the

The station owner or operator is responsible for having a pump Agriculture Commissioner repaired by a service company licensed through TDA before the pump can be further used to sell place a new seal on the pump after operating properly. TDA recently increased penalties for any fuel "The Texas Department of Ag- pump found out of tolerance in the riculture is committed to consumer state. This was the first increase in

To check out the new online and measures enforcement action TDA has 72 weights and mea- reports to find out how much gas



Workmen drove spikes securing rails to cross ties as the Orient Railroad made its way toward Eldorado in 1930.

## The coming of the railroad

W. B. Silliman had high hopes and population.

of having a railroad through his newly founded town of Eldorado hope for a railroad in 1929 when in 1900. A railroad would promote the development of this remote leased the Orient. The Panhandle area considerably. Transporting and Santa Fe agreed to lay lines supplies and commodities by through Schleicher Count if the freight wagons was difficult and slow on rough dirt roads.

to Sonora looked like a possibility completed through the county. in 1909 when the Orient reached San Angelo.

Citizens of Schleicher County sessed tax money for the project. united and appointed a committee to represent the county in dealing with the railroad promoters. The first committee members were zens by this quote in the paper: M.B. McKnight, W.W. Barber, W.B. Silliman, W.F. Ford and E.A. ber 1909 and contracts signed to Nall. A second committee was have work started by January 1, appointed to raise bonus for the 1910, was a happy event in the life railroad. Serving on this commit- of Eldorado, only to wither and tee was J.S. Pelt, E.A. Nall, John decay, but from it's roots has at last Roach, Sol Mayer, J. Keeney, J.E. sprung a real railroad, one that can Dayton, O.C. Roberts and Lee whistle, toot, and make a rumbling Williams.

Despite the \$100,000 raised by subscription, the deal with the Orient fell through. The Orient felt the investment was not feasible for this remote area due to lack of traffic

Schleicher County had new

the Santa Fe Railroad System county would provide right of way and \$20,000 bonus. No money was A railroad through Eldorado to be paid until the railroad was

> The proposal was readily accepted, and Schleicher County as-

The rails reached Eldorado town site on March 10, 1930. The Eldorado Success reflected the joy of the citi-

"The 100,000 raised in Decemnoise as it approaches our city."

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## **\$20 Million in fitness grants** offered to Texas schools

AUSTIN — Texas Comptroller ply for a Texas Fitness Now grant is Susan Combs this week offered the Oct. 1. More information, including state's public schools and charter program guidelines and a list of freschools an opportunity to receive \$20 million in grants during the next two years to support in-school physical education, nutrition and fitness pro- actual grant application is available grams for students in grades 6 - 8.

Texas Fitness Now grant program, tfn/proguide.doc. Schools may aimed at middle school students at- also contact Marissa Rathbone at tending schools where enrollment TEA, (512) 463-3064, for more is at least 75 percent economically information about the Texas Fitness disadvantaged.

qualify for Texas Fitness Now for more information about grant grants. The minimum grant is funding. \$1,500, and schools can get more, based upon their enrollment. More than 270,000 students could ben-

quently asked questions, is available online at the Comptroller's Web site: www.window.state.tx.us. The on TEA's Web site at: http://www. Combs announced the new tea.state.tx.us/opge/formfund/pe/ Now program, or TEA's Division of Approximately 700 schools Formula Funding, (512) 463-8525,

efit from the grants.

Combs secured funding for the grants in the 2008-09 state budget (General Appropriations Act, Article III, Rider 89) and developed the rules for the Texas Fitness Now program in conjunction with the Texas Education Agency (TEA) and other interested stakeholders. TEA will administer the program, evaluate grant applications and award the funds to schools.

To be eligible for a Texas Fitness Now grant, a school must ensure that students in grades 6, 7 and/or 8 participate in physical activity for either 30 minutes a day or 225 minutes per two-week period for the entire school year and must have a physical education curriculum that meets the standards of the National Association of Sports and Physical Education.

In addition, the school must: • Have or be in the process of adopting a Coordinated School Health Program required by the Texas Education Code;

• Have a quality physical education program based on the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) that combines education, fitness and nutrition;

• Have submitted a wellness and nutrition policy to the Texas Department of Agriculture as required by law;

• Have established a School Health Advisory Council to review and make recommendations for using the grant;

• Have certified physical education teacher(s); and

• Conduct a campus fitness evaluation before Oct. 15 and again at the end of the school year, using an assessment instrument adopted by the state education commissioner and provided free-of-charge to participating schools.

The deadline for schools to ap-



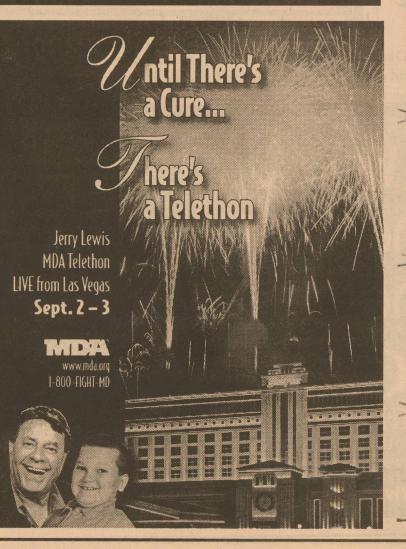
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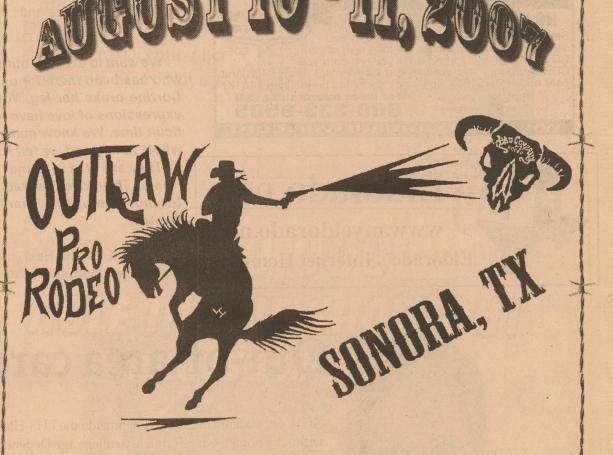
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Ernie Gonzales and his son Jess showed off a 5-foot long rattlesnake that Ernie encountered this week while opening a gate to check a well.

Card of Thanks

Our thanks to all who helped us in our time of need. Bill had been taken care of in his last years by many caregivers at the Nursing Home-to them a Very Special Thank You and God Bless.

Sarah McCravey Mike & Family Chris & Family Maureen & Family Jeanne & Family

The Family of Ervey Fuentes Hill Jr. would like to express our sincere appreciation and gratitude to all those who helped us during our time of grief through prayers, cards, calls, food, flowers and for all the other ways that you have shown us your support and love.

A Special Thank You to Pastor Peter Thornton and his wife Maria and Templo Getsemani members for the beautiful service and words of encouragement during this time.

We would like to thank S.C.M.C. doctors, nurses and the Schleicher County EMS that took care of Ervey Jr. over the last few years. With Grateful Hearts

Rosa Fuentes, Laura and Linda Marie



The Blotter is a summary of the previous week's activity by the Schleicher County Sheriff's Dept. For practical reasons of time and space, The Blotter the Sheriff's office, nor does it include ficers responded. routine security checks, minor traffic stops or routine patrols. Accidents of major impact will be reported separately. Subjects reported to have been arrested are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

ARRESTS July 24 • Holsey, Valerie, female age 23, offense Aggravated Assault/ Family Violence. Released on \$3,000 Surety Bond.

July 26 · Castaneda, Gabriel, male age 23, offense Motion To Revoke/Failure To Appear.

July 29 • Nava, Cazarez, Jesus, male age 18, offense Driving While Intoxicated; Minor In Possession (Enhanced): Accident Involving Vehicle Damage. Released on (3) \$1,000 Surety Bonds.

July 30 · Simmons, Rebecca Anne, female age 23, offense Hold for Tom Green County.

#### INCIDENTS

July 25 · 9:50 a.m. Caller reported a black Angus Cow out on Hwy 277 South. Officer notified. Dispatch contacted possible owner.

• 2:14 p.m. Caller reported a two-vehicle minor accident in front of convenience store. Officer re- Green County Sheriff Office. sponded.

• 5:11 p.m. Subject filed a no trespassing notification against a female.

• 8:28 p.m. Caller asked inmate to stop calling their number. It is not allowed.

July 26 • 3:21 a.m. Officer contacted a individual about a child that did not belong in their home.

• 9:14 a.m. Caller reported loose livestock on FM 2129.

 11:15 Controlled burn reported at rodeo arena.

• 11:15 a.m. Caller requested an officer for a Criminal Trespass notification.

• 12:40 p.m. 911 caller reported a two vehicle head-on collision in front of hospital. Officers responded.

• 1:16 p.m. Caller reported bees in yard. Volunteer Fire Department contacted.

• 7:54 p.m. Complainant reported a loose dog chasing children on

E. Hill. On-call City employee contacted and deputies responded.

· 8:35 p.m. Caller reported a controlled burn about 10 miles south on US Hwy. 277. Officers and VFD notified.

July 27 • 1:37 a.m. Subject's son was getting harassing phone calls. Officer responded.

• 5:30 p.m. Caller reported a controlled burn. All units notified.

July 28 • 10:29 a.m. Caller reported a controlled burn on FM 2596. All units notified.

• 11:45 a.m. Caller reported loose does not include every call made to livestock on Hwy. 277 south. Of-

> · 5:05 p.m. Caller reported livestock near Hwy 277, near Tom Green Co. Line. Deputy responded.

> • 7:05 p.m. Caller requested to talk to a deputy. Deputy requested a criminal background check on subject. Dispute was settled by 7:30 p.m. Civil stand by deputy while male took half of items.

> · 10:59 p.m. Caller notified Sheriff's Office that they would be using a spotlight to locate a lost cell phone

• 11:04 p.m. 911 Call reported a one vehicle accident on CR 412. Deputies and EMS responded. One person was ejected from vehicle.

July 29 • Complainant reported a vehicle hit their parked car and took off. Subject found and arrested.

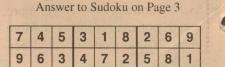
• 6:00 p.m. Complainant reported a child custody dispute in regard to underage son. Subject reported husband would not return the child home. Officer advised subject to contact attorney.

• 11:29 p.m. Complainant reported a gas drive-off. Vehicle was a black Chevy with two male subjects. Officer notified and Tom

July 30 · Complainant contacted Sheriff Office to report two BB gun rounds struck and damage the front window of their residence. Officer responded and case is under investigation.

• 5:24 p.m. 911 Caller requested officer's presence for juveniles throwing rocks at a residence. Neighbor met with officer to translate with caller. Officer noted no damage to property and was unable to located juveniles.

• 8:52 p.m. Subject reported firing bird shot into trees to scare away birds from their residence. Officer notified.





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We want to express our sincere appreciation to everyone who has been there for us since Granvil ad his stroke and Corrine broke her leg. Your visits, calls, cards and other expressions of love have really helped us through this difficult time. We know many prayers have been said for our whole family and we felt it.

They are glad to come "home" to the Eldorado Nursing Home. They love Eldorado and all the friends they made through the years. Thank you all for being such great friends.

Granvil and Corrine Hext Deanne and Herman Walker

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Second Hand Rose Consignment

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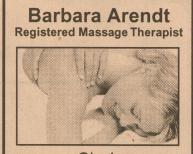
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## **Texas only state not free** of Cattle Brucellosis

Idaho regained its class-free status officially free of the disease." from the U.S. Department of Ag- "We have not found an infected portion of the state. riculture. Texas, due to undergo cattle herd in Texas in more than a a USDA review of its brucellosis year," said Dr. Hillman. "In 2006, between the ages of four and 12 program, also may achieve "free" the TAHC convened a Brucellosis months has been voluntary and status by the year's end. Cattle Eradication Working Group, com- at producer expense since 1996," brucellosis, a bacterial infection, prised of about 40 cattle industry he said. "The cost can be a wise does not pose a threat to food or members. The group evaluated investment to protect herd health, pasteurized milk products, but it all aspects of Texas' brucellosis just in case there is undetected can cause cows to abort or deliver program, to ensure we had done infection in the state. The vaccinasickly calves. The brucellosis-free everything possible to eradicate the tion also can add value to breeding status allows cattle to be moved disease and to prepare for our Texas heifers and meet current requireacross state lines without a test for USDA review. The USDA brucel- ments for selling Texas heifers in the disease.

losis in 1991. Infection in cattle brucellosis infected herds, Texas losis vaccination is timing, noted resurfaced in 2005, spread by could be declared brucellosis-free Dr. Hillman. Heifers must receive infected elk from the Greater Yel- by the end of the year." lowstone Area. Idaho lost its 'free'

out" as the only state not free of ease in Idaho, and the USDA has sold for breedingcontinue to be cattle brucellosis on July 23, when determined that the state is again vaccinated with RB-51 brucellosis

losis review has been requested, and a number of other states." "Idaho eradicated cattle brucel- if we do not identify any additional

ranking in early 2006," said Dr. losis testing of adult cattle at live- situation that can occur when an Bob Hillman, former Idaho state stock markets must continue for at infected cow in a herd aborts or veterinarian. Since 2003, Dr. Hill- least two years after the state gains man has served as executive direc- "free" status, as a way to find infec- heifers and other herd mates will Commission (TAHC) and Texas' tected. As added protection, he ingesting the millions of bacteria state veterinarian. "Thousands of suggested that replacement heifers- shed by the infected cow. Brucel-

Texas was officially "singled cattle have been tested for the dis- those heifers kept, purchased or vaccine, especially in the eastern

"The vaccination of heifers

The key to successful bruceltheir dose of RB-51 prior to being Dr. Hillman said that brucel- exposed to brucellosis bacteria, a delivers a calf. Naturally curious, losis-infected heifers will thrive and appear normal, harboring infection until they are cows, when the disease cycle is repeated.

fected herds, with 20,000 of those the right-of-way of a public road. in Texas," said Dr. Hillman. "It's state. Replacement heifer vaccina- did not occur from a vehicle. tion, good recordkeeping and concan help achieve these goals."



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Eric Frazier leaned back as his bareback bronc bucked out of the chute Friday night July 27th during the 38th annual Top of the Divide Rodeo. Frazier stayed with the bronc for several jumps tor of the Texas Animal Health tion that may have yet gone unde- nuzzle or lick the fetus or newborn, but failed to hold on for the full 8-seconds.

## New law bans all hunting of wildlife from roads

AUSTIN, Texas — With the passage of House Bill brates, such as insects. Although the new law could be

Prior to this year, it was unlawful to hunt game obvious we've made tremendous animals or game birds on a public road - meaning to avoid engaging in the collection of any animal life progress. We're in a race, not just that nongame species such as snakes, turtles, frogs on public roads or the right-of-way of public roads," to eradicate brucellosis, but to and most mammals other than deer, bighorn sheep, said Maj. David Sinclair, TPWD chief of wildlife maintain Texas' credibility as the javelina, and pronghorn antelope could be legally enforcement. country's top cattle production taken, provided that the take was not by firearm and

or possess any animal other than terrestrial verte- the conditions of the permit.

"In the 1950s, the country had 12 by the 80th Texas Legislature, it is now unlawful construed to apply to the collection of invertebrates, at least 100,000 brucellosis-in- to hunt any wild bird or animal on a public road or the department will not enforce the provision as it relates to invertebrates at this time.

"The department strongly encourages all persons

The new law does not apply to licensed falconers trapping raptors (birds of prey) or persons engaged For many years, the department has informed the in activities under department permits for scientific, cern for Texas' cattle health status public that a hunting license was not required to take educational, or zoological collection if allowed under

Sutton County Days Events

**Downtown Sonora** 

Friday August 10th

Cowboy Up Parade: 5 pm

Masonic Lodge Fundraiser Steak Dinner: 5:30 pm

Plates - Adults: \$8, Children under 10: \$5

Rigrockers Band Performance: 5:30-6:30

Saturday August 11th

1 Mile and 5k Run: 8 am

**Opening Ceremonies: 10 am** 

Little Mr and Little Miss Sutton County Contest.

Miss Sutton County Queen Contestant Interviews

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Pet Parade: 11:30 am

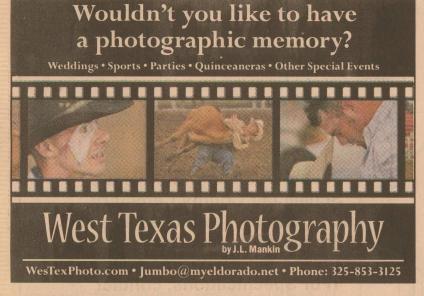
West Texas Cloggers: 12 pm

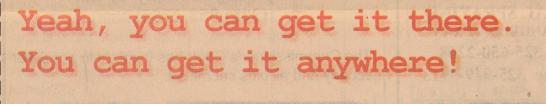
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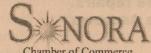
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