The Pony Express

Answer the following questions and use them as a guide to complete your newspaper articles. Be sure to save some images as you are researching and cite your sources.

* Whose idea was The Pony Express?
* What are the qualifications to become a Pony Express Rider?

* What are the benefits of being a rider?

* What types of impact will The Pony Express and the movement of the mail have on our society?

* How does the trail actually work?

* Where does the trail run?
* What are the dangers of the job?
* What is a swing station?

* What is a home station?

* What supplies does a rider take on the trail?
* How much does it cost to mail a letter?
* What challenges does a rider face?