

## Local FAA Landmark Dismantled

The ASR-3 Air Surveillance Radar (locally known as the Golf Ball) will soon be gone. The radar was located about 10 to 12 miles East of Sonora on Bond Road and was used by the FAA for aircraft navigation. The Golf Ball could be seen from extreme distance and was used as landmark by many Sonora residents and visitors. Bill LaRiviere, Resident Engineer for Raytheon, said they will completely disassemble the radar and turn the land back over to the Ranch owner. The old radar will be transported to Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

## Local Big Wigs Go To Jail

Sonora, TX--The Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA) is coming to Sonora to lock-up its fine and upstanding citizens. On Sept. 15th, 1999, MDA will be holding a Lock-up at the First National Bank Annex from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The Midland District Office of MDA has begun recruiting the "jailbirds" and so far the "inmates" have been very receptive and eager to participate. A lock-up is a nationwide fund-raising event where local citizens agree to be "locked-up" and raise "bail money" to get out. Jailbirds are incarcerated for one hour and are provided with telephones to make contacts in order to

raise their bail. Bail contributors can donate money to have the jailbird released or even to "keep" the jailbird in jail. Pictures are made of the inmates in their jail attire and those attending during the lunch hour are provided with hearty jail grub.

The "grub" for this event is being provided by the Sutton County Steakhouse. The Muscular Dystrophy Association is a non-profit organization that routinely holds fund-raising events in order to provide its patients with the services they need. The Midland Office services the Permian Basin and its 23 surrounding counties and there are currently more than 200 patients

within the district. Some of the services MDA provides include sending children with MD to camp for a week each summer, therapy, wheelchairs, and any medical attention that the patient requires. Additionally, funds are raised for research to find cures for the 40 neuromuscular diseases that currently afflict thousands of adults and children. If there are any questions or if anyone would like to participate, please call the Midland MDA office at 915-570-4970. Everyone is invited to come see who they know that is being locked up!!

## 1999 Sutton County Days Winning Parade

Parade Chairman, Tonya Brown, and the staff at The Bank & Trust would like to say thank you to everyone that participated in this year's Sutton County Days Parade. It was a huge success with 65 registered entries and a few thrown in on the day of the event. It certainly topped last year's 48 entries!

This year's event drew many out-of-town participants and many local entries which had not participated in the past. Andy Morris' Stagecoach Line from Bonham, Texas provided an added western touch to the parade, as well as the rodeo on Friday and Saturday nights.

Tonya Brown stated that "It has been a lot of hard work and fun locating new prospective entry applicants which are needed to

obtain variety for a good parade. We felt that we accomplished a good mix of entertainment this year and look forward to next year's event and many more entries. We would also encourage anyone in the community to lend their ideas and thoughts to next year's event."

Should anyone in the community attend an event that includes something or someone that you think would be appropriate for next year's parade, please obtain a contact person's phone number or address and forward it to Tonya Brown @ The Bank & Trust.

A special Thank You goes out to this year's judges: Michele McGeath, and Mike Wenzel, from Sonora, Tx, and Gale Hartman, San Angelo, Tx.

The following is a listing of parade

winners!

**ORGANIZATION CATEGORY:**  
1st Place: Morris Stagecoach Line, Bonham, Texas. (Sponsored by Rafter W Feed Store & The Main Street Program)

2nd Place: San Angelo Saddle Club, San Angelo, Texas

**FLOAT CATEGORY:**  
1st Place: Sonora Middle School Cheerleaders.

2nd Place: Kimble Co. Chamber of Commerce & Hill Country Association, Junction, Texas.

**"CLASSY ACT" AUTO:**  
1st Place: 1949 Cadillac owned by Trey Wardlaw, Sonora, Texas.

2nd Place: 1940 Ford owned by Lynn Simpler, Sonora, Texas.

**OVERALL BEST OF SHOW - GRAND PRIZE**  
The Bank & Trust, Sonora, Texas.

40 thru 62

1. A.J. Wells, San Antonio
2. Patti Strauch, Sonora

0 thru 15

1. Wesley Hall, Comanche  
**Grand Champion Fiddler:** George Smith from San Antonio.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THESE WINNERS!**

### Dove Season

Sept. 1 - Oct. 17

Dec. 26 - Jan 7

Stamp Required for

White Winged

Daily Bag Limit - 15

In Possession - 30

**The Devil's River News Will Be Closed Monday, For Labor Day**  
*Drive Safely*

## Lightning Strikes Too Close To Home

A lightning storm on Saturday evening, Aug. 28 was the cause of a fire that destroyed approximately 40 percent of the home of Mickey, Storie and Garrett Sharp on the Arroyo Grande ranch 15 miles west of Sonora.

The Sharps were in their home Saturday evening when lightning struck the air conditioning/heating unit on the south side of their home, causing a fire to ignite in the attic. A local visiting family helped the Sharps out of the house to safety while Mickey and his friend fought to keep the blaze controlled by spraying the roof with hoses and a portable sprayer until the additional help could arrive.

The Sutton County rural fire

department and Emergency Response responded within 20 minutes of being called to fight the blaze along with several friends and relatives. Wind and the amount of available water on the fire trucks hampered the efforts of firefighters to control the fire, but with perseverance were finally able to put out the fire around 1 a.m.

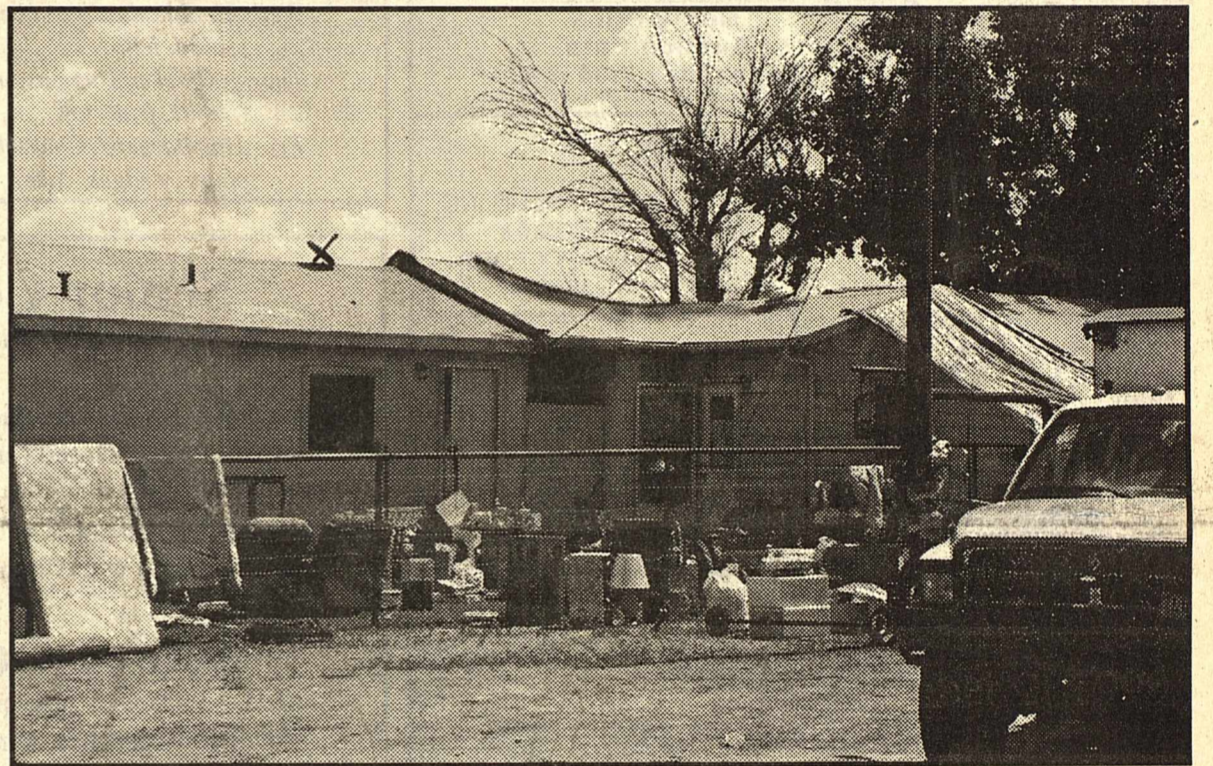
One bedroom and the dining room were destroyed and various pieces of furniture were lost. Damage to the house and personal possessions consisted mainly of smoke and water damage. The Sharps were able to salvage many personal belongings, however, it has not yet been determined what will be useable after sustaining considerable

smoke and water damage. The house suffered structural roof, wall and window damage.

On Sunday, friends and family joined forces at the site of the fire to help the Sharps remove their belongings from the home.

Items were sorted, pressure washed and stored in various friends homes and barns while other friends took clothes and dishes to be washed.

A Sutton County Community Trust Fund at First National Bank has been established to help the Sharp family. Storie is the editor of The Devil's River News and is expecting her second child any day.



Many friends and neighbors helped the Sharps remove and clean the smoke and water damaged items from their home.

## Texas Agricultural Experiment Station 1999-2000 Annual Performance Test

The annual ram performance test will be conducted by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Sonora in 1999-2000. The delivery date for rams in this year's test will be September 13-14, 1999. The Field Day is scheduled for March 16, 2000.

The test is open to all breeds, but based on the type of data collected, it is more useful for finewool breeds. The performance information obtained will be more useful if more than on son per sire is tested. The animals may be registered or non-registered. Animals should be lambs at the start of the test, and those showing yearling teeth will not be accepted. Only registered rams born between October 1, 1998 and April 30, 1999 will be eligible for the American Rambouillet Sheep Breeders' Association Registry of Merit Program. Cooperators who plan to enter more than 20 animals are requested to give advance notice to Don Spiller.

**Initial Weight Limits:** The test will be open to lambs regardless of initial

weight. However, fall born lambs that weigh less than 135 lbs and spring born lambs that weigh less than 100 lbs on the initial weigh day (Sept 30) will not be eligible for certification.

**Provision of Information and Payment of Fees:** All information (sire, type of birth, age of dam, and date of birth) is required by the initial weigh day. If this information is not received by that time, those animals will be considered as commercial rams throughout the test.

**Test Fees are due on or before the day of delivery of Rams:** A check or purchase order must be received on or before delivery day or rams will not be accepted.

It is suggested that the animals be introduced to feed before delivery. The animals will be drenched for internal parasites and vaccinated for enterotoxemia immediately after arrival. However, it might prove to the producer's advantage to ensure that rams are free of parasites and have been vaccinated for enterotoxemia at least two weeks before

delivery and that their feet are trimmed. Rams should not be shorn immediately before delivery and should have at least a half-inch of wool at the delivery date. All wool shorn will be credited to individual cooperators accounts.

Rams will be examined and tested for epididymitis before entering the test. They will be examined by Station personnel at the time of delivery. Producers may wish to have their animals tested prior to delivery for their own information. However, all rams will be re-bled after arriving at the station. Blood samples will be sent to an appropriate laboratory for evaluation.

The cost of this testing will be included in the total costs. In so far as facilities permit, the animals will be maintained in separate groups until this has been accomplished.

After the rams are officially weighed on test, the breeders are requested to leave the rams on test except for reasons of health as determined by Station personnel. The

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## Powell-Holman Donate For Raffle

A fullblood boer goat will be raffled to benefit JABGA (Junior American Boer Goat Association) at the Powell-Holman Production Sale Sunday, September 5th at the Sonora Experiment Station. The lucky winner will have their choice of a beautiful South African doe or buck, to be donated by Powell-Holman.

These two animals will be on display at the sale. Ticket sales will end with the sale of the last lot and

the drawing will then be conducted. Tickets are priced 1 for \$50 or 3 for \$100 and all proceeds will go to JABGA. If you cannot attend the sale and wish to buy tickets, call 915-387-3122, Sharon Holman or 915-853-2319, Claire Powell for tickets. You need not be present to win.

Established in 1995, the JABGA has over 300 members. They held their 4th National Show

in Bay Springs, MS this past June and they have scheduled their June of 2000 National Show in Kerrville, TX. The officers of JABGA have plans to hold several events in the near future including a Junior Boer Goat Show sponsored by the San Angelo Livestock Show and Rodeo in March.

JABGA officers and members will be in attendance selling tickets. JABGA members appreciate the support of all raffle ticket buyers.

## Sonora Church Directory

**PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA**  
Rick Sanchez  
504 Santa Clara  
387-2035

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Tim Dobbs, Minister  
304 N. Water  
387-3190

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Taylor Norman, Interim  
404 E Oak  
387-2951

**ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Rev. Ted W. Harris  
404 E. Poplar  
387-2955

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Suzanne Steves, Pastor  
201 N. Water  
387-2466

**JERUSALEM ASAMBLEA DE DIOS**  
St. Ann's Street  
387-3600

**HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Rev. Charles Huffman  
417 E. 2nd St.  
387-5366

**NEW LIFE MINISTRY CENTER**  
Jerry & Joy Wood  
204 E. Main  
387-3241

**THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD PRESBYTERIAN**  
Lewis Allen, Pastor  
319 E. Mulberry  
387-2616

**LIGHTHOUSE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Corner of Hwy. 277 S. and Glasscock


**PENTECOSTAL CALVARY TEMPLE UNITED**  
Randy Greenwood  
Pastor  
509 Amistad  
387-5266

**ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Father William DuBuisson, O.M.I.  
229 W. Plum  
387-2278

**JEHOVAH'S WITNESS**  
310 St. Ann's Street  
387-5658 or 387-5518

**NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Don Seigler  
511 Cornell  
387-3018

**COWBOY CHURCH**  
Monty Price  
Auction Barn  
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.



**BRONCHO FORD INC.**  
115 N CONCHO  
SONORA, TX 76950  
(915)387-2549

**Kerbow Funeral Home**  
387-2266

## Main Street News

Submitted by Ann Kay  
The following was printed in the Beaumont Enterprise for the 1922 grand opening of the Hotel Beaumont in Beaumont, Texas.

### Do Not Think of Me As Old

"Somebody called me a pile of bricks,  
And a thousand tons of steel.  
I am the spirit the Fathers knew  
The seed of their work and zeal.  
They builded me in days gone by,  
They planned me stone by stone.  
Laid they my beams in early dreams,  
And they saw me stand alone.  
They were the men who carved my thews;  
They towered the wealth in my frame.  
I am the ghost of their energy,  
Still but a pawn in the game.  
Somebody called me a pile of bricks,  
And a thousand tons of steel -  
I am a vision the Father's saw,  
The seed of their early zeal."

### School Lunch Menu Sept. 6 - Sept. 10

**Breakfast**

*Mon.* - Labor Day Holiday.  
*Tues.* - Grilled cheese, tator tots, juice, fruit.  
*Wed.* - Sweet rolls, juice, fruit.  
*Thurs.* - Scrambled eggs, ham, toast, fruit, juice.  
*Fri.* - Egg & bacon burrito, fruit, juice.

**Milk and cereal offered with all breakfasts.**

**Lunch**

*Mon.* - Labor Day Holiday!  
*Tues.* - BBQ on a bun, pickles, onions, fruit, cookies.  
*Wed.* - Enchiladas, pinto beans, Spanish rice, salsa, tossed salad, jello.  
*Thurs.* - Chicken Nuggets, mashed potatoes, gravy, peas, rolls, fruit icy.  
*Fri.* - Hamburger / Cheeseburger, lettuce, tomatoes pickles, potato wedges, cake.

### Senior Center News

**Sept. 2** - Crafts with Florie! Sign up to make a photo album.  
**Sept. 3** - AAA Reports due. Go Broncos! Beat Big Lake.  
**Sept. 6** - Center closed for Labor Day Holiday!  
**Sept. 7** - Bingo!  
**Sept. 8** - Exercise with video 10:00 a.m.  
**Sept. 9** - Justin with Chamber (GTE) program.

### Senior Center Menu

**Sept. 3** - Ham with pineapple, corn, macaroni & cheese, roll, peaches, lemon bar, milk.  
**Sept. 6** - Center will be closed for Labor Day Holiday!  
**Sept. 7** - Hot dog with chili & cheese, yams, pineapple, waldorf salad, chocolate brownie, milk.  
**Sept. 8** - Chicken strip, baked potato, broccoli with cheese, roll, peach cobbler, milk.  
**Sept. 9** - Soft tacos with meat & cheese, pinto beans, corn, lettuce & tomato mix, fruit with cantaloupe, milk.  
Lunch is served Monday thru Friday at 12:00 Noon.  
\$ 1.75 donation is suggested for those 60+ and \$4.00 for others.

### Ronnie Cox would like to be your pharmacist.

### Season Football Tickets on Sale until Sept. 3 at 4:00 p.m. at the Administration Bldg.

## Obituary

### Doris Jean Graham Thompson

Healdton, Oklahoma: Graveside services for Doris Jean Graham Thompson, age 74, of Brownfield, Texas, were held at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, August 28, 1999, in Mount Olive Cemetery. Rev. Jamie Griffin officiated.  
Mrs. Thompson died August 25, 1999, in Brownfield.  
The daughter of Fred Graham and Edna Robertson Graham, she was born January 19, 1925, in Wirt Oklahoma. She grew up in the Wirt area and was a longtime resident of Houston, Texas. She moved to Brownfield nine years ago from Ardmore, Oklahoma.  
Mrs. Thompson worked for Calgon in Houston until retiring in 1987.  
Survivors are three daughters, Earlene White, Odessa, Texas, Jeannette Thompson, Sonora, Texas, and Paulette Straub, Brownfield; one son, Randy Quick, Sherman, Texas; one stepson, Ron Quick, Gordonville, Texas; one sister, Jewel McCauley, Healdton; one brother, Fred Graham, Dallas, Georgia; seven grandchildren, Chris Straub, Brownfield, Kevin Bageman, Crane, Texas, Walker and Coley Thompson, Sonora, Texas, Amanda Quick, Whitesboro, Texas, Randy Quick, Jr., Sherman, and Stan Quick, Gordonville, Texas and five great-grandchildren, Dillion Horner, Sherman, Matthew Quick, Gordonville, Jason, Timothy and Kirsten Bageman, Crane, Texas. She was preceded in death by a sister, Joyce Barnes, two brothers, Harold and James Graham, and a grandson, Kenneth Bageman.

### Jack Wardlaw

Jack Wardlaw, 90, of Fort Worth, Texas died Sunday, August 29, 1999.  
The funeral was held September 1, 1999 at 11:30 a.m. at Greenwood Chapel, Fort Worth, Texas. Graveside services were held at Greenwood Memorial Park, Fort Worth, Texas. Arrangements were by Greenwood Funeral Home.  
He was born March 19, 1909, in Sonora, Texas. Jack was an Inspector for General Dynamics (now Lockheed) before he retired.  
Memorials may be made to Happy Hill Farm or American Heart Association.

### Dickie McNeill

Winters - Dickie Jon McNeill, 50, of Wingate died Friday, August 27, 1999, near Rotan.  
Graveside services were held at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday in Knickerbocker Cemetery in Knickerbocker. Arrangements are by Winters Funeral Home.  
He was born July 3, 1949, in Winters and had been a lifetime resident of Wingate. A Navy veteran of the Vietnam War, he was a self-employed courier and was a member of the Wingate Baptist Church.  
Survivors include his wife, Charlotte Morrison McNeill of Wingate; a daughter, Lynn Ann Sahr of Sonora; his parents, Jon and Lavoy McNeill of Wingate; two brothers, Flent McNeill of Abilene and Kent McNeill of San Angelo; three sisters, Judy Scott of Hamlin, Jan Oden of Albany and Jill McClellum of Abilene; and a grandson.

## Card of Thanks

The Sonora Middle School Cheerleaders would like to express their thanks and gratitude to the parents who volunteered their time to decorate the float for the Sutton County Days Parade. It looked spectacular! Your artistic ability helped us win a first place trophy. A special thanks goes to Mrs. Caruthers and Grider Trucking for the truck that we used. Once again thank you and May God Bless You All.  
Thanks Again! Sonora Middle School Cheerleaders

The Lil Babes Girls Softball Team would like to express their sincere appreciation to Town & Country Food Stores for sponsoring their team this year and providing cups and ice for every game. A special thanks to the umpires and all the parents that kept the books and helped out when called upon to assist.  
George & Gloria Noriega, Coaches  
Trini Sentena, Jr. Assist. Coach

The family of Maribel Sentena and Daniel Garza would like to thank everyone that helped with the raffle benefitting the Maribel Sentena and Daniel Garza Memorial Scholarship Fund. Special thanks to Harold Martinez for donating the fajita cooker, Manuel Sanchez for donating the propane tank and Rye Supply. Without special friends and family this fundraiser would not have been a success. We would like to congratulate the winner of the fajita cooker, Brandon Velez from Kirby, Texas.  
May God Bless You  
The family of Maribel Sentena & Daniel Garza

On behalf of the Sonora Outlaw Pro Rodeo Committee, and myself, we would like to take this time to say a big THANK YOU to everyone involved in helping us celebrate the 25th Anniversary of the Sonora Outlaw Pro Rodeo. We want to thank all of our friends and volunteers, for once again, putting in all those long and hard hours. You are appreciated and respected by your peers, more than you may know. THANK YOU!!

The Sonora Outlaw Pro Rodeo has grown so much in the past several years, that we dedicate the majority of our time to this project 12 months out of the year. A lot of things you don't see, but believe me, there are several key people always working hard to try to improve and enlarge this event. We feel very lucky to have a PRCA Rodeo of this quality and size in Sonora. This is Sonora's one big draw of the year, and we hope to increase revenue for Sonora and Sutton County each and every year. A special THANK YOU, goes out to each and every one of our Sponsors for recognizing this, and supporting us with such loyalty year after year. Our rodeo is a great reflection of the people who make up our community. Thank you once again for your support and help, whether you were a Sponsor, volunteer, or enthusiastic spectator, we appreciate you, and hope you will be there for the Millennium. Sonora Outlaw Pro Rodeo 2000!

Sincerely,  
Pam Powers Haynes  
and The Sonora Outlaw Pro Rodeo Committee.

## Dining Out Directory

Dairy Queen  
134 N. Hwy 277  
387-2118

Food Center Deli  
600 S. Crockett Ave.  
387-5616

La Mexicana  
240 N. Hwy 277  
387-3401

Los Jarritos  
605 S. Crockett  
387-2838

Pizza Hut  
401 Hwy. 277 N.  
387-3540

Rosie's Cafe  
207 Glasscock Ave  
387-5552

Sutton County Steakhouse  
1306 N. Service Rd  
387-3833

Town & Country Subway  
610 S. Crockett  
387-6181

Town & Country - Country Kitchen  
903 N. Crockett Ave.  
387-2169

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### Community

**Sept. 2**  
Colt - Reagan Co. Home 5:00 / 6:30 p.m.  
Junior Varsity - Reagan Co. There 5:30 / 7:30 p.m.

**Sept. 3**  
Sonora Broncos vs. Reagan County Home - 8:00 p.m.  
Boys & Girls Cross Country Team -  
BBQ Brisket Plates Sale from 5:00 -7:00 p.m.  
at the High School Cafeteria

*The Community Calendar*


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### Calendar

**Sept. 11**  
Sonora Soccer  
starts with SASA in San Angelo

**Sept. 20**  
Sonora Schools P.T.A.  
6:30 p.m.  
Elementary Auditorium

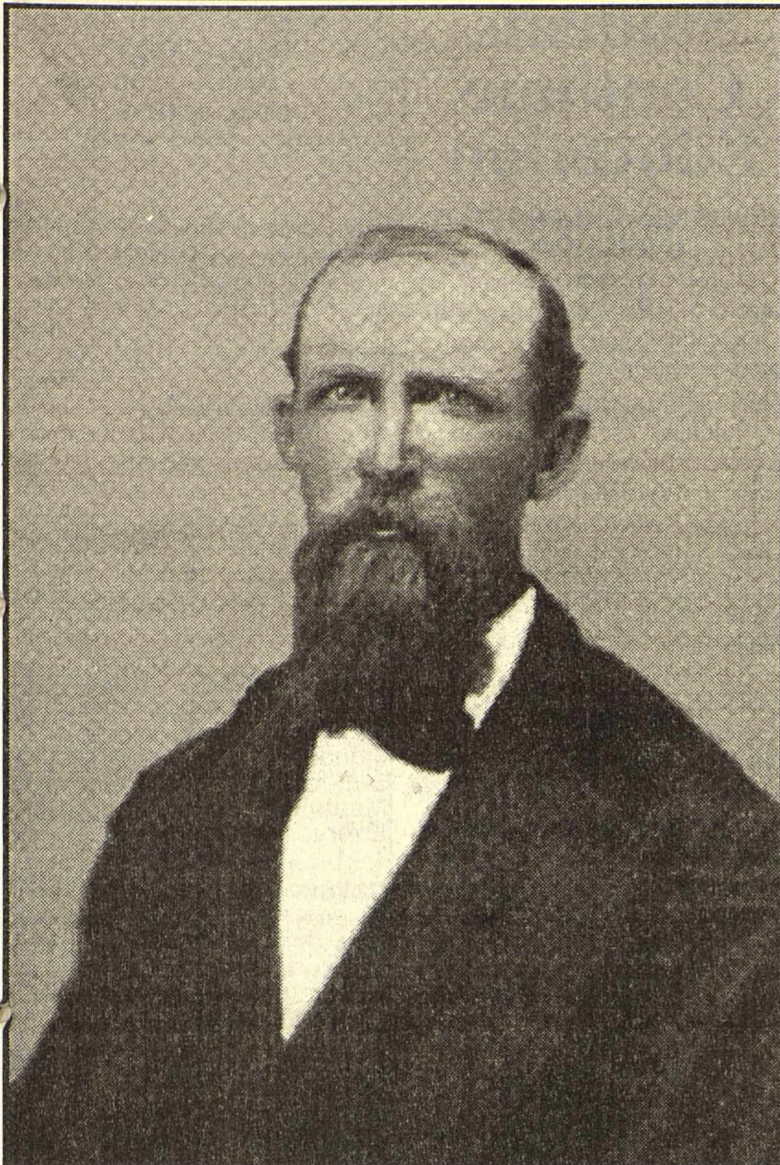
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## Ask the Historical Society



R. W. Callahan, the first Postmaster of Sonora

by Jo-Ann E. Palmer, Secretary

Q. When was the Post Office started in Sonora?

A. The Post Office in Sonora was started in 1889 in R. W. Callahan's wood front store.

The Post Office in Wentworth was started August 2, 1890 with Thomas H. Stevenson as Postmaster. It was discontinued and all its business transferred to the Sonora Post Office on August 26, 1891.

On November 17, 1896, David Owens was appointed Postmaster of the Ontario Post Office. There is no record of this facility ever being used and it was dissolved on November 18, 1898. Now before one of you calls and wants to know where Ontario was, it was the first name given to Owensville.

In 1899 the Owensville Post Office was established and it was in operation until 1921. The Camp Allison Post Office was started April 7, 1927 with Della Hallum as Postmistress and she was followed by Belle Thiers on 26 February

1930.

The Sonora Post Office had the following Postmasters in its earlier days: Robert W. Callahan appointed September 19, 1889; Pharis Hurst, appointed February 15, 1890; Wm. C. Cusenbery, appointed July 2, 1891; Elijah S. Briant, appointed May 19, 1893; Mike Murphy, appointed June 10, 1897; Pharis Hurst, appointed October 27, 1906; Herman Thiers, appointed October 30, 1909; G. W. Smith, appointed June 17, 1913 and May Murray, appointed November 21, 1918.

Before we had local branches of the Post Office one had to travel to San Angelo to pick up their mail. Before that, people would pick up their mail at the forts closest to them and if they were lucky a neighbor would drop off their mail when he went in to get his.

Q. Jack Daugherty was driver for the Sonora Mail Coach at one time. He told a story of the coach being shot at when a sheriff was with him. Do you have any informa-

tion on this incident?

A. Devil's River News, May 18, 1912 (reprinted from the Standard) ASSASSINS FIRE THROUGH MAIL COACH

An attempt to either rob the Sonora mail coach, or to assassinate the driver, Jack Daugherty, was made Thursday morning about four miles from Eldorado. One shot was fired through the coach and came near hitting Sheriff Crag of Schleicher County, who was a passenger en route to San Angelo. The bullet passed through the hood of the car and punctured a hole through the radiator. The shot was fired by some unknown party who was lying in ambush on the left of the road. The coach had just passed the spot when the bullet struck.

E. B. Hendrix and J. Brown were also passengers on the car and were seated in the rear seat. The affair occurred while traveling through a section that was thick with underbrush. The scene of the affair was between Devil's River and the Concho River.

In the same issue we found the following article regarding Mr. Daugherty:

### DAUGHERTY - STARR

Married at the Methodist Parsonage in San Angelo Sunday May 12, 1912, Rev. Renfro officiating, Miss Lucy Starr to A. J. Daugherty of Sonora. The bride has visited Sonora a few times and the groom is a well-known conductor on the mail route to San Angelo. The News extends congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Daugherty. They will make San Angelo their home for the present.

Also in this issue we found the following:

### HUdspETH-MADDOX

Married at the Methodist Parsonage in Sonora on Wednesday May 15, 1912, Rev. J. D. Worrell officiating, Miss Lillie Maddox to James Ray Hudspeth. The contracting parties are well known and popular with the Sonora people and have many friends.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Maddox and her quiet and unassuming disposition has made her much admired. Ray Hudspeth, the lucky fellow, has extensive ranch interests in this county. After the ceremony at 8 a.m. they left for a trip to Fort Worth, El Paso and possibly California. They will live on the ranch 27 miles southwest of Sonora. Note: This is the same Lillian Hudspeth that our hospital and nursing home are

named for.

Others items of interest in this issue are:

Born on Thursday, May 16, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge Coleman a boy.

Married in Sonora on Sunday, May 12, 1912, Miss Tennie Owens to Fred R. Hall of San Angelo. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Bert Hall of Windon, a brother of the groom. The happy event took place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. W. J. Owens and was witnessed by only a few friends. The bride is a charming young woman and has a large circle of friends. The groom is a member of a prominent business firm in San Angelo.

After the ceremony they left for San Angelo their future home. Note: Tennie Owens Hall died November 27, 1916 and is buried in the Sonora Cemetery.

Miss Tora Smith is the saleslady in the dry goods department of the Sonora Mercantile Co.

Thelma and Elna Fields, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fields left for San Antonio Thursday to attend summer school under the instruction of their aunt, Miss Adah Gibbons.

Born in West Sonora on Wednesday May 15, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, a boy.

Irve Ellis and sons Louis and Pink of Menard were in Sonora Friday on their way to the T Half Circle Ranch.

If you have any questions concerning Sutton County history send them to Ask the Historical Society, P.O. Box 885, Sonora, TX 76950-0885 or e-mail them to schs@sonoratrax.net. You may also drop them off at the Devil's River News Office or call me at 915-387-2855 afternoons or evenings.

## Sonora Woman's Club News

The Sonora Woman's Club recently purchased new books for the Sutton County Library. Working with Florie Mesa, Librarian to determine needs at the library, the Woman's Club purchased approximately \$1,000 of new children's books, as well as \$1,000 of reference books.

The Woman's Club also assisted with the Summer Reading Program at the Library. The Woman's Club paid the salary for a Summer Reading Coordinator to work with the librarian, as well as the salaries of two local high school students. The Woman's Club also paid for a portion of the summer reading program supplies and expenses.

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### Ol' Sonora Trading Co. Bridal Registry

Janet Jones bride elect of Frank Davis  
Beth Covington bride elect of Jason Donaldson

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### Tedford Jewelry

**Bridal Gift Registry**

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Janet Jones bride elect of Frank Davis  
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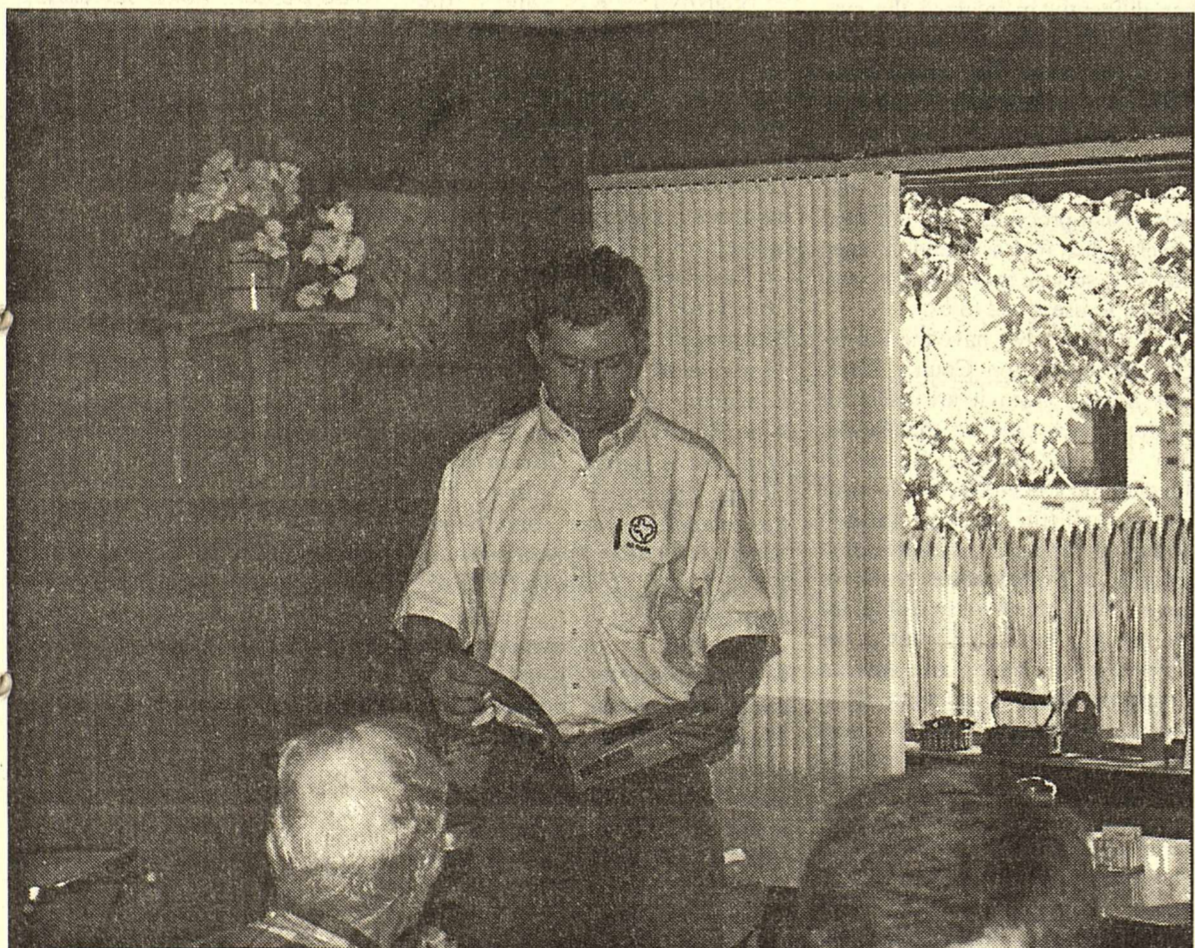
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## "Go Texan"



Brad Roedor, San Angelo Texas Department of Agriculture, speaks to Sonora Chamber Directors about the "GO TEXAN" program. The "Go Texan" program will combine and replace the existing programs (Taste Texas, Vintage Texas, Texas Grown and Naturally Texas) promoting Texas products.

"GO TEXAN" is a first for Texas agriculture, a high-profile presence that will simply make it uncool and un-Texan to buy anything but Texas products," stated Agriculture Commissioner Susan Combs at a recent campaign initiative to promote Texas agriculture to Texans.

To give "GO TEXAN" more clout, the Texas Legislature authorized the Go Texan Partner Program and appropriated \$1 million for 2 years to be matched by producers, commodity groups, cooperatives

and small businesses to promote agricultural products grown and processed in Texas.

With help from soon-to-be Baseball Hall of Famer Nolan Ryan, Ag Commissioner Susan Combs delivered a big pitch for "GO TEXAN", which promotes Texas food, natural fiber and leather, wine, horticulture and livestock under one logo. She also said Texans will soon be seeing the campaign's distinctive image -- a glowing brand and the words "GO TEXAN" - all around the state. TDA has already entered

into an agreement with H-E-B Food Stores whereby the chain will start using the "GO TEXAN" logo on produce by the end of May.

In addition to Nolan Ryan, actor Tommy Lee Jones will appear in an upcoming "GO TEXAN" television PSA and a radio spot. Ryan and Jones donated their time to promote Texas agriculture.

For more information or to sign up for "Go Texan" call 1-877-99GOTEX.

## William Forrest "Bo" Whitehead III receives M.D. degree

Submitted  
William Forrest "Bo" Whitehead III, received the Doctor of Medicine degree May 25 from the Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, Dr. Malcom Gillis, president of Rice University, was the commencement speaker. Diplomas were presented by Dr. Michael E. DeBailey, chancellor emeritus.

A graduate of the University of Colorado at Boulder, Whitehead was a history major (although his mom claims he majored in snow skiing!). He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and was on the CU rugby team, where he was named most valuable player in 1992 and 1993. Whitehead spent a semester in Central America helping to design and build a portable water system in a remote village in northern Nicaragua.

Whitehead graduated from Amphitheater High School in Tucson, Arizona, in 1990 where he competed in Arizona Academics Decathlon for two years, placing first in the state in personal interview, second in economics, speech,

social studies and super quiz, and was ranked third all-around individual in the state. He was a member of the National Honor Society and a champion debater. He also received the Seal of Excellence in English, physics and social studies, was recipient of the Susan Smith Poetry award and the Presidential Fitness award.

Whitehead was a three-year varsity football letterman and, captain and starting linebacker on the team that went to 5-A quarter finals his junior and senior years. As a senior, Whitehead was voted "Most Likely to Succeed" and was elected to be 1990 Homecoming King court.

Whitehead and his wife, Wendy, will live in Dallas where he has been accepted for a five-year residency in surgery at Southwestern Medical Center, part of the University of Texas Medical School system.

He is the son of Debbie Cooper, formerly of Sonora, now living in Junction, and Will F. Whitehead of Del Rio and San Angelo.

## Happy Birthday

September 1  
Romana Duran  
Ramon Capuchina  
Emmanuel Lopez  
Gracie Lopez  
Gloria Jean Paredes  
Erik Santana  
Miles Sentena  
Viola Solis  
Elaine Thurmond  
Molly Cook  
Dan Dockery  
Sutton Foulds  
September 2  
Cortney Hill  
Cha Cha Rockora  
September 3  
Levi Pool  
Guy Parker  
Dustin Dillard  
Lisa Creek  
Antonio Loroles  
Chapo Samaniego  
September 4  
Sidney Anderson  
Hershel Davenport  
Rosa Galindo

Diana Hidalgo  
Lindsee Palmer  
Johnny Solis  
Kaitlyn Henderson  
Oscar Gutierrez  
Mason Surber  
September 5  
Elsa Trevino  
Walker Lipham  
Joe Castillo  
Genny Cramer  
Sandra Luz Gonzales  
Tim West  
September 6  
Anna Samaniego  
Joni Ellison  
Ashely Bible  
Kellie Downing  
Diana Guana  
Jimmy Samaniego  
September 7  
Tim Dierkes  
Stevie Pacheco  
Tristin Ronspiez  
Randy Sparks  
Abel Garcia  
Mallie Turner

## Local Students Continue Education

### NEWS FROM ANGELO STATE UNIVERSITY

Three Sonora students at Angelo State University were among 238 students to receive degrees during the Summer Commencement at the University.

Tabitha Sanchez Abrego received a Bachelor of Arts, with a major in Psychology; Eric Geske received a Bachelor of Science, with a major in Psychology; and Candra Jo Sessom received a Bachelor of Science, with a major in Early Childhood.

### TEXAS STATE TECHNICAL COLLEGE (TSTC) HOLDS GRADUATION CEREMONIES

Sweetwater, TX-- The largest number of graduates ever in the history of TSTC West Texas received degrees and certificates Friday, August 13, 1999, at 7:00 p.m. The commencement ceremony was held at the Sweetwater High School Auditorium to a standing room only audience of family and friends who watched students walk across the stage from the four TSTC locations at Sweetwater, Abilene, Breckenridge, and Brownwood. Four hundred and seven students completed their studies. The guest speaker for the evening was Mr. James Mitchell, Vice President of Texas Instruments International.

Sonora is proud to congratulate Faustino Ibarra and Julia E. Ibarra on their graduation from TSTC.

## Alamo Village Celebrates 40 Years of Movie Making At The 39th Annual Labor Day Horse Races

TV'S "Virginian", James Drury will be the special guest at the 39th Annual Labor Day Cowboy Horse Races and 40th Year Celebration of the making of John Wayne's, *The Alamo* at Alamo Village Movie Location in Brackettville, on September 6.

Carolyn K. and the Roadhouse Band will be the featured band. The day-long party will also feature fast drawing gunslingers, cowboy singers and poets, contests for all ages, a Texas size Barbeque, educational displays, and music, music, music!

Book signing will take place from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. at the Blacksmith Shop, featuring Alamo authors Wally Chariton, *Exploring American Legends*; Alan Huffines, *Blood of Nobel Men*; Steve Hardin, *Texian Lliad*; George Nelson, *The Alamo - An Illustrated History*; and Kevin Young, *To the Tyrants Never Yield*; and *Unsolved Texas Mysteries*.

Western style horse races will take place on Front Street of the popular movie set and tourist attraction. Anyone interested in participating in the races need only to roundup their favorite horse and show up at Alamo Village on Labor Day. There is no entry fee, and cash prizes will be awarded. No stud horses are allowed to compete. Races begin at 1:00 p.m. following the Texas style Barbecue lunch at noon.

Alamo Village gates will open from 9:00 a.m. till 6:00 p.m. with a full day of family fun.

Alamo Village is located seven miles north of Brackettville. For more information, call (830) 563-2580 or check out [www.alamovillage.com](http://www.alamovillage.com).

## "What Is The Purpose of The Sutton County Committee On Aging?"

The question has been raised "What is the purpose of the Sutton County Committee on Aging?" It is a valid one and we are delighted to answer.

The Committee was incorporated as a non-profit organization,

in 1974 with money donated from a Bake Sale following a meeting before the County Judge and Commissioners for approval. Our sole purpose is to benefit ALL Senior Citizens in Sutton County.

Although we meet monthly at the Senior Center, we are not part of it. We do provide for the Center as much as possible. We try to fill their needs not covered in their budget, and have for the last 25 years.

Before there was a Senior Center we had activities for Seniors first in the Methodist Church basement, then in the Home Economics room at the Elliott School. Since the Center has been open our donations to it have been constant. Through the generosity of many, and our fund raisers this has been possible. Not just monetary donations, but time, interest and items in use at the Center. We have provided: tablecloths, dinnerware, flatware glassware, kitchen utensils, camera and film, telephones, desk, pool table, furniture, TV's, VCR and stereo systems to name a few. Prior to December 1998 we furnished all coffee and tea. We have funded building repairs and painting. We bought or furnished materials for decorations plus the floats for Sutton County Days Parades. We spearheaded the kitchen renovation, making it easier for employees and participants. We have sponsored a Golf Tournament.

The lifeline is very important to us and has been in place 15 years. During that time Ray Smith has diligently maintained the system. Our original units are becoming obsolete but Ray continues to seek parts and repairs. Units now cost \$500. Several residents have generously donated monies for units, the Cauthorn Trust has helped and proceeds from our fund raisers plus Ray's attention keep this vital service intact. Ray is very special to users and to us.

Every year we have the Bar-B-Que during Sutton County Days. The monies from it are used for Seniors. Each year we sponsor the trip to the H.E.B. Camp in Junction. In December, we sponsor the annual trip to San Antonio arranging for meals, activities and lodging at a reasonable cost. We have always been responsible for the monthly birthday parties at the Center. We have an Annual Christmas Party there with great food provided by members and other volunteers with any "extras" paid for by the Committee.

In the past we have had a fund raiser at the Center for Valentine's Day with an Enchilada Dinner and Dance. The Old Tyme Band is so gracious to give of their time and talent and they are so appreciated and enjoyed by all.

The Committee meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 5:30 p.m. at the Senior Center. We invite you to join us as we welcome all information concerning Sutton County Senior Citizens.

Committee members are: Marie Aldwell, Jim Brisbin, Gaile Cade, Vivian Crites, Hershel and Jeanne Davenport, Paul DePugh, Alda Duran, Mary Lou Gilly, Luan King, Johnny and Pauline Ringold, Brigitte Rogers, Pete Samaniego, Carmen Sanchez and Beverly Valliant.

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### Internet Health Sites for Parents

Parenting Site	URL
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Description This e-commerce site has all the paraphernalia which parents need for their infants, and also contains articles, tools, and advice for new parents.	
Bright Futures	<a href="http://www.brightfutures.org">http://www.brightfutures.org</a>
Description Sponsored by the Dept. of Health & Human Services, this site contains good information about child safety, recommended health exams, and child development norms.	
Parent Soup	<a href="http://www.parentsoup.com">http://www.parentsoup.com</a>
Description Parent Soup is strong on community and chats, and contains some fun interactive applications such as the "Baby Namer" and pregnancy planner.	
Pedinfo	<a href="http://www.pedinfo.org">http://www.pedinfo.org</a>
Description This large index site contains hundreds of links to online resources recommended by pediatricians.	

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Proud parents: Crystal Nicole Gonzales & Waynedell Roy Carr  
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Maternal Grandparents Alfredo and Viola Gonzales of Pensacola, Florida.  
Maternal great-grandparents Pedro and Alicia Virgen, Alejandro Gonzales and Rosa Elena Sanchez, all of Sonora, Texas.  
Paternal Grandparents are  
Rosemary Hall Epherson and Willie Earl Epherson both of Marrero, Louisiana. Maternal great-great grandmother is Francisca Guajardo also of Sonora. Paternal great-grandmothers are Isabella Hall of Marrero, Louisiana, Opheia London of Compax County, Mississippi, and Willie Mae Epherson of New Orleans, Louisiana

Lydia and Larry Agüero would like to announce the arrival of their second grandson Issek Lee Hernandez. The proud parents are Cathy Agüero Hernandez and Ek Hernandez. Issek Lee was born on August 20, 1999 at 8:25 p.m. at Shannon Womens & Childrens. Issek weighed 6 lbs. 5 1/2 ozs. He is welcomed by his Paternal Grandparents Ooy & Fred Hernandez. He is also welcomed by a lot of aunts, uncles and cousins, who love him and are very proud of him.

SEPTEMBER EARLY BIRD

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- Mushroom Burger - a choice, juicy burger with grilled mushroom atop Swiss cheese on a hamburger roll served with chips or fries...\$4.29

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## SPECIALS

## F.Y.I.

Broncos VS Regan County  
Sept. 3, 1999  
J.V - There - 5:30 p.m.  
Sept. 2, 1999  
Varsity - Here - 8:00 p.m.

The Class of 1989 is looking for addresses to contact classmates for their 10 year reunion. Please call Kay Friess at 387-2997 (evenings) with information.

Sonora Cross Country will host a BBQ Brisket Dinner in the High School Cafeteria on Friday, Sept 3, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Plates will sell for \$6.00 Delicious Sliced Brisket, potato salad, beans, bread, dessert and Tea! Proceeds going to Girls and Boys Cross Country Teams. Come enjoy!

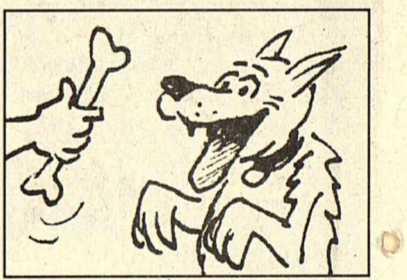
The Lillian Hudspeth Nursing Home & Hospital Auxiliary meets every 2nd Monday of the month at the Sutton County Steakhouse. Meetings are at noon. Everyone is welcome!

Band Booster Meeting to be held Tuesday, Sept. 14, at Sutton County Bank & Trust at 7:00 p.m. Everyone who has a child in band is strongly encouraged to come and see what is being done to help build the band program. Your support & enthusiasm is greatly appreciated.

Season Football Tickets will be on sale until Sept. 3rd at 4:00 p.m. at SISD Administration Building. Support the Broncos!

September 15, 1999, 7:00 a.m. at the High School Flag Pole - Student led time of Prayer, singing and devotionals. The students pray for our schools, the faculty and each other. Breakfast at the First Baptist Church beginning at 6:15 until 6:50 a.m. Transportation will be provided from the church to the high school.

If you were a student enrolled in special education, Sonora ISD, before 1994, your records will be destroyed after October 1, 1999. You or your parents can request a copy of these records which could be necessary when applying for social security benefits, college, or rehabilitation services. For more information call the special education department at (915) 397-5944



The popular name for dogs, Fido, comes from the Latin word *fidus* for faithful.

## Farm Service Agency News

Producers are reminded that September 30, 1999 is the last day to request a 1998 or 1999 Mohair Recourse Loan. This loan will have to be repaid when it matures, which is nine months from the month that the loan is requested. Jan Wanoreck, CED stated that we have to get all the needed paperwork done before we can make the payment. Producers need to bring in their warehouse listings so that we can get the warehouse to verify the amount of hair.


The CED also reminds producers that to be eligible for an LDP (POP payment), you must come to the office to sign a CCC-709 before you lose beneficial interest (sale the grain). If you are going to store the grain on the farm, you will need to sign a CCC-666 on the day that you want to request the LDP. Once you have lost beneficial interest in the grain, you are no longer eligible for payment.

Beginning September 14, 1999, the Sutton County FSA Office will be open only Tuesday and Thursday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The Schleicher County Office will be available for any questions on the day that the Sutton office is closed. The phone number for Schleicher County is 853-3535, ext. 2. FSA administrators all programs without regard to race, color religion, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

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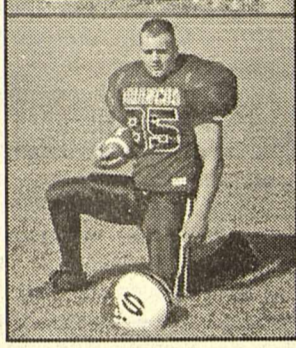
<b>September 1999</b>	<b>November 1999</b>
10 Champagne Cruise/Taste of Port A	27 Shallow Water Roundup & Seafood Bash
18 Adopt-A-Beach Cleanup	
<b>October 1999</b>	<b>December 1999</b>
9 Duathlon, CC Roadrunners	11 Carolers-a-Float Boat Lighting Parade
16 Sand & Surf Beach Run	26-31 NEW YEAR'S MILLENNIUM CELEBRATION
22-24 Harvest Moon Regatta	31 Kiwanis New Year's Eve Dance
24 Run with the Wind -10 mi./20 mi.	
30-31 Fallback Festival	

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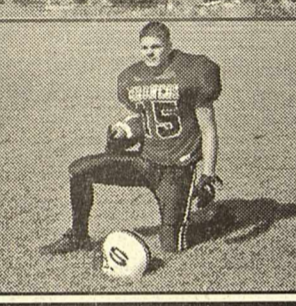


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**Homicide Suspect Arrested South of Sonora**

*San Angelo Standard Times*  
A Forth Worth homicide suspect was arrested Friday afternoon in Sutton County after authorities were alerted he was in the area.  
Arthur Uewayne Polk, 55, was apprehended about 5:16 p.m. after crossing the highway in front of a San Angelo Border Patrol unit, according to a report filed by the Department of Public Safety in Ozona.  
The Sutton County Sheriff's Office received a phone call Thursday from homicide detectives of the Forth Worth Police Department, the report said.  
The detectives received a telephone call regarding Polk's whereabouts and traced the call to a convenience store in the Sonora area. Polk left the area before local authorities were notified.  
A rancher in southwest Sutton County reported an abandoned van on his property Friday, according to the report. The van contained a suicide note and Polk's driver's license.  
The Border Patrol located Polk 1.2 miles from his van and he was arrested without incident, the report said.  
Texas Rangers, Department of Public Safety Troopers and officers from the Sheriff's Office and Sonora Police Department also were on the scene.  
Polk was transported to Hudspeth Memorial Hospital where he was treated for cuts on his wrists and then booked into the Sutton County Jail, authorities said. He was released to Fort Worth homicide detectives a short time later.  
Polk allegedly killed one person and injured several others.

**Ram Test**

*Continued From Page 1*  
rams will be fed in large groups, but will be displayed in small lots on Field Day.  
The rams will be self-fed a commercially prepared and pelleted ration.  
At the time of delivery, breeders should have each ram identified (ear tag and/or tattoo) and provide as much information as possible on their animal(s); such as their date of birth, sire, type of birth and the age of the dam. **IF THIS INFORMATION IS NOT SUPPLIED BEFORE THE INITIAL WEIGH DAY, RAMS WILL BE CONSIDERED COMMERCIAL RAMS THROUGHOUT THE TEST.** ROM Index will be used to determine which rams are eligible to be Certified. The test will be conducted on a self-sustaining basis.  
Additional information or to obtain an entry form, please contact Mr. Don Spiller, Texas Agric. Expt. Station, Box 918, Sonora, TX 76950 or Drs. Dan Waldron, Chris Lupton or Frank Craddock in San Angelo 915-653-4576 or FAX 915-658-4364.

**Bronco JV Wins Season Opener**

*Submitted by Tryon Fields*  
The 1999 Bronco Junior Varsity opened the '99 football season with an impressive victory over the young Wolves from Colorado City. The young Broncos were able to put 28 unanswered points on the board to take a 28 to 0 victory. The Broncos controlled every facet of the game. The Bronco defense led by Stetson Hall, Chance Armke, and Beau Hughes limited the Wolves to 79 total yards. With 70 of these yards coming thru the air and only 9 yards being gained on the ground. The Bronco offense was led by Sean Fields who amassed 158 total yards with 120 of these yards coming on the ground. The Bronco offense had a total of 318 yards, with 10 different running backs carrying the ball.  
The C-City J.V. received the opening kick-off, and the Sonora J.V. defense went to work limiting the Wolves to 18 yards on their first drive. The Broncos took over on the C-City 44 yard line. It only took the Broncos 2 minutes to tally their first score. Fields and quarterback, Emanuel Lopez handled most of the load. The 44 yard scoring drive was culminated on a 5 yard pass from Lopez to Ryan Hardgrave for the Broncos first score of the game. Stetson Hall came on to attempt the PAT. And just as he did last year, he split the uprights to give the young Broncos a 7 point lead. On the next Wolf possession, Bronco linebacker Thomas Bloodworth, intercepted the Wolf pass and showing his speed, galloped down the far sideline for a 14 point lead with 5 minutes left in the second quarter. On the ensuing kick-off, the Wolves used some trickery to break their deep man loose. At the Bronco 19 yard line, Bronco defenseman, Juan Rodriguez ran the speedy Wolf down saving the apparent touchdown. The Bronco defense led by Bloodworth and Hall forced the Wolves to turn the ball over at the Bronco 5 yard line. With two minutes and fifty seconds left in the second quarter and 95 yards from the promised land, the Broncos began to march the pigskin down the field. Behind excellent blocking up front, Fields from his fullback position and Rodriguez from the tailback spot began to chew up large chunks of real estate. With 7 seconds left on the halftime clock, Lopez was able to find Stetson Hall over the middle for the Broncos third score of the half. Hall gained his tenth point of the game, as he split the uprights for the third time in the game. At the half the Broncos held a commanding 21 point lead. Colorado City 0 - Sonora 21.  
The Broncos opened the second half by receiving the kick-off. For the first time of the young season, the Broncos were forced to punt the football. The Bronco defense picked up where they left off in the first half and limited the Wolves to minimum yardage. The Bronco offense went back on the attack at their own 35 yard line. Short runs by Fields and Rodriguez moved the ball to the Wolf 47. On a 2nd and 2, Sean Fields' number was called. Excellent blocking up front and two super down field blocks by Ryan Hardgrave and Jacob Percifull sprang Fields for a 47 yard touchdown run. Hall once again split the uprights to give the Broncos an unsurmountable 28 point lead, Wolves 0 - Broncos 28. As in the first half, the Wolves deep receivers broke the ensuing kick-off and returned it to the 15 yard line. At that point, Bronco defenseman, Ervay Torres, caught the Wolf speedster from behind and stripped the ball from his grasp, where the hustling Broncos were able to recover the loose ball and thwart the Wolves once again. On this possession, the Broncos were unable to get anything going and once again had to punt the football. On the Wolves next possession, being down by 28 points and time running out, they resorted to the passing game. The Bronco defense led by Eloy and Ervay Torres and an interception by Caleb Gully thwarted any hope that the young Wolves might have had. The Bronco reserves led by Landon Brockman, Luis Segura, Douglas Yokum, Tom Homra, and Heath Prather finished off the Colorado City Wolves on offense as well as on defense to preserve the victory and season opening shutout. Colorado City J.V. 0 - Sonora J.V. 28.  
The Bronco junior varsity will travel to Big Lake this Thursday to take on their counterparts from Reagan County.

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE**

The Sonora Independent School District will hold a public meeting at 6:30 - Sept. 13, 1999 in the Board Room of the Admin. Bldg. 807 S. Concho, Sonora, Texas. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the school district's budget that will determine the tax rate that will be adopted. Public participation in the discussion is invited.  
The tax rate that is ultimately adopted at this meeting or at a separate meeting at a later date may not exceed the proposed rate shown below unless the district publishes a revised notice containing the same information and comparisons set out below and holds another public meeting to discuss the revised notice.

	Maintenance & Operations	Interest & Sinking Fund*	Total	Local Revenue Per Student	State Revenue Per Student
Last Year's Rate	\$1.380	\$0.000	\$1.380	\$6,047	\$326
Less State-Funded	\$0.309	\$0.000	\$0.309	N/A	N/A
Tax Relief					
Last Year's Rate Adjusted for Tax Relief	\$1.689	\$0.000	\$1.689	N/A	N/A
Rate to Maintain Same Level of Maintenance & Operations Revenue & Pay Debt Service**	\$1.480	\$0.000	\$1.480	\$5,456	\$1,200
Proposed Rate	\$1.440	\$0.000	\$1.440	\$5,426	\$1,192

\* The Interest and Sinking Fund tax revenue is used to pay for bonded indebtedness on construction, equipment, or both. The bonds, and the tax rate necessary to pay those bonds, were approved by the voters of this district.  
\*\* The Rate to Maintain the Same Level of Maintenance & Operations Revenue & Pay Debt Service does not reflect revenue available to the district in the 1999-2000 school year for the pay raise for classroom teachers, full-time librarians, full-time counselors, and full-time school nurses enacted by the 76th Legislature. The estimated cost of the pay raise for the 1999-2000 school year is \$264,000.

	Last Year	This Year
Average Market Value of Residences	\$38,700	\$41,060
Average Taxable Value of Residences	\$17,860	\$19,630
Last Year's Rate Versus Proposed rate per \$100 Value	\$1.38	\$1.44
Taxes Due on Average Residence	\$246.47	\$282.67
Increase (Decrease) in Taxes	\$36.20	

Under State Law, the dollar amount of school taxes taxes imposed on the residence homestead of a person 65 years of age or older or of the surviving spouse of such a person, if the surviving spouse was 55 years of age or older when the person died, may not be increased above the amount paid in the first year after the person turned 65, regardless of changes in tax rate or property value.

Notice of Rollback Rate: The highest tax rate the district can adopt before requiring voter approval at an election is 1.68. This election will be automatically held if the district adopts a rate in excess of the rollback rate of 1.71

Maintenance & Operations Fund Balance(s)	\$1,698,115
Interest & Sinking Fund Balance(s)	\$0

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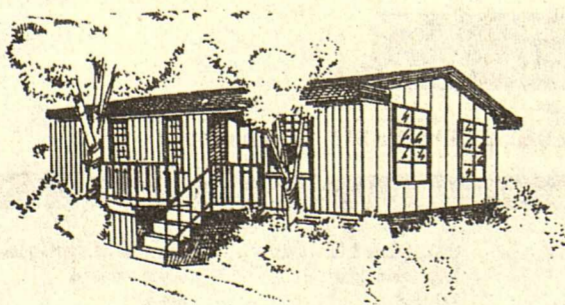
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Submitted by Tryon Fields

This past Friday night, the Sonora Broncos used a punishing ground attack and an inspired defense to defeat the Colorado City Wolves in the season opener for both teams. This was the first time in six years that the Broncos have come out on the top against their old 3A nemesis. The Broncos used ten different running backs to gain 345 yards on the ground, along with four different receivers to gain an additional 81 yards thru the air to give the Broncos a total of 426 yards of offense. Tom Jacoby led all backs with 158 rushing yards. The Bronco defense limited the Wolves to 89 rushing yards and 130 passing yards. The Broncos dominated the Wolves from the start to finish in their 42 to 7 victory.

The C-City Wolves won the coin toss and elected to go on offense first. The Bronco defense rose to the occasion and forced the Wolves to punt after the first minute of play. The Broncos behind the running of Tom Jacoby moved the ball down the field covering 64 yards and using four and a half minutes of the game clock to get their first score of the game. With four and a half minutes left in the first quarter, Jacoby rambled into the end zone from 4 yards out to put the

Broncos up by six points. Javier Gaytan added the extra point to give the Bronco's a 7 point advantage. On Colorado City's next possession, the Wolves went to the air without any success. Facing a 4th and 5 at their own 25 yard line, the Wolves elected to punt. A high snap by the Wolf's center sailed over the head of the Wolves' punter and a heads up play by Bronco rushman Mikey Solis, gave the Broncos the ball on C-City six yard line. It only took the Broncos 3 plays and one minute and twenty-four seconds to gain their second tally of the ball game. Once again, Jacoby was given the honors on a 1 yard plunge. Gaytan added the PAT to put the Broncos up by 14 points.

The first quarter ended with the Wolves in possession of the pigskin and using the running game to move the ball down the field. On a 3rd and 12 at the Bronco 45 yard line, Chase Pharris (C-City quarterback) was forced to fumble the ball after unrelentless pressure by the Bronco defense. The fumble was recovered by a hustling Chris Green at the C-City 47 yard line. The relentless ground attack of the Broncos took nearly 6 minutes off the clock on this possession. Tom Jacoby, Graham Bloodworth, and Bill Renfro

pounded the ball down the throats of the Wolves. However, at the C-City 6 yard line, the drive stalled. Javier Gaytan the Bronco place kicker was called upon to attempt the field goal. Gaytan split the goal posts to give the Broncos a 17 to 0 lead. The Bronco defense led by Andy Sanchez and Jacob West stymied the Colorado City offense on their next possession. With two minutes left in the half and the nose of the football resting on the Bronco own 13 yard line, the Bronco offense gave lessons in the use of the game clock. Behind the field leadership of Bryce Williams, the Broncos used the running game as well as the passing game to move the ball to the Colorado City 14 yard line. On a 2nd and 12 at the C-City 14, and time running out, Williams was able to ground a pass to give the Broncos a chance at a field goal. With no time showing on the half time clock, Javier Gaytan increased the Broncos' lead by three points as he split the uprights once again. At the intermission, the Broncos held a commanding 20 point lead. Broncos 20 - Wolves 0.

The second half began where the first half ended with the Broncos in possession of the football. It only took the Red Hosses one minute to tally their third touchdown of the evening. Tom Jacoby started it off as he sprinted for 33 yards to the C-City 36 yard line. Bill Renfro finished it off as he got outside the Wolves' defense and out-raced the secondary for the 36 yard touchdown. Gaytan added the PAT to give the Broncos a 27 point advantage. Broncos 27 - Wolves 0. The Bronco defense not fearing the run with a 27 point lead began to pin their ears back and began to put a tremendous rush on the C-City quarterback. The front four led by Andy Sanchez and the linebacking core led by Jared Percifull were constantly in the face of Pharris, the C-City quarterback. When Pharris was able to get the pass off, the Bronco secondary led by Graham Bloodworth was there to bat the ball down. The Broncos' second possession of the second half began just like the first with Renfro ripping off a 35 yard run, however, a fumbled snap stalled the drive and the C-City Wolves took position at their own 47 yard line. The Bronco defense gaining confidence with each snap; once again stopped the Wolves after minimum yardage. On the Broncos' next possession, diversity was the name of the game, as Jacoby,

Bloodworth, and Crispin Lira each carried the mail to move the ball to the C-City 22 yard line. At the 22, Williams lofted one up for James Elliott, who out-reached the defender and raced into the end zone for his first touchdown as a varsity football player. Gaytan added his ninth point of the evening to give the Broncos a 34 to 0 lead over the Wolves. The Wolves were finally able to combine the running and passing game to move the football down the field on their next possession. Passes by Pharris to Greg Green and Andrew Spears, as well as runs by Tony Leanos moved the pigskin to the Bronco 19 yard line. At this point the Bronco defense stiffened and forced the Wolves to turn the ball over on downs. Both teams exchanged punts on their next two possessions. The third quarter ended with the Broncos holding an insurmountable 34 to 0 lead. Colorado City was finally able to get on the scoreboard on their first possession of the fourth quarter. A 57 yard pass play from Pharris to Michael Atkins set up the touchdown run by Chase Pharris. Lee Ybarra added the PAT to five the Wolves their only points of the game. Broncos 34 - Wolves 7. Neither team was able to get anything going on their next possessions. With five minutes and forty seconds left in the fourth quarter, the Broncos led by Wes Baumgardner, Jacob West, Pete Rameriz and Jesus Torres moved the ball down the field for the Broncos final score of the evening. The 53 yard drive ended with Jacob West scrambling six yards for the touchdown. On the PAT, a bad snap transformed Gaytan into a quarterback; as he found Tom Jacoby in the corner of the end zone for the two point conversion making the score: Broncos 42 - Wolves 7. With only a minute and twenty-three seconds left in the game, the Wolves once again went to the air trying to achieve the promised land. However, Bronco defensive back Cameron Sims had other intentions, as he intercepted the Wolves' quarterback (Andrew Spear) pass to seal the victory for the Broncos. Broncos 42 - Wolves 7.

The Broncos will entertain the Reagan County Owls this Friday at 8:00 p.m. at Bronco Stadium. This should prove to be a very good 2A match up. This will be the home opener for the Broncos and I would like to encourage everyone to come out and support the Broncos.

**WILL QUITTING SMOKING REALLY MAKE A DIFFERENCE?**

By Dale Metz

Can quitting smoking after a number of years make a difference in your health and reduce your chance of tobacco related illnesses? DEFINATELY! There are a number of short term and long term benefits from stopping smoking. Smoking increases blood pressure, pulse rate, and lowers the body temperature of the hands and feet. Within 20 minutes after smoking your last cigarette, these things return to normal. Eight hours after smoking your last cigarette, the carbon monoxide level in your blood drops to normal and the oxygen level returns to normal. Your chance of heart attack decreases after not smoking for 24 hours; your risk of coronary heart disease is halved after one year of quitting, and that risk returns to that of non smokers after 15 years. After 48 hours of not smoking, nerve endings start growing back and your ability to smell and taste is enhanced. Still not convinced, how about these statistics: After two weeks to three months, your circulation improves, waking becomes easier, and your lung function increases up to 30%. In one to nine months, coughing, sinus congestion, fatigue, and shortness of breath decrease. Cilia begins to re-grow in the lungs and your body's overall energy level increases. Five years after quitting the lung cancer death rate for a former one pack a day smoker decreases by almost half.

The risk of stroke is reduced to that of a non-smoker 5 to 15 years after quitting. Need more, how about these: After 10 years of quitting the lung cancer death rate is similar to that of a non-smoker. Precancerous cells are replaced, and the risk of cancer of the mouth, throat, bladder, kidneys, and pancreas decrease. 15 years after quitting, the risk of coronary heart disease is that of a non-smoker.

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**Childhood Cases of Type Two Diabetes On The Rise**

Houston, TX-- Type two diabetes, often called adult-onset diabetes, is putting increasing numbers of children at risk.

Until recent years, the disease seldom occurred in children. In 1993, the Texas Children's Hospital Diabetes Care Center in Houston treated approximately 900 patients with diabetes, 18 of which were type two. This year the center will see some 1,000 patients, but the type two census has increased to 84, almost five times that of six years ago.

Unhealthy diets and lack of exercise are the main contributing factors to the increase, according to Barbara Schreiner, associate director of the center.

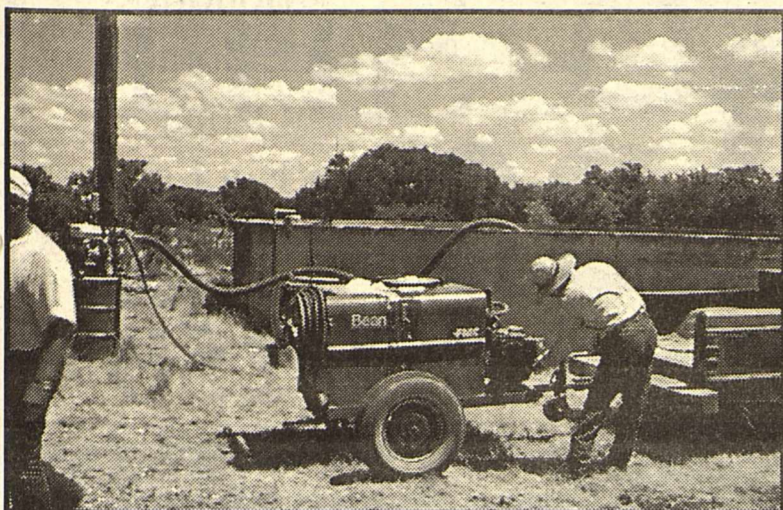
"Obesity is driving type two diabetes in children, just like in adults," she said. "Kids are sedentary and eat too many fast foods. Also, many schools don't have physical education programs, or they have cut activity time."

While people with type one diabetes do not make enough insulin, those with type two make too much, and their bodies cannot use it properly.

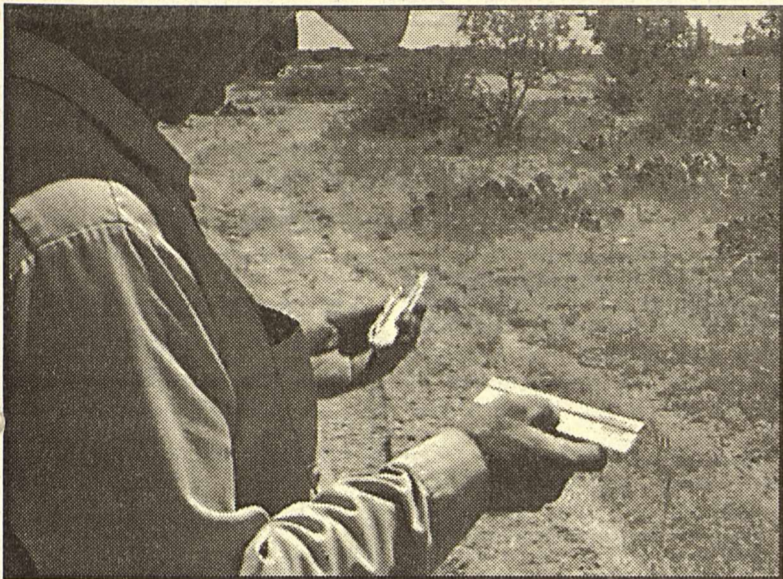
Most of the children the center sees are between 10 and 16 years old, although some are as young as 8. In both children and adults, type two diabetes is more common in ethnic groups, including African-Americans, Hispanics and Native American.

If the disease -- which is screened with a finger stick or urine test -- is detected in its early stages, it often can be managed with diet and exercise, Schreiner said. But if this approach does not work, medication may be necessary.

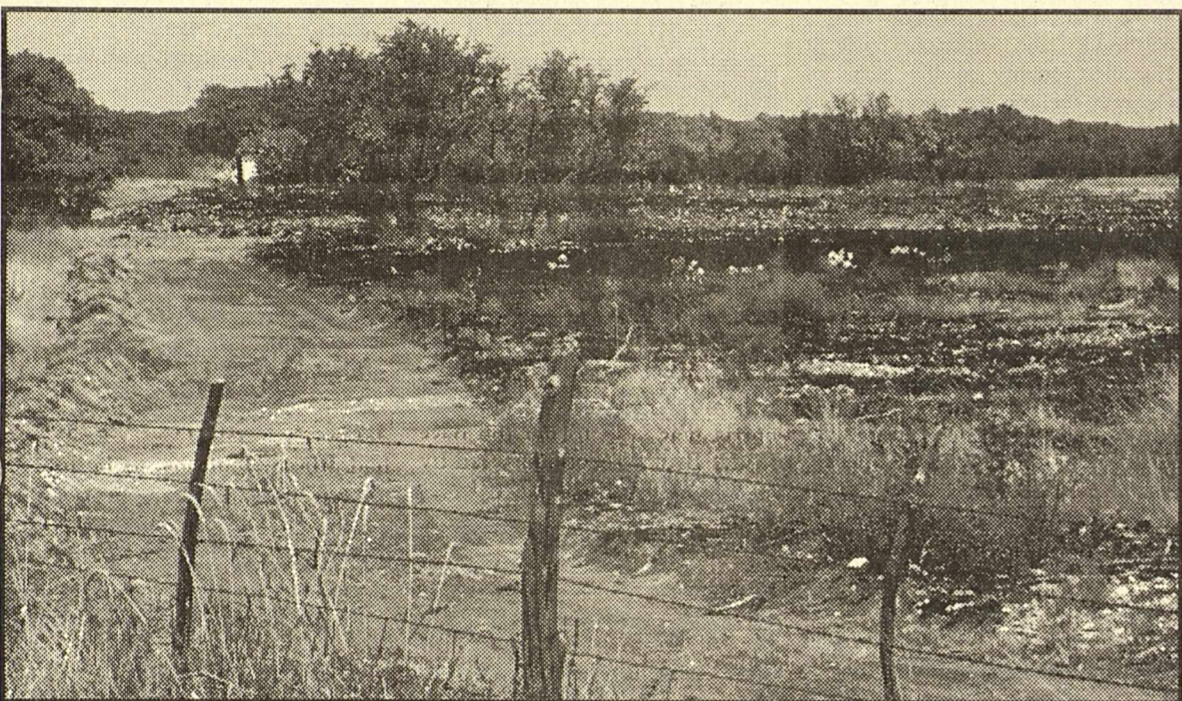
Early diagnosis is especially important because of complications, heart attacks, strokes, blindness and amputations -- caused by long-term damage to blood vessels.



EPPBA member filling one of many spray rigs used on burns with water. Water trucks are strategically placed to keep the fire under control.



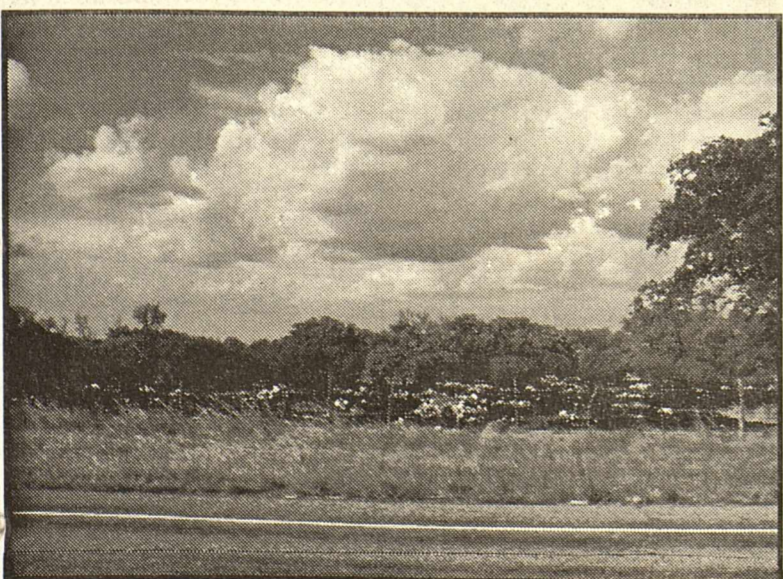
Curry Campbell checking humidity and temperature before a recent burn to assess optimal conditions.



Establishing a good "black line", also known as a backfire, of about 100 yds is an added safety measure that helps prevent the fire from spreading across the bladed fire break.



The fire boss, using a drip torch, lights the head fire. ATV's provide speedy mobility.



A successful burn will provide excellent management of pricklypear and noxious brush species. After a short time and hopefully good rains this pasture will look better than ever.

## AGRIBUSINESS

### The Edwards Plateau Prescribed Burn Association Beats Back Brush

by Erika Straka

The EPPBA, a co-operative association made up of land owners and scientists, is making headway in their battle against noxious brush. The EPPBA was founded in 1997 by Dr. Charles (Butch) Taylor Jr., superintendent of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Sonora.

It was formed in response to the need to have an effective weapon against the brush that is taking over the Edwards Plateau. The most notorious invaders, cedar, and mesquite, are threatening our water supplies across the region. Most control methods are too costly. So researchers turned to nature for the answer. By safely harnessing the power of fire, scientists and ranchers have begun to return the land to a more productive level.

The goal of the EPPBA is for ranchers to become more knowledgeable about fire as a tool for brush management. With proper planning, equipment and personnel, members can have an economical means of controlling brush. The burning cooperative allows members to pool their resources, both in terms of labor and equipment. Current members include ranchers, TAES personnel, TP&W personnel, SWCD personnel, and Extension personnel.

The EPPBA stresses planning and education years in

advance. A successful burn requires an adequate fuel load and this doesn't grow overnight. Deferment plans and stocking rate decisions must be made several growing seasons ahead of the scheduled time of the burn. A resource which has provided great assistance in terms of planning is a grazing manager program introduced by TAMU. The more planning that goes into a burn, and the greater the fuel load, the greater results from a burn.

Results from a successful burn are numerous. Fire provides a kill on many species of undesirable brush such as blueberry cedar, and invader plants such as pricklypear. It also provides an effective topkill for redberry cedar and mesquite. Nutrients are returned to the soil which were unavailable because they were tied up in plant material that was structurally unpalatable or above the browse line. This environment, along with light and water resources creates a situation allowing for a rejuvenation of grasses, forbes, and more palatable and/or accessible browse.

On the day of the burn the EPPBA focuses on safety first and foremost. In order to ensure maximum safety on a fire the following things are stressed:

- 1) **Command** - There is a direct chain of command on every fire, starting with the fire boss.
- 2) **Planning** - All fires are planned based upon the site, resources, fuel load, and meteorological conditions. Wind direction, wind speed, humidity, and temperature are all taken into account when planning the pattern of the burn and the location of black lines and water trucks.
- 3) **Communication** - The strategy for the burn is always diagrammed and explained by the fire boss at a meeting before every burn. This strategy includes meteorological conditions, location of the head fire and back fires, direction of the fire, location of all personnel and role of all personnel, and location of water trucks. That way all personnel working on the fire are aware of their role and all members are working together as a team. Many individuals also carry walkie talkies to maintain communication during the burn when visibility is poor and personnel are spaced out.
- 4) **Preparation** - Members are required to attend training schools in order to learn about fire and burning before they even carry a drip torch. There are many steps to take when planning a burn, including deferment of grazing, building of fuel loads, grading, and backburning. Members are also required to attend a specific number of burns to learn while getting first hand experience.
- 5) **Adequate safety equipment** - Clothing (long sleeved pants, long sleeved cotton shirts, boots with heavy soles), water (temperatures reach up to 130 F in front of the fires, and the days are long), sunscreen, and walkie talkies are standard equipment used on a burn. By following these requirements, Association members promote burning safety as well as range improvement through brush control. Remember, a successful burn is a safe burn.

For more information please contact-EPPBA President, Curry Campbell or Butch Taylor, 387-3168.

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**Public Notice of Adoption to Biological Father**  
TO: ANY UNKNOWN PUTATIVE FATHER, all unknown, unnamed, legal, putative and/or biological fathers of a female child born September 17, 1993, whose names and whereabouts are unknown.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that on the 9th day of July, 1999, Mark David Brinson filed a petition in the Superior Court of Gwinnett county in the State of Georgia seeking the adoption of a female child born in Snellville, Georgia on September 17, 1993, to Christie Marie Krenk and seeking to terminate your parental rights in and to said female child. The biological mother of the aforementioned child has consented to the adoption of the child by Petitioner.

YOU ARE HEREBY ADVISED that a hearing will be held on the 28th of October, 1999 at 3:00 p.m. in the Chambers of Judge Jackson of Gwinnett County Superior Court to determine why the prayers of the Petitioner should not be granted.

All parental rights you may have with respect to said child will be lost and you will neither receive notice or nor be entitled to object to the adoption of said child unless, within thirty (30) days of receipt of this Notice, you: 1) file a petition to legitimate the child pursuant to O.C.G.A. 19-7-22 and 2) give notice of the filing of the petition to legitimate to the Clerk of Superior Court of Gwinnett County and to Joseph P. Farrell, Attorney at Law, 5591 Chabree Dunwoody Road, Building 1360, Suite 200, Atlanta, Georgia 30338, and make known other such objections as you may have to the adoption of such child. 3(8-19-99)b

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