

Shine Sonora Clean Up Schedule

Effie Harle and members of the Shine Sonora Committee have set the following schedule for a giant kick-off in the city's beautification project:

March 26 through April 18: Clean Up Our Own Backyards.
April 18 through April 30: Help Our Neighbors! All Sonora working together with hoes, rakes and pick-ups!

The Weather

DATE	RAINFALL	HI	LO
March 25		74	50
March 26		78	49
March 27	.60	75	54
March 28		79	38
March 29	.05	78	47
March 30		73	35
March 31		78	45

The Devil's River News

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DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS Sonora, Texas

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Tom Loeffler To Visit Sonora April 8

U.S. Congressman Tom Loeffler has announced that he will make a 10-day swing through the sprawling 21st Congressional district he represents, crisscrossing through the Hill Country, far West Texas, and Bexar County.

Scheduled each year to enable Members of Congress to return to their home Districts, visit with their constituents, and listen to their concerns, the traditional Easter break this year begins at the close of legislative business on April 3. Congress resumes work in Washington on April 15.

"The Easter break allows me the uninterrupted time to travel through our district, and listen to what people have on their minds," Loeffler said.

"I plan to take full advantage of that opportunity." "I'll be listening and asking questions."

Congressman Loeffler will be here in Sonora on April 8, 1980 to speak with various groups of constituents.

At 10:30 a.m., Loeffler will meet with the Government classes at Sonora High School. The Government classes requested that Congressman Loeffler meet with them for a question and answer period.

At noon, the Lions Club of Sonora will host Congressman Loeffler during their weekly luncheon at the First United Methodist Church. According to his secretary, Mr. Loeffler will not be using a prepared text, but will cover many items of

interest such as International Policy, the State of the Economy, and will give a Legislative Update about all the things which took place during the past Legislative session in the Nation's capital.

A question and answer period will follow the presentation.

At 1:30 p.m., Congressman Loeffler will host a fund-raiser in Suite 204 in the Mercantile Building in Downtown Sonora.

Everyone is invited to attend and visit with Congressman Loeffler and help support his bid for re-election.

Loeffler will visit many other communities on his swing through the 21st District including Boerne, Menard, San Antonio, Alpine, Balmorhea, San Angelo, and Mountain Home.



DECA Sweetheart Delma Reyna & Beau Steve Chandler

DECA Club Holds Annual Banquet

Sonora High School's Distributive Education Club held their annual Banquet and presentation of plaques to businesses participating in the program.

During the banquet, the DECA Sweetheart and Beau were announced by Don Osborne, the President of the Angelo State DECA Club. Mr. Osborne discussed the numerous options that DECA Club members have in the way of loans, grants, and scholarships to several universities. Dr. Dan Smith, the Director of the DECA Program at ASU was also present at the banquet.

Charles Graves, a member of the Advisory Council and a staunch supporter of the DECA program in Sonora announced that the local DECA Chapter has established a scholarship fund. The scholarship will benefit one student of Sonora High School who is a member of the DECA Club. Applicants for the scholarship will be reviewed by a Loan Committee. The student who

wishes to file an application for the scholarship needs to have his or her employer included on the application and the students scholastic record will be provided by the school.

Along with the funding of the Scholarship fund by the DECA Club, Graves proposed that participating employers contribute monies to the fund.

The Students in Sonora High School's DECA Club sell fruit as their main money-making project each year. This year, the students selling the most fruit were Steve Chandler, with over 100 boxes sold, and Linda Duran and Eloisa Perez. Those three students were presented with awards during the ceremonies.

A Cross Pen and Pencil set was presented to DECA Advisor Louis Ferguson by the Club in appreciation of his efforts to the success of the DECA organization.

Ferguson announced at the banquet that the DECA Club has

purchased a much needed cash register.

The following list of employers were presented with plaques of appreciation for their participation in the DECA program.

Foxworth-Galbraith, James Gibson presented by Eloisa Perez and Ed Renfro; Food Center, Les Robertson, presented by Toni Ramon; Big Tree Restaurant, Sam De

Chearo, presented by Kevin De Borde; Sonora Wool and Mohair Co., Glen Fisher, presented by Marshal Doran; Ken Braden Motors, Melvin Perkins, presented by Roy Turnbull; Rebel Machine and Coating, Eddie Dean, presented by Elizabeth Dean; Acme Tool, Jerry Ashburn, presented by Diana Green; Hurry Up, Lenore Bullock, presented by Donna Reeber; Country Fried Chicken and Fish, presented by Tom Balmos, presented by Tina Arredondo, Kerbow Furniture, Bruce Kerbow, presented by Steve Chandler; Derrick Theater, presented by Tammy Van Hoozer.

Jerry Kemp To Manage New Hardware Store

Home Hardware, a new retail enterprise in Sonora will open about May 1, says Jerry Kemp, organizer and managing partner of the new store. We intend to supply Sonorans with the most complete hardware shopping facility, possible. Home Hardware will be a member of a large buying group and will be in a position to make the volume purchases necessary to maintain low retail prices at the consumer level.

"Our stocks, he continued, "will include nuts and bolts and lawn-

mowers, and everything in between.

We will also stock a good selection of housewares and a major brand line of paints. For the outdoorsman we will have a good stock of fishing and camping equipment." He also said that, although Home Hardware will sell hunting and fishing licenses, immediate plans do not include the sale of guns and ammunition.

Jerry and his wife have been residents of Sonora for more than five years. He was employed with the Sonora Police Department for

that period and served as Chief of Police in Sonora until he tendered his resignation from that position early this year.

Home Hardware will be located at the corner of Main and Crockett in the building formerly occupied by the P&S Drive-In Grocery. It will fill the space occupied by the grocery operation and is being remodeled to include the auto repair bays adjacent. The total operation will have nearly 2000 square feet of retail floor space.



Jan Robertson



Marlene Evans

Jan Robertson- Marlene Evans Outstanding ESA Members

In the February Meeting of the Sonora Chapter of ESA, Kappa Gamma, two of the sisters of the organization were selected to go on to competition in the search to find the Most Outstanding First Year Member and the Most Outstanding ESA'er.

Selected to represent the Sonora Chapter of ESA in competition were Marlene Evans and Jan Robertson.

Marlene is the Chapter's Choice as the Most Outstanding First Year Member. Marlene was inducted into the Sonora Chapter in September of 1978. Since her induction, she has served on several committees and has given freely of her time to benefit the Sonora Kappa Gamma Chapter. Marlene was elected as reporter for the organization and served as such from June 1979 to September of that year. She served as the Chairman of both the Publicity and Public Relations Committees, and served on the Historical, Scrapbook, Educational, membership, and Ways and Means Committees for the Chapter. Marlene has given a total of 337 hours to the benefit of this organization.

Besides the time Marlene has spent in service of the ESA Chapter, she was awarded with several special awards from ESA. Marlene is a recipient of the First Pearl Award, Guardian of the Banner Award, she served as the District Meeting Publicity Chairman, and is a member of ESA's Millionaire Club.

Not only is Marlene involved with Kappa Gamma, she is also a member of the Order of the Eastern Star and she serves the Sonora Girl Scout program as the Neighborhood Chairman. She and her husband, Roy, and three daughters, Tonya,

Leah, and Dana are members of the Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian. Marlene is active in her belief that the youth of today are the leaders of tomorrow and serves the youth of our community by instructing Vocational Preparation classes at the High School level and is also the leader of the Senior Scout troop of Sonora.

The following is an excerpt of the text submitted by the Sonora Kappa Gamma Chapter on her behalf as their expression of why or how their first year member is outstanding: "She had not been a "new member" of ESSA very long before the older members came to realize that here was a woman full of enthusiasm and who had such a deep belief in ESA, they found themselves being motivated, challenged, and encouraged."

She is so proud of being an ESA'er and all it stands for that, she never misses an opportunity to participate in a project, lend a helping hand, or let others know just how great our sisterhood is."

Jan Robertson is the Chapter's choice as the Most Outstanding ESA'er.

Jan was inducted into the Chapter in 1977. Since that time, Jan has served two terms as an elected officer for the Kappa Gamma organization. She has served the Chapter as President and one term as Treasurer. Kappa Gamma Committees have been blessed to have her leadership in both the Membership Committee and on the Budget and By Laws Committee. She has also served as an active member of the Membership and Yearbook Committees.

The time and effort that Jan has put into making the Kappa Gamma Chapter of Sonora a successful one has not gone unnoticed. For her efforts, she has been presented with the 2nd Pallus Athene Achiever Award, and the ESA Circle of Life Millionaire Award.

Jan is also active in other community activities. She serves the Chamber of Commerce Red Carpet Committee as their Treasurer, she is a member of the Ladies Golf Auxiliary, an active Jaycee wife, and is on the Concho Valley Council for the Aging.

Jan was born in Ballinger, Texas to Mr. and Mrs. H.W. Ketchum. She is married to Les Robertson, the manager of Food Center and has two daughters, Traesha and Tessa.

The following comments are an excerpt of the text submitted by her sisters in Kappa Gamma as their expression as why or how Jan is the Most Outstanding ESA'er.

"The girls in our chapter had one unanimous feeling about our most outstanding ESA'er. Her name is synonymous with the "total ESA woman." She is extremely self-efficient and so very knowledgeable in

all phases of ESA that she gives a continuous "sense of well being" to the entire chapter. We know without a doubt that she can be depended upon to do her job to perfection, help others with theirs when help is needed, and is always ready to volunteer whenever and wherever a need arises."

Our best wishes go to both of these outstanding women along with gratitude for their outstanding service to the Kappa Gamma organization of Sonora.

Cancer Proclamation

"Whereas, Cancer is the second leading cause of death, often striking men and women in or before their prime, and

"Whereas, The American Cancer Society will, during the month of April being local citizens important information about cancer which could save or prolong their lives, and

Whereas, the elimination of suffer-

ing and death from cancer is a major public concern,

"Now, therefore, I, Doyle Morgan, Mayor of Sonora, do hereby proclaim the period of April 1 to 30, inclusive, 1980, as Cancer Control Month in Sonora, and in so doing urge every citizen to support the American Cancer Society's annual Cancer Crusade."

Hill Elected To Texas Jewelers Board

Texas Jewelers have elected J.T. Hill to serve a two year term on the board of their 74 year old association.

The action was taken during a joint convention of Texas Jewelers Association and Texas Watchmakers Association held in Kerrville, March 21-23.

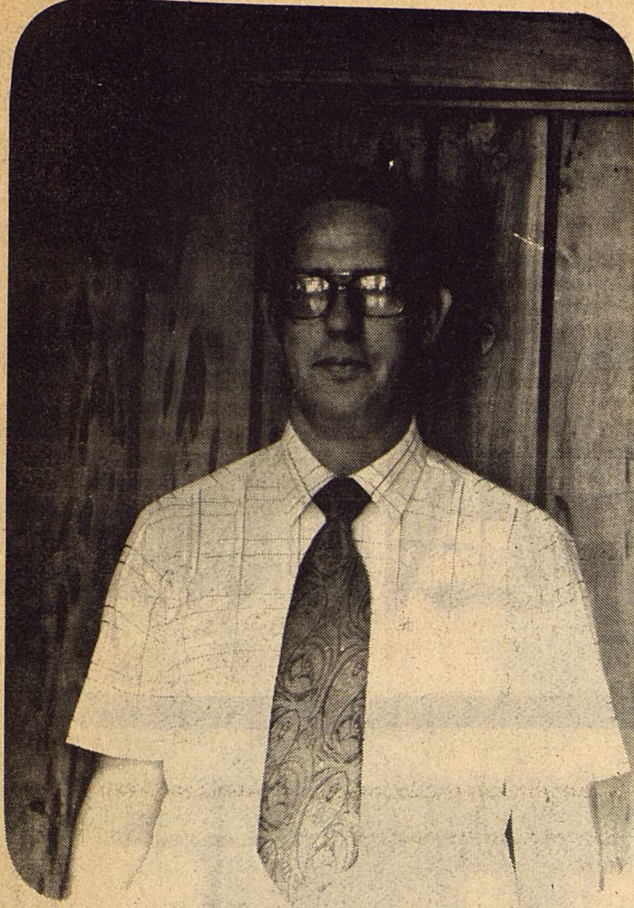
Hill is President of the Sonora Downtown Lions Club, and has served on the board of the Sonora Chamber of Commerce.

Hill is the owner of Hill's Jewelry, 204 E. Main, Sonora.

VOTE!
 Saturday
 April 5,
 elections
 will be
 held for
 and City
 School
 Board
 vacancies
 Exercise your
 right to
VOTE!



Jerry Kemp



Ray Ashcraft

Ashcraft-New Manager Of Local PO

Ray Ashcraft of O'Brien Texas has taken over as the new Officer in Charge of the Sonora Post Office upon the resignation of Charles Steph. Steph has moved back to Abilene, Texas where he is employed by the Postal Service. Steph's wife is a school teacher in the community of Clyde outside the Abilene city limits. Charles was the Postmaster of the Sonora Post Office for fourteen months.

Ashcraft will be in

charge of the Sonora Post Office until a new Postmaster is selected. "The process of selecting a new Postmaster for the Sonora Post Office is a complicated one," Ashcraft stated. "The Sonora Post Office employees will, of course, be considered for the job, management experience will be required," he stressed.

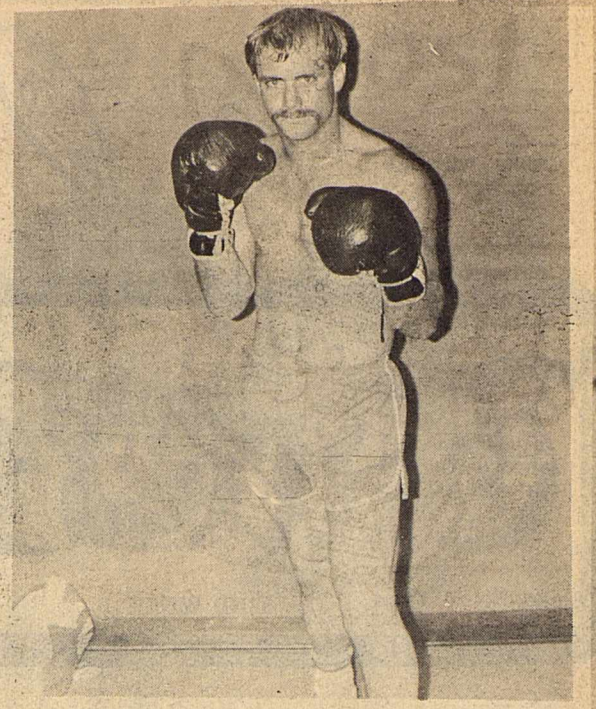
"A screening board will pick five persons from the applications received, a Section Manager will select

three, and the Postmaster Selection Board will choose the final applicant." The Postmaster Selection Board is comprised of a District Manager outside the area, one Postmaster, and a Civil Service Employee." the Postmaster General will give the final approval for the new Postmaster," Ashcraft added.

"I plan to be here in Sonora for a maximum of 120 days while the selection for the new Postmaster is taking place," he added.

Ashcraft is currently employed by the O'Brien Postal Service where he is the Postmaster. He began his career in the Postal Service in Dallas in 1961 where he was hired as a City Carrier. In 1967, Ashcraft moved to Odessa

where he was employed as a City Carrier. In August of 1977, Ashcraft was first appointed as the Postmaster of the O'Brien Post Office. He is married and has four children.



Larry Kirby

Kirby Wins Again

Larry Kirby of Sonora is making waves in the amateur boxing world.

On March 22, 1980, Larry travelled to Crystal City to take on Tony Yamas. Kirby won the fight.

He traveled to Jal, New Mexico, this past weekend to take on Lorenzo Montoya. Montoya has competed in the State Finals twice. Kirby won the fight against Montoya by a unanimous decision.

Helen Decker To Celebrate 100th Birthday

On April 9, 1880, Hleen Scholz was born in Buslau, Germany. She and her family immigrated to America when she was but eighteen months of age. The Scholz family came to the "land of opportunity" with a group of Catholic immigrants to make this land their home.

The immigrants landed in New York harbor. From New York, they rode the train to the Texas wilderness. Helen's family settl-

ed in Mary Neal, Texas. (The name of the community has been changed to Stanton.) The family later moved to Big Spring so that the male members of the family could work on the railroad.

It was here that Helen met her husband-to-be, John F. Decker who was then employed by the railroad. His family, however, was from Menard, and after their marriage in 1899, the newly-weds moved to Me-

nard to raise their family on the Decker Ranch.

Helen and John gave birth to six children. Two of her children and her husband preceded her in death. Her surviving children include Melvin and Joseph Decker of Menard, Texas, John J. Decker of Talpa, Texas, and Pauline Decker Thompson of Sonora. There are also 13 or 14 grandchildren and about that number of great-grandchildren.

On April 9, 1980, Helen Decker, now a resident of Hudspeth Nursing Home, will celebrate her 100th birthday. The Hospital Auxiliary will give a special party to honor Mrs. Decker as she reaches the century mark. Mrs. Decker, by the way, is still able to walk, with the use of a walker, and is alert and active.

The Decker family will celebrate the birthday of their mother on April 13 here in Sonora.

Governor Clements Proclaims April 1-7 Texas Business and Industry Week

Governor Bill Clements has once again proclaimed April 1-7 Texas Business and Industry Week.

Traditionally this time is set aside each year to pay tribute to the many businesses and industries responsible for our economic well-being. Cities choose to honor their local firms in different ways. Some hold large appreciation receptions and banquets; others

publish special newspaper sections, plan plant tours, hold open house. How we choose to honor these firms is not important. What is important is that we do honor them in some way.

Stop and think about it. Business and industry is really the backbone of our economy. A diversified industrial base has made Texas less susceptible to many of the severe recess-

ionary problems suffered in other states. In comparison we continue to enjoy a high standard of living with one of the lowest unemployment rates in the country.

According to the Texas Industrial Commission, during the past year alone 396 new and expanded plants created countless additional jobs for Texans and invested hundreds of

millions of dollars in the state's economy. These firms have taken a positive attitude toward Texas.

Now Texans must continue working together to promote private enterprise.

Texas Business and Industry Week is the perfect time to start. Let's all get

together and honor one of the state's most important resources—our business and industry.

Hill's Bridal Registry

Shelly Whalen and Billy Walker
Mrs. Michael Gillespie, nee Suzanne Dillard
Debra Lynn Berlanga, daughter of
Mr. & Mrs. Henri Berlanga,
bride-elect of Selso Alvarado, Jr.
Lisa Gonzales and Zeke Gamez
Mon. thru Fri. 9 till 5
Sat. 9 till 12:00

Hill's Jewelry

Downtown Sonora 387-2755

Villanueva Qualified For Board

Mike Villanueva, Candidate for Place 5 on the Sonora ISD School Board, says: "In my personal endeavors that I have pursued or any goals that I have set for my family, they have stood by me steadfastly. Hence I feel that not only a business mind is pertinent in running school operations, but that the psychological effect of close family ties is essential to all families of Sonora."

That Mike Villanueva is a father of 5 - 2 children graduated from high school, 2 presently enrolled in the Sonora Public School System, and one to begin her education in the near future - clearly indicates that he has sufficient reasons to be concerned with the quality of education offered in the SISD.

Mr. Villanueva realizes that not only quality of education but also equality of education and representation for the recipients is pertinent. The importance of education for all children

and the problems that arise on the road to a well-rounded education for these children are well-understood by Mr. Villanueva.

Aware of the complexity and intricacy in the numerous areas of school operation, Mr. Villanueva is ready, willing, and able to learn. He is tolerant and free of prejudice, but feels that his representation is necessary since there is more than one cultural background in the student make up of Sonora ISD.

In essence, Mr. Villanueva is concerned with a well-rounded education for every child in the Sonora Public System, with equal representation for every child in the Sonora Public System, with equal representation, and with the continuing growth and progress of this fine school system. He urges everyone to consider him when casting his or her vote for Place 5 on the SISD.

PAID POL. ADV. by Friends to Elect Mike Villanueva

Linda Hamilton Named To STSU Deans Honor Roll

Linda J. Hamilton of P.O. Box 1135 in Sonora was among the 3,497 students whose fall semester grades earned them places

on the Southwest Texas State University Dean's Honor Roll and Superior Honor Roll lists.

To make the regular Honor Roll, a student must be enrolled for a minimum of 12 semester hours of

coursework, excluding physical education activities, and achieve an overall "B" average.

Making the Superior Honor Roll requires grades of "A" in at least 12 of the

required 15 semester hours of coursework, excluding physical education activities, and no lower than a "B" in the other three-hour course. This trans-

lates into a 3.8 grade-point average or better on a 4.0 scale.

Undergraduate courses only are considered in the tabulated list.

Incomplete, or "I", grades earned during the fall semester disqualifies students from the Honor Rolls.

Ms. Hamilton was listed on the regular Honor Roll.



SUTTON COUNTY EMS is back in full operation. The worn out chassis on the ambulance has been replaced, and the ambulance has taken on a "new" look. Pictured above is the old ambulance completely repaired. Next week, we hope to have an itemized list of repairs done to the ambulance and paid for by Sutton COUNTY. The Sutton County Community Trust Fund is still open to donations and will remain so until enough money has been raised to purchase a new ambulance for the Sutton County EMS.

Brighten Your Spring Outlook!

Perk up your Easter spirits with a visit and a new fashion from the....

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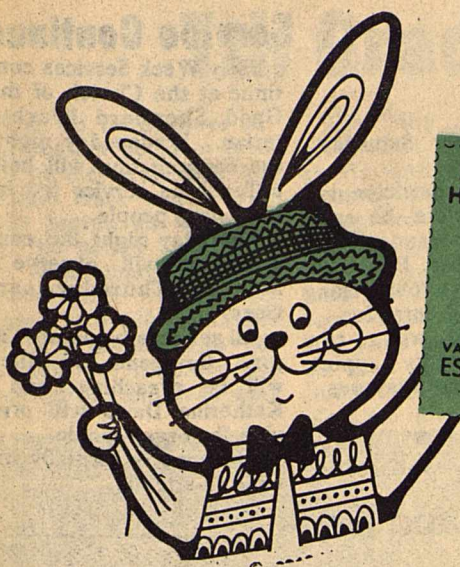
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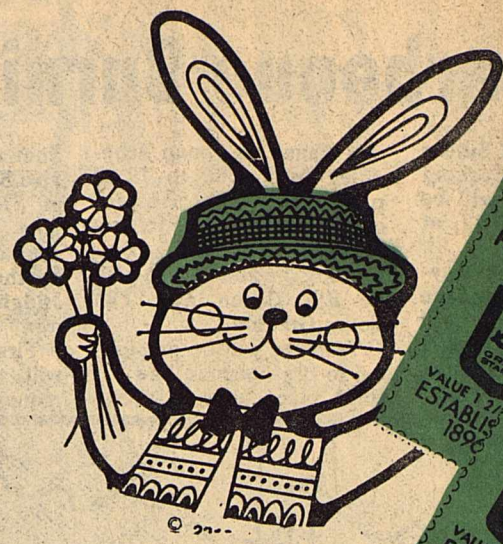
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Hershel's



Come to the Easter Egg Hunt on the
Court House Lawn - Sat. April 5, 1980.
From 2:00 to 3:30 p.m. Ages 3 years to 10 years.
Wrapped Candy Eggs Prizes for these age groups
sponsored by
Perry's Hershel's, Foodway and "Cakes by Cyndy".



Foodway



Fields Cage Hen Eggs Medium Grade A 59¢ Doz	U. S. No. 1 Russets Potatoes 10 lb Bag \$1.09	Opa's Hickory Smoked, Boneless Hams lb. \$2.99
Anheuser Busch Beer Natural Light 6 PK 12 oz Cans \$1.69	New Crop, Flat Yellow or White Onions lb 17¢	Dankworth, Sliced Slab Bacon lb. 89¢
Schlitz Beer 6 Pack 12 oz Cans \$1.89	Texas Valencia or Calif. Navels Oranges 3 lbs \$1.00	Round U.S.D.A. Choice Beef Steak lb \$1.99
Coca Cola, Mr. Pibb, Tab, Fresca Rondo Soft Drinks 2 Liter Bottles 88¢	Washington Ex-Fancy Apples lb 49¢	Boneless Round U.S.D.A. Choice Beef Steak lb \$2.09
Del Monte, Whole Kernel Corn 16 oz Can 3 For \$1.00	Washington, D'AnJou Pears lb 49¢	Tenderized Round U.S.D.A. Choice Beef Steak lb \$2.19
Gladiola All Purpose Flour 5 lb Bag 79¢	Del Monte Bananas 3 lbs \$1.00	Boneless Top Round U.S.D.A. Choice Beef Steak lb \$2.29
Del Monte Peaches 29 oz Can 65¢	Hunts Catsup 44 oz Jug \$1.19	Boneless Bottom Round U.S.D.A. Choice Beef Steak lb \$2.19
Kraft Bar B Que Sauce 18 oz Bottle 59¢	French's Mustard 9 oz Jar 39¢	Sirloin Tip U.S.D.A. Choice Beef Steak lb \$2.69
Del Monte Whole Sour Pickles 22 oz Bottle 2 For \$1.00	Diamond Deluxe 40 ct. pkg Paper Plates \$1.29	Cubed U.S.D.A. Choice Beef Steak lb \$2.29
Van Camp's Pork & Beans No 303 Cans 3 For \$1.00	Kraft Miracle Whip Salad Dressing Qt. Jar \$1.09	Knuckle U.S.D.A. Choice Beef Soup Bones lb 99¢
Delsey 4 Roll Bathroom Tissue Pkg 88¢	Reynolds 12" x 25' Roll Aluminum Foil 2 For 88¢	Pikes Peak U.S.D.A. Choice Beef Roast lb \$1.79
Solo Plastic Party Cups 20 Count 16 oz Pkg 69¢	Zee Assorted Colors Napkins 140 Count Box 59¢ Pkg	Rump U.S.D.A. Choice Beef Roast lb \$1.79
Bounty Paper Towels Jumbo Roll 69¢ each	Lipton Family Size Tea Bags 24 Ct. Box \$1.59	U.S.D.A. Choice Beef Ground Round lb \$2.09
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Wed & Fri with a \$5.00 purchase or more excluding Beer & Wine.



Hershel's

FOODWAY



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Barbecue Burning & Hooten Holler To Be Held April 12

The Third Annual Sutton County Barbecue Burning and Hooten Holler will be held Saturday, April 12, at the Sonora Park. Sponsored by the Jaycees and Jaycettes, the special goat barbecue will begin with check in from 7 to 10 a.m., and features and trophies to winners.

A dance has been scheduled from 8:00 to 12:00 p.m. to be held at the park on the dance slab, following the barbecue. Performing at the dance will be Bill Green and The Texas Greats. Trophies will be presented to first, second and third place and a special

Showmanship Trophy will also be awarded. Entry fee of \$10 per team plus a goat, wood and other essentials will be furnished by the competing teams. Judging will be held at 5 p.m. First three place winners will also share in prize money provided by the

entry fee. Games will include horseshoe pitching, tobacco spitting, washer pitching, jalapeno eating, tug of war and 3-legged sack races. There will be trophies given for all categories except the sack races. Rules for the barbecue contest include:

- (1) Decision of the judges is final.
- (2) All cook fires must be in approved cooking containers. No ground fires allowed.
- (3) Contestants must furnish their own cooking fuel.
- (4) Meat must be cooked on site.
- (5) Late registration accepted until 12 noon Saturday.
- (6) Cooking sites on first come, first served basis.
- (7) No person other than official allowed in judging area.
- (8) 1/2 goat to be donated to Jaycees after judging to be distributed at the benefit dinner Saturday evening.

Interested participants should complete the entry form enclosed and mail to Sonora Jaycees, Box 1036, Sonora, Texas 76950 along with their \$10 entry fee. All proceeds will go to a charitable activity supported by the Sonora Jaycees.

Holy Week Service Continue
Holy Week Services continue at the Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian. Wednesday night, the congregation will hold a Tenebrae service led by the young people. Thursday night the congregation will observe Maundy Thursday services. All services begin at 7:30 p.m. Reverend Jim Miles will be preaching, and Katherine Davis will provide the organ music. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.



HIDE'N SEEK

It's A Game Children Play

There is a more serious quest underway locating handicapped children not in school. We're looking for the youngsters because they are entitled to a free education just like other kids.

So far we've found a lot of kids but there are lots more like them. Another thing we have uncovered is that handicapped children can do a lot of things we thought they couldn't. That's why we are keeping children who are presently in school but not receiving the appropriate services. Help us locate or serve a handicapped child. We are:

Child Find/Serve
Call Collect — (915) 653-7333

Green News

Results of the 2 Man Select Tourney held March 29-30:
CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT
1st Place
Danny Doan - Sonora
Alan Fudge - Abilene
2nd Place
Ted Covington - San Angelo
Ted Savage - San Angelo
3rd Place
Mike Terrazas - San Angelo
Joe Terrazas - San Angelo
4th Place
Percy Williamson - San Angelo
Van Waterhouse - San Angelo
FIRST FLIGHT
1st Place
Joe Tubbs - Eldorado
Keith Kitchens - Eldorado
2nd Place
Jim Lawson - Del Rio
Gary Moore - Del Rio
3rd Place
Steve Shugart - Sonora
Don Poston - Sonora
4th Place

Larry Biggs - San Angelo
Jerry Hooks - San Angelo
SECOND FLIGHT
1st Place
Bobbie Menchaca - San Angelo
Ricky Menchaca - San Angelo
2nd Place
Ralph King - San Angelo
Glen King - San Angelo
3rd Place
Jack Johnson - Sonora
Whiskey Hill - Sonora
4th Place
Chuck Evers - San Angelo
Charles Alford - San Angelo
THIRD FLIGHT
1st Place
Jim Pety - Del Rio
Earl Schivebach - Del Rio
2nd Place
Sam Baker - Ft. Stockton
Norman Tinkler - Ft. Stockton
3rd Place
Ray Meachum - San Angelo
Ken Griffin - San Angelo
4th Place
E.E. Anderson - Eldorado

By Jane

Delbert Taylor - Eldorado
Supper following Saturday afternoon golf was catered by Dee Tyler. The Ladies Golf Auxiliary provided Sat. and Sun. sandwiches. Thank you, Carol Thorp for doing such a good job of this. The Auxiliary would also like to thank the men golfers for their donations on #9 tee box-some of them are inside the circle, some are not. Proceeds of this always go back into clubhouse improvements, repair or auxiliary needs.

Ted Covington won a pair of golf shoes for closest to the hole #9, courtesy of Grider Trucking Co. Jan Grider of Sonora won a door prize and Hezzie Carson from San Angelo also won a door prize. A drawing for a set of Ram clubs, compliments of Danny Doan, was won by don Grider of Sonora.

Minister Speaks by John Waldron St. Ann's Church

This week we celebrate the most important events in the life of Jesus Christ, in the life of the Church. We can easily listen to the Word of God. We can even watch these events in the special programs on television.

The Word of God informs us of what Jesus Christ did this week for us. We must somehow go beyond words to realize what Christ has done for us.

Jesus took up the cross. He falls several times. He never resorts to His superhuman force nor does He resort to the power of the

angels. He accepted the cup from His Father's hands. He is resolved to drink it to the end. Jesus cured so many; yet He now accepts abuse, immense suffering. He does not fight, he states, "Not my will but yours be done."

"I am a worm, not a man, scorned by all, the laughingstock of the mob." (Psalm 22) This is Jesus Christ. He consoles the weeping women. He became humble, making himself obedient even to death." (Phil 2:8) The Lord God laid on Him the wickedness of us all. Yet

He spoke words of pardon. His hands and feet are pierced. He gave His body as sacrifice. All our sins nailed Him to that cross. He draws the whole world to Himself.

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Community Services To Be Held On Good Friday

Sonora's Annual Good Friday services will be held this Friday during the lunch hour in the sanctuary of the Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian.

Father John Waldron of St. Ann's Catholic Church, Rev. Basilio Esquivel of the Primera Baptist Church and Rev. Paul Terry of the First United Methodist Church will be giving short devotionals on the words of Christ from the cross. Host Pastor Rev. Jim Miles will be the liturgist. Scripture will be

read by Rev. Clifton Hancock of the First Baptist Church.

Offering will be received to defray the operating cost of the Ministerial Alliance.

All Sonorans are invited to attend these Community services.

Congressman Tom Loeffler Announces Local Chairmen

Congressman Tom Loeffler (21st Congressional District - Texas) today announced the names of the County Chairmen for the Loeffler re-election campaign in seven more Texas counties.

In Sutton County, the Co-Chairmen will be: Bob and Rande Caruthers, Norm and Doris Rousselot, and W.B. and Lucille McMillan. All three families are ranchers in Sutton County.

In Jeff Davis County, the Chairmen will be Donald and Sally McIvor. The McIvors ranch in Jeff Davis county and reside on their ranch.

In Pecos County, Harold and Jimmie Clingan will serve as Chairmen. Harold operates an oil machine shop; Jimmie serves as vice president of the firm.

Assisting the Clingans and serving as Chairmen of the Pecos County Loeffler Steering Committee will be Jerry and Jane Puckett. Mayor Jon H. Kniveton will serve as Chairman for Iraan, and Mrs. James (Carolyn) Christmas will serve as Chairman for Sheffield.

In Schleicher County, Howard Derrick and Mrs. John (Rusty) Nikolauk will serve as Co-Chairmen. Howard ranches in Schleicher, San Saba and Sutton Counties. Rusty has been an Air Force wife for 28 years and she and her husband intend to make their permanent home in Eldorado.

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A Political Message

to the Citizens

of Sutton County:



My name is Juanita Mesa. I am a candidate for the Sonora Independent School District Board of Trustees Place 7.

There is no doubt that the citizens entrusted with the education of our children must indeed be highly qualified in every way.

There are many members of our community who have, in the past, brought these qualifications from many walks of life.

I do not believe that any particular group of people or any particular background is automatically more capable than others when it comes to helping guide the public school system.

My husband, Modesto Mesa, Jr., is employed in the oilfield. I am a mother of 3 children and employed in a local business. I am convinced that my background and experience as an employed mother and wife qualify me, as it would many of you, to be a very useful and necessary member of the Sonora Independent School Board.

We all know that qualifications for this place on the School Board go beyond financial and social standing.

No one approaches his or her first term as school trustee with all of the knowledge necessary to do the job.

I do pledge to approach the job of Sonora School Trustee with fairness, honesty, dedication, intelligence and determination. I consider it my job and my pleasure to be available to all of the people of Sutton County.

From:

Juanita Mesa

Candidate for the Sonora Independent School District Board of Trustees Place 7
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Primera Baptist Church
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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 5:30 p.m.
Worship 7:00 p.m.
WMU Tuesday 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Serv. 7:00 p.m.

Hope Lutheran Church
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Adult Inquirers Class 6:00 p.m.
Saturday Confirmation Instruction 9:00 a.m.

First Assembly of God
Rev. Ned Smith, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship 11:00 a.m.
Eve. Service 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Serv. 7:30 p.m.

The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian
Rev. Jim Miles
Sunday Church School 10 a.m.
Fellowship 10:45 a.m.
Worship 11 a.m.
(Communion of first Sunday of each month)

First United Methodist Church
Rev. Paul Terry, Pastor
Church School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 10:45 a.m.

Jehovah's Witnesses
Sunday Public Talk 10:00 a.m.
Watchtower Study 10:50 Tuesday
Theocratic School 7:30
Service Meeting 8:30
Thursday Bible Study 7:30

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Worship 11 a.m.
Eve. Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wed. Serv. 7:30 p.m.

First Baptist Church
Rev. Clifton Hancock
Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship 10:50 a.m.
Eve. Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Serv. 7:00 p.m.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Bishop Ray Hendershot
Joe Moran
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Priesthood 10:00 a.m.
Relief Society 10:00 a.m.
Sacrament Mtg. 11:00 am
Visitors Welcome

Saint John's Episcopal Church
Rev. John W. Fritts, Pastor
Sunday 8 a.m. Holy Eucharist
11 a.m. Holy Eucharist
(2nd and 4th Sun. MP)
Wednesday 7 p.m. Holy Eucharist
Holy Days as announced

St. Ann's Catholic Church
Rev. John Waldron
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7th Grade Colts Take Mason Relays

The 7th Grade Boys added another notch to their belt as they won their 4th straight track meet. The Colts scored an outstanding 166 points to capture the team championship. Second place went to host Mason with 136 points followed by Brady with 58, Junction 44, Eldorado 34, Comfort 31, and Wall with 27.

The Colts got off to a good start in the field events with Ruben Garza winning the Discus and taking 3rd in the shot. Abel Sanchez was 3rd in the discus. Gilbert Martinez was 2nd in the shot. Scott Miller was 2nd in the long jump followed by Victor Lira at 6th. Jessie Guerra took 3rd and Ricky Mesa 6th in the high jump.

The 400 m. relay team of Lira, Martinez, Gandar, and Miller were 2nd with a time of 52.00. In the 600 m. dash the Colts made a sweep of the event with Jessie Guerra 1st in a record time of 1:37.5, Ricky Mesa 2nd, and Jose Escalante 3rd.

Chad Stewart turned in another fine performance finishing 2nd in the 100 m. dash and 3rd in the 200 m. dash. In the 300 m. dash Scott Miller was 1st and Victor Lira 4th. Ricky Mesa was 4th in the 100 m. and George Gandar was 4th in the 200 m. Jessie Guerra, Gilbert Martinez and Ricky Mesa took 3rd, 4th and 5th, respectively in the 205 m. low hurdles.

In the 1200 m. run it was record setting time again as Jose "Mouse" Escalante set his 4th meet record in as many meets. His time of 3:46.75 totally destroyed the old record of 4:06.7. That is only breaking the record by 20 seconds. In the same race

Luis contreras was 4th and Fernando Trevino 5th. The 1200 m. relay team of Lira, Guerra, Miller and Martinez took 2nd with a fine time of 2:53.4.

The Colts will now prepare for their final meet of the year at Ozona. It will be the District 7-AA Jr. High Meet with, Ozona, Crane and Kermit. Good Luck and make it 5 in a row Colts.

In the 8th Grade division the Colts ran really well again only to finish behind a powerful Brady team in 3rd place. The Colts have been in the top 3 in every meet this year.

Once again it was the lack of points in the field events that did the Colts in. After all field events the Colts were last in a field of seven teams.

Jeff Brittain scored all 14 points finishing 3rd in the high jump and 2nd in the pole vault.

In the running events the Colts did well as they scored 70 points. In the

400 m. relay the team of Martinez, Poloczek, Thomas and Gonzales took 3rd in a time of 50.6. Tony Graza then took second in the 600 m. dash. Jeff Brittain and Ronnie Pollard took 4th and 5th in the 100 m. Intermediate Hurdles. Eugene Gonzales was 6th in both the 100 m. and 200 m. dashes. The highlight of the meet was the 300 m. dash which Mike Poloczek won. Zeke Ramos took 4th and Tino Martinez 6th. In the 205 m. low hurdles Jeff Brittain was 3rd. In the 1200 m. run Tony Garza was 3rd and Drew Wallace 6th. The 1200 m. Relay Team of Thomas, Martinez Pollard and Poloczek took 3rd place.

The final results showed Brady 1st with 138 points, Mason 106 points, Sonora 84, Junction 47, Eldorado 46, wall 45, and Comfort 34. The Colts will now prepare to defend their district crown on April 12th at the Jr. High District Meet in Ozona. Good Luck Colts.



Tonya Evans completes a successful hand-off to Rosa Noriega in the 800 Meter Relay in Junction.

Girls Track Results

HIGH JUMP
First Place - Leah Evans - 4'4"

TRIPLE JUMP
First Place - Leah Evans - 29' 8 3/4"

LONG JUMP
Fourth Place - Alma Zapata - 12'8"

400 METER RELAY
Fourth Place - Herrera/Webster/Zapata/Evans - 61.9

600 METER DASH
Fourth Place - Debbie Shannon - 2:04.9

100 METER DASH
First Place - Leah Evans - 13.7

200 METER DASH
Third Place - Leah Evans - 31.0

1200 METER RUN
Third Place - Leslie Webster - 4:58.0

1200 METER RELAY
Third Place - Zapata/Mendez/Shannon/Gonzales - 3:31.1

SHOT PUT
Sixth Place - Norma Guerra - 23'83/4"

TRIPLE JUMP
Fifth Place - Kristi Hill - 29'9"

DISCUS
Third Place - Tommie Duran - 75'1"

HIGH JUMP
Sixth Place - Kirsti Hill - 4'0"

LONG JUMP
First Place - Teresa Marlow - 14'83/4"

400 METER RELAY
Fifth Place - disqualified

600 METER DASH
Third Place - Tammy Tidwell - 2:00.9

300 METER DASH
First Place - Theresa Marlow - 47.0

100 METER DASH
Fourth Place - D. Arevelo - 13.9

800 METER RELAY
First Place - Renfroe/Arevalo/Hill/Marlow - 1:58.9

1200 METER RELAY
Fourth Place - Duran/Kordzik/Tidwell/Bible - 3:33.0

TOTAL POINTS
Sonora - 81



Way Out Front!

Sonora Trackstars showed their stuff in Junction Girls Take Fourth At Junction

Despite posting their best track marks of the season, the Sonora girls could only manage fourth place in the Junction Relays Friday. A strong 12 team field and lack of overall depth prevented a team championship for the local tracksters.

The 400 meter relay team of Rosa Noriega, Jes-

sica Robledo, Tonya Evans and Paula Friess posted a 50.9 to nail down the only first place honors for the Broncos.

Friess triple jump of 36'51/2" garnered second place points and her personal best, 16'11" long jump, tied for a second but based on the next best jump tie-breaker, she received a fourth place.

Marche Lane knocked nearly two seconds off her previous seasonal best 800 meters as she clocked 2:24.66, second to Ozona's Kaye Thompson.

Annabelle Gonzales, Evans, Noriega and Robledo comprised the second place 800 meter relay team. The girls bested their previous efforts of the season by a second turning in a fine 1:47.09 performance.

The 1600 meter relay team of Noriega, Lane, Robledo and Friess clocked a 4:10 (timing, their best of the season, to net fourth place points behind Junction, Llano and Mason.

Friess ran 61.3 in the 400 meters to pick up third place points.

Robledo added fifth place points in the triple jump with a 33'51/2" leap.

Milers Diana Harding, Julie Stewart and Cathy Poloczek also ran well.

Other competitors were Patsy Duran and Linda Galbraith in the shot and discus. Linda Duran and Anna Mata ran the 200 meters and 100 meters.

Team totals: Junction, 89; Llano, 80; Bandera, 79; Sonora, 73; Mason, 71; Boerne, 57; Ozona, 47; Eldorado, 20; Menard, 7; San Saba, 2.

Sanchez Paces Bronco Boys

The Sonora Bronco boys track team tallied 15 points to place tenth in Division III of the star-studded San Angelo Relays.

Enrique Sanchez topped all Broncos by placing second in 800 meters with a time of 2:00.32, three seconds behind defending state champion John Baskin of Llano. Juan Mendoza took fifth place with a 2:03.64 mark.

Mendoza's prelim time of 2:00.83 was second best

but the Sonora junior got boxed in early in the final run, dropping him to fifth place.

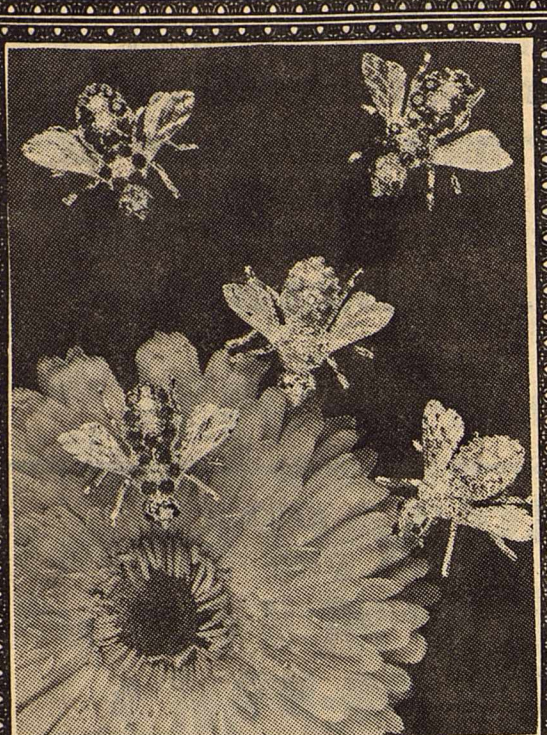
The 1600 meter relay of Mendoza, Sanchez, Ed Hanna and Eddie Favila posted a 3:27.3, second best qualifying time, in the prelims but colder windy weather in the finals found them in sixth place at a 3:31.10.

Favila's prelim time in the 200 meter was 23.09, third best of the qualifiers.

He ran a 23.21 in the finals garnering fifth place points.

John Paul Bautista placed sixth in the shot put with a heave of 48'5 1/4" adding a point to the Bronco effort.

Brady won the division title with 78 points. Division I winner was Killen with 151 1/2 points while Odessa Ector's 155 took Division II honors. Crosbyton's 761/2 points championed Division IV.



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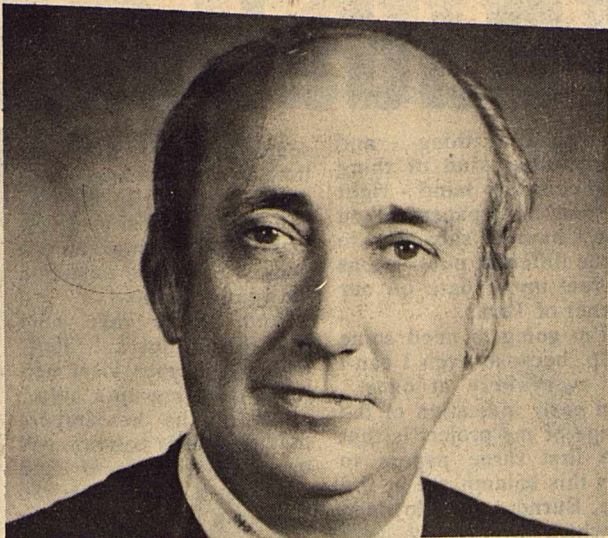
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Robert Murray Seeks Re-election To Fourth Court Of Civil Appeals

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Murray started his law career as an Assistant District Attorney for Bexar County. In 1954 he was elected Justice of the Peace for Precinct 3 where he served for eight years. He was elected Judge of the 45th District Court and served for 15 years before being appointed to an unexpired term on the 4th Court of Civil Appeals. He was elected to the 4th Court in 1977 and is running for re-election in the May Democratic Primary. The Guadalupe Bar Association voted to endorse certain candidates running for judicial offices at their last meeting. Endorsements for re-election were also given to Judge Leon Douglas and Judge Thomas G. Davis of the Court of Criminal Appeals. "Without denigrating any of their opponents, the Bar Association felt that these candidates had demonstrated their integrity and competence in positions where the general public does not have the opportunity to learn of their performance," said W.C. Kirkendall, president of the Guadalupe County Bar Association.

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Chuck Browne, Jr. To Attend Spring Trimester

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counties, 36 other states and 18 foreign countries. Browne is enrolled in diesel and heavy equipment mechanics. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Browne, 301 Hudspeth, Sonora.

Leticia Galindo To Attend Conference In Massachusetts

BY LILIA HERNANDEZ Leticia Galindo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Galindo Jr., will be attending this year's American Educational Research Association Conference in Boston, Mass., the week of April 7-11, 1980. Ms. Galindo, employed by Southwest Educational De-

velopment Laboratory in Austin, Texas, is research assistant for the project ways to improve education in desegregated schools. She is co-author of the paper to be presented at the conference by Dr. A.L. King, senior researcher dealing with successful

Red Carpet Committee Holds Meeting

Red Carpet Committee members held their monthly meeting on Thursday at the Church of the Good Shepherd. President Shelley Chaney reported that the RRC had grossed \$123.00 and expressed her appreciation to the members who donated time and bakery items to the fund-raising venture. The members decided to take Chamber of Commerce members and call members to see if they would like their tickets delivered, etc. The group agreed to help with decorating, etc., for the annual banquet to be held April 10th at the 4-H Center, if needed.

School Menu

Monday, April 7
 NO SCHOOL
 Tuesday, April 8
 Bar B Q Sausage
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 Green Beans
 Hot Rolls
 Brownies
 Milk
 Wednesday, April 9
 Tacos
 Lettuce/Tomatoes
 Pinto Beans
 Cinnamon Rolls
 Milk
 Thursday, April 10
 Chicken Pot Pie
 Black-eye Peas
 Hot Rolls
 Pineapple-Lemon Gelatin
 Milk
 Friday, April 11
 Cheeseburgers
 Lettuce/Tomatoes
 French Fries
 Ice Cream
 Milk
BREAKFAST
 Monday, April 7
 NO SCHOOL
 Tuesday, April 8
 Apple Juice
 Cinnamon Toast
 Milk
 Wednesday, April 9
 Tomato Juice
 Cheese Toast
 Milk
 Thursday, April 10
 Orange Juice
 Glazed Donut
 Milk
 Friday, April 11
 Apple Juice
 Sausage
 Hot Biscuits/Jelly
 Milk

Lilia Hernandez Graduates From Commercial College

BY LILIA HERNANDEZ Lilia Hernandez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mario Hernandez graduated from American Commercial College in San Angelo on the 24th of March. She majored in office machines. She is a graduate of Sonora High School and is now employed by the local radio station KVRN and the Devil's River News.

Red Sox Win Over Red Devils

The Sonora Red Sox travelled to San Angelo Sunday to play the Red Devils of San Angelo. The Red Sox were victorious in their efforts. The winning pitcher was Jessie Solis. Bobby Granger hit one home run during the game. The Red Sox seem to have started off their season on the right foot as they are 2-1 on the season. The Sox will play again on Sunday April 13 here against Big Spring. Everyone is invited to come out and see some exciting baseball action.

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Sam Pendergrast's West Texas Gadabout

WEST TEXAS-I've driven more miles around West Texas as a new man in the last six years than many people drive in a lifetime - a few hundred thousand miles in behalf of readers of three different newspapers, my own little "oeste Magazine," and even some "electronic media."

In earlier inverbations I worked as many years - though not as many miles - on newspapers in El Paso, Abilene, and Corsicana. So I think it's safe - if not altogether humble - to say that few people know more about West Texas than I do and even fewer have written nearly as much about this super sub-

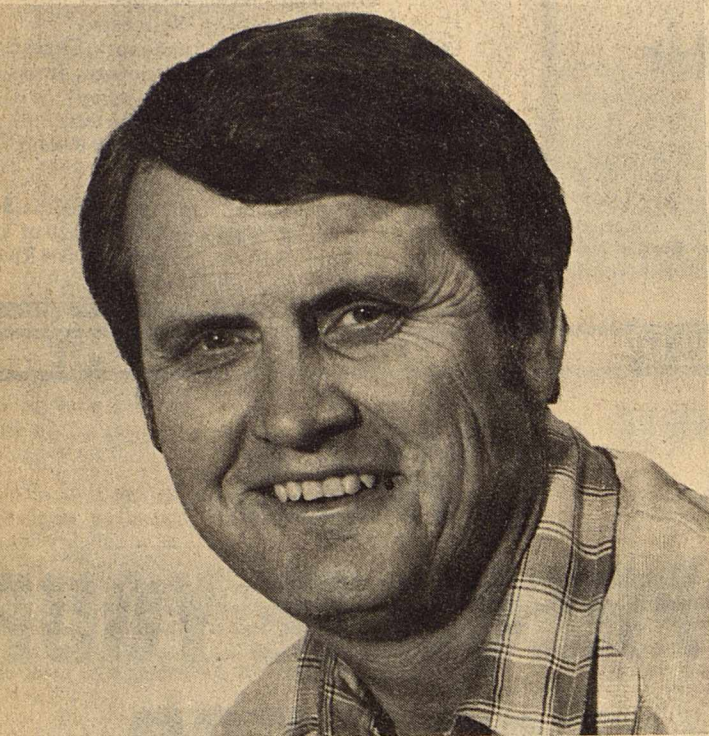
state that has fascinated me since I was born near the center of it (in Bronte) in 1932. Perhaps more important-ly, few West Texas journal-ists care to claim interests as broad as mine, from history and the arts to childiocy and such mid-night arts as topless danc-ing and rooster fightin -

and even occasional shameless bits of public relations and even occas-ionaler sallies into ponder-ing the meaning of Life and Death and The Whole Damned Thing. So it seemed natural, when I had another news-paper post shot out from under me by the corporate money people, to think about putting my know-ledge and love of West Texas to work for some of the many publications in the area that haven't had the staff to include a roving reporter.

that kind of thing - and every other kind of thing that comes to mind - right in your local paper so you don't have to subscribe to three different publications to feel up to date on our corner of Texas. I'm going to need some help, because even I can't be everywhere at once. (An early indication of the scope of my project is that the first three papers to buy this column are in Del Rio, Burnet, and Floydada - which is roughly geo-graphically equivalent to writing for readers in New York, Chicago, and Wash-ington, D.C.)

somewhere else by the time you're reading about where I was. (In fact, as you read this, I'm probably in El Paso writing about a book about reincarnation between columns.) And please take note that this is not a "filler" with which your local editor is plugging up a hole. A lot of the newspapers that print this column will be hard-pressed to find space for it every week. So if you dig it, let your editor know. (If you don't dig it, let me know how you'd like it changed.) And if you're in business, think about sponsoring "WEST TEXAS" with some adver-tising bucks. (It may not be adored by every reader every week - and if it were, it wouldn't be worth read-ing - but I guarantee it'll be read.)

SAM STEWART



But that's my side of it. Your side as a reader, I think, is that there aren't any islands in West Texas either. Wherever you live, you either have a family or friends (or wish you had) somewhere else in this Last of God's Country.

At the least, you want to know a little more about what's going on out at Shafter (where they're re-opening the ssilver mines) and over in Abilene (where they're learning to drink in public for the first time in 78 years) and in Midland (where they're holding prayer meetings to "KISS" from performing).

I want to fill you in on

Kappa Gamma Bake Sale Held

Kappa Gamma Chapter of ESA held a bake sale march 27, 1980. Despite the rain, the sale was a huge success and finished off this years scheduled money raising efforts.

Kappa Gamma supports the National service project of St. Jude's Children's Research Hospta

State project is March of Dimes Research Hospital. ESA's District project is

the Ronald McDonald House. Locally, Kappa Gamma supports the Sutton County Senior Center and a 1,000 dollar scholarship to be awarded to a graduating

High School senior. Kappa Gamma is able to support these projects through community support and t through donated time and money.

Just as importantly, bear in mind that it's a huge territory and I can't write about your pet project (or mine) every week. The whole idea is to maintain an over-view of our West Texas at a glance, which means that I've got to be

The sisters in Sonora's Kappa Gamma Chapter would like to say a big thank you to Sonora. Without your support, the members of ESA's Kappa Gamma Chapter could not help so many people.

Happy readin And let me hear from you. I have this theory that we're really one big old family in West Texas; we just don't have enough reunions.

As a president once said (who didn't), I want to help bring us together again.

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VOTE APRIL 5 FOR SAM STEWART

PD. POL. ADV. BY SAM STEWART

Los Compadres Host Dinner Party

BY LILIA HERNANDEZ Las Compadres Club, March dinner party was held Saturday, March 22, at the Commercial Dining Room. Hosts for this month dinner party were Mr. and Mrs. Julio Samaniego, Sr.

The menu for the evening was: chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, tossed salad, gravy, chili sauce, tostadas, tea and capirotada for dessert.

Members and guests at Garden Club To Meet

The Sutton County Garden Club will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday, April 3 at 7:30 p.m. at the HNG Building.

Mrs. Judy Childress from Lubbock will present timely tips on landscape ideas and suggestions. Members are urged to attend and are welcome to bring guests.

Members are reminded to tunr in their raffle ticket books at this meeting for the drawing to give away a Sunbeam Food Processor at the April 10 Chamber of Commerce banquet. Members who have not received ticket books are urged to contact Marianne Trainer.

Harris Family Sonora Newcomers

Bobby J. Harris, Jailer, Sutton County jail lives at 309 NE Oak Street in Sonora. Harris moved here from Odessa.

Harris' three children, Robert, Michael and Deborah Ann attend church at Temple trinity Baptist.

Red Carpet Committee member Olivia Hernandez visited with Harris to welcome him to Sonora. The Sonora Chamber of Commerce and localites join Olivia in welcoming Harris to the community.

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Sutton County Ranch News



Ruth Espy counts proceeds from Cattlemen's Barbecue.



Susan McBee, guest speaker for Independent Cattlemen's Barbecue.



The good food was enjoyed by all who attended the Cattlemen's Barbecue

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Independent Cattlemen's Assoc. Holds Annual Barbecue

The Sutton County Chapter of Independent Cattlemen's Assn. held their 3rd annual Bar-B-Que on Thursday, March 20th at 6 p.m.

Susan McBee, Representative for the 21st district was the guest speaker. Mrs. McBee gave highlights of the past legislative meetings concerning West Texas. She also talked on taxes and land use bill.

She encouraged everyone to enroll for the census and redistricting is to follow after the census count. She also talked about the next session of the legislature which is soon to start. Mrs. McBee urged everyone to become involved and take active interest in the bills being introduced in Austin. She praised the I.C.A. for being an organization working to help the farmer, rancher and agriculture in general.

Donald Hoffman, the executive Secretary of the I.C.A. - headquarters in Austin was the second speaker of the evening. He spoke of South West Texas being very fortunate in having Mrs. McBee as our representative. She is involved in agriculture, and fully realizes the programs that any large percentage of the population was in agriculture years ago, now only 4 percent are involved. And there are less each year due to new problems, government involvement, taxes and many other problems confronting agriculture each day.

Mr. Hoffman informed the guests that the Independent Cattlemen's Assn. is one that is made up chiefly of volunteers, who use their time and money without any pay. The paid staff in Austin is very limited. He thanked all the members of I.C.A. in Sutton County who contributed their time, money and the prizes that were given.

6 halves of beef were given away during the evening, along with 6 spanish goats, and 2 smoked turkeys. The meat can be picked up at the Branding Iron Smokehouse at the winners convenience. The door prize of 2 halves of beef were won by Todd Keller, son of Dr. Mike Keller and Mrs. Effie Harle. Other door prizes were won by Mrs. Kathleen Moore, J.T. Hill, Gerald Hartman, Mrs. Bonnie Warth and Mrs. Tim Cole won the "Super 14" Thompson Contender pistol.

The members wish to thank all who participated in any way to make this such a successful Bar-B-Que for the organization.

Jerry Lackey's Country Folk

For the opening days of spring, temperatures were pleasant but the traditional West Texas winds were blowing like every March. Just the same, a trimming job on the pecan trees in the front yard had to be done before the new leaves came forth. Tom Robbins of Ballinger was fighting the wind-holding his hat on his head with one hand and trying to clip a limb with the other. "A job that would take 30 minutes on a still day will likely take me all afternoon, the way it looks," he commented.

That was the same day, Ralph Steen, also of Ballinger, decided to work cattle "despite the wind."

And as I drove up to the Robert Herring ranch northwest of Miles, Robert was on his way to a broken float in a tough in his north pasture.

"Well, that thing will wait a little longer," he laughed as I got out of the car. "Come on in the house, pull your hat off and let's have a cup of coffee."

"I just got back from South Texas," said Herring. "I tell you every place I saw was dry. Down around Leakey, the stock ponds are all dried up."

Herring said he had some grazing from some Kline Grass there around Miles. With lambing started, he is glad to have the grass so his cattle can graze it and he not have to worry about feeding them while watching the sheep.

Robert Allison of Christoval who ranches far West Texas says one must look hard to find many signs of spring.

However, farmers I have talked to seem optimistic about making a crop this spring and summer. Eating supper at the Wall Young Farmers meeting the other night, I heard one of the Wilde's across the table predict a good year with prospects of a good crop upcoming. But, he hinged his remarks by adding: "It will take two or three little rains this spring and early summer to realize that."

Folks in Central Texas are witnessing a good spring. Dr. Charles Livingston returned to San Angelo from Austin with news of leaves on trees, green grass in the pasture and streams running.

And visiting with Dr. Kenneth Wendland from the Texas Panhandle, he says a good spring is in the works there. "We had lots of snow this winter which will set our country off in good shape with a good sub-soil moisture condition."

Gage Holland, Alpine ranchman, believes another good rain "just any time wouldn't be too much to ask the Good Lord. It would help us enjoy the blooming of the cactus!"

And for us Big Bend lovers, April is the month that part of Texas is in full bloom. The cactus along the arroyos and gorges and Chisos Mountains will display their splendor. The unspoiled setting, a temperate island surrounded by the arid sea of the vast Chihuahuan Desert is so inviting.

Oh, just thinking about that peace and beauty makes my mouth water... but like everyone else, I can't afford the gas to drive out and see it. Yet, I am thankful for the memory.

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An Open Letter

Mary Adele Balch

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I urge each of you to exercise your right to vote in the upcoming election. Vote for the candidate of your choice but by all means VOTE!!!

Mary Adele Balch
Trustee, Place 6
Sonora Independent School District

Vote April 5

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Sutton County Petro News



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Hosts "State Of The Industry" Meeting

"My Momma told me never to point," Railroad Commission candidate Jim Hightower told a Wednesday news conference in front of the Austin Hilton hotel where the Railroad Commission was hosting its annual "State of the Industry" meeting, "but the answer to who runs the Railroad Commission is right in there. It's an exclusive club meeting of

the national energy establishment. Inside this hotel are executives of multinational firms who have come to Texas today to cry on the shoulders of the only watchdogs in the country who are faithful to them." In attendance at the meeting, which is hosted each year by the Railroad Commission, were representatives of Exxon, Gulf, Mobil, Conoco, Phillips,

Chevron, Texaco, Southern Union Gas, El Paso Natural Gas and numerous other gas and oil corporations. "If you're not with the industry, don't bother searching your mailbox, because you're not on the guest list," Hightower said. "No 'outsiders' were invited to the Commissioners' little party today. Consumers, oil people, working people, farmers, service station operators, poor people—none of us were asked to come five our views on the state of the oil industry—even though it's our tax dollars the Commissioners are spending here...Not surprisingly, most of the invitees happen to be contributors to the election campaigns of the incumbent commissioners."

Hightower was flanked at news conference by representatives of returned representatives of retired people, independent service station operators, labor, the American Agriculture Movement, the Texas Consumer Association and Texas ACORN's political action committee, all who indicated they had plenty to tell the commissioners if they only had been invited to the meeting inside the hotel.

Conrad Fath, representing retired Texans, told the press, "With today's prices, Social Security benefits barely buy enough gasoline for a ride to the cemetery. But the Railroad Commissioners say that we need to conserve energy and that high prices are the only way to accomplish this. Perhaps

they want us to walk to the cemetery."

Hightower said he is "dealing with the issues head-on" in his campaign. "I'll be outspent by two-to-one," he explained, "and I'm relying on press coverage of what I'm saying on the issues to help the voters see through the media blitz my opponent (incumbent Railroad Commissioner James Nugent) has planned for the month of April."

On March 14, Hightower completed a five-day tour of the "Texas Stripmine Trail," a 500-mile-long belt of lignite stretching from Texarkana to Laredo. At a press conference that morning, he said he is not opposed to stripmining but blasted the Railroad Commission for allowing "rip-and-run stripmining" by the oil companies and utilities who are rapidly buying up leases in lignite-rich counties in Northeast Texas.

He said the Commissioners personally lobbied during the last session of the Legislature to "severely weaken" the state law governing the reclamation of stripmined land. The result, he said, is that stripminers, instead of replacing the topsoil, mix it with the subsoil and lignite, leaving land that must be heavily fertilized to grow even grass.

"Hundreds of thousands of acres of prime Texas farmland are in jeopardy," Hightower said. "Also, there are more than 60 lignite-fired generating plants planned for along this belt. They will require cooling water and that means water needed for agricultural and residential use—enough for five million people. There will be eminent domain condemnation of thousands of acres of farmland for generating plants, cooling lakes and high-tension power lines to the cities. And the people who'll mine this lignite and build these power plants will need schools and municipal services. That means higher taxes, and when they move on, who'll pick up the tab?"

"The people in this area should be told about these things before the stripmining permits are granted," Hightower said. "The Railroad Commission should hold full-scale local public hearings before issuing a stripmining permit in a county."

Far East Reports Encouraging

The Mohair Council of America market survey team that has investigated the mohair situation in the Far East reports their findings to be generally encouraging. One of the main purposes in going to the Far East was to emphasize to key industry representatives that Texas mohair is as good or better than mohair anywhere in the world. The team has contacted companies in Japan and Korea that together use over 90 percent of the mohair that is imported into these countries.

The team will give a report to the Texas mohair industry of the information gained while in the Far East at a meeting scheduled for 3:00 p.m., April 8, in the St. Angelus Room of the Central National Bank Building in San Angelo. All warehousemen, buyers, and producers are invited to attend this meeting to discuss the mohair situation in the Far East. Texas Wool and Mohair Warehouse Association President, Ted Holekamp, encourages all warehousemen to attend this meeting if at all possible.

Members of the team include Sid Harkins, Director and immediate past President of the Mohair Council of America; George Taylor, Manager of Western Wool and Mohair Co. in San Angelo and immediate past President of the Texas Wool and Mohair Warehouse Association; and Jon Hutchison, representative of the Texas Department of Agriculture.



Railroad Commissioner James E. (Jim) Nugent presents first copies of the new Municipal Assistance Packets developed by the Texas Railroad Commission. The packets are designed to assist communities in determining fair natural gas utility rates.

Nugent Seeks Protection For Utility Customers

Railroad Commissioner James E. (Jim) Nugent said this week that small utility customers need an "equalizer" in their dealings with natural gas utility companies.

At a capitol press conference, Nugent said that all utility customers have a right to protection from unreasonable rate hikes, but that small communities seldom have the technical and legal expertise to negotiate on equal footing with major utility companies.

"They have to hire that expertise," Nugent said, "and that can cost as much as the rate hike itself."

"Utility customers have a right to adequate representation, without fearing that such representation will cost more than it saves," the Commissioner added.

Faced with this dilemma, many cities will accept the utility proposal, whether they agree with it or not, Nugent states.

Nugent's "equalizer" -- which he says is only a first step--consists of two informational packets which are available to city officials free of charge.

One "Municipal Assistance Packet" sets out procedures and actions available to a city when the utility company files a rate request. It includes relevant laws and regulations.

A second packet analyzes the issues involved in determining a fair rate and "may serve as a guide to city leaders in deciding what is reasonable and what is not."

"Fairness," Nugent said, "is a fine line to be drawn between the company and the city customers."

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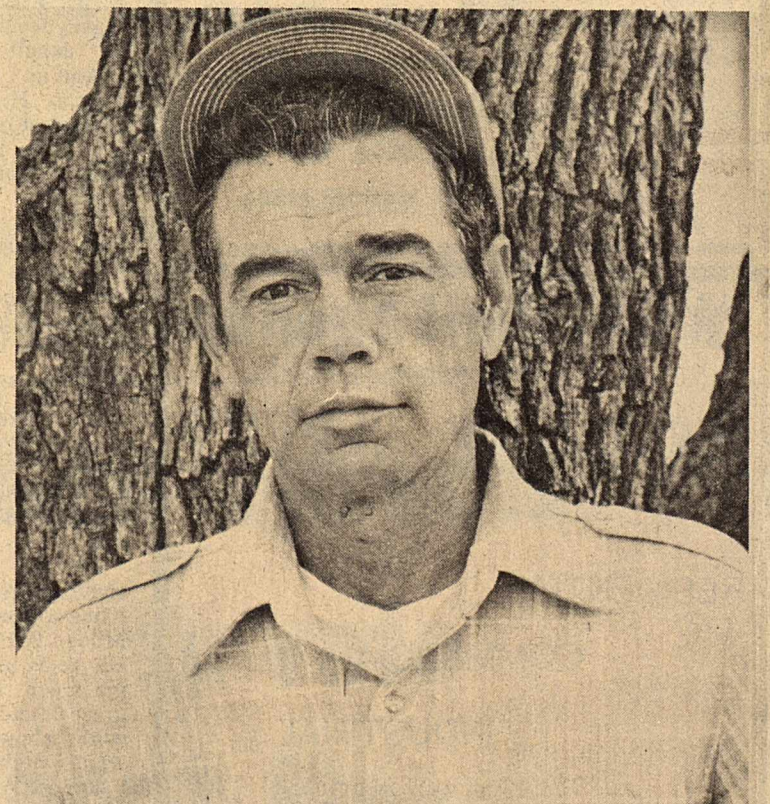
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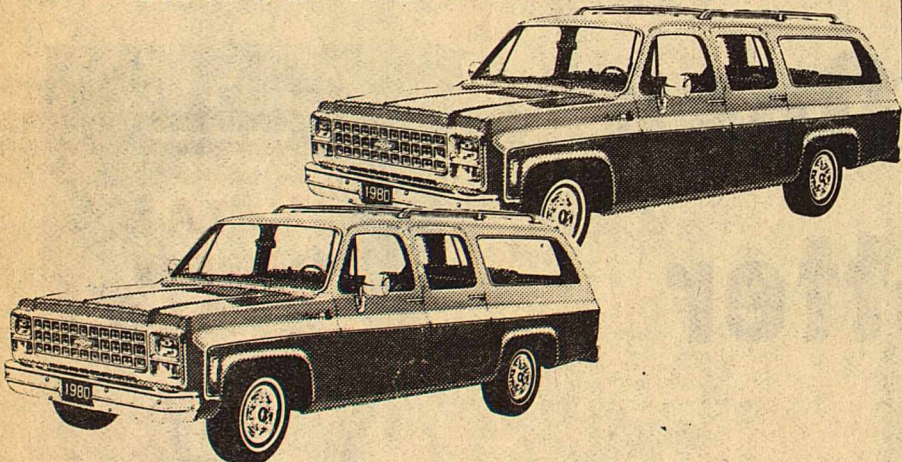


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Happy Anniversaries

April 3, 1980
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Redman

April 4, 1980
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Friend, Jr.

April 8, 1980
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Shurley, Jr.

April 9, 1980
Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Tipton

Happy Birthdays

April 3, 1980
Mike Ellis
Tommy Dock Raye
Derrel Steven Alley
Mike Gosney
Randy Favila
Felipe Virgen
Marlene Sanchez

April 4, 1980
Les Whitehead
Shirley Bolt
Mrs. Henry Wyatt
Lester Byer
Samuel Mata

April 5, 1980
Maria Elena Baltazar
Salvador Noriega
Eddy Smith
Irene Perez
Mary K. Skains

April 6, 1980
Robert Harris
Emil Brown

April 7, 1980
Mrs. R.C. Vicars
Mrs. G.V. Morris
Mrs. Lewis Spraggins

April 8, 1980
Mrs. Birl Vern Davis
Kidie Halbert
Rhea Shurley

April 9, 1980
Mrs. John R. Tedford Jr.
Mrs. Buddy Ray
Kim David Batchelor

WTBS Movies, Sports Specials

Thursday, April 3
9:00 a.m. Drango 1957. A major, assigned to govern a small Georgia town he had ravaged during the war, tries to replace the use of a gun with the use of a helping hand.

11:30 a.m. Dangerous Exile 1958. A rogue saves a King from the guillotine with the help of an English girl during the French Revolution.

7:00 p.m. Phffft! 1954. A successful couple, bored with marriage, get divorced after eight years together, only to find themselves discontent without each other.

10:30 p.m. Nobody Lives Forever 1946. A soldier returns home and finds out that his girlfriend has a new beau.

12:40 a.m. Charge of the Lancers 1954. British officers in the Crimean War are hidden in the forest by gypsies.

2:10 a.m. China Venture 1953.

Friday, April 4
9:00 a.m. Higher and Higher 1943. A man unable to pay his servants, forms a corporation with them and they work out a hilarious financial plan.

11:30 a.m. The Spanish Gardener 1957. A father resents the devotion of his son toward his gardener and is drawn toward desperate measures.

8:40 p.m. Constantine and the Cross. Before battle with the Romans, Constantine receives a revelation. He and his forces defeat the Romans.

11:10 p.m. Mysterious Island 1961. Five men escape from a Confederate prison in an observation balloon and find themselves on a South Seas island before long.

1:35 a.m. Sherlock Holmes in the Hound of the Baskervilles 1939.

3:30 a.m. Berlin Correspondent 1942.

Saturday, April 5
9:00 a.m. Fire Over England 1937. Two great nations lock in fierce combat while a great Queen is torn between duty and personal desire.

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11:00 a.m. The Long Wait 1954. A young man suffering from amnesia learns that he is wanted for both murder and a bank robbery.
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1:00 p.m. Hoffman 1971. A lonely middleaged man falls in love with a girl from his company's typing pool, so he invites her to dinner. When she refuses, he blackmails her.

4:30 p.m. Georgia Championship Wrestling 6:30 p.m. Atlanta Flames Hockey Atlanta Flames vs. Washington Capitals

12:30 a.m. Devil Dogs of the Air 1935. A pilot on the brink of stealing his officer's girl learns the meaning of discipline during a test flight.

2:25 a.m. Sidehackers 1969.

Sunday, April 6

9:30 a.m. The Silver Chalice 1955. The tale of a young Greek who designed the silver chalice framework for the cup used at the Last Supper.

12:30 p.m. Atlanta Braves Baseball Atlanta Braves vs. Montreal Expos

5:00 p.m. Best of Georgia Championship Wrestling.

10:00 p.m. No Man of her Own 1950. In order to

give her illegitimate child a chance in life, a woman assumes the identity of a dead passenger after a train crash.

12:00 a.m. Under Ten Flags 1960. A German raider, using various disguises, forces British vessels to surrender.

2:00 a.m. The Long Duel 1967.

Monday, April 7

9:00 a.m. Miracle in the Rain 1954. A classical love story about two lonesome people who meet in the rain during World War II and build a love that lasts.

11:30 p.m. Fort Dobbs 1958. The rugged western story of a man's fight against circumstances and indians to win honor and happiness.

7:00 p.m. Bright Leaf 11950. Driven from his home by a tobacco tycoon, a tenant-farmer returns to wipe out the magnates empire.

10:30 p.m. Hangman's Knot 1962. A band of Confederate troopers disguised as civilians rob the Union stage.

12:15 a.m. Objective Burma 1945. Covers paratroopers fighting the Japa-

nese in Burma; one of the best war pictures of the period.

Tuesday, April 8

9:00 a.m. The Inspector General 1949. The town clown is forced to impersonate a visiting Inspector General.

11:30 a.m. I Dream Too Much 1935. Superb vocalizing by Miss Pons is featured in this story of two young music students who are happily married until the wife wins success before her husband does.

7:00 p.m. Wind Across the Everglades 1958. The rough-hewn story of South Florida and of the man who fought to save its beauty at the turn of the century.

10:30 p.m. The Westerner 1940. The story of the fabulous Judge Roy Bean of Texas.

12:45 a.m. Konga 1961. A London scientist returns from Africa with a small chimpanzee called Konga which he turns into a gorilla monster.

2:45 a.m. Challenge of the Gladiator 1964.

Wednesday, April 9

9:00 a.m. The Two Mrs. Carrolls 1947. A man's first wife dies suspiciously.

When he remarried, his second wife begins to fear for her safety.

11:00 a.m. Rhubarb 1951. A baseball team rebels when the players learn they are owned by a cat who inherited them from a millionaire.

1:00 p.m. Atlanta Braves Baseball Atlanta Braves vs. Cincinnati Reds

7:00 p.m. The Prince and the Showgirl 1957. An American showgirl, appearing in London at the time of the Coronation, is invited to a private supper by the roving-eyed prince of Carpathia, and falls in love.

9:30 p.m. Upstairs Downstairs

10:30 p.m. Apache Uprising 1966. A stagecoach carrying passengers arrives at a relay station where plans to steal the gold are foiled.

Jr. High Girls Win Mason Relays

TOTAL POINTS	Theresa Marlow, Toni Vela, Leah Evans, Kristi Hill	Kristi Hill	1200 m. run - 2nd - Tommie Duran, 4th - Deanne Haltom
Sonora - 103	800 m. Relay - 2nd - Toni Vela, Kristi Hill, Leah Evans, Theresa Marlow	100 m. dash - 5th - Leah Evans	High jump - 6th - Kristi Hill
Eldorado - 99	1200 m. Relay - 3rd - Toni Vela, Debbie Shannon, Alma Zapata, Tommy Tidwell	200 m. dash - 1st - Theresa Marlow	Long jump - 1st - Theresa Marlow
Mason - 94		300 m. dash - 4th - Alma Zapata	Triple jump - 1st - Theresa Marlow, 6th - Kristi Hill
Wall - 80		600 m. dash - 5th - Debbie Shannon, 6th - Tammy Tidwell	
Junction - 65			
Brady - 30			
Comfort - 25			
400 m. Relay - 4th			
			100 m. low hurdles - 3rd

Susan McBee Urges All To Be Counted In Census

Representative Susan Gurley McBee today urged all of the people of the 70th Legislative District to be counted in the 1980 Decennial Census, which begins on April 1.

Rep. McBee said "Census forms will be mailed out in most parts of the state on March 28, and you will receive them by April 1. I want to urge each of you to fill out your form and return it as soon as possible. It is critical that everyone in Texas be counted."

Population totals from the 1980 Census will be important both for state and congressional redistricting in 1981 and for allocation of federal funds to local units of government for the next ten years.

"The most important use of the figures will be in legislative redistricting. Your right to fair and equal representation in the U.S. Congress and in your state legislature depends on your being counted on April 1," stated Mrs. McBee.

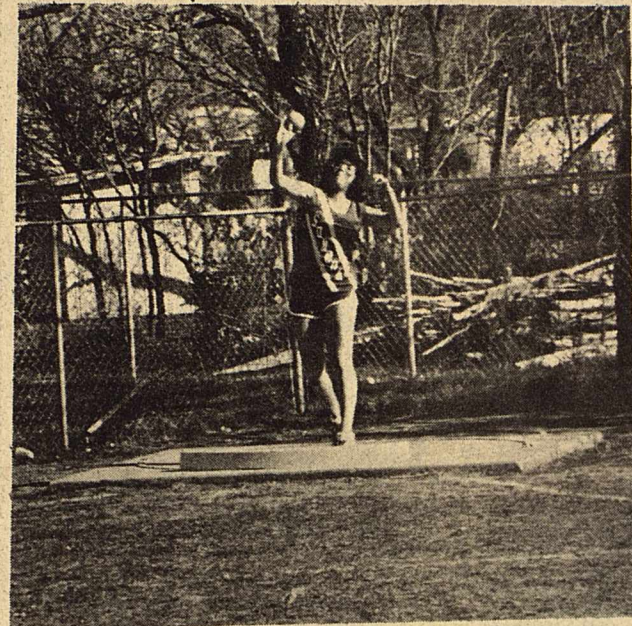
Kappa Gamma Walkathon A Success

Kappa Gamma Chapter of ESA have a grand total of \$1501.20 collected from their Circle of Life Walkathon which took place February 23, 1980.

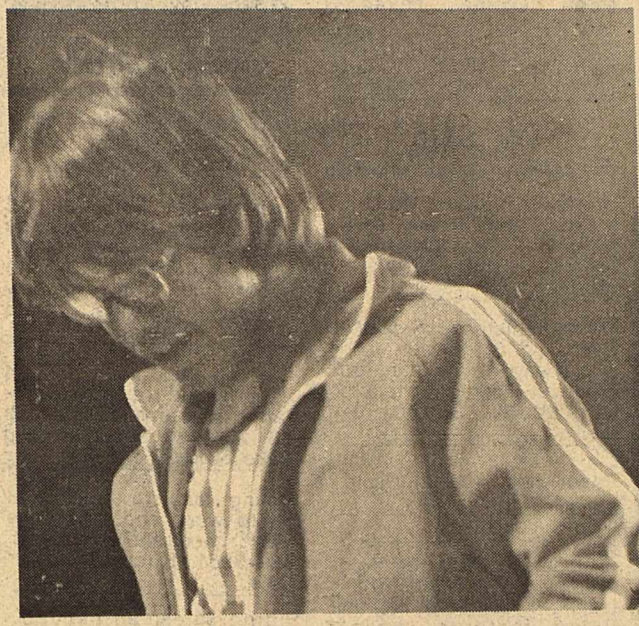
Eleven gallant members gritted their teeth when starting the 10-mile walk last month. Today they are smiling knowing the blisters and pains were well worth the time and effort.

Kappa Gamma wishes to thank all the businesses and private backers who contributed to make the Circle of Life Walk a great success.

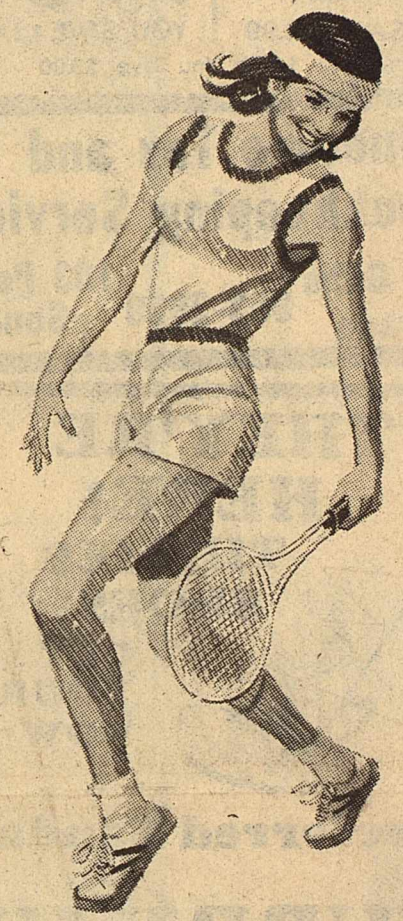
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