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### News **Briefs**

#### SCDA

The Sutton County Days Association will hold a meeting on Wednesday, February 3rd at the Commercial Restaurant at 7 p. m. This meeting is to kick off the new year.

#### Immunization clinic

The Texas Department of Health will hold an immunization Clinic on Wednesday, February 17th at 211 Hwy 277.

For more information call 387-2234 or 387-5720.

#### Taxpayer Alert!

1992 taxes due--January 31st falls on a weekend, therefore the following Monday will be the last day to pay 1992 taxes without penalty and interest.

#### Cabinet class

The Cabinet Mill Class for adults will begin on Monday, February 22 at 6:30 p. m. Meetings will continue on Monday and Thursday evenings for six weeks. Classes will be for 2 hours each evening and will meet at the Vocational Building on the corner of Prospect and 2nd Street.

For additional information, call Reggie Williams at 387-2108 after

Independent Cattlemen's Association will have its monthly business meeting and dutch treat dinner Monday evening February 1, 1993 at 6:30 p. m. at the Sutton County Steak House.

All members and interested persons are urged to attend.

### Free mammograms

Free mammograms for low income women 40 years of age and older are available through Planned Parenthood of West Texas, Inc.

Women in need of this service who are not Planned Parenthood patients should contact the clinic nearest them to determine if they are financially eligible for the free procedure.

Monday, February 8 Planned Parenthood Clinic in San Angelo will be offering free mammograms for eligible women. They are located at 2619 Sherwood Way, or call 915/944-1909.

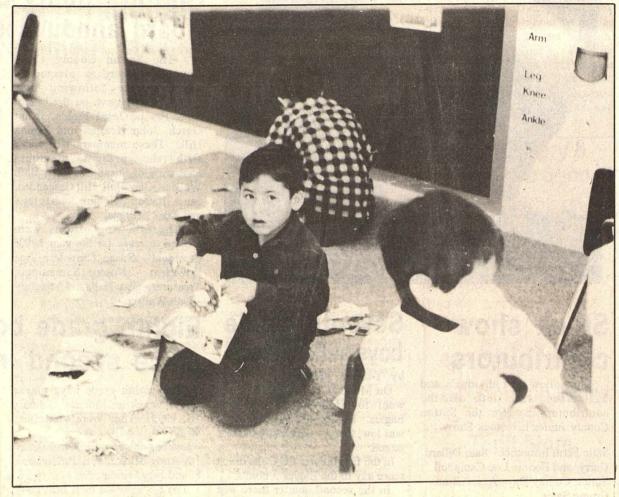
### Tax forms

As a courtesy to our patrons and the community, Sutton County Library is providing TAX FORMS AND INFORMATION LEAFLETS. Not all the forms have been received but will arrive in due time. Forms that need to be copied will be charged 10¢ each.

### Social Security

Garland Gregg, representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his February visit to Sonora. He will be at the County Courthouse on Thursday, February 18th, 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.



CUTTING UP - This young man enjoys his first days at the new Head Start School which began on January 25, 1993. Applications are still be accepted for enrollment.

### Sears announces closings

### Catalog discontinued -Stores to be closed

when the announcement came from Sears Roebuck and Co. for plans to close not only 113 stores but also discontinue and shut down their Sears Catalog Centers.

Clara James, owner of Sonora's Sears Catalog Store, was especially surprised when she heard the news. Since the announcement was made James said she has received many

### Local woman attacked by fox

A Sonora woman is undergoing a series of rabies vaccinations after being attacked by a fox.

Jeanette Turner was walking in the 200 block of Hudspeth at 6:30 a.m. on Tuesday, January 19, when a grey fox attacked her. The fox was driven away only after Turner sprayed the animal with mace.

The fox did not break the skin, however, Turner had an indentation and bruise on the front of her ankle just above the foot.

Investigating Officer Bryn Humphrey and Animal Control Officer Daniel Prieto were unable to

Many were shocked Monday calls of concern from local residents.

> Small communities such as Sonora have always depended on the Sears Catalog as an alternative to traveling to larger towns for purchases that otherwise were not available in rural areas. Big ticket items such as washers, dryers, and refrigerators are a mainstay of the catalog operation.

> Not only will this be an inconvenience to the consumer, it will be devastating to the downtown area of Sonora. The skeletal remains of a once busy downtown will only decompose more with the absence of the Sears

> Sales tax revenue will be certain to suffer from the closing of the store and Sonora will have to beef up efforts to keep consumers from traveling to San Angelo for their purchases.

> Clara James doesn't know what will happen to her store or her investment. James is hoping someone will be able to come up with an idea that will allow her to stay in business. All she can do now is wait.

### USDA Field Office closings

Association of Conservation

As you have no doubt heard, on January 7 Agriculture Secretary Edward Madigan announced his intent to move ahead with plans to close a number of USDA field offices. NACD has responded with a comprehensive outreach effort to convey the message that the process

The following is an update on outlined by Madigan would have outlined by USDA and OMB land reclamation and urban resource issues of concern to the Soil & grave consequences for the Water Conservation Districts as conservation and natural resource FAC reports submitted to USDA published by the National management programs in which (Alaska and Hawaii were not USDA agencies and their state and local partners are involved.

### The Process

Each state Food and Agriculture Council (FAC) was required to report back to USDA by the end of 1992 with specific office-closing recommendations. These recommendations were supposed to meet the target closing numbers

officials in November. Of the 48 management. required to take part in this exercise), 21 were deemed acceptable. The remaining 27 were sent back to the states because they apparently did not meet the guidelines and/or target number issued by Madigan. The FACs were given 48 hours to review and revise their reports.

Meanwhile, Madigan released a draft outline of specific offices to be closed in each state. It appears that he ignored our repeated recommendations that USDA consider the full range of services provided by its agencies and their partners in the field. Instead, USDA and OMB officials focused almost exclusively on cropland production concerns, giving little or no weight to USDA's critical responsibilities in such areas as pasture and range management, wetlands protection, wildlife habitat enhancement, water quality, mined

Soil Conservation Service offices in noncropland areas would be particularly hard hit by Madigan's proposal, while the Farm Belt states are mostly untouched. Currently, there are 7,407 field office sites for USDA's major farm service agencies (SCS, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, Farmers Home Administration and Federal Crop Insurance Corporation) in 3,700 locations. Under Madigan's plan, the number would be reduced to 6,165 agency sites in 2,658 locations. For SCS specifically, Madigan has recommended closing 386 of the agency's 2,908 field offices, or 13 percent.

The Problems In addition to the fact that USDA and OMB failed to consider the full range of USDA responsibilities in the field, NACD has a number of other concerns about the process used to determine which field offices would be closed. For

instance, when USDA and OMB looked at the number of clients served by a field office, they counted only first-time contacts, ignoring the importance of the follow-up visits and ongoing assistance that comprise the bulk of SCS's services to local land users.

Another problem is that when a USDA agency provided collective assistance - for instance to a municipal government or Indian tribe - this was credited as service to a single client. As a result, the effectiveness of some field offices was grossly underestimated. Despite the fact that these ongoing services have community-wide conservation benefits, they were given the same value as a one-time consultation with an individual farmer.

One final concern is that the reorganization plan will divert USDA resources away from producers who farm less-productive Many of these cropland. individuals have limited resources

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### Benson takes first in annual Pinewood Derby

Cub Scouts from Sonora's Pack 19 competed in the annual Pinewood Derby, held at the Junior High Snack Bar. Cheered on by family and friends, the boys raced their models until the top three competitors emerged.

First place was won by Shane Benson, a member of the second grade Wolf Den. Chris Weingart won second place; he's a 4th grade Webelo. Third place was won by Jeremiah McLaughlin, also a 4th grade Webelo. Congratulations to these boys, and to all the boys who competed.

All of the boys received awards

for competing. They are as follows: Most Original Pickup, Heath Prather; Longest Hood, Stetson Hall; Fastest Roadster, James Ross; Speediest Spoiler, Seth Prather; Most Unique, Norbert David Ortiz; Most Expensive, Trapper Valliant; The Darkest Shadow, Alex Zimmerman; The Sportiest, Ruben Brown; Best "Indy", Ryan Hardgrave; Leader of the "Pack-19", Russell Dempsey; Best Pin Stripping, Scottie Moore; Best Decked Out, Wilson Wallace; Shiniest Paint Job, Daniel Ward; Best Driver, Jason Hulsey; Most Patriotic, Corey Scheidemann; Scariest Mobile, Jason Moore; Reddest Runnin' Turbo, David Cook; Most Unusual, Bobby Wilson; Fast as Lightening, Joseph Ainsworth; Hottest Hot Dogger,

Ernie Perez; Smoothest Paint Job,

Chance Dillard; Slickest White

Phantom, Payton Holekamp; Most

On Saturday January 23rd, 26 Aerodynamic, Shane Benson; Littlest Big Foot, Chris Weingart; Streamiest Prehistoric Auto, Jeremiah McLaughlin; and Neatest Neon, Allan Nicholas.

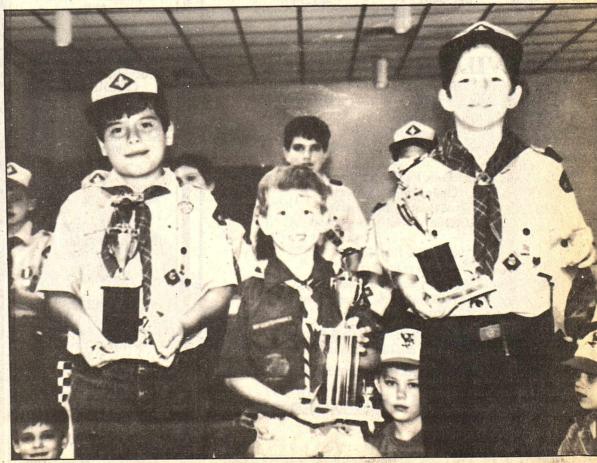
The Pack extends its thanks to those who helped with the derby. Serving as judges were Bill and Margaret Casccaden, and Al Elliott. Also helping were Jim Covington and Mike Moore. Thanks to the Sonora Volunteer Fire Department for their donation of all the Pinewood Derby kits, and to the School District for allowing the use of their facilities.

Awards for achievements were presented during the Saturday meeting of the Pack.

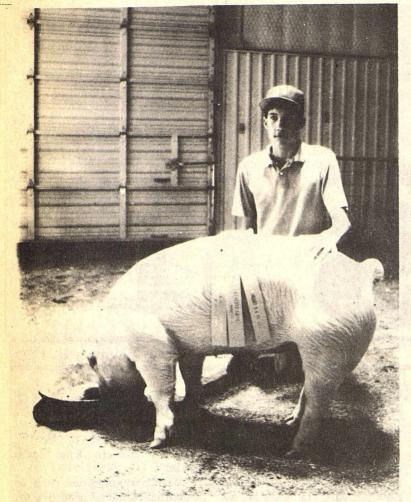
They are as follows: FOURTH GRADE--Ryan Hardgrave, athlete and communicator; Jeremiah McLaughlin, athlete and communicator; Jason Moore, athlete, communicator and sports patch; Corey Scheidemann, athlete and communicator; Chris Weingart, athlete and communicator; Dusty Padillo, athlete; Daniel Ward, athlete and communicator; Pete Samaniego, athlete and communicator; and Bobby Wilson, athlete and communicator.

FIFTH GRADE-David Benson, engineer, forester, naturalist and 1 pt. device; Russell Dempsey, naturalist; Alan Nicholas, engineer; Conrad Galindo, naturalist; and Ernie Perez, engineer, forester, naturalist, showman and emblem.

The 3rd grade scouts - Den 1 and 2 visited the Sonora Airport on continued pg. 3



DERBY WINNERS - The 3 top finishers in the annual Pinewood Derby were (I to r) Chris Weingay 2nd place; Shane Benson, 1st and Jeremiah McLaughlin, 3rd. See story this page.



### **UIL** students compete in meet

Sonora High School UIL students competed in Reagan County on Saturday, January 23,

Results are as follows: William Haltom, 3rd Ready Writing; Kent Newkirk, 5th Accounting, 5th Editorial Writing and 4th, Headline Writing; David Davenport, 2nd Typing and 2nd Number Sense (Soph.); Anthony Brown, 4th

Ready Writing; Curt Dempsey, 1st Number Sense (Fresh), 1st General Math, 1st Science and 3rd. Calculator; Chris Scott, 1st Science and 6th, Math; Vicky Richardson, 3rd Typing; Casey Fitzgerald, 3rd Calculator and 5th, Science; and Tara Urbanski, 5th Literary Criticism.

The next meet will be Saturday, January 30 in Ozona.



While bats are feared by many in the West, a number of Oriental artists have portrayed bats as signs of good luck, happiness and long life.

### The Devil's Hotline 387-5691

Now if you have something to say of general interest to the community you can call our hotline at 387-5691 and leave your recorded message. Please leave your initials and town. You do not need

to identify yourself, however, if you do leave your name please spell it and leave a phone number for verification. We reserve the right to edit all comments.

### Community Calendar

### **February**

Friday-12th: No classes, Speech Meet.

Sunday-14th: Valentines Day.

Monday-22nd: Cub Scout Blue and Gold Banquet, 6:30 p. m., Jr. High Snack Bar.

March

Monday/Friday-8th-12th: Spring Break. Wednesday-17th: St. Patrick's Day.

April

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Thursday-1st: April Fools Day!

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GRAND CHAMPION - (Below) B. J. Jackson showed the Grand Champion Swine in the Draw Class during the Sutton County Livestock Show held January 9, 1993.

RESERVE CHAMPION - (Left) Kris Wood showed the Reserve Champion Swine in the Draw Class during the Sutton County Livestock Show held January 9, 1993.



### Stock show contributors

The following individuals and businesses were left off the contributors list for the Sutton County Junior Livestock Show.

State Farm Insurance - Sam Dillard Curry and Bonnie Lou Campbell Sutton County Days Association Crume Sales

School

MONDAY

Cheese Burger

Curly Fries

Lettuce/Tomato/Pickle

Fudge Bar

Milk

TUESDAY

Enchiladas

Vegetable Salad

Pinto Beans

Jello Whip

WEDNESDAY

Turkey w/Rice Green Beans

Carrot Sticks

Apple Cobbler

Milk

THURSDAY

Hot Turkey Salad

Mashed Potatoes

Peas

Banana Pudding

Milk

FRIDAY Chili & Cheese Dog

Fried Okra

Broccoli & Cauliflower

Chocolate Cake

Milk

BREAKFAST

MONDAY

Cereal

Donut

Fruit

Milk

TUESDAY

Biscuits

Sausage

Juice

Milk

WEDNESDAY

Cream of Wheat

**WW Toast** 

Fresh Fruit

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THURSDAY

Breakfast Pizza

Milk

FRIDAY

French Toast w/Syrup

Fruit

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#### boys suffer losses by Tanner Fields On Monday, the 7th grade Colts

went to Eldorado to play the Eagles. In the First half the score was low, there wasn't many baskets scored.

score any to the Eagles 5 points.

only 3 points scored total. The Colts scored two of the three and the Eagles scored 1. At half the score was 6-2.

scoring than in the first. In the third the Colts didn't score any to the Eagles five. The score was now

In the fourth the Colts got two quick baskets. After that the Eagles played good defense and good offense. Because of this the Eagles won the game. The final score was

On Thursday, January 14, the seventh grade Colts traveled to McCamey for a 3 day tournament. On Thursday the Colts were to play the Big Lake Owls.

The Colts played well the first half and stayed right with them. In the second half the owls pulled away. The final score ended up Reagan County 42 and Sonora 24.

Sonora didn't play on Friday but went back on Saturday to play the first game of the day. Sonora had to play McCamey who, on Thursday had been beaten by Ozona. From the beginning the McCamey Badgers took over. By the end of the first half they had produced a very large lead. At the end of the game the score was 40 to

Sonora was now out of the tournament. On Monday the Colts played their regularly scheduled game against Grape Creek who had earlier beaten the Colts.

The Colts stayed within a couple of points through the first half. Late in the second half the Colts

tied it up. With a few seconds left in the game the Eagles scored two points and there wasn't enough time for the Colts to score. The final was 21 to 19.

### Seventh grade

In the first quarter the Colts didn't

In the second quarter there was The boys played Iraan in the Big

In the second half there was more were also victorious, 31-28.

> The boys had a hard fought battle with Iraan for 4 quarters and came out on top.

### Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

The Sutton County Child Protective Board wishes to thank all of the citizens of Sutton County who participated in the Christmas Angelo Tree Project. This year, the number of children receiving gifts was 155, which is significantly higher than last year. Thank you to all who picked up an "Angel" and helped make it a special Christmas for the children.

Thank you to Sutton County National Bank and First National Bank for all of the help in handing out the angels and collecting packages. We really appreciate your help.

A special thanks also goes to Vallree Draper of Bright Spot

Fashion's. We really appreciate her help in choosing clothes, wrapping gifts and, especially, providing such a good discount on the clothes.

Last but not least, thanks to the members of the Cauthorn Trust who provided a large donation to the Board. This helped us purchase gifts for all the Angels not picked

Sincerely, Beth Wallace, Secretary Child Protective Board Dear Editor.

The undersigned regrets very deeply that The Wall Well will have to be closed to the public for safety's sake until repairs can be made to the wilfull destruction of property done by witless vandals.

Anne de Berry

### **Sutton County Child Protective** Board announces new members

The Sutton County Child Protective Board is pleased to announce the following new members will serve on the board: Matt Favila, Jeryl Fields, Brent Gesch, John Hempel and Donna Hill. These members will serve with the present members consisting of Susan Crowder, Beth Wallace, Clay Hall, Bill Cascadden, Janet Patton, Noemi Samaniego and Ada Castilleja.

The following officers were elected to serve for the year 1993: President - Susan Crowder; Vice President - Noemi Samaniego; Treasurer - Clay Hall; and Secretary - Beth Wallace.

The Board represents the community in developing child welfare and child protective services. The members develop policies to meet the needs of the county, including payments for the foster children program, payment of medical expenses for needy children and assistance to children of Sutton County in any appropriate manner. This may include assistance in purchasing school supplies and the

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the Board, please feel free to call on any member.

Angel Tree Project.

### Eighth grade boys win game; place second in tournament

The eighth grade boys played Grape Creek on Monday, January 18, 1993. They were victorious, 46-25.

Leading scorers were Chad Bruns, 10; Andy Mirike, 9; J. P. Hudman, 8; and Joey Gandar, 7.

The boys played their best game this year against a team that beat us by ten the first time.

Lake Tournament, January 21 and Leading scorers were Justin

House, 14; Andy Mirike, 8; and Caleb Barker, 5.

The boys defeated McCamey, 36

Scorers were Justin House, 11;

Andy Mirike, 10; Caleb Barker, 6; Robert Teaff, 4; John Paul Hudman, 3; and Chad Bruns, 2.

The boys beat a great team with a great team effort.

The boys were narrowly defeated by Big Lake, 32-30.

Scorers were Justin House, 8; John Paul Hudman, 8; Chad Bruns, 6; Caleb Barker, 4; Andy Mirike, 2; and Walker Wallace, 2. All things being equal, we were

the best team at this tournament. All things weren't equal, we lost by 2, and brought home second place.

The boys lost by one point to Eldorado on Monday, January 25, 1993. The final score, 36-35.

Leading scorers were Justin House, 12; John Paul Hudman, 8; Caleb Barker, 6; and Andy Mirike,

The boys loosened up and had a great time in another squeaker. The

boys finish the season February 1

### Seventh grade girls win one, lose one

The seventh grade girls played Grape Creek on Monday, January 18, 1993. The won 29 to 5.

Scorers were Ashley Henson, 9; Erin Payton and Tavia Valliant, 4; Nubia Gutierrez and Cara Jackson, 3; Stefany Daniels and Stephanie Daniels, 2; and Blair Crain and Katy Cooke, 1.

On Monday, January 25, 1993 the girls played Eldorado and were defeated 18-9.

Scorers were Stefany Davenport, Cara Jackson, Stephanie Daniels and Romy Castaneda, 2; and Ashley Henson, 1.

The girls never quit and showed more poise in this game than they

### Eighth grade girls victorious in one, defeated in one

Grape Creek on Monday, January 18, 1993. They won 29-14.

Leading scorers were Makayla Galindo, Farrah Virgen and Pam The girls made 25% of their free

throw attempts.

The girls executed their plays

The eighth grade girls played well. We need to improve on free throws.

> The girls played Eldorado on Monday, January 25 and were narrowly defeated, 26-24.

Leading scorers for the game were Makayla Galindo and Pam Jones.

The girls played a tough game but time ran out. Their shots were better in this game.

### FIELD OFFICE CLOSINGS continued from pg. 1

for technical assistance. NACD Action

The message that NACD is taking to the current and incoming administrations, Congress and the news media is this: While we fully support efforts to improve the efficiency of USDA operations, the process currently under way is a poorly planned, 11th-hour effort that could have grave consequences for the environmental protection

efforts of SCS and its partners. NACD has briefed the Clinton transition team on our concerns and hand-delivered a letter to Agriculture Secretary-designate Mike Espy. We have contacted key members of Congress and their staffs, many of whom have expressed willingness to work with us in calling for suspension of the current

and are highly dependent on SCS reorganization effort. We have also solicited the support of 18 environmental organizations and more than 25 agricultural organizations and launched a media outreach effort to get our message What Lies Ahead

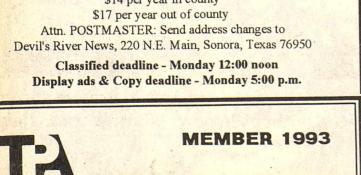
Madigan was originally expected to issue final office closing orders on January 14, but apparently the date was moved to January 19 - one day before the new administration takes office. Congressional leaders have assured us that the current process is likely to go no further and that the issue will be thoroughly revisited by Espy and the new administration. However, NACD is unwilling to take any chances, and we will continue to process.

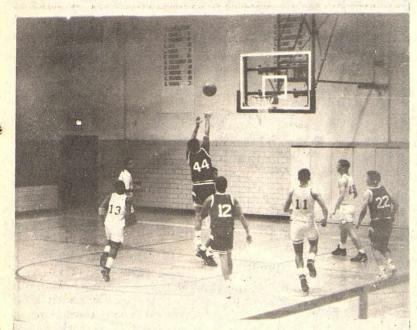
State and district leaders are also encouraged to contact members of Congress and the media to convey the message that, while we fully support efforts to improve USDA's efficiency, the current process is extremely problematic. Solicit support from your cooperators, as well as other local agriculture and environmental groups. To build support for our case, NACD has also asked state leaders to provide us with specific examples of the

process would have on local conservation work. Please contact your state association with your input. This article was reprinted with

impact that the office-closing

permission by Ernest Shea, Executive Director of the National register our concerns about the Association of Conservation





ANOTHER TWO - Brian Faris (44) goes up for two more points while Hadley Smith (12) and Shane Keller (22) look on during last Friday's game against Kermit.

## Local low income families eligible for government checks

A VITA site will be located in

Sonora this year on Thursday,

February 18th at the Sutton County

Senior Center from 10 a. m. until 1

"Taxpayer's going to a VITA site

should bring this years tax package

received in the mail, W-2s,

information on any other income

and expenses, and a copy of last

year's income tax return if

available," Sanders added.

Additional information about VITA

sites is available by contacting:

VITA and the Earned Income Credit

is also available by calling the IRS

toll-free number at 1-800-829-1040.

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Additional information about

Kathy Davis at 387-2880.

Lower-income working families may be eligible for government checks of up to \$2,211 from the Internal Revenue Service.

Local IRS employee Dawn Saunders said volunteers in an IRS sponsored community program known as the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program will provide free tax help that includes determining if a family qualifies for government refunds through the earned-income tax credit program. "If a family made less than \$22,370 in 1992, they may qualify for the earned-income credit." Saunders said.

VITA volunteers have gone through special IRS training and are qualified to assist taxpayers with basic tax questions involving filing status, dependent exemptions, taxcredits, and itemized deductions. VITA volunteers can also prepare 1040EZ, 1040A and basic form 1040 for taxpayers. "VITA volunteers do not handle complicated tax returns nor answer questions outside the scope of their expertise," Sanders said.

### Card of thanks

Thanks to the people who helped when my house burned. Donation, clothes, etc.

Anita Duran Torres Mr. and Mrs. Santos Duran

### Card of thanks

To all my family and friends who called, sent gifts, said prayers and visited me during my recent hospital stay, a great big "THANK YOU." Also, a special thank you goes out to the one responsible for the monetary gift. My family and I could not have made it without each and every one of you.

Sincerely, Nova Olenick & family

### Senior Center menu

Thursday, January 28 - Chicken nuggets w/gravy, broccoli, cornbread and Mississippi Mud

Friday, January 29 - Pork Roast w/cream gravy, mashed potatoes, cabbage wedges and peach half w/whipped topping.

Monday, February 1 - Country fried steak w/white gravy, mixed vegetables, mashed potatoes, hot rolls and whole orange.

Tuesday, February 2 - Oven fried chicken, potato salad, green & yellow squash, bread and lemon squares.

Wednesday, February 3 - Beef tips w/mushroom sauce, broccoli, hot rice, hot rolls, tossed salad and sugar cookies.

Thursday, February 4 - Fried catfish w/tartar sauce, baked potatoes, spinach, corn muffins and Mississippi Mud cake.

Friday, February 5 - Turkey Divan, peas, crackers and oatmeal & raisin cookies.

### PINEWOOD DERBY continued from pg. 1

Monday, January 18. Lisa Lipham informed the boys of what goes on both in the office and outside at the airport.

The Scouts found the visit very education and would like to thank Lisa for her time.

Congratulations to the scouts, their leaders and parents for their hard work!

The annual Blue and Gold Banquet is scheduled for Monday, 6:30 p. m. at the Junior High Snack Bar. Each den will be presenting a short skit. Family

# Littlest angel uses own money to help others

Even children see needs. Andi Allen (10 years old) wanted to help her fellowman. So, with her allowance, she bought oranges, apples, 9 rolls of toilet tissue and paper towels which were distributed to the residents of the apartments. Our thanks and admiration to Andi, the smallest presenter of gifts ever. We could all learn a lesson in giving from our little angel.

The dust of cow ponies could almost be seen at the Sonora Senior Apartments, Saturday, January 23rd, as Biscuits O'Brien entertained at their pot luck lunch. Residents and guests were amused and interest quickened as the cow poke from "I Owe Everybody Ranch" spun yarns about his adventures as camp cook plus gave us a glimpse into cowboy heaven. Biscuits, we's shore nough tink kindly fur yor mosing over!

Our appreciation to concerned/caring businesses, church and individuals for making the day extra special. Town and Country #97 donated door prized for residents. IGA Grocery and the Assembly of God Church (Daniel Timmerman, Pastor) contributed china. Danny Ellison of Danny's Auto Clinic gave a camera.

Assisting were Bill Thurman, Tasha/Cody/Melissa Emery, Joe Munoz, Candy Noriega, Jeanie Lawson, First Baptist Church, and as all endeavors several other people made contributions but wish to remain anonymous. Many thanks!

Put Saturday, February 13th, on your calendar for our next pot luck luncheon. What a treat, the Old Tyme Country Band will entertain.

The group discussed what type of food and fun would be enjoyed. Pizza, bingo and dominoes were mentioned. Anyone wanting to help with bingo and domino games, please volunteer.

Obtenga su reembolso de impuestos semanas antes que en el pasado con



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CHILDREN

We need someone to teach the quilting and knitting classes for a couple of weeks. Judy Edmondson will be unable to instruct due to illness in the family.

The evidence of loving/giving folks in the community came in the form of a sunshine package containing towels, wash cloths, kitchen towels, kitchen cloths, light bulbs, toilet tissue and a sweater. The occupants received the items mentioned and are most grateful

Please accept the residents appreciation for the Sunshine Basket. We would like to thank the individuals by name but they ask to remain anonymous.

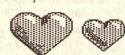
Our thanks go to some Sonorans giving time, talents or materials to the occupants on a daily basis. We couldn't make it without these nice folks: Santa/Elida/Irma Noriega, Ruben/Nelda Yorba, Freddie Morales, Lewis Allen (Presbyterian Church), Gini Brisbin, Doug Lutz, Shannon Liverman, Georgia Middleton, Roy Jean Johnson and Judy Edmondson.

### Joe's Bakery & Sandwich Shop

Now taking orders for Valentine cookies. Perfect for school parties and home too!!

Cakes decorated for any occasion.

Donuts, Cinnamon Rolls & Cookies Anytime!



Lil' Store on Main Street Thrift Store

Open 6 a.m. 218 E. Main 387-5668

> New Items in Stock!! Sale Until

> > Jan29th.

## Texas A&M named honoree, distinguished students

Texas A&M University has named its honor students for the 1992 fall semester, recognizing several thousand students for outstanding academic performance.

Jesse Michael Lynch was named to the Dean's Honor Roll which recognizes students who have maintained at least a 3.75 grade point ration out of a possible 4.0 during the most recent grading period.

Jesse is a senior Computer Science major. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Al Lynch.

A second designation, "Distinguished Student," recognizes

students who earned a 3.25 to 3.74 grade point ratio.

Todd A. Keller and Tracy Gene Love were named as "Distinguished Students" during the 1992 fall semester.

Todd, the son of Mr. and Mrs.
Mike Keller, is a junior
Bioengineering major.

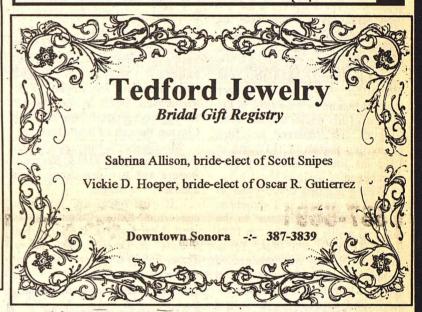
Tracy, a junior Petroleum Engineering major, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Love.

University Honors signifies that a student has completed 36 hours of Honors course credit within specific areas of the university's Honors Program.

# Si Loeffler is 90 years young!!

His children invite you to a Birthday Celebration on Sunday, January 31, at the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall from 2 'til 4 p.m.

NO GIFTS PLEASE!





Brooke Tiffee modeling an outfit by On the Verge. Stacy & Danielle Fox modeling designs by Granny Hugs. 387-5918
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Devil's River News



concentration at the race goes on during the Pinewood Derby held

Berger Field and who was Joe Berger?

November 13, 1958 had the following obituary:

Funeral services for Joe Berger 70, Austrian-born Sonora ranchman, were held Wednesday afternoon, November 12, at the First Methodist Church with the Rev. Doyle W. Morton, Pastor, officiating assisted by the Rev. J. E. Eldridge.

Born May 2, 1888 in Cross Petersdorf, Austria, Mr. Berger came to Sonora in June 1907 at the request of his uncle, the late Fred Berger. He received his first citizenship papers in 1910 and in 1912 his final citizenship papers were issued.

During his first seven years in Sonora, he worked as a carpenter, then bought a half interest in the Sonora Lumber Company. In 1914 he sold out to the West Texas Lumber Company but remained on as manager until his enlistment in the U. S. Army in 1918. He saw service in France and was discharged from the Infantry in 1919.

He was married to the former Velma Mittel of Sonora July 14, 1922, and the couple made their home on the Berger ranch until his partial retirement several years ago.

A Mason for over 30 years, Mr. Berger served the chapter here as Worshipful Master in 1917. He was also a member of the Order of the Eastern Star. He was a member of the Methodist Church and served as steward and was a trustee at the time of his death. He was a charter member of the Lions Club, a past vice-president of the local American Legion post, a former member of the executive committee of the Boy Scouts, and was a school board member for eight years.

available to the City of Sonora land for the construction of the Sonora Municipal Airport. At the John's Episcopal Church will hold an historical service from the Book of Common Prayer of 1789. The service celebrates our heritage and commemorates the Episcopalians worshipped in the early days of Sutton County. The service will begin at 10:00 o'clock a. m. The preacher will be The Rev. John O'Bryan, circuit-riding

On Sunday, February 7, St.

Mr. O'Bryan has preached at Christmas at Old Fort Concho the past 3 years and at the Cowboy Communion Service at St. David's Church, San Antonio. He is

priest who is spiritual mentor to

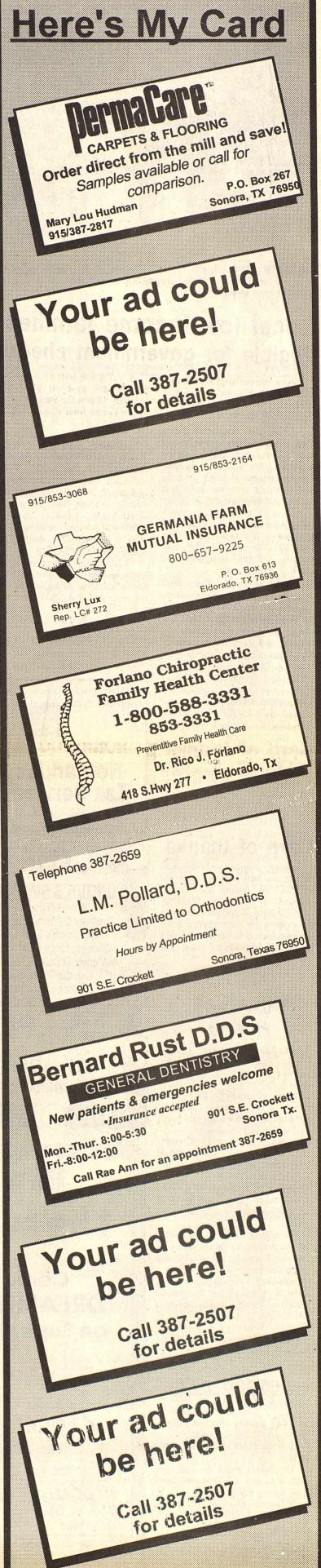
the Sonora Wild Bunch. The Rev.

service February 7 The members of St. John's have been invited to come in 1880's dress, although that is not a requirement. The Wild Bunch will also be there. There will be a table near the door of the church where all weapons will be checked. The community is also invited to come

St. John's to hold historical

and be a part of this service. The Rector emphasizes that although there is an element of fun and entertainment in this service, it is primarily a service of worship, conducted in accordance with the canons of the Episcopal Church. Communion in the Episcopal Church is open to all who have been baptized in the name of God,







Caleb Taylor

### Caleb Taylor wins school-level Geography Bee competition

Caleb Taylor, a fifth grade student at Sonora Intermediate School, won the school-level competition of the National Geography Bee on January 15 and a chance at a \$25,000 college scholarship. The school-level Bee, at which students answered oral questions on geography, was the first round in the fifth annual National Geography Bee, which is sponsored by National Geographic WORLD, the Society's magazine for children, and Amtrak®.

The kick-off for this year's Bee was the week of January 4, with thousands of schools around the United States, the District of Columbia, and five U. S. territories participating. The school winners, including Caleb, will now take a written test; up to 100 of the top scorers in each state and territory will be eligible to compete in their state Bee April 2.

The National Geographic Society with its co-sponsors will provide an all-expenses-paid trip to Washington, D. C., for state champions and their teacher escorts to participate in the National Geography Bee national championship on May 25 and 26. The first-place national winner will receive a \$25,000 college scholarship; the second-place winner, a \$15,000 scholarship; and the third-place winner, a \$10,000 scholarship.

Alex Trebek, host of "Jeopardy!", will moderate the national finals, which will air as a prime-time special on the Public Broadcasting Service at 8 p. m. May 26.

The National Geographic Society developed the National Geography Bee in response to a growing concern about the lack of geographic knowledge among young people in the United States. A 10-country Gallup survey conducted for the Society in 1988 and 1989 found that people in the U. S. ages 18 to 24--the youngest group surveyed--knew less about geography than young people in any of the other countries in the

The National Geographic Society, with nearly 10 million team forced to survive 10 long members, has as its mission the "increase and diffusion of geographic knowledge." In addition to the National Geography Bee, the society sponsors a number of other geography education initiatives, including the Summer Geography Institute for teachers, the National Geographic Society Education Foundation, and the Geographic Alliance Network, which is currently working in almost every state and Puerto Rico.

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### Movie Review

by Roy Ivy Alive Rated R for language and graphic violence

Four Stars Believe it or not, this is probably the most spiritual film released in years. This is not, I repeat, not a film about cannibalism. Then again, I also warn, don't bring beef jerky to the theater. This story about a South American rugby weeks in freezing starvation when their plane crashes over the Andes is one of the most exciting adventure films to come around in ages. Make all the jokes you want (such as: "Whenever you fly over the Andes, bring Al Steak Sauce."), but once you see it, you. cannot deny that this is a film about the power of the human spirit, and the beauty of God.

HISTORY AND INFLUENCE IN MEXICAN-AMERICAN SOCIAL POETRY by Jose Limon; DISCIPLINE: A SOURCEBOOK OF FIFTY FAILSAFE TECHNIQUES FOR PARENTS by James Windell; DIANA: HER TRUE STORY by Andrew Morton; FOR THE LOVE OF A CHILD by Betty Mahmoody; MOST WANTED by Mark Sabljak; and BEST ENGLISH SHORT STORIES IV by Giles Gordon.

OVERDUE BOOKS - The Sutton County Library is accepting overdue books at no charge until January 31st. They ask for your help in returning the books so that others may enjoy them too! For your convenience and after hours--USE THE BOOKDROP. We look forward to seeing those overdue books returned!!!

Even the prettiest shoe makes a sorry hat.

—Japanese Proverb

### **Emergency management hold** shelter orientation meeting

On January 12, 1993 a Shelter Orientation Meeting was held at the Emergency Management office. Those attending the meeting were: Preston Faris, CEA-AG.; Lewis Allen, Pastor Church of the Good Shepherd; Clay Hall, Pastor First United Methodist Church; Carole Thorp, Director Sutton County Senior Center; Karina Samaniego, Service Unit Director for the Girls Scouts: Sandra Luz Gonzalez, secretary St. Ann's Catholic Church; Don Jones, Pastor Church of Christ; Carl Teaff, Fire Chief Sonora Volunteer Fire Department; Pat Campbell, Worshipful Master of the Masonic Lodge; Carlos Estrada, Pastor Primera Baptist Church; Donna Keese, EMT Sutton County EMS, and Lenora Pool, Emergency Management Coordinator.

The purpose of the meeting was to review plans, procedures, and guidelines for the temporary lodging, emergency feeding and clothing of persons forced to leave their homes due to an unforseen hazard. There are numerous hazards that could cause an evacuation here in Sonora and Sutton County. The evacuation, requiring shelter, may involve a few families or maybe as many as 500 persons as a result of severe storms, flooding, or hazardous material spills, etc.

Treva McReynolds gave a short presentation about the procedures in a shelter. Some of the items presented were: the staffing of shelters, who makes the decision to open a shelter, record keeping, and the responsibilities of each shelter manager. After the presentation there was a question and answer session

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### Sonora Primary School first graders answer this question Bill Clinton is are president. Bill Who is Bill Clinton?

MRS. WILLIAMS FIRST GRADE

Bill Clinton is our new presid and his cat name is socks and I like Bill Clinton.

Isabel Ibarra

Bill Clinton is our new president. He has a dotr her name is Chelsy and the cat's name is socks.

Crystal Guerra

Bill Clinton is are pisudin. thik he can be a good pisadin. I thik Bill Clinton gets an award. Robert Mata

Bill Clinton is our new president. He has a wife named Hilrry and a dotre named Chelsee and a cat named sox.

Nicky Samaniego

Bill Clinton is our Pastit. He livs in the White House. Marilyn Holman

Bill Clinton is our new pesident. Socs is a cat who livs there.

Bill Clinton is our new president. And I voted for Him. And I hope He stas the president.

Payton Holekamp

Bill Clinton is goeth to walk in his own room and there is socks. Bill Clinton likes his daughter and Bill Clinton is the new president.

Bill Clinton is the new president. He live in a white house.

Clinton is NOWRZNPAZT.

Roland

Bill Clinton is are nuoe pazdit and his yifes name is Hiulry and his cat is socks and that dotr name is Chasy.

Misty Lee Clark Bill Clinton is the new prsdnt. Soks is the cat.

I saw a homse it west Bill Clinton's homse. Bill Clinton is

anr President.

Bill Clinton is the nuoy pazs. Danielle Fox

Bill Clinton is our new president. He has a wife name Hilre. His Dotrs' name is Hilry.

#### MRS. SCHWIENING'S FIRST GRADE

President Bill Clinton

Bill Clinton is our new president. January 20 is when he became president. He moved to the White House in Washington D. C. He has girl named Chelsea. He marched in the parade part of the way.

Chris Martinez

Danielle G.

President Bill Clinton

Yesterday there were parties all day because Bill Clinton became president January 20. Bill Clinton became the president of the United

He has one girl named Chelsea. She has a cat named Socks.

Chelse, Socks and Bill Clintons were moving to Washington, D. C. They were bringing Socks. Bill Clinton was going to live in the White House.

Ariel Marrs

Bill Clinton is our new president of the country. he livs in a white House and he lives in Washington, D. C., and he has a daughter named

Chelsea is bill Clinton's daughter. bill Clinton is The president. bill Clinton levs and a white house.

Debra

Bill Clinton you care a good president. the White homes is net.

Bill Clinton is our president. He lives in the white House. He is in Washington D. c.

Roberta

Bill Clinton is our new president of the usa. Chelsea is pretty and nice. They live in the white hous.

Bill Clinton is he new president. He lives in the White House. I hope he Will be a good president.

Clinton lives in Washington the by Ana White House is big. Bill Clinton has a daughter and her Name is

Bill Clinton lives in the White House and he haves a daughter name Chelsea.

Chris Martin

is president daughter. Bill Clinton will bee are new

president in the u. s. a. and he will go to the white house. Michelle W.

Bill Clinton is are now president

and his daughter Chelsea is pretty. By Frankie Samaniego

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Bill Clinton is are new president fo the country. He lives at the

MRS. MOORE'S FIRST GRADE

Who is Bill Clinton? by Israel Mendoza

He is our new President. He is moving to the White House. He will be a good president.

Who is Bill Clinton? by Shara Rhoes

Bill Clinton is my Presdt and he will tac Hillary and Socks and Chelse and go to the White House. He is our presdt.

Who is Bill Clinton. Ana. He is president. He is moving to the White House.

Who is Bill Clinton?

by Evangelina Martinez He will be are President. He will be takeing his family and his cat Socks. He will muve to the White Chelsea is pretty and nise. She

Who is Bill Clinton?

by Joseph Ainsworth Bill Clinton is moveing to Washington D. C. He has a cat

named Socks. He is president of the U.S. He will be a good president. He will move to the White House.

Who is Bill Clinton? by Cady Taylor

Bill Clinton is the President. He is moving to the White House with his wife Hillary and his daughter Chelsea. There cat Socks is coming along. I think he is going to be a good President.

Who is Bill Clinton? by Kiva Holt

He is going to be oyr nuw Bill Clinton is are new president President. He is going to move to the White House. He is going to bring his dotr Chelsea and his wife Hillary and cat Socks. George bosh is going to move out.

> Who is Bill? by Olivia Reyes He's owr Prsident.

Who is Bill Clinton? by Dacey Fawcett

He's awr President and he has a wife named Hillary and his dodr Chelsea. He is taking his pet cat named Soks whith him and he's moving to Washington, D. C. and he's living in the White House. He's telling people not to litter. We hope that he is good.

Who is Bill Clinton? by Trapper Valliant

He is our President. He is moving to the White House. He is taking chelsea. He is taking his wife too. He is taking his cat to.

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	\$20,608. <sup>92</sup>	\$18,388. <sup>92</sup>	\$2,220. <sup>92</sup>

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Used Cars & Program Cars  '92 Pontiac Gran Prix 2Dr  '92 Buick Century 4Dr.  '92 Pontiac Grand Am - Maroon  '92 Chev. Lumina 4 Dr.  '92 Pontiac Grand Am - White  '92 Chev. Corsica - Blue	Was \$14,995. <sup>92</sup> \$11,995. <sup>92</sup> \$12,495. <sup>92</sup> \$11,995. <sup>92</sup> \$12,495. <sup>92</sup> \$10,495. <sup>92</sup>	Now \$13,994. <sup>99</sup> \$11,044. <sup>90</sup> \$11,094. <sup>90</sup> \$10,894. <sup>90</sup> \$11,094. <sup>90</sup> \$9,874. <sup>90</sup>
'92 Chev. Corsica - Blue		\$12,794.22
'92 Pontiac Gran Prix - 4 Dr.	\$13,995.00	
'90 Mercury Cougar - Red/White	\$10,495.22	\$9,739.9
'88 Chev. Astro Van - Gray	\$6,995.99	\$6,241.99
'89 Olds 98 Regency - Blue	\$4,995.∞	\$4,300.∞

Call Raymon Mobley or Jerry Kemp at 1-800-289-6066 or come visit our dealership



### Bill Who...

Who is Bill Clinton? by Kate Higdon

Bill Clinton and hes wife Hillary and daughter Chelse are moving to the Whit House in Washington D C. He will be the 42nd President of the U.S. They are moving from Arkansas.

Who is Bill Clinton? by Natasha Stewart

Bill Clinton is moving to the White House. He is bringing his famuly. They are Hillary and Chlesa. They are moving to Washington D. C. There cat's name is Soks.

Who is Bill Clinton? by Adriana Capuchin

He is a president. He is takeing his wife name Hillary. And he is takeing his daughter named Chelsea. He is also going take his cat named Soks to Washington, D.

#### MRS. JONES FIRST GRADE

President Clinton has a lot of iods. President Clinton lives in a Clinton does not allow bad people white House and he is famous. President Clinton is the letre.

Stevie Hernandez

President Clinton is the 42nd President. He will live in the White House for 4 years. He is the famous man.

Elizabeth Elliott

There was your cat in TV. evreybody was taking pictures outside. the color fo the cat was blak and white.

Rhonda Velardez

Bill clinton has a cat. President clintons eduoohav givayawjobs. Wina Garza

Today President Bill Clinton is moving in the White House. He is a famous man. do not tuch the cat. He is the leater.

Jessica Kirchharr

President Clinton has a lunchroom. He has a cat. The little girl will wok to school. Shaun Ramos

President is the famous of the USA. Bill Clinton helps people. evreday people like hem.

Noemi Fay

1. Clinton is a president today. 2. President Clinton is a president 4 years.

3. Clinton is famous. Mario Magana

Bill Clinton is the USA leader. His famous becus he is the leader. He lives in the White House. Jamie Lee Samaniego

President Bill Clinton has a Job. He has a cat. He livs in the Whit

Sarah Gutierrez

The White House is famous. Bill Clinton is the leader today. Bill Clinton is the bos.

Bill Clinton is the U. S. A. president. Bill Clinton is the leader of the U. S. and armey and mres. he levs in the White House. he is the 42nd President.

James Ross

Bill Clinton was a good leader. He is famous becus he has a White House. He has 80 roo and bed.

Denevra Gloria

Bill Clinton is famese! Bill in the u. s. a. He is the presudint of our town.

Jessica Collins

President Clinton has bin are President and he is going to live in the White House. he is going to bos the country.

Joe Oliden

Bill Clinton is the new president for the country I hop you are a good president. I hope you like it in the White House.

David Cook

He dose lots of things to save the

Bill Clinton is our new president.

Bill Clinton is our new president.

Of our courtry. He lives in the White House. Dainah

Bill Clinton is our new president. He lives in the White House. He has a daughter named Chelsea.

Bill Clinton is are new president. He lives in the White House in washington, D. c.

### Lee deployed to participate in Reforger '92

Lee has been deployed to Belgium, Luxembourg, and Germany to participate in Reforger '92. Reforger '92 is a strategic mobility exercise U. S. capability and resolve to rapidly reinforce Europe should the need arise. The exercise involves the Army, Navy and Air High School.

Army Pvt. 1st Class James E. Force in effort to transport active and reserve component combat units from the continental United States to Europe.

> Lee is the nephew of Doris J. Merriman of Sonora.

He is a 1986 graduate of Sonora

### Engagement Announcement

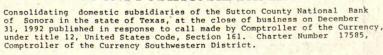
Mr. and Mrs. Armando Sanchez of Sonora announce the engagement and approaching wedding of their daughter, Nadine, to Andrew Langford of San Angelo. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth

The couple is planning an April 17, 1993 wedding.

Langford, also of San Angelo.

REPORT OF CONDITION

SUTTON COUNTY NATIONAL BANK



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Cash and balances due from depository institutions:

Noninterest bearing balances and currency and coin----13,002
Securities----13,002
Federal Funds Sold------320 

LIABILITIES In Domestic offices-----Total Liabilities----- 17.181

EQUITY CAPITAL 

I,Ray Smith, Vice President and Cashier, of the above named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Ray Smith - January 15, 1993

Vice Pres./Cashier

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

### **EMS'ing Around**

by Pascal Allison

In the January 14th edition of the Devil's River News Donna Keeses' name was inadvertently omitted as one of the instructors passing her state exam in order to re-certify as EMS instructor. Congratulations, Donna!

Congratulations to Keith and Rosie Butler on the addition to their family. They are the proud parents of Amelia Grace who was born at 4:38 p. m. on December 20, 1992. Amelia arrived weighing 8 pounds 3 ounces, and was 20" long! Keith, an EMT-Paramedic with the Sutton County EMS is the administrator for the Medi-Center in San Angelo. Rosie is an EMT with the Sutton County EMS. Keith and Rosie live in San Angelo, but spend some of their weekends on call with the Sutton County EMS here in Sonora. Congratulations, Keith and Rosie!

On January 13th Pat Campbell and Ben Pool, both Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT's), took an ambulance to Meridian Oil Co., where Ben put on a safety course and demonstrated CPR. They showed the ambulance and it's capabilities to the approximately 15 attendees. The Safety Clinic was well received.

Early in January Pat Campbell, EMT, took the Tiger Cubs on a tour of the EMS building and ambulance. He explained how the

### Welcome Back Bob Young!

This year, 1993, will be the 12th consecutive year Bob Young has attended the Fling Ding. Bob, a resident of Las Vegas, Nevada, is a captain pilot for Continental Airlines.

He has traveled approximately 70,000 roundtrip miles during his 12 years of attending the Fling

Last year Capt. Young flew in from Paris, France. This year he will be flying in from Australia.

He is the guest of Mrs. Fannye Pace and her son George Pace.

### Haltom graduates from ASU

Rodney O'grady Haltom received a Bachelor of Science, with a major in Medical Technology during Fall commencement at Angelo State

He was among 205 students who received degrees at the university.

The young man who has not wept is a savage, and the old man who will not laugh is a fool.

—George Santayana

Emergency Medical Service (EMS) works. He also demonstrated how the head and spinal immobilizers

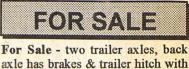
work, showed the uses of back boards, etc. In touring the ambulance the Tigers were really "wide eyed" and obviously impressed by all they saw. Pat instructed them on some basic safety rules.

On January 15th thru the 17th Pat Campbell and Treva McReynolds attended an EMS instructors course in Big Springs.

At present they are both licensed skills instructors, however the course they attended in Big Springs will qualify them to take the state written exam in their efforts to be qualified to give lectures in Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) courses. Congratulations Treva and Pat!

Did you know: . . . The difference between biological death and clinical death? Clinical death occurs, for example, immediately when a person goes into cardiac arrest (heart attack). There are no respirations and no pulse. Biological death can occur anywhere

from 3 to 10 minutes after clinical death occurs, unless CPR is initiated. However, in some cases it may be longer. Especially in the case of a "cold water" drowning, which lowers the core temperature of the body, thereby slowing down a persons metabolism.



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USED CARS

For Sale - 1990 GMC Suburban SLE, Power locks/windows, XTRAS. 387-5240. (1/28)

For Sale - 1983 Chrysler. Good condition. Great school car. \$1,800.00. Call 387-3281 or see at Post Office. (1/28)

### REAL ESTATE

For Sale - Cabin, Rough Canyon Ranchitos Amistad addition, 1 acre, 2 br. - 2 bath furnished, CH-CA. Nice view of lake, \$39,500. 387-5921. (1/28)

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HBS, Inc. DBA Dreamers Restaurant regretfully announce the closure of our restaurant. We would like to extend our deepest appreciation to our loyal clientele and to all who patronized our establishment. We hope you continue to come by and visit from time to time. Our lounge will be open 7 days a week from 4 p.m. - 12 midnight and earlier on special occasions.

> Thank you kindly, Sonny, Albert, & George

THE CITY OF SONORA WILL BE OFFERING RED CROSS TRAINING **CLASSES IN FEBURARY IN** PREPARATION FOR THE LIFEGUARD CERTIFICATION COURSE.

Turk was recently named

President of the West Side

Lions Club due to the

resignation of Todd Munn.

These classes are required for possible employment at the Municipal Swimming Pool. To register or for additional information contact Melissa Teaff at (915) 387-2273.



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201 Ave I Ozona, Tx

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> Your ad could be here!

### PUBLIC NOTICE

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#### REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for 251.633 miles of seal coat on US 90, SP406, LP 166, IH 10, RR 2, US 277, SP317, SH 163, RM 336, RM 693, FM 189, RM 2523, RM 1691, RM 1865, FM 1908, RM 2630, RM 2631, RM 3348, RM 2995, and FM 3199 covered by CPM 22-6-40, CPM 22-15-1, CPM 23-7-8, CPM 141-2-22, CPM 141-3-47, CPM 160-8-5, CPM 299-1-52, CPM 299-12-5, CPM 412-3-25, CPM 412-5-31, CPM 412-6-15, CPM 554-1-25, CPM 876-1-11, CPM 961-2-11, CPM 1592-1-9, CPM 1649-1-11, CPM 1800-2-3, CPM 1800-3-3, CPM 1814-1-8, CPM 2375-1-3, CPM 2627-1-6, CPM 2752-2-4, CPM 2999-1-5, and CPM 3299-1-4 in Val Verde, Kinney, Sutton, Crockett, Real, Terrell and Edwards Counties will be received at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 p. m., February 4, 1993, and then publicly opened and

Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Robert C. Parker Area Engineer, Del Rio, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Division of Construction and Contract Administration, D. C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of

The Texas Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that bidders will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color, sex or national origin, in having full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and in consideration for an award. Usual rights reserved.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

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LEGAL NOTICE

Selection of County Depository

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioner's Court of SUTTON County, Texas, will, at its regular February Term, 1993, select a County Depository of and for the public fund of SUTTON County, Texas, for the years 1993 and 1994. Also included in the public funds are funds of the County Permanent and Available School Funds and trust funds in the hands of the County and District Clerk. The applications will conform to the provisions of the County Depository Law, Articles 2544 to 2558A inclusive, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas; the rules and regulations of the Board of Governors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; and the requirements of the SUTTON County Commissioner's Court.

Any banking corporation, association or individual banker of SUTTON County, Texas, desiring to be designated and/or selected as such Depository shall make and deliver to the County Judge of SUTTON County, Texas, an application applying for such funds stating the amount of paid up capital stock and permanent surplus of said bank, together with a statement showing the financial condition of said bank at the date of said application, which shall be delivered to the County Judge of SUTTON County, Texas, on or before 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the first day of the regular February Term, 1993, of the Commissioner's Court of SUTTON County, Texas, the same being on or before 10:00 o'clock A. M. February 8, 1993.

Said application shall also be accompanied by a certified check for not less than one-half (1/2) of one per cent (1%) of SUTTON County's revenue for the year 1993, as a guarantee of the good faith on the part of said bank, corporation, or individual banker, that if said bank, association or individual banker is accepted and/or selected as County Depository it will enter into the bond and/or bonds provided therefore by law.

Said application, so filed with the County Judge of SUTTON County, Texas and prepared as required by the laws of the State of Texas, will be considered by the Commissioner's Court of SUTTON County, Texas, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., February 8, 1993, and a County Depository selected in accordance with the above referred to laws and all other laws of the State of Texas covering such matters.

Application forms are available in the office of County Judge and shall be used by all interested parties. The Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any and all applications received.

Bid submitted shall be sealed and marked on the outside "Application for Depository of Sutton County Funds."

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### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

The Sutton County Appraisal District will receive sealed bids to purchase a vehicle. Bid specifications and forms may be obtained from the Sutton County Appraisal District office, 300 East Oak St., Sonora, Texas, 76950. Bids will be received at the office until 1 p. m. Friday, February 5, 1993. Bids will be opened and accepted or rejected at that time at that same location. (2/4)

### RENT/LEASE

Storage Units for Rent. Please call 387-3529 between 9-5; after 5 p. m. call 387-3996 or 387-2136. (P)

Shurley Enterprises Mini Storage - 8x12--\$25 and 12x24--\$50 monthly. Please call 387-3619 from 9:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m. Monday thru Friday. (P)

### **PERSONALS**

With each passing year you are not only older but wiser. Happy Birthday Dad. We love you. Nadine & Kathy. P. S. I wouldn't have it any other way. (1/28)

### **THERMOJETICS**

Lose holiday pounds naturally! Lose up to 10 lbs. by Fling Ding It works - 387-2817

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### HELP WANTED

Help Wanted - Location Builders Inc. is now taking applications for heavy equipment operators. Serious inquiries only. Call 387-

URGENTLY NEED DEPENDABLE PERSON to work without supervision for Texas oil co. in Sonora area. We train. Write T. M. Dickerson, Pres., SWEPCO, Box 961005, Ft. Worth, Texas 76161. (1/21)

We'll pay you to type names and addresses from home. \$500.00 per 1000. Call 1-900-896-1666 (\$1.49 min/18yrs.+) or Write: Passe -72680, 161 S. Lincolnway, N. Aurora, IL 60542. (2/4)

William Tiffee Construction is now taking applications for Transport Driver. Must have 1 years driving experience and a CDL license. For more information call Robert Mittel 915-387-3846. (P)

Truck Driver Wanted to operate transport, vacuum truck, kill truck. Apply Niblett's Oilfield Service, Hwy 277 S., Eldorado, Texas 853-2680. (P)

Wanted - Ranch hand needed in Sonora area. Experience in cattle operations. Housing and utilities furnished. Resident, work permit and DL required. Send resume and references to: 1136 Kirkwood, Houston, Texas 77043-

### **Nursing Positions** in Sonora

RN and LVN positions available at hospital and nursing home. Competitive salary, paid health and life insurance, retirement plan, paid holiday and sick days. Call the Director of Nurses at the hospital 387-2521 or the nursing home 387-3030.

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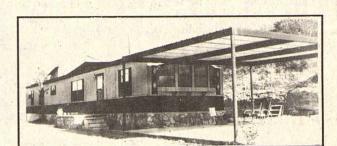
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### WANTED

WANTED YEAR ROUND HUNTING LEASE for Responsible Hunters with intentions of Game Managing. Call collect 409-778-(1/28)

### HORSE SALE

WINTER HORSE SALE. Producers Livestock Auction, San Angelo, Texas, Saturday, January 30. 1993. Al horses welcome. Regular Sale-11:00--Select Sale-12:00. Call us about your consignments. Producers 915/653-3371; Mike May, 915/465-8011 or 656-8669 or Terry Ford 915/835-5621. (1/28)

### **MISCELLANEOUS**

LAS VEGAS TRIP - March 13-\$209 per person, Delux Kerrville Tour Bus, 5 hours at Laughlin Nev. with Free Buffet, 4 nights, 6 meal coupon at Golden Gate in Las Vegas. Side trip to Jeno, Nev. with stop at strip. See Hoover Dam on the way back home! Willpick up in Sonora. Call 210/775-1073-Ollie or 915/387-2622-Jackie.