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**News
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**Teams & Taas Test
 Scheduled**

The spring administration of the exit level TEAMS and TAAS will be conducted on March 31, April 1 and April 2, 1992. As part of this testing, out-of-school individuals who did not previously pass the TEAMS or TAAS test but who have met all other graduation requirements will be permitted to take the appropriate section or sections of the test.

The test will be given at 8:30 a. m. in the local high school, located at 1717 Tayloe, on each of the three mornings. Former students interested in retesting should pick up an out-of-school registration packet from the counselor between February 12, 1992 and March 10, 1992.

For more information, call Jeryl Fields, counselor, at 387-6533.

Flu epidemic

Flu has been declared a national epidemic. Forty-one states report massive outbreaks of the disease. Flu vaccine is in short supply, but is still available in Sonora. Please call 387-3535 for information.

Library News

The Sutton County Library is offering their patrons and the community tax forms and information, free of charge, except for copies made.

Social Security

Garland Gregg, representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his January visit to Sonora. He will be at the County Courthouse on Thursday, January 16th, between 9:30 a. m. and 10:30 a. m.

Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact him at this time.

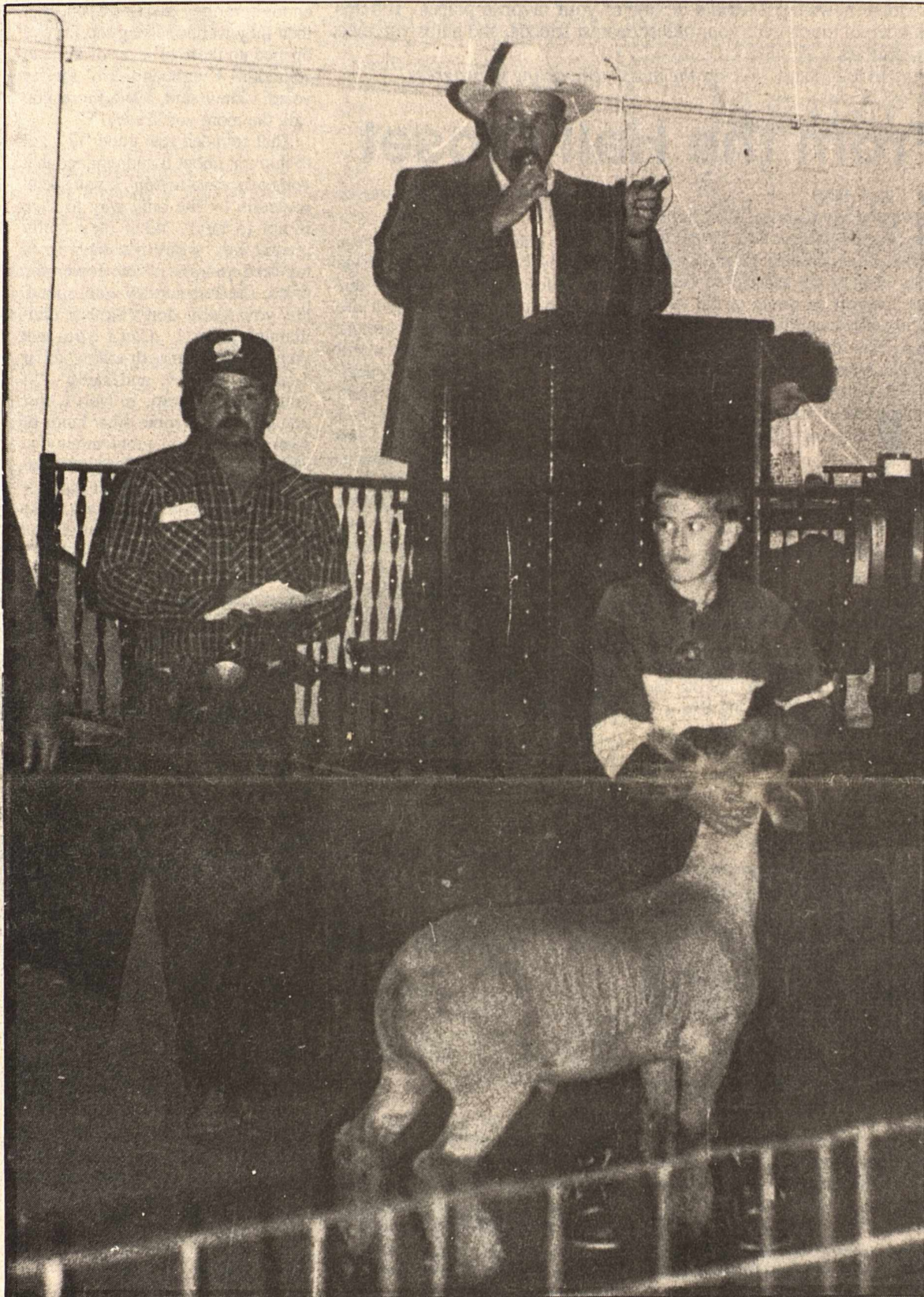
Commodities

The distribution of commodities will take place on Wednesday, January 15 from 1 to 3 p. m. at the Sutton County Senior Center at 106 Wilson.

This month the TEFAP program is distributing peanut butter. However, some canned goods will also be available courtesy of Sutton County Committee on Aging and L&H Grocery.

This program does not discriminate due to race, color, national origin, age, sex, disability political belief or religion.

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4-H AUCTION - David Fisher holds his lamb entry during the 4-H Auction held last weekend. Despite troubling economic times individuals and businesses were more than generous with their donations of over \$36,000 dollars being raised for the Sutton County 4-H Club. See the 4-H and FFA Special Section in this edition for more pictures and results.

**D.A. to run unopposed
 in March 10, election**

Two Sutton County elected officials will be facing opponents for their respective offices in the upcoming elections.

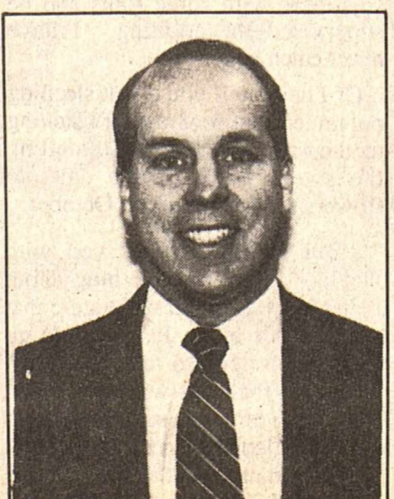
Republican incumbent David Wallace will face Betsy Johnson Democrat, in the March 10 election, for the position of county attorney. In the race for county commissioner precinct 1, incumbent Miguel (Mike) Villanueva will be opposed by Rebecca R. Martinez. Both Villanueva and Martinez have filed with the Sutton County Democratic

Other offices open with incumbents also filing and running unopposed include: Bill Webster, Sheriff; Bill Keel, County Commissioner precinct 3, and Ann Hill, Tax Assessor/Collector. Webster, Keel and Hill have also filed with the Sutton County Democratic Chairman.

In the 112th District, incumbent J.W. Johnson has filed with the Democratic Party in Austin and will be running unopposed.



BILL WEBSTER



DAVID WALLACE



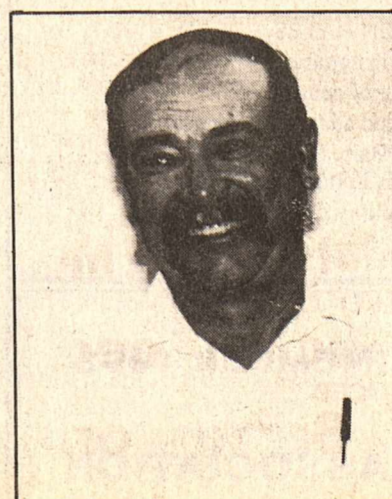
REBECCA MARTINEZ



BETSY JOHNSON



BILL KEEL



MIKE VILLANUEVA

**Commissioners asked to
 decide road controversy**

Employee sick-leave policy changed

Meridian Oil Company officials were present Monday at a regular scheduled meeting of the county commissioners. At a previous meeting Reggie Reston of Meridian had questioned the definition of a county road.

An access road leading through the Mickey Powers Ranch to some Meridian well sites had been serviced by the county road crews in the past. This brought up the question as to whether or not Powers had the legal right to charge Meridian for use of the road.

Sherrill Dannheim, who has rights to the road to gain access to his land, stated that the road had been serviced by the county before, however, it had only been up to his point of residence. He stated that, even if the road was considered a county road, Meridian would still be denied access through his land.

County attorney David Wallace stated, "It's a fact issue, for a judge to decide. If it is established that it has been worked for a certain period of time, that, by dedication it can be a county road, but that is up to a judge to decide."

Alternate routes were discussed and Wallace suggested Meridian officials refer to their title to see if provisions were made for legal access.

Carla Fields, county judge, explained that the commissioners court would have to decide whether or not the road did belong to the county before further action could be taken by the parties involved. Commissioners then made and approved a motion stating that the road in question was not a county road.

In other business, the commissioners discussed a change in the county's current sick leave policy. County employees

currently may earn one-half day of sick leave per month. It was suggested this be changed to one full day per month, and the total number of sick leave days that may be accrued be increased in case of catastrophic illness. At present the employees may only accrue forty-five days of sick leave in case of such an illness.

Motion was made and approved to increase from one-half to one full day of sick leave per month. Also approved was a motion to increase the total number of sick leave days to be accrued from forty-five to sixty days for illness, of which only forty-five days will be paid to the employee at the point of retirement.

**Proposal
 to change
 library hours
 discussed**

County commissioners heard a proposal during Monday's meeting from Woman's Club president, Sharon Holman, suggesting an increase in library hours. The request is that the library be open five days a week rather than four. At present the library is closed all day on Mondays.

Holman presented the commissioners and county librarian, Florie Mesa, with a proposed work schedule that would not increase the cost to the county in wages, yet allow the library to be open an additional day. Holman explained that the Woman's Club feels that it would be in the best interest of the residents of Sutton County if the library would agree to the plan.

Mesa stated that one of the two part-time employees currently working at the library also has another job that would make it impossible for her to work on Mondays. She explained that the employees were hired with the understanding that the library would be closed on Mondays.

Commissioner Bill Keel suggested that Mesa could work Mondays and schedule the other employees hours accordingly.

Holman explained that she had heard complaints from residents about the library hours. Mesa stated that she had not heard any complaint about the four day week.

County Judge Carla Fields suggested that the Woman's Club attend the next meeting after Mesa and the commissioners have a chance to study the proposal. A report will be presented at that time.

**SUTTON COUNTY
 RAIN REPORT**

Total Rainfall 1991:
25.12 inches
 1992 Year To Date:
.55 inches

(Information provided by
 Sonora Wool & Mohair)

News Briefs

Education classes

Adult Education Classes have been suspended for the month of December.

Classes will resume January 7, 1992.

Los clases de Educacion para Adultos han sido suspendidas por el mes de diciembre.

Los clases se reanudarán el 7 de enero de 1992.

Clubhouse available

The clubhouse at the Sonora Senior Apartments is available to the public at no charge for meetings, clubs, suppers, etc.

For more information or to make reservations call 387-5628.

Clinic Services

The Planned Parenthood of West Texas, Inc. is providing complete family planning services and confidential AIDS testing and counseling at the San Angelo Clinic at 2619 Sherwood Way. All services are confidential and based on a sliding fee scale. For more information call (915) 944-1909.

Family shelter

The ICD Family Shelter holds support and counseling for victims of domestic violence and their supporters every Tuesday at 7 p. m. The sessions are open to the public and activities are available for children.

For more information call 655-5774. Outside of San Angelo, call toll-free 1-800-749-8631.

Cursillistas

Please come to the celebration of the holy mass on Thursdays at 7 p. m. and attend the Ultralla at 7:30 p. m.

AIDS test

Planned Parenthood of West Texas provides free, confidential AIDS testing and counseling services, and family planning services, based on a sliding fee scale. The San Angelo clinic is located at 2619 Sherwood Way, the phone number is 915/944-1909.

Jr. High Lost & Found

The Sonora Junior High lost and found has many unclaimed/unmarked coats, bags, etc. Please come by the office to see if your child's possessions are in the lost and found.

AI Anon meetings

AI Anon meetings are held Thursday night at 8 p.m. Newcomers meet at 7:30 p.m.

Please call 387-5775 for further information.

Hotline Number

Violence need not be a part of your life. Call the Family Shelter in San Angelo at 655-5774 or 1-800-749-8631. Transportation is available.

Depot available

The newly renovated Cauthorn Memorial Building, formerly the Sonora Depot, is now available for leasing to small or large groups for meetings, reunions, receptions, and other gatherings.

Contact Kathy Davis at The Sonora Chamber of Commerce in order to rent the facility. The Chamber address is 706 Crockett and the phone number is 387-2880.

For further information contact the Chamber office.

Book Fair

The Sonora Woman's Club is organizing a Book Fair. Now is the time to clean out your bookshelves and take your donations to the library. Don't forget that set of old encyclopedias, paperbacks, big print and condensed Reader's Digest, youth and children's books.

Let Librarian Florie Mesa know if you need a receipt for tax deduction purposes.

Please bring your books before February 28, 1992.

To submit information to be included in the News Briefs columns call Linda at 387-2507 or come by the Devil's River News office at 220 N.E. Main. Deadline for all copy is Monday at noon.

From the Publisher

"Excuse our mess"

by M. Zimmerman

It's Friday night, time to go to your favorite spot to meet old friends. A place you always look forward to going, a place where you can count on seeing familiar faces and catching up on recent events.

Upon your arrival your well planned evening goes awry. A sign in the doorway reads, "Remodeling in progress, please excuse our mess." The familiar faces you had expected to see are nowhere to be found. Instead, to avoid the confusion, all your friends have decided not to go out due to the not-so-pleasant activities at the favorite meeting place.

A situation such as this can make even the most devoted patrons lose confidence in their "favorite business." This is why all of us at the Devil's River News hope you will bear with us as we go through a "remodeling job" of sorts.

During the next few weeks we will be making some changes in the layout of the paper and experimenting with different elements (such as cartoons, guests columnists, etc.).

Recently the employees have visited with other newspapers in an attempt to gain some fresh new ideas to pass on to our readers. We hope you will feel free to contact us with your suggestions.

We will try our best in the coming year to cover every possible item of interest to our area, however, we will sometimes miss things.

If you see that we have overlooked someone that should receive recognition in the paper please give us a call and let us know. For example, if you are a teacher and one of your students has received an award, please, let us in on it. If you don't tell us we may never know!

A local newspaper should be one of your favorite places. It helps you keep in touch with your oldest dearest friends, and helps you meet new friends.

Stay in touch and "Excuse the mess, remodeling in progress."

From the Hall Closet

by Clay Hall

I grew up fishing. Our house was about a quarter mile from Old Hickory Lake. Every pretty day (or so it seemed) my friend Bob Guess and I would be down at the lake. We usually caught something. It's funny how the size and number of our catch would grow exponentially as we walked the short distance home. I love fishing. I especially enjoy fishing with my friends.

Bruce Kerbow is my friend, so is Bill Cascadden. Bruce invited 'Yank' and I to go fishing on a lease that he shares with several other folks from around here.

It had been a tough week and I was ready to go. I pulled out my limited tackle and readied myself for our great adventure. It was exciting just getting out my gear. I was like a little kid. I kept looking for Bruce and Yank to come and get me. It seemed like forever before they showed up in Kerbow's big blue pickup. I was as excited as a six year old seeing Santa drive up in his sleigh. I threw my gear in the back, and we were off.

First stop was for breakfast tacos. They were good but I wanted to get to the river. Next stop Loma Alta. I still have not figured out how or why someone would decide to put a store literally in the middle of nowhere. That is one of the most unusual places in the world. Last stop for gas, country store, tackle shop, and interesting conversation. The time spent there was worth the time we lost fishing.

Men, it was here that I learned my first lesson of this trip. When we walked into the store at Loma Alta the proprietor asked if any of us were "the one they call Yank?" Bill admitted that he was. "Your wife called, she said to call home." No matter how hard you try, you can run but you can't hide. Yank took care of his business, we swigged down the last of our sodas and we were off again. Soon we would be on the river. Wrong.

It had taken us an hour to get to the turn off. Surely the river was near. It was only 20 miles away. The road was narrow, long, dusty, and bumpy to beat the band (and my rear). Bounce, bounce, jolt. Jar, bump, bang. Things were going along fine until we got to what Bruce called a washout. It looked to me to be a never had been. The road, if you could call it that ended. Before us was a quarter mile stretch of dry river bed, with gravel as loose as a Bangkok bar girl.

"Think we can make it," asked the Yank.

"Sure we can," Kerbow assured. I was too dumb to worry. I was going fishing. As we roared down into the valley of hell Yank was directing Kerbow. "Go left Bruce, if you hang left we will make, no not left hard right, hard right." We ended up in the middle of the dry bed stuck up to our axles. It was here that I learned my next lesson. When crossing a dry river bed always make sure that your jack is accessible.

"#\$%&!" When we got out of the truck we had to unload half our gear to get out the jack. While Yank and Bruce jacked up the truck I started gathering rocks. Big rocks. After 15 minutes or so we were ready. Rocks were flying, dust was kicking up and we all were praying as Bruce accelerated. In case you are in doubt, there is a

God! Some how we got out of there.

The next six miles were absolutely beautiful. The vistas were indescribable. While our pickup traveled up and down the scenery seemed to change around every bend. In places the world would seem to just vanish into deep crevasses. The rocks were a myriad of hues. Browns, reds, greens even some with blue tint. The final mile was completely breathtaking. As the truck inched down the road into the canyon the world above seemed to vanish before our eyes. Along the river, in the midst of this marvelous near desert was an unbelievable green strip. Suddenly there in the middle of desolation was life. The Devils River was once known as the San Pedro. One of the early Texas Rangers in the area saw how desolate the area around the river was and said, "San Pedro? How can you call this place after Saint Peter. This looks like the Devils River to me." I disagree. It was heaven on earth. We spent 24 hours fishing, lying, and just enjoying being in the wild.

I could tell you about why we started calling Yank, "the #\$%& Yank." Every time he threw out a line he would catch a fish. Usually big fish. While I was happy to catch seven fish, including the smallest Smallmouth Bass ever caught on a spinner bait this guy was catching 2, 3 and 4 pounders. It was unbelievable.

Or I could tell you about when Yank and Kerbow decided to take me to a special "hole." To get there we had to climb up this waterfall. Now going up was rough. I figured that I just did not know where the steps were. There were no steps. While Bruce and I were trying to just recover, that #\$%& Yank was catching fish. When we had searched the hole for "the big one" it was time to go back down. Somehow we got separated. I found myself in the middle of a rapid losing my footing. I took 'Claytie' Williams advice. When something is inevitable just lay back and enjoy. As I slipped, I tucked my knees up under my chin and rode that sucker out. My bottom took a beating unlike anything it had experienced since my father caught me in a lie when I was in 4th grade. But it was fuuuun. I bounced from rock to rock like a pinball. My fishing rod was broken and I was skinned up but I emerged at the end of the falls okay. Bruce did not know that. As I slid down the last 50 feet I heard him scream to Yank, "Oh no! I've killed the preacher!"

Or I could tell you about the great fish fry we enjoyed. Glen Fisher, who is also on the lease was there with some folks and he supervised the cooking. I have never eaten better.

Or I could tell you about sleeping out under a tin roof shelter listening to the roar of the water, smelling the sweet smell of the delicate flowers still blooming in October.

But I won't bother you with details. There is something about being in the fresh air and nature that restores our soul. Jesus would go with the disciples to "a quiet place." He knew that rest was important. Too many of us are so caught up in our struggle for success. We forget the importance of the little things in life. Like going fishing with our friends.



Biscuits' Crumbs

by Biscuits O'Bryan

I almost bit

Them advertising fellers is mighty clever, and I reckon lots of us has been hornswoggled by 'em many a time. But they finally outdone theirselves and I've caught on to what we might call in modrun parlance "a scam." It come to me the other night when I was watchin' one of my favorite programs, "Matlock." There was this ad for one of them telephone company plans meant to save us enough money to retire on, but then they went one step too far and opened up these ol' eyes of mine to somethin' I've been fallin' for for years. They said, "The more you call, the more you'll save."

That sounded real good 'til I got to thinkin' about it and realized that you never save nothin' if you spend somethin'! The only way to save is not to buy! What they really mean, but wouldn't say in a hundred years is, "The lower the price, the less money you spend, but you really don't save a dad-blamed thing!" Can't you just imagine some smooth-talkin' feller a-comin' on t. v. and sayin', "If you buy our soap, it won't cost you as much as some other kinds of soap, leavin' you more money to spend on other stuff we sell, so that, in the end, we'll get most of your money and you won't have anything left to save for retirement or college for your kids. But that's all right, because we also own a

loan company and we'll show you how to borrow enough to have everything you want, even though you'll never, ever quit payin' us off."

I reckon if I ever heard somebody be that down right honest, I'd probably buy his stuff out of appreciation for his not tryin' to pull the wool over my eyes. How about you? Anyway, my point is this: Listen to what all them hucksters who write up advertising are tryin' to tell you, and compare that to everyday common sense and see what you come up with. There's a world of things out there they're tellin' us we can't live without that we really don't need at all, 'cept for the fact that we've been sold a bill of goods.

The boss is always talkin' about how we need to get back to simple livin', and the more I listen to them ad people and what they're really sayin', the more I'm beginin' to be convinced that maybe the boss know's best. I sure know one thing for sure and certain - I ain't goin' to spend hours talkin' on the blasted telephone in hopes of buildin' up my nest egg, 'cause I reckon all I'd end up with is a smaller bank account and a cauliflower ear. Y'all keep on cookin', and beware of people tryin' to talk you into spendin' so's you can save!

For Your Information...

By Lolabeth Jones
County Extension Agent-
Home Economics



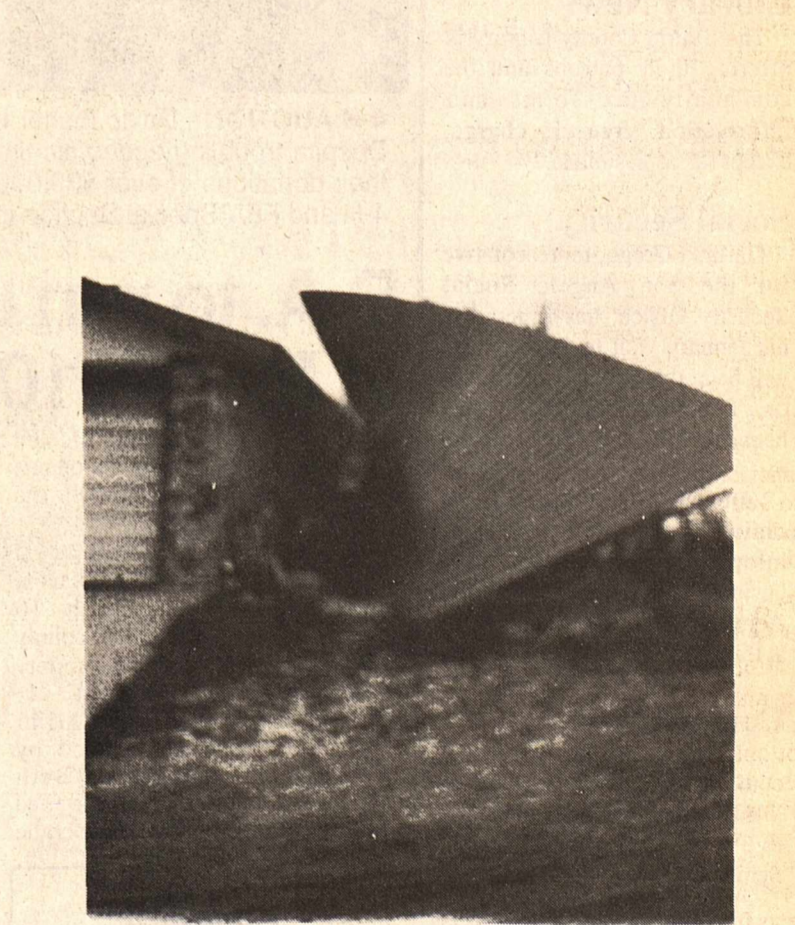
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Packaged Mixes: cake mix, 1 year; casserole mix, 18 months; frosting mix, 8 months; and pancake mix, 6 months.

Staples: baking powder and soda, 1 year. Breakfast Cereal: ready to eat, check pkg. date; uncooked, 1 year; coffee (opened and refrigerated) 6 to 8 weeks; commmeal--regular and self-rising, 10 months; dried beans and peas, 18

months; flour--all purpose, 10 to 15 months; whole wheat, refrigerated, 3 months; grits--regular, 10 months; instant, flavored, 9 months; milk--evaporated and sweetened condensed, 1 year; pasta, 10 to 15 months; peanut butter, 6 months; salt, pepper, sugar, 18 months; shortening, 8 months; spices--ground, 6 months; whole, 1 year (discard if aroma fades); tea bags, 1 year; vegetable oil, 3 months; and worchestershire sauce, 2 years.



WIND DAMAGE - The winds were a blowin' on Sunday night. Pictured is the damaged to the garage at Bill and Margaret Cascadden's residence.

Community Calendar

January

- Friday-17th: Teacher Work Day - NO SCHOOL.
- Monday-20th: Breastmobile at Hudspeth Hospital.
- Tuesday-21st: Senior Center Van to San Angelo.
- Tuesday-21st: City Council Meeting-City Hall 9:00 a.m.
- Friday-24th: Senior Center Birthday Party.
- Monday-27th: County Commissioners Meeting-9:00a.m.

February

- Friday-14th: Happy Valentines Day.

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WANDERING WHEELS - This group of bikers (in the middle of repairing tires) made an overnight stop in Sonora last Thursday, on their way to Florida. They began their trip in Oceanside, CA and expect to reach Florida in 28 days. There are 19 group members who average 110 miles a day.

Hospital to sponsor detection unit Jan. 20

According to the American Cancer Society, one out of every nine women in the United States will develop breast cancer sometime during her lifetime. Every year over 37,000 women die as a result of breast cancer.

In an effort to find cancers at the earliest possible stage and prevent unnecessary deaths, a mobile breast cancer detection unit will be made available to local women on Monday, January 20, 1992.

According to a spokemans from the Regional Breast Care Center at Women's & Children's Hospital in Odessa, Texas "The death rate from breast cancer could be drastically reduced if women would have mammograms done before a problem exists." By using modern state of the art x-ray equipment breast cancers can be found when they are about the size of a grain of rice and well before the cancer can be felt. A woman who is diagnosed with breast cancer at this early stage has a 90%-97% survival rate.

However, a woman who is not diagnosed until a lump can be felt has approximately a 50% survival rate in five years.

The mobile unit will be parked at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital. Appointments may be made by calling 387-2521.

For more information you may call the Regional Breast Care Center at Women's & Children's Hospital at (915) 334-8888 or 561-9999.

Ask the Historical Society

When was the Craddock Building torn down?

The Craddock Building, which stood approximately 90' from the corner of Main Street and Water Avenue, on the west side of Main Street, was torn down in April 1942.

In the April 10, 1942 issue of the Devil's River News we found the following article:

Craddock Building Wrecked, Used to Build Goat Sheds

The old Craddock Building, known to many as the "Medical Arts Building", was being wrecked here last week. Sold to Ruby Davis of Rocksprings several weeks ago, the old landmark was to be used to build goat sheds.

Built by Fred Koening in 1900 as a rent building, the structure assumed its "Leaning Tower of Pisa" stance in 1911 as the result of an explosion.

At the time Dr. A. L. Taylor had offices on the second floor and the first floor was used as a combination drug store and general merchandise store. In the general merchandise store which was owned by Hagerlund Brothers, was some dynamite which had been placed under a stand containing flour.

A fire broke out in the building, setting off the dynamite. The concussion blew out 42 windows, sprung the doors in the Court House and set fire to part of the business section. The explosion was heard for 25 miles.

The bottom of the Craddock building stayed where it was, but the top was moved back 3 - 4 ". Needless to say the interior was demolished, including a new x-ray machine owned by Dr. Taylor. The Decker hotel was moved back

exactly 1" on its foundation.

E. C. Saunders witnessed the fire and explosion and stated that he started to warn two women standing in front of the hotel there might be an explosion.

"I had taken about two steps," he said, "when the dynamite blew, setting fire to the flour and blowing it high in the air. The scene was disastrous, but for the moment, beautiful."

If you have any questions regarding Sutton County history send them to "Ask the Historical Society Column", P. O. Box 885, Sonora, Texas 76950-0885 or call either 387-5144 or 387-2855.

Remember your Historical Society is here to help you! We have on file 100 years of the Devil's River News and access to many other books and documents to help us assist you in your research. We also have a copy of 1900 census on microfilm to assist you in genealogical research. Copies of old newspaper articles are available for free.

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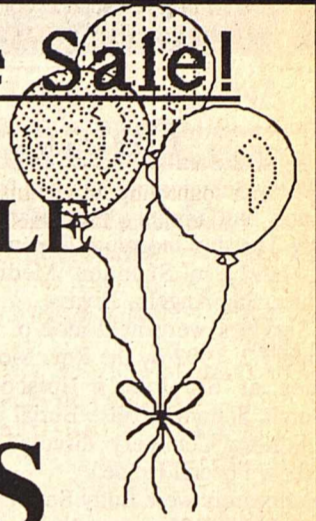
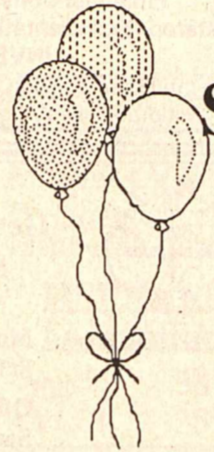
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Mrs. Joseph Harry Armstrong, nee Jeri Kaye Landers

Downtown Sonora 387-3839

New Arrivals

Elizabeth Anne Fawcett

Mr. and Mrs. Errad R. Fawcett of Boerne, would like to announce the arrival of their daughter, Elizabeth Anne Fawcett; who arrived at 2:25 a. m. on December 1, 1991. She weighed 7 pounds 14 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roger Fawcett of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby D. Smith of Monahans, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Taylor of Uvalde and Ms. Elizabeth Taylor of Uvalde. Her great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shaw of Midland, Mrs. Bobbie Fawcett of Sonora and Mrs. Amanda Taylor of Leakey.

Gina Daniela Valdez

Francisco Jr. and Rosalba Valdez are proud to announce the arrival of their daughter, Gina Daniela who was born on December 29, 1991 in St. Peter's Medical Center in Ft. Worth. She weighed 6 pounds 3 ounces and was 18 inches long.

Paternal grandparents are Francisco and Juanita Valdez of Del Rio and maternal grandparents are Audelio and Antonia Morales of Cd. Acuna, Coah.

Card of thanks

With a grateful heart we thank our many friends and relatives for your kindness shown us through not only the loss of our Betsy but also through her 39 wonderful loving years of life. She loved every single one of you in a very special way. Special thanks to the Rev. Monte Jones, who brought news from home of our friends each time he visited with us. We could not have made it through the last few years without his spiritual guidance.

We are comforted in the awareness that we are never alone. Along with each of you we are centered in the peace of God.

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- IV. Asymptomatic women under 50 years of age with significant high risk factors should be examined at appropriate intervals. These risk factors include previous breast cancer and family history of cancer.

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DEATH NOTICES



Betsy Schwiening

Betsy Schwiening, 39, died from a long battle with cystic fibrosis early Tuesday morning, December 31, 1991, in Shannon Medical Center, San Angelo, Texas.

Services were held at 2 p. m., January 2, 1992 by the Rev. Monte Jones at St. John's Episcopal Church, Sonora, Texas. Burial was in Sonora Cemetery directed by Kerbow Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Eddy Smith and Jack Sykes, San Angelo, Texas, Byerl Dillard, Monte Dillard, Mike

Ruby J. Scott

Ruby J. Scott, 83, of Midlothian, Texas, died Friday, January 3, 1992.

Services were held January 4 at 11 a. m. at Midlothian, Texas.

She was born March 28, 1909 in Junction Texas. She was a housewife.

Survivors include her husband, Mann C. Scott; two sons, William

Dillard, Billy Green, Tommy Valliant and Sherrill Dannheim all of Sonora.

Betsy is survived by her mother, Anita Schwiening, her sister and brother-in-law, Georganne and R. D. Hoing, her nephew, Travis Smith and a very special friend, Wayne Carlton of Dallas, Texas.

She was preceded in death by her father, George Schwiening, a brother, George Sutton and a sister Myrtle Ann.

Scott of Dallas and Robert Scott of Midlothian; two sisters, Grace Stroud of San Angelo and Kathryn Roberts of DeSoto, Texas; and one brother, Homan Johnson of Abilene.

She is also survived by four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

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"Love's Pure Light" selectively destroys Sin without damaging the sinner. Jesus took the sins of the world - greed, hate, lust, jealousy, adultery, murder, dis-respect, and

even weakness of faith - and vaporized them on the Cross to save us from burning in hell's feverish fires (ver. 1). By eliminating Sin's deadly potential, God's Son brings healing - and frees us to enjoy spiritual health. What a joyful picture Malachi paints when he says that those who respect God's name, who believe in His greatest Gift of Christmas, will "frolic like calves let out of their barn". Christ's healing provides unabashed freedom, youthful enthusiasm, and explosive energy. And the best thing about His healing is that it's free - with no sobering Medical Bills to dampen our joy. Jesus was the Insurance Policy that paid the price in full.

So kick up your heels, Christians, and enjoy life - because you no longer need to fear death as evil. 'Love's Pure Light' will brighten our lives, even when our eyelids close on a sinful world.

PRAYER: 'Lord Jesus Christ, our great Physician, we praise You for healing our sin-sickened souls. Remove all traces of Sin and help us live confidently in the knowledge that You have extended our lives into Eternity. Amen.'

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TTU plans Elderhostel for spring

Texas Tech University Center at Junction is planning three weeks of Elderhostel this spring. Each week concentrates on a set of topics designed to enhance the understanding and appreciation of a unique part of Texas.

March 15-21 participants study birding in an area well known to birdwatchers for the variety and abundance of species. Trips to the habitats of the most rare birds will be lead by an expert ornithologist.

March 29-April 4, topics take advantage of the ranching heritage of the area. Study of the 100 year old ranches and the families who still run them will be enhanced by a range ecology course. Cultural contributions, changes in habitat management practices and the challenges facing today's ranchers are topics to be addressed.

April 12-April 18 gives participants an opportunity to express themselves with clay. The instructor stresses simple forms using nature as inspiration. Firing

will take place in a primitive kiln using basic compounds for color. This is an opportunity to learn a skill and participate in an ageless craft.

Elderhostel is specifically designed for person 60 years or older. The week-long courses are based on college curricula but there are not tests and no homework. Beginning Sunday evening and ending Saturday morning participants stay in dormitories and eat their meals in the campus dining hall. In addition to the stimulating topics of study, there are field trips and many extracurricular activities. Cost per person is less than \$300.

For information on how to enroll in the Texas Tech Elderhostel contact Martha Richardson at Texas Tech University Center, P. O. Box 186, Junction, Texas 76849; phone (915) 446-2301. For more information about Elderhostel, consult your local public library or call Elderhostel, Inc. (617) 426-8056.

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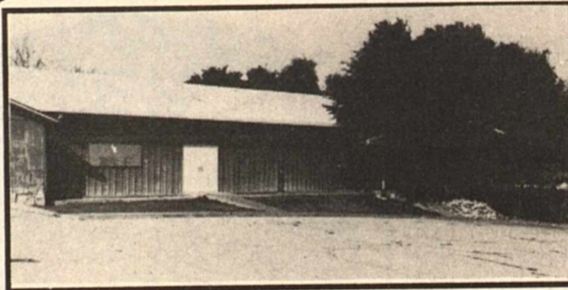
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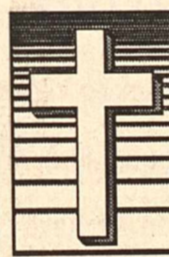
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CLASS OF 1991 - The Sonora High School class of 1991 gathered on January 10 to plant a tree on the high school campus in hopes of improving our environment.

ASU sets spring registration for January 16 & 17

Registration for the 1992 Spring Semester at Angelo State University begins Thursday, January 16 and runs through Friday, January 17 in the Robert and Non Carr Education-Fine Arts Building. Preregistered upperclassmen, Goodfellow Air Force Base active duty personnel, and graduate and evening school students will register Thursday, January 16. Undergraduates and GAFB active duty personnel will register from 9:30 a. m. to 5 p. m., and graduate and evening school students will register from 6 p. m. to 7 p. m. based on their classifications and the last two digits of their Social Security numbers. The order on Thursday, January 16 is as follows:

Registration employees, 8:30 a. m.
Seniors (90 or more hours), and all active duty personnel at GAFB, 75-99, 9:30 a. m.; 50-74, 10 a. m.; 25-49, 10:30 a. m.; and 00-24, 11 a. m.
Juniors (60-89 hours), 75-99, 11:30 a. m.; (lunch break from 12 noon to 1:30 p. m.); 50-74, 1:30 p. m.; 25-49, 2 p. m.; and 00-24, 2:30 p. m.
Sophomores (30-59 hours), 75-99, 3 p. m.; 50-74, 3:30 p. m.; 25-49, 4 p. m.; and 00-24, 4:30 p. m.
Graduate and evening school students, 50-99, 6 p. m.; and 00-49, 6:30 p. m.
 Friday's order for students who have preregistered is as follows:

Freshmen (less than 30 hours), 83-99, 9 a. m.; 67-82, 9:30 a. m.; 50-66, 10 a. m.; 33-49, 10:30 a. m.; 17-32, 11 a. m.; and 00-16, 11:30 a. m.
 Students who have not preregistered will register Friday afternoon in the order that follows:
Seniors at 2 p. m.; juniors at 2:30 p. m.; sophomores, 50-99, 3 p. m.; sophomores, 00-49, 3:30 p. m.; freshmen, 50-99, 4 p. m.; and freshmen, 00-49, 4:30 p. m.
 Registration for handicapped students will be conducted in the Registrar's Office Tuesday, January 14, from 2 p. m. to 3 p. m.
 Classes in the 1992 Spring Semester begin Monday, January 20.

Mohair Council schedules meeting

The Mohair Council of America will hold its Annual Membership Meeting on January 23, 1992 at the Holiday Inn in San Angelo. Robert Lurie, President and Chief Executive Officer of Susan Bristol, Inc., will be the guest speaker. Mr. Lurie founded the company in 1970 as a sweater company and now markets and sells a complete sportswear line throughout the United States and Canada. Mark McLaughlin, President of the Mohair Council, urges all mohair producers and persons with an interest in the U. S. mohair industry to attend. In addition to the regular business of the Council, reports on domestic and foreign market surveys and past and future Council activity reports, growers will have the opportunity to elect directors for 1992. For further information about the meeting, interested persons should contact the Council office at 915/655-3161.

Card of thanks

The Sonora Jaycees would like to thank the following people and business for helping bring an extra special Christmas to the folks at the nursing home: Anna and Wayne Munn Real Estate, Joyce Chalk, Mr. and Mrs. Sherill Dannheim, Robert Duran, Mrs. Dorothy Evetts, Dovie Lewis, Rick and Jo Ann Palmer.

The business that helped make this possible were: Cox Drug of Sonora, Gabriel's, M. L. Leddy's, Mahon's and Oauchita Energy. A very special and grateful "Thank you" goes out to Donna Dannheim, Kathleen and Terri Surridge. Without these people the Jaycees Christmas Present would never have come together. Once again thanks to everyone who helped make a special time a little brighter.

Reyna's renew vows

After seven years of marriage Juan Reyna and Veronica Eucenarcs decided to renew their marriage vows at a Holy Mass officiated by Father Larry Leslie at St. Joseph Chapel, N. C. B. C., Seabee Base, Gulfport, Mississippi. Among the wedding attendants were the couple's sons. Jason Reyna gave the bride away and Jay was ring bearer. Attending from Sonora were Eugene, Belia and Steve Reyna and Frances Reyna. Everyone had a great time.

Applications available for home repair
 97 days til Christmas (in April). Applications for The Christmas in April home repair project will be available at the Sutton County Senior Center from January 15 through February 3. Applicants must meet age and eligibility requirements. For further information contact Carole Thorp at 387-5657 or 387-3941.

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Ranchers urged to file wool & mohair incentives

Ranchers are urged to come into the ASCS office and file for their 1991 Wool, Mohair, and Unshorn Lamb incentive. The deadline to file is January 31, 1992. You will need to bring in head counts, shearing dates, grading charges, freight charges - if any, and any unshorn lamb purchases. If you have purchased unshorn lambs we will need the sale sheet showing the number of head and weight of lambs you bought.

Jeannette Turner and Herb Schwertner of the Sutton County ASCS office want to remind producers of Payment Limitation requirements for this year and deadlines for filing Wool and Mohair documents. Farm Bill Provisions require that Person Determination forms (CCC-502) or annual update, Highly Erodible and Wetland Certifications (AD-1026), and related forms be completed at the time a program application is made.

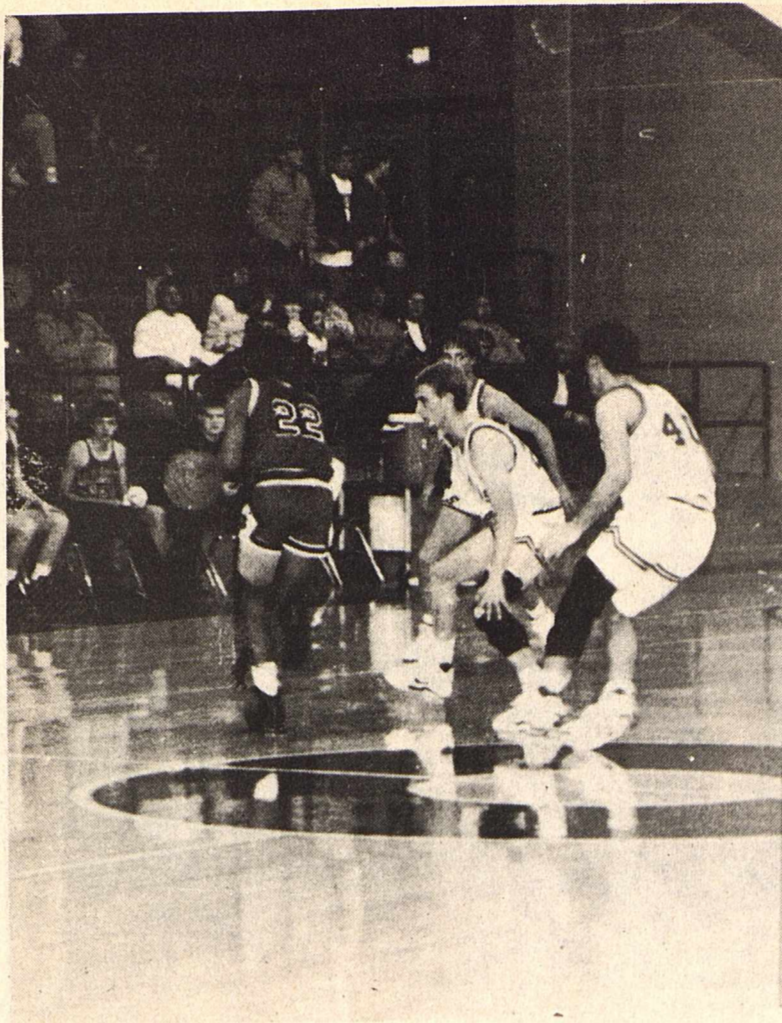
For 1991 Incentive, the required AD-1026(s), and CCC-502 are now due for the County Committee review. PROGRAM PAYMENTS CANNOT BE MADE UNTIL REQUIRED FORMS AND

DETERMINATIONS ARE COMPLETE.

National Program Deadlines for filing Prior Year sales documents are December 31, 1991 for 1988 sales and March 2, 1992 for 1989, 1990 and 1991 sales. The final dates to submit sales documents to the ASCS Office for normal processing for 1991 is January 31, 1992.

ACP - Conservation Sign Up -- Under the "Continuing" sign up provision for the Annual Program for conservation work, producers may apply for cost sharing at any time throughout the year. Practices available to county producers include brush control, livestock water wells, pipelines, water storage tanks, and cross fencing. Applications may be made by coming to the ASCS office.

The County Committee has established the LTA (Long Term Agreement) sign-up for January 15 through January 31, 1992. If you are interested in long term conservation work on your ranch in the county, please contact the ASCS Office at the Soil Conservation Service, SCS.



SONORA BRONCOS - Larry Chalk and his teammates block a Colorado City Lobo from scoring during last Friday's district game.

Underground water wellhead protection

Submitted by Sutton Co. Underground Water District City of Sonora

A 1986 amendment to the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) authorized a new provision for groundwater protection. The provision is known as the Wellhead Protection Program (WHP)

PURPOSE

The purpose of this project is to provide an organized approach for the effective protection of public water supplies from groundwater contamination using WHP techniques.

The Wellhead Protection Program is a joint effort of the Sutton County Underground Water Conservation District, City of Sonora, Texas Water Commission, and Texas Department of Health.

The City of Sonora and Sutton County Underground Water District Conservation District's joint responsibilities under this program are to inventory all potential

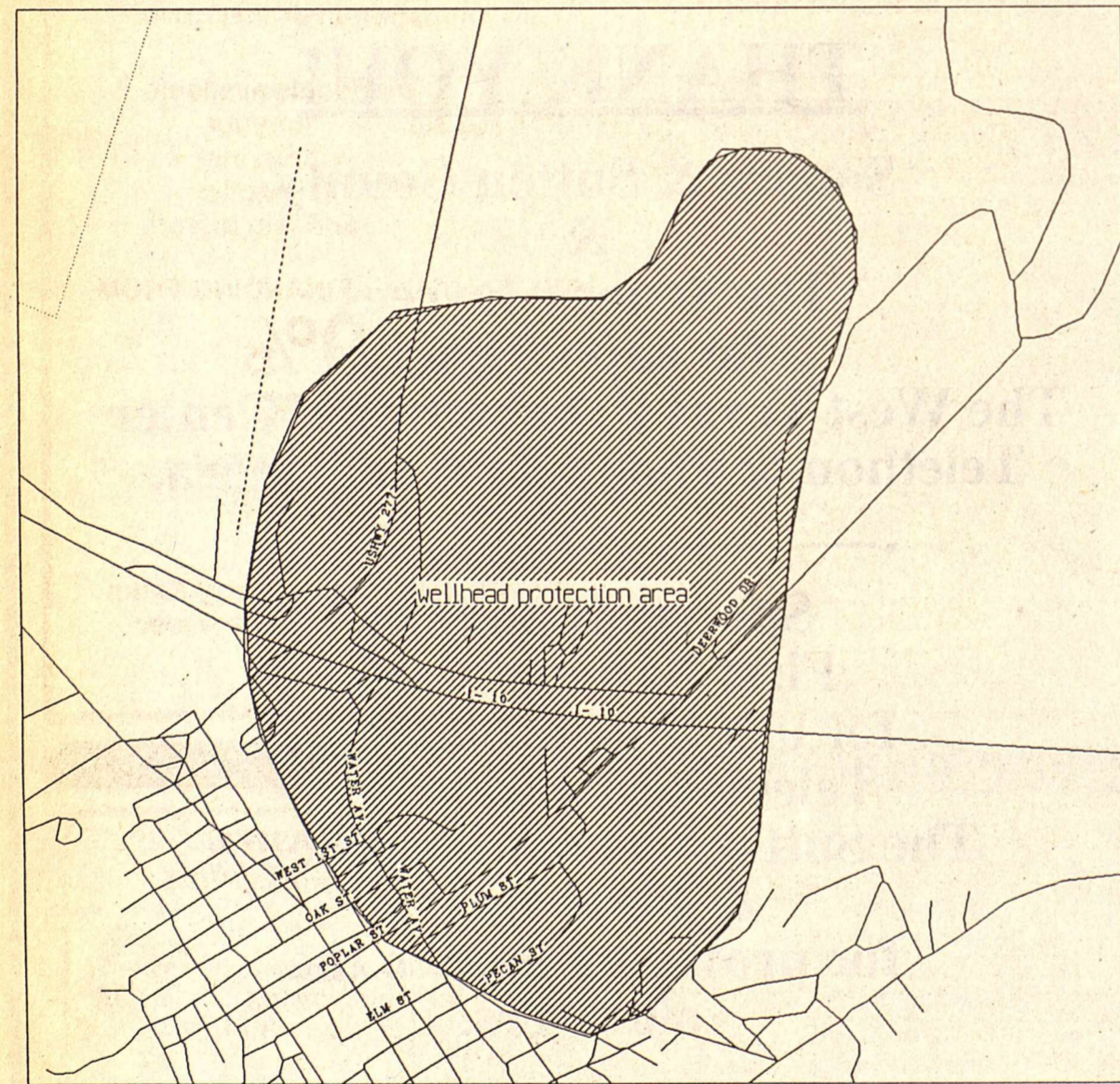
sources of contaminants within this protection area (shown below) and implementation of this program.

Unlike many environmental programs, Wellhead Protection is preventive in nature - not reactive! Instead of cleaning up a contaminated public water system. Wellhead protection seeks to prevent contamination. The Wellhead Protection area (shown below) is based upon a five year time of travel. This means any contaminant reacting the aquifer on the perimeter of the area will take roughly five years to reach the well, if at all. However, any contaminant inside the area will take substantially less time to reach the wellhead. Potential sources of contamination may be:

1. abandoned wells
2. uncapped wells
3. underground storage tanks

4. surface storage tanks
5. city sewage lines
6. cemeteries
7. septic systems
8. leakage from underground pipelines
9. electrical transformer stations
10. automobile salvage yards
11. oil & gas activities
12. accidental spills

If anyone knows of potential sources of contamination (like those listed above) please contact the City of Sonora or the Sutton County Underground Water Conservation District. If you would like to work as a volunteer on this project, please contact us. The City of Sonora and the Sutton County Underground Water Conservation District are asking for your help in protecting not only the Wellhead Area but our entire water supply.



REPORT OF COUNTY TREASURER OF SUTTON COUNTY, TEXAS, OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FROM October 1, 1991 TO December 31 19 91

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FMFC	471,218.67	75,931.75		128,537.69	4,950.00	413,662.73
FMFC-Payroll	1,315.12		62,978.16	61,593.76		2,699.52
Flood Control	1,631.20	-		-		1,631.20
Law Library	(1,276.98)	220.00		341.00		(1,897.98)
Interest & Sinking	67,213.13	9,520.38		66,187.50		10,546.01
Lateral Road	-	17,338.65		-		17,338.65
State Trust Funds	7,056.45	15,076.50		11,641.50		10,491.45
State Arrest Fees	668.20	2,303.30		1,859.30		1,112.20
Juvenile Probation	6,591.06	13,863.93		15,150.20		5,104.79
Employee Benefit	25,110.11		9,000.00	3,696.87		30,413.24
					Total	1,095,146.17
Checking-State Arrest Fees						1,112.20
Checking-FMFC						24,837.78
Checking-Juvenile Probation						5,104.79
Checking-Operating-General						133,526.63
Checking-Interest & Sinking						10,546.01
Money Market Accounts						470,020.76
Certificate of Deposits						450,000.00
TOTAL						1,095,146.17

ICA meets

The Independent Cattlemen's Association held its monthly business meeting and Dutch treat supper on Monday, January 6, 1992 at the Sutton County Steakhouse.

Those attending were: George and Martha Wallace, Larry Finklea, chairman; Lee Bloodworth, Joe David Ross, President of Sutton County Water District; Mrs. Adele Wilson, Luther Chalk, David Lee Ross, Mrs. Ruth Espy and Mike Smith, Manager of the Sutton County Underground Water District, who was guest speaker of the evening.

Smith presented a video on aquifers, showing the various depths and formations of aquifers in the United States.

The Water District in Sutton County has been in operation for three years.

Smith said the office was now equipped to do testing on water samples. For more information, call the Water District Office.

The next monthly meeting will be held at the Sutton County Steakhouse on Monday, February 3, 1992. All members are urged to attend.

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Lady Broncos defeat C-City

The Lady Broncos are at it again. In their first district game Friday night they defeated the Colorado City girls with a very decisive spirit.

The first half was amazing as the Lady Broncos answered each score of the Lady Lobos with at least two of their own. The Lady Broncos charged down the court time and time again, as the half time buzzer rang the fans could see who was in control easily as the Broncos took a 27 point lead to the locker room.

Colorado City came out the

second half ready to play as did the Lady Broncos. The third and fourth quarters were played very evenly but the Lady Broncos would not allow the Colorado City girls to pull ahead in anyway. When the game was over the Broncos were the victors, 73-48.

Leading the Lady Broncos was Cenisa Cauthorn with 19 points, followed closely by Yvonne Mata with 17. Others scoring for the Broncos were Monica Gonzalez 13, Dana Evans 11, Sara Reston 6, Anna Teaff 4 and Jessica Ortiz 3.

Eighth grade Colts split games with Wall

Boys
The Colt eighth grade boys traveled to Wall Monday, January 6 to take on the Hawks. The boys narrowly defeated the Hawks 31-28.

The overall score doesn't tell the whole story. In the first quarter the Colts jumped out to a 9-0 lead behind the scoring of Levi Pool, who had 11 points throughout the evening, and took an 18-9 lead to the half time locker room.

Wall came out to challenge the Colts in the third quarter and fourth quarter holding the Colts to six points in the third and seven points

in the fourth. Wall scored 19 points the second half but came up short at the final buzzer.

"We played a great first half," said Coach Heryford, "and I'm proud of this group. They deserve every win they get."

Scoring for the Colts were Levi Pool 11 points, John Jones 6, Josh Burnham 4 points and Davis Hale 3 points. Marcus Montez, Jeff Floyd, Curt Dempsey and Chad Bruns all added to the Colts point total.

Girls

The Eighth grade girls were not

as fortunate as they were barely defeated by Wall 24-22.

Coach Martin said, "The Girls played a good game but we failed to capitalize on several scoring opportunities." The girls will be working to improve on their free throws as they only shot 33% from the line.

Leading the Lady Colts with 8 points was Elaine Ortiz followed by Jessie Crain 4 and Lilly Trevino 3. Betty Samaniego, Becca Chalk, Megan Mayer and Kristie Wallace all added to the Colts efforts.

Eighth graders travel to Iraan tourney

Boys
The Eighth grade boys also traveled to Iraan this weekend for the tournament. They didn't fair as well as the ladies but they did play good ball.

Their first game was against Iraan and they started slow, scoring only 3 points in the first quarter. By the end of the game the boys had gotten their rhythm down but couldn't quite catch the competition falling short 27-19. Top scorers for this game were Marcus Montez 7, David Hale 3, Josh Burnham, Levi Pool, John Jones and Jeff Floyd 2 each and Chad Bruns 1.

In the evening game they faced a tough Big Lake team keeping up in the first quarter and scoring 10 points to Big Lake's 13. In the second quarter the Owls opened up a

huge lead scoring 16 more points and holding the Colts to 6.

The second half the Colts played excellent ball but couldn't catch up falling to the Owls 51-41. Top scorers for this game were Levi Pool 18, Davis Hale 6, Chad Bruns and Josh Burnham 5 each, Marcus Montez 4 and John Jones 3.

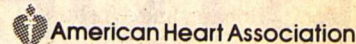
"We play great defense against Iraan and great offense against Big Lake. However, we made to many unforced errors to close the gap," said Coach Heryford.

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College News

Western Texas College has released its honor lists for the 1991 fall semester.

Jason Heath Donaldson of Sonora qualified for the Dean's List. Students on this list must have carried at least 15 semester hours and earned a grade point average of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale.

Mike Coleman Friess, son of Mrs. Edwina Friess, was a member of the Winter Commencement at Tarleton State University on December 21, 1991.

Mike received a Bachelor of Science degree in Agricultural Business.

Senior Center menu

Monday, January 20 - Beef stew w/stewed vegetables, harvard beets, cornbread, tossed salad, chocolate pudding w/topping.

Tuesday, January 21 - Enchiladas w/cheese, pinto beans, zucchini squash, crackers and purple plums.

Wednesday, January 22 - Sloppy joes, herbed potatoes, mixed vegetables, hamburger bun, creamy coleslaw and peanut butter cookies.

Thursday, January 23 - Chicken creole, corn, green beans, hot rolls, pear w/cheese and rice krispie squares.

Friday, January 24 - Country fried steak w/cream gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli, hot rolls, jello w/fruit and cherry cobbler.

School Menu

BREAKFAST — LUNCH

Monday:

Pancake & Sausage on a Stick
Juice
Milk

Tuesday:

Chorizo & Egg Burrito
Fruit
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Wednesday:

French Breadsticks
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Thursday:

Biscuits
Sausage
Fruit
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Friday:

Cereal
Toast w/ Jelly
Juice
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Monday:

Pizza
Corn on Cob
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Tuesday:

Milk
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Wednesday:

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Thursday:

Turkey & Gravy
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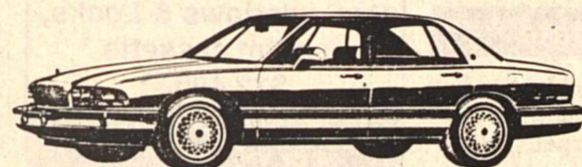
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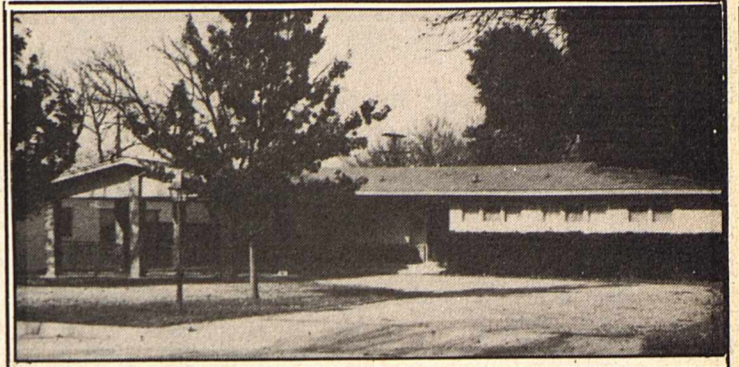
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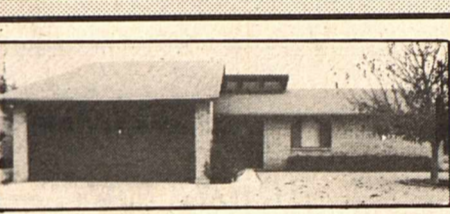
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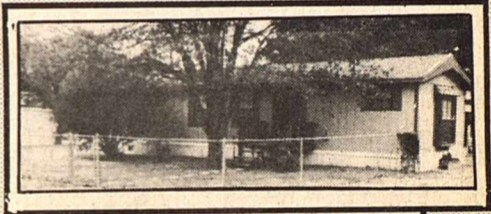
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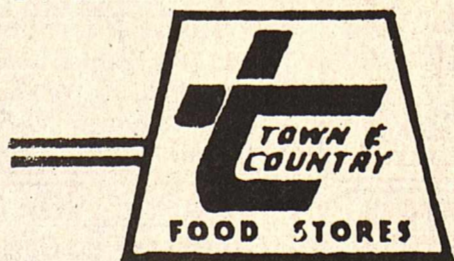
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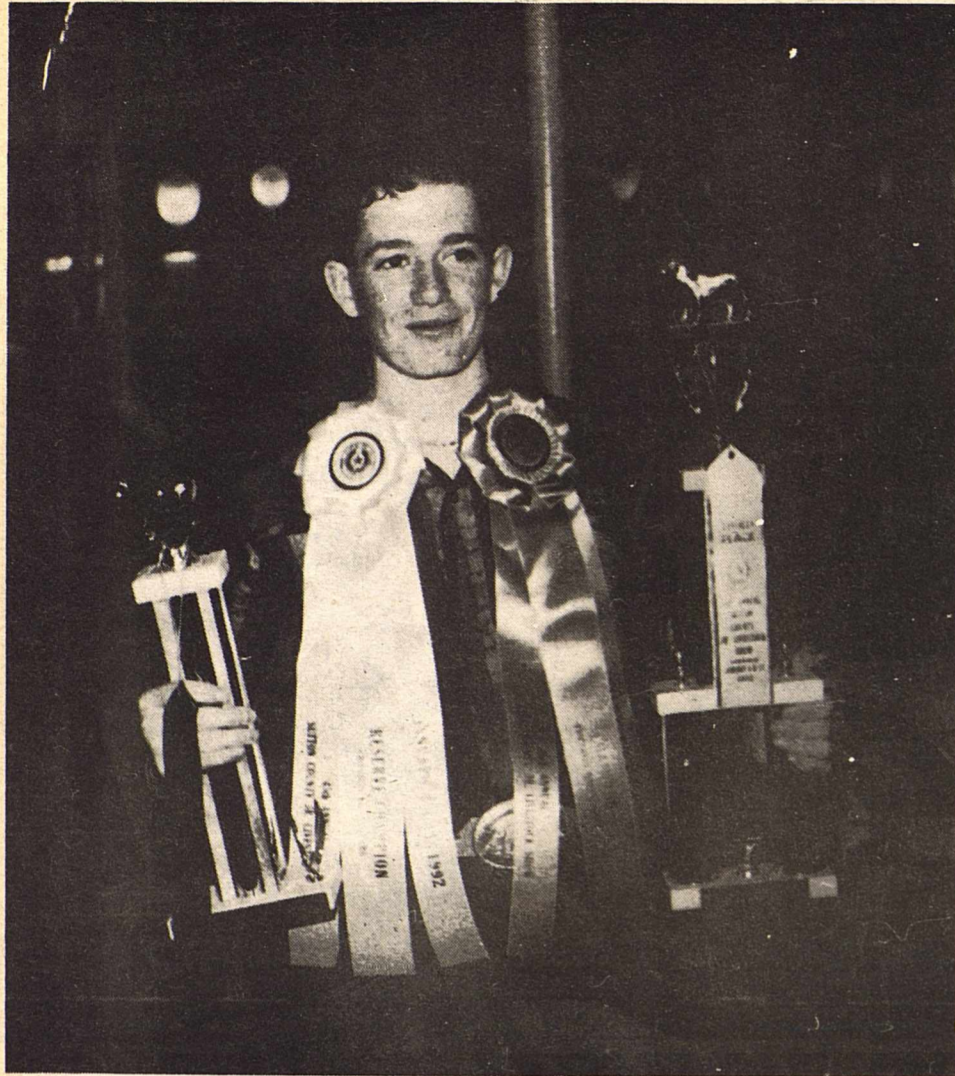
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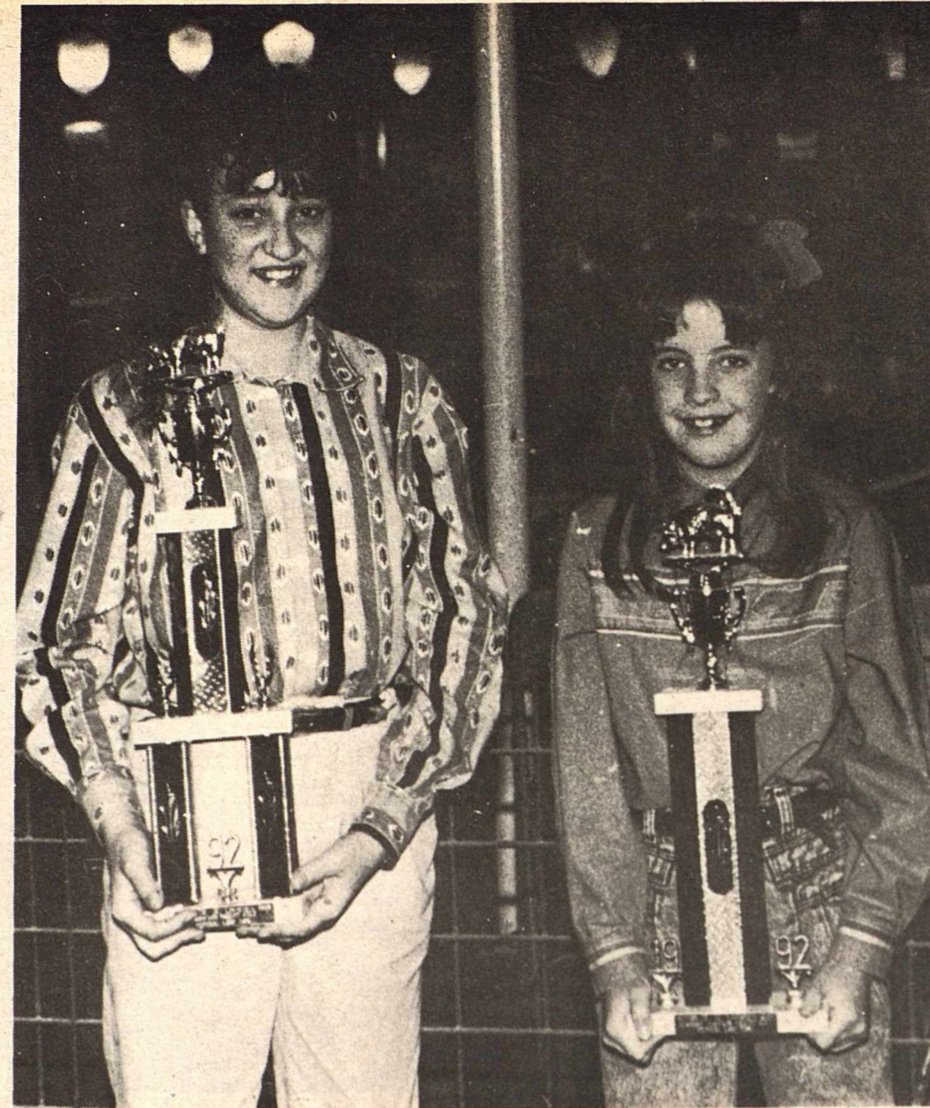


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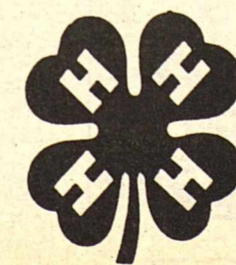


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Medium Weight - 1st, Kayla Shurley; 2nd, Bobby Mogford; 3rd, Jana Johnson; 4th, Riley Crain; 5th, Josh Payton; 6th, Matthew Smith; 7th, Jason Surber and 8th, Alex Zimmerman.

Light Heavy Heavy - 1st, Shawna Faris; 2nd, Graham Bloodworth; 3rd, Quincy Crain; 4th, Kasey Wood; 5th, Brian Faris; 6th, Breg Hughes; 7th, Will Matthews; 8th, Brad Mogford and 9th, Kasey Wood.

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Commercial Angora Doe Kid - 1st, Bonner Walsh, Margaret Galbreath; 2nd, Bonner Walsh, Margaret Galbreath; 3rd, Quincy Crain, Jimmy Holman; 4th, Quincy Crain, Jimmy Holman; 5th, Shane Keller, Joe David Ross; 6th, Matthew Smith, Jimmy Holman; 7th, Hadley Smith, Jimmy Holman; 8th, Chad Holmes, Margaret Galbreath; 9th, Shane Keller, Keller & Keller; 10th, Elba Schwiening, Schwiening; 11th, Melissa Martin, Margaret Galbreath; 12th, Melissa Martin, Margaret Galbreath; 13th, Cole Crenwelge, Joe David Ross; 14th, Elba Schwiening, Schwiening; 15th, Hadley Smith, Jimmy Holman; 16th, Byron Williams, Schwiening; 17th, Bryce Williams, Schwiening; and 18th, Matthew Smith, Jimmy Holman.

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Champion Commercial Angora Goat - Shane Keller, Joe David Ross.
Reserve Champion Commercial Goat - Bonner Walsh, Margaret Galbreath.

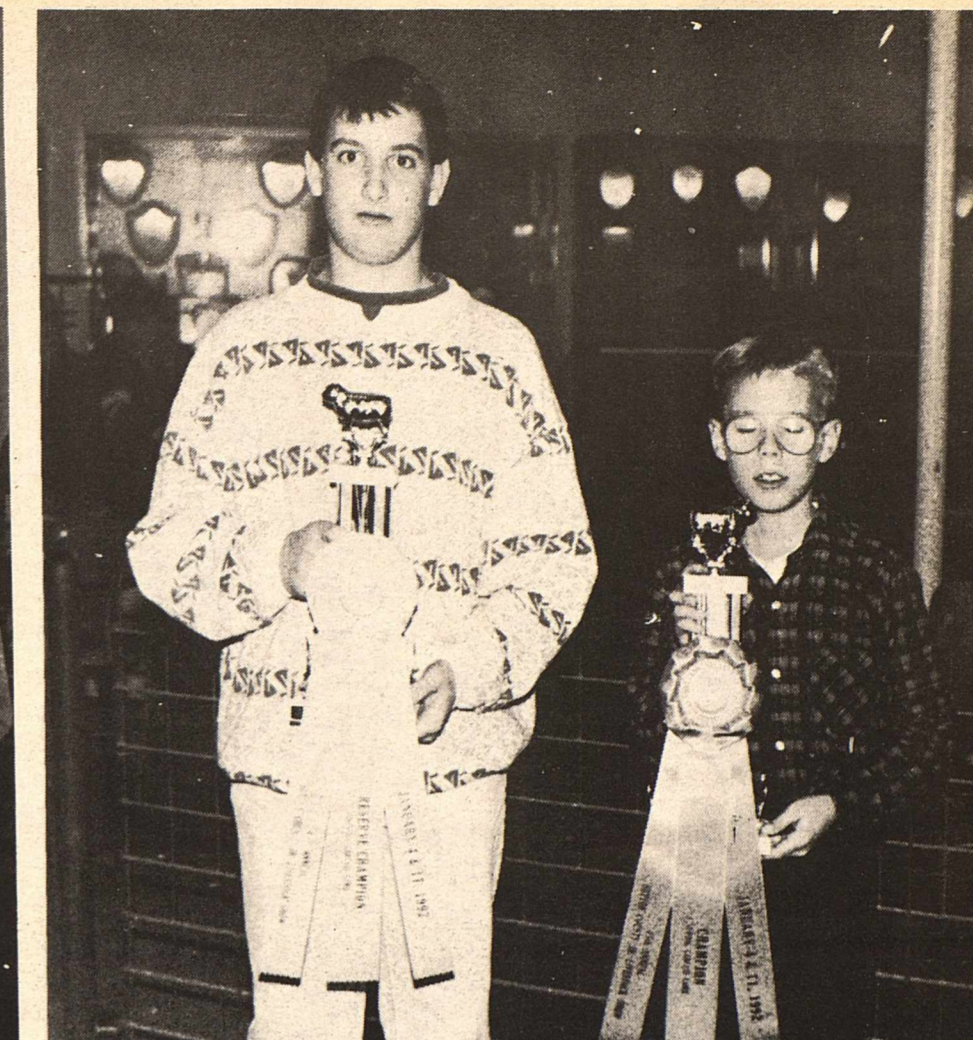
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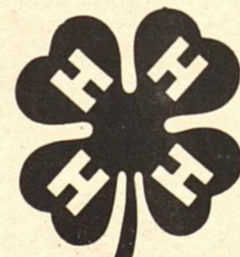
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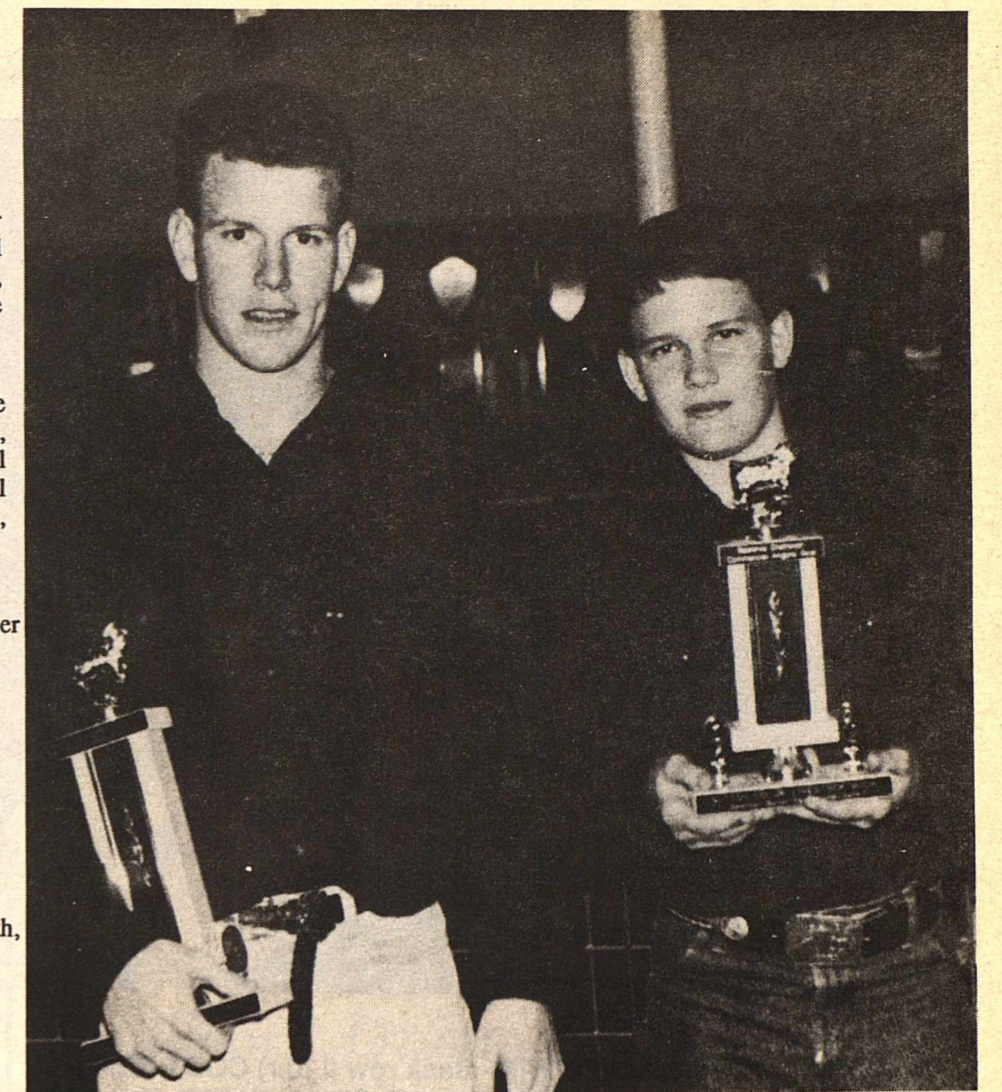
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Registered Angora Aged Bucks - 1st, Shane Keller, Herndon.

Champion Registered Angora Goat - Shane Keller, Keller & Keller.

Reserved Champion Registered Angora Goat - 1st, Cody Schenkel, Herndon.

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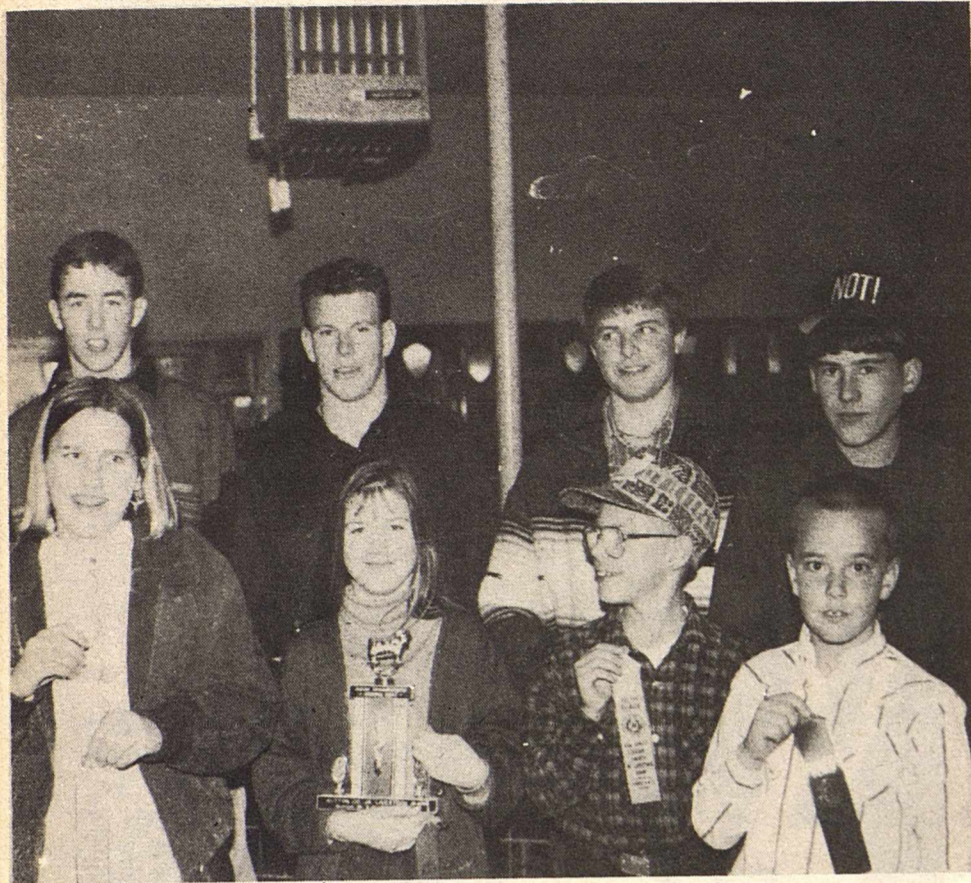
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Finewool Crosses - 1st, Justin Morley, Rousselot Ranch; 2nd, David Mayer, T Half Circle; 3rd, Jason Bounds, Flying W Ranch; 4th, David Fisher, Askew; 5th, Brian Faris, FMS Ranch Co.; 6th, Tom Jacoby, Jacoby; 7th, Shawna Faris; 8th, Brad Mogford, FMS Ranch Co.; 9th, Brandon Faris, Rousselot Ranch; and 10th, Shawn Wallace, Flying W Ranch.

SHOWMANSHIP

Goats:
Seniors - 1st, Shane Keller; 2nd, T. J. Thorp; 3rd, Matthew Smith; 4th, Quincy Crain; and 5th, Cole Crenwelge.

Juniors - 1st, Ashley Brockman; 2nd, Thomas Schenkel; 3rd, Ben Taylor; 4th, Joni Thorp; and 5th, Graham Bloodworth.

Swine:
Seniors - 1st, Brian Faris and 2nd, Bobby Mogford.
Juniors - 1st, Shawna Faris and 2nd, Riley Crain.

Market Lambs:
Seniors - 1st, Cody Renfro; 2nd, Brian Faris; 3rd, Bobby Mogford; 4th, Matthew Smith; and 5th, Jason Morley.

Juniors - 1st, Brad Mogford; 2nd, John Jones; 3rd, Anthony Renfro; 4th, Shawna Faris; and 5th, Walker Wallace.

Breeder's Award - 1st, Jacoby, 55 points; 2nd, Renfro, 51 points; and 3rd, -R, 41 points.



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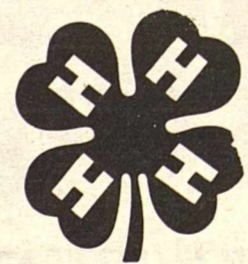
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Results from the Junior Livestock Show

FINEWOOL

Light Weight - 1st, Cody Renfro, Red Mill; 2nd, John Jones, Jones Ranch; 3rd, Julie Jones, Jones Ranch; 4th, Cody Renfro, Red Mill; 5th, Brad Mogford, Jacoby; 6th, Amy Patton, -R; 7th, Hadley Smith; 8th, John Jones, Jones Ranch; 9th, Matthew Smith; 10th, John Jones, Jones Ranch; 11th, John Jones, Jones Ranch; 12th, Brian Farris, Wallace; 13th, Tammy Fisher, FF; 14th, Ashley Bible, CJ Lambs; and 15th, Shawn Wallace, Flying W Ranch.

Medium Weight - 1st, Bill Renfro, Red Mill Ranch; 2nd, Amy Patton, -R; 3rd, Brian Farris, FF; 4th, Brad Mogford, Mogford; 5th, Brad Mogford, Jacoby; 6th, John Jones, Jones Ranch; 7th, Shawna Farris, FMS; 8th, Brandon Farris, FMS; 9th, Brandon Lock, FF; 10th, Bobby Mogford, Jacoby; 11th, Jason Morley, -R; 12th, Brady Lock, FF; 13th, Walker Wallace, Flying W Ranch; 14th, Amy Patton, JXN; and 15th, Jason Jacoby, Jacoby.

Light-Heavy Weight - 1st, Cody Renfro, Red Mill; 2nd, Bill Renfro, Red Mill; 3rd, Bill Renfro, Red Mill; 4th, Bobby Mogford, Jacoby; 5th, Justin Morley, -R; 6th, Tom Jacoby, Jacoby; 7th, Anthony Renfro, Red Mill; 8th, David Fisher, FF; 9th, Eric Geske, -R; 10th, Jason Jacoby, Jacoby; 11th, Justin Morley, -R; 12th, Eric Geske, -R; 13th, David Fisher, FF; 14th, Julie Jones, Jones; and 15th, Tom Jacoby, Jacoby.

Heavy Weight - 1st, Brian Farris, FF; 2nd, Bobby Mogford, Mogford; 3rd, Jason Morley, -R; 4th, Amy Patton, -R; 5th, Anthony Renfro, Red Mill; 6th, Bobby Mogford, Jacoby; 7th, Cody Renfro, Red Mill; 8th, Amy Patton, -R; 9th, Shawna Farris, -R; 10th, Julie Jones, Jones; 11th, Tom Jacoby, Jacoby; 12th, Julie Jones, C-Johnson; 13th, Julie Jones, Jones; 14th, Jason Jacoby, Jacoby; and 15th, Justin Morley, Hyde.

Champion Finewool - Brian Farris, FF.
Reserve Champion Finewool - Cody Renfro, Red Mill Ranch.

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Light Weight - 1st, Brandon Farris, Askew; 2nd, Cody Renfro, Renfro Ranch; 3rd, Jason Morley, Askew; 4th, Anthony Renfro, Renfro; 5th, Amy Patton, -R; 6th, Bill Renfro, Renfro; 7th, Amy Patton, Turner; 8th, Brian Farris, FMS; 9th, Cody Renfro, Renfro; 10th, Jason Morley, -R; 11th, David Fisher, Askew; 12th, Justin Morley, -R; 13th, Brady Lock, Askew; 14th, Ashley Bible, CJ Lambs; and 15th, Ashley Bible, FMS.

Medium Weight - 1st, Bobby Mogford, Jacoby; 2nd, Anthony Renfro, Renfro; 3rd, Brad Mogford, -R; 4th, Brian Farris, FMS; 5th, Brandi Bible, -R; 6th, Tammy Fisher, FF; 7th, Bobby Mogford, -R; 8th, Anthony Renfro, Renfro; 9th, Amy Patton, JXSN; 10th, Brandon Lock, Askew; 11th, David Mayer, T Half Circle; 12th, Hadley Smith; 13th, Shawna Farris, FMS; 14th, Megan Mayer, T Half Circle; 15th, Megan Mayer, T Half Circle.

Light Heavy Weight - 1st, Bobby Mogford, Jacoby; 2nd, Jason Morley, -R; 3rd, David Fisher, Askew; 4th, Brady Lock, Askew; 5th, Tom Jacoby, Jacoby; 6th, David Fisher, Askew; 7th, Tom Jacoby, Jacoby; 8th, Eric Geske, Twilinger; 9th, Eric Geske, Twilinger; 10th, Brandon Lock, Askew; 11th, Eric Geske, Askew; 12th, Matthew Smith, -R; 13th, Justin Morley, -R; 14th, Shiela Davis, Jacoby; and 15th, David Mayer, T Half Circle.

Heavy Weight - 1st, Jason Jacoby, Jacoby; 2nd, Jason Jacoby, Jacoby; 3rd, Tom Jacoby, Jacoby; 4th, Tom Jacoby, Jacoby; 5th, Bill Lamb, -R; 6th, Jason Jacoby, Jacoby; 7th, Jason Jacoby, Jacoby; 8th, Eric Geske, Quarter S; 9th, Jason Jacoby, Jacoby; 10th, Bill Lamb, -R; 11th, Tom Jacoby, Jacoby; 12th, Bryce Williams, FMS; 13th, Matthew Smith, -R; 14th, Brandon Lock, Askew; and 15th, Graham Bloodworth, Jacoby.

Champion Crossbred - Bobby Mogford, Jacoby.

Reserve Champion Crossbred - Bobby Mogford, Jacoby.

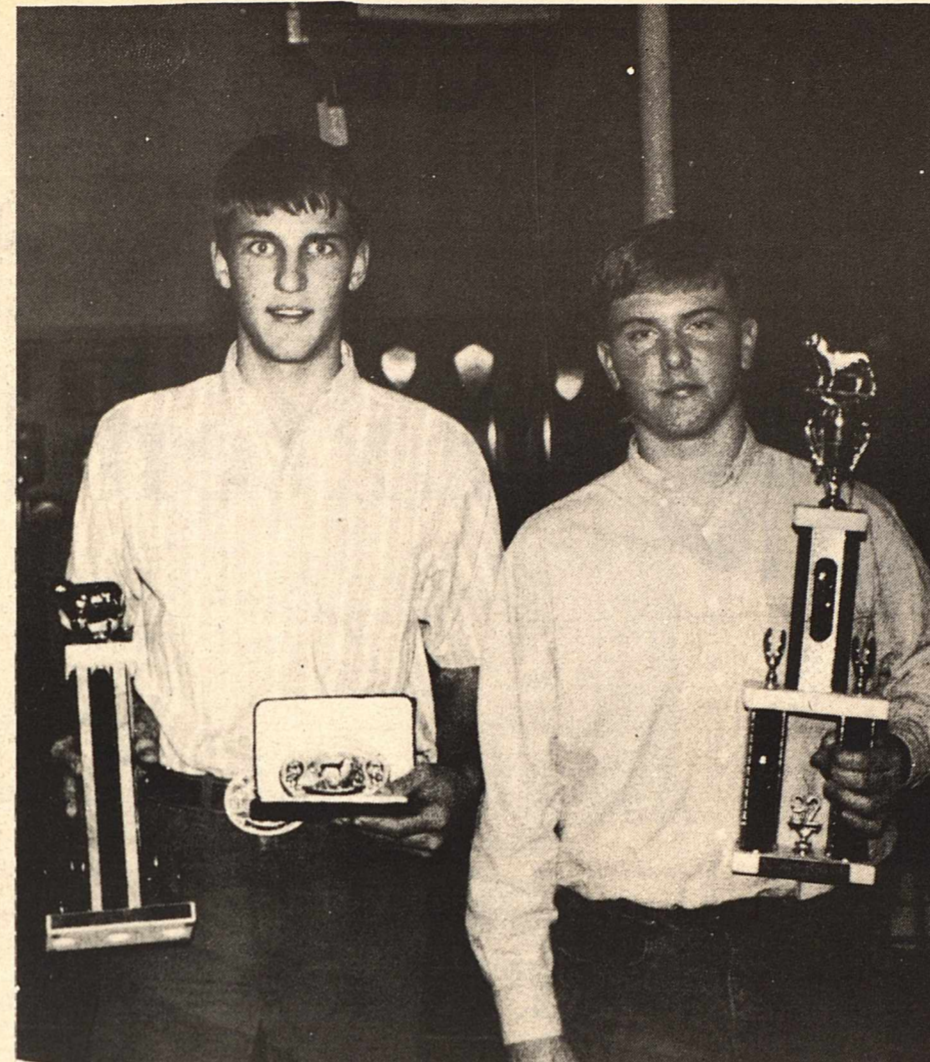
Novice Class - 1st, Brandi Bible; 2nd, Bill Renfro; 3rd, David Fisher; 4th, Bill Lamb; 5th, Chris Green; 6th, Megan Mayer; and 7th, Ashley Bible.

Finewool Ewe Lamb Pair - 1st, Brandon Farris; 2nd, Justin Morley; 3rd, Megan Mayer; 4th, Amy Patton; 5th, Shawna Farris; 6th, Brian Farris; 7th, David Mayer; 8th, Jason Morley; and 9th, Ashley Brockman.

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Finewool - 1st, Graham Bloodworth, Rousselot Ranch; 2nd, Jason Morley, Rousselot Ranch; 3rd, Brandon Farris, Rousselot Ranch; 4th, Eric Geske, Wallace Ranch Co. 5th, Amy Patton, Rousselot Ranch; 6th, John Jones, Jones; 7th, Tom Jacoby, Jacoby; 8th, Julie Jones, Jones; 9th, Justin Morley, Rousselot Ranch; and 10th, Jason Jacoby, Jacoby.

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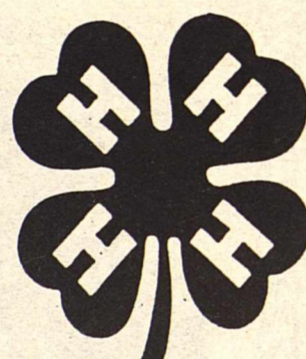
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