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## Board approves fall homecoming

The Board of Trustees of the Sonora Independent School District met in regular session on Tuesday, April 14, 1987.

As a convenience to visitors from out of town, Board President Scott Shurley skipped to this place on the agenda listed under "Unfinished Business". The subject for discussion was the need for resurfacing at the track facility.

John Atkinson, representing the firm of Royal Athletics, presented core and compaction test results from samples taken at the track. The test results demonstrated clearly that the basic problem at the track was the heaving effect caused by conditions in the clay subsurface. His suggestions as a cure for the tracks ills was removal of the existing running surface altogether, then removing the six to eight inch rock below the surface and storing for re-use, and treatment of the clay subsurface (or third level) with lye injection to stabilize it. His estimate of cost for this operation was approximately \$25,000.

Mr. Atkinson continued with the proposal that a layer of geotextile fiber be installed on top of the clay after the lime treatment at a cost of about \$9,000.

The stored rock would then be replaced and the track resurfaced with one and one-half inches of asphalt for \$23,000. On top of the asphalt, the running surface of "polyflex" would cost about \$75,000. He pointed out that the total cost of close to \$125,000 was a major investment, but that the district would then have excellent and safe track facilities for many years to come.

President Shurley commented that this was the last major project that the district would need for some time. He reminded the audience that the track needs had been facing the Trustees for several years past, and the time had arrived to face the issue and do something to correct the unsafe

conditions while the district could still afford the expense.

The Board by consensus agreed that no action would be taken until the financial picture is clearer, but did instruct the superintendent to have specifications prepared so that the call for bids may be published. It was stipulated that local people should be used in the event that the Board finally decides to proceed with the project.

Superintendent James Bible informed the Board of a minor accident at the high school which resulted in damage to the exterior brick. A car's emergency brake failed and it rolled into a corner of the building. The car owner's liability insurance will pay for the necessary replacement of brick.

The superintendent continued with an announcement of a school board members' training session set for June 13 in San Angelo. He then presented a request from tennis coach Carol Sessom for permission to use the tennis courts from June 1 through June 5 for a tennis clinic. Fees will range from \$35 for beginners to \$50 for advanced students. Permission was granted.

Principals reported their enrollments as follows: Elementary-320; Middle School-259; Junior High-259; High School-314 for a total of 1,141.

Rosemary Mathews said that some members of the senior class and their parents had expressed a strong desire to have commencement exercises at the football stadium rather than in the gym of the new high school. Following a brief discussion, the Board indicated that practice should take place at both locations, and that the program would take place at the stadium if the weather permitted.

Ronnie Cox, representing the Sonora Merchants Association, addressed the Board with a request for establishment of a homecoming celebration during the football season. Mr. Cox said

that it would serve to boost the spirit of the community while bringing some extra dollars into the local businesses during these difficult financial times.

Following a pro and con discussion, on motion of Rosemary Mathews with a second by Jim Garrett, the Board directed the athletic director to designate a home football game as the homecoming game. It was further stipulated that any homecoming festivities planned would not interfere with normal school operations nor would class time be interrupted. The motion received the following voice vote: For homecoming-Rosemary Mathews, Jim Garrett, and Julio Samaniego; Against-Scott Shurley; Abstain-Gary Hardgrave.

The motion carried by a majority vote.

A second request by the businessmen was to move the annual Halloween Carnival from its present location on the old campus to its original downtown site. The question of safety of the children downtown was an item for discussion, as was the fact that the carnival appeared to be better-attended downtown. After some discussion, President Shurley appointed a board to investigate the matter and to acquire input from local citizens as to site preference. Those committee members, Rosemary Mathews, Gary Hardgrave, and Scott Shurley, are to report their findings at a later meeting.

Bids on preparation of the old Allison Trailer Park (across the street from the new high school), for paving for a parking lot were opened. The bids were as follows: Charles Howard Construction-\$32,700; Carl J. Cahill-\$32,850; and Reese Albert-\$59,300. On motion of Rosemary Mathews with a second by Julio Samaniego, the bid was awarded to the low bidder, Charles Howard Construction of Sonora.

Superintendent Bible expressed  
(Con't on pg. 2.)



Proud winners are (back row-l. to r.) Coach Sessom, Angie Carrasco, Mike Hooper, Kelly Whitehead, (front row-l. to r.) Cindy Doran, Heather Bunkley, Preccia Miller and Mary Ross.

## Tennis team advances to Regionals

The Sonora Bronco Tennis Team traveled to Abilene Thursday and Friday April 16th and 17th to compete in the District Tennis Tournament. The tournament this year was hosted by Abilene Wylie and was played at Rose Part Tennis Center in Abilene. Overall the girls won first and the boys placed second. Other 5-AAA teams competing were Merkel, Clyde, Ballinger, Colorado City, Coahoma, and Wylie.

The results were: Girls Singles-Angie Carrasco def. Grimes (Colorado City) 6-3, 6-2. Carrasco def. Atkins (Wylie) 6-0, 7-6. Kelly Whitehead def Carrasco 7-6, 6-3. Angie Carrasco won second. Kelly Whitehead def. Tran (Merkel) 6-4, 6-1. Whitehead def. Cunningham (Coahoma) 6-2, 6-0. Whitehead def. Bond (Wylie) 6-1, 6-0. Whitehead def. Carrasco 7-6,

6-3. Kelly Whitehead won first place.

Girls Doubles-Preccia Miller-Mary Ross def. Boyd-Quick (Wylie) 6-4, 6-0. Miller-Ross def. Moore-Joiner (Coahoma) 6-1, 6-0. Miller-Ross def. Bunkley-Doran 6-3, 6-2. Miller-Ross won first place. Heather Bunkley-Cindy Doran def. Lee-Blake (Ballinger) 6-1, 6-0. Bunkley-Doran def. Fowler-Moncrief (Colorado City) 6-2, 6-0. Bunkley-Doran def. Harvey-Duff (Wylie) 7-6, 2-6, 6-4. Miller-Ross def. Bunkley-Doran 6-3, 6-2. Bunkley-Doran won second place.

Boys Singles-Mike Hooper def. Douglas (Coahoma) 6-0, 6-2. Hooper def. Happ (Wylie) 6-4, 6-4. Hooper def. Molina (Colorado City) 6-4, 7-6. Mike Hooper won first place. Shon Jones def. McCoy (Ballinger) 6-0, 6-1. Molina (Colorado City) def. Jones 6-3, 6-

4. Boys Doubles-Brad Morgan-Wayne Tyler def. Jacaman-Moore (Wylie) 6-3, 0-6, 6-4. Craighead-White (Colorado City) def. Morgan-Tyler 6-2, 6-3. Mike Ramos-Joe Paul Solis def. Ogle-Lee (Ballinger) 6-0, 6-0. Raschke-Dakan (Colorado City) def. Ramos-Solis 6-0, 6-4. Ramos-Solis def. Bruton-Patterson (Ballinger) 6-2, 6-3. Ramos-Solis won third place.

Congratulations to all the Broncos for a job well done. All first and second place finishers will represent Sonora and District 5-AAA at the Regional Tournament to be held in Odessa in two weeks. This week-end the Broncos will travel to Junction to compete in a regional qualifiers tournament. Good Luck Broncos!

## Briefly

### DRN Mystery Photo

The winner of last week's Mystery Photo was Vicky Covey, who correctly guessed the person to be Tryon Fields. Congratulations Vicky, you won a large pizza at the Pizzeria.

All photos used in the contest will be local, well known persons and will have appeared on the front page of past issues of the Devil's River News.

Rules for the contest are simple:

1. Only one guess per person.
2. No phone calls before Friday morning at 10am in order to give our subscribers a chance to play.

The mystery photo will be placed in a different location each week.

This week's winner will receive a \$10 Gift Certificate from Patricia's Place Antiques compliments of the Devil's River News.

### All Sports banquet

This years All Sports Banquet will be held on May 4 at the new high school. The banquet is scheduled at begin at 7 pm.

Tickets for the banquet should go on sale at the end of this week however ticket price and menu for the banquet are not available at this time and will be announced at a later date.

It is hoped that everyone in the community will attend the banquet, saluting Sonora students for their athletic accomplishments.

### Al-Anon meetings

Al-Anon meets in Sonora on Thursday nights and in Eldorado on Tuesday nights. For more information on the organization or on the meetings, call 387-5775.

### Medical Dates

The optician from Royal Optical will be here on Thursday, April 16 at 12:30.

Dr. Lummus, the podiatrist, will be in Sonora on April 21 at 1 pm. For appointment call 658-4020.

### Local Flea Market

The Brothers of Hiram A'Bif will be hosting a Flea Market on Saturday, May 2 from 9am to 9pm in the parking lot of the old Ritx Theater.

The Brothers of Hiram A'Bif is a group of area Masons who have banded together to assist in putting a new roof on the Masonic Lodge.

There will be food and drink booths set up all day. At 7pm there will be an auction of prized items consigned for the auction.

The Brothers will be having a gigantic Garage Sale at the Flea Market featuring items from thirty to forty families.

To reserve space or for more information, please call Butch Campbell at 915-387-2793.

### Cauthorn Day

The Church of the Good Shepherd invites you to

"Dinner on the Grounds" on April 26 at noon in celebration of John and Mildred Cauthorn Day.

A barbecue meal is being furnished by the Church of the Good Shepherd, free of charge.

Following dinner, there will be a Story Telling Fest sponsored by the Outdoor Drama Group. ODG is having the story telling as an initial attempt to collect written and oral history in preparation for the Centennial Celebration of Sonora and Sutton County in 1990.

### Get-Together

On April 23, the Sonora Chamber of Commerce will hold their First Ever Chamber Get-Together for the membership of the Chamber.

The get-together will be held at the Sutton County Steakhouse from 6 to 8 pm. It is a come-and-go affair.

Hor d'hoerves will be served and there will be a cash bar.

The Chamber Board of Directors hopes that each member will come and visit or share your ideas.

### Childbirth classes

Prepared childbirth education will be offered in Sonora beginning Wednesday, April 29.

The classes will teach what to expect from labor and relaxation techniques to make labor easier.

For more information contact Cassie Dietz, R.N., at 387-3938 after 5 pm. Please contact by the seventh month of pregnancy if you are interested.

### Help

Do you have any metal folding chairs sitting in the garage or store room that you don't ever use?

These chairs are needed at the Senior Center and could definitely be put to good use.

And remember, all donations to the Senior Center are tax-deductible. Should you have any questions call the Center at 387-5657.

### Slab dance

There will be a Slab Dance on Friday, May 1 from 8 to 12 pm at the County Park Slab.

Music will be by The Rounders. Admission will be \$3 per person will proceeds going to the Little League.

### Band Concert

The Music Region VII West Zone Junior High All-district Band Concert will be held in the Sonora High School auditorium the Saturday at 5 pm.

Junior high band students from many surrounding towns will be participating.

Guest clinician/conductor for the band will be Tom Dillon of McCamey.

### Rabies Clinic

There will be a rabies clinic for ctas and dogs on Friday, April 24 from 10am to 5:15pm at the Animal Care Clinic, 606 Concho Ave.

For more information call 387-3784.

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There have been two more confirmed cases of rabies in town-one skunk and one fox.

## Cauthorn Day-April 26

April 26 has been declared John and Mildred Cauthorn Day by Mayor Gosney.

The proclamation by the mayor was made in response to the following letter:

Dear Mayor Gosney,  
Mildred Cauthorn's profound approach to the practice of Christian stewardship blessed the Church of the Good Shepherd for many years. Shortly before her death, this long sensitivity resulted in an act that placed one-half of the annual income from her estate into the possession of two entities in the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.): The Presbyterian Children's Home and Service Agency (30%) and the Church of the Good Shepherd (20%).

It is the joint desire of the two Presbyterian entities that your office and the City Council

proclaim Sunday, April 26, 1987, as John and Mildred Cauthorn Day. Her act of Christian generosity toward the people of Sonora is well known. It seems fitting to us that her benevolence be marked by such a proclamation with an attendant resolution.

It is our pleasure to inform you that on that day at noon, we will host a barbecue on the church lawn. Although at that time, we will not have an involved program, we will honor local guests, board members of both the Agency and the Trust and our past ministers and members. 1987 is our thirtieth anniversary as a church.

Thank you for joining with us in marking the singular place of His generosity in the life of our community. No other local act approaches it in scope. Respectfully,

Harva Cooper, Bill Dempsey, Dois Badgett, Jerold Fields, Stanley Mayfield, Susan Bloodworth, clerk and William Jones, moderator.

This letter very nicely sums up a portion of the community contributions of the Cauthorn's. It is fitting that a day be devoted to honoring them.

Immediately following the lunch, the Outdoor Drama Group will be hosting a Story Telling Fest. The purpose of the Story Telling Fest is to gather information and stories of our area to be included in part of the festivities for Sonora's Centennial Celebration in 1990.

It is the hope of the ODG that every person in Sutton County will join them in this afternoon of fun and story telling.



...we're so glad you came



## CHAMBER NOTES

by Dede Doran

I am running 9-0 right now trying to get us ready for the First Annual Chamber of Commerce Goat Cook-off. If you haven't already marked your calendar for May 16, please do so now. This will be a fun day with Goat Roping, Bull Riding, A Goat Cook-off, games, more games, a dance, etc., etc. Sounds like fun to me! Call the Chamber or come by if you are interested in signing up for the Goat Cook-off. If you are interested in the Goat Roping, call Linda Joy at 387-6108. The books are open right now and only the first 50 entries will rope! The Bull Riding books will open on May 15 at 8 a.m. and will close at 5 p.m. that same day. Only the first 40 entries will ride bulls! Call the same number if you are interested in entering the Bull Riding.

Time to get that yard cleaned up! Are you sick of hearing this? We want our visitors to see just how much we do care about our town. If you are interested in being a part of the Chamber of Commerce Beautification Committee, please let me know. We are going to try to beautify some places around Sonora and we can always use help and donations. If your club or organization is interested in the

Adopt-A-Highway Program, then contact Louis Olenick at the Texas Highway Department. He can sign you up and will designate which 2 miles of highway you can clean up. This is a neat project and will really help our community.

Don't forget the Chamber Get-Together Thursday night, April 23, from 6 to 8 in the evening at the Sutton County Steakhouse. I am looking forward to seeing and hearing from our members. This should be a fun way to get input into the Chamber. See you there!

Congratulations to the Girls Tennis Team and their coach Carol Sessom!! Our Bronco Girls really swept the District Tennis Tournament. Kelly Whitehead and Angie Carrasco won first and second in singles and Preccia Miller/Mary Ross and Heather Bunkley/Cindy Doran were first and second in Doubles. How about that!! Mike Hooper won first in Boys Singles and is off to Regional also. The girls won a beautiful trophy for our school along with the District title! I was so proud of our whole Tennis Team...they not only played good, but they were such good sports and really represented Sonora well. Also congratulations to Santiago

Faz, who will be going to Regional in track. Quite a fete! The One Act Play is also going to Regional. I would say that the Sonora Broncos will be well represented at Regional Competition in Odessa! Sorry if I left anyone out. I hope I got it all!

A big thank you to these individuals who are members of the Chamber: Mrs. Martha Miers, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Neal, Mrs. Elizabeth Neill, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pope. We do appreciate each of you. We couldn't do it without your support! See you next week!

## LETTERS

Dear Editor,

The Sonora Ministerial Alliance wishes to thank all those who did so much to assist our programs during the Easter Season. The Devil's River News, KHOS, and the Sonora Chamber of Commerce all helped us with publicity for "The Highest Place" and for the Easter Sunrise Service. The Chamber of Commerce loaned us their PA system for the Sunrise Service while the Lillian Hudspeth Hospital provided the electricity and the wonderful location. (We hope to be invited back again next year.)

We have been very pleased with the community support for "The Highest Place". Your response made all the hard work that went into the production very worthwhile. A special note of thanks to Rev. George Morris for conducting the music and to Rev. Monte Jones for directing the drama.

Sincerely,  
Rev. Kent Kepler  
for the Sonora  
Ministerial Alliance

Dear Editor,

Thanks to Bill Keel and all his friends for making us a part of their cook-out.

Richard and Jean Reece  
Swayzee, IN

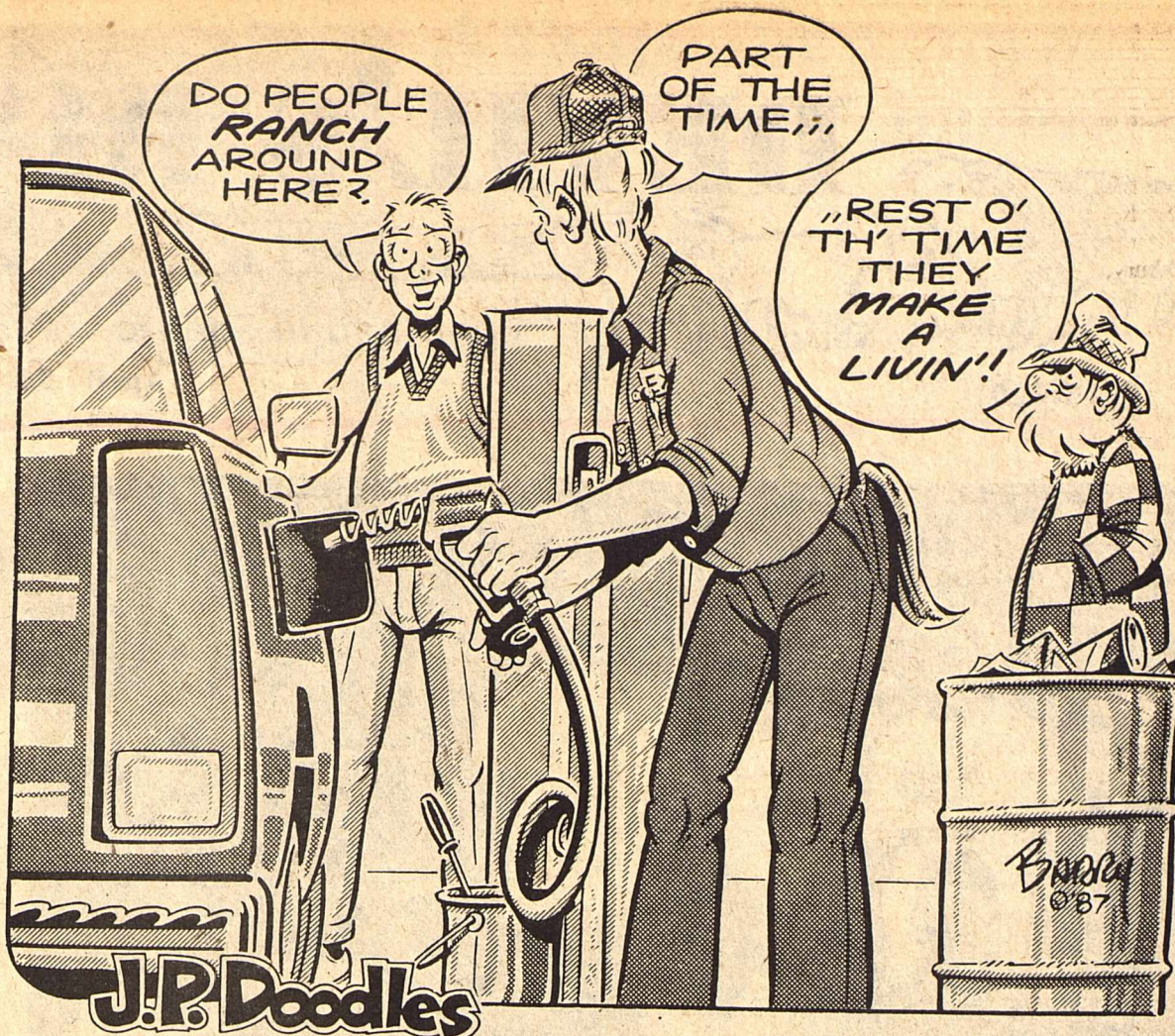
## School Board

(Con't from pg. 1.)

the district's thanks to Jim Garrett for his invaluable help in preparing the specifications and assisting bidders, and to the City of Sonora for their cooperation in this project. Mr. Bible pointed out that thanks to Mr. Garrett and the city, the taxpayers of Sutton County would be saved around \$30,000.

The Board accepted the resignations of the following district personnel: Maria Chavez, retiring from the cafeteria; Forrester Halamiczek, Band Director; Verna and W.C. Raphelet, retiring; Laverne Whitefield, moving.

On motion of Jim Garrett with a second by Gary Hardgrave, the paraprofessional and auxiliary staff were unanimously rehired for the coming year at salaries as recommended by the superintendent.



## Wild animals do not make good pets

It is springtime, and wild animal babies are being born all over the countryside. As cute as they are, they should not be picked up with the intention of making a pet out of them. Most species of wildlife are protected by game laws, and it is illegal to keep them. Another problem is that wild animals do not make good pets; even animals pen-raised and hand fed from birth still have the wild instincts. They are unpredictable and usually bite or scratch the owner, particularly as they get older.

Many diseases can be spread to people from keeping wild animals:

1. Leptospirosis, which can damage the kidneys.
2. Plague, an extremely infectious disease which can be fatal for example "Black Death" of the middle ages.
3. A roundworm called Bayliascaris can be contracted from the feces of various wild carnivores can be fatal.

4. Rabies-the greatest source of exposure is the wild animal population, especially bats, skunks, and racoons.

There is no vaccine available for wild and exotics animals. As a result, a person can never be sure that a wild animal is not carrying the virus. For example, skunks have been known to carry the virus and appear normal for eighteen months or more.

If a wild animal bites a person, it is regarded as rabid unless proved negative by laboratory tests. According to the Texas Department of Health, no wild animal will be placed in quarantine. All wild animals involved in biting incidents will be humanly killed in such a manner that the brain is not

mutilated, and the brain shall be submitted to the TDH Certified Laboratory for rabies diagnosis.

Don't endanger the health of your family, friends, and neighbors by keeping wild

animals. Call wildlife rescue in San Antonio they take in the wild critters, rehabilitate them, and release them to the wild where they belong.

## ONE MAN'S OPINION

by T. Driskell

It would appear that in a jury trial, that highly touted decision by twelve of one's peers can be markedly divergent from justice. The degree of divergence can totally escape realism.

Consider, if you will, the recent trial of Amy Carter and Abbie Hoffman and associates. They were charged with trespassing and creating a disturbance on private property, a university campus. They were staging a demonstration against a Central Intelligence Agency recruiting team invited to visit the campus.

They were demonstrating without permission and Hoffman had no reason to be on the campus, except possibly to create a demonstration. Remembering that the charge was trespassing and creating a disturbance; the trial was a real first rate comedy.

No defense whatsoever was offered against the stated charges, virtual nolo contendere. Instead, they proceeded to try the CIA for its crimes in Central and South America. The judiciary functions must have been out to lunch, or just out, to have allowed the trial to have been conducted so far afield, and to ignore the stated charges.

The charges against the CIA may or may not have been valid. Their relevancy to the infringement on the University's rights against trespassing and disturbance is a little hard to establish.

The twelve staunch peers heard the case and decided on the basic issue; of Trespassing and Disturbance Creation; not guilty. Carter, Hoffman, etcetera had tried and convicted the CIA in some sort of kangaroo court and the jury agreed they had the right to trespass on private property, create a disturbance and interfere with the CIA recruiting. It has the

stench of McCarthyism of the late 1940's, but from the other side of the fence this time.

More significant is a basic fact you cannot ignore. If you are guilty of a crime-you must have a jury trial, and a dramatist for an attorney. The name of the game is then to try the victim, not the criminal. The Carter-Hoffman trial is a case in point, and if you read transcripts, you can dig up good examples of great benefits in murder cases.

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**AROUND TOWN**

by Hazel McClelland

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hill and Mrs. Nora B. Kiser, last week were: Mrs. Beth Kelly of Granbury, Texas, Mrs. Estell Hill and Mrs. Lucille Michem of Buchanan Lake, Miss Jennifer Kiser of San Angelo, Texas.

Etta and Nora B. fixed lunch for all of them. Lucille is a sister of Clyde and Nora B, and Estelle is a sister-in-law. Jennifer is a granddaughter of Nora B.

Mrs. Dorothy Baker spent several days last week in Ft. Worth visiting her sister.

Mrs. Dick Morrison and granddaughter, Suzanne Surber were in Royce City for a Morrison family reunion on April 12. Thirty people attended the reunion. The oldest person was 85 years old and the youngest was 3 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Morris and Zackery of Georgetown were here several days last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Morris.

The Hudspeth Hospital Auxiliary met April 13 at the Nursing Home. Mrs. Ruth Shurley, president, presided, Mrs. Vivian Crites, Sec. read the minutes and Mrs. Metha Trainer, Treasurer gave a financial report. Rev. Boney Jones gave the program.

Those present were: Mrs.

Shurley, Mrs. Crites, Mrs. Trainer, Mrs. Dorothy Baker, Mrs. A.W. Bishop, Mrs. Freda Cooper, Mrs. Charlott Gilmore, Mrs. Vera Jones, Mrs. Lena Belle Ross, Mrs. Edwin Sawyer, Mrs. Greta Smith, Mrs. Ray Smith, Mrs. Ruth Spaulding, and Mrs. Guila Vicars. Mr. Gilmore and Rev. Boney Jones were guests.

Mrs. Trudy Schuber and children of Tyler, Texas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jones over the Easter weekend.

Sonoran's in San Angelo Wednesday were: Mrs. Dorothy Baker, Mrs. Myrtle Bridges, Mrs. Guila Vicars, Mrs. Lena Bell Ross, Mrs. Vivian Crites, Mrs. Adale Wilson, and Mrs. Jerry Don Balch.

Mrs. Metha Trainer was in San Angelo Tuesday.

Mrs. Gwen Wardlaw spent Easter in Lampasas with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ponce, Carolyn and James.

Mr. Johnny McClelland and family spent Easter with his mother, Mrs. Faye McClelland.

Hazel spent Easter in Sweetwater with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson, Tracy, Mando and Terrell.



JIM AND HELEN ADAMS, CARROLL LINGLE, JR.

**Hill Country Fair Assoc. plans 51st celebration**

The Hill Country Fair Association will hold their 51st Annual Race Meets and Angora Goat Sales this August. This 51st celebration will begin on Saturday, August 1, 1987 with Horse and Mule Races at the Hill Country Fairgrounds beginning at 3:00 p.m. both Saturday and Sunday, August 1st and 2nd.

Selection day for the Goat Sale will be held Wednesday, July 15th at the Goat Barn. Billies will be selected starting at 10:00 a.m. and Does at 1:00 p.m.

The weekend of August 7, 8 and

9 will include the Angora Goat Sales. The doe sale will begin at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, August 8th followed by the selling of billies. The sale for these top quality, selected goats is held at the Fairgrounds at the Goat Barns which have been enlarged and reconstructed.

Horse and Mule Races will begin at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday, August 8th and 9th in order to allow time for you to attend all the ongoing festivities and also make it to the races.

Music for the first weekend of dancing August 1st, will be provided by Jay Eric and the Bleeders Creek Band on Saturday night from 9:00 p.m. until 1:00 a.m. at the Hill Country Fairgrounds open air pavillion. Southern Image will play Friday August 7 and Johnny Rodriguez will entertain Saturday night August 8th.

**Pvt. Lira completes training**

Private Victor Lira graduated Thursday, April 16 from the United States Army Training Camp at Fort Bliss, which is located in El Paso, Tx.

Pvt. Lira received 2 medals, 1 in sharpshooting the M-16 rifle and another in Expert grenade throwing. Lira attended Fort Bliss for 10 weeks where he faced many challenges throughout his training.

Attending Pvt. Lira's graduation in El Paso were his wife Janice Lira and his sister Rita Favila. He also had loving support from his son C.J. and daughter Victoria.

Private Victor Lira is now in Virginia at Fort Lee where he will complete his AIT school.

We wish Pvt. Victor Lira and his family all the luck for their future, congratulations.

**Mary Trevino receives G.E.D.**

Mary Barron Trevino has received her G.E.D. Certificate. She took her tests on April 9, 1987. She was a former student of Sonora High School.

Mary is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Juan Barron, Sr. and now the wife of Ramiro Trevino.

have replaced trains as a way of traveling and it's just about true.

All they need now to completely replace trains is a fat conductor in a shiny blue serge suit to waddle through punching tickets. They've managed everything else.

For example, airplanes can be as late as trains ever were and you can miss just as many connections. People sitting and staring at nothing in an airport waiting for a delayed plane look just like people sitting and staring waiting for a train in a depot. Airport sandwiches taste just like sandwiches used to and they cost a dollar a piece. Cold drinks 35c. And as for losing luggage, the aviation industry has mastered that as well as the best of trains.

After you finally get on a plane at a big airport it takes as long for it to taxi to a runway for take-off as it took a train to get out of a station. One of mine taxied for 18 minutes. Of course airplanes don't have sidings to wait on while another one, late itself, comes by, but they've matched that by circling overhead for an hour or two waiting for a spot to land. One plane I was on circled for an hour and 45 minutes, along with 20 others, when it landed I discovered I had to wait 50 minutes for a crowded bust to take me to the other side of the terminal two or three miles away to wait another hour for another plane. I could have walked faster but didn't know the way.

As I see it, air travel is fine if you're the President of the United States or the Prime Minister of England and can take off from home and land where you're going without having all those other people in the way.

Yours faithfully,

J.A.

**Samaniego finishes course**

Marine Pfc. Daniel E. Samaniego, son of Eulogia G. and Julio Samaniego Sr. of Sonora, Tx., recently completed the Motor Vehicle Operation Course.

During the five-week course at Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, CA, Samaniego received classrooms and behind-the-wheel instruction on the operation and capabilities of Marine Corps vehicles, defensive driving techniques, "rules of the road" and user-level preventive maintenance.

**Gomez named president of M.L.S.A.**

Pete Gomez, Jr. was recently elected President of the Minority Law Students Association at Texas Tech University School of Law. He is currently in his 2nd year of law school.

He said that one of the major goals of the organization was to present a bill to the Texas Legislature that would allow for the creation of a grant program for minorities that were pursuing a post graduate education. He has participated in Mock trial and negotiations competitions at the law school. He has also been selected to serve on the Law School Admissions Committee and is also a member of the Christian Legal Society.

Pete and his wife Sheri have one daughter, Emily. He is the son of Pete and Irene Gomez of Sonora.

**OUT OF THE PAST**

JANUARY 18, 1973

**SNIPS, QUIPS & LIFTS**

by Lottie Lee Baker

They live in a neighborhood where the houses are farther apart and the payments are closer together.

"Drive carefully. Drive defensively. It's not only cars that can be returned to their Maker."

An unusual child is one who asks questions that his parents can answer.

"Money works two ways. It talks and it stops."

There is nothing like soft soap to remove a dirty look.

Most people's financial problems are simple. They're short of money.

Three things in the world are always unexpected-triplets.

A genius is a fellow that can rewrap a new shirt and not have any pins left over.

In January, it is true, people view with utmost rue the bills now due.

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Spd rdng s pssbl, bt u mst knw hw. Tht tks tme & stdy. Cnsqntly, mny thnl tht rdng wrds wtht vwls cn hlp ppl rd fstr. Why nt try wrting tht fr fstr rdng?

Just because a rumor is idle doesn't mean it isn't working.

The trick is to hold opinions without letting opinions hold you.

The year is always portrayed as an old man or baby. Like most of the people, it never gets any attention when it's middle aged.

You can't take a crash course in serenity.

Remember when the saltiest thing you got in a movie was the popcorn?

A LIFT FOR THE WEEK  
Doing beats stewing.

Editors note: This is hard to believe, but the Dry Devil's Philosopher on his bitterweed ranch on Dry Devil's River claims he took an airplane trip last week, his letter this week reveals.

Dear Editor:

It's not very often that I get off this bitterweed ranch even to go into Sonora but last week I found myself flying half-way across the nation, no use saying which cities I visited, they're pretty much alike, in fact, I looked at newspapers in five different big cities and each one of them had exactly the same place-the New Orleans sniper story in the upper righthand corner of the front page, Henry Kissinger back in Paris in the left hand corner.

That's the difference between the big city dailies and a paper like The Devil's River News. Regardless of how many different towns you might visit this week, you won't find another paper with the same news as yours.

But what I started out to say was that I had heard that airplanes

**Congratulations, Graduates!**



The tradition continues. Sonora's graduating seniors make their gift selections at Tedford's.

These Sonora Graduates have already made their gift selections at Tedford's.

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- Carrie Cox
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- Shawna McLaughlin
- Christl McLaughlin
- Alma Quiroz

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**Adams, new owners of grocery business**

Jim and Helen Adams are pleased to announce their recent purchase of Thornton's Thriftway located at 505 SE Crockett.

The name of the store has been changed to Jim's Thriftway and it is hoped that the signs to proclaim the name change will soon be in place.

The Adams' are new to the grocery business though Jim has about twenty-five years of retail experience. "Even though we are new in this line of business, we will do our best to please every customer," says Helen.

Adams, who is the manager of Perry's Department store here in Sonora, says they are excited about buying the store. "This part of Texas is our home and we plan to stay here," states Adams.

"We would like the people of Sonora to know a little about us. One of the main things is that they can be assured that we will be the same people tomorrow that we are today, no 'fronts', we're just plain people." Adams continues. "Our philosophy is fair prices and friendly

service."

The Adams' plan to have the store open on Sunday afternoons from 12:30 to 5:30. "We felt there was a need for this." Adams says "You get out working in the yard and immediately you think 'What is there to put on the barbecue?' and you realize you don't have anything, it's nice to be able to go buy what you need." Store hours through the week are 7:30 am to 8 pm, Monday-Saturday.

The Adams', married for twenty-six years, have four children. Their daughter Elania, is the manager of Perry's in Eldorado, Regenia lives in Stephenville, Jeannie is a junior at Eldorado High School who will be transferring to Sonora next year and son, Paul is a seventh grader at Sonora Junior High.

Carroll Lingle, Jr., Elania's husband will be assisting Helen in the day-to-day operation of the store. The Lingle's are expecting to make the Adams' grandparents sometime next month. "It will be our first grandchild," says Adams, "and we are really excited."

**Hill's Bridal Registry**

Trudy Dell Taylor, bride-elect of Charles Niblett

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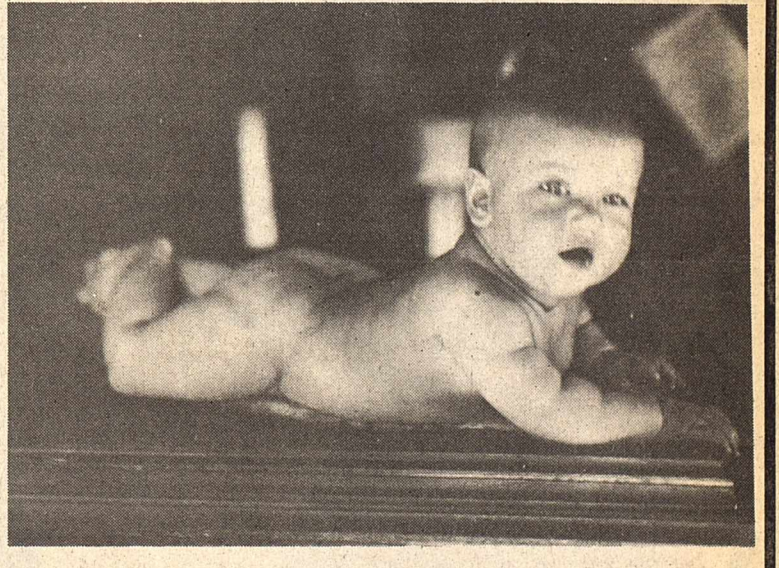
Trudy Dell Taylor, bride-elect of Ashley Niblett  
Penny Clemons, bride-elect of Keith Wall

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**Guess who was 50 on April 21?**



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# VanderStuckens mark 50th Anniversary

Joseph VanderStucken and Mable Mears were married in Menard on April 27, 1925.

Joseph was born in Sonora and attended the University of Texas. Joseph joined in the family ranching and merchantile business.

Mabel was born in Menard, graduated from Hackaday School and St. Mary's College.

Both of the VanderStuckens have been extremely active in civic and business in Sonora and the state.

Joseph has served as Vice-President of First National Bank of Sonora since 1929 and was Chairman of the Lillian Hudspeth Board for twenty years.

He has also served as a member of the State Land Use Planning Board, chairman of the Edwards Plateau Conservation District, the first president of the Sutton County Wildlife Association, past president of the Board of Directors for the West Texas Boys Ranch and was named as the Chamber of Commerce Senior Citizen in 1981. He also served on the Board of Directors for the Boy Scout Council and was the recipient of the Silver Beaver Award.

Mabel served on the Sonora School Board, vice-president of the El Camino Girl Scout Council and was the first president of the Hudspeth Hospital Auxiliary. She is a member of the Order of Eastern Star and is the Chairman of the Hudspeth Hospital Board.

Together they have served on the Board of the El Camino Girl Scout Council and on the advisory board of the Concho Home for Girls, the



MR. AND MRS. JOSEPH VANDERSTUCKEN

vestry of St. John's Episcopal Church.

The VanderStucken's donated land in Real County for Jo-Jan-Van Girl Scout Camp and built the chapel at the hospital in memory of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed.

L. Mears and Mr. and Mrs. E.F. VanderStucken.

They have two daughters, Jan Mears VanderStucken and Jo Bess Jackson and two grandchildren, Joseph and Elizabeth Jackson.

## It is the secretaries who Keep the country moving

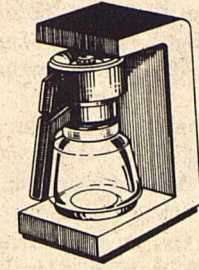
(EDITOR NOTE:) Realizing that secretaries can be either gender as can bosses, for the sake of simplicity, this column will refer to secretaries as female and as bosses as male.

The secretary could aptly be called the mainstay of American business. She is called upon to perform a myriad of duties daily.

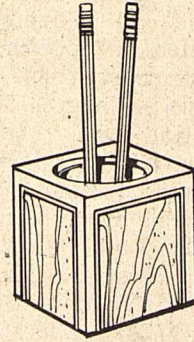
In most cases, a secretaries duties include the following:

**Answering the telephone**-a secretary automatically, with finesse, sorts out who gets to speak to the boss. The secretary maintains a mental list of plausible reasons why the boss can't talk at the moment, one of the favorites being that "he is in a meeting." This screening of calls may be one of the most important daily functions a secretary does to protect the time of the boss.

enters the office has its place. It is up to the secretary to file each, knowing what goes in "File 13" and how to separate the rest. Filing may be the most creative outlet a secretary has and almost all secretaries develop a unique filing system.

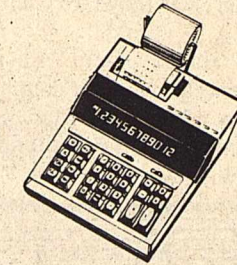


**Receptionist or greeter**-being possibly the first link with a client or prospective client, a secretary can literally hold the success or failure of a business or operation in her hands. She must always be kind and courteous regardless. She knows which client wants two teaspoons of sugar in their coffee and which client doesn't drink coffee. In many cases, she knows the clients childrens name(s) and their interests.



**Correspondence**-a secretary types letter, memos, etc. and posts them to the proper persons. She may take dictation from the boss or she may know what the boss would want said and also how to phrase the response according to its receiver.

**Filing**-each slip of paper that



**Purchasing agent**-a secretary must make sure the office never runs out of the necessary supplies, including pens, coffee, paper clips, sugar, note pads, coffee cups, staples, creamer, bookkeeping

supplies and toilet tissue. A secretary also arranges travel and accomodations for the boss and clients, praying that the airline isn't overbooked and that the hotel is a nice one.

A secretary may be called upon at the last minute to secure the services of a baby-sitter for the bosses children for the evening. If one can't be found, the secretary may have to fill the position. Or a secretary may have to juggle her schedule to make sure the bosses children get to dance class.

A secretary often selects all the birthday, anniversary and Christmas gifts the boss gives to his spouse. It may even be up to the secretary to remember the dates of all special occasions. She intuitively knows when to send flowers to the bosses spouse.

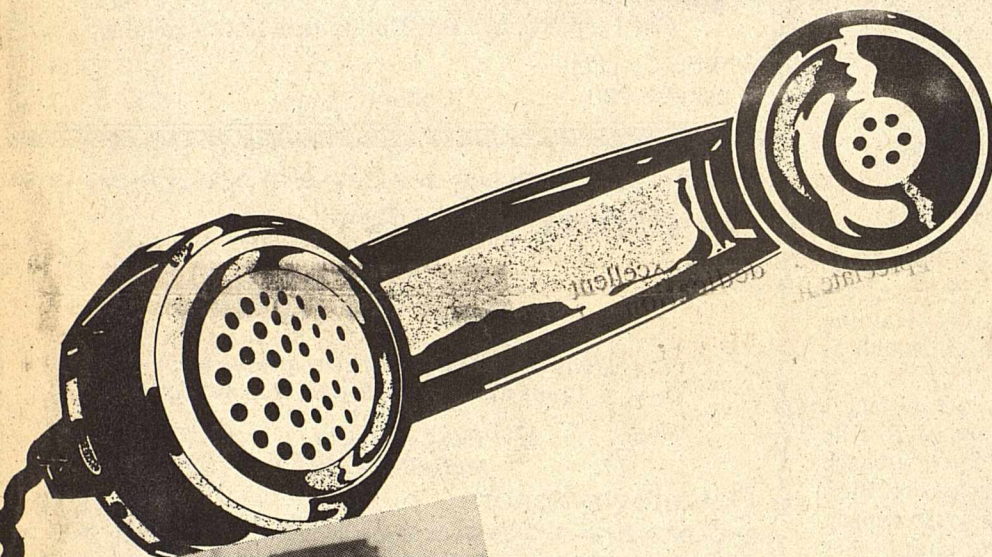
A secretary does many "little" things around the office such as watering the plants, cleaning the office, creating a pleasant atmosphere for co-workers and clients, arranging for office parties or special occassions and she automatically senses when something is about to go wrong and how to handle the situation.

A secretary acts as mother, friend, confidant, counselor, director of operations and subordinate, and handles each phase of her job in a discreet manner. She is well versed in the operation of her business, she knows the correct procedures and answers. She is a master 'juggler' and magician as well a productive worker.

It is with these thoughts in mind that we pay homage to the Secretaries of Sonora, and the nation, during Professional Secretaries Week.

# Professional Secretaries Week

April 20-24



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Jacquie,  
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could have.  
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Lynette and Suzy,  
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# Outdoor drama group- who & why?

by Charlotte Gilmore

In recent weeks much has been said about an "Outdoor Drama Group". An explanation of the makeup and purpose of this group now seems in order. It all began in January of this year with the Sonora Merchants Association discussing ways of creating more business in Sonora and specifically the feasibility of attracting tourists to shop here. In February the founder of the play "Texas", Mrs. Margaret Harper, was on hand to speak to an interested group of Sonora residents and merchants about the impact tourism can have on a city. She told how "Texas" came into being and what steps would be necessary for Sonora to also create an outdoor drama. She was very impressed with the area in and around Sonora, pointed out highlights which would appeal to tourists and encouraged the audience that evening to delve into the history of the area and to find the drama in it which could be presented to the world, for the enrichment of the tourists and to the benefit of Sonora.

A group of those who heard Mrs. Harper and who are committed to the idea of an outdoor drama for Sonora has been meeting each week since that February date to discuss and plan for such an event. The group at present consists of Charlotte Gilmore, Co-ordinator, Dede Doran, Ann Cates, Preston Love, Jimmy Cahill, Boney Jones, Monte Jones, Jim Stephen, Patricia Johnson, and Jack Burch, Consultant. Only a few concrete decisions have been made regarding a possible drama. One such decision is that the story we want to tell is how the character

of the early 1900's settler who came to the area interacted with the character of the land. The second is that a three year plan be developed, with some kind of a mini drama being performed in the summer of 1988 (perhaps a re-enactment of the railroad's coming to Sonora) on the dock of The Santa Fe Depot; a mini drama on the actual site in 1989 and then a full fledged drama on stage at the completed outdoor amphitheater in 1990 as a part of the 100th Anniversary celebration of Sonora.

The seed of this drama has been germinating for a long time and has grown out of a felt need on the part of many townspeople and merchants for an event which would attract tourist dollars. We

all know tourists are out there spending their dollars. Tourism has become the 2nd largest industry in Texas (\$16 billion last year). Of course, promotion would be a key factor and our own Chamber of Commerce in conjunction with The Texas Tourist Association and the West Texas Travel Council will work hard to promote any event Sonora has to offer. Dede Doran, Chamber Manager, reports that she has already sent out more tourist information this year than she did during the entire year of 1986. The Caverns of Sonora have reported a drastic increase in their business as a result of the special coverage in Texas Highways. Next year Sea World opens in San Antonio and we can

expect a tremendous increase in the already heavy I-10 traffic. In order for Sonora to feel the effect of all of this tourist traffic, though, a deliberate effort must be made to create an atmosphere and events to draw the tourists into town, to stay a day or more, visit

our historic sites and spend their dollars. The creation of an outdoor drama would be beneficial to Sonora in many ways. (See special reprint of "Economic Impact of Outdoor Productions") It has already sparked a renewed

interest in the completion and expansion of our museum complex. With that complex (Old Jail, Miers Home Museum, and Santa Fe Depot) in top shape and operating as a professional institution, it will be a place the

(Con't on pg. 9.)



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Thank you for the excellent  
work and dedication. I  
appreciate it.  
Mark Shurley  
Attorney  
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Pat, You can always be  
depended on and you are  
doing a terrific job.  
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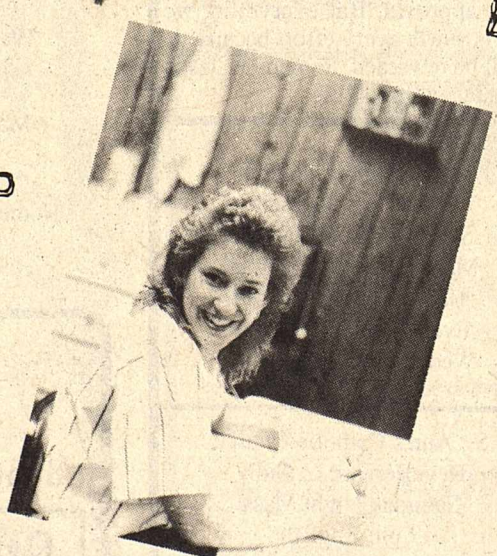
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You do a great job and I  
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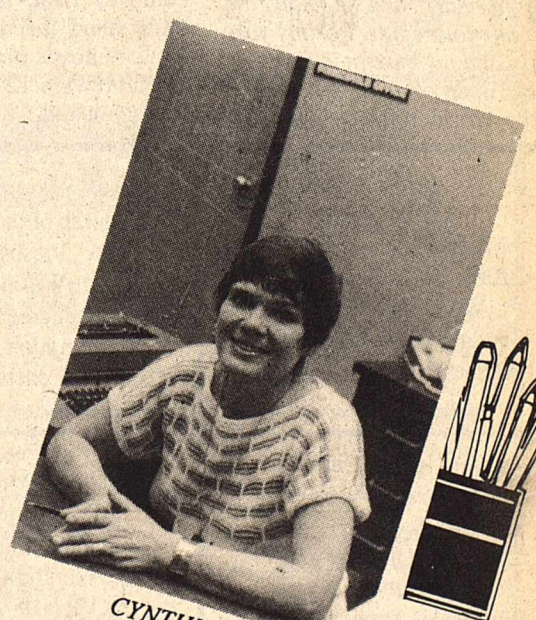
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I appreciate your dedication  
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Thank you for all you do.  
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We really appreciate all you  
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# Health Care

by Scott Gilmore  
Hospital Administrator

## Parenthood: Molding an Adult is in your hands

A child is an unformed piece of clay, both mentally and physically. Even though born with inherent tendencies and mannerisms, his/her adult life is based upon childhood experiences.

Producing a happy, confident adult is probably the most difficult task one will ever encounter, especially if a single parent. But the ingredients are

quite simple: honest, two-way communication; expressed affection; positive attention and encouragement; firm, but not physically or mentally abusive supervision; and most importantly, a respected role-model....yourself.

Your children may not be destined for stardom or public success but with your support they can excel at their chosen endeavors.

Four signs that may mean

trouble: A child's moodiness is usually a temporary condition that can be dissipated quickly with a little extra attention and affection. Signs that the situations might warrant professional help: 1) a dramatic change in behavior that persists more than several weeks. 2) prolonged changes in eating or sleeping patterns. 3) poor peer relationships. 4) sudden change in communications (your child is hostile or won't talk to you.)

As with any serious condition, consult with your doctor or a professional. Lillian M. Hudspeth Hospital is open 24 hours a day to care for the health needs of Sutton County. Call 387-2521.

Sponsor a child for "Bike Ride Plus" April 25, 9 a.m. at the United Methodist parking lot. Proceeds benefit the American Diabetes Association. Sponsor sheet available at the school or the hospital. Call Kathy Lind at 387-3745 for more information.

## Social Security

### Providing more than benefits

Young people first entering the work force may look upon Social Security as something for the "other guy". For them, retirement seems to be--and is--a long way off in the future. But, Social Security provides more than retirement benefits--benefits that all workers, regardless of age, can take advantage of.

For example, a young worker who becomes severely disabled so as to be unable to do any work for at least a year may be eligible for monthly Social Security payments. These benefits are payable at any time before age 65 provided the person has worked long enough and recently enough in Social Security-covered employment. The law provides for a 5-month waiting period, so checks start with the sixth full month of disability and continue as long as the worker remains disabled. His or her family may be entitled to benefits as well.

In addition, an individual who receives disability benefits for 2 years is eligible for Medicare, which includes both hospital and medical insurance. Medicare helps pay for major health care costs, such as hospital and doctor bills.

Occasionally, too, young workers die. If this should happen, monthly payments can be made to the worker's family provided he or she had worked long enough under Social Security. These payments may be made to the worker's children until their 18th birthday or, if they are attending an elementary or secondary school full-time, until their 19th birthday. Payments may also be made to the surviving spouse until the youngest child is 16.

These are only some of the features of Social Security that make it more than simply a retirement program. Additional information can be obtained from the San Angelo Social Security Office located at 2214 Sherwood Way. The telephone number is 949-4608.

#### Who Gets Breast Cancer?

The American Cancer Society reports that one out of every 11 women will develop breast cancer at some time during their lives.

## Meet the EMS personnel



Mona Simpler is the Assistant Coordinator for the EMS. Mona, who is the Director for the Sonora Early Education Center, graduated from Texas Tech and began working in Sonora as a Speech Therapist.

"I am very proud of the level of professionalism of our organization" Mona says, "We have a fine group of people, united by a common goal. When we help reduce the effects of illness or injury upon human life, I feel as if I have done a service for my fellow man. The rewards can be tremendous."

Mona has two children, Reece age 4 and Krista, age 2.

## Goat roping set for June 12 & 13

The 3rd Annual World Championship Goat Roping and Invitational Ranch Rodeo sponsored by the San Angelo Stock Show & Rodeo Association will be held on Friday and Saturday nights, June 12th & 13th, 1987, in the Roping Fiesta Arena at the Fairgrounds. This year's schedule will include a Senior's Steer Roping.

Friday's schedule will include the Goat Roper's elimination rounds in the morning. Starting at 6:00 p.m. 60 Goat Ropers will compete for 15 top positions for Saturday's finals and many well known steer ropers will compete in the Senior's Steer Roping.

Steer Ropers will rope 3 steers each. Starting at 8:30 p.m. a Country-Western dance will be held in the Fairgrounds Exhibit Building featuring Clay Baker and the Texas Honky-Tonk Band from New Braunfels, Texas.

Saturday's event will start at 7:00 p.m. with the finals of the World Championship Goat Roping. 15 Goat Ropers will rope 4 head for the World Championship Title, a trophy belt buckle and the \$5,000.00 first place money. Also on Saturday night 11 counties will compete in 4 events in the Ranch Rodeo. Counties invited to participate in the Ranch Rodeo are: Tom Green Co., Irion Co., Schleicher Co., Reagan Co., Crockett Co., Sutton Co., Runnels Co., Coke Co., McCulloch Co., Sterling Co., and Menard Co. The 4 events of the competition will be Horse Catching, Saddle Bronc Riding, Wild Cow Milking and Team Branding.

Tickets for the roping are \$5.00 each. Dance tickets are \$5.00 each. All seats will be reserved for each day's roping. Tickets may be ordered by writing to the San Angelo Stock Show Association, P.O. Box 2450, San Angelo, Tx. 76902.

Entry fee for the Goat Roping is \$100. Entries will be accepted April 1st to April 30th. The contest is open to everyone. For information contact the Stock Show Association at 915-942-1900.

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## Rest for the weary

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In Matthew 11:28-30 "Come unto me all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light."

This is an offer of salvation to all the world by Jesus Himself.

Doing heavy labor with extra burdens tied to your back would be extremely hard. Here Jesus refers to a labor with the extra burden being your sins. This is what Jesus is trying to remove

from anyone who is willing to come to Him. We must try to understand just how thoroughly Jesus removes our burdens (sins). In Hebrews 8:12 reminds us that Jesus not only forgives our sins

he also forgets them. It is also our responsibility to come to Him rather than thinking He will come to us.

The yoke we must take upon us is a binding of ourselves to Jesus in complete submission, to render service to Him in all we do. That submission is given with God the Father. We submit by following the teachings of Jesus in all areas of our life, being the best we can at all times. Remember His yoke

is easy and His burden is light.

It is our responsibility to learn of Him and not His responsibility to give us his message. We learn of Him through our study II Timothy 2:15. We are to study His word and become workers in His Kingdom before we can have

His approval. But everything we do is worth every effort because it will be rewarded. Remember Jesus has the words of life.

Church of Christ Minister-Don Jones Bible School-10 am Worship-11 am Sunday Night-6:30 pm Wednesday Night-7 pm	The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian Rev. William R. Jones Worship Service-10 am Communion first Sunday of each month	Somebody Cares Center Rev. Louis Halford Sunday Adult Bible Hour-9:30 am Super Son Bible Hour-9:30 am Morning Service-10:45 am L.I.F.E. (youth)-3 pm Evening Service-6 pm Wednesday Bible Study-7 pm	First Baptist Church Rev. Jim Stephen Sunday School-9:45 am Morning Worship-11 am Church Training-6 pm Evening Worship-7 pm Wednesday Service-7 pm
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Sonora Tabernacle United Pentacostal Rev. Kenneth Doyle, Pastor Sunday School-10 am Worship-11 am Evening Worship-7:30 pm Wednesday Service-7:30 pm	Live Oak Baptist Church Rev. Charles White Sunday School-10:00 am Sunday Worship-11:00 am Evening-6:00 pm Wednesday Service-7 pm	Jehovah's Witness 310 St. Ann's 387-2679 or 387-3947 Spanish Language Meeting Public Talk-10:00 Sunday Watchtower Study-11:00 Sunday Theocratic Ministry-7:30 Tuesday Service Meeting-8:15 Tuesday Bible Study-7:30 Thursday	St. John's Episcopal Church 404 NE Poplar Holy Eucharist-Sunday 8 & 11 am Sunday School-9:45 am Holy Eucharist w/Prayers for Healing, 1,3 & 5 Wed., 7 pm Daily Morning Prayer-8:45 am Monday-Friday The Rev. J. Monte Jones, Rector

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### Center Menu

**Thursday, April 23**  
Fried Canadian Catfish  
w/tartar sauce  
Stewed Okra  
Potatoes Au Gratin  
Cornbread Muffins  
Whole Banana  
Milk or Juice

**Friday, April 24**  
Chicken Fried Beef  
Steak w/gravy  
Broccoli Au Gratin  
Seasoned Rice  
Wheat Yeast Roll  
Lettuce/Tomato Salad  
Brownies  
Milk or Juice  
**Monday, April 27**  
Meatloaf  
Spinach  
Corn O'Brien  
Cornbread  
Lettuce/Tomato Salad  
Vanilla Pudding w/fruit cocktail  
and Dream Whipp  
Milk or Juice

**Tuesday, April 28**  
Sloppy Joes  
California Mixed Vegetables  
Herbed Potatoes  
Creamy Coleslaw  
Peanut Butter Bar  
Milk or Juice  
**Wednesday, April 29**  
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Cabbage  
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White Bread  
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Milk or Juice

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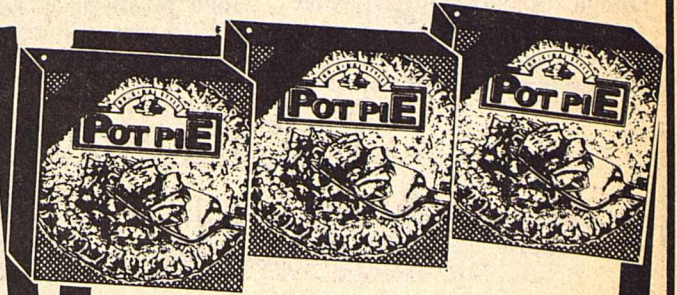
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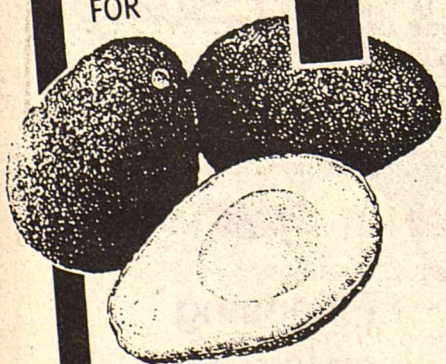
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# THRIFTWAY



# "OVER the HILL GANG"

News from the Nursing Home  
by Doris Cahill

There's a new kid on the block! After having swings installed in front of the Nursing Home, who had FUN-well, just testing, you know? "Little Scotty" Gilmore, yet!

Melvin Hearn had a birthday April 13th, but celebrated early, on April 12th, with a party on the Courthouse lawn, so more of his relatives and friends could be present. Enjoying birthday cake with him were his wife Louise, son and daughter-in-law Dick and

Linda Hearn, Lin and Rick of Del Rio, daughter and son-in-law Joyce and Luther Chalk, Larry Laura, Russell and Rebecca. Bernice and Jack Hearn, Lee and Myrt Armentrout, Irene and Vivian Mears, Susan McCleery, and Bill Chadwick.

Rose Spencer read a complete account of Jesus' last day on earth from Matthew, Mark, Luke and John for Bible Study Tuesday a.m. She made it very interesting. About mid-morning Tuesday,

Lilia brought a colorful beach-ball to the lobby, and we had delusions of grandeur for a minute, but it soon became apparent that we were just going to toss the ball around for awhile. Some of the residents were "beaned" because they weren't wide awake yet, while others held up the exercise by looking at the pretty pictures on the ball.

We watched John Wayne in "Hatari" Tuesday afternoon. Popcorn and movies go together, and we enjoyed both.

For some reason, everyone was unusually quiet during Bingo Wednesday a.m. Lilia called and Marilee assisted. Drinnan made 3 bingos, Drake, Ray, Hamilton, and Cahill each made 2, Hardy and

Brotherton made 1 each.

April 15-Mr. G. sang a song about something called Income Tax and another musical afternoon was underway with Vera Jones and Mr. G. leading the Sing-Along, and Charlotte Wilson playing the piano. Requests were reminiscent "Sweet Leilani," "Harbor Lights," and "Red Sails In The Sunset" and the song-sheet was followed to the end when groups were formed and requested to "row together and then row separately."

Smith Neal brought an arrangement of lovely flowers from the Jr. Hi. school Thursday. Thanks, you-all.

The Country Store came to our rooms on wheels Thursday, enabling us to go on a much anticipated shopping spree.

If we'd had Easter bonnets, and gloves, we wouldn't have worn them because we were so well coiffured and manicured by Mary Hoffman, Gertrude Webb, and Ethelda Holland Friday a.m.

An ancient Greek philosophy-One day HE will have temples and altars too numerous to count, and all will know who HE is.

The Easter Sunrise Service, sponsored by Ministerial Alliance, was impressing, the pantomime especially god, and the setting a profusion of blue bonnets and oak trees, on the lawn in front of the Nursing Home on the hospital grounds. Thelma Phillips, Ellen Ray, Doris Cox, Ruby Brotherton, Muriel Hamilton, and Doris Cahill staggered, or were wheeled, to the front porch after the kitchen help had obliged by serving breakfast a few minutes early, and we had washed the sleepy out of our eyes, brushed the cob-webs out of our hair and brains (?), and dresses in what we hoped was possibly proper clothing. We felt privileged to be there. After the service, we enjoyed pan de huevo (egg bread), coffee, and a visit with an "olden" friend, Buster Shroyer.

Rev. Kent Kepler's sermon "He Is Not Here" was heard from the First United Methodist Church at 11 o'clock Sunday a.m. and Joy Galbreath sang "The Holy City" to the accompaniment of an organ and piano duet, which was beautiful. Butterflies, symbols of The Resurrection, made by First United Methodist Church School group, and bags of snacks were presented to us by Bobby Halamicek, and Katina and Shane Mathews, during the Sunday afternoon worship service at the Nursing Home. Rev. Kent Kepler explained the story of The Resurrection according to the gospel of Mark. Leona Bishop was our pianist and Marilyn Perry of Ballinger, Mary Ellen Halamicek, Monty Yantes, Stacy Mathews, and Virginia, Cynthia, Catherine Kepler were also present.

There were charming little hand-crocheted baskets of gum-drops on our trays at lunch, and cards, gifts, candy, corsages, Easter Lillies, and welcome friends and relatives made our day.

Out of town guests were: Violet

Needham and Lillie Pitts-San Angelo, Evelyn Mims-Cleburne, Eve Mims, Montgomery, and Bryan-Wichita Falls, Jim and Ruth Cherry-El Paso, Nancy and Gene Groom-Ft. Worth, Linda and Foster Hearn-Del Rio, Marcella Schvengel-New Braunfels, Wanda Simon-Junction, Audrey, and Bonnie Neal-Menard, Gina Esquivel, Frank and Jessica, Gabriel-Sterling City, Arturo Gandar-San Angelo, Cameron and Omega Neal-Dallas, Helen Copeland-Dallas and Bill Ray-Eldorado.

Local guests were: Ruth Lee Eaton, Vivian Crites, Gretta Smith, Lori Ann and Amalia Galindo, Yolanda Avila, Frances Reyna, Ida Belle Barnes, Marie Aldwell, Charlotte Wilson, Jericho, Casey, and Carole Thorp, Mary Maskill, Kim Nixon, Petra Gonzalez, Carmen Ramirez, Jeannette and Little Albert Borrego, Harley and Clara Brooks, Edwina and Joey Gandar, Joey Guerra, Elizabeth Ramirez, Joyce and Becca Chalk, Lydia Galindo, Faye McClelland, Laura Chalk, John Osbourne, and Pedro Galindo, Jr.

Bueno Bye-until next week!!

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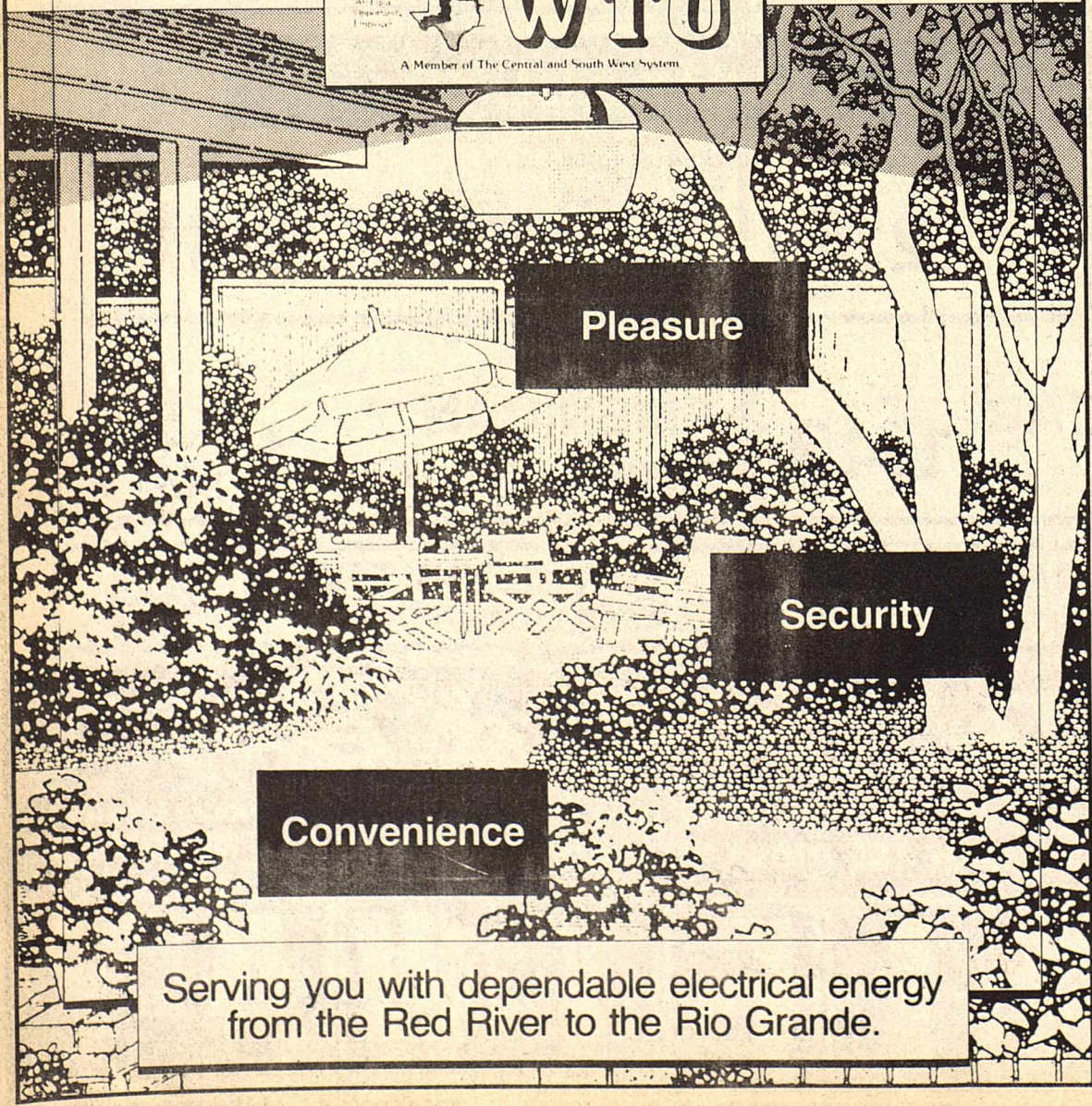
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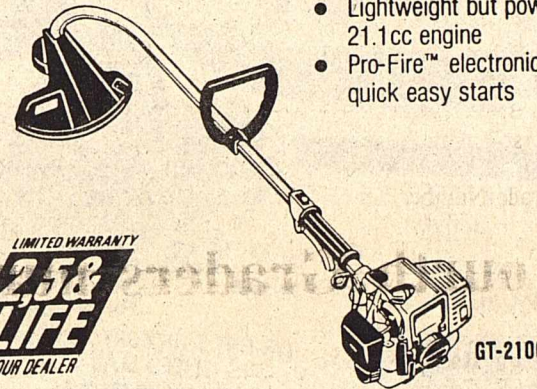
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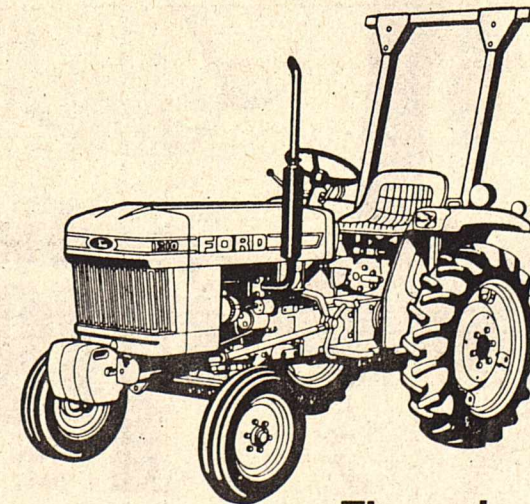
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# BRONCO TAILS

News from Sonora High School

by Alex Duenes

Last week students of SHS participated in the U.I.L. district meets in Wylie. In tennis, Preccia Miller, and Mary Ross were first in doubles and Cindy Doran and Heather Bunkley were second. In singles, Kelly Whitehead was first and Angie Carrasco was second. In the boys division Mike Hooper

was first in singles. In doubles Michael Ramos and Joe Paul Solis were third. Overall the Broncos were first. First and second place winners will advance to regional. Congratulations to them.

In track, Santiago Faz will be the only one advancing to the regional meet. Congratulations to him!

School resumed Tuesday after the Easter Holidays. I hope everyone had a good time.  
by Cindy Doran

Easter Break is over and school is about to wind down.

Congratulations go out to all the SHS athletes! Santiago Faz made it to regional in track along with Mike Hooper in boys singles. Kelly Whitehead, Angie Carrasco, Preccia Miller, Mary Ross, Heather Bunkley and Cindy Doran all made it to regional in Tennis and won the girls team

trophy at District. They go to Junction for regional qualifiers tournament Friday and Saturday.

Regional is April 30 and May 1 in Odessa.

The High School Rodeo team has region finals in Odessa this weekend good luck! Let's go to state!

The Prom Committee are getting things together the prom is May 9, so everyone needs to start getting dates lined up!

## Outdoor drama

(Con't from pg. 5.)

entire city can be proud of, and a people place where tourists will feel a warm Sonora welcome as they explore our history. The Outdoor Drama Group hopes that as we all explore our heritage in search of drama, the entire community will awaken to the importance of our history, it's preservation and it's portrayal.

You are invited to participate in the Outdoor Drama Group, to meet and plan, to assist with research projects, to join in the collection of previously documented history, to learn the art of interviewing for oral history or to become a supporter in any way which is meaningful to you. If you are interested, please call one of the persons already participating in the group and ask for more information.



These little ones seem to enjoy going through their baskets after the Easter egg hunt at S.E.E. Center last week.

## Junior High students compete in

### UIL literary meet in Junction

Sixth Grade-Spelling 1st Leslie Carrasco; Number Sense 3rd Carmen Burch, 5th Shane Keller; Listening-1st Brian Rogers, 3rd Daniel Anderson, 5th William Haltom.

Seventh Grade-Number Sense-

1st Jessica Johnson, 3rd Brandy Edwards, 4th Tammy Fisher; Ready Writing-5th Susen McCleery; Prose-4th Susen McCleery, 5th Brandy Edwards.

Eighth Grade-Spelling 1st Sherry Hocutt, 3rd Tana

Churchill, 4th Belinda Robles; Number Sense-6th Juan Vaquera; Ready Writing-1st Jon Lind, 2nd

Catherine Kepler, 4th Liza Allen; Prose-1st John Russell, 3rd Julie Jones, 4th Laure Barlemann.

## Fourth Graders nurture egg babies

Our Egg Babies  
by April R. Castro

On 4-14-87 my fourth grade class made egg babies. They were all real cute and had cribs. The first day we created them and left them in the nursery. The second day (today) in the morning we took them out of the nursery and started caring for them. We took them to math, P.E., health science, lunch, and to the movies. The reason we made egg babies is to learn responsibility. We had to have boiled eggs to keep them from cracking and making a mess. I

think we learned a lot today.

The idea for Egg Babies was presented by fourth grade teacher, Pat Russell who said she had seen the concept and had used it last year with a class of third graders.

Egg Babies day was held in the fourth grade classes this past Wednesday.

Not only was the day educational but the students enjoyed it. The children created Birth Certificates for their babies including the name of the baby, weight, length, place of birth (city, county and state) and the name of the parent.

Some of the names chosen for the babies ranged from Fred to Kathy to Eggbert, Jr. to Chickadee. The characters or appearance of the babies took all forms, sweet baby faces, jewelried babies and punk rock babies.

If the "parent" was unable to take care of the baby, a sitter had to be arranged. There was even a "hospital" set up to care for the ill (or cracked) babies.

It is always so pleasant to see the inventive and imaginative ways of teaching that our educators use.

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### What's Happening Around School

#### This Week

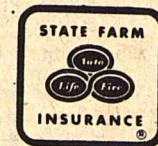
#### High School Schedule

APRIL		MAY	
Fri. 24	Regional Qualifiers Meet-Tennis TBA One-Act Regional-Odessa UIL-Odessa Literary Regional Choral Concert/Sight-reading Contest-Stephenville	Fri. 1-2	Regional Tennis-Odessa
Wed. 29		Fri. 1	Deadline for Student Council
		Mon. 4	Athletic Banquet High School Commons Area-7 p.m.
		Thur. 7	Student Council Elections
		Sat. 9	Jr.-Sr. Banquet/Prom-7:00 p.m.

#### School Menu

Monday, April 27-Chili & Beans, Tossed Salad, Crackers, Orange Wedges, Milk	Nachos, Cole Slaw, Apple Half, Milk
Tuesday, April 28-Tacos, Pinto Beans, Lettuce/Tomatoes, Cinnamon Roll, Milk	Thursday, April 30-Lasagna, Buttered Corn, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Brownie, Milk
Wednesday April 29-Hot Dog,	Friday, May 1-Hamburgers, Potato Chips, Lettuce/Tomato, Ice Cream, Milk

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Statement of Resources and Liabilities

#### ASSETS

Thousands of dollars

Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	462
Interest-bearing balances	998
Securities	2,426
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs	1,705
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	5,285
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	61
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	0
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	5,224
Assets held in trading accounts	0
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	1,033
Other real estate owned	18
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	0
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0
Intangible assets	0
Other assets	259
Total assets	12,125

#### LIABILITIES

Deposits:	
In domestic offices:	
Noninterest-bearing	1,305
Interest-bearing	9,325
In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs	0
Noninterest-bearing	0
Interest-bearing	0
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs	0
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	0
Other borrowed money	0
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	0
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	0
Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	0
Other liabilities	205
Total liabilities	10,835
Limited-life preferred stock	0

#### EQUITY CAPITAL

Perpetual preferred stock	0
Common stock	750
Surplus	750
Undivided profits and capital reserves	(210)
Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments	0
Total equity capital	1,290
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital	12,125

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

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Name  
Vice President and Cashier  
Title

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House for Sale-2 bedroom, 2 bath, carpeted-asking \$22,000. Call 387-3461. 15-tfc

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### First National Bank of Sonora

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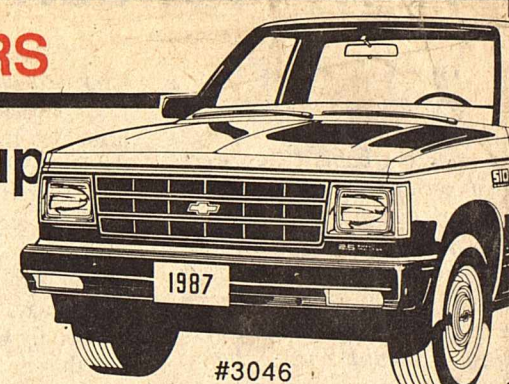
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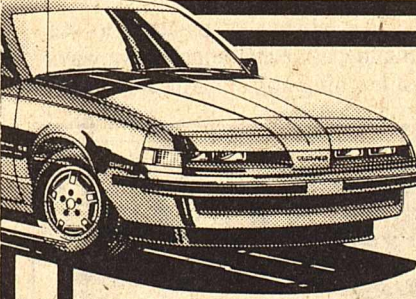
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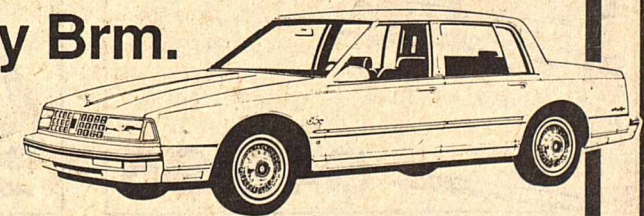
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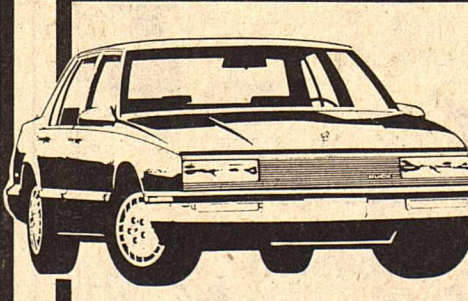
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