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# Lady Broncos win Bi-District play



Lady Bronco Bi-District Champs are, front row-left to right, Ladonna Snyder, Valerie Perez, Norma Sosa, Christi Adkins and Kay Williams. Back row-left to right, Michelle Villanueva, Vonna Pierson, Debbie

Harris, Anna Balch, Donna Varner, Tracy Teaff, Mitzi Joy, Wheless Baker, and Donna Pierson. Staff photo/Noema Escobar.

# Third graders tell of TEAMS test "I felt sord of scared," "I felaed sad"

The students in SISD recently you take every year except when going to the next grade. completed the TEAMS test. Mrs. you are in 2nd, 4th, 6th, 8th, 10th Lynch asked her third grade writing and 12th grade. The TEAMS test is class to express their feelings not very hard if you studied and regarding the test. Here's what the listened in class. youngsters had to say:

students take every year. It has three are ready for the next grade level. parts: math, reading and writing. This test is for helping them go to nervous. I didn't want to take it, but one grade to another. When the I did. After I took the test I was tests have been graded and the hoping I made a hundred. results have come back, the homeroom teacher will usualy call

You have to take the TEAMS The TEAMS test is a test that test because they want to see if you

When I was taking the test I got

The TEAMS test is a test that child will be retaught.

When I first started the TEAMS I was nervous and a little sacred. But now the second and third day it was easy. Then I liked to do the TEAMS. But I hated to go to sleep early!!

Amy Elizabeth Torres I think the TEAMS test is a test that everybody in Texas takes to review what they learned in all of the subjects. And if one child keeps Katrina Michelle Cooke on missing the same thing that

If you listen alot and study hard for TEAMS you might get a "4." If you study hard but you didn't study hard enough you might get a "3" or a "3t." If you hardley don't study you might get a "2" or "2t." If you don't study you might get a "1" or a "1t" which is not very good as a grade.

I had to take the TEAMS test con't. on page 5

purchase new uniforms for the

Frank Uniforms, Inc. for

\$31,943.71 and from Fruhauf for

\$36,031.50. Bryant Harris, band

director, explained to the Board that

the more expensive uniform would

prove to be the best buy due to its

Bids were received from Sol

band.

by Cynthia Kepler There's no place like Sonora High! Well, there's no place with the possible exception of San Angelo on Friday and Saturday. Our very own Lady Broncos are still rumbling down the road and the Band is close behind!

Last week I bragged because the Lady Broncos were District Champs. This week they went one better to become Bi-District champs. A whole crowd from Sonora was in the Central High gym Friday night to cheer the Lady Broncos on to a 66-52 victory over Coahoma. Scorers for the night

were: Christie Adkins, twenty-one: Anna Balch, thirteen; Mitzi Joy, nine; Debra Harris, eight; Wheless Baker, six; Kay Williams, six; and Donna Pierson, three. These girls have gone undefeated in their last seven outings, and all of them have done an excellent job. I'm also proud of our Sonora fans at the game, two more seating sections had to be pulled out for us. I hope that as many of you joined us at Lakeview Tuesday night for the Area playoff. Congrats Lady Broncos. We're proud of our #1 girls!

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Sonora, Texas 76950

Voters will have full slate on May 6

have an opportunity on Saturday, May 6 to elect the persons they wish to represent them on City Council, Hospital Board, School Board and Water Board.

I nree vacancies will be filled for City Council. Those with expiring terms are Thomas Adkins, Hershel Davenport, and Bob Mooney. Candidates may file at City Hall until office closing on March 27.

On the Hospital Board Precincts 1 and 3 and two At-Large positions will become open. These positions are currently held by Bruce Kerbow, Harold McEwen, Bob Brockman, and Alvis Johnson, respectively.

Candidates may file for a position on the Hospital Board ballot at Lillian M. Hudspeth Hospital until 5 p.m. on March 27.

Voters will elect two members of the School Board, one each from Precinct 2 and 4. Both are for threeyear terms. At present, Precinct 2 is represented by Jim Garrett and Precinct 4 by Board President Julio Samaniego, Jr.

ballot may file at the school publication, with a 200 word limit.

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Voters in Sutton County will administration office, 807 South Concho, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. each weekday through March 22. Qualifications include residence in the Precinct for at least six months, and residence in the state for one year. All candidates must be registered voters.

Absentee voting on all elections will begin April 27 with voting information to be published at a later date.

With the upcoming elections all potential candidates need to be aware of policies surrounding announcements in the Devil's River News.

Each candidate will have ten days after filing with the proper authorities to submit an announcement of their candidacy to run free of charge in the newspaper. Announcements submitted after the ten day period will be charged at the rate of \$25 with a 200 word limit.

In addition, all political endorsements in the form of Letters to the Editor will be charged at the Candidates for a place on the rate of \$15, payable in advance of

out the grades.

I had to take the test because I am in school and evry kid in school has to take it.

When I was taking the test I felt take the test. When I got used to the test I could wait to get it over.

Briefly

## **Attention landowners**

in by March 1, 1989. The books may be left at the would like to have a listing in the guide, please call dispatcher's office at the Sutton County Jail or given to the local Game Warden.

If you have any questions, call 387-3068 or 387-5159.

## Clean sweep time

The Sonora Downtown Lions Club will make it possible for everyone "to make a clean sweep of increasing predator problem in some areas. things" with their annual Broom and Mop Sale Day scheduled for Tuesday, March 14. The sale will be gin club or if you have questions regarding predator at 7 am and Lions will be positioned in front of the control call John Wade at 387-2908. Post Office and in front of City Hall.

In addition to mops and brooms, there will be many other quality cleaning products available.

## Lodge meeting

Dee Ora Lodge #715 stated meeting is the third For more information on the organization or on the Thursday of every month with a meal served at 6:30 meetings call 387-5775. pm and the meeting following at 7:30.

## ICA monthly meeting

Association will hold their regular monthly meeting Stationmasters Office. Make checks to SCHS-Depot at 6:30 On Monday, March 6 at the Sutton County Steakhouse.

The business meeting will follow a Dutch treat Drug or the Devil's River News. supper. All members are urged to attend.

## S.S. representative

Social Security Office, has scheduled his March visit find you have a few spare minutes each week, you for the 16th when he will be at the Courthouse might be interested in sharing this time with the between 9 and 10:30 am.

information, or transact other business with the you have any you would like to donate. Social Security Administration may contact him at For information, call the Center at 387-5657. this time.

## Mother's Day out

running regularly on Friday's from 8 am to 4 pm.

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We take the TEAMS test to make sure we don't forget anthing that we'v learned.

Alot of children feel nervous about taking the TEAMS. But not me. I was just glad it was over when it was over.

Ashley Browning A TEAMS test to me is The TEAMS test is a test that learned and want to know if you are something that is for you to learn.

> If you would like to bring your child, please call Molly Zimmerman at 387-2304 or call the church office at 387-2466 for more information.

## Attention ranchers

The 1989 Hunting Guide, compiled by the Sonora Chamber of Commerce, is in process and requests are Shooting Preserve Record Books need to be turned already being received for available leases. If you the Chamber office at (915)387-2880.

Over 5,000 of the 1988 edition were distributed. The Hunting Guide works! And it could be working for you!

# Predator problems

Ranchers of the area need to be aware of an

If you would be interested in joining a trapping

### **Al-Anon** meetings

Al-Anon meets in Sonora on Thursday nights and in Eldorado on Tuesday nights. Ozona also meets every Tuesday night.

## Have you adopted?

Adopt one square foot of the old Santa Fe Depot The Sonora Chapter of the Independent Cattlemen's roof for just \$4. All donors names displayed in the Roof and mail to Depot Roof, Box 885, Sonora, Texas 76950 or drop your contribution by Westerman

# Senior Center needs

The Senior Center is in need of volunteers to help Garland Gregg, representative for the San Angelo with the delivery of meals and with activities. If you folks at the Center.

Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get Also the Center is in short supply of cup towels if

# Hotline number

Violence need not be a part of your life. Call the Mother's Day Out at the Methodist Church will be Family Shelter in San Angelo at 655-5774. Transportation to the Shelter is available.

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lasting quality, better construction Meeting in regular session on Febraury 14, the Board of Trustees and better materials used in of the Sonora Independent School construction. District voted unanimously to

Rex Ann Friess, chief appraiser for the Sutton County Appraisal District reported on the results of a recent audit by the State Property Tax Board saying their appraised value figure of \$452 milion is \$21 million more than local figures show. As a result of the alleged difference in the value of local property, state funds for the 1989-

LTA signing ends February 23

Editor's note: This article was Producers may choose a three to submitted to the Devil's River News in ample time for publication in the issue of February 16 but was inadvertently omitted by our staff.

We respectfully regret and apologize for any inconvenience the delay of the article may place on producers in our area.

Wool and Mohair incentive payment are expected to be paid in April. This payment date applies to those applications and receipts reported in a timely matter. Wool and Mohair applications may be signed from February 21 through February 28, 1989.

The LTA (Long Term Agreement) sign up is underway and will end February 23, 1989.

# Local residents do well at stockshow

Livestock Show and Rodeo places lambs at the show. Sutton County residents in some favorable positions.

Matthew Smith led Sutton County 4-Hers in placing a crossbred lamb tenth in a class of 118 lambs. Shawna Faris was eleventh with a heavy finewool.

Other 4-Hers placing in the top Morley, Keith Wallace, Decky Spiller, and Brian Faris with two counties in what was the toughest Powers.

five year contract and draw up to \$3,500 per contract year. All practices under the annual program are included in the LTA Program. SCS has technical authority for the program. For more information, stop by the office or call 387-3111.

Producers should use caution when buying feed. The feed program for the 1988 crop year ends March 31, 1989. Any feed on hand at that time must have cost share payments returned to ASCS. Producers will be charged for leftover feed they received payment on. "If you need to know how

much feed you are eligible to purchase, visit the ASCS office."

News from the San Antonio competition ever with over 1700

Representing Sutton County at the Angora Show the week of February 13 were Farah Gee, Phyllis Gee, April Spiller, Callie Moore, Cody Schenkel, Shane Keller, and Todd Keller.

Official Quarter Horse Show twenty were Tracy Crites, Justin results placed Allison Powers first on "Maydeck Winsalot" and third on "Chicks Mr. Maydeck" in Amatuer lambs. Sutton County did well in Barrel Racing. Both horses are McCarson, Director of Business; comparison to other neighboring owned and exhibited by Mrs.

90 school year may be reduced approximately \$164,000, according to the formula now in use to assign funding to local school districts.

Joe David Ross, a member of the local Appraisal Review Board, said that in his opinion, the figure established by the local office was the more accurate of the two, and that a protest of the state higher figure was in order. He concluded his remarks with words of praise for the staff of the local appraisal office, commenting on their fairness and accuracy in establishing the tax base for taxing entities.

The Board agreed with Superintendent James Bible's suggestion that no action on installing lights on the high school parking lot be taken until the state completes installation of the street lights abutting the lot.

High School Principal Charles Russell presented a plan to the Board for expansion of the vocational program in the district. He said the two basic programs, either of which would satisfy state requirements and enhance the basic curriculum, were Industrial Technology or Vocational Agriculture.

The ensuing diccussion touched on several topics, among them the possibile conflict between a Vo. Ag. program and the local 4-H program and full utilization of the existing shop area and equipment in the high school.

An informal poll of Board members revealed six preferred the Vo. Ag. program, while Becky Johnson favored the Industrial Technology program. Mr. Russell was asked to proceed with plans for having a Vocational Agriculture program in place for the 1989-90 school year.

In closing, the Board unanimously approved offering contracts for 1989-90 school year to the following administrators: Charles Russell, High School Principal; Smith Neal, Junior High School Principal; Miguel Ramos, Intermediate Principal; Clay Cade, Primary School Principal; Warren and Jerry Hopkins, Athletic Director.

Devil's River News, Thursday, February 23, 1989 -

# ublishers Comment

Well, your generosity has done it again!

Several weeks ago, I ran an appeal in this column for \$400 to be used to pay for orthodontics for a young man in Sonora. The entire \$400 had been pledged by the day after the paper came out.

Since all involved prefer to remain anonymous, a simple thank you will have to suffice.

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To coin Paul Harvey ... "and now the rest of the story.

In December, we you told of Jaime Arturo Lozoya Cano of Chihuahua who had attached a Letter to Santa to a balloon and sent it aloft. The balloon's trip was stopped by brances of an oak tree on the property of a local rancher.

We also told you that Jaime would know there was a Santa. The rancher made arrangements to purchase and send almost all of the items Jaime had included on his list.

This rancher received a phone call recently from Jaime's uncle which acknowledged receipt of the package and an extremely excited Jaime was put on the phone to thank the rancher.

It seems that on November 20, Jaime's grandmother held a joint birthday party for Jaime and eleven of his brothers, sisters and cousins. She gave each of the children one of the flimsy cellophane balloons as a favor and the children decided it would be an excellent way to make contact with Santa, each expressing their wishes for Christmas.

Evidently Jaime's balloon was the only one

fortunate enough to fall into the right hands as his was the only one which received a response.

I feel quite sure though, that there are twelve children in Chihuahua, Mexico who definitely believe in Santa Claus now thanks to a very special local person and the efforts of those who helped him accomplish this merry Christmas story.

Another story of local color which has come to light on the eve of it's sixty-third anniversary is that of Kidie Halbert (grandmother of L.P. Bloodworth) and her grandaughter, Betty Jo (Bloodworth) Reinhardt (mother of Dan Reinhardt).

Think if you will of a grandmother's love for a grandaughter who is ill with diptheria and in her delirium was calling for her grandmother. Naturally, the grandmother is going to go to the side of this grandaughter, right? The only problem is that the grandaughter is in Decatur, Illinois and the grandmother is in San Angelo.

This wily grandmother took a train out of San Angelo to Fort Worth where she chartered an opencock airplane, crawled aboard to fly to Decatur. Blizzard conditions blew the plane two hundred miles off-course and the plane wound up landing in a farmers field outside Butler, Missiouri. The grandmother took a train on into Decatur.

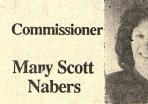
West Texans, and especially if they come from Sutton County, are a rare breed for whom we can each thank God!

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# Why can't these unpleasant confrontations be stopped?

DEAR COMMISSIONER NABERS: I have a complaint about the TEC hearing process. I recently attended a hearing and brought a current employee with me as a witness. My employee testified that the claimant had boasted on several occasions about not following orders. After my witness testified, the claimant turned on her, firing questions such as, "How do you know the comments were not said in jest?" and "Do you mean to say that YOU have always followed orders?" The claimant, through these questions, was clearly signaling to my witness that if she did not shut up the claimant might stir up enough trouble to cause her is that you are failing to distinguish major problems as well.

unpleasant! Why should all to hear, respond to, and cross



**Texas Business Today** throughout the entire process? I believe it is unnecessary and intimidating. Can something be

done about this? D.A.

Houston, Texas

DEAR D.A.: The problem here between a witness and a party. The My point is, it was very claimant is a party and has the right witnesses be present in the hearing examine all evidence which is



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presented at the hearing. You as the employer representative, are also a party and have the same rights. If a party has more than one witness, the TEC hearing officer may require that the witnesses wait outside the hearing room until it is their turn to testify and may then bring them in one at a time. This is not to prevent their being intimidated or uncomfortable but to ensure that their testimony is not tainted by having heard the testimony of the other witnesses.

Once you are finished having your witness testify and the claimant has had an opportunity to cross-examine that testimony, there is nothing to prevent you from requesting that your witness be excused from the hearing room You do have the right to recall witnesses later in the hearing should that prove necessary.

You also have the right to object to questions posed on crossexamination that you feel may not be relevant. In your recent case, for example, it might be reasonable for the claimant to try to establish that a remark he made in jest was misconstrued. It is, however, questionable whether your witness' own work performance is relevant to the issue of the claimant's misconduct. The hearing officer is responsible for directing the course of the hearing and keeping the parties focused on the issues at hand. If this is not happening, do not hesitate to voice your concerns on the record.

We are witnessing some shameful human characteristics within our comprehension sphere. We are seeing the grisly specter of mass ignorance and bare-knuckled human emotionalism raise its head. It seems modern man shoves aside toleration and solves slight, insignificant differences with bursts One must wonder if the recent

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LAST NIGHT, TH'GUY

ON TH'RADIO START'D

demonstration was follow up on all of the demonstrations we had related to the "Last Temptation of Christ"? It must be noted, however, the demonstrations did not begin to confront the Last Temptation until the movie came out, and with a chagrined chuckle we must wonder if it has something to do with literacy. It is unfortunate that our protestants set a precedent that has given our benevolent friend the Ayatolloah Khomeini a powerful weapon.

by T. Driskell -

Salman Rushdie wrote a book Satanic Verses. I have held conversations with two friends who have read it, both articulate authors themselves and both express similar opinions, that the book is a complex combination of Islamic history and verse, hard to read and very boring. The Christian friend thought it might be a tirade against all religion. The muslim professor though that it might have been written to deter erosion of another religion into Islam. Asked if he felt it attacked his beliefs, he said it was not of significance, and had the self appointed spokesman for

Allah, Khomeini, kept his mouth shut, it would have gone unnoticed. The Shiite reaction to

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Khomeini's placing a reward on Rushdie's head was certainly not lost on Khomeini and it should not be lost on us. Any personnel indentifiable as foreigners operating in an area with a large Shiite population can be placed in jeopardy by a single utterance. The Ayatollah has reduced a once wealthy nation to shambles, and his execution of thousands of his educated has gone far to reduce his nation to Shiite levels. He needs diversion factors and we can supply them by sending aid and missionaries into critical areas, after all, they are heretics to the fundamentalist Muslims.



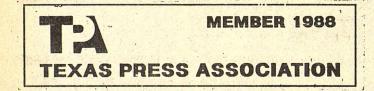
old enough to attend.

Some of our speeding motorists might do well to remember it is better to be a little late down here than too early up there.

Science has not yet discovered Maybe one reason the Russians how the birds know exactly when are so confident is they've watched we have washed the car.

School days can be the happiest We still don't understand how a days of your life--if your kids are rumor that hasn't a leg to stand on gets around so fast.

of emotionalism.



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A tongue was intended to be a divine organ, but Satan often plays upon it. \*\*\*

Life's greatest satisfaction includes getting the last laugh, having the last word, and making the last installment.

Since the advent of sex education the old fellow that drives the school bus can't tell whether the kids are talking dirty or discussing their lesson assignment.

you tell somebody.

You are not a dynamic person simply because you blow your top.

You never have to take a dose or your own medicine if you know when to keep your mouth shut.

The most difficult thing imaginable is to keep clean of debt, dirt and the devil all at the same time. \*\*\*

You'd think that science, which has come up with a quackless duck, a stingless bee, would start working on a wordless politician.

Stingy people squeeze the pennies so hard that the Indian gets Excedrin headaches.

A successful business executive is one who can delegate all the responsibility, shift all the blame, and appropriate all the credit.

God gave to man five senses: touch, taste, smell, sight and hearing. The successful man has two more--horse and common.

There is no such thing as the "ladder of success". It's a greased pole. \*\*\*

Supermarkets are like churches. People walk down the aisles saying, "Lord, help us."



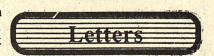
our TV programs and figure all Americans have tired blood, A secret is not a secret unless indigestion, bad breath, and a nagging back ache.

> To avoid trouble and insure safety, breathe through your nose. It keeps the mouth shut.

Mandatory retirement is another form of compulsory poverty.

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A LIFT FOR THE WEEK Be kind to unkind people--they need it the most.



My dear friends,

I want to thank you for your devotion and the comfort, encouragement, beauty and love you have given my life. You continue to give of yourself. You add so much pleasure and magnificence to my days--what a strong structure you are in my life. You are definitely a joy in every avenue of spirit, mind and heart.

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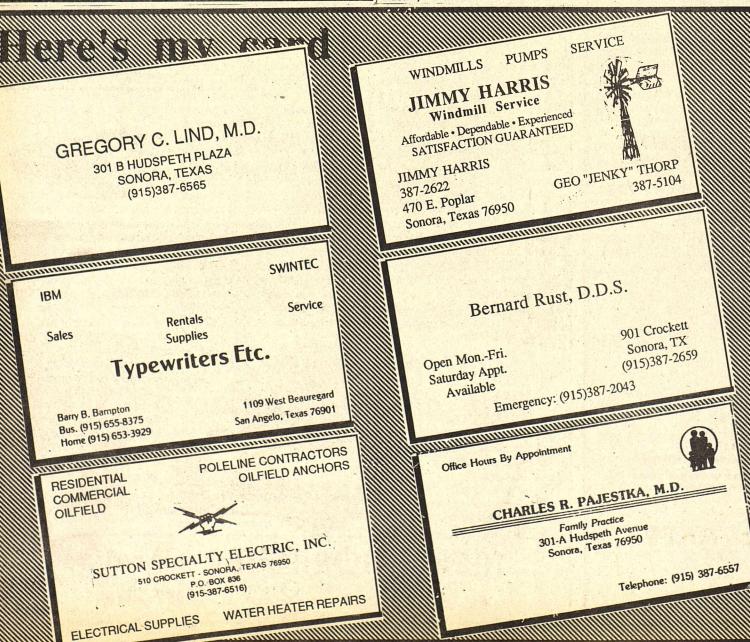
Through the years, your love for me has never wearied or faltered no matter how I've changed in my illness. You bring such happiness and certainly give my life substance. My soul is privileged amd my life is blessed to have your love

Please know I cherish you and embrace your heart when I tell you I love you.

I never lose sight that you keep me in your thoughts and in your gentle hearts. You have given me an imperishable gift-the knowledge my life has made a difference.

Thank you for always holding my hand and never letting go. Through you I truly see God's love and I pray He will wrap His arms around you and keep you safe and happy.

**Betsy Schwiening** Editor's note: If you would like to send Betsy a card, her address is Shannon Hospital, Room 470, San Angelo, Texas 76903.



# Watch out for your wallets Electric rates expected to increase 20-87% over next few years

by Tom Smith Director of Public Citizen's Texas Office

Electric rates will increase from 20-87% over the next seven years for most Texans. Why? The Public Utility Commission--which is supposed to keep utilities from building unneeded electric plants and passing the cost on to us--has failed to do its job. What difference does it make? Try

the following simple test: Multiply your current electric bill by 41% and add it to this months bill, or worse try multiplying your current bill by 87% and add it on to your current bill. If you live in the H.L.&P. or C.P.&L. service areas rate increases of this size are in your future over the next 4-7 years, and rate increases of similar magnitude may loom for the consumers in Texas Utilities

service area. Look at their past performance. They are promising no more than a 20% increase, but remember, they also promised that their \$9.1 billion Comanche Peak plant would only cost \$700 million.

Why are rates going up? The culprits are a series of unneeded and overbudget power plants that have been completed or which are being built even though alternative ways to produce or save electricity like cogeneration and conservation are abundant in Texas and cost 1/3 to 1/2 as much as completing and operating these big new plants.

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#### by Micki Miller, CEA-HE

The National Cholesterol Education Program recommends that cholesterol tests become a routine part of all physical examinations, and all adults should know their cholesterol count. If the results show a cholesterol level:

\*Under 200 mg/dl: The person is probably in a low-risk group. He or she should be retested at each complete physical and certainly every five years.

\*Over 200 mg/dl: A second blood test should be done to confirm the findings of the first one.

\*Over 200 but less than 240 on the second test: The person should be advised to go on a low-fat cholesterol-lowering diet.

\*Over 240 on the second test: The testing laboratory will be asked

and are considering different

estimate what our social security

Administration will now project

what your benefits will be when

you retire, based on your latest

earnings level. In the past, the only

To get an estimate, you will need

Form SSA 7004 from your local

Social Security Administration

You will get a report telling you

how much you have earned in

social security benefits so far, how much you have paid in past social

security taxes, and an estimate of

your future social security benefits.

The report also details the disability and survivor's benefits to which ;

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benefits will be when we retire?

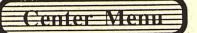
to provide a breakdown of HDLs, LDLs and other blood lipids. People with existing heart disease or major risk factors such as high blood pressure, diabetes, obesity and cigarette smoking should have HDL and LDL levels tested regardless of the total cholesterol count.

Depending on results, a strict diet and lifestyle change may be prescribed. If not totally successful, drugs may be necessary along with the diet.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap or national origin.

We don't need these plants--a recent study has indicated that we would have 23% more power than we need if none of these plants were completed, and plenty of power into the next century. Some utilities have as much as 67% more power than they need.

It's not just your electric bill that will be affected. Think about what an increase of that magnitude will



Friday, February 24-Baked Turkey Roast w/Gravy, Candied Yams, Broccoli, Hot Rolls, Cream Coleslaw, Mississippi Mud Cake

Monday February 27-Pepper Steak, Buttered Rice, Carrots, Hot Rolls, Butterscotch Pudding w/Topping

Tuesday, February 28-Oven Fried Chicken, Red Beans, Harvard Beets, Corn Bread, Cabbage, Tomato & Pepper Salad

Wednesday, March 1-Liver & Onions, Potatoes AuGratin, Spinach, Hot Rolls, Pineapple Up-Side Down Cake

Thursday, March 2-(Pork & Beef) Meat Loaf w. Tom., Macaroni & Cheese, Okra Gumbo, Corn Bread, Gingerbread w/Topping

Friday, March 3-Country Fried Steak w/Gravy, Mashed Potatoes. Broccoli, Hot Rolls, Cherry Cobbler

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local taxing bodies. The price of everything will increase to cover these dramatic electric rate shocks. Such increases in the cost of electricity mean that business and industry have to cut back on labor costs and will have less to invest in new processes. High electric rates will make Texas much less attractive to new industries. According to Public Citizen's 1985 study, entitled Risky Business, 850,000 to 1,250,000 jobs will be

mean to your grocer, or to your lost in Texas over the next 30 years due to the high cost of electricity.

Why has the PUC allowed this to happen? Consumers are simply overwhelmed by the utilities resources. Utilities have the right to hire as many witnesses, experts and lawyers as they want and pass on the bill to you and me. As an example, H.L.&P. has spent over thirty million dollars so far trying to prove that just one plant is needed. Compare that to the PUC's \$8 million budget for regulating all

electric and telephone utilities, or to the paltry \$700,000 the state allocates to its consumer counsel to protect us from all the big utilities.

A coalition of consumer and business groups have been studying this problem for several years. We believe there are four simple steps that can be taken to prevent rate shock from damaging our already fragile economy in Texas. What can you do?

Contact your legislator and ask Con't. on pg. 4

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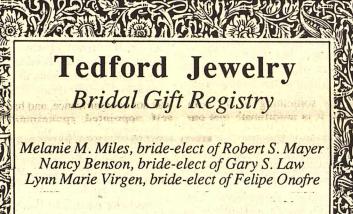


This includes all Mohair Throws, Blankets, and Cozys as well as the many handcrafted gift items Here's your chance to \$ave big during our moving sale now in progress

Sonora Trading

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Hwy, 277 N. at IH-10, Sonora, Texas



I recently read an ad from an ' investment firm offering to conduct

you may be entitled.

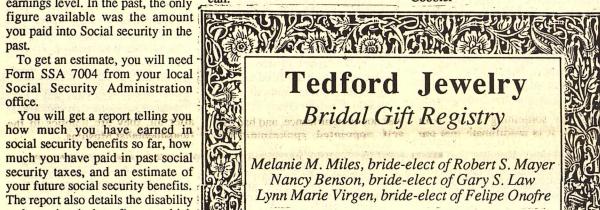
My wife and I are in our mid-30's to list the CD's. The possible "catch" for consumers is the broker's list only

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How can I estimate my social

security benefits when I retire?

retirement plans. How can we contains those institutions which deal with that brokerage firm. However, the list at a major firm could contain nearly 1,000 institutions' names-many more than an individual investor could call.



From what I can determine, this firm will search the country for the best CD rates. How does this search work? What's the catch?

For people interested in investing in Certificates of Deposit who do not want to spend time shopping around for the best interest rates, these CD searches can be helpful. Many major brokerage firms offer this feature through their investor services departments.

Brokers at these firms search their computer data banks for an institution offering the best rates for the amount of money invested.

There is no cost to the customer for this service because the institution pays the brokerage firm



## **Clayton Shane** Love

Mr. and Mrs. David Love are proud to announce the birth of their son, Clayton Shane. He was born February 7, 1989, weighed 8 lbs., 4 ounces and was 20 inches long.

He is welcomed by his brother, Ty; his maternal grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hulsey of Sonora; and paternal grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Love of Sonora.

Maternal great-grandmothers are Mrs. Jack Couch of Dublin and Mrs. Hershel Hulsey of Dublin. Paternal great-grandmother Mrs. Preston Love of Sonora and Paternal great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F.E. Davis of El Paso.

# Lindsay Brooke Savell

Mr. and Mrs. Cody Savell are the proud parents of a baby girl, Lindsay Brooke, born January 3 in Dallas.

Lindsay weighed 7 lbs., 3 ozs., and was 19 1/4 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Terry Christopherson of Dallas and Paternal Grandparents Barbara and Bill Savell of Sonora.

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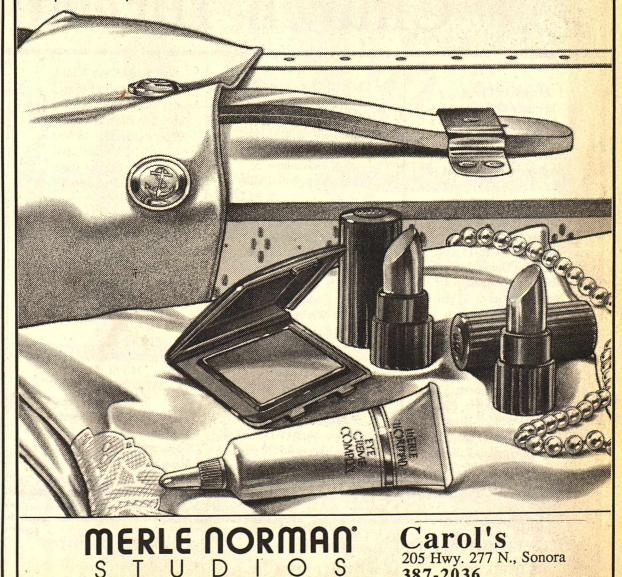


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# A new push to bring more child abusers to trial

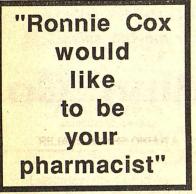
by Congressman Martin Frost Over the past two years, the tragic problem of child abuse has received attention by the media, and many of us are shocked to learn that, according to the National Institute of Justice, approximately 90 percent of all child abuse cases never get brought to trial. Other statistics verify that the 90 percent figure is a conservative estimate.

These disturbing statistics translate into the sad reality that most child abusers go free and, in all too many instances, continue to do harm to children. There are many legal and practical problems associated with successfully prosecuting a child abuse case.

In most instances of child abuse, the only witness is the child. If the child was abused, the trauma of that experience could render that child unable to testify in the presence of the person who committed the crime. Evidence shows that children who have been abused and are then forced to testify in open court can suffer further trauma.

The use of live, closed-curcuit testimony is one way to minimize the trauma to abused children without compromising the rights of the accused. Texas was one of the first to adopt such a law--now joined by 26 others--allowing closed-circuit testimony to be used in child abuse cases. Two main obstacles prevent the widespread use of closed-circuit testimony: cost and constitutionality.

Legislation was introduced to authorize up to \$20 million in federal funds for states that have laws permitting the use of closedcircuit testimoney in child abuse cases. Under this bill, states with such laws would be allocated a minimum of \$50,000, with funding apportioned by population. These



funds could only be used to initiate or expand facilities and training of personnel for the implementation of closed-circuit testimony in child abuse cases.

Many district attorneys favor the expanded use of closed-circuit testimony; however, most local governments cannot afford to buy or rent the necessary equipment. The bottom line is that cost is, and will remain, a key factor in the future expansion of closed-circuit testimony, unless state and local governments receive financial assistance and guidance from the federal government.

The other main obstacle: constitutionality. Last year in the Supreme Court, an Iowa law allowing children to testify behind screens was held unconstitutional. But, the Court did clarify that closed-circuit testimony and other methods to minimize trauma to child victims of sexual abuse would be permitted on a case-by-case basis, under an individualized finding that witnesses need special protection.

States must be encouraged to adopt reasonable closed-circuit testimony laws that pass constitutional muster, if such laws are to receive the approval of the Supreme Court.

The end objective of these efforts is to bring more child abuse cases to trial, which in turn will result in more child abusers being convicted and sent to jail-where they belong.

# **Rising Rates**

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-Prohibit a utility from billing its customers for generating plants consumers don't need.

-Keep the utilities from building unneeded and overbudget plants by requiring them to prove every two years or so that their construction plans are still wise, and the plants are still needed.

-change the current laws to require utilities to provide power from the cheapest source first.

\_balance the legal playing field by limiting the amount of legal fees a utility can recover to no more than the annual budget of the Office of Public Counsel.

-and finally you can write or call Public Citizen of Texas at 1205 Nueces, Austin, Texas 78701 or 512/477-1155 or more information.

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The life expectancy of the average human being spans some 26,280 days, 72 years. It seems that each of us has an abundance of a common commodity--days. These are units of time with which to create, build and immortalize your space and existence.

These units or pieces of time can be formed, refined and used as building blocks in the art of living. Like bricks to a mason or items to their corresponding collectors, each day can be considered the raw material used to 'fulfill individual purposes."

If you are business oriented, each day provides an arena in which to vie for profit and professional success using your own standard of ethics. A spiritually minded person might accomplish those things that contribute to the glory of God while someone else might be drawn toward home and family where everything centers around a tight central location and loved ones.

Whatever the inclination, the situation can be created to support and guide you in the proper direction.

## by J. Michael Fish Days of our lives

in formulating a day, you mold and that only you possess. shape them to fit the grand objective of your own "purpose," your way. You can simply react to situations or you can take control and guide the days in your own behalf.

You smooth the rough edges of each day by the manner and attitude with which you confront your day's minus factors. You strengthen it with knowledge and insight; wisdom gained from mistakes and failures; and successes and accomplishments. You fashion it to fit the general outline of those passed and your desires for those to come.

Take the time to examine each day, making sure of those certain details important only to you. Allow it to fall into it's place rather than forcing it to fit some temporary or superficial goal. Groom and shape it with the beliefs and opinions you've cultivated through the years. Allow it to reflect the craftsmanship you have acquired with experiences from your past. Color and decorate it with the

Through your skills and abilities collection of ethics and attitudes Put You into your day!

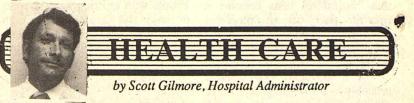
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A day is just a day until you get there and do something with it. You decide what will have good and bad or right and wrong qualities for they come from within you.

I have long disliked the saying "Live only from day to day' because it infers that no thought should be given the future. You stand no chance of properly fitting a day into your life without having some idea of the "big picture." Have a realistic set of goals and objectives in which to guide the direction of your days.

Surround yourself with those things that seem to make living worthwhile-occupation, area, loved ones, and spiritual affiliations. Interact with all areas of your life separately to maintain proficiency of control and simultaneously to meld them into a fulfilling lifestyle.

Whatever their importance, all of our yesterdays and todays are the foundation on which our tomorrows rest--they are the "Days of our Lives."



#### The hard facts on soft aerobics

Low impact or "soft" aerobics-energetic dance exercise without the "jump" may help to lower blood pressure, improve cholesterol levels, reduce the risk of heart attack and stroke, and maintain a desirable weight.

Everyone, from beginners to trained athletes, can benefit from this type of exercise. The trick is to work hard enough to raise the heart rate to its aerobic target range and keep it there for at least 20 minutes, repeating the workout at least three times a week, on nonconsecutive days.

Low-impact dance aerobics has been described as intense arm work done above heart level in coordination with high-powered stepping. It requires energy

supporting our Lady Broncos. There

was standing room only at the San

Angelo Central Gym. It was an

exciting game. Chills run down

you when you looked around-the

SUPPORT-it was there. If you

were one of the spectators there-We

Appreciate You! The girls will be

playing Tuesday February 21 at the

Lakeview High School Gym in San

expenditure and builds higher levels of muscular and cardiovascular fitness. And, best of all, it sidesteps the risk of shin splints and the foot, knee, and lower back injuries that plague many devotees of highimpact aerobics.

In low-impact dance aerobics, one foot is alway touching the ground, and the knees are usually bent. Using light hand weights can increase the intensity of the workout for experienced exercisers.

As with high-impact aerobics, a warm-up period of 3 to 5 minutes, a cooling off period of gentle stretches for 3 to 5 minutes, and attention to control and good posture throughout add to the safety and effectiveness of the workout.



### Mrs. Ruth Lightsey one brother, Joe Humphrey of

Abilene.

Mrs. Ruth Lightsey, age 74, died February 16, 1988 in San Antonio. A former resident of Concan, she was a member of Leakey United

Methodist Church. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Sue McCarty of Sonora; one son, John Lightsey of San Antonio; seven grandchildren; one great-grandchild; one sister, Mrs. Lillian Slater of San Antonio and Cemetery.

# Nancy Nell Shadle

Nancy Nell Shadle 55, passed away February 18, 1989 at Hendricks Medical Center in Abilene.

Services were held February 20, 1989 at 2 p.m. at First Baptist Church in Aspermont directed by McCoy Funeral Home of Aspermont. Rev. Glynn Willis assisted by Rev. Darrell Dossey and Rev. Clyde Cook. Burial followed in the Shadle family cemetery.

She was born Mary 6, 1933 in Peacock, Texas. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Aspermont and attended school in Peacock and Aspermont, was a passed class sponsor for the Aspermont Schools.

Survivors include her husband made to donor's favorite charity.

Alamo Heights United Methodist Church. The Reverend Clyde Byrd officiated. Interment followed at Fort Sam Houston National Brady Shadle of Aspermont, one daughter Karen Fincher of Sonora; three sons, Kirby Shadle of Aspermont; Koblin Shadle of Abilene; Kevin Shadle of

With arrangements made by

Porter Loving Mortuary of San

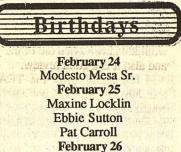
Antonio, the funeral was held

February 21 in the Chapel of

Aspermont; her father, Charlie Goodrum of N.M.; three sisters, Billie Shelton of Albuquerque, N.M., Dorothy Smith of Ruidosa, N.M., and Normalyn Hurford of Durango, Colo.; seven granchildren, Kendra and Kent McAnally of Sonora; Kolby Shadle, Kyle Shadle, Kendall Shadle, Kade Shadle and Slade Shadle; three step-grandchildren, Ty, Tracy and Tate Fincher of Sonora.

Family requests memorials be

announced on Tuesday March 14 at the Chamber Banquet. Your Vote counts. Please sign ballot. a great crowd from Sonora



Angelo for Area. Good Luck! Trey Rushing The plans are getting well February 28 underway for the annual Chamber Brandy Lopez Banquet. We will be having family

by Debbie Farrar What's going on? Well let me deserves the honors. This will be tell you. Our Lady Broncos won BI-DISTRICT! Way to go girls. WE ARE PROUD OF YOU! There was



# TEAMS ...

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becuse this test was very important for me to take. I'm trying to make a "4" in every thing. I'm trying to make a "4" and a "3" in writting. If I make a "3" in writting I get a pizza. If I make a "4" in writting I get a coke. In my class if I make 4's" in everything I get a candy bar.

I felt happy about it but I was not nervous. Maybe some other kids were nervous. Maybe some kids were nervous becuse they wanted to get things that the teacher would give away.

Nina Martinez I think the TEAMS test is a test that we have to take to learn more things. And to get even more and more smarter. The subjects we have on the test are math, reading and writing.

I had to take the TEAMS test to review what I had learned. I also had to so I could get ready for the 4th grade.

When I took the TEAMS test I felt a little nervous. I also felt a little scared.

The TEAMS test is a hard job for little people!

Charlotte Alewine The TEAMS test is all about the things students learned such as writing, reading and math. When the results come back, the teachers know how they are doing. Everyone does the teams. This testing helps everyone go from one grade to another. The teams test is almost the same thing as a cat test. Sometimes if you do very good on the test you might even get an award.

We have to take the test for several reasons, First, so the teacher knows if we have paid attention in class. Next Mr. Romas gave the teams test to the teacher and the teacher gave it to use to do.

When I first heard about the teams test I felt nervous. When the test came and gone, I said to myself now that's not so bad.

**Raven Rainer** The TEAMS test is a test that will be taken in the middle of the school year. The TEAMS test is just taken by first, third, fith, seveth, and so on. If you get a 4 on the writing part you will get a personal pan pizza from Pizza Hut.

You have to take the TEAMS test because if you don't you wouldn't know when the of the year and also it is a good review.

I felt happy after the TEAMS test. Now I can go to bed later and watch more TV.

Drew Dempsey In this paragraph I will tell about **TEAMS** Test.

1. What is the TEAMS Test? TEAMS Test is a test that contains Writing, Reading, and Math.

2. Why did you have to take the

when it was time to take the TEAMS test. It was really easy. Cara Jackson

The TEAMS test is a test we take. It is stuff we have learned through the year. It is trying to see if you have all the stuff in your noodles. The test is a long test but it is a good test.

We have to take the test to see if we have all the stuff that we have learned through the school year in our noodles, just like I said.

When I start the test I am nervous. When we are almost finished I kind of like it. When we are finished with the whole test I am real happy. Jason Jacoby

The TEAMS test is when children are rewiewing skill. That they have learned.

Children have to take the TEAMS test because it will see if you are going to go to the next grade. And because they want to know if you are ready for the harder work.

At first I felt scared dut when we began starting to test I felt better. And now that we done with the test, I am happy.

**Yolanda** Campos The TEAMS test is to test see if we are ready for 4th grade. And to see about how well we might do in 4th grade.

You have to take the TEAMS test because if you don't you won't be able to go to 4th grade.

I felt sord of scared but I liked it the 2nd day. And I couldn't wait until the next day.

Fernie Emiliano The TEAMS test is a test given to children all over Texas.

You have to take the TEAMS test so that your teachers will know how smart you are.

I felt good about taking the TEAMS test.

Tavia Valliant said. A TEAMS test is a test that you have to do what you have lernd during the first of the year.

We have to take the TEAMS so the teachers can see if were gowing to go to the forth grade.

I felt scard at first but I got over it. Knowing that it is over I fell sadd beacous it was very fun.

The TEAMS test is a test do see what you can do by yourself. I had to take the TEAMS to see if I cloud go to the fourth grade and to see if I can remeber anything we have however, when public officials studied or talk about. I feel great about the Teams Test it was not catergories of food, the risks are hard at all!

Joni Thorp

One day I was playing with my friends. Then when it was twelve oclock I tolled my mom that I had homework. She made me do it till it was four oclock in the morning, mom I'm tired. Well go to bed and the next time you have homework do it, okay okay mom.

do not pass all for test we do not pass 3rd grade.

I felt prowd of my self about the TEAMS test. I was not nervest. Michelle Ramirez

A TEAMS test is a booklet that has a circle, and some people marked in the circle. We had to take the TEAMS test because our teacher told us that we had too. When I was taking the TEAM test I was lazy and awful.

Gloria Ann Velardez

# Omitting may cut nutrients

Leaving out entire food categories to try to avoid cancer and heart disease may cause many Americans to consume inadequate nutrients, according to a nutrition expert at Texas A&M University.

Dr. Mary Kinney Sweeten, a registered dietician and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, said diet modification is not a solution for every person trying to lower the risk of chronic and degenerative illnesses.

People have come to hope that by altering their diet, or by supplementing food with vitamins and minerals, they can avoid cancer, heart disease and osteoporosis, even though not one of these illnesses is directly attributable to nutrition,

"Those thinking along this line typically speak out against consumption of fat, sugar and salt. However, high-fat, high caloric foods are rich in nutrients needed by children and adults," Sweeten said.

While many health professionals recommend that Americans consume more fiber, all we know is that fiber, like cholesterol, does not affect everyone the same ways, she

Sweeten said although physicians should provide dietary guidance for some patients, it is inappropriate for public health officials to assume that everyone is equally susceptible to chronic and degenerative diseases, thus creating fear about eating certain foods.

"Leaving out specific food from Stephanie Daniels diets may give some people confidence that they are doing what they can to stay healthy," Sweeten said.

She said problems exist, suggest that by eliminating covered.

Social security's name protected It is illegal now for advertisers or solicitors to use the name "Social Security" to mislead the public, Franklin H. Upp, Social Security Manager in San Angelo, said recently. Also banned is the use of copies of Social Security cards or emblems to give a false impression that the government is endorsing a particular product, service, or organization.

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Restricting use of Social Security's name was one of the provisions of the "Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988" signed into law last July, Upp said. The law covers books, advertisements, circulars, pamphlets, radio and television broadcasts, and other

communications. Civil money fines can be imposed for violations. Upp stated that the new law will help protect the public from unscrupulous persons who try to prey upon fears or ignorance. The best place to get correct information

is directly from the Social Security Office. Name changes, earning history reports, and other services are always free from the Social Security Administration. Many services can be handled with just a phone call. The San Angelo Social Security

Office is located at 2214 Sherwood Way, and its telephone number is 949-4608. Upp said suspected Social Security-related misleading advertising should be referred to the Social Security Office.



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FIXTURES FOR SALE - ALL INVENTORY PRICES SLASHED !.

TEAMS Test? I have to take the TEAMS Test because the school have to see how smart I an.

3. How did you fell about taking the TEAMS Test. I felt kind of nervise because I thought I would not make a four.

#### Mando Palas

The TEAMS test is a test of three subjects, Math, Reading, and Writing. This year we started with Writing then Reading then Math. TEAMS takes up two class periods in the morning. TEAMS is a test a like.

Students take TEAMS to see if they pass. Certain tests do that. TEAMS is most poperlyar, I think. It is also good to take the TEAMS test.

When TEAMS first appeared in front of my face, I thought it was easy looking and easy. I still do, and I'm through. TEAMS is easy. I want a little more challenge. But it is still fun taking it, at least it cut got use to it. classes short.

P.S. I like any test with a challenge.

Kellie Downing

The TEAMS test is hard, long and most of all boring. When you you smart. I felt nervas and tard. take the TEAMS you have samples to help you out on what you are going to be working on dering the test. TEAMS is also the three r's Writing, Reading, Arithmetic. First have Writing, then Reading, then have passed or flunked. Arithmetic.

You have to take the TEAMS so sleep early in the night. you can get treats like candy bars and pizza. Most of all you have to take the TEAMS to get smart.

When I took the TEAMS at first or not. I was scared but I got over it. Then glad its over and I can stay up late do in the Third Grade. and watch more T.V.

test that all of the odd grades has to not be nervous. So I did not get take. It has the three R's in it for nervous on the TEAMS test. the questions.

I had to take the TEAMS test because our teacher and principal have to take. You also have to be told us to and if we don't do what they they want us to we go to the office and get a whipping.

Mom tomorrow is the teams test, I said. After the teams test Mrs. Lynch my teacher put sentences on the board. The first one was What is the teams test? The second one was Why did you have to take the teams test? The third one was How did you feel about taking the teams test?

I answerd the questons and the answers were. The first one was a teams test is to tell how much you know during the year. The second one was to see if we are rady to go to the next year. The last one was I felt sacred about taking the teams test. But I am glad we took it beacuse it really helps us.

Jason Arredondo TEAMS test is a test that kids

take all over Texas. I had to take the TEAMS test to see if I was ready to go to the 4th grade.

I felt nervous at first but then I

Tracy McKnight The Teams is a test to see if you are smart and to see if you need help with school work. We had to take the Teams test because t make

Lindsey Whitworth The TEAMS test is a book that we have to do with Writing, Reading, and Math.

We had to take the TEAMS test when you take TEAMS you first because we have to make sure we

I fealed sad because I had to go to

Scott Perez The TEAMS is a test to see if you are going to pass Third Grade

We had to take the TEAMS test I found out it was pain. Now I am because it is something you have to

I did not feel nervous because Justin Morley Mrs. Patton said when we were The TEAMS test is an important going to start the TEAMS test to

Adela Castaneda The TEAMS test is a test you very smart to do this test. You even have to get lots of rest to.

We have to take the TEAMS test I wasn't nervous or anything to be able to pass 3rd grade. If we

# Quitting Busines



# Original minutes of organizational meeting

Members of the Sonora Volunteer Fire Department have been March 2, 1896. compiling history of the department for some time. Among the things gathered include the original minutes of the organizational meeting held

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORGANIZED

The citizens of Sonora met at the court house Monday night March 2, 1896, for the purpose of organizing a fire department.

T. D. Newell called the meeting to order and John W. Hagerlund was elected chairman after which Mike Murphy was elected secretary. The chairman stated the object of the meeting and requested E. A. McCarthyof San Angelo, to give his views on organization which he did in a very satisfactory and comprehensive manner.

Moved, seconded and carried, that the Sonora Fire Department consist of two companies, each of 15 men, a chief and a fire policeman.

The following 32 men offered to join the department: Lewis Mayfield, Henry Moon, W. A. Stewart, W. R. Rudicil, D. H. Burroughs, Felix Vander Stucken, W. D. Thomason, J. P. McConnell, George Traweek, Max Mayer, E. S. Briant, F. M. Wyatt, Steve Murphy, T. D. Newell, G. S. Allison, Carl, Atkinson, J. B. Hill, Ed Trimble, J. M. Bell, Bob English, Henry Cusenbary, C. F. Adams, Henry Decker, E. R. Silliman, Fred Kessler, John Fulcher, R. C. Dawson, John McCleary, G. B. Duke, S. H. Stokes, R. E. Covington, and Herbert Falmer.

Moved, seconded and carried, that the members of the fire department present elect their chief and fire policeman and that the election be by ballot.

The chairman declared D. H. Burroughs elected chief and J. P. McConnell elected fire policeman.

Noved, seconded and carried, that the names of the thirty firemen be put in a hat and the first 15 withdrawn compose hose company No. 1, and the other 15 compose hose company No.2. This was done with the following result:

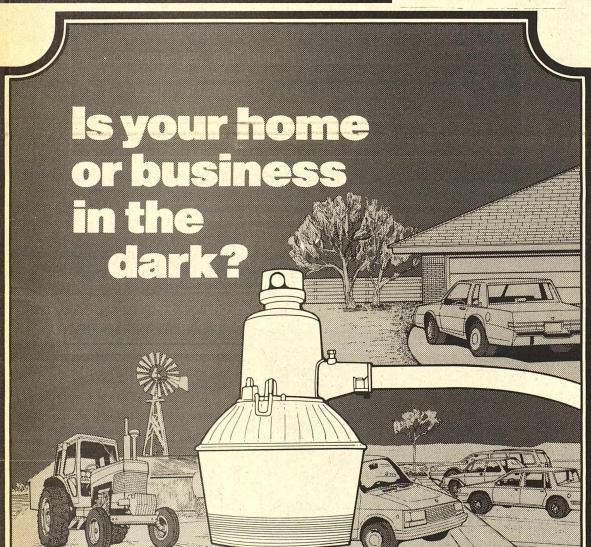
Hose Company No. 1: S. H. Stokes, T. D. Newell, H. Cusenbary, G. S. Allison, Henry Decker, F. M. Wyatt, Max Mayer, Herbert Falmer, Bob English, Felix Vander Stucken, R. C. Dawson, Lewis Mayfield, G. B. Duke, W. A. Stewart and John McCleary.

Hose Company No. 2: George Traweek, Fred Kessler, John Fulcher, W. R. Rudicil, H. Moon, Ed Trimble, C. F. Adams, E. R. Silliman, J. B. Hill, E. S. Briant, W. D. Thomason, J. M. Bell, R. E. Covington, Steve Murphy and Carl Atkinson.

There being no further business before the house the meeting adjourned.

#### Jim Bass Ford has more cars on sale than other dealers have cars!





It's believed that Robert Mayer is the only current member who is a direct descendent of the original founders.

"Long Term Care" refers to a

broad range of medical, social, and

supportive services for persons who

need help with daily self-care tasks

and who are likely to need this

assistance for an extended period of

time. Long term care may be

delivered in institutions such as

nursing homes or facilities for the

mentally retarded in the impaired

individual's home. Other settings

for longterm care might include

personal care homes, foster homes,

or adult day care centers. "Meals on

Wheels," congregate meals, and

respite care are other examples of

long term care services.

fortunate to have the convenience of the portable Breast Cancer Detection Unit at the Hudspeth Hospital on Saturday, January 28,

Thirty women tested

1989. The Unit will make another visit to Sonora in the fall. A mammogram can detect a tumor in a breast long before it can be felt. The Sutton County Unit of the American Cancer Society is very proud of the small part we have in this service to the local women. According to the American Cancer Society statistics, one out of every ten women in the United States will develop breast cancer sometime in her lifetime. It is currently estimated that over 37,000 women die each year as the result of breast cancer.

The women in Sonora were

The best weapon against breast cancer is early detection. That is why a mammogram is so important. It "sees" breast cancer before there's a lump, when the cure rates are near 100%. That could save your life; it might even save your breast. A mammogram is still the most effective weapon against breast cancer. If you're over 35, it's essential you have one. Because all breast cancer needs is a place to hide.

Ms. Darla Pollard was the technician in charge of the unit, a very special young lady interested

Funding for long term care will become concern Eligibility for other long term care services, such as Community Care for the Aged and Disabled, or CCAD, is tied for the Medicaid nursing home cap. CCAD servies are designed to prevent or delay institutionalization and financial and functional eligibility requirements are set by the Texas Department of Human Services (TDHS) according to the availability of funds, which in turn depends on state and federal appropriations. Many more community based services could be provided if Texas would designate sufficient matching funds to draw down the necessary federal dollars to the appropriate state agencies.

There is widespread concensus that the eligibility cap for Medicaid in nursing homes should be raised.

#### **AT&T ANNOUNCES PRICE CHANGES FOR** LONG DISTANCE CALLS WITHIN TEXAS

Already a sensitive issue, funding

for long term care will become an

even greater concern as the nation

attempts to cope with the aging of

the baby boom. Texas services are

not meeting the current demand,

much less projected needs in the

future. Supportive legislative action

allow persons with incomes at or

below \$1062 a month to be eligible

for Medical Assistance Only

(MAO) so that Medicaid will pay

for their nursing home care.

Medicaid regulations allow for

states to apply limitations, however

and the Texas eligibility cap is far

below the federal maximum.

Texans with incomes over \$707.15

a month are not eligible for MAO

in nursing homes.

For example, federal regulations

is necessary.

AT&T announces April 1, 1989, price changes for Long Distance Service (MTS) within Texas. AT&T's prices for long distance calling within Texas will be increased by two cents per minute for calls under 82 miles in distance and one cent per minute for calls that are 82 miles or greater in distance. AT&T's current discounts of 25% for evening calls and 40% for night and weekend calls will remain in effect. The price increases are expected to produce approximately \$22.8 million, which is nearly 2.9% of AT&T's annual revenues for Texas Long Distance Service.

This represents the first AT&T price increase for long distance calls within Texas AT&T's long distance prices for calls within in each person, caring-kind-gentle but thorough.

We do not have the result of the six tests that were sent to doctors in San Angelo but a total of thirty mammograms were made. Dr. Pajestka's office reported out of nine tests two required immediate follow-up. Dr. Lind's office reported fifteen tests three required G immediate follow-up.

## Families sought

Host Families are being sought for twenty-five high school students from Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Finland, Holland, Austria, Switzerland, Germany, Spain, France, Italy, Brazil, Ecuador, New Zealand, Australia and Japan for the SCHOOL YEAR 1989-90 in a program sponsored by the American Intercultural Student Exchange (AISE).

The students, age 15 through 17, will arrive in the United States in August, 1989, attend a local high school, and return to their home countries in June 1990. The students, all fluent in English, have been screened by their school representatives in their home countries and have spending money and medical insurance.

Families interested in this program should telephone toll free: 1-800-SIBLING.

Senator Chet Edwards has introduced a bill to this effect. However, if the MAO cap is increased without a corresponding change in CCAD eligibility, persons who might otherwise be maintained at home will be more likely to enter nursing homes. Raising the MAO cap unilaterally will reduce the effectiveness of CCAD as an alternative to institutionalization. It will prevent people from exercising their preference to "age in place," which decreases costs while incresing life satisfaction.

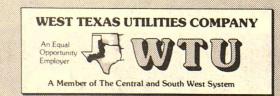
Other action pending on the long term care front is the repeal of prior legislation that would have placed liens on the estates of certain Medicaid recipients. This measure has proved so unpopular that numerous bills, S.B. 1, H.B. 201, and H.B. 21 have been filed to revoke it.

Gray Panthers is concerned about quality long-term care and asks your support for legislation that will meet changing needs in Texas. Contact your local representative with your comments, questions, and requests. Gray Panthers networks are operating in Austin, San Antonio, Dallas, El Paso, and Houston. Contact your local network or the Austin office, (512) 458-3738, for more information. \*Gray Panthers of Austin is a nonprofit organization affiliated with the national Gray Panthers organization. Its members work to eliminiate prejudice and discrimination based solely on chronological age and to discredit sterotypes and myths about age and aging. Gray Panthers works at all levels of government, supporting advocacy programs for older people, the disabled, the poor, and those unable to speak for themselves. It is especially active in the public advocacy programs for fundamental social change in the areas of eliminating injustice, discrimination, and oppression. Gray Panthers seeks to create more opportunity for realizing human potential in society.

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Texas have been reduced overall by about 12% since 1986.

The Long Distance Service price changes will also impact AT&T's PRO<sup>sm</sup> WATS Texas offering, which offers subscribers a 10% discount on all long distance calls within Texas. These price changes are expected to produce approximately \$661,000, or about 3.5% of the annual revenues for AT&T's PRO<sup>sm</sup> WATS Texas offering.

Prices for AT&T's REACH OUT® Texas offering will also change. The price for initial hour usage will increase from \$12.55 to \$12.95; the additional hour price will increase from \$11.40 to \$12.00. These price increases are expected to produce approximately \$364,000, or about 2.1% of the annual revenues for AT&T's REACH OUT® Texas offering.

AT&T's tariffs implementing these changes will be filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas on March 1, 1989, with an effective date of April 1, 1989. The combined price increases are expected to produce approximately \$23.9 million, which is approximately 2.4% of AT&T's annual revenues for all Texas intrastate services.

If you have questions regarding these price changes please call AT&T's service consultants at 1-800-222-0300 for residential customers or 1-800-222-0400 for business customers. Persons who have questions regarding this tariff filing may also contact the Public Utility Commission of Texas in writing, at 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 450N, Austin, Texas 78757, or by calling the Public Information Office at 512-458-0223, or 512-458-0227, or 512-458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

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## Judged Most Beautiful . . .

The father/daughter team of Manuel and Adriana Cabezuela won first place again this year in the Most Beautiful division at the Annual Girl Scout Father/Daughter Cake Bake held this Monday night. Joni Thorp won second and Lori Ann Galindo won third in this division.

Other categories and winners include: Most Original-First Lucy Jones, and Elena Velez second; Best Tasting-First, Jennifer Lozano, second, Crystal Zimmerman, third, Kelly McKnight; Sportsmanship, Crystal Ponsetti. Staff photo/Ann Cates.



#### News from Sonora High School by Cynthia Kepler

Band members travelled to ASU Saturday to compete at the District Solo and Ensemble contest. Sonora will be sending six students to State in June! These students are: Chuck Harris, trombone solo; Catherine Kepler, clarinet solo; Cynthia Kepler, piano solo and xylophone solo; and Susen McCleery, Eric Espinosa, Cynthia Kepler and Saul Palos, percussion ensemble. Sonora also brought back eight "excellent" ratings. Congrats to all the students who participated.

This years one-act play and cast have been chosen. The play this year will be "What I Did Last Summer." Members of the cast are Michael Todd, John Russell, Brandi Wallace, Christi Spain, Amy Moss and Jennifer Ivy. Alternates are April Spiller and Chris Penney. Assisting Mrs. Marrs as directors assistant will be Kristi Lykins. Best of luck to the cast and crew for a success this year.

Spring sports are getting a start this weekend as the tennis team

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More activity in San Angelo! travels to San Angelo for the Central Tournament. Sonora's golf team will also be going to Del Rio for their first tournament. Play and represent Sonora well!

Also travelling this weekend will be the speech and literary teams. Many of the students will be competing at Ozona, and a few will be attending the Budda Hays tournament-Good luck to you too!

Freshmen took the TEAMS test this past week. This was their last chance to take the test before they have to take the exit level TEAMS test as juniors.

The seniors were also busy last week. On Tuesday, seniors and parents attended a financial aid meeting. On Thursday, several seniors attended the Angelo Civic Theater to watch the performance of "As You Like It." Sponsors were Mrs. Graham and her husband and Mr. Hardy.

Red has always been the color of fire. Sonora High students just keep on proving that Sonora does have that fire in the spirits! See you next week.

# **Smokeout Results**

The results of the Gallup Survey conducted after the Great American Smokeout are as follows:

\*36.9% of the nation's 50 million smokers participated. This means 18.4 million smokers quit or cut down for the day.

\*10.7% of the nation's smokers successfully abstained from smoking for 24 hours. This is a total of 5.4 million smokers.

\*3.4 million smokers were still abstaining from tobacco use 1-3 days after the Smokeout.

\*86% of those surveyed (1,203 men and women 18 or over, by telephone) had heard of the Great American Smokeout.

It is not surprising that participation figures are down from last year. As the country's smoking population continues to decrease,

#### Blue and Gold to be held February 27

The annual Boy Scout Blue and Gold Banquet will be held on Monday, February 27 at the Junior High School Snack Bar. The "by invitation only" dinner will begin at 6:30 p.m.

Downing, Clarinet Solo; Tina

Kohutek, Jenny Purvis and Rena Smalling, Flute Trio; Sara Lind,

French Horn Solo; Becky

Lumbreras, Felicia Sentena, Pamela

Ramos, Adrianne Noriega and Alma

Sanchez, Woodwind Quintet; and

Students receiving a Division 3

were: Tammie Fisher, Flute Solo;

Ector Castilleja, Alto Sax Solo;

Whitney Condra, Kathy Cooke, and

Stefany Roberts, Flute Trio;

Jennifer Tankersly, Ray Pierce, and

Virginia Talamantes, Baritone Trio;

Kelly House, Jessica Ortiz,

Michelle Pruitt and Lorna Olenick,

Catherine Kepler, Cynthia Kepler,

Chuck Harris, Susen McCleery,

These students represented Sonora

Saul Palos and Eric Espinosa.

Qualifying for state were:

Clarinet Quartet.

Jennifer Presley, Clairnet Solo.

# Sonora High & Jr. High School Band students go to Solo and Ensemble contest Chavez, Six or more Brass; Vicki

Saturday February 18, 1989 Sonora High School and Junior High Band students participated in Solo & Ensemble contest at A.S.U. in San Angelo.

Students receiving Division 1's were: Cynthia Kepler, Piano Solo; Cynthia Kepler, Mallet Solo; Catherine Kepler, Clarinet Solo; Chuck Harris, Trombone Solo; Susen McCleery, Cynthia Kepler, Eric Espinosa, and Saul Palos, Percussion Ensemble; Stefany Roberts, Flute Solo; Roy Ivy, Tuba Solo; Carmen Burch, Leann Barnes, Cherie Morrow, and Narciso Lira, Percussion Solo; Leslie Carrasco, Carmen Chavez, Vicki Downing, and Christina Ramirez, Woodwind Quartet; Bryan Faris, Matthew Smith and Beverly Cooper, Trombone Trio; D.D. Moore, Shawn Wallace and Amy Patton, Cornet Trio; D.D. Moore, Audrey Neal, Jennifer James and May Patton, Cornet Quartet; Wade Spain, Bobby Mogford, Cindy Chavez, Audrey Neal, Jennifer James, Laura Hearn and Jenny Ponce, Six or more Brass.

Students receiving a Division 2 were: High School Wind Ensemble: Robby Zook, Trombone Solo; Mark Wooton and Oscar Perez Cornet Solo; Bruce Morgan, French Horn Solo; Jessica Johnson,

# we are left with a "hard core" of

smokers who are more difficult to reach.

We can expect decreases in participation because they reflect increases in the number of exsmokers and nonsmokers in the population. The number who are successful for 24 hours and the number who are quitting for longer periods are very consistent from year to year.

We are seeing lots of examples of your Smokeout coverage in the clipping service. You are all to be congratulated for another highprofile American Cancer Society Smokeout.

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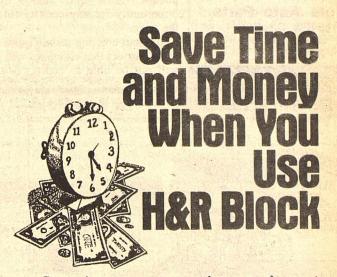
Monday, February 27-Spaghetti w/Sauce, Squash, Tossed Salad, Apple, Cheese Rolls & Milk

Tuesday, February 28-Baked Chicken, Noodles, Corn on the Cob, Fruit Cup, Biscuits & Milk

Wednesday, March 1-Corn Dogs, French Fries, Peas w/Carrots, Jello & Milk

Thursday, March 2-Hamburger, Lettuce, Tomatoe & Pickle Spears, Potato Chips, Butterscotch Brownies & Milk

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January was a busy month for the adults accompanying them for boys in 1roop 19. On the stn they

held their Court of Honor. The boys receiving advancements in rank were Daniel Lind and Gilbert Vara to Tenderfoot; James Jones to Second Class; and Casey Thorp and Robert Zook to First Class. The following boys received skill awards and/or merit badges since our last Court of Honor: Rodney Conger, first aid skill award; Joel Cox, insect study merit badge; James Jones, first aid, hiking and physical fitness skill award; Daniel Lind, citizenship and first aid skill awards; Bruce Morgan, citizenship in the community merit badge; Casey Thorp, first aid and citizenship in the Community merit badges; Jericho Thorp, citizenship in the community merit badge; Gilbert Vara, citizenship and first aid skill awards; Robert Zook, physical fitness skill award, citizenship in the community and swimming merit badges; and Blake Adkins, citizenship in the community merit badge.

Then on the fourteenth there was a Junior Leader Training session in San Angelo. Attending this training session were Joel Cox, James Jones, Bruce Morgan, Jericho Thorp, Robert Zook and Evelyn Zook. Upon completion they received certificates and patches.

There was a historical hike along Concho Ave. and ending at Fort Concho on the 15th. This was a joint hike with Webelos Wolf Patrol. Boys attending this hike earned their Ft. Concho historical patch. They were Gilbert Vara, James Jones, Robert Zook, Keith and David Varner, Jon Jon Zook, Jeffery Surber and Jr. Odom.

Winter Camping? Sure, Why not! That's what they did. The boys got their gear together and headed to Camp Fawcett after school on Friday the 20th. It was cold but in spite of it they all had fun. Attending the camp out were Scoutmaster John Zook, James Jones Sr., Rodney Conger, Toney Duren, James Jones, Daniel Lind, Gilbert Vara, Robert and Jon Jon Zook. A special thank you goes to Mr. Jones for being able to come along.

Anytime the boys go hiking or camping there has to be at least two

safety reasons. A second adult is hard to find. When one volunteers it is greatly appreciated by the boys, because without the adults the boys can't go.

Also in January, three new boys joined the troop. A special welcome goes out to David, Keith and James Varner.

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Clairnet Solo; William Burch, Cornet Solo; Angie Stewart, Flute Solo; Daniel Anderson, Shane Keller, Jesse Burnham, Lance Castro, Tracy Crites and D.D. Moore, Cornet Trio; Joel Cox, Tabby Sanchez, Elsa Lumbreras, Jenny Ponce, Patsy Sanchez, Virginia Talamantes and Cindy



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With the U.S. Department of Agriculture waffling on rejection or acceptance of Texas Agriculture Commission Jim Hightower's plan to sell "hormone-free" beef to the European Community, Texas farmers and ranchers still lose in the

> end, according to the president of the Texas Farm Bureau. The situation has become extremely confused,"said S.M. True, a cotton, grain and cattle producer from Plainview, and president of the state's largest farm organization. "It appears the folks from Washington, D.C., both at the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the U.S. Trade Representative's office, can't seem to get their act

together." Regardless of how federal officials resolve the issue, True believes producers will fail to profit from the situation for several reasons.

First, he said, if the EEC can make demands on the specifics of the types of commodities it will accept, then that raises the opportunity for any country to do the same.

"To start erecting certain types of trade barriers that either we will or will not be able to comply with,

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will fail to profit from situation that means the whole format on our for American beef even though trading posture has changed, True research does not support their said. "And that's a very significant claims. The result could spill the problem as we seek to increase our issue over into the general export markets for farm commodities."

True says farmers, ranchers

Second, even if an agreement is worked out with the EEC, it's unlikely farmers and ranchers will have a true market, he said.

"If we lose the opportunity to use these natural growth promotants, then we'll lose from \$20 to \$80 a head in lost efficiency," he said. "Again, another tool is being challenged here in agriculture."

True said producers are worried that consumer activists in this country will follow the EEC's lead and make the same type of demands

# Fire is useful tool

Fire can be used as a tool on rangelands as efficiently today as our forefathers 100-150 years ago and the Indians before them used it. Whereas the use of fire to accomplish certain objectives is not new, there is a re-newed interest in the use of it as a tool.

Numerous objectives can be met by using prescribed burns depending on the needs of the rancher. Some of the things which burning will help to accomplish include cleaning up pastures so that livestock can be more readily seen and worked, and increased production and utilization of courser grasses. Fire will also help remove chained or dozed woody material and help to control regrowth of certain species. Fire, followed by herbicide, has been used quite frequently the last few years to assist with prickly pear control; the burning reduces the amount of chemical required to get good control of pear.

Smokey the Bear has given fire a bad name over the last couple of decades. If we understand that fire is an important component of range development and the wild fires played a role in the way that our rangelands did develop, then we get a proper prospective on the use of fire.

The Soil Conservation Service, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department will have personnel trained in prescribed burn plan development and in assistance to ranchers who are considering burns on their grasslands.

Although fire can be beneficial, unless carefully planned and conducted, they can be extremely detrimental or even hazardous to people and livestock. Pre-burn plans must include enought rest in

population, when based on scientific evidence, there is really no issue at all.

"Thanks to deliberate misinformation and confusion consumers are obviously concerned, and they should not be," True said. "They should not be afraid because our food and food supply are safe.

"Commissioner Hightower has sworn to serve as an advocate for Texas farmers and ranchers. If what he's doing is serving as an advocate for farmers and ranchers, I'd certainly hate to see what he would do if he were opposing us."

pastures to insure that a fine fuel load of grass is grown to insure good success of the burn. About

2000 pounds of grass is generally needed for a burn to accomplish objectives. Firelines must be cut around the area to be burned prior to the time of the fire. Most ranchers are using

road graders or maintainers to accomplish this although some are using disc plows to do the same thing. The critical point is that the fire line must be free of vegetation to insure that the fire does not escape.

The weather conditions for conducting the burn are critical and must be adhered to in order for the burn to be safe. Generally the prescription for most range fires is a temperature of 40 to 70 degress F, a relative humidity of 35-60%, and a wind speed of 5-12 miles per hour. Use of this prescription minimizes the risk of the fire escaping or burning areas which were not supposed to be burned.

There are certain conditions under which a prescribed burn should never be conducted. These are called "red flag conditions" and fires should never be started when one or more of these conditions exist. The "red flag conditions" include wind gusts greater than 20 miles per hour, relative humidity below 20%, air temperature above 80 degrees F, and cold front to pass through within 12 hours.

If you are planning a burn or if you think that a prescribed fire might help you to accomplish certain objectives, contact the Soil Conservation Service, Extension Service or certain Parks and Wildlife Biologists to assist you with planning and conducting the burn.

# **COWBOY ASTROLOGY**

By Mary Ellen Doty

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Now the old Ram can usually be found struttin' round the barnyard, looking for a little action. But this week he better plant his hooves in one spot long enough to figure out where he'll get next year's hay. Budget ain't a dirty word!

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Lady Luck shore sits on your shirt-tail this week. You take home a big chunk o' change in whatever game you're sweatin! If you decide not t' play, ya better start wonderin' about the health of your spirit. P.S. - Stick close to home this week.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You old Genini's are tough Hombres - lean 'n' mean - can spit tacks a mile. But maybe, just maybe you could use a little cuddlin' at home this week. But there's a catch - you got to ask.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) High-town astrologers might call you an old crab, but yer friends would say you're a hellova soft-touch, dreamin' more than a dusty cowpoke ridin' in close on a beer joint. This week don't let none o' those old cowpokes rib ya out of your daydreamin', 'cause you're gonna dream up a scheme t' make you cold coin by next summer.

LEO (July 23-August 22) Think you'ld like to hit the ropin' arena this week-end - show them dollies what a real man can do with a rope and a wink? Not so fast, pardner. Gutgrindin labor makes you happy as a lost soul with Hades in a flood - in 3 more weeks!

VIRGO (Aug 23-Sept 22) You are ready for a double harness. I'm just not so sure about that filly o' yourin. Can't blame her considerin' the treatment she's gotten from you lately. She ain't a show horse up for judgin' points on and points off. You got work t' do, boy, or all you'll see o' her is the trail she left.

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LIBRA (Sept 23-Oct 22) You've been lonely as a preacher on pay night when yure at home. And what's got your eye ain't legal. Men have been shot for thinkin' what you are thinkin'. Stick to yer own range.

SCORPIO (Oct 23-Nov 21) You been just solemn as a tenderfoot trapper skinnin' a skunk. Come on. Life **ain't** so heavy! You see a way outta all that soberness for next summer. It ain't too early t' pack your saddle bags. SAGITTARIUS (Nov 22-Dec

21) You lucky Sag's always come away from the game with a roll that'd choke a cow - 'n' 2 weeks later that same roll wouldn't choke a chickadee. This week some old boy (prob'ly a Capricorn) teaches you 'bout holdin' on t' that coin! If ya listen, you'll have a mighty fine '89.

CAPRICORN (Dec 22-Jan 19) Now your sights may be doublin' up on you, but it ain't because o' too much tonsil varnish. It's jist the stars! With your head, don't decide to sell the ranch this week!

AQUARIUS (Jan 20-Feb 18) You been scared as a rabbit in a wolf's mouth 'bout...well, who the \_knows? You got all ya need 'n' then some. Stop yur stewin!

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PISCES (Feb 19-March 20) Some tenderfoot comes to the wise old Pisces (Pisces are old 'n' wise even when they're young) this week for some o' your tongue oil. Give him your best talkin' talents as he's in trouble!

For personal astrology consultations, contact: **Mary Ellen Doty** Rte 1, Box 4781 Luther, MT 59051 (406) 446-1252 ©1989



#### with Zeke Smith

Howdy! Glad to be home after travlein' a bit. Travelin's okay if you're not rushed too much. If you're in a hurry, all airports and towns look the same.

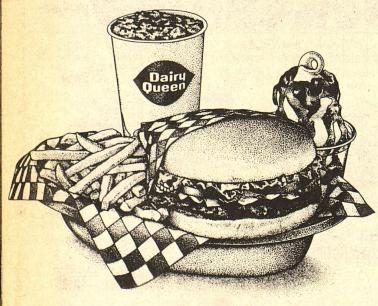
I was flyin' on an airplane a hile back, bein' bored to tears by

gentleman's fashion magazine, and dang near killin' me. Well, I squirmed a little more,

and got up to go to the bathroom. I thought maybe I could wait in there until I could breathe again.

I came out and mentioned to the

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The Tenth Edition, published in December 1988, contains information on 1817 foundations extracted from 1987 and early 1988 tax returns. Thé Directory, published on a two-year cycle, is the only statewide directory of

exchange calling.

foundations in Texas and contains the most complete and up-to-date information available on all Texas foundations. Detailed descriptions have been provided on 1509 foundations, 50% more information than in the Ninth Edition.

The Tenth Edition of the **Directory of Texas Foundations is** available from the Funding Information Center for \$100. The price includes the Tenth Edition Supplement, the companion reference to be published in late 1989. For more information or to order contact Missy Webb, Funding Information Center, 507 Brooklyn, San Antonio, Texas 78215 or (512) 227-4333.

this nice fellow next to me who kept explainin' this computer he had in his lap, when mercy me, you'd a thought we'd crashed into a pig pen. I mean, the whole plane was suddenly full of serious stink.

I tried not to notice. I sat there wigglin' my nose, holdin' my breath, turning blue, and watched my computer buddy doin' the same thing. Finally, I had to breath. That was a mistake, but unavoidable.

I turned to look around and quickly spotted the problem at hand. The fellow across the aisle, who was dressed in some fashion that must be acceptable in California or New York, I suppose, sat, wigglin' his toes, readin' some write my congressman.

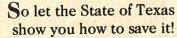
pretty little lady who was servin' us that I thought we had a problem and that if it was all right with her, I was gonna handle it myself.

She said she'd smelled it, but couldn't locate the source. I told her we country boys had good noses and where she could find the outlaw.

Well. I'll be skunked if when she went and talked to this boy, he had the nerve to deny it and stick his expensive shoe in her face to smell. At that point, I considered puttin' my boot in his teeth to smell, but I refrained.

Anyway, I have a solution to this. The whole country ought to wear boots, 'cause you can't get out had taken his shoes off. There he of 'em in public places. I think I'll

# man can't create water!



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If these proposed tariff changes are approved, the blocking of local exchange calls over intrastate WATS access lines and UWALs will take place within 30 days. This proposed tariff change will not result in the blocking of local calls placed to an 800 Service number.

**Public Notice** 

On November 9, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company

filed a tariff which proposes to prevent local exchange calling over

(UWALs) and intrastate WATS Access Lines (WALs).

The Public Utility Commission (PUC) of Texas has assigned this matter to Docket 8421. A hearing on the merits of these proposed tariff changes is scheduled for March 13, 1989.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should mail a request to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757 by February 27, 1989. Further information may also be obtained by calling the PUC Public Information Office at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf.





#### Notice Public

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M. Scott Gilmore, Administrator, February 22, 1989

#### SONORA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES

#### **ORDER FOR ELECTION**

It is so ordered by the Board of Trustees of the Sonora Independent School District, Sonora, Sutton County, Texas, that an election be held on Saturday, May 6, 1989, for the purpose of electing to the Board two (2) members, one each from Sutton County Precincts 2 and 4, for full three-year terms of office.

Pursuant to the terms of the **Compromise Settlement Agreement** approved by the United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas in Civil Action No. 6-83-0019 on January 23, 1985, and precleared by the United States Department of Justice in March of 1985, elected members from Sutton County Precincts 2 and 4 drew an initial one-year term. In 1986, two precinct members were elected to full three-year terms, those terms now being completed.

The polling places on the day of election will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m., and will be located as follows:

Precinct 2-Lobby of the Junior High Gym, 1st Street Precinct 4-Fire Station, Concho 3 y 2 directores a lo largo.) Avenue

public meeting on February 14, 1989. Julio Samaniego Jr., President

Gary Hardgrave, Secretary PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given for the request for bids for a 1989 1/2 ton pickup with extended cab for the extension office and a 1989 vehicle for the sheriffs department.

Specifications may be obtained at the County Auditor's Office in the County Courthouse, Sonora, Texas, 915/387-5380, Box 16, Sonora, Texas, 76950. Please deliver or mail sealed bids to Judge Carla Fields, Box 1212, Sonora, Texas, 76950. Final receipt of bids will be at 9:00 a.m., March 13, 1989, at the County Commissioners Regular meeting held at the Sutton County Courthouse. At such time bids will be opened and accepted or rejected County the Sutton by Commissioners Court.

SUTTON COUNTY HOSPITAL NOTICE OF DISTRICT ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION DISTRICTO DEL HOSPITAL DEL CONDADO SUTTON)

To the Registered Voters of Sutton County, Texas: Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 6, 1989, for voting in a Hospital District Election, to elect 4 Directors: 1 Director from Precinct 1, 1 Director from Precinct 3, and 2 Directors at large.

(A los votantes registrados del Condado Sutton, Texas: Nolifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran des de las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7 p.m. el 6 de Mayo de 1989 para votar en la Eleccion para elejir 4 directories: Un director de precincto 1, un director de precinto Pct. 1-4-H Center Pct. 2-Jr. High New Gym Building Pct. 3.-Sutton County Courthouse Pct. 4-Fire Station

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at Sonora City Hall, 201 N.E. Main, Sonora, Texas, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning April 17, 1989, and ending May 2, 1989.

(La votacion en ausencia en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en Sonora City Hall, 201 N.E. Main, Sonora, Texas, entre las 8:00 de la manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el 17 de abril y terminado el 2 de Mayo, 1989.)

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on April 28, 1989

(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el 28 de Abril, 1989)

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: Becky Covington, Sonora City Hall, 201 N.E. Main, Sonora, Texas 76950. (Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan enviarse a: Becky Covington, Sonora City Hall, 201 N.E. Main, Sonora, Texas 76950.)

Issued this the 16th day of February, 1989. (Emitada este dia 16 de Febrero, 1989.)

Harold McEwen, President Sutton County Hospital District

#### Estate Real

New on Market-3 Bdrm, 1 3/4 bath home at 203 Hudspeth. 1460 sq. ft., dbl. garage, store room, many extras.

Call A.W. Bishop or Ray Smith, Sutton County National Bank.

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storage, and 2 car carport. Call after 7 p.m., 387-5068. 26-8tc

3 bedroom, 1 bath, Interior remodeled, on 2 lots. \$19,500. 418 College behind Junior High School. Phone Alfred Sykes on Mobile phone 387-3733 plus 28 after dial tone after 5 p.m. Daytime call 387-2518 or 387-3023 (Barbara Sykes) 4tp

3 bedroom, 2 bath with fireplace & kitchen built-ins. Great location on 1 acre bordering city limits and high school, \$50,000. Contact Jack Hearn, Jr. (817) 594-0388. 26-tfc

505 College..Behind Junior High. Part of Lot 6 and 8, City of Sonora, Sutton County, TX \$21,000.00

302 S. Crockett..2 story, across from O'Bryan's. Lot 1, Block T, Sonora, Sutton County, Texas \$60,000.00

See JoAnn Jones, Mike Hale or Harold McEwen at



#### **Rent/Lease**

Satellite TV on 10 acres 6 miles north of Sonora. Jimmy Trainer (409) 774-6959 days and (409) 744-3661 evenings. 22-tfc

Spacious apartment-total electric. CH/AC covered car parking all bills paid. Luxurious living. Hunt Apts. 102 Sonora Drive 387-3672 or 387-

Mobile Homes

person. Caverns of Sonora.4tp.

#### For Sale

New Dunlop Ceramic Tennis Racket. Call 387-2188 after 5 or 387-5353. Retail price \$195.00, will sell for \$100.00. 4tp

Brother portable zig-zag sewing machine, gas bar-b-que grill like new with plastic cover, King size bedspread-floral design, 1981 Chevrolet Impala, 4 door. Call 387-2217 or see at 310 Wardlaw. 29-2tc.

Rockwood Pop-Up Camper. Sleeps 8. Excellent condition. Call 387-5077. 4tp

For Sale, King-size bookcase waterbed frame with heater, blanket bench, 7 drawer dresser with mirror hutch, \$250. Call 387-5917. 3tp

New and Rebuilt Maytag Washers and Dryers at Sonora Electric. 211 N.E. Main. Phone 387-2714. 15-6tc

#### Wanted

Wated year round hunting lease. Deer & Turkey 2000 acres or more. Small group of men. Call Steve Miers, 214-224-1873. 20-4tc

Deer Leases wanted. Large and small. Call Western Taxidermist (915) 683-6259 or 689-7260 evenings. 4tp

We Buy Sheep Horns Skulls not needed. McKissack Handcrafted Knives. 902 S. Concho, 387-3253. 15-tfc

Live Rattlesnakes for Zoo Will pay \$6 per pound. Will pick up one mile North of IH-10 and Hwy. 277, Sonora, Thursday, March 23. 3:00 p.m.

#### Personal

Professional sewing, alterations, mending. Call 387-2757, Charlotte Gilmore. 4tp Mr. Loughlin (612) 888-4228. 1tp. ANYONE CAN APPLY! Guaranteed Visa/MC, US Charge. **Classified** ads Even with bad credit. No one refused. Call (213) 925-9906 ext. U get results! 3492 4tp Where to write Services Texas Representative: Harvey Hilderbran 2 8x40's and 1 travel trailer for sale. B. Martin Tax Service, Brady Hwy., House of Representatives Austin, TX 78769 915-396-2395. Behind Dairy Mart, **Texas Senator:** Hwy. 83 N. 15-2tp Bill Sims Texas Senate Box 12068, Rm. 421, Need quality house cleaning? Austin, TX 78711 Dependable, experienced lady will (512)463-0215 make life easier for you. My work is U.S Representative: guaranteed, 387-3937. 2tp Lamar Smith U.S. House of Need some painting done? Couple Representatives Rm. 509 Cannon House will do interior/exterior house Office Bldg., Washington, DC 20515-4321 painting and light repairs. Call 387-2304 for free estimate. 4tp (202)225-4236 **U.S.** Senators: VIDEOTAPING AVAILABLE Lloyd Bentsen U.S. Senate Weddings, birthdays, reunions, Rm. 703 Hart Bldg., Washington, DC 20510 sports, parties, recitals and more. Reasonable rates. 387-2227 Kathy (202)224-5922 Hardgrave. 12-tp Phil Gramm U.S. Senate Maytag Sales and Service, check our Rm. 370 Russell Bldg. prices at Sonora Electric Co., Main Washington, DC 20510 (202)224-2934 Street. Phone 387-2714. 15-6tc Bob Caruthers Real Estate Ranch Real Estate Sales

#### **Randy Repairs Television and Appliance Repair** All Brands Call 387-5223 15-tfc

#### Pets

To give away, six week old puppies. Mother is full blooded registered Lab. Call 387-5095 after 5. 2tp

#### Antiques

Do you have Antiques for sale? Consign them to Antiques, Etc. in Ozona. You price it right and we sell it fast. Call 392-5217, Antiques, Etc., Box 38, Ozona, Texas. 30-4tc.

#### Firewood

Live Oak and Mesquite picked up or delivered. Call 387-3347. 8tp.

#### Lost/Found

One Ear Clip lost at Fling Ding. Sentimental value. Belonged to owners grandmother. Call Charlotte Wilson, 387-2463. 3tp

## Business Opportunities

Own your own Apparel or Shoe Choose Store, from: Jean/Sportswear, Ladies, Men's, Children/Maternity, Large Sizes, Petite, Dancewear/Aerobic, Bridal, Lingerie or Accessories Store. Add Color Analysis. Brand Names: Liz Claiborne, Healthtex, Chaus, Lee, St. Michele, Forenza, Bugle Boy, Levi, Camp Beverly Hills, Organically Grown, Lucia, over 2000 others. Or \$13.99 one price designer, Multi tier pricing discout or family shoe store. Retail prices unbelievable for top quality shoes normally priced from \$19. to \$60. Over 250 brands 2600 styles. \$18,900 to \$29,900: Inventory, Training, Fixtures, Airfare, Grand Opening, Etc. Can open 15 days.

or call (915)387-3861

3 bdrm., 2 bath, fireplace, CA/CH,

Shurley Enterprises Mini-Storage, 8x12-\$25 monthly and 12x24-\$50, monthly. Please call 387-3619, 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. 22-tfc

2040. 21-tfn

appearance will be conducted in the school administration building, 807 South Concho, Sonora, Texas, from April 17 through May 2, 1989, each weekday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Requests for absentee voting by mail should be addressed to:

> Phyllis McLaughlin Absentee Voting Clerk 807 South Concho Sonora, Texas 76950

This Order for Election is hereby approved by the Board of Trustees of the Sonora Independent School District in open session at a regularly scheduled and duly posted

Absentee voting by personal Filing applications may be picked Board Secretary, located at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital, 308 Hudspeth, Sonora, Texas, between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. weekdays, beginning February 20, 1989. Filing deadline is March 22, 1989. (Solicitudes se pueden recoger en la oficina de la secretaria, Kathy Knight, localizada en Hudspeth Hospital, 308 Hudspeth, Sonora, Texas, entre las horas de 8 a.m. a 4:30 p.m., lunes a viernes, empezando el Febrero 20, 1989. La fecha del expediente es el Marzo 22, 1989.)

> Locations of Polling Places (Direccion) De Las Casillas Electorales)

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Still looking for your dream home? Call for details. Prices have been reduced on nearly all models with a variety of

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New Listing...Country Home on 10 acres, Cahill Addition, 3 BR, 2 B, FP, deck, storage, water well...must see! Want a Scenic View and a Lovely Home? See this one which features a pool. Priced in the 50's.

Bargain Hunter... check on this large 3 BR home located on corner lot. In the 40's.

Large 2 BR, 2 bath brick home. Sprinkler system, huge trees, close to school and hospital. Low 40's. Large 2 story stucco home. 1112 Tayloe 3 BR, 2 B,

Balcony, garage. corner lot. \$75,000.00

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Have you ever wanted to own your very own business? Opportunities are available with a variety of locations:

"Putt-Putt" Miniature Golf Course with 18 greens and club house. Space for video games and refreshments. Property is fenced and lighted with covered picnic area. Great for family entertainment! Priced at \$28,500.00.

Shell Service Station. Complete with gas pumps, wash and grease racks. Refreshment center, office space and rest rooms. Located on busy Crockett Ave. \$65,000.00.

Large, re-modeled dress shop building on Main Street. Show window, rest room, office space and roomy basement storage area. Priced at \$50,000.00.

U-Lock-It Storage buildings located in town for easy access. Available at a very reasonable price of \$15,000.00.

387-2171 Doyle Morgan Real Estate We offer: **Personal Service Buying or Selling Property Management Rental Services** Extra Nice: 2-1 plus 2-1 mobile \$37,500 included in price Prospect: Nice 3-2, carport, storage. Call for details. Poplar St: Relo says sell. 3-2, \$39,500. carport. Good Bu SOL Piomes Garage: Good location. Price \$11.000 reduced. Lots for mobile homes or to build. Good location. Call. 2nd Street: Extra large 3-2, \$60,500 den, carport. Deerwood St. 3-2-2, fireplace, \$55,000. store room Good Location: 3 room house with2 car garage. \$16,000. 3rd St: 3 B. 1 CONTRACT id fin: UNDER \$27,000. Mobile Home Lot- 100 x 100 corner lot, storage building. Call today! Tayloe St: 4 BR home with nice large mobile home. Sawyer Dr: 3 BR, 2 B, Brick \$59.000. Water St: 4 BR, 3 B, was Tayloe St: 4 BB Const CONTRACT one BUNDER CONTRICIONING. Crockett Ave: Brick, 4 BR, 2 B \$52,700. Deerwood St: 3 BR PACT k-Relo Co CONT \$3,000 in clo UNDER \$46,900. Tayloe St: Nice 2-1 home. Lots of trees + a mobile home to rent. \$20,000 Cash Glasscock St: 3 BR, 2 B, Good Mid \$30's. buy Crockett Ave: 3 BR, 2 B, Great Buy \$28,200 \$24,900. College Ave: 2 BR, 2 B, \$39,000. Garage Glasscock St .: Nice 2 B, 1 B \$30,000. w/apt. College CONTRACT 3, Ca UNDER CONTRACT 3, \$18.000. •DeBerry: Custom Built 4 BR, 3 B, Many extras, 6.85 acres . Cahill: 10 Acre-Custom built home 3/2. Dbl.car garage & carport, satellite. 

Country Home with satellite dish, 3 bdrm., 2 baths, large living area, carpeted, ceiling fans, plenty of 24x52 double wide \$12,900. See at 700 N. Grandview in Odessa, 333-3212. 15-5tc

See Circle B Homes, 700 N. Grandview, Odessa. 15-5tc 14X42 1982 Champion: Excellent condition, 2 bedroom, refrigerator, stove, 2 window A/C's. Priced to sell. (915) 653-7941. 4tp Autos for Sale Kate's 1985 Red Fiero, 17,000 miles, new Michelin tires, perfect condition. Call 387-2114 or 387-2455. 15-tfc

#### Help Wanted

Immediate opening for an LVN, full time, with small hospital experience or be willing to train. Good salary and benefits. Contact Director of Nurses at Hudspeth Hospital at 387-2521 or P.O. Box 455, Sonora, Tx. 76950. 37-tfc

Sonora I.S.D. is accepting applications for a Special Education Aide. Applications may be obtained at 807 S.E. Concho. 21-1tc

Medical Technologist needed at Schleicher County Medical Center in Eldorado. Apply in person or call 853-2507 and ask for Administrator. 20-1tc

Sutton County Road and Bridge Department is now taking applications for a road worker/ equipment operator. Applicants may pick up applications from the office of the Sutton County Auditor in the County Courthouse during normal business hours. Applications should be returned to the County Auditor's office by Friday March 3, 1989, at which time the applications will be reviewed and oral interviews will be scheduled. Experience in operating heavy equipment associated with road work is preferred.

Sutton County is an equal opportunity employer. 2tc

Now taking applications for mature responsible people wishing to work part-time and/or full time for Spring-Summer 1989 Season. Apply in

