

News **Briefs** 

#### **Social Security**

Garland Gregg, representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his August visit to Sonora. He will be at the County Courthouse on Thursday, August 20, 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.

#### **SHS** registration

Sonora High School registration will be held on Monday and Tuesday, August 10 and 11. Senior students will register on Monday Aug. 10 from 9 a. m. until noon. Juniors from 1 -3:30

p. m. Sophomores will register on

Tuesday, Aug. 11 from 9 a.m. until noon and Freshmen frcm 1-3:30 p.m.

#### **BBO** donations

The Senior Center needs donations to offset the cost of the Sutton County Days Bar-B-Que set for Friday, August 21.



# **Routh receives** award for service

One of the state's premier crimefighting organizations presented its 1992 Distinguished Police Office Award to Officer Michael W. Routh of the Sonora Police Department.

The award given by Associated Texans Against Crime (ATAC) was conferred on Officer Routh on Thursday, July 30, during a ceremony at the Sonora Police Department.

Presenting this award was ATAC executive director Zack Dawes. Ed Hodges, director of U.S. Senator Phil Gramm's regional office in San Antonio, also read a letter from Gramm congratulating Officer Routh for his years of service and dedication to the Sonora Police Department.

"The ultimate battle over crime and drugs will continue to be fought on the front lines by our local law enforcement officials. So I want to commend ATAC for recognizing the efforts of officers like Michael, who risk their lives every day to protect our homes, neighborhoods and communities," Gramm said.

The award is given to a police officer who best demonstrates a commitment to making the streets of Sonora a safer place to live, work and raise a family.

Officer Michael W. Routh has a

many crimes in Sonora. His active participation in the youth of the community makes him an outstanding law enforcement officer and a much appreciated and valued citizen of the community.

Sonora Police Chief Brent Gesch told the Devil's River New that it was a difficult choice, however, Officer Routh had demonstrated outstanding qualities. "He's not a hero, but yet he is, stated Chief Gesch. It takes a hero to deal with everyone else's problems and fight crime and then be able to carry on his life as a family man, Christian, and community worker."

Officer Routh is active with Boy Scouts, 4-H Shooting Sports, Dare Program, and a member of the Church of Christ.

ATAC was founded in 1984 as an anti-crime public policy organization dedicated to studying the Texas criminal justice system, making recommendations to improve the system and increasing public awareness of criminal justice issues.

"ATAC is dedicated to supporting local law enforcement agencies in their efforts to stop the rising crime epidemic in Texas," Dawes said. "Our mission is to not only talk about he effects of crime, but to make a difference by bringing innovative solutions to this epidemic."

If you would like to donate goats (6-8 are needed), briskets, or money for the project contact Carole Thorp or Juanita Mesa at 387-5657 or 387-3941. All proceeds earned from the Bar-B-Que will directly benefit the Senior Center.

The Center also needs volunteers to cook the meat. If you or your group would be interested, please call the numbers listed above.

#### Reunion

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Some friends of Claudette Wipff are organizing a reunion for all "children" that she has kept in past years.

If you, your children or someone you know stayed with Claudette please contact Ronda or Sharon with addresses to help notify everyone. Call 915-387-2460 M-F or 915-387-2448 Sat.-Sun.

#### Steer saddling

Anyone interested in entering a steer saddling contest during the Sutton County Days Rodeo should call 387-3193 or 387-5336.

#### **Brownie roundup**

Come join the Brownie Girl Scouts for cake, punch, games & song! at the City Park on Thursday, August 13 from 6:30-8:00.

Girls first through third grade are invited to attend.

#### Playday

The 4-H playday will be held on Thursday, August 6 at the Sutton County Park beginning at 6 p. m.

#### Closed

The Historical Society business office will be closed from Augus 2 through August 17.

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DISTINGUISHED POLICE OFFICER - Officer Mike Routh, shown here with his wife Beverly and his sons Justin and Matt, was recently recognized as a distinguished police officer.

# Sutton County Days tickets on sale now

Ticket sales are underway now for the annual Sutton County Days Rodeo and Dance.

Sutton County Queen Candidates are selling the tickets for the event which will begin Thursday, August 20 and conclude Saturday, August 22. The number of tickets sold is a factor in the selection process of the new queen.

LORNA OLENICK

Whitney Condra, Miss Sutton Stephanie Roberts, West Side County 1991, will relinquish her crown to one of the ten candidates during a ceremony on the courthouse lawn August 22.

This years candidates and their sponsors are: Annette Gamez, First National Bank; Lorna Olenick, Fire Department & Firemen's Auxiliary Jessica Ortiz, Food Center; Steakhouse & Devil's River Inn.

Sears; Anna Teaff, Fire Department & Firemen's Auxiliary; Stephanie Virgen, Ladies Golf Auxilliary; Shawn Wallace, Downtown Lions Club; Carmen Chavez, Sutton County National Bank; and Gloria Escalera, Sutton County

Lions Club; Jennifer Tankersley,

proven record of persistence and attention to duty which has resulted in the successful resolutions of



WHITNEY CONDRA

In the past eight years, ATAC's research and data have formed the background and basis for many policy revisions in the Texas criminal justice system.

The group has been instrumental in influencing legislation on making multiple murders a crime punishable by death, cracking down on illegal speed labs, preventing appeals based on technicalities in indictments, and making possession of child pornography a crime.

ATAC's comprehensive report on the Texas prison system also led to a major new prison construction and implementation of effective drug and alcohol rehabilitation programs.



ANNA TEAFF



STEPHANIE VIRGEN



GARMEN CHAVEZ



SHAWN WALLACE



ANNETTE GAMEZ



JESSICA ORTIZ

JENNIFER TANKERSLEY



# **Texas expands transportation alternatives**

give Texans more transportation alternatives, add emphasis to border needs and expand infrastructure.

At its monthly meeting, the Texas Transportation Commission proposed new procedures for private entities or corporations to follow to obtain commission and Texas Department of Transportation approval to connect a privately community participation and that owned road with the state highway system. State law prohibits summary analysis and verbatim

Privately owned roads may soon connecting privately owned roads with state highways, bridges or roads unless approved by the commission and the department.

There is a 30-day comment period once the procedures appear in the Texas Register.

The new rules also require that private entities or corporations hold at least one public hearing to ensure they provide the department with a transcript of the hearing.

"This is crucial. We want the public to have plenty of opportunity to voice their opinions about a privately owned road in their community and we want to know what they are saying," said commission member David Bernson of Beaumont.

According to the rules, to grant approval the commission and the department must also consider the project's effects on motorist's safety, local economies, the environment and the flow of traffic from the anticipated North American Free Trade Agreement.

that share the border with the

Republic of Mexico will not

interfere with the free flow of

trade."

#### **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.

#### Bunko

Needed - one person to form non-smoking Bunko Club. If interested please call Karen Anderson at 387-2330.

#### **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.

#### Little Miss/Mr.

Entry forms are now available at the Sonora Chamber of Commerce for the Little Miss & Mr. Sutton County day contest to be held during Sutton County Days on August 22, 1992.

The contestants must have turned three years of age and must not have turned six prior to August 22, 1992. There is a \$5 entry fee for each contestant.

Entry forms may be picked up at the Chamber Office at 705 Crockett or call 387-2880 for more information. The deadline for entering is August 10, 1992.

#### **Al Anon meetings**

Al Anon meetings are held Thursday night at 8 p.m. Newcomers meet at 7:30 p.m. Please call 387-5775 for further

information.

#### **AIDS** test

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#### **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.

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.



25 YEARS OF SERVICE - Juan Castro was recently recognized for 24 years of service to the Texas Department of Transportation. Presenting the award is District Engineer Walter McCullough.

# Castro honored by TxDOT

Department of Transportation (TxDOT), was recently recognized for 25 years of service to the department. Juan is employed with the forces of Roadway Maintenance Supervisor Louis Olenick.

Juan and his wife, Anna, have

Juan A. Castro, Maintenance two children and two grandchildren, Technician III with the Texas and are members of the Catholic Church.

> Presentation of the award was made by District Engineer Walter McCullough, P. E., of San Angelo, who congratulated Juan on his long service to the department.



EARLY BIRDS CATCH THE ONE (#1) - Mighty Bronco Band Director, John Canfield, coaches band students early this year to expect big things for 1992-1993.

# Sonora Intermediate School Supply List 1992-93

### Third Grade\*

- 3 tablets (#2179 2nd grade Nifty Manuscript tablet) 1 bottle glue
- pkg. (300) notebook paper (wide-ruled)
- pkg. asst'd construction paper
- pair scissors
- ruler (centimeter/inches)
- water colors w/brush
- 3 folders
- box Kleenex
- box map colors\*\*
- 1 box Crayons\*\*
- 5 #2 pencils
- 1 spiral notebook

#### Fourth Grade\*

- 1 pkg. notebook paper
- 1 box map colors\*\*
- 5 #2 pencils
- 1 med. size pr. scissors
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- 2 boxes Kleenex
- 1 bottle glue
- 1 notebook w/metal rings
- 1 pkg crayons\*\*
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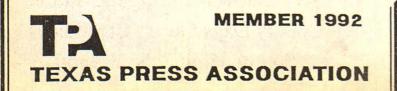
#### Community Calendar Fifth Grade\* August Programs • Flyers • Business Cards • large, metal ring, looseleaf notebook Stationary · Envelopes · Rubber Stamps · pkg. notebook paper (standard wide-rule) Saturday-8th: Covered Wagon Dinner Theater, Caverns Posters plastic notebook organizer of Sonora, meal served at 6:30, show at 7 p.m. 2 pkgs. notebook dividers **Devil's River** 220 N.E. Main #2 pencils Saturday-15th: Covered Wagon Dinner Theater, Caverns of 5 915/387-2507 pkg. asst'd construction paper Sonora, meal served at 6:30, show at 7 p.m. NEWS ruler (centimeter/inches) Fax #915/387-2508 Tuesday-18th: First Day of School. box crayons\*\* Thursday-Saturday-20th-22nd: Outlaw Pro Rodeo, County box map colors\*\* Arena, 8 p. m. eraser (no artgum) **Sutton Specialty** Saturday-22nd: Sutton County Days, Courthouse Lawn. 2 boxes Kleenex bottle glue Electric, Inc. pair scissors September \*ALL GRADES need to label each item BEFORE it is SONORA, TX **510 CROCKETT** brought to school on the first day! Friday-4th: First football game of the season. "We invite you to call us with your electrical needs. You'll be glad you did!" \*\*These items need to be marked individually with Monday-7th: Labor Day holiday. your child's name. If this item is found on the floor or in Tuesday-22nd: Autumn Begins. PROMPT, PROFESSIONAL SERVICE the hallway it is easily returned to the student. **AT A COMPETITIVE PRICE!** RECOMMENDATION--PLASTIC STORAGE BOXES The Community Calendar is made possible by: Licensed, Bonded & Fully Insured WITH LIDS--these are excellent for keeping First National Bank **Devil's River News** cravons/map colors/scissors/markers/glue together-915-387-6516 Member FDIC 220 N. Main these items are lost easily in lockers and on the way to PHONE ANSWERED 24 HOURS A DAY 102 N. Main class. 387-3861 387-2507 **DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS READ & WIN!** This week's winner is USPS (155-920) Maria Dominguez Published every Thursday at 220 NE Main St. Find the o and win \$

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Mail or bring your entry (photocopies will not be accepted) to the Devil's River News office by 5 p.m. Monday. Tuesday morning at 10 a.m. we will draw to determine the order of the winning numbers. If the numbers you have submitted match the order of the winning numbers drawn then you win \$25 Cash. If no one wins the \$25 for that week the prize will double to \$50 and will continue to increase until we have a winner!

### Find the numbers in this weeks paper and place them in ANY order

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Game ends September 1, 1992. At that time if there is money still yet to be won, a final drawing will be held from all the entries received. In the event that more than one entry matches the numbers drawn, the money will be divided equally among the winning entries.

# Nunez-Reyna united in marriage July 18

Jane Nunez and David Reyna of Van Horn and Sonora were united in marriage on July 18, 1992 at St. Ann's Church of Sonora, Texas. The Rev. William R. DuBuisson officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mrs. Olivia Carasco of Van Horn and Mrs. Frances Reyna and the late Frank Reyna Jr. of Sonora.

Maid of honor was Patsy Nunez of El Paso. Matron of honor was Mary Ann Serano of Houston, sisters of the bride.

Bridesmaids were Elena Sanchez of Robert Lee, Belia Reyna, Yolanda Avila, Delma Northcott, Juanita Mata, Irma B. Mata of Sonora, Velma Mata of San Angelo, Carmen Vela of El Paso, Amy Morales, Mary Lynn Rodriguez, Bert Nunez and Sandra Nunez of Van Horn.

Junior bridesmaids were Amy Torres, Crystal Ponsetti, Jennifer Lozano, of Sonora, Jessica Esquivel of Abilene, Carrie and Jessica Benavides of Van Horn.

Best man was David Rivera of Van Horn. Groomsmen were Enrique Sanchez of Robert Lee, Eugene Reyna, Frank Avila, Jerry Northcott, Henry Mata and Robert Mata, Jr. of Sonora, Edward Mata of San Angelo, Jesse Vela of El Paso, Joe Morales, Pete Rodriguez, Regino Nunez, Roy Nunez of Van Horn and Elijio Serano of Houston. Ring bearer was Nicholas Benavides.

Pillow bearers were Jennifer Serano and Steve Reyna. Train bearers were Bernadette Nunez and Alex Nunez.

Mrs. Reyna is a graduate of Van Horn High School and is attending U. T. E. P.

Her husband is a graduate of Sonora High School, served in the Marine Corps for 3 years, graduated from the Border Patrol Academy and is currently working in Van Horn.

After a wedding trip to the coast the couple will be living in Van Horn.

### Card of thanks

The family of Barbara Snodgrass wishes to express our heartfelt gratitude for the thoughtfulness, prayers, and support shown us in this our time of sorrow. Our hearts have been lifted and our hope revived by your love. Thank you.

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### **New Arrival** Marissa Citlaly Villanueva

Estela and Mike Villanueva, Jr. are proud to announce the arrival of their daughter, Marissa Citlaly. She was born Wednesday, July 29, 1992 at 2:45 a.m. She weighed seven pounds 5 1/2 ounces and was

20 inches long. Welcoming Marissa home are her sister Isabel; her grandparents, Miguel and Amparo Villanueva and Rudolfo and Maria Villareal; and her great-grandparents, Francisco and Antonio Villanueva, Esperanza Arredondo, Marcelo and Martha Garcia and Navor Villareal.

### **Diabetes classes** set for Aug. 12 & 13

The third session of the Diabetes education classes offered by the Texas Department of Health, will be held on August 12 from 4-5 p. m. in English and August 13 from 4-5 p. m. in Spanish.

Everyone is invited to attend. The Texas Department of Health is located at 211 Highway 277 North.

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### **Turner deployed to Cuba** Army Reserver Staff Sgt. Gary specialist in Abilene, Texas.

W. Turner has been deployed to Guantanamo Naval Station, Cuba to support the U.S. efforts in providing humanitarian assistance and relief to thousands of Haitian migrants.

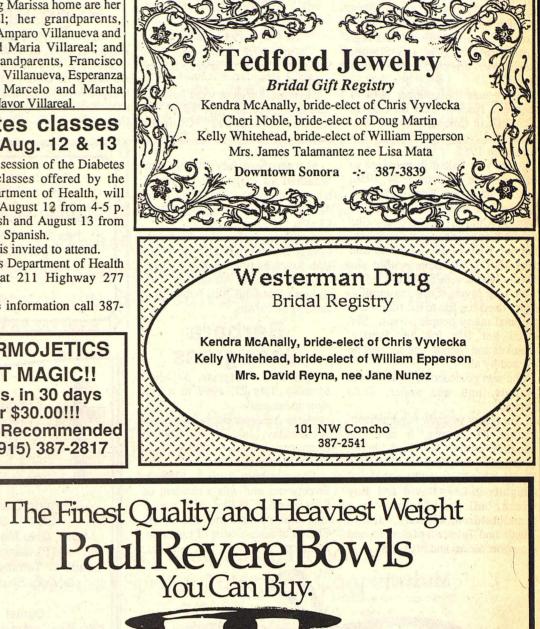
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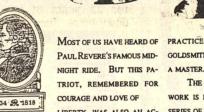
Turner is the son of Bob R. and Ann G. Turner of Voss.

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His wife, Holly, is the daughter of Pat and Shelly Briscoe of Sonora.

He graduated from Mozelle High





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# August 15, 1992

Don Jones **Biscuits** O'Bryan Style Show featuring the Sutton County Days Queen Candidates Sonora High School Band

The Devil's River News, Thursday, August 6, 1992

# **Death Notices**

### Mary Ernestine Creek

Mary Ernestine Creek passed way Thursday, July 30, 1992, in Angelo Community Hospital.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, August 1, at the First Baptist Church in Sonora with Brother Paul Smith officiating. Burial followed in the Sonora Cemetery, directed by Funeral Home.

Mary was the younger born to lack and Nora Wester on August 29, 1937, in Coleman, Texas. She graduated from Coleman High School in 1955.

Mary was united in marriage to Luther Creek on October 24, 1956, in Coleman First Baptist Church. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Sonora. She worked for Sonora Independent School District for 17 years and was also very active within the family business in Sonora.

A very loving Christian mother, Mary lived her life to the fullest and touched many people's lives. She lived her life for her family, relatives and friends, and she will be missed by all.

She was preceded in death by her parents, and one sister, Zena Graham.

Survivors include her husband, Luther of Sonora; a son and daughter-in-law, John and Sharon Creek, daughter, Loraine Creek and E. W. Franklin, and a son and daughter-in-law, David and Kay Creek, all of Sonora; four grandchildren, Jeremy, Jason, Dustin and Tyler, all of Sonora; and

Pallbearers were Al Lynch, Alex Castro, John Zook, Wayne Creek, George Wipff, Cleve T. Jones, Bob Cramer and Eddie Favila. Honorary pallbearers were Jim

Mathews and Zeke Gamez.

### Mary Brockman

Mary Brockman, 73, died Sunday, August 2, 1992, at her residence.

Memorial services were held on Monday, August 3, 1992 at St. John's Episcopal Church. Arrangements were by Kerbow Funeral Home.

She was born July 24, 1919, in Weatherford. She was a church treasurer and memorial fund chairperson for St. John's Episcopal Church and a homemaker.

Survivors include her husband, George Brockman of Sonora; a son, Bob Brockman of Sonora; a sister, Virginia Vogel of Alexandria, Va.; and two grandchildren, Ashley and Landon Brockman.

### Barbara Snodgrass

Barbara Snodgrass, 54, died Monday, July 27, 1992 in a San Angelo hospital.

Graveside services were held Wednesday, July 29 in Sonora Cemetery, directed by Kerbow Funeral Home.

She was born April 8, 1938, in Sweetwater and was a resident of Sonora since 1961. She was a homemaker and a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latterday

Survivors include her husband. Bob Snodgrass of Sonora; two sons, Robin Snodgrass of Watertown, N. Y., and Chase Snodgrass of Laredo; and a grandchild.

# **Hugh Shaw**

Hugh Shaw, 78, died Monday, August 3, 1992, in Midland. Services were held Wednesday,

August 5 in Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Masonic graveside rites in Resthaven Memorial Park Cemetery.

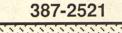
He was born March 14, 1914, in Rockwall. He retired after 42 years

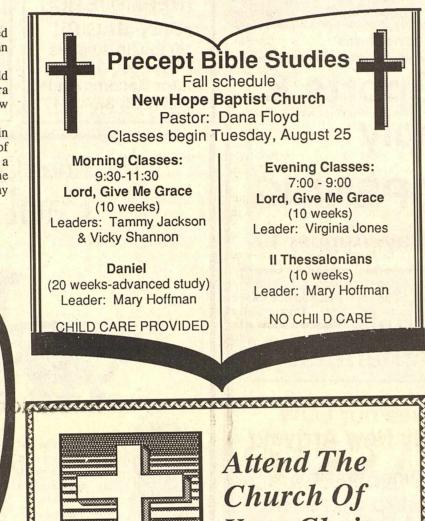
as captain of the Department of Public Safety, serving in Sonora during his tenure.

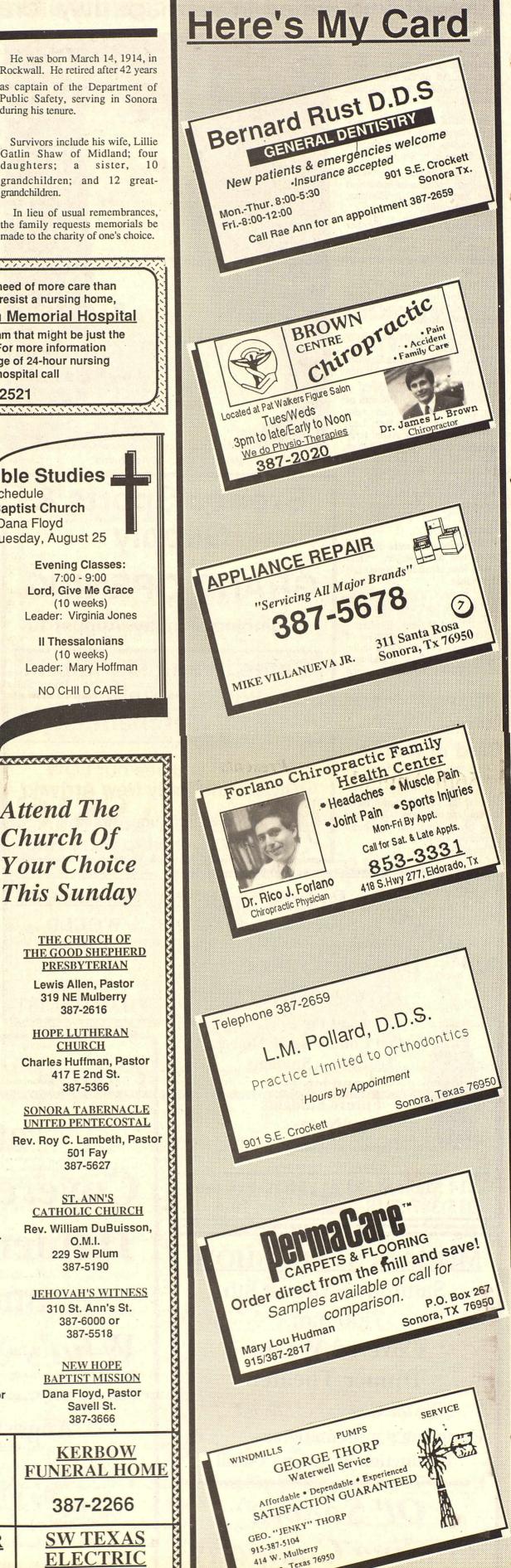
Survivors include his wife, Lillie Gatlin Shaw of Midland; four daughters; a sister, 10 grandchildren; and 12 greatgrandchildren.

In lieu of usual remembrances, the family requests memorials be made to the charity of one's choice.

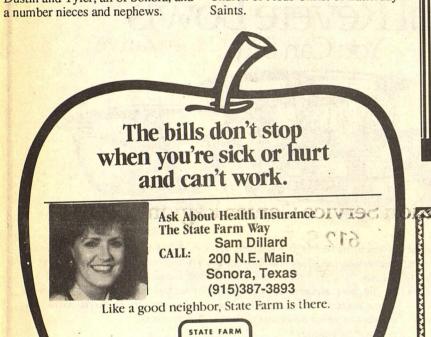
If your loved one is in need of more care than you can give, but you resist a nursing home, Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital has a "long term" program that might be just the right thing for you! For more information about taking advantage of 24-hour nursing care in the hospital call







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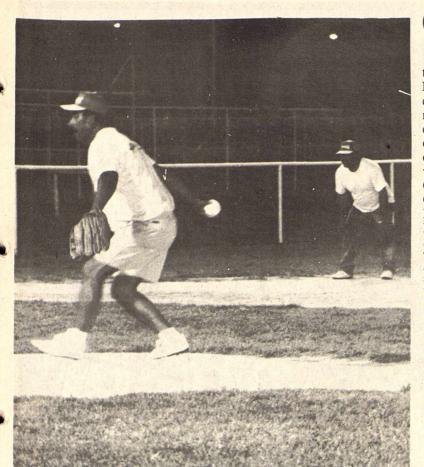
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TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALL GAME - Local companies enjoy family fun Tuesday and Thursday evenings at the Baseball Field. Pictured pitching for Meridian Oil is Julio Samaniego.

# Parker elected advisory director

Westex Bancorp, Inc., a three bank holding company with headquarters in Del Rio, Texas has announced the election of James M. Parker of Sonora as an advisory director of the corporation. T. J. Moore III of Ingram, Norman Elder and T. J. Jarrett of Del Rio were also elected as advisory directors.

Parker, a Baylor graduate, has ranching interest in Sutton and

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S. W. Cauthorn, president of Andrew counties. He is the Deacon of the First Baptist Church of Sonora and a member of the Downtown Lions Club. Parker is a founding director of the Sutton County National Bank. He and his wife Carol have four children and five grandchildren.

Westex Bancorp Inc. had \$140,319,000 in assets as of June 30, 1992 and has stockholders throughout the Sutton and Val Verde county area.

# County library summer reading program ends

The Sutton County Library had their end of the program party on Friday, July 31st. Cookies, ice cream and drinks, provided by the moms, were enjoyed by the children. Six names were drawn out for no overdues for the month of July. Those receiving a prize were: Marie Samaniego, Gaby Coronado, Amy Ramirez, Karla Gonzales, Rito Renteria and Maribel DeLuna. The Best Drawing of Christopher Columbus Ship were: Megan Fitzgerald and Thia McKissack. Most hours read preK-5th grade were: Alan Nicholas 100 hours, Gaby Coronado 60 hours. 6-8th grade were Rito Renteria 40 hours and Karla Gonzales 145 hours.

Reading Hours: 5 hours-Crystal Guerra, Jessie Aguilar, Sandra Cordona, James Elliot, Elizabeth Elliot, Mayra Martinez, Kandra McIntyre, Friend Mendez, Ashley Parker, Cullen Parker, Shawn Ramos, Fernie Ramos, Lupe Ramon, Vicky Vara and Ashley Vickers.

10 hours-Katrina Hernandez, Ruben Brown, Jasmine Coronado, Michael Barthelemy, Mirabel Capuchina, Cameron Cox, Benny Frasier, Javier Gayton, Kate Higdon, Allison Higdon, Madeline Higdon, Ariel Hall, Marco Jimenez, Monica Lira, Stephanie Marcado, Dora Mendez, Robert Patton, Jerrad Solis, Jessie Solis and Matthew Torres.

15 hours-Rosalinda Hernandez, Meno Gutierrez, Kesha Frasier, David Sanchez, Jr. and Kimberley Bustamante.

20 hours-Casey Lee Arredondo, Joseph Ainsworth, Mario Magana and Thia McKissack.

25 hours-Leslie Gamez, Edgar Gonzalez, Mark Cooper, Alicia Gutierrez and Daniela Magana. 30 hours-Cody Ainsworth.

35 hours-Jamie Samaniego, Cassandra Torres, Amy Gutierrez and Jason Gutierrez.

40 hours-Myrna Ramirez, Marie Samaniego, Ashley Doran, Stacy

Sanchez, Amanda Sanchez, Veronica Coronado, Evelyn Mungia, Andrew Barthelemy, Steven Barthelemy, Roland Solis and Rito Renteria.

45 hours-Jerimy Lipham, Monica Samaniego and Leslie Samaniego. 50 hours-Megan Fitzgerald. 60 hours-Gaby Coronado. 70 hours-Misty Castilleja. 100 hours-Alan Nicholas 130 hours-Debbie Buitron and Amy Ramirez. 145 hours-Karla Gonzales.

Fun hours - Maribel DeLuna, Jason Barthelemy, Teresa Brown, Jake Trainer, Crispin Lira, Michelle Weingart, Justin Odom, Shawn

public schools.

Odom, Lindsey Bowers, Albert Borrego, Cynthia Borrego, Evan Collins, Nikki Casillas, Maura Chevez, Jessica Collins, Tanya Coronado, Gabby Duran, Will Ferguson, Christopher Favila, Meghan Galbreath, Michelle Galindo, Moises Galindo, Juan Gloria, Chang Hernandez, Clayton Hicks, Payton Holekamp, Walsh Hearn, Haven Holekamp, Jana Johnson, Talanel Johnson, Tera Johnson, Shane Love, Ty Love, Heather Lawson, Hillary Lawson, Lorena Lopez, Emmanuel Lopez, Kasey Miller, Carroll McAfee, Selina Martinez, Trista McIntyre, Alison Montalvo, Dora McAfee,

Alexie Ortiz, Ashley Padillas, Dusty Padilla, Leandra Perez, Daisy Porter, Gale Porter, Steve Reyna, Rocio Renteria, Alex Rodriguez, Lacy Ragsdale, Katy Roberts, Texie Roberts, Carlos Gamez, Bianca Sepeda, Sheryl Strauch, Danny Solis, Michael Solis, Melissa Tumlinson, Desiree Tumlinson, Nichole Worley, Courtney Worley, Wilson, Wallace, Kolby Whitehead, Warren Wallace, Crystal Zimmerman, Alex Zimmerman, Becky Banda, Brandi Bible, Lizzie Chavez, Michael Castilleja, Bethany Deel, Cindy Duran, Monique, Prissy Galindo, Sandra cont'd pg. 6

Some children are in need of specialized instruction or adaptations to ensure their maximum educational potential. All children, birth through 21 years of age, can learn and have a place in Texas

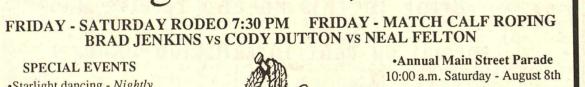
If you know of a child who may need special

services, please contact:

Mary McCarson, Director Menard Special Education Cooperative **106 Bevans** Menard, TX 76859 915/396-4587

or **Special Education Component Education Service Center Region XV** 612 S. Irene San Angelo, TX 76903 915/658-6571





•Starlight dancing - Nightly open air pavillion 9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.

Friday August 7th Scott Hoffman & Southern Image Saturday - August 8th Jay Eric & Blieder's Creek

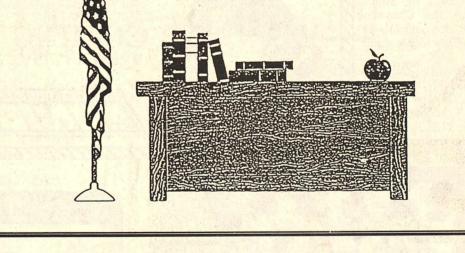


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August 8th

·Goat Show & Sale Registered Angora Doe & Billy Sale 60 Does • 100 Billies Show - 10:00 a.m. - August 7th Sale - 1:00 p.m. - August 8th

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#### 1992 PROPERTY TAX RATES IN SUTTON COUNTY

This notice concerns 1992 property tax rates for SUTTON COUNTY, CITY OF SONORA, SUTTON COUNTY WATER DISTRICT AND SUTTON COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rates is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustment as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

	and tailed the	CITY OF SONORA	HOSPITAL DISTRICT	WATER DISTRICT	COUNTY GENERAL	COUNTY FM&FC
Last	year's tax rate:					
	Last year's operating taxes	\$ 294,283	\$ 611,974	\$58,855	\$ 1,345,442	\$372,810
	Last year's debt taxes	\$ 10,326	\$0	\$0	\$372,810	\$0
	Last year's total taxes	\$	\$611,974	\$58,855	\$1,718,252	\$372,820
	Last year's tax base	\$ 56,734,770	\$ 470,749,610	\$ 470,842,000	\$_471,258,220	\$468,354,270
	Last year's total tax rate	\$5369/\$100	\$ .1300/\$100	\$0125/\$100	\$2855/\$100	\$
This	year's effective tax rate:					
	Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$303,444	\$ 611,962	\$58,854	\$1,345,416	\$372,802
S	÷ This year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting value of new property)	\$ 55.091.660	\$ 443,986,690	\$_443,986,690	\$_444,522,230	\$ 441,704,500
1	- This year's effective tax rate	\$.55079/\$100	\$13783/\$100	\$01325/\$100	\$30266/\$100	\$08440/\$100
	Total effective tax rate				\$38	8706/\$100
	X 1.03 - maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearing	\$.56731/\$100	\$14196/\$100	\$01364/\$100	\$39867/\$100	
This	year's rollback tax rate:			1.1.1		
- 24	Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 293,158	\$ 611,962	\$58,854	\$	\$372,802
	÷ This year's adjusted tax base	\$_55,091,660	\$ 443,986,690	\$ 443,986,690	\$ 444,522,230	\$ 441,704,500
	= This year's effective operating rate	\$_,53212/\$100	\$13783/\$100	\$01325/\$100	\$28846/\$100	\$08440/\$100
	X 1.08(or add \$.08 for schools) = this year's maximum operating rate	\$.57468/\$100	\$14885/\$100	\$ <u>.01431/\$100</u>	\$	\$09115/\$100
1	+ This year's debt rate	\$01565/\$100	\$0	\$0	\$01880/\$100_	\$0
Nig.	= This year's rollback rate	\$.59033/\$100	\$ .14885/\$100	\$01431/\$100	\$33030/\$100_	\$09115/\$100
	Total rollback rate				\$4	2145/\$100

#### UNENCUMBERED FUND BALANCES

The following balances will probably be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

	TYPE OF PROPERTY TAX FUND	BALANCE
Sutton County	General Fund Farm to Market/ Flood Control Fund	\$ 600,000 250,000
City of Sonora	General Fund General Restricted	1,100,000 1,365,000
Hospital District	General Fund	40,000
Water District	General Fund	112,796
Sonora I.S.D.	General Fund	2,051,520

#### 1992 DEBT SERVICE

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

	Sutton County	City of Sonora
DECRIPTION OF DEBT	Jail-cert. of obligation	1978 cert. of obligation-City Hall
Principal to be paid	\$75,000	\$7,000
Total required for 1992 debt	81,952	9,400
-Excess collections last year	636	860
=Total to be paid from 1992 taxes	81,316	8,540
+Amount added in anticipation the County will only collect 97%, City will collect only 97% of its 1992 taxes	2,514	264
-Total Debt Service Levy	\$83,830	\$8,804

#### STATE CRIMINAL JUSTICE MANDATE (FOR COUNTIES)

The Sutton County Auditor certifies that Sutton County has spent \$ 4,248 the previous 12 months beginning <u>July 1</u>, , 1991, for the maintenance and operations cost of keeping inmates sentenced to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. Sutton County Sheriff has provided information on these costs, minus the state revenues received for reimbursement of such costs.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at the Sutton County Appraisal District.

Rex Ann Friess

Chief Appraiser/Tax Assessor/Collector July 27, 1992

# Keeping you posted from the post

#### by Carole Thorp

Sutton County Days = Fun! The Senior Center will be extremely involved in this year's festivities. We will be represented in the parade by the 1992 Senior Mother and Father of the Year, Wilma Jones and Juan Lozano. J. C. Surber will furnish their transportation!

Our BIG event will be the Bar-B-Que on the courthouse lawn after the parade. We are actively (and somewhat successfully) soliciting donation of goat, cash and assistance for this fundraiser. If anyone would like to make a contribution, call us at 387-3941 or 387-5657.

We'll also be selling chances on several beautiful afghans that our Crochet Club has put together. Tickets will be available for all of the above following the August meeting of the Committee on Aging.

Plan to join in on all the Sutton County Days events, from the rodeo to the washer pitching. See you there!

Youth Bridge Gap of Age - Sonora is lucky to have so many youngsters who want to serve their fellow human beings. Helping us here during the summer have been: Sandrita Gonzalez, Mayra Carabajal, Jericho Thorp, Shawn Wallace, Rita Espinosa Lopez, Kayla Shurley, Christopher Perez, Wilson Wallace, Warren Wallace, Calvin, Gabby Gutierrez and Mikala Galindo.

Serving others through community service is not a unique idea. While other kids are at the pool or collecting dust at the casa, these children (aged 4 to 18) have been delivering meals, acting as

elderly.

Thanks to each of you. You are special!

Carole's Corner - august will cap off the summer of self-imposed misery for yours truly. I started off with a serious case of "my first baby is leaving the nest blues" followed by a severe sunburn, and topped that with my now famous fall which broke three fingers and will haunt me for the rest of my life. Is there life after rehab! (No, not that kind."

I have developed a more attuned empathy for those physical challenges. I want to share my newest favorite quote (off my desk calendar) "True friends are those who, when you've made a fool of yourself, don't think you've done a permanent job."

Thanks to everyone who has helped me throughout this ordeal, especially my family and the senior center staff and volunteers.

Our cook, Amelia Ramos is on the way to a full recovery from surgery and Lisa Galindo is doing a superb job in Amelia's absence. Juanita's dad is also on the mend. I hope this trend will soon be over or we'll have to change our name to the "Catastrophe Center."

Donations keep us running So, you don't feel like fixing lunch today, but you're not sick; or you've been working in the yard and you're all sweaty. Well, folks that does not qualify you to receive a home-delivered meal from the center!

Folks who receive meals delivered to their homes must be 60 years old or older, homebound and not have family members home pages, driving the director, giving out hugs, and touching the lives of are not the local delivery service for

Sonora's sometimes forgotten pizza. we have a serious obligation to provide services to those most in need. We do not have staff and volunteers available to keep us with our current clients!

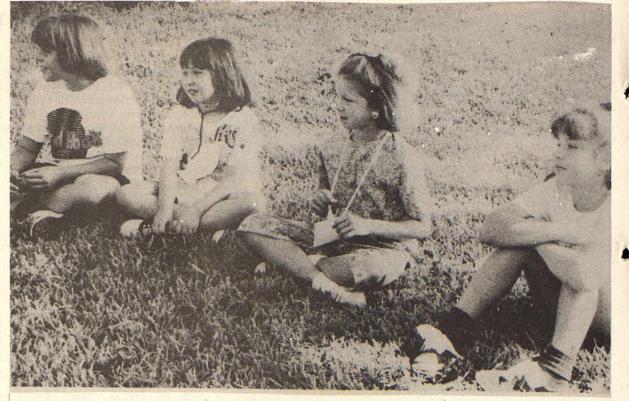
So if you have guests visiting, we'll be happy to serve them in our dining room (they must pay \$3.50). If you've been working in the yard, come as you are!

Time after time, I hear those words, "Why should i have to pay? The government is paying for this already." Wake up and smell the coffee (paid for by the Committee on Aging)! Where else can you get a home-cooked meal for \$1.50 or less?! When was the last time you offered to pay for your coffee or tea? Those items are not considered as necessities by our government sponsors so the Committee on Aging buys those for us.

A small portion of the total cost of each meal is paid for by government funding, but over a third of the cost of each meal must be paid for locally. That means pay with a generous donation or pay later in the form of higher taxes.

The same is true of our transportation program. Fifty cents won't ever buy you a lottery ticket, much less a trip across town! Give freely if you can. Things are so much better appreciated when we have to pay for them. Please don't take the services we offer for granted. If you can't pay in cash, how about donating some of your precious time? We place a high value on our volunteers and will trade volunteer work hours for special trips and discounts.

The birthday party for the August birthdays will be held after the noon meal on Friday, August 28. Happy birthday to everyone celebrating this month!



TRI-CHURCH VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - Students have fun and learn about the Bible in VBS sponsored by these three churches First United Methodist. St. John's Episcopal, and The Church of the Good Shepherd.

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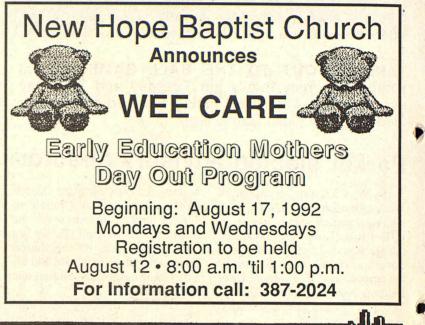
Galindo, Valerie Garza, Irma Gandar, Sonia Gandar, Ek Hernandez, John Paul Hudman, Jeanette Holmes, Sonia Martinez, Stacy Montez, Thomas Ramon, Christy Ramirez, Marty Roberts, J. R. Sanchez, Erik Talamantes, Farrah Virgen, Elene Velez, Cindy Villanueva and Kristen Whitehead.

Those reading 40 hours or more received a coupon for a blizzard from Dairy Queen. Thanks to all the participants that read and we'll see you next summer.

Winning the candy jar was Evelyn Mungia with 151 guesses. The correct number was 153.

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## Texas EES offers tips to regulate your thermostat

The costs of keeping your home Energy Office and is designed to exhibits providing energy cool in the summer can really add up if you don't watch your thermostat.

The Texas Energy Extension Service (EES) may be able to help you regulate your temperatures. A new sticker is available that can be placed on your thermostat. The sticker, titled "For Texas' Sake," list the ideal cost-efficient and

energy-efficient home temperatures for the summer and winter months.

The Texas EES is a public service program of the Governor's

Hudson ranked sixth in steer roping Keith Hudson of Sonora

help Texans make wise decisions regarding energy consumption. More than 80 publications on various energy-related topics are available for free through Texas EES. The program offers energy workshops to groups ranging from elementary children to businesses to Energy Hotline at 1-800-643senior citizens. In addition, SAVE

information are displayed at museums, home shows, conferences and fairs.

If you would like to order the free "For Texas' Sake" sticker or have any questions regarding energy efficiency, please call the Texas

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participated in the Cheyenne Frontier Days Rodeo held July 18-25 at Frontier Park in Cheyenne, Wyoming.

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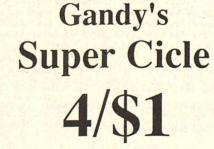
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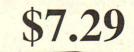


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**THE TOWN & COUNTRY DIFFERENCE** 

FOOD

Football workouts begin Aug. 10 Junior High football new Fall workouts for the 1992 Sonora Bronco football team will begin on Monday, August 10, 1992 for all high school athletes. Junior High workouts will begin on the first day of school, August 19, 1992. We will issue shoes to all high school participants on Thursday, August 6 at the following times: Seniors at 5 p. m.; Juniors at 5:15 p. m.; Sophomores at 5:30 p. m.; and Freshmen at 5:45 p.m. If an athlete is unable to attend at the scheduled time, he should contact Coach Bellard so other arrangements can be made. All 7th and 9th grade athletes will need to get a physical in order to participate. Sonora ISD will pay

GETTING READY - David Love is pictured welding on new stands in preparation for Sutton County Days.

# Golf Club holds four-man select shot tournament

The Sonora Golf Club held a four-man select shot golf tournament on August 1 and 2. Thirty-nine teams competed in four separate flights. Lynn Hayes of Merkel won the longest drive on #6 and Sonny Perez, Jr. of San Angelo won nearest to the pin on #9.

The winners and their scores are as follows:

Championship Flight-1st, Smith, Adams, Bishop, Hernandez, 108; 2nd, Andros, Arzate, Perez, Alexander, 110; and 3rd, Enriquez, Jiminez, Arispe, Valdez, 111.

First Flight-1st, Herdon, Buckner, Spurgeon, Hooton, 118; 2nd, Roper, Jackson, Wallace, Solis, 119; and 3rd, Donaldson, Roper, Solis, Sedillo, 120.

### Local ladies compete in tourney

Several local teams competed in Ozona's Two Lady select shot tournament on August 1.

Winning 2nd place in the Second Flight were Paige Ragsdale and her partner, Karrie Self of Rankin with an 87. Juanita McBride and Frances Tackel were also winners as they

Second Flight-1st, Doan, Hayes, Thomas, Doan, 118; 2nd, Money, Akin, Wood, MacGregor, 119; and 3rd, Hicks, Boxwell, Rankin, Raley, 121.

Third Flight-1st, Nunn, Izzard, Edmondson, Gagneux, 125; 2nd, Serrano, Serrano, Guevera, Chavez, 130; and 3rd, Hilderbrand, Studer, Karnes, Hipp, 131.

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Pajestka and Dr. Rogers are offering

a physical to all 7th grade athletes

for a fee of \$15. It is important

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that you use the correct physical form. Forms will be available at the fieldhouse, administration office, or at each of the doctors' offices. It is important that physicals are completed before the first day of workouts. If there are any questions please feel free to call Coach Bellard at the fieldhouse (387-2839) or at home (387-3632).

The athletic department would like to thank both Dr. Rogers and Dr. Pajestka for their support and cooperation with the physicals.

Seventh and eighth grade football graders will also need to have equipment will be given out Monday, August 17, from 4-6 p.

Seventh graders will need to provide their own cleets, red or gray shorts, and white socks. Seventh

#### physical before they will be allo to participate. Eighth graders will need provide their own white socks will need a physical if they did

have one last year.

New students to register

New students grades 3-5--students from 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 and 1 moving/moved to Sonora since 3 p. m.

> If you have any questions ple call 387-5669.

You are invited to -

May please pre-register at the

Intermediate School Monday

through Wednesday, August 10-12

# Southwest Texas Electric Cooperative's **47th Annual Membership Meeting**

# Tuesday, August 11, 1992

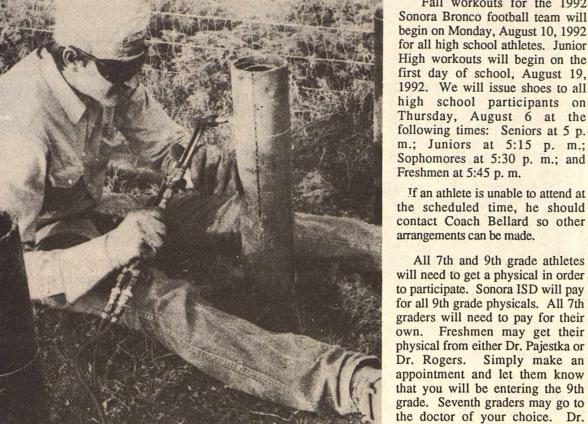
Schleicher County Courthouse Lawn Eldorado, Texas

### Program

7:00 p.m. Barbecue for members and their guests 8:00 p.m. Business Session Call to order by President Case Proof of Notice of Meeting & Declaration of Quorum Reading of Minutes of previous meeting Report of General Manager Other Reports Report of Nominating Committee **Election of Directors** Unfinished or New Business Awarding of Service Pins Drawing for Door Prizes Adjourn



The Devil's River News, Thursday, August 6, 1992



took 2nd place in the First Flight with an 81.

Also competing in the tournament in the Championship Flight were Ethel Olson and Jodie Finklea, and Jane Archer and Becky York. Pam Browning and Ebbie Sutton, and Michelle Anderson and Velta Bosmans all competed in the First Flight.

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encumbrances. Please have your attorney or title company inspect title before auction as the buyer will be given a Trustee's Deed by Substitue Trustee on the day of the auction.

AUCTION

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3:00 P.M.

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# Notice of Public Hearing on **Appraisal District Budget**

The Sutton County Appraisal District will hold a public hearing on a proposed budget for the 1993 fiscal year.

The public hearing will be held on august 11, 1992, 2:30 p.m. at the County Annex Bldg.

A summary of the appraisal district budget follows:

party if any.

The total amount of the proposed budget is \$213, 240

The total amount of decrease over the current year's budget is -\$11,260

The number of employees compensated under the proposed budget will be three (3) (full-time equivalent).

The number of employees compensated under the current budget is three (3) (full-time equivalent).

The appraisal district is supported solely by payments from the local taxing units served by the appraisal district.

If approved by the appraisal district board of directors at the public · hearing this proposed budget will take effect automatically unless disapproved by the governing bodies of the county, school districts, cities and towns served by the appraisal district.

A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection in the office pf each of those governing bodies. A copy is also available for public inspection at the appraisal district office.

> Sutton County Appraisal District 300 East Oak St. Sonora, Texas 76950 (915)387-2809

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# earling goat futurity held

gricultural Committee sponsored e first yearly Angora doe futurity Sonora on Wednesday, July 22. rticipants were invited from tton and all adjacent counties.

The event featured a pen of 10 es from each producer. The does ere evaluated by Dr. Frank addock and Dr. Rick Machen. ie scorecard featured 50 points for dy (25 points for frame and eight, 15 points for conformation d constitution and 10 points for oup uniformity). An additional

) points were allotted for uctural correctness and type (25 ints for feet and legs, 15 points r breed character and 10 points for pline). Fleece quality was worth points (15 for fineness and iformity, 5 for freedom from mp, and 5 for style and character). ie final category was fleece antity worth 25 points (15 points r weight, 5 for length, and 5 for eld). These scores were bjectively assigned with actual ta adjusted for shearing dates and dy conditions on doe weights, ece weight and staple length.

The does were shorn and the ohair graded by qualified graders at e Sonora Wool & Mohair id (2.00), Yearling (1.50), Fine origin.

The Sutton County Extension Adult (1.25), Adult (1.15), and Stain (.70). Prices were randomly assigned for each category as show in parenthesis. The percentage of each grade was computed by group and a total value based on 100 pounds of hair computed for each lot. Points were assigned based on 1/2 of the dollar value for a range of 64.09 points to 71.39 points.

> The final placing for the contest was 1st, Jimmy and Sharon Holman of Sonora with 200.92 points; 2nd, Ronnie and Karen McFadin of Del Rio with 196.36 points; 3rd, Margaret Galbreath of Sonora with 191.39 points; 4th, Larry Finklea of Sonora with 189.69 points; Clay Hicks of Sonora with 188.09 points and Bonner Walsh of Sonora with 181.08 points.

The contest will be evaluated and perhaps opened to producers statewide in 1993. For more information contact Preston Faris, Sutton County Extension Agent in Sonora.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, ompany. The hair was sorted into religion, handicap or national

# Wheat program contains Card of thanks zero acreage reduction

Farmers who participate in the supplies for domestic and export 1993 Wheat Program will not be needs. required to reduce their plantings to qualify for price support loans and deficiency payments, according to Herb Schwertner, director of the Sutton County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service. The 1993 program contains a zero percent acreage reduction.

"This means that there is no requirement to place eligible cropland into an Acreage Conservation Reserve," Herb said.

He said this level was chosen from the statutory range of 0 to 15

### percent to ensure sufficient wheat later date. Jordan Livestock Market

cwt.

# Monday, August 3, 1992 \$76-\$88; 600/700 lb. \$75-\$84;

Receipts totaled 572 head of cattle. We had a good group of buyers on hand with the market being steady to last week. There were not as many choice quality calves as have sold in the previous weeks but the demand was still good on the better kind. Packer cows and bull sold steady while the pairs and bred cows remained steady

also. Steers: 200/300 lb. \$105-\$135; 300/400 lb. \$94-\$116; 400/500 lb. \$86-\$108; 500/600 lb. \$82-\$100; 600/700 lb. 480-\$88; 700/800 lb. \$76-\$84.

Heifers: 200/300 lb. \$91-\$118; 300/400 lb. \$84-\$101; 400/500 lb. \$82-\$92; 500/600 lb.

Wheat program benefits include

target price protection at \$4.00 per bushel, the same as last year, and price support loans at \$2.45 per bushel, 21 cents more than the previous year. To be eligible for loans, purchases, and payments on the 1993 wheat crop, producers must not plant in excess of their wheat acreage base plus plantings permitted on flexible acres. A paid land diversion will not be implemented.

Other 1993 wheat program provisions will be announced at a I'll never forget you.

Slaughter Cows: \$39-\$52

Bred Cows: \$450-4750.

Pairs: \$580-\$900.

Slaughter Bulls: \$55-\$65.

Rep. Sales: 1. Chris Beckham, Ozona, 1 R st 325 @

116 or \$377. 2. Bradley & Jones,

Mason, 1 Rwf St 655 @ 83.50 or

4546.93. 3. John Tom Campbell,

Brady, 1 Bwf St. 460 @ 104 or

\$478.40. 4. John Tom Campbell,

Brady, 1 Bwf St 540 @ 96 or

4518.40. 5. Merlin Davis, Brady,

1 rwf St 765 @ 79 or \$604.35. 6.

Helen Donop, Mason, 1 Bwf Hfr

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700/800 lb. \$70-\$80.

# My dear friends.

Words can say so little, sometimes but they are all we have to say "Thank you." I can never say it, adequately, to all of you who mean so much to me.

For the wonderful party, the lovely plaque, the "money tree", the gifts, the flowers, and the many cards are all so very much appreciated. But the love, your presence, the laughter, and friendship expressed at the party "made my day" and in the days to come will serve as a reminder that truly God's children are the best!

Thank you again and again for being God's children and loving me!

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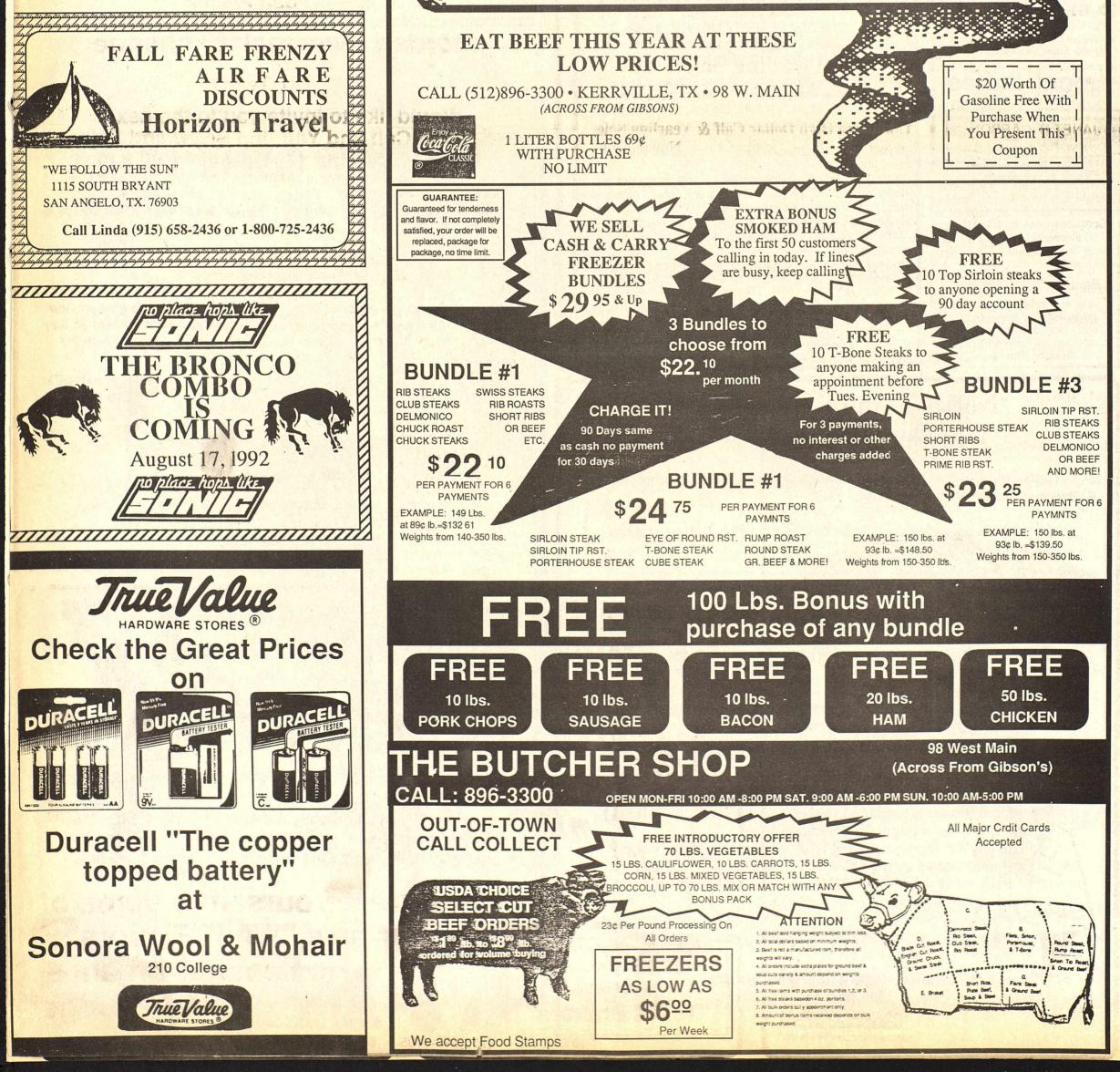
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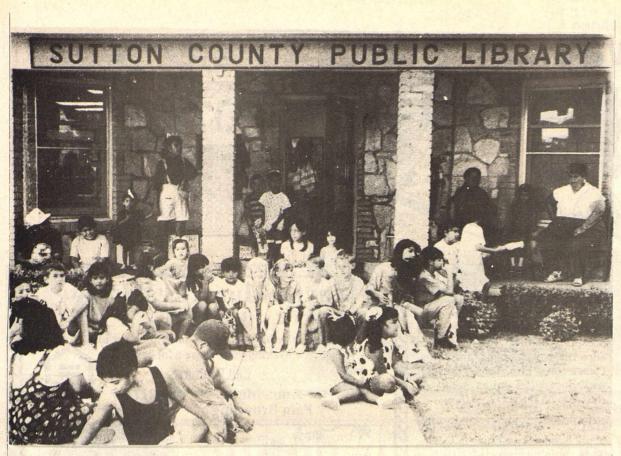


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# **JSDA** announces 1992 vool/mohair support prices





**END OF SUMMER LIBRARY PARTY -** Children and family gather at the Sutton County Library last week to recognize reading accomplishments in the Summer Library Program.

### Angelo AIDS foundation forms speaker bureau

The San Angelo AIDS Foundation, through its rural education effort, announces the formation of a Rural Speakers Bureau. The purpose of the bureau is to provide HIV/AIDS transmission and prevention education to rural communities in the Concho Valley.

Membership in the speakers bureau is open to persons who are interested in providing HIV/AIDS education in their local and surrounding communities. Qualified participants will be trained to provide information about

church groups. Training will consist of two, 8-hour sessions which will be held either in San Angelo or in a centrally located rural community. Topics will include "HIV/AIDS 101", "Direct Services for Clients", "Community Responses to HIV/AIDS", and "Public Speaking Techniques". Upon successful completion of the training, the foundation's educator will accompany the presentor on his/her first presentations.

The fight against HIV/AIDS will be successful only when prevention

The San Angelo AIDS HIV/AIDS to civic, school, and church groups. Training will consist of two, 8-hour sessions which will be held either in San Angelo or in a centrally located - no matter where we live.

So please join the San Angelo AIDS Foundation in making sure that everyone knows the facts and that everyone becomes involved in the fight against HIV/AIDS. It is everybody's problem.

For more information please call Jose Eliel Lopez at (915) 949-6381 or write the San Angelo AIDS Foundation, P. O. Box 62474, San Angelo, Texas 76906.

## Card of thanks

Thank you to the many, many people that called and came to help with the recent grass fire at our 11, 9-5, 201 Ed

ranch. The Sonora Volunteer Fire Department is such a blessing to have in this community.

Thank you for the job well done. Thank you neighbors for dropping what you were doing and coming to help immediately.

Bill and Fannie Wade LIVESTOCK REPORT

620 @ 84 or 4520.80. 7. Edward Hahn, Mason, 1 B Str 395 @ 108 or \$426.60. 8. Myron McLeod, Fredonia, 1 Rwf Str 445 @ 106 or \$439.90. 9. Carl Meeks, Kerrville, 4 Rwf Str 665 @ 83.25 or \$553.61. 10. Charles Pluenneke, Mason, 1 Sim X Str 670 @ 86 or \$576.20. 11. Willman Ranch Co., Mason, 1 B hfr 535 @ 87.50 or \$468.13. 12. Willman Ranch Co., Mason, 1 b Str 500 @ 100 or \$500.00. 13. Whitaker-Pluenneke, Mason, 3 B Str 606 @ 85 or \$515.67.

# REAL ESTATE

For Sale - 3 bdr., 2 bath, large laundry/hobby room, ceiling fans, carpet, new roof, garage, workshop, basketball slab, established yard w/trees, seasonal flowerbeds, privacy fence. 387-5788. (P)

SERVICES

Monogramming, call 387-5280. (P)

### PERSONALS

Johnny, someone loves you and misses you in Del Rio. YM. (8/6)

# GARAGE SALES

lp Garage Sale, Tuesday, August 11, 9-5, 201 Edgemont. (8/6)

# USED CARS

For Sale - 1983 Caprice Classic eight passenger Wagon. Power windows/locks, Air conditioner, AM/FM Cassette, brown with brown cloth interior and third seat \$3,000. Call 387-2304 or 7-2507. Serious inquiries only! USED CARS

dual air, extra nice custom interior clean body, mechanically sound Box 952, Ozona, Texas 392-5132 (P)

For Sale - 1985 Ford Van companion Conversion package low mileage, very clean-\$9,500-387-3912 or 387-2847. (P)

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

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CONTRACTOR'S NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE WORK

Sealed proposals for contract <u>MOWING OF HIGHWAY RIGHT O</u> <u>WAY</u> in various counties will be received at the Texas Department o Transportation's District Office, Loop 306 & Knickerbocker Rd., in Sai Angelo, Texas 76906-1550 on the date and time indicated below; and the publicly opened and read.

AUGUST 17, 1992 - 2:00 PM Contract No. 073XXM1001, Runnels County Contract No. 073XXM1003, Concho/Menard Counties Contract No. 073XXM1005, Crockett County Contract No. 073XXM1009, Coke County Contract No. 073XXM1001, Val Verde/Kinney Counties

AUGUST 18, 1992 - 2:00 PM Contract No. 073XXM1002, Irion/Reagan Counties Contract No. 073XXM1004, Kimble County Contract No. 073XXM1007, Sutton/Schleicher Counties Contract No. 073XXM1008, Sterling/Glasscock Counties Contract No. 073XXM1010, Edwards/Real Counties

Plans, specifications and proposals for the above mentioned contracts are available at the office of Mr. Dennis W. Wilde, P. E., Director of Operations, at the above mentioned address.

THERE WILL BE A PREBIDDERS MEETING FOR THIS PROJECT.

Any questions concerning the scope of work should be directed to the maintenance supervisor in charge of the section you are bidding on. Any questions as to contract administration should be directed to the District Maintenance Office in San Angelo.

Minority contractors are encouraged to participate. Usual rights reserved.

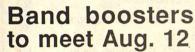
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# The Jordan Family at Jordan Livestock Exchange Mason, Texas

(8/13)

Would like to invite you to the next Special Calf and Yearling Show and Sale Monday, August 17, 1992 at 11:00 a.m. (Special Sale will be held in conjunction with the regular sale.)

Trophies and ribbons will be awarded to the winners of the English breeds & crosses, Exotic breeds & crosses & brahman cross breeds. Judging is optional. All show cattle need to be in by Sunday afternoon.



The Band Booster Club will meet Wednesday, August 12th at 7:00 p. m. at the football concession stand to clean up and get ready for the upcoming season.

Everybody is invited to help.

JANET B. CARSON Certified Public Accountant 110 W San Saba Box 1022 Menard, Texas 76859 Phone 915-396-4404

Computers Sales & Consulting Financial Consulting JUNCTION STOCKYARD Our next High Dollar Calf & Yearling Sale Friday, August 14 • 11:00 a.m.

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Upcoming High Dollar Calf & Yearling Sale September 11 October 9 November 6

Upcoming Special Angora Goat Sale August 31 October 5

Early consignments are appreciated so we can better serve you. For more information call:



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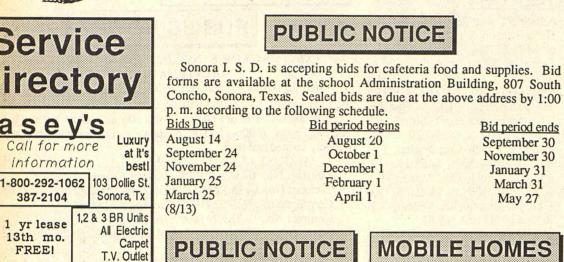
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# We're only a phone call away.... Classifieds



will hold a budget hearing on August 18, 1992 at 12:00 noon at the Administration Building, 807 S. Concho, Sonora, Texas and 3212. (8/13) adopt the budget. (8/6)

# PUBLIC NOTICE

807 S. Concho, Sonora, Texas 76950. Bids will be opened and awarded at that time and place. the Adm. Building. (8/13)

(8/6)

## MOBILE HOMES Sonora ISD Board of Trustees Like New! 28x56 d/w new

Bid period ends

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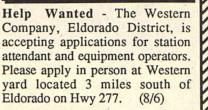
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# **RENT/LEASE**

Monday thru Friday. (P)

### **HELP WANTED**





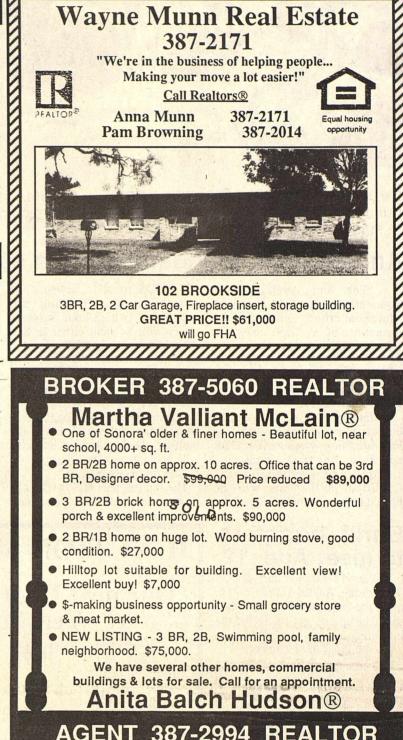
HELP WANTED

Help Wanted - Taking applications for Certified Nurses Aide, training provided. Full or part-time. L. M. Hudspeth Nursing Home. Call 387-2521--Karla Woodson, R. N. EEOC. (P)

# REAL ESTATE

House for Sale - 438 Poplar, 2 bedroom, 2 bath. Financial assistance available. \$17,000. Call after 5 p. m. for more information, 387-3461. (P)





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