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& Chili Cook-Off

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The West Texas Championship Bar-B-Que and Chili Cook-Off will be held on April 9, 1994 at Will Carver Park (Sonora City Park) adjacent to the Sonora Golf Course. The cook-off categories will include chicken, brisket, chili, and goat. Entries for the cookoff are available at the Chamber office. Also included in the days activities will be a pie baking contest and horseshoe and washer pitching. For more information contact Kathy Davis at 387-2880. Come join the fun!

ACS Golf Day

On April 9, the Sutton Unit of the American Cancer Society and the Sonora Golf Club invite you to join them for FUN, GOLF, FOOD, and PRIZES!!

Texas Trash-Off

The ninth annual "Great Texas Trash-Off" is scheduled for Saturday, April 9, and will involve more than 95,000 volunteers throughout the state. For more information contact Walter G. McCullough at the Texas Department of Transportation, 4502 Knickerbocker Road, San Angelo, TX, 915-944-1501.

Chamber Bar-B-Que Game Night

Hudspeth Hospital & Nursing Home Auxiliary is sponsoring a game night at the 1st National Annex Building on April 8, 1994. 6:30 p.m. - Buffet, 7:30 p.m. -Games begin (Bunko, 42, Bridge) For more information, contact Lura Sawyer at 387-2417, Ruth Shurley at 387-3282, or Brigitte Rogers at 387-5596. Your \$5 donation will benefit the Nursing Scholarship given by the Hospital and Nursing Home Auxiliary.

Garland Gregg

Gregg, Garland representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his April visit to Sonora. He will be at the County Courthouse on Tuesday, April 26th, 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.

Town Meeting

A Town Meeting is being called by the Library Fact-Finding Committee. The meeting will be held on April 7, at 7:00 p.m. in the Sonora Junior High Snack Bar. Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend. **Early Voting**

Mission Endowment Fund Awards Grants



Jimmy Crowder, member of the Mission Endowment Fund Committee, presents a check to Susan Crowder, member of the Sutton County Child Protective Board, who is accepting the check on behalf of the Child Protective Board.

by Monte Jones

In March, 1994, St. John's Episcopal Church, Sonora, Texas, through its Mission Endowment Fund, awarded grants to various organizations throughout The Episcopal Diocese of West

latch key children in Sonora), the Concho Valley Home for Girls and The West Texas Boys Ranch. Some of the other recipients included Heifer Project International, The Presiding Bishop's Fund for the Relief of Hunger, Mi Refugio School in Guatemala, Nuestras Pequenas Rosas Orphanage in Honduras and numerous programs run by churches for feeding the hungry. St. John's Mission David Kemp, 1992 graduate of Sonora High School, was selected for Junior Yell Leader at Texas A&M University. He was chosen from a selection of 5 other

Endowment Fund was established and funded by Joseph & Mabel Vanderstucken with the express goal of feeding hungry children. The fund accepts grant requests in December and tries to make the awards in January, although the process was somewhat delayed this year. Anyone who operates a program with an emphasis on feeding the hungry is invited to apply in December of this

year. Also, anyone wishing to contribute to the fund may rest assured that all monies received go into the corpus of the fund and only income from invested money is awarded, assuring that the fund will continue to meet its goals for the foreseeable future. Any contributions or requests may be sent to: St. John's Mission Endowment Fund, P.O. Box 1103, Sonora, Texas, 76950-1103.

Democratic Run-Off On April 12, all precincts will be voting at the Fire Hall from 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Delta Kappa Gamma The Delta Kappa Gamma Society of Sonora is offering a scholarship to any female interested in purchasing a career as a teacher in the field of education. Applications may be obtained at the school administration office and need to be returned by May 13, 1993.

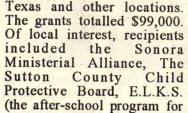
Fiestas/Patrias Committee

The Fiestas Patrias Committee are planning for Celebration to be held on Mighty Ducks II Star May 7, 1994 at Liberty Park. up a game, food, or craft booth, please contact them at 387-2111. Deadline for booths is April 20th.

Early voting in the Run-offs for both Democratic & Republican primaries has begun in the County Clerk's office. You can vote between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Voting will continue until April 8.

High School Rodeo

Come out and join us for a good time at the Sonora High School Rodeo! The rodeo is to be held on April 9 & 10. On April 9th, the rodeo will be held at 5:00 p.m. On April 10th, church services will be held at 8:00 a.m., cutting at 9:00 a.m. and the rodeo will, be at 11:00 a.m. There will also be a dance at Bank Shot Billiards Saturday night from the Cinco de Mayo 8 p.m. - 12 a.m. at \$2/ person. Ty McClary, star of Mighty Anyone interested in setting Ducks II, will be here on Friday, April 9 and Saturday, April 10 with autographed pictures to sign for all local children.





Mayor Lemuel Lopez is presenting the Mayor's Award of Excellence to James Barton in recognition of his many contributions to the cashmere goat industry. James has won the "World Champion Goat Shearer" for the last two years. Congratulations Mr. Barton!!

Town Meeting The Sutton County Library Fact-Finding Committee is holding a meeting on April 7,

at 7:00 p.m. in the Sonora Junior High Snack Bar to discuss the new library. Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend.

Accident Kills Two From Fort Worth Outside Sonora

by Andy Smith (reporter for San Angelo Standard Times)

students. David is the son of Sharon Kemp of Sonora.

Two members of a Fort Worth family were killed and five others were injured when a pickup rolled over on U.S. Highway 277 south of Sonora Monday afternoon. Maria Isidra Maldonado,

74, was pronounced dead at the scene by Sutton County Justice of the Peace Adelita Smalling.

Maldonado, the matriarch of the family, was from Acuna. The remaining passengers, all from Fort Worth, were the wife, children and grandchild

of her son, Rolando Maldonado, 45, who was driving when the accident occurred, a spokesman for the Department of Public Safety said.

The driver's 20-year-old Jesus Rolando son. Maldonado, also died. He was pronounced dead at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital in Sonora.

Rolando Maldonado was in serious condition with broken bones and internal injuries at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital, the DPS reported. His wife, Rosalba Maldonado, 44, was transported to Shannon

Medical Center in San Angelo with head and internal injuries. She was listed in critical condition Monday evening, the DPS reported.

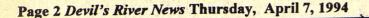
Their 10-year-old son, Mauro Maldonado, also was listed in critical condition at Shannon with head and internal injuries. His 18-year-old sister, Maria Isidra Maldonado, who was named for her grandmother, was listed in serious condition at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital with head injuries. Maria's 2-year-old daughter, Maria Gomez, was in

good condition with minor injuries at Hudspeth.

Rolando Maldonado was driving a 1984 half-ton Ford pickup north on Highway 277 when he lost control and struck a guardrail, causing the truck to overturn twice about 11.1 miles south of Sonora.

All of the occupants with the exception of Jesus Rolando Maldonado were ejected when the accident occurred at about 1:15 p.m., the DPS reported.

Frooper Donald Van Zandt of the THP office in Ozona, investigated.





On the third day of April 1994, Neria Pina went to be with the Lord Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

The service was held at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Eldorado on Tuesday, April 5th at 2:00 p.m. Father Jerry McCarthy officiated. Burial followed in Eldorado Cemetery under the direction of Kerbow Funeral Home.

Neria is survived by a loving family: her husband, Felipe, one daughter, Adrienne, three sons, Lorenzo, Anthony and Cole, one precious granddaughter, Brianna, and her mother, Rebecca Graham, all of Eldorado; her father, Manuel Garcia of Sonora; one sister, Irene Tinney of Odessa; and one brother, Wesley Garcia of San Angelo. She was preceded in death by her younger sister, Mary Russell. Neria leaves numerous nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and many, many friends.

Neria had lived in Eldorado all of her life. She was a dedicated wife and mother, and an asset to the community. She was an active volunteer for many organizations including Girl Scouts, Band-Aiders, Meals on Wheels and the VIP program in the Schleicher County School District for seven years (servingfor four years as coordinator). She planted flowers with the Committee, was Pride getting instrumental in redistricting for single-member districts for the school board, and had taught in adult education classes. She was very active in her church, teaching CCD classes and Vacation Bible School, participating in the Altar Society and serving on the committee for the new CCD building. Upon her departure, Neria worked as a teacher's aide in Eldorado Elementary. She was very well liked by all the children and her colleagues. We

will all miss her very much. Neria wanted everyone to know she appreciated the visits, flowers, food for Felipe and the boys, and especially all your prayers.

requested that She donations be given to the Eagle Academic Excellence Scholarship Awards.

Pallbearers were Steve Nelson, Roy Gene Lloyd, Victor Thomas Martinez, Belman, Oscar Martinez and Fidel Cardona. Honorary pallbearers were Steve Lanik, Mickey Romero, Ray Romero, Donnie Newton, Mike Prater and Ricky Gibson.

Rex Blanton Hutcherson

Graveside services were held for Rex Blanton Hutcherson, 71, of Llano and formerly of San Angelo on Thursday, April 7, 1994. at 10 a.m. in Llano at Llano City Cemetery with the Reverend Richard Johnson officiating. He was born March 31,

1923 in Sonora, and died April 4, 1994 in Austin, TX.

He was retired as State Circulation Manager for the San Angelo Standard Times. He married Louise Clendennen in Fredericksburg, TX on March 17, 1972. He attended school in Sonora & Southwestern University in Georgetown, TX. He was a member of the Kappa Sigma Fraternity.

Annie Laura Fisher Sessom

Annie Laura Fisher Sessom, 90, died Friday, April 1, 1994 in a Brady nursing me after a lengthy illness

Survivors include his wife, Louis Hutcherson of Llano; 2 sons, Royce Hutcherson of Redlands, CA and Gene Moore of Austin; 2 daughters, Karla Grant of Austin, and Georgia Lyn Arrick of Big Spring; 1 brother, James Hutcherson of San Antonio, TX; 2 sisters, Mrs. Batts Wilma Friend of Ozona, TX and Wynona Scroggins of Ruidosa, NM; 1 grandchild, Brian Hutcherson of Redlands, CA, numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends from the West Texas

area. Honorary pallbearers were: Benny Friend, Clayton Friend, James R. Hutcherson, Brian Lee Hutcherson, Susan Stokes and Doug Grant.

Sessom in death. Survivors include a daughter, Marjorie Cagle of Austin; three sons, Ewell

The Sutton County 4-H Club held it's 1994 County Fashion Show on Tuesday evening, March 29th, in the Methodist Church Basement. The theme for the evening was "Spring into Fashion '94".

In years past, only senior age 4-Hers were allowed to participate in the buying division of the competition. That changed in 1994 and now all age groups are given the choice of either buying or constructing garments.

Record books and paperwork judged the week preceding the show, and garment judging began at 5:30 p.m. and ended at 6:45. The Fashion Show began at 7:00 p.m. and was directly followed by the presentation of awards.

In the prejunior specialty division, Justin Odom received a first place on an apron he constructed for his mother. Shawn Odom received a second place on his decorated bandanna.

In the prejunior buying category dressy division, Payton Holekamp received a first place with his dress shirt, slacks and tie.

Becky Whitaker was awarded first place in the

division with the black and white formal she purchased.

Johnna Wade received a first place for her casual skirt in the junior construction division, and Rita Lopez received a second place in the same division with her casual romper.

In the senior construction specialty division, Robin Conner was awarded first place on her one piece swimsuit. Robin also constructed teddy bears as a donation to the Sutton County EMS for the transport of traumatized. children.

All of the 4-Hers who' participated would like to thank their leaders: Jean Conner, Gina Holekamp, Betty Lopez, Shirley Odom, Sarah Wade and Becky York, along with their County Extension Agent, Kelly Lewis; for the time and effort they put forth in helping them in this project.

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



One of the greatest assets that we have is our Senior Citizenry. There are 33 million Americans over the age of 65. By the year 2010 the number of senior citizens will be over 39 million.

In spite of their wisdom and experience these valuable people are often overlooked.

Esther Mary Walker wrote a poem entitled Beatitudes For Friends of the Aging. It explains how a little courtesy for the elderly might be in order. Beatitudes For Friends Of The Aged Blessed are they that understand My faltering step and palsied hand. Blessed are they that know my ears today Must strain to catch the things they say. Blessed are they who seem to know That my eyes are dim and my wits are slow. Blessed are they that look away When the coffee spilled at the table today. Blessed are they with a cheery smile . Who stop to chat for a little while. Blessed are they who never say, "You've told that story twice today." Blessed are they who find the way To bring back memories of Yesterday. Blessed are they who make it known That I'm loved and not alone. Blessed are they who ease the days On my journey Home in loving ways. -- Esther May Walker Until the next time, May God Bless GCS **101 WAYS TO PRAISE A CHILD** Wow • Way To Go • Super • You're Special • Outstanding Excellent • Great • Good • Neat • Well Done • Remarkable • Knew You Could Do It • I'm Proud Of You • Fantastic • Super-star • Nice Work • Looking Good • You're On Top Of It • Beautiful • Now You're Flying • You're Catching On • Now You've Got It • You're Incredible • Bravo • You're Fantastic • Hurray For You • You're On Target • You're On Your Way • How Nice • How Smart • Good Job • That's Incredible • Hot Dog • Dynamite • You're Beautiful You're Unique • Nothing Can Stop You Now • Good For You • I Like You • You're Darling • You're A Winner • Remarkable Job Beautiful Work • Spectacular • You're Spectacular • You're Precious Great Discovery • You're Discovered The Secret • You Figured It Out • Fantastic Job • Hip, Hip Hurray • Bingo • Magnificent Marvelous • Terrific • You're Important • Phenomenal • You're Sensational • Super Work • Creative Job • Super Job • Fantastic Job · Exceptional Performance · You're A Real Trooper · You Are Responsible • You Are Exciting • You Learned It Right • What An Imagination • What A Good Listener • You Are Fun • You're Growing Up • You Tried Hard • You Care • Beautiful Sharing Outstanding Performance • You're A Good Friend • I Trust You You're Important • You Mean A Lot To Me • You Make Me Happy You Belong • You've Got A Friend • You Make Me Laugh • You Brighten My Day • I Respect You • You Mean The World To Me • That's Correct • You're A Joy • You're A Treasure • You're Wonderful • You're Perfect • Awesome • A+ Job • You're A-OK-My-Buddy • You Made My Day • That's The Best • A Big Hug • A Big Kiss • Say I Love You • Remember, A Smile Is Worth 1,000 Words



Robin Conner is picture here with the teddy bears she made and donated to the EMS.



Annie was born in Ingram on May 1, 1903 to John Daniel Fisher and Emmaline Francis Lee. Mrs. Sessom married J.O. Sessom on January 15, 1921 in Brady. J.O. preceded Mrs. Sessom of Brady, Jerry Sessom of McKinney and Don Sessom of Sonora; 10 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; and five great-great grandchildren.



Pictured here are the 4-H members that participated in the 1994 County Fashion Show. (front row L to R) Justin Odom, Shawn Odom, Payton Holekamp, Johnna Wade, (back row to R) Rita Lopez, Kelly Lewis CEA-HE, Becky Whitaker, Robin Conner.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our sincere appreciation for all the kindness and concern shown to our family during little Word's illness. Your many calls and special prayers have truly been of great help and support to us during this time.

Bear Air Transport plane and Cooks - Ft. Worth Children's Medical Center that were made available to Word. Our baby is now home and doing fine. Thank you again and may God bless you.

Keith, Anita & John Duke

We are so thankful for services such as the Teddy Anna

Jerry Don, Mary Adele &

STATE Welcome to the World!!

Keith & Anita Hudson are proud to announce the birth of their son Word Balch Hudson. Word was born March 11, 1994 in San Angelo, Texas. He weighed 6 lbs. 7 oz. and was 19 inches long. Word is 2 welcomed home by his big brother John Duke Hudson. Star Maternal grandparents are Jerry Don & Mary Adele Star Balch of Sonora. Paternal grand parents are Johnny and Sue Hudson of Paradise, Texas. Maternal greatgrand parents are Mrs. Adele Wilson and Mrs. Addie (14 Balch, both of Sonora. Paternal great-grand parents are Mr. & Mrs. Elmer Hudson of Paradise, Texas.

Angel & Gina G. Villa of Sonora would like to announce the birth of their son, Nathaniel Angel Villa. Nathaniel was born March 24, 1994 at 4:44 p.m. and weighed 8 lbs. 8 oz. and was 20 inches fin length. The Paternal grand parents are Mr. & Mrs. Manuel Villa of Big Spring, TX. The Maternal grand parents are Mr. & Mrs. Margarito Gamez of Sonora. The great-grand parents are Mr. & Mrs. Emilo 1 Gamez of Sonora, Mr. & Mrs. Jesus L. Esquivel of Fort Worth, Mr. & Mrs. Manuel Olaque of Big Spring, and Mr. & Mrs. Romen Villa of Presidio, TX. Nathaniel fight is welcomed home by aunts, friends and cousins.

Community Calendar

April

Friday-8th: Game Night at 1st National Annex Building

Saturday-9th: West Texas Championship Bar-B-Que & Chili Cook-Off at Sonora City Park • Texas High School Rodeo at 5:00 p.m. • Dance at Bank Shot Billiards from 8:00 p.m. - 12 a.m. at \$2 a person • ASCS Golf Day at Golf Course • "Great Texas Trash-Off"

Sunday-10th: Texas High School Rodeo - Monty Price (Cowboy Ministeries) at 8:00 a.m.; cutting at 9:00 a.m.; rodeo at 11:00 a.m.; Ty McClary, star of Mighty Ducks II, will be signing autographs on April 10 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Tuesday-12th: Democratic Run-Off at the Fire Hall from 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

The Community Calendar is made possible by: **Devil's River News First National Bank Member FDIC**

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Pictured above are the Sonora Headstart children who enjoyed their Easter Egg Hunt at the courthouse lawn on Thursday, March 31st. After the egg hunt, the children got to take their best hits at a pinata bunny filled with lots of goodies. While refreshments were being served, they had a surprise visit from the Easter Bunny. (Thank you Vallree Draper!!) Also a special thanks to al the parents for their help. *From the Sonora Headstart staff*

Head Start Scholarship Applications Available

The Tom Green County Community Action Council Head Start Program is distributing currently applications for Head Start Scholarship Awards. The scholarship is available to any Alumni of the Head Start Program.

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There will be six scholarships awarded to former Head Start program participants in the State of Texas by the Texas Head Start Association. Each scholarship award is \$700.00.

The Gerald Hastings scholarship award will be presented to a former Head

Start enrollee. A former Head Start enrollee is defined as any child that attended a Head Start Program in the State of Texas. To apply a student (1) Must be a former Head Start enrollee, (2) Must have a grade point average of 2.0 and above, (3) Must supply the needed documentation of these criteria and letters of recommendation from (a) the former Head Start Director of the program they attended, (b) their parent, (c) a community member, school counselor, etc.

The application deadline is May 20, 1994. All completed applications and documents

Education



On April 1st, Roberta James presented the Popcorn Donation check, courtesy of the First National Bank to the Nursing Home Activity Fund. Accepting on behalf of the Nursing Home, are John Hempel and Terry Surridge.



Come join the fun!! The American Cancer Society Golf Day at the Sutton County Golf Course April 9 FUN • GOLF • FOOD • PRIZES

POINT OF INTEREST

I noticed that Sonora has kicked off its Main Street program. It seems that Sonora is always doing something good in their city, awards and winning developing their economy. Apparently, Mayor Lopez, City Manager Pape and the rest down there are really on

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the ball. Why can't a city the size of San Angelo be as progressive as Sonora? It seems that Sonora is where we ought to look for real leadership in this area.

H.P. San Angelo, San Angelo Standard Times (Speak Your Mind column). April 4, 1994.



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Little Dribblers Banquet Held

The Little Dribblers Basketball season came to an end recently. On April 5th, a banquet was held to honor the participants and coaches.

Kaye Hufstedler was honored for leadership and organization of the Little Dribblers, and the Sonora City League Basketball. Carlos Gallegos was recognized for his great service to the Sonora City League Basketball (Little Dribblers) and his extra help behind the scenes.

Participants in the Little Dribblers program were: (Coaches) Dennis Purvis, Jenny Purvis, Greg Hill, Karen Hill, Maray Cearley, Jack Smith, Lauri Smith, Jane Wallace, Yvonne Mata, Billie Renfro, Eric Galindo, Tryon Fields, Cindy Fields, Allen Prather, Patty Prather, Al Elliott, Callaway Hall, Steve Brents, Donnie Deel, Leslie Caddell, Jesse Crain, Tressa Henson, Cathy Fox, Kim Whitehead, Yankee Cascadden, Lester Rainer, Casey Fitzgerald, Gary Hardgrave, Bob Taylor, Ruben Samaniego, Randy Reyes, Virgil Burge, Mike Percifull, Bobby Morgan, Carlos Gallegos, Brandon Lock, Robert Mittel, Lonnie Fox, Joe San Miguel, and Tommy Van Winkle.

(Players) (3rd & 4th Girls) (Tornados /Blue) Maribel Hernandez, Ashley Parker, Maura Chavez, Gabby Duran, Whitney Martin, Kasey Kearney, Cassie Perez, Genny Cramer, Tori Valliant, (Jewels/Jade) Kara Hard, Tera Johnson, Brelee Drake, Jessica Bruns, Vanessa Martinez, Gaby Coronado, Monica Lira, Melissa Brents, Paula Gonzales, (Flamingos/Pink) Courtney Hill, Mayra Martinez, Amanda Sanchez, Jenny Hunt, Katy Roberts, Kasey Miller, Desiree Gonzales, Emily Luna, Ashley Bible, (Red Barons/Red) Heather Lawson, Katrina Hernandez, Leandra Perez, Kesha Frasier, Koda Armke, Leslie Gamez, Lee Voight, Daisy Porter, (3rd & 4th Boys) (Stallions/Red) B i 11 Renfro, Caleb Gulley, Dustin Martin, Reyes Garcia, Marky Machado, Justin Routh, Adrian Mendez, Douglas Yocham, Tim Warden, (Ducks/Blue) Sean Fields, Shane Benson,

Hall, Eloy Torres, Ervay Torres, (5th & 6th Girls) (Jets/Jade) Paula Brents, Sandra Cardona, Texie Roberts, Teresa Lozano, Heather Felts, Jacki Bellard, (Red Rattlers/Red) Daisha Henson, Elizabeth Ramirez, Johnna Wade, Sonia Gandar, Cassi Cole, Jana Johnson, Brook Bolt, (Panthers/Pink) Kara Eaton, Lorena Lopez, Stephanie Hard, Andi Allen, Evelyn Mungia, Veronica Velez, (Taz/Blue) Selina Martinez, Kristina Edmondson, Nora Jo Dominguez, Gale

Porter, Lindsey Bowers, Cindy Jones, (5th & 6th Boys) (Attack Pack/Yellow) Bobby Salinas, Andy Sanchez, Russ Dempsey, Brad Mogford, Sloan Holley, Chang Hernandez, Cole Cearley, Chris Green, Carlos Sanchez, (Sonics/Green) Larry Aguero,

Joey Guzman, Josh Payton, Alan Nicholas, Ryan Cramer, Jason Nitsch, Bryce Williams, Thomas Schenkel, Kolby Whitehead, (Bullets/Silver) Ernie Perez, Tommy Gutierrez,

Richard Ornelas, Reece Simpler, Cody Ainsworth, Daniel Ward, Ryan Hardgrave, Caleb Taylor, Adam Mendez, (Da Boys/Gold) Jared Percifull, Jacob Percifull, Joseph Percifull, Ed Mayfield, Corey Scheidemann, Ubaldo Vaquero, Kiko Marines, Riley Crain, John Galvan, ('Canes/Orange) Davey Prather, Crispin Lira, Nicholas Lozano, J.D. Lozano, Jake Trainer, Isaac Ramos, Jason Surber, Graham Bloodworth, (Running Rebels/Red) Daniel Solis, Michael Solis, Homer Flores, Ruben Ynguanzo, Matthew Torres, Jo Hopkins, John Samaniego, Jeremiah McLaughlin.



Kaye Hufstedler



Golf Teams Compete In Crane

The Sonora High School golf teams placed well in the Crane District Golf Tournament.

The boys' "B" team placed 2nd, out of 10 teams, with a score of 340. the "A" team placed 3rd with a score of 350.

Boys "A" team individual scores were as follows: Wade Spain 44-43-87, Tommy Conner 50-49-99, Caleb Barker 46-42-88, John Paul Hudman 44-44-88, Javier Weingart 44-43-87.

Boys "B" team individual scores were as follows: Rhett Johnson 42-42-84, T.J. Thorp 50-45-95, Shane Deel 46-46-92, John Brown 44-42-86, Cody Renfro 40-38-78.

Boys medalists were Chris Clifton 47-46-93 and Alex Gonzales 52-84-106. Sonora's boy's team is 3rd out of five teams in district standings. Wade Spain, John Paul

Hudman, Tommy Conner, and Caleb Barker are listed in the top 10 individual standings.

The girls team placed first in out of two teams with a score of 365.

Girls individual scores: Beth Covington 42-39-81, Stephanie Virgen 46-45-91, Becky Lumbreras 43-51-96, Elsa Lumbreras 50-49-99, Melissa Sanchez 54-45-99. Medalist was Johnna Adams 65-64-129.

In district standings, Sonora is first out of two teams, with an overall score of 1457.

In the top 10 individual standings, Beth Covington, Stephanie Virgen, Becky Lumbreras, and Melissa Sanchez are listed.



(L to R) Andi Allen, Stephanie Hard, Bryce Williams, and Davey Prather, Sonora 5th grade Oral Readers, are among the expected 200 students who will participate in a U.I.L. Intermediate Literary Meet on Saturday, April 9th. Colorado City Intermediate School, Greenwood - Odessa, and Reagan County are also among those schools.

Internal Revenue Service Provides Help

"Over 1.3 million North Texans have waited until now to file their tax returns," said Bobby E. Scott, Director for

the Dallas District of the Internal Revenue Service. "Even though many filed earlier than ever before and refund checks are averaging close to \$1,050, we expect to be busy helping those who

waited." On Saturday, April 9, taxpayers may call the IRS tax assistance lines (in Dallas 742-2440, elsewhere 1-800-829-1040) between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. The IRS office at Texas Stadium will be in operation those hours as well.

Cowtown Roundup - Ft.

Taxpayers may also get free tax help at the annual

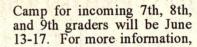
Worth Town Center, located at

I-35 and Seminary Drive, from 11:00 a.m. - 4 p.m. This service is sponsored by the IRS Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Program. VITA provides free tax assistance for low to

moderate income, non-English speaking, disabled, and elderly taxpayers.

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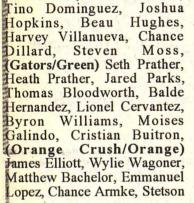


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1 St 540 @ 101.00 = \$545.40
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Hf 475 @ 108.00 = \$513.00
f St 495 @ 106.50 = \$527.00
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Hf 395 @ 109.00 = \$430.55
Jordan Livestock Exchange
Mason
11:00 a.m.
Sale on Monday
915-347-6361

Sale at Jordan Cattle Auction in San Saba, Texas at 1 p.m.

**Monday, May 2, 1994 - Special Calf and Yearling Show and Sale at Jordan Livestock Exchange in Mason, Texas at 11 a.m.

**Thursday, May 5, 1994 - Special Calf & Yearling Show and Sale at Jordan Cattle Auction in San Saba, Texas at 10 a.m.

**Saturday, May 14, 1994 - Special Cow and Heifer Replacement Sale at Jordan Cattle Auction in San Saba, Texas at 10 a.m.

Gunshots Fired

A Chestnut Street resident called the Sonora Police Department on April 2nd to report gunshots coming from the area of Fay Street and Chestnut Street. The call came in at 12:59 a.m. Officers apprehended and detained two juvenile suspects. A third juvenile fled, but was identified

by officers at the scene. One adult was arrested for attempting to elude officers. The officers recovered a 9mm semi-automatic pistol.

Witnesses at the scene reported seeing bullets striking the pavement, but no one was hit by any of the shots fired.



Six or seven rounds were fired from this 9mm Browning semi-automatic pistol on April 2. The weapon was confiscated by the Sonora Police Department.

Wind Power Development Opportunities For Texas Landowners

 Portions of West Texas contain significant developable wind energy resource potential. The rush to secure resource rights by development companies and electric utilities has begun.

• The California experience shows that wind companies will naturally try to acquire the resource for as low a fee or royalty as possible. Such tactics lead to some landowners obtaining more lucrative contracts than others, sometimes to a significant degree.

• The landowner and his representatives will not understand the intracacies of the contracts, resulting in a high likelihood of contract disputes over time, at significant cost.

• Coming "up to speed" on the contractual nature of the relationship between resource owner and developer takes time and experience, even for experienced commercial attorneys. This is particularly true about nonmonetary clauses delineating contract operating criteria and protections to the landowners.

and greater costs of monitoring a contract and resolving disputes. • Errors made by

California landowners should not be repeated in Texas. · Texas resource owners,

particularly ranchers and farmers should take advantage of the lessons learned by their counterparts in California. There is a window of opportunity for structuring deals reasonable to both parties, stimulating development to occur economically. Though there are similarities between wind power and oil & gas deals, there are significant differences. For example, assessing the resource takes a minimum of several years prior to development. Further, a wide spectrum of technical

On March 31st, Reyes Trevino stepped out into the south pasture of the Ruth Shurley Ranch in the goat shed and almost stepped on this snake. He bravely killed the rattlesnake with a stick. The rattlesnake was 5 foot 3 1/2 inches long, 9 inches around, and had 15 rattles.

Grazing Period Ends

The official grazing period on land designated as acreage conservation reserve and conservation use acreage for pay (including the 8% or 15% qualifying acreage) ended March 15, 1994.

ASCS official also reminds ranchers/farmers to be sure that cropland designated for acreage conservation reserve and conservation use for payment acreage meets the eligibility

the principal growing months. Farmers/Ranchers who do not adhere to grazing, haying or harvesting restrictions on this acreage will be out of compliance and could lose program benefits.

Sutton County ASCS office also announces payments for the 1993 Wool, Unshorn Lambs, and Mohair market year will be issued on

First Aid Class Held

On Saturday, March 26, 1994 a Mini First Aid class was held at the Sutton County **Emergency Medical Service** new training facility for employees of Pool Company. Instructors for the class were Treva McReynolds, EMT, Donna Keese, EMT, and Pat Campbell, EMT.

The Mini First Aid class emphasizes on the use of household items to control incidents and illnesses that could occur. A few of the topics taught were: medical illnesses, splinting fractures, controlling bleeding, insect and snake bites, seizures, and

choking.

The class was a great success. The Pool Employees in attendance were: Albert Ramos, Leandro Annero, Jr. Roy Hulsey, Jose S. Espinosa Esequiel J. Martinez, Armando Corrizales, Larry Aguero, Jr., Jesus Garza, Zoilo E. Rodriguez, Esteban Hernandez, Mark D. Gamez, Sonia C. Gamez, Wile Payne Jr., Jimmy Couch, Jose L. Marmolejo, Rau Vid Arrendondo, Jr., Douglas D. Nelson, Jose Martin Iglecias Hernandez Javier, and Isaac Fraire.

Hill Country Cattlewomen Update

The April luncheon meeting of the Hill Country Cattlewomen will be held at the Family Korner Restaurant in Boerne. It recently opened in Boerne at I-10 and Highway 46. The guest speaker will be Dr. Jerry Persone who is a Derry Parsons who is a Bexar Parsons who is a Bexar County Extension agent in horticulture for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, T.V. personality for KENS-Channel 5, and gardening columnist for the San Antonio Express-News.

The social half-hour will begin at 10:00 a.m. followed by lunch at noon. Reservations should be made thru area hostesses. If you are not a member, but would like to attend this meeting, please call Janette Hamilton, 210-816-2208. Deadline for

all reservations is Thursday, April 14.

Mary Jane Morrison of Boerne wants to remind AG. students that the deadline for, applying for one of the two scholarships is May 1. For information about applying for one of these scholarships, call Mary Jane Morrison, 210-816-3105.

Mary Ann Davis and Karol Schreiner reported that the 10th Annual Luncheon and Style Show held at the Y.O. Holiday Inn Hotel, Kerrville, was a tremendous success. Fourteen stores throughout the Hill Country, participated in this Scholarship Fund-raiser There were thirty-two members who modelled the clothes.



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Ask The Historical Society

This is a picture of the Sonora Fire Department having a practice session at the Hotel McDonald in approximately 1897.

by Jo-Ann E. Palmer, Secretary, Sutton County Historical Society

Q. I recently overheard a comment that "women haven't been in business in Sonora that long." Is this true?

A. NO!! There was an article in the March 20, 1936 issue of the Devil's River News that honored local women on National Business Women's Week. The following women were given special mention:

Miss Clara Allison and Miss Sally Wardlaw - the first a native of Sutton, the other of Reagan County -"graduated" from

confectionery to drug business - and have been in business quite a few years. A.& W. Drug Store.

<u>Mrs. Totsie Barton</u> native of Menard County but reared in Sutton - in ranch business several years - in food business in Sonora since May, 1935. Riverside Cafe

Miss Gracie Draper -

born Mason County - reared, McCullogh County - Sonora since 1928 when came to teach - in beauty business year and a half. Grace Draper's Beauty Shop

Mrs. Tom Driskell - born and reared in Kimble County - four years Sonora teacher in laundry business several years. Sonora Laundry

<u>Mrs. Josie McDonald</u> born and reared, Lampas county - serving Sutton people and traveling public in hotel business since 1896. Hotel McDonald

<u>Mrs. Birdie Rutledge</u> born Colorado County, reared Lavaca County - to Sutton in 1925 in food business. Rutledge Cafe

Mrs. Ardena Speed born Marion County, Tenn, but a Texan since she was 13 - to Sutton 1918 - in dairy business here since 1922. Speed Laundry

Mrs. Troy White - born Atascosa County, reared Tom Green and Sutton, here since early 1900's - in business for self since 1923. White Beauty Parlor

We know that the Decker Hotel was run by Mrs. Decker-Masters until it was Mrs. Murphy sold. contributed greatly to the Devil's River News with her reports of weddings, parties, funerals, etc. Many hotels, motels and boarding houses throughout the years have been run by women. There are ranches that have been run by women through the years. Women have been in the education business in Sutton County since it's earliest days and have worked in banking since the early 1900's. For all these reasons I have to say that the statement you overheard is definitely incorrect.

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 give us a call at 915-387-2855.

Elderly Can Postpone Taxes

Texans ages 65 or older can postpone paying delinquent and current property taxes on their homes. They can take advantage of tax option called "over 65-deferral" by signing an affidavit at the Sutton County Appraisal District office.

This special form of tax relief also can halt a lawsuit filed to collect delinquent property taxes on an older Texan's home, according to Rex Ann Friess, chief appraiser of the Sutton County Appraisal District. To stop a delinquent tax suit, the over-65 homeowner files the deferral affidavit with the court in which the suit is. pending.

"If the affidavit is on file,

Hat Day Held At Senior Center

The Senior Center held Hat Day on March 31st. Everyone made their own hats and wore them all day. A lunch was given and prizes awarded in different categories. The winners were: MOST BEAUTIFUL: Gretta Smith, Eloisa Gamez, Mandy Turk MOST UNUSUAL: Lupe Mendez, Wilma Patrick, Rosario Ibarra, Ellen Depugh FUNNIEST: Maria Dominguez, Rosa Galindo, Maria Gutierrez MOST ORIGINAL: Flores Eulogia, Kathleen Moore, Guggle Thorp.

The awards were given by various businesses in town. Thank you to Vallree's Bright Spot Fashions & Gifts, Commercial Restaurant, Lisa West, Sharon Kemp, Perez Barber Shop, Beto's Restaurant, Pizza Hut, Sutton County Leader.



was established by Dr. Benjamin Rush in Philadelphia in 1786. an older homeowner cannot lose a homestead because of delinquent taxes," Friess said.

Once a homeowner files an over-65 tax deferral affidavit with the appraisal district, no taxing unit can start or continue a lawsuit for delinquent taxes as long as that person owns and lives in that home.

Friess stressed that tax deferral for the elderly only postpones paying delinquent taxes on the home; it does not cancel them. During the deferral time, taxes and interest of eight percent continue to add up. When the elderly taxpayer no longer owns and lives in the home, the taxes become due. Taxing units can then sue to collect all the deferred taxes and interest.

There is no penalty on the delinquent taxes during the deferral time. However, filing the deferral affidavit will not forgive penalties that were already due. Also, if the taxes remain delinquent more than 90 days after the deferral ends, a taxing unit may charge an added penalty if the account goes to a delinquent tax attorney.

Tax deferral forms are available at the appraisal district office. "The homeowner should fill out the form and have the signature witnessed by a notary public." Friess said. For more information, taxpayers may contact the Sutton County Appraisal District, 300 E. Oak St., 387-2809.



¿Quiere pagar <u>menos impuestos</u>



"Halcyon Days," according to sea tradition, is the two-week period of calm weather before and after the shortest day of the year, about December 21.



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- You'll learn the kinds of protests the appraisal review board can hear—and what kind of evidence you need to bring to your hearing.
- Key dates are listed, so you'll know what you must do and when you're required to act.

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- Aprenderá cuales son las formas de protesta que se permiten—y que documentos o pruebas debe traer consigo al presentar su protesta ante la junta.
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Un servicio público de este periódico



The Flamingos are one of the many Little Dribblers teams. (front row L to R) Desiree' Gonzales, Ashley Bible, Emily Luna, Mayra Martinez, Katy Roberts, (second row L to R) Amanda Sanchez, Cortney Hill, Karen Hill (coach), Greg Hill (coach), Jenny Hunt



Da Boys are pictured here: (front row L to R) Ulbado Vaquera, John Galvan, Jared Percifull, Corey Scheidemann, Riley Crain, (second row L to R) Riko Marines, Jacob Percifull, Mike Percifull (coach), Joe Percifull, Ed Mayfield



Avoid Postal Congestion By Mailing Tax Returns Early

With the deadline for filing income tax returns rapidly approaching, the U.S. Postal Service is bracing itself for the annual onslaught of last-minute tax filers.

On Friday, April 15th, we expect things to get intersecting around the middle of the afternoon. That's when you can count on all roads leading to the post office. Postal customers can easily avoid some congestion by mailing their returns or extensions request early in the day at the post office or collection boxes. I would emphasize, however, tax filers should doublecheck the pick-up schedule if they elect to use a streetside collection box to insure their tax documents will be collected and postmarked before the deadline. Last minute returns and extension requests may be deposited until midnight April 15th using the in-town Sonora drop at the post office. "This certainly can be a hectic time," Eisenhut said, "and in

the hustle and bustle of completing and signing forms, it's easy to overlook the simple things." Try to mail as early in the day as possible. Be certain to weigh your returns or extensions on a postal scale to calculate the proper amount of postage. This is especially true if you are filing extra forms or schedules this year. Tax agencies will not pay postage due, so short-paid tax filing must be returned to you for additional postage. Ordinarily that means you'll miss the deadline. Insure all documents are signed and placed inside the envelope prior to sealing and mailing. The Sonora postal employees assures the community that each and every tax filing will

receive an official April 15th postmark if it is properly prepared for mailing and deposited by the designated cut-off times. "Just like Christmas, you get it here and we'll get it there."

Applications For Farm Loans Available

Applications for emergency farm loans for losses caused by excessive drought are being accepted at the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) office located in Eden, FmHA County Supervisor Fred Greenway said today.

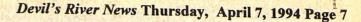
Kimble, Menard, Sutton and Schleicher Counties, are 4 of 8 in Texas recently named by Secretary of Agriculture Mike Espy as eligible for loans to cover part of actual production losses resulting from the excessive drought.

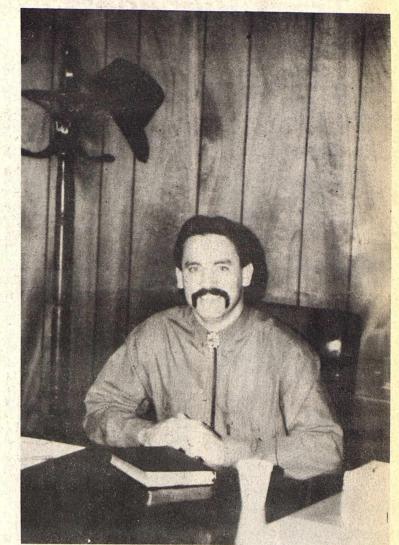
Fred Greenway said

Federal Crop Insurance program will have to figure in proceeds from those programs in determining their loss.

"Applications for loans under this emergency designation will be accepted until November 17, 1994 but farmers should apply as soon as possible. Delays in applying could create backlogs in processing and possibly over into the new farming season," Greenway said.

FmHA is a credit agency





Monty Price

Cowboy Minister To Visit Sonora

The preaching and teaching ministry of Monty Price has spanned for nearly a decade. As a rodeo cowboy, Monty was delivered by God's power from alcohol and barroom brawling, to step forward and deliver God's message of grace and mercy with genuine simplicity. Monty continues to compete as a calf roper and team roper. Monty, along with his wife, Susan, and their two children, Leann and Jake, live

on a ranch in Iraan, Texas, where they pastor Faith Fellowship Church. Along with the duties of pastoring, you'll find Monty and his family ministering at cowboy church services at rodeos in Texas.

He will be at the Sonora arena at 8 a.m. on April 10. Please come and join us! We will have breakfast burritos and you are welcome to attend our services and then attend your own services!



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Track Highlights















SUMMER BREEZES

Q. I badly dented the door of my car last summer, and had to replace it. For a while I had to drive around without a door, but I liked the breeze. This summer I want to take both doors off, but I'm wondering if the car will pass inspection and could I get a ticket for

A.T., Houston

A. Well, it's legal to drive "doorless", like, for instance some Jeeps. Your car will pass inspection but don't forget to wear your seat belt!

"FUN" PISTOL SHOOTING?

Q. My neighbor celebrated the New Year in the usual way-at midnight he fired his .45 pistol once into the air. He says he's done this for twenty years and it's perfectly safe.

Sutton County Library News

Sutton County Library held their Storyhour Easter Egg Hunt on Thursday, March 31st. 27 Children enjoyed hunting over 100 Easter Eggs and then hitting a candy-filled pinata.

Storyhour will continue through April 29th. Children from ages 2-5 are welcomed on Fridays at 10 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. to come and listen to stories, watch films, do crafts, sing and more. See you there!! For more information about the Library call 387-2111 or come by 212 S.E. Concho Mondays and Tuesdays 9:30 - 6:30 and Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays 9:00 - 5:00.

New Books added to the Sutton County Library are: FICTION

Money, The Cat Who Came To Breakfast, Lyon's Pride, Border Town Law, Pretty Maids In A Row, Delusions of Grandma, The Alienist, Berserker Kill, Crystal Line, The Dolphins' Bell, Megan High Tide, Terror At Hellhole, The Hyde Park Headman, The Great Divorce, Mother's Day and River God. NON FICTION

Trooper Kevin Wilkie is a Texas Highway Patrol Association board mem-

was and I'm wondering if it is still

"perfectly safe." I mean, what goes up

A. You have to be careful. Within

city limits it is illegal to discharge a firearm, but outside city limits it'

okay. Firing across a roadway is ille

gal, but not to shoot into the air. But

remember, the bullet is going to com

down so it's really not safe.

C.J., San Marcos

must come down somewhere, right?

ber, and works in west Texas But our area is not as rural as it once

Natural Prescriptions, Never Alone, Golden Years of Pro Football, Then and Now, Leadership, Pioneering With Wildflowers, Quarter Horse Breeder, Colonial Art In Mexico, The Face of Liberty, Spain, An Encyclopedia of World History, Great Historic Places of Europe, British Empire, A Study In History and The Horizon Book of The

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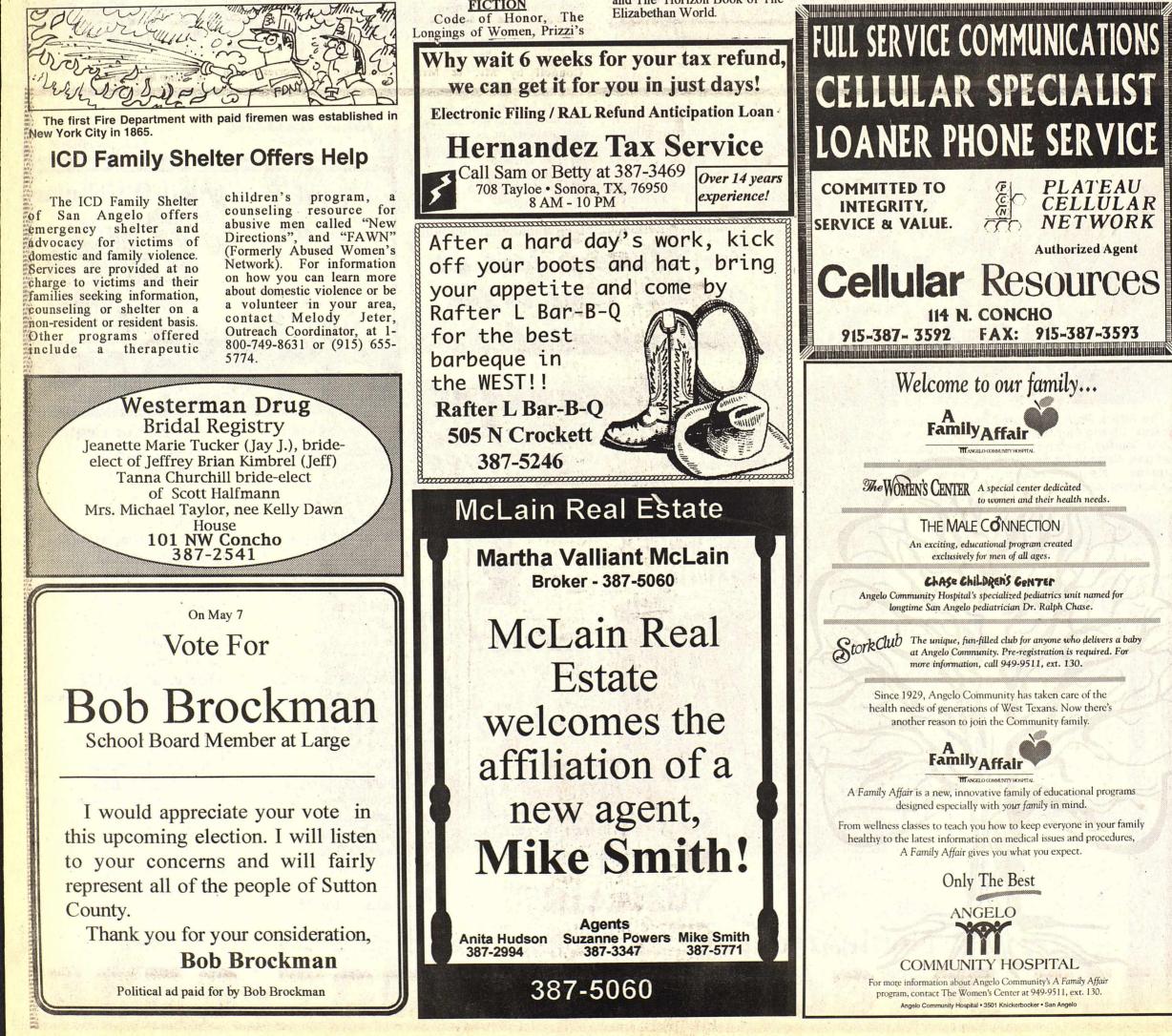
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(front row L to R) Andi Alen, Riley Crain, Heather Felts, Ryan Hardgrave, Linda Hernandez, Tom Jacoby, Nicholas Lozano, Jeremiah McLaughlin(second row L to R) Carolyn Mendez, Errbey Moreno, Anthony Sanchez, Jesus Torres, Kolby Whitehead (third row L to R) Lindsey Bowers, Evan Collins, Joey Creek, Mary Jo Galvan, Chris Green, Jason Gutierrez, Stephanie Hard, Selina Martinez (back row L to R) Carroll McAfee, Joseph Percifull, Elizabeth Ramirez, B.J. Scott, Jerrad Solis, Daniel Ward, Bryce Williams.

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Medivac 1 landed in Sonora on March 31st. Medivac 1 is an emergency helicopter made possible by Shannon Medical Center in San Angelo. Shannon has made the commitment to provide vital critical care transport to the thousands of people who live and work in the sprawling Concho Valley. Medivac 1 is Shannon's critical care air transport service. Medivac 1 provides 24-hour emergency critical care transport service for area hospitals. The helicopter has extensive life support equipment essential to providing care for patients in life-threatening or emergency conditions. When requested by physicians, hospitals, EMS, law enforcement, industrial or safety officers and fire department services, Medivac 1 provides on-scene response for patients in West Texas. Transportation of critically ill or injured patients via helicopter can significantly reduce time en route to the hospital and allow patients to receive definite care within the "golden hour".



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The head emergency room doctor, Dr. Bennett, traveled with the Medivac 1 and is pictured here visiting with Dr. Pajestka. an will depet taken balant Bland, base taky tak fourth tour mi mour

Public Notice

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

(AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)

To the Registered Voters of the City of Sonora, Texas (A los votantes registrados

del Cuidad de Sonora, Texas) Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on May 7, 1994, for voting in a general election to elect a Mayor and Council Member - Ward 1 and Council Member - Ward <u>2</u> (notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 7 de Mayo de 1994 para votar en la Eleccion General para elegir <u>electo de Mayor, uno</u> Concejal - Districto 1 uno Concejal - Districto 2 LOCATION(S)

OF POLLING PLACES (DIRECCION(ES) DE CASILLAS LAS

ELECTORALES)

WARD 1 - City Hall, 201 N.E. Main, WARD 2 - Senior

a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on April 18 (entre las 8:00 de la manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el Abril 18) and ending on May 3. (y terminando el Mayo 3.) Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: (Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan enviarse a) Becky Covington, 201 N.E. Main, Sonora, Texas 76950. Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on (Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el) April 29. Issued this the 15 day of February, 1994. (Emitada este dia 15 February 1994). Lemuel D. Lopez.

Citizen's Center, 106 Wilson. Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted

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N.E. Main, (location) (sitio)

between the hours of 8:00

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Camp Jo Jan Van To Begin Soon

El Camino Girl Scout Council began accepting registrations for one and two week sessions of summer camp on April 1. Camp Jo Jan Van, located in the breath-taking Texas Hill Country, has terrain varying from sheer, rocky cliffs to crystal clear spring-fed Bullhead Creek where campers can swim, canoe, snorkel, and wade. Girls not currently registered as Girl Scouts may attend Camp Jo Jan Van; however, all girls planning to attend Camp Jo Jan Van must register their Girl Scout membership for the current year in addition to paying the current fees.

The camp property was donated to El Camino Council by Mr. & Mrs.

rs 1

Joseph Vanderstucken of Sonora in 1958. Named for the Vanderstuckens' two daughters, Jo Ann and Jan, the camp has been in operation since 1960.

Camp Jo Jan Van, accredited by the American Camping Association, will feature horseback riding for all campers in 1994. A variety of program activities -- such as hiking, campcraft, basic outdoor skills, water fun, star gazing, leather tooling, horse safety, and more -- are offered for girls entering grades 2-12.

Newly created sessions for 1994 include "Teddy Bear Overnighters" for girls entering grades 2-3. These sessions provide an introductory experience for

young girls who have never been to resident camp and are not ready for a full week of camping experiences.

Barbara Carter will serve as camp director. Ms. Carter has directed and administered Girl Scout camps for fifteen years, in addition to serving as a field director with several Girl Scout councils. She is currently enrolled at Kansas State University in preveterinary medicine. Ms. Carter brings a strong Girl Scout tradition and numerous outdoor skills to Camp Jo Jan Van.

Girls and parents wanting more information may contact the El Camino Girl Scout Council at 915-655-8961 or 1-800-688-2845 for a camp brochure.

UTIEN "The Best Little Boer House In Texas"



"Krugerand" North American Grand Champion Boer Buck Conel

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Notice Of Public Auction Sale

Under the authority in Internal Revenue Code section 6331, the property described below has been seized for nonpayment of internal revenue taxes due from TRIO SPECIAL TIES CO., INC. P.O. Box 363, Eldorado, Texas 76936. The property will be sold at public auction as provided by Internal Revenue Code section 6335 and related regulations. Date of Sale: April 18, 1994 Time of Sale: 10:00 a.m. Place of Sale: Schleicher County Courthouse Steps - Main Entrance Title Offered: Only the right, title, and interest of TRIO SPECIALTIES CO., INC in and to the property will be offered for sale. If requested, the Internal Revenue Service will furnish information about possible encumbrances, which may be useful in determining the value of the interest being sold. Description - of Property: SURFACE ONLY of all Block 90 lying East of Cottonwood Street in the Original Town of Eldorado, Schleicher County, Texas. -AND - SURFACE ONLY of all of lots Nos. 1,2,3,4 and 5, all in Block Number 91, Original Town of Eldorado, Schleicher County, Texas. **Property may be Inspected** at: 1100 Orient, Eldorado, Texas 76936 Payment Terms: Full payment on acceptance of highest bid Form of Payment: All payments must be by cash, certified check, cashier's or treasurer's check or by a United States postal, bank, express, or telegraph money order. Make check or money order payable to the Internal Revenue Service. Dana L. Bates, Revenue Officer (Address for information about the sale) 33 E. Twohig Room 107, San Angelo, Texas 76903, (Phone) (915) 653-3735.

Public Notice

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON CONTEMPLATED ANNEXATION NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS,

THAT: The City of Sonora, Texas proposes annexation proceedings to enlarge and extend the boundary limits of said city to include the following described territory, to-wit:

Petition submitted by Mike Smith for Lot 2, Hunt Addition on E. 2nd Street, .75 acres of land out of Survey 84, H.E.B.W.T.R.R. Co., Block B, Abstract 1186, Sutton County, Texas.

A public hearing will be held by and before the City Council of the City of Sonora, Texas on the <u>19th</u> day of <u>April</u>, 1994 at 2:00 o'clock in the City Council Chamber of the City Hall of the City of Sonora, Texas, for all persons interested in the above proposed annexation. At said time and place all such persons shall have the right to appear and be heard. Of all said matters and things, all persons interested in the things and matters herein mentioned, will take notice. By order of the City Council of the City of Sonora, Texas this the 15th day of March, 1994. Lemuel D. Lopez Mayor, City of Sonora Becky Covington City Secretary

Notice Of Public Auction Sale

Under the authority in Internal Revenue Code section 6331, the property described below has been seized for nonpayment of internal revenue taxes due from NANN KARNES, Deceased. The property will be sold at public auction as provided by Internal Revenue Code section 6335 and related regulations. Date of Sale: April 18, 1994 Time of Sale: 1:00 p.m. Place of Sale: Sutton County Courthouse Steps - Main Entrance Title Offered: Only the right, title, and interest of NANN KARNES, Deceased in and to the property will be offered for sale. If requested, the Internal Revenue Service will furnish information about possible encumbrances, which may be useful in determining the value of the interest being sold. Description of Property: Lots 7 and 8, Block E-4, City of Sonora, Sutton County, Texas Property may be Inspected at: 815 SE Prospect Ave, Sonora, Texas 76950 **Payment Terms:** Full payment on acceptance of highest bid Form of Payment: All payments must be by cash, certified check, cashier's or treasurer's check or by a United States postal, bank, express, or telegraph money order. Make check or money order payable to the Internal Revenue Service. Dana L. Bates, Revenue Officer (Address for information about the sale) 33 E. Twohig Room 107, San Angelo, Texas 76903, (Phone) (915) 653-3735.

Circle B Mobile Homes! Drive a little-Save alot! 28 X 60 doublewide. 3 BR 2 Bath, big living & dining, Very nice & only \$34,900. Yes, it's new. 700 N. Grandview, 915-333-3212. (4/28)

, Sell, or Trade... 387-2507

For Sale: 1800 sq. ft. Doublewide mobile home. Fireplace, sprinkler system, 3 BD/2 BATH, carport, CH/AC, located at J&V Trailer Park. \$33,000. Call 387-5207. (4/7)

For Sale: Doublewide and 2 lots. For more information, call 387-5290. (4/14)

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WOW! New Fleetwood Double: 3 Bedroom/2 Bath, \$249.00 Mo. Delivered w/Central Air. 10% Down, 180. Mo. 9.25% ARP. COMFORT HOMES Exit 543 Boerne, 1-210-981-2430. (4/14)

A Bargain: New 2 Bedroom Fleetwood. Central Air -Delivered, \$15,950.00 COMFORT HOMES Exit 543 Boerne, 1-210-981-2430 (4/14) Huge Savings: Model Home 4 Bedroom w/Study Doublewide - Overhead Vents, 1848 sq. ft. A-C & Delivery \$41,500.00 COMFORT HOMES Exit 543 Boerne 1-210-981-2430 (4/14) Attention Ranchers: 1500 telephone poles 20-30' length. \$8, \$10, \$12 each. Discount for quantity. Juno area. Call 915-292-4435. (4/21)

Fishing worms \$5 per 100. Fresh & juicy, fresh dug, corner of Glasscock and Del Rio Hwy. Call 387-3708. (5/5)

GOATS WANTED - Females - Want to buy big Spanish or Spanish/Nubien cross goats with white bodies and red heads. 210-997-1903 (4/21)

For Sale: Evinrude 9 1/2 H.P. Sportwind motor (runs good), 15 ft. Alumacraft boat, Dillyboat trailer, good tires, new spare. Call 387-3119. \$750.00 for all. (4/7)

Pre-Arranged Funeral Planning: Contact John Wilson (In Association with Kerbow Funeral Home). Call 387-5192 leave message.(4/14)

For Sale: 1984 King of the Road 5th wheel, sleeps 5, microwave, washer & dryer, stereo throughout, private bed & bath. Call 915-853-3160 or 387-3761. (4/14) Employment 🛔 🧌

Help Wanted: Part-time position available. Must have automotive background. Apply in person at Circle S Automotive-NAPA- 505 S. Crockett, Sonora. No Phone Calls. (4/14)

Help Wanted: Experienced BKKP. and Purchasing. Also sales and yard (Requires lifting) apply in person at Foxworth Lumber Co. (4/14) Help Wanted: Creek Swabbing & Roustabout Service, Inc. is now taking applications for: gasoline/diesel mechanic (2) heavy equipment operator (3) transport driver with CDL class A license. Inquire at office Hwy 277 South for details. (P) **EXTRA INCOME '94** Earn \$200 - \$500 weekly mailing 1994 Travel brochures. For more information send a self addressed stamped envelope to: Travel Network, P.O. Box 612530, Miami, FL 33161.

Help Wanted: 2 women to clean my house at Roosevelt. \$9.00 per hr. Driving from Sonora included. Needed about 4-5 hrs. Call 915-446-2513. DAYTIME only. (4/7)

Part-Time Help Wanted:

Public Notice

SEALED BID OFFER: 802-7754-L, 11:00 A.M., April 20,1994.

Sealed bids will be received by the General Services Commission, P.O. Box 13047, Austin, Texas 78711, until 11:00 A.M. on the above date covering the sale of a 1990 Chevrolet Blazer belonging to the Parks and Wildlife Department. Contact Rodney Knight at Sonora, 915-387-3068 for inspection and bid form.



For Sale: 16 X 80 3 BR 2 Bath,new \$23,900-up. 18 X 80 3 BR 2 Bath, new \$29,900-up. Good used & extra nice \$5,900-up. Circle B Mobile Homes, 700 N. Grandview, Odessa, 915-333-3212. (4/28)



'93-'94 Hatched Emu Chicks Taking orders now, no deposit required. Birth certificates -Micro chipped - farm sexed, from 5 unrelated pairs, \$8,000 for 3 mo. old pairs. Have some December Hatch ready. Bluebonnet Ridge Emu Farm, Kingsland, TX. 915-388-4980. Will do lawn care & yard clean up, complete lawn services, hauling, free estimates, call 387-2857. For Sale - 1981 Plymouth Reliant Station Wagon - \$500: Great fixer-upper camper, \$50. 387-2322, 110 Main St. Tractor For Sale: 350 Diesel FarmAll w/front end loader, 12 Ft. Tandem, Hydrolic Disc box blade, Section harrow, 4ft. tiller, \$5500 for all. Call 387-3075. (P)

 Storage Units For Rent

 Please call 387-3529 between

 9-5; after 5 p.m. call 387-3996

 or 387-2136.

Spring, Transitional & Formal Clothing Have great selection of PROM DRESSES! 2nd Hand Rose Hwy. 277 South - Eldorado 853-3736 3-(2-24-94)-b

Apply at Mr. D's between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. (4/7)00000 WANTED: Professional Owner Operators and full time drivers. Ellsworth Motor Freight Lines, Inc. is looking for qualified owner operators and full time drivers for our pneumatic fleet in Brady, TX. Must be 23 years of age with 2 years OTR within the last five years, have a CDL Drivers License with Tanker and Hazardous endorsements and pass a NIDA drug screen test. Call: Tom Cayce or Jerry Crawford at 1-800-375-2720 or 597-0707. (4/7)

ROUTE SALES SCHWAN'S HOME FOOD SERVICE STARTING PAY \$500.00 WHILE IN TRAINING. FOR APPOINTMENT CALL: 1-800-437-2068

