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## Briefly

### DRN Deadline

The deadline for information to be included in the Devil's River News is 5 p. m. Friday for the following week's paper.

Information can be brought to the office located at 220 N. E. Main St. or mailed to the same address.

For pictures taken on Monday or Tuesday a two day notice should be given to our office.

### Absentee voting

Absentee voting will begin Wednesday, October 17 from 8 a. m. until 5 p. m. at the County Clerk's office located in the Sutton County Annex building.

### West Side Lions

West Side Lions Club will hold a car wash in the Pizza Hut parking lot Thursday, Oct. 25 from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. A \$5 donation will be asked. Please no big trucks.

The club will also have the glaucoma trailer available for public use on Saturday, Oct. 27 in front of the courthouse.

### Al Anon meetings

Al Anon meetings are held Thursday night at 8 p. m. Newcomers meet at 7:30 p.m.

Please call 387-5775 for further information.

### Los Amigos club

In honor of Hispanic Heritage month, the Los Amigos Club has chosen to recognize the Hispanic young men who are serving in the armed forces. We honor those who are not only stationed in the Middle East, but also those who are overseas as well as here in the states. Their valor and courage has been worthy of recognition and honor.

We pray for their safety and safe return to our community.

### Immunization clinic

The Texas Dept. of Health will hold an Immunization Clinic on October 22, 1990 from 9:30-12:00 p.m. at the office located next to Perry's.

### Social Security

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

### Bake sale

The Sonora Chapter #575, Order of the Eastern Star will hold a bake sale to help raise funds for Ann Hill. The sale will be held October 25th at Food Center at 8:30 a. m.

All proceeds and donations will be given to the Ann Hill Fund.

### Dee Ora to meet

Meetings of the Dee Ora Lodge 715 are held every third Thursday beginning at 7:30 p. m.

### Family shelter

The ICD Family Shelter holds support and counseling for victims of domestic violence and their supporters every Tuesday at 7 p. m. The sessions are open to the public and activities are available for children.

For more information call 655-5774. Outside of San Angelo, call toll-free 1-800-749-8631.

### Devil of a Deal

Our subscribers can now place free buy, sell or trade ads in a new weekly column designed for non-commercial purposes. A maximum of 20 words or five lines are allowed for anything other than vehicles, help-wanted or real estate. Ads must be placed by 5 p.m. Fridays.

## District opener a big smash Sonora dominates the Yellowjackets 50-14

By Griffin B. Cole  
DRN Editor

KERMIT - Dominating both sides of the ball, the Sonora Broncos opened District 6AAA with a convincing 50-14 victory over Kermit.

Two touchdowns within a minute built the Broncos a 14-0 lead in the first quarter and they were never threatened after that.

Using a potent running game, Sonora took the opening kickoff and drove 55 yards in 5:54. Sam Taylor capped the drive with a 3-yard burst for the score.

The kick for the extra point failed.

The Broncos' defense set up the next score.

On the Yellowjackets' third play, Blayze Sykes recovered a fumble at the Kermit 26.

Oscar Perez rambled 26 yards on the first play to build the lead to 12-0. David Mirike added the first of three 2-point conversions and it was 14-0 Sonora.

For Perez, it was his first game as the Bronco's fullback. There was no problem adjusting as Perez ran for 115 yards on just 13 carries.

"It was kind of scary," said Perez, "but after the beginning (of the game) it was alright."

Mirike saw the running of Perez as the key to the success of the Bronco's offense.

"We had success up the middle early and that opened the outside," said Mirike.

Eric Espinosa and Taylor traded off at the tailback spot and combined for 115 more yards, the majority of it around the end.

Sonora gained 362 yards on the ground for the game.

While the Sonora running game

	Sonora	Kermit
First Downs	21	17
Rushes-Yards	40-362	54-190
Passing	79	77
Comp-Att-Int	3-3-0	3-8-1
Punts	1-22.0	2-27.5
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	3-1
Penalties-Yards	4-24	5-40

Sonora 14 14 15 7 - 50  
Kermit 0 8 0 6 - 14

#### First Quarter

Son - Taylor 3 run (kick failed) 6:06  
Son - Perez 26 run (Mirike run) 5:12

#### Second Quarter

Son - Perez 13 run (kick failed) 8:30  
Ker - Pando 1 run (Ramirez run) 3:23  
Son - Taylor 31 run (Mirike run) 1:38

#### Third Quarter

Son - Mirike 3 run (Mirike run) 6:09  
Son - Espinosa 2 run (Keller kick) 1:52

#### Fourth Quarter

Son - Gandar 81 run (Keller kick) 5:24  
Ker - Lujan 40 pass from Heiser (run failed) :32

#### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING - Sonora, Perez 13-115, Gandar 1-81, Taylor 7-77, Espinosa 10-38, Youngblood 3-20, Mirike 3-14, Farris 1-10, Keller 1-5

Escalera 1-2, Kermit, Halteman 21-106, Padron 12-61, Pando 10-29, Ramirez 7-0, Heiser 4-0

PASSING - Sonora, Mirike 2-2-0-74, Farris 1-1-0-5, Kermit, Ramirez 1-3-1-18, Heiser, 2-5-0-59

RECEIVING - Sonora, Chalk 2-74, S. Escalera 1-5, Kermit Lujan 1-40, Halteman 1-19, Martinez 1-18

was giving Kermit fits, the Bronco's defense followed the game plan.

"Going in we thought we had to shutdown Pando, their big fullback," said Sonora head coach Bob Bellard.

Pando was never able to break any plays as he was held to 29 yards on 10 efforts.

Nose guard Trini Sentena had the assignment of shutting down the inside game. Sentena said he tried to do the usual things, "Staying low. Keeping motivated," said Sentena.

With Sentena successfully holding the middle, the linebackers had a big night, said Bellard. Tate Fincher and Shane Keller were able to keep the outside contained. Kermit had just three runs over seven yards all night.

After Sonora and Kermit traded touchdowns to make the score 20-8, it was the option which built

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DRN staff photo by Griffin B. Cole

**TACKLED** - Sonora tailback Sam Taylor, on ground in white jersey, checks the yard marker after being tackled during the fourth quarter of the game against Kermit. Taylor gained 77 yards and scored twice as the Broncos beat Kermit 50-14.

## Sonora homecoming next week

The 1990 Homecoming at Sonora High School will have a little different flavor to it. The homecoming will have centennial celebration events surrounding it.

Homecoming celebrations will begin Friday Oct. 26 while centennial events will be confined to Saturday and Sunday.

For further information on the centennial celebration see the front page article.

The high school has planned a pep rally at the gymnasium for Friday afternoon to help fire up the football team for its game against Colorado City.

Game time at Bronco Stadium will be 7:30 p.m.

Prior to the game, at 7 p.m. will be the presentation of the Homecoming Court and the

crowning of the Homecoming Queen.

Current high school students will be able to attend the homecoming dance to be held at the high school foyer following the game Friday night. The dance will last until midnight.

All alumni are invited to the Sutton County Steakhouse for a fifth quarter get-together.

Saturday, Oct. 27, the activities will start at 10 a.m. in the high school foyer with a reception for all alumni, teachers and faculty. Local merchants have donated prizes for a drawing.

The Homecoming Association will furnish a lunch for those attending beginning at noon.

Vivian Micars will host the reunion for the 1950-64 classes

beginning at 2 p.m. There will be snacks and a barbecue later in the evening.

The classes of 1940-49 will meet at the home of Joan and Jim Cusenbary for a reunion beginning at 3 p.m.

Saturday's activities will close with a dance at the slab at the county park beginning at 9 p.m. and lasting until 1 a.m.

Sunday's homecoming activities will center on the courthouse lawn. At 11 a.m. there will be a centennial community church service. The Woman's Club will follow up with a Dutch Treat lunch at noon.

Activities will wrap up with performances of the play *April 2, 1901* at 2 p.m. and 4:30 p.m.

## Centennial fun resumes next week

Ah yes, the celebration of 100 years has really only just begun.

After a lull following the big Sutton County Days celebration, it is time for locals once again to throw themselves back into the olden (or is it golden?) days and mark the centennial anniversary of Sonora and Sutton County.

Those involved in the original celebration hiked up their britches after a short break, one or two hours, and set up the second round. The second round will be Oct. 27-28.

This round will be different from Sutton County Days. Yes, there will be booths and the shoot out and a couple of similar activities, but things have been changed.

On Saturday the booths, mainly games and such, will open at 10 a.m.

Following closely on the heels of that, at 10:30 a.m., will be the first of three performances by the Tolar Family Medicine Show. The Tolar's made themselves known in the Sonora area with shows at the Covered Wagon Dinner Theater. They are hilarious and should not be missed. Their other shows will be at 12:15 p.m. and 4:15 p.m.

The old-time games will begin on the courthouse lawn and 11:15 a.m. and once again at 1:30 p.m. This is an opportunity for children and adults alike to see what they can do.

Some of the grandest stories can be expected at 1 p.m. as the Liar's contest gets started.

At 2 p.m. will be the first of four performances of the play *April 2, 1901*, written by local playwright Martha Valliant McLain. As Martha likes to say, "The play is hysterical not historical."

It is loosely based on the book written by local author John Eaton concerning the shooting of Will Carver.

Speaking of Will Carver, the

## Gun fight expected at centennial celebration

*Editors note: This article is based on several written earlier this year concerning the Payton and Garrett Gangs which have staged gun fights during celebrations in the past.*

It doesn't take much to start a fight in this rough and tumble town. Just ask the Payton and Garrett Gangs.

A woman dancing with the wrong man, a broken promise and the next anybody knows guns are going off.

Since the August gunfight in which there were a number of casualties, including a couple of by-standers, things have been quiet. There is no doubt the Garrett Gang got the worst of the fight. Several members were killed including leader James Garrett.

Just the other day Tom Payton, leader of the Payton Gang, stopped by this establishment and spread some ugly rumors. Payton said the Garrett Gang is gathering up forces again and is looking for revenge.

Payton even said they were heading into town at this very moment.

It seems outrageous. Just about anybody would think this has

gone far enough.

Yet it appears Payton is telling the truth. Shots have been heard late at night. Reportedly it is the Payton Gang taking a little target practice.

No word has been heard from afar about the Garrett Gang or whoever is now leading this notorious band of outlaws.

It should be remembered it was the Payton Gang (Tom himself as a matter of fact) who started the trouble on that fateful Saturday in late August. He continues to claim the belt buckle belongs to him.

When he didn't get his way he shot two locals who were basically minding their own business.

This is the man who claims Sonora is Payton's Place and we need him. Maybe it turns out the Garrett Gang isn't just a bunch of bad guys.

No matter. The feeling is something will happen again and the best bet is during the centennial celebration in a little over a week.

Why change something that has been successful?

Wild Bunch will be back for another gun fight downtown. The Garrett and Payton Gangs didn't get enough during Sutton County Days. Word has it the Garrett Gang has had numerous changes including possibly a new leader. Folks will have to wait and see.

The second performance of *April 2, 1901*, will take place at 4 p.m. in the county courthouse as well. Booths will close at 5 p.m.

Saturday.

Sunday's activities will begin at 11 a.m. with an all-community church service at the courthouse lawn.

The Woman's Club will serve a lunch on the lawn beginning at noon. The lunch will be followed by the beard, bonnet, hat and costume contest at 1 p.m.

The final two performances of the centennial play will be held beginning at 2 p.m. and 4:30 p.m.



DRN staff photo by Griffin B. Cole

**EMS OFFICERS** - On Oct. 1 the Sutton County Emergency Medical Service met to elect new officers for the 1990-91 year. New officers are; front row, Eddie McReynolds, president and George Keese, training officer. Back row; Susan Burnham, treasurer; Lisa Cook, secretary; Donna Keese, vice-president and Treva McReynolds, historian.

## Benefit set for Ann Hill

A benefit for Ann Hill, which will include rodeo events and a chili supper, has been scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 20, at the Sutton County Arena.

Scheduled events will begin with team roping to begin at 1 p.m. A \$5 cattle charge will be asked along with \$10 per team. Books for the event will open at noon.

An open jackpot barrel race at \$10 per person will begin at 12:30 p.m. The jackpot will be \$5.

A pairs horseshoe pitching event will kickoff at 1 p.m. which will cost \$5 with a \$5 benefit also.

All-an-all-you-can-eat chili supper will start at 5 p.m. with adults to be charged \$5 and children \$3. Auction items are also welcome.

Beer concessions will be provided by the Sonora Volunteer Fire Department. Organizers ask that no coolers be brought in.

All proceeds from the event will benefit Ann Hill.

## Local mail carrier celebrates 25 years as postal employee

One thing the Sonora post office does not have to fear is lack of experience. Abelino Sanchez is the second employee at the post office to celebrate 25 years of experience.

In May Jean Humphrey also hit the mark.

For Abelino it was a matter of patience, extreme patience, in sticking with the postal service. Abelino worked for 12 years before being promoted to a full

time position.

"I was always making it," Abelino said in explaining how he was able to stay so long. He said he always averaged 36-40 hours a week of work.

Once Abelino hit full time there was a difference. A guaranteed 40-hour work week, paid holidays and just plain more job security.

It was the security which attracted Abelino to the postal

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**Just Chatting**  
By Griffin Cole  
DRN Publisher



## Century mark brings pride

A century is nothing to sneeze at. That is why I have a great amount of pride in working here at the Devil's River News.

On Oct. 18, 1890 Michael Murphy, with help from his brother and several others, put out the very first edition of the Sonora Devil's River News. Since the beginning, the Devil has managed to keep going through thick and thin and several different owners.

There just aren't many businesses that make it to a century old, especially in the newspaper business where weeklies are known to begin and end without hardly being noticed.

My pride in working at the DRN is not about anything I have done since I've been here. It's built more on what the newspaper is about and I guess the history which seems rather romantic.

For some reason just the thought of working at some place which has been around for so long strikes me in a strange way. As soon as I moved here and started working, I felt like, well, like I had been here a long time.

While I confess I don't know a whole lot of the history behind the Devil, sometimes I think I know all about it. What it would have taken to get a newspaper out, what the community expected.

Reality luckily wins out and I realize I hardly know a thing.

I just hope the special feeling of the Devil's River News never leaves me. If it does, I'll be missing something special.

There hasn't been a whole lot of fanfare about the newspaper turning a hundred years old. At least not yet.

Originally I had planned on a special edition to come out on this

date which makes the DRN exactly a hundred years old.

Unfortunately reality soon set in. I learned the Devil would be a century in mid-May and started the plans for the special edition. I learned it is much easier to plan than to follow thru.

As a result, there is no special edition in this paper. But, (there is always a but) there will be a special edition at the end of the year. We have planned for an issue which will include the regular newspaper, a review of 1990 and a special edition celebrating the centennial of the paper.

Things are progressing nicely I'm glad to report.

One of the special items will be a contest to design a new flag for the newspaper.

I promise the special edition will come out in the final issue for 1990.

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I received a pleasant surprise Tuesday. I was treated to lunch by the Devil's other employees and they bought me a brand new tie. It was silk no less. I oohed and ahhed over it.

Just what was the special occasion? Bosses day.

I'm still wondering what they want.

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Kermit fans take their football seriously. The Yellowjackets won only one of their first four games. As a result there were just about as many Sonora fans at the game as there were Kermit fans.

Fans who made the trip should be given a hearty pat on the back.

Also, I did not drive to the game. I happened to catch a ride with some friends of mine. I know there were some fans who were darn glad of that too.

Dear Sir,

The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, located on highway 55, midway between Rocksprings and Sonora, is celebrating its 75th anniversary with a grazing management field day on October 23, 1990. This field day will present some of the "state of the art" range and grazing management research to the public.

We feel this field day is very timely because there seems to be a lot of unrest among the general public today concerning the management and health of our natural resources. Society appears to be moving closer toward the idea of a protectionist philosophy where everyone is a self-styled environmentalist. Because of this, various organizations with strong political clout have developed over the years, and already they have changed governmental policy significantly.

One doesn't need to look further than the daily newspaper to see evidence of this strong environmental awareness. This year more than an estimated 200 million people around the world celebrated the 20th anniversary of Earth Day. Environmental groups in Dallas, Houston, San Antonio, Austin and most other major cities across Texas protested against what they believed was less than optimum natural resource management.

Unfortunately, many people consider ranching as an exploitative industry. For this reason, neither the industry nor those engaged in it have received a great amount of favorable consideration at the hands of society. Today, ranchers are faced with deteriorated rangeland, poisonous plants, predators, animal health problems, brush infestation, variable precipitation patterns, escalating operating costs, an unstable economy, erratic markets and an unsympathetic public.

Historically, the grazing cattle, sheep, goats and deer on Edwards Plateau rangeland has been an excellent example of how to increase both the use of vegetation and maximize ranch income. But apparently it is not as easy to run all four species of livestock on the same ranch as it used to be. Poisonous plants such as bitterweed put a lot of ranchers out of the sheep business while predators have significantly reduced the areas where sheep and goats can be safely run.

The general public doesn't seem to be very concerned about this turn of events. Proof of this is the lack of strong public support for renewing the wool and mohair program in the 1990 farm bill. Also other groups such as the animal-rights activists have not only declared war on hunting and trapping of all animals, including

## Letter to the Editor

predators, but also advocate a "no animal" agriculture. Endangered species, both plants and animals, also pose an indirect threat to the livestock industry. Examples of endangered species found in the Edwards Plateau are the Black-capped Vireo, Golden-cheeked Warbler and Fish-hook cactus.

Since livestock have been implicated in the destruction of these critters' habitats, there is pressure to remove or at least limit the use of livestock on their home ranges. It doesn't take a prophet to see that the livestock industry in general and sheep and goats in particular are at a critical stage.

For those of us involved either in research or management of rangelands it is difficult to understand why someone would be against the use of grazing animals to harvest range vegetation with the purpose of providing food and fiber for society. After all, this process has been occurring naturally on rangelands for thousands of years, long before European man settled the Edwards Plateau. In fact, the present native plants and animals found on the Edwards Plateau began co-evolving about 25 million years ago.

So what's all the fuss about? Isn't ranching just another business enterprise that provides a wholesome product for society without nearly as much corruption and white-collar crime as, for example, the Savings and Loan Industries?

We know that rangeland is a valuable resource in Texas and that it provides a lot more products than just livestock. This coupled with the fact that public attitudes have changed from a pioneering spirit where nature was "tamed" to an attitude of environmentalism where nature is "free", increases the need for the ranching industry to adopt and practice sound conservation on rangelands.

We're already entering an era in Texas where ranching on privately owned land does not necessarily allow the owner to do what he wants with the natural resources found on the land. As managers of land, we are being watched more closely now than ever before. We need to convince the public that because we are more numbers are still unborn" - (unnamed American Indian). If the public really understood that the majority of livestock ranchers felt this way about their land, then we would have much less interference with practicing an honorable profession.

I think the ranching industry probably has never before faced as many serious challenges or as many real opportunities as there intimately associated with the land

and that since our income is derived from the land that we are the best qualified to manage the land. One of my favorite quotes about the management of land is this: "land belongs to a vast family of which many are dead, few are living, and countless are today. As we look to the future then, what should we do?"

I encourage you to attend our grazing management field day on October 23 and bring some friends. It doesn't matter whether they are interested in ranching or

not. Because we all enjoy the products of our Texas rangelands, we need to become more informed about their wise use.

Sincerely yours,  
Charles A. Taylor, Jr.

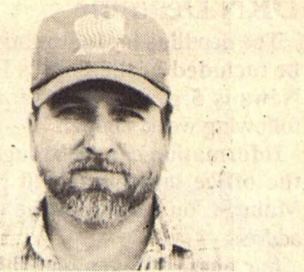
Dear Editor,

I would like to express my appreciation to Tom Clifton and the Sonic for allowing the Sonora High School Choir to use their lot for our annual Free Carwash. The wash was a success and we would like to thank everyone that donated.

John Zimmerman  
SHS Director of Choral Music

## Ramblin'

By Jim Fish  
Contributing writer



## A letter to my friends

"Imagination, of all man's faculties, is the most God-like," said Glenn Clark. In the words of Ralph Waldo Emerson, "Imagination is not the talent of some but is the health of every man."

Dear friends and fellow artists,

You've heard me quote the above lines many times and I would like for you to keep them in mind as you read these few lines. As you know, I have been busily working on my first novel, allocating three and four hours to its writing every day. It is a work of fiction based on personal and 'borrowed' experiences, research and character traits collected from many of my acquaintances. I have virtually lived in the imaginary world created by my words and phrases.

At present, I've completed the first drafts of six chapters, the last four during the passed two months. The first two have been a year in completion. I recently made a discovery which I feel compelled to share, so bear with me if it strikes you as "old news".

In creating the characters for the story, I experienced a great sense of accomplishment. In the world of my novel, they are very real. However, I had to kill one off a couple weeks ago and surprisingly, I found myself grieving. So much so that it was difficult to continue the story afterwards. Having formulated the plot before hand, I knew it had to happen, and when. Still, my grief was felt to the point that it affected my disposition for a day or two.

After reading the works of many authors, I wondered how they could communicate feelings as they did. Now, I know. I couldn't fathom how they could spend hour upon hour, day in, day out writing and rewriting, and rewriting. . . Now, I know.

In the limitless realm of their imagination, they are in absolute control. They are the one

omnipotent being, its creator who impersonally conducts the passage of events, as well as those who participate in them. The reward of writing has little to do with monetary gain and a lot to do with the satisfaction of creating something from nothing, so to speak. Do you understand the implications of what I'm saying?

In the world we create, we are God. When you reside there for a while, you begin to feel the confidence from the power you wield in that world.

In "Creative Living for Today", Maxwell Maltz briefly alludes to the importance of one's imagination in his life.

"We all have the capacity of imagination and we must use it constructively. Imagination used destructively produces discontent; imagination used constructively produces confidence. You use your imagination constructively by utilizing the feel of past successes in your present undertakings. You use your imagination destructively by fretting about past failures. You must turn your back on negative feelings now - during your creative day."

"We must see life in focus within us, behind us, in front of us. Within us we must overcome our faults and habitually rise our creative powers. . . In front of us is today, potentially a glorious day, which our imagination shapes before we test it in reality."

Again, I've read and quoted opening lines of this letter many times and understood its significance. Nevertheless, my newly acquired insight into faculty, I truly understand its reaching application in every moment of mortal existence.

Imagination is the one capacity that sets us apart from any other species in the world and marks us as children of God.

I look forward to your reply and thoughts on the subject.

Sincerely,  
Jim Fish

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**Now accepting craft items to be sold on consignment**

**Healthcare**  
By M. Scott Gilmore  
Hospital Administrator



**Corrections**

The Devil's River News inadvertently referred to the Sutton County Sheriff as Bill Wallace in an article last week. It should be Sutton County Sheriff Bill Webster.

Joe Lane of the State Highway Department was mistakenly identified as Joe Bryant in an article last week.

The Devil's River News offers apologies to both individuals.

## Texas nursing shortage pits high demand against low supply

Texas is in the throes of a serious nurse shortage -- and it's not going to get better anytime soon.

The problem is getting worse because Texas schools of nursing do not have the necessary funding for more faculty and classrooms to educate more nursing students.

In the fall of 1989 alone, 1,387 potential nurses were turned away from nursing schools and placed on a waiting list. The Texas Nurses Association projects that in the fall of 1990, at least 2,000 qualified applicants will have to be placed on a waiting list. Two or three years from now, because of this and because of an increasing demand, Texas' nurse supply will be even further behind.

The nursing shortage in rural Texas is even more complex. There's an 18 percent vacancy rate in critical care RNs in non-metropolitan Texas counties, compared with a 14 percent vacancy rate in metropolitan counties. If a small rural hospital or clinic loses even one nurse, it can mean the difference between operating and closing or cutting back services. The increased demand for more RNs, rather than the LVNs who make up 61 percent of the nursing workforce in non-metropolitan counties, has also left rural Texas shorthanded. Many small rural hospitals,

and clinics cannot afford to offer the recruiting bonuses metropolitan hospitals are resorting to in order to get new nurses.

Why is there such a shortage of nurses in Texas? The primary reason is the rapidly increasing demand for registered nurses. In 1987, it took 66 RNs to care for each 100 patients. Today 100 RNs are needed to care for 100 patients. The reason more nurses are needed for the same number of patients is because of shorter, more intensive hospital stays; the increased technical demand of medical procedures; and the aging population which requires more intensive nursing care.

The second reason for the shortage is a dip in enrollment in nursing schools that occurred in 1984-86. The third reason is that Texas has never produced the numbers and kinds of nurses it needs. Texas has always relied on substitution and immigration for adequate RNs. In the early 1980s, about 2,500 RNs a year moved here to work. With the slump in the Texas economy, that number dropped in 1987 to zero-- and now Texas loses more RNs each year than it gets from immigration.

Solutions to the crisis. One way to combat the nursing shortage, especially in rural Texas,

Please see Healthcare, page 8

**For Your Information...**

By Lolabeth Jones  
County Extension Agent-Home Economics



## Project looks at voting system

4-H Club Citizenship project members will have the opportunity to study our national voting system as the November 6 election draws near. Part of the Citizenship project involves becoming aware of our government and how it works.

Linda Love is once again hosting the "Junior Chef" contest at the Sutton County Steakhouse. Each year the 4-H Food & Nutrition project members compete for the title of "Junior Chef" of the year. The awards program and auction will be held October 22 at the Steakhouse, beginning at 6:00 p. m.

Remember October 27 and 28 are the last two days of the Centennial celebration. All activities will take place in the Courthouse vicinity and downtown. Look for the Garrett gang and the Payton gang to strike again. The judging for the Beard, Bonnet, Hat and Costume contest will be on Sunday, October 28, after lunch on the Courthouse

lawn. Be sure to wear your costumes to church on Sunday at the Courthouse.

If you are interested in entering the "Make It Yourself With Wool" contest, we have entry forms at the County Extension Service office. Call us at 387-3604 for details.

Halloween is just around the corner, and pumpkins are already available in our local stores.

When purchasing a pumpkin, choose one that is blemish-free and has a hard rind. Look for one that is heavy for its size. Large pumpkins may have stringy, coarse flesh with less flavor than small or medium ones. Kept cool and dry, pumpkins can be kept several months.

One pound of pumpkin will yield one cup when cooked. One pint of cooked pumpkin usually makes three to four servings. To cook pumpkin, wash and peel it. Then cut it into chunks and boil it until tender. Mash it through a sieve or blend until smooth.

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# Community invited to "Friendship Fish Fry"

Friends of Ann Hill will be holding a "Friendship Fish Fry" at the Sutton County Park on October 26. This event will take place before the Sonora Homecoming game against Colorado City. The fish fry will be from 4:00 p. m. to 7:00 p. m. The meal will be \$5 per plate, and plates to go will be available. All proceeds from the Friendship Fish Fry will go to

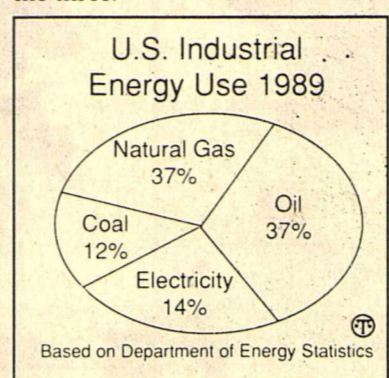
the ANN HILL FUND. Other donations will be appreciated. Tax deductible donations are being accepted at the First National Bank and the Sutton County National Bank. Funds will go into the Sutton County Community Trust, located at the First National Bank of Sonora. For more information on the "Friendship Fish Fry", please call Patsy Johnson at 387-2840 or Nelda Mayfield at 387-3096.

## New arrival

Gary and Jill Wuest announce the arrival of a daughter, Hannah Juliane Wuest. She was born September 27 in Paris, Texas. She weighed 8 pounds 12 ounces and is 20 3/4 inches long. She is welcomed by a big brother, Jacob Miller Wuest age three. Gary, Jill, Jacob and Hannah live in Talco, Texas. Gary is the Elementary Principal K-8 for Talco - Bogata CISD. The maternal grandparents are Don and Judy Miller of Kingsville, Texas. The paternal grandparents are Oliver and Anabel Wuest of Sonora.

## Energy Facts

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## Card of thanks

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the wonderful people of Sonora who did so much for us during our time of grief. We appreciate so much all the thoughts, food, flowers, visits and prayers. The Family of Jane Hard

## Brown - Voigt wed

Karen Brown and Howard Voigt were married on October 13, 1990 at the Church of the Good Shepherd in Sonora. Rev. Lewis Allen officiated. Maid of Honor was Wanda Nixon. Flower/ring girl was Lee Brown. Best man was Wayford Tyler, Jr. The new couple will reside in Sonora.



The brown Indian muntjac, or barking deer, barks like a dog. The buck is 30 inches tall and has two-tined antlers, about four inches long.

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**Wednesday, October 24** - French toast, juice and milk.  
**Thursday, October 25** - Biscuit w/ gravy, ham, fruit and milk.  
**Friday, October 26** - Scrambled egg, toast w/jelly, juice and milk.

**LUNCH**  
**Monday, October 22** - Cheese pizza, confetti corn, diced pears, popsicle and milk.  
**Tuesday, October 23** - Steakfingers w/gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli, rice krispie treat, rolls and milk.  
**Wednesday, October 24** - Hamburger, curly Q potatoes, lettuce, tomato & sliced pickles, brownies and milk.  
**Thursday, October 25** - Hot turkey sandwich, okra, carrot & raisin salad, cinnamon roll and milk.  
**Friday, October 26** - Chicken enchiladas, vegetable salad, broccoli & cauliflower blend, coconut pudding and milk.

## Senior Center menu

**Monday, October 22** - Hamburger patty w/cheese, french fries, lettuce & tomato slices, hamburger bun, pickles & onions and butterscotch pudding w/topping.  
**Tuesday, October 23** - Chicken cacciatore, butter spinach, green peas, garlic toast and banana pudding.  
**Wednesday, October 24** - Meat loaf w/tomatoes, mashed potatoes, broccoli w/cheese sauce, whole wheat rolls and oatmeal cookies.  
**Thursday, October 25** - Fried catfish w/tartar sauce, hominy o'brien, okra gumbo, cornbread and rice pudding w/raisin sauce.  
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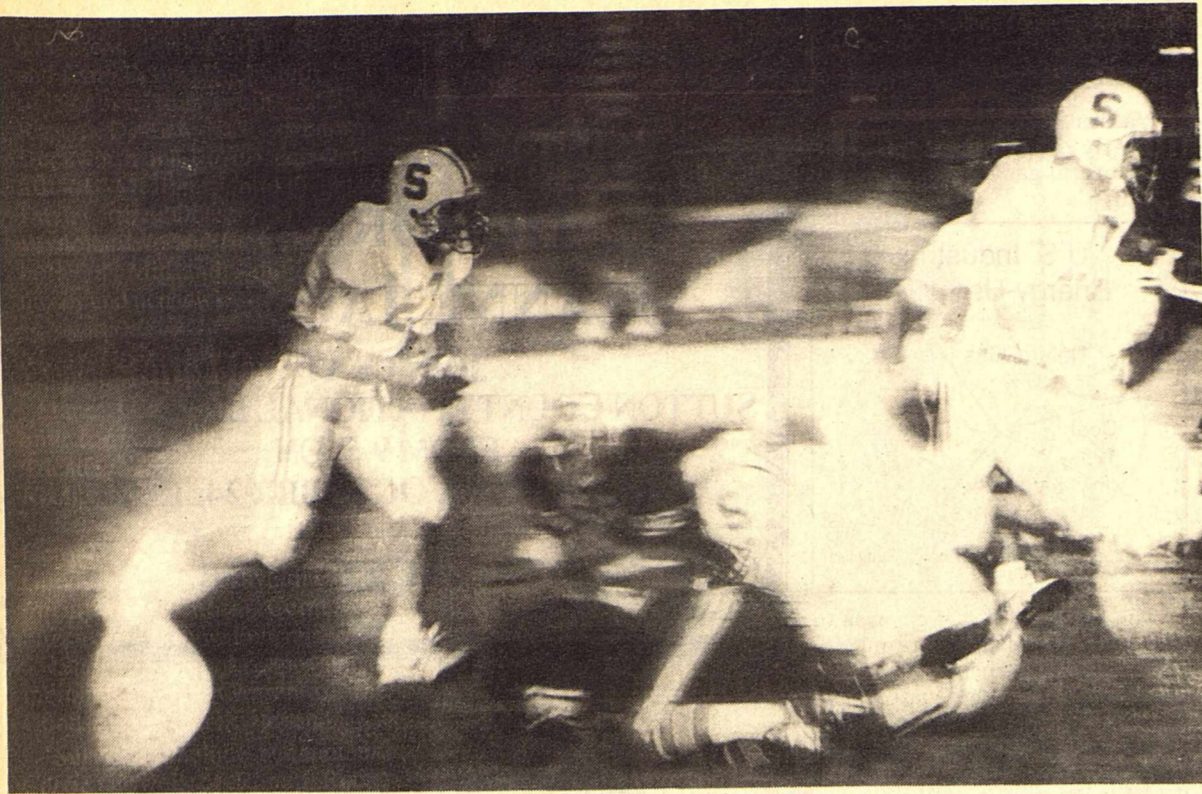
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## OF JOBS

### Union Dues And Politics

Whether you belong to a union or not, a recent vote in the Senate could affect you and your family next election day. The vote concerned the use of union dues as a campaign contribution.

Fifty-seven senators voted to overturn a U.S. Supreme Court landmark decision that empowers employees to stop the use of union dues for union activities such as politics, unrelated to collective bargaining. Enactment of these provisions, which may soon be forwarded for President Bush's approval, would turn back the clock on employee rights by some thirty years, says the National Right to Work Committee.

To find out how your Senator voted on this issue write to the Right to Work Committee, 8001 Braddock Road, Suite 580, Springfield VA 22160

## Obituaries

### Kenneth Duckworth

Kenneth L. Duckworth, 61, died Tuesday, October 9 in Shannon Medical Center.

Services were held Friday, October 12 at Johnson Funeral Home chapel with Don Jones of Sonora Church of Christ officiating. Graveside services were held in Eden Cemetery.

He was born Feb. 21, 1929, in Eden. He was married to Oleta Atwood on Nov. 4, 1950 in Eden Texas. He was an assistant maintenance foreman for the Texas Highway Department.

He had been a resident of Sonora for 37 years.

Survivors include his wife, Oleta Duckworth of Sonora; two daughters, Terry Nell Duckworth and Lynn Denise Duckworth, both of Sonora; four brothers, Billy Ray Duckworth, Bunny Duckworth and R. A. Duckworth, all of Midland, and Ronnie Duckworth of Odessa; two sisters, Wynojoe Ivie and Judy Sheppard, both of Midland; and several nieces and nephews.

### Jane Hard

Jane Hard, 56, of Round Rock and formerly of Sonora, died Tuesday, October 9 in Round Rock.

Services were held Thursday, October 11 at the Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian, with burial in Sonora Cemetery, directed by Kerbow Funeral Home. She was a bookkeeper and a member of the Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian.

Survivors include her mother, Carrie Howell of Round Rock; two sons, Robert Hard of Sonora and Richard Hard of Uvalde; two daughters, Rebecca Harris of Sonora and Debra Del Castillo of Round Rock; four brothers, Joe Howell of Lindsay, Okla., Gene Howell of Odessa, Donald Howell of Sheffield, Tommy Howell of San Angelo; one sister, Christine Casstevens of Sherman; and seven grandchildren, T. J. and Lesa Harris, Stephanie and Kara Hard all of Sonora; Ryan, Christopher and Meghan Hard all of Uvalde.

### Frankie Jackson Luce

Frankie Lou (Jackson) Luce, 70, of London died Tuesday, October 9, 1990 in a Junction nursing home. Services were held Friday, October 12, 1990 at 2 p. m. at Heritage-Mission Funeral Home at Menard with burial in Fort McKavett cemetery.

She was born January 15, 1920 at Hext, Texas to Charlie and Della Sellers Wallace.

She was married to Woodrow W. (Jack) Jackson and they lived in Sonora for many years on the Dan Harrison ranch. He preceded her in death on April 20, 1976.

She married Donald W. Luce on January 1, 1977 at Sonora and had lived in London for the past 13 years. She was a housewife and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband, Donald W. Luce of London; a son, Jerry D. Jackson of Odessa; two daughters, Sandra Brandon of Sterling City and Linda Hearn of Weatherford. She was preceded in death by her son Wallace R. Jackson in 1984.

Also surviving are seven grandchildren, Carol Warren of Rockwall, Wallace R. Jackson, Jr. of Fort Worth, Kristi Wolff of Weatherford, Bonnie Alford of Odessa, Jason Hearn of Weatherford, Julie Jackson of Ballinger, Jerry D. Jackson, Jr. of Sonora and five great-grandchildren.

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New Life Assembly of God 306 N. 4th Street Sun. Worship 10:30 am Sun. evening worship 6:00 pm Weds. Study 7:00 pm Daniel Timmerman, Pastor	Jehovah's Witness 310 St. Ann's / 387-2679 or 7-3947 English Meeting Public Talk-10 am Sun. Watchtower Study-11:55 Sunday Theocratic School-7:30 pm Wed. Service Meeting-8:15 Wednesday Bible Study-7:30 Monday	Hope Lutheran Church Sunday School-10 am Worship Service-11 am Thursday: Adult Bible Class-8 pm Charles Huffman, Pastor
Primera Iglesia Bautista Sunday School-9:45 am Worship Service-11:00 am Training Union-5:00 pm Evening Service-6:00 pm Wednesday Service 7:00 pm W.M.U.-Sunday-2:00 pm Between Santa Clara & Chestnut	New Hope Baptist Mission 708 SE Crockett Sun. morning bible Study-10 am Sun. morning Worship-11 am Sun. evening Worship-7 pm Weds. Childrens Bible Study-7 pm Dana Floyd-Pastor	St. Ann's Catholic Church Rev. Lawrence D'Mello Deacon E. Samaniego Saturday Night Mass-7 pm English Sunday Mass 8 am Spanish 11 am English Holy Day Mass-7 pm
Somebody Cares Ministry Rev. Louis Halford Sunday Adult Bible Hour-9:30 am Super Son Bible Hour-9:30 am Morning Service-10:45 am L.I.F.E. (youth)-3:00 pm Evening Service-6:00 pm Wednesday Bible Study-7:00 pm	Church of Christ Minister-Don Jones Bible School-10 am Worship-11 am Sunday Night-6:30 pm Wednesday Night-7 pm	St. John's Episcopal Church 404 NE Poplar Holy Eucharist-Sunday 8 & 11 am Sunday School-9:45 am Holy Eucharist w/Prayers for healing, 1 & 3- Wed. 7:15 pm Rev. J. Monte Jones, Rector
First Baptist Church Rev. Jim Stephen Sunday School-9:45 am Morning Worship-11:00 am Church Training-6:00 pm Evening Worship-7:00 pm Wednesday Service-7:00 pm	First United Methodist Church Kent L. Kepler Sunday School-9:45 am Worship-10:55 am KHOS 92.1 FM-11 am Chancel Choir Wednesday-7:30 pm	Templo Jerusalem Asamblea de Dios St. Ann's Street Sunday School-10 am Sun. Worship Serv.-11 am Sun. Evening Serv.- 5 pm Wednesday Service-7 pm Friday Prayer Meeting-7 pm Daniel Diaz de Leon, Pastor

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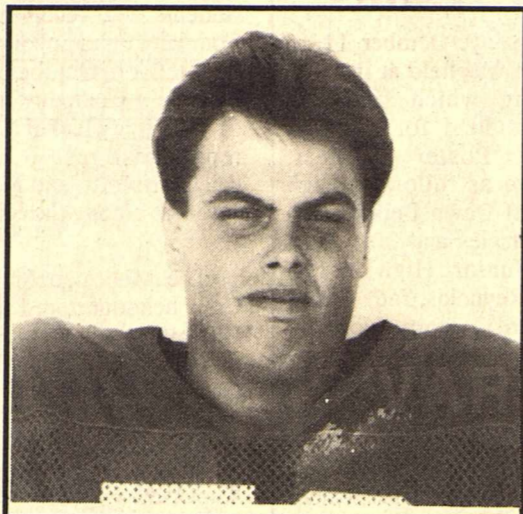
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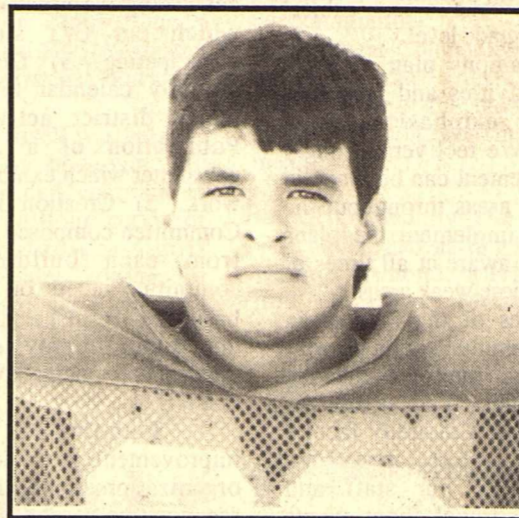
A junior at SHS, Robert plays defensive tackle for the mighty Bronco football team. He is the son of Dale and Ginger Gallion

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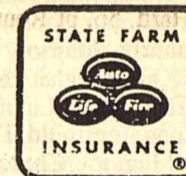
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SEPT. 14	JUNCTION	AWAY	33-0
SEPT. 21	OZONA	AWAY	42-8
SEPT. 28	MASON	HOME	15-14
OCT. 5	BALLINGER	AWAY	20-40
OCT. 12	KERMIT*	AWAY	50-14
OCT. 19	REAGAN COUNTY*	HOME	7:30 P.M.
OCT. 26	COLORADO CITY*	HOME	7:30 P.M.
NOV. 2	MIDLAND GREENWOOD*	AWAY	7:30 P.M.
NOV. 9	CRANE*	HOME	7:30 P.M.

**JUNIOR VARSITY SCHEDULE**

Oct. 18	Regan County	There
Oct. 25	Eldorado	Here
Nov. 1	Del Rio Freshmen	There
Nov. 8	Crane	There

**Junior High Schedule**

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Oct. 25	Eldorado	There
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## Sonora I. S. D. develops District Improvement Plan

Sonora I. S. D. has developed a District Improvement Plan and from that a plan has evolved for each campus. A needs assessment was required to identify areas for improvement as well as a method of gaining input from the community, parents, and staff members. The community/school survey that we conducted in the fall of 1989 served as a means of gathering this planning information. The plan that was adopted at the September board meeting contained the following priorities: 1) Communication - includes parent/teacher as well as administrator/teacher 2) Technology - with an emphasis on the use of computers 3) Language Arts - with an emphasis on vocabulary 4) Math - with an

emphasis on application 5) Curriculum focus in each subject area at each grade level.

Each campus plan includes specific activities and resources that will emphasize these priorities. We feel very strongly that improvement can be made in all of these areas throughout the year if we implement the plans while being aware at all times of improving these weak areas.

Examples of the manner in which the communication priority of the District Improvement Plan has been addressed are as follows: 1) Publishing a monthly faculty newsletter that provides information to our staff and auxiliary personnel about events of interest in the school district. 2) Publishing a monthly G/T

newsletter that is sent to parents describing various activities in which our G/T students are participating. 3) Distributing a monthly calendar that lists all major district activities. 4) Publication of a 2nd grade newsletter which exhibits students' work. 5) Creation of a District Committee composed of teachers from each building. The committee meets on a monthly basis and furnishes the staff an opportunity to provide input into the decision making process of the district.

Planning is vital to improvement at all levels in an organization; hopefully we will see positive results of the work that we have done by the end of the 1990-91 school year.

## Sonora Primary perfect attendance 1st six weeks

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**SECOND GRADE** - Hilario Agüero, Andrea Allen, Lindsey Bowers, Afton Browning, Pedro Capuchin, Sandra Cardon, Cassi Cole, Riley Crain, Serena Duran, Kristina Edmondson, Joe Flores, Jose Galindo, Jennifer Gonzalez, Stephanie Hard, Ryan Hardgrave, Rosalinda Hernandez, Shalayne Hobbs, Thomas Jacoby, Trey Johnson, Crispin Lira, Kelly Lockstedt, Lorena Lopez, Kandra McIntyre, Jeremiah McLaughlin, Cole McMillon, Adam Mendez, Dora Mendez, Friend Mendez, Alison Montalvo, Michael Moore, Errbey Moreno, Jacob Percifull, Joseph Percifull, Myrna Ramirez, Rocio Renteria, Texie Russell, Anthony Sanchez, Corey Scheidemann, Jerrad Solis, Gillom Thompson, Ben Torres, Jesus Torres, Andrea Vasquez, Eloy Velardez, Stephen Vickers, Daniel Ward, Christopher Weingart, Raymond Williams, Robert Wilson, Austin Youngblood and Travis Youngblood.

## Second grade honor roll 1st six weeks

All As - Andrea Allen, Brook Bolt, Lindsey Bowers, Afton Browning, Cassi Cole, Riley Crain, Kristina Edmondson, Christopher Green, Stephanie Hard, Ryan Hardgrave, Daisha Henson, Thomas Jacoby, Kelly Lockstedt, Lorena Lopez, Charles Lozano, Kandra McIntyre, Alison Montalvo, Joseph Percifull, Texie Russell, Pedro Samaniego, Gillom Walker Thompson, Jacob Trainer, Ben Torres, Christopher Weingart, Raymond Bryce Williams and Robert Wilson.

All As, one B - Ubaldo Luna, Errbey Moreno, Jacob Percifull, Daniel Solis, Daniel Ward and Austin Youngblood.

## Fire prevention poster results

On Thursday, October 11 an Open House was held at the Fire Hall, during which time the judging was held for the Fire Prevention Poster Contest. Results were as follows: High School - 1st) Dawn Bebee, 2nd) Monica Gonzales and 3rd) Carl Vargas. Junior High - 1st) Michael McReynolds, 2nd) Shane Deel and 3rd) Jenny Noriega. Intermediate School - 1st) Camille Marshall, 2nd) Laura Ponce and 3rd) Misty Castilleja. Primary School - 1st) Steven Moss, 2nd) Julia Sanchez and 3rd) Joe Perciful. Grand Prize winner was Steven Moss who attends Sonora Primary School.

## Mitzi Joy receives scholarship

Five Texas Tech University students who received Moorman Company Fund Scholarships were honored on October 10 by the Moorman Company and College of Agricultural Sciences representatives. Mitzi Joy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Joy, was among the recipients.

The Moorman Manufacturing Co., headquartered in Quincy, Illinois, produces biomedical products, mineral supplements and feed concentrates for livestock and poultry.

Moorman Manufacturing Co. provides scholarships to 34 colleges of agriculture. The scholarship awards are based on scholastic achievement, leadership and sincere interest in agriculture.

The students were recognized during a dinner attended by College of Agricultural Sciences representatives and Moorman Co. officials.

Texas Tech's College of Agricultural Sciences annually gives five \$800 Moorman scholarships. The scholarship was established at Texas Tech in 1985.

## Choir students compete in tryouts

On Saturday, October 13, 9 students from the Sonora Junior High choir participated in the Region VII All-Region Choir tryouts. These students competed with 130 other students from Brownwood, Stephenville, Fredericksburg, Ballinger and Early. The choir members that will represent Sonora are Josh Adkins, Sara Marrs and Junior Odom. Teresa Brown also made second alternate.

Students from the high school representing Sonora in the All-Region choir are Carmen Burch and Sherry Hocutt. They will also be competing in November for a chance to go to Area Choir Tryouts in January. The All-Region Choir will perform on November 17 in the Sonora High School Auditorium. Students representing all of the above mentioned schools will be participating.

## Sonora Intermediate School honor roll 1st Six Weeks

**THIRD GRADE:**  
All As - Jacki Bellard, Russ Dempsey, Ester Diaz De Leon, Cindy Jones, Kim Marshall, Alan Nicholas, Jared Percifull, Ernie Perez, Isaac Perez, Tera Roberts, Caleb Taylor and Crystal Zimmerman.

**All As, one B** - David Benson, Graham Bloodworth, Brady Lock, Josh Payton, Angie Torres, Ubaldo Vaquera, Veronica Velez and Johnna Wade.

**FOURTH GRADE:**  
All As - Gerard Barrera, Stacey Becknell, Clint Bowers, Ashley Brockman, Dustin Dillard,

Monique Favila, Tanner Fields, Kristen Hardgrave, Cassie Jackson, Erin Marrs, Kari Purvis and Anthony Renfro.

**All As, one B** - Charlene Barron, Jesse Crawford, Bethany Deel, Breg Hughes, Zac Kerbow, Crystal Ponsetti and Blaine Wilkinson.

**FIFTH GRADE:**  
All As - Charlotte Alewine, Mayer Anderson, Kellie Downing, Cara Jackson, Jason Jacoby and Erin Payton.

**All As, one B** - Drew Dempsey, Traci Hightower and Camille Marshall.

## Sonora Junior High School honor roll 1st Six Weeks

**SIXTH GRADE:**  
All As - Brandi Bible, Rosy Bryant, Kristi Burge, Michele Cramer, David Fisher, Sarah Marrs, Charles Moss, Walker Wallace and Carla Weaver.


**All As, one B** - Debra Buitron, Edward Carrasco, Shawna Faris, Scott Farrar, Erica Kerbow and Andrew Mirike.

**SEVENTH GRADE:**  
All As - Curt Dempsey and Gayla Frederickson.

**All As, one B** - Tonni Balas, Chris Crowder, Roy Guerrero, Kelly McKnight, Laura Purvis, Connie Vaquera and Bonner Walsh.

**EIGHTH GRADE:**  
All As - David Davenport, Sandra Gonzalez and Amy Love.

**All As, one B** - Casey Fitzgerald, Callie Moore, Vicky Richardson, Candie Sessom, Serina Torres and Jeremy Yager.



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service in the first place. "I got what I wanted," said Abelino. When Abelino started he learned the job the old fashioned way, on the job training. The training went fairly smoothly. "I knew all the people, that helped a lot," said Abelino. Abelino said if a piece of mail was addressed wrong it really didn't matter because he was familiar with the town folk. While modern times are filling post offices, Abelino said things will continue the same. "Mail is going to be thru quicker," said Abelino, "but it's still going to come back to me in trays and I'll have to case it."



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**CHEERING BRONCOS ON** - Sonora cheerleader Tana Churchill (bottom) holds Monica Gonzalez steady as they cheer the Broncos on to victory at Kermit. The Broncos return for a home engagement this Friday against Reagan County. Game time at Bronco Stadium is 7:30 p.m.

**Richeson Dairy Queen stores raise \$29,749**

In a company-wide effort for 1990, Richeson Dairy Queen stores have raised \$29,749 for the Children's Miracle Network Telethon. The Telethon itself was held on June 2 and 3; however, the Richeson Companies' contribution represents a year-long series of efforts, including golf tournaments, rodeo ropings, a community dance, numerous bake sales, cake walks, carnivals, car washes and rockathons planned and executed by the Dairy Queen store managers and their employees,

along with supportive members of the communities. Richeson Companies selected this chosen charity for the effort's ability to help the most worthy and needy, children in need of medical care. Originated by The Osmond Foundation, and starring Marie and Donnie Osmond, Merlin Olsen and Marilyn McCoo, the Children's Miracle Network Telethon is also the charity selected by International Dairy Queen of Minneapolis, and Texas

Dairy Queen Operators' Council. Other Richeson Companies have joined the Dairy Queen stores in raising funds for the Telethon. The Osmond Foundation puts funds raised directly into the hands of the local hospital in the areas in which the contributions were generated. Nationally, Dairy Queen is one of the CMNT's major contributors, and already Dairy Queen and the Richeson Companies are directing efforts toward the 1991 Telethon.

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**Children's Christmas Card Project**



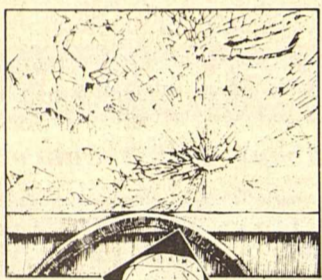
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**Statement of Resources and Liabilities**

		Thousands of dollars
<b>ASSETS</b>		
Cash and balances due from depository institutions: 1,445		
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin: 392		
Interest-bearing balances: 25,108		
Securities: 1,750		
Federal funds sold: --		
Securities purchased under agreements to resell: --		
Loans and lease financing receivables: 11,586		
Loans and leases, net of unearned income: 203		
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses: --		
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve: --		
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve: 11,383		
Assets held in trading accounts: --		
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases): 1,815		
Other real estate owned: 173		
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies: --		
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding: --		
Intangible assets: --		
Other assets: 670		
Total assets: 42,736		
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j): --		
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j): 42,736		
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
Deposits: 37,625		
In domestic offices: 5,421		
Noninterest-bearing: 32,204		
Interest-bearing: --		
Federal funds purchased: --		
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase: --		
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury: --		
Other borrowed money: --		
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases: --		
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding: --		
Subordinated notes and debentures: --		
Other liabilities: 298		
Total liabilities: 37,923		
Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus: --		
<b>EQUITY CAPITAL</b>		
Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus: --		
Common stock: 209		
Surplus: 573		
Undivided profits and capital reserves: 4,317		
LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities: 286		
Total equity capital: 4,813		
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j): --		
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j): 4,813		
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j): 42,736		

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

*Harold G. McEwen*  
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## Broncos/from page 1

the lead back up.

Mirike headed around right end and pitched the ball to Taylor just as he got hit. Taylor was able to turn the corner and went the distance untouched down the right sideline. The play covered 31 yards.

The touchdown was set up by the first pass of the game.

Mirike hit split end Larry Chalk on a sideline route which covered 34 yards.

"I jabbed inside and my man took the fake," said Chalk about the play, "the safety was too far inside and David made a perfect throw."

It was a big night for Chalk who had two receptions for 74 yards.

Sonora extended its lead to 36-8 on a 3-yard run by Mirike and the two-point conversion.

After that, it was the back ups who continued to be aggressive and scored two more touchdowns.

"I wanted to do exactly what David was, since he was doing an outstanding job," said Brian Faris.

Faris led the Broncos on a 57-yard drive which included a 10-yard run off the option.

"David told me to carry the play far outside and it would help the inside play," said Faris.

The drive ended with a 2-yard run by Espinosa off tackle.

Like Perez and all the backs,

Faris gave a lot of credit to the offensive line.

"The line did a great job. First team, second team, everybody did a great job," Faris said.

On the true final drive for Sonora, Ricky Gandar made the most of his one carry from the fullback slot. Gandar went through a huge hole on the right side, broke a pair of tackles at the 40 and tiptoed down the right sideline for an 81-yard touchdown.

"I read the tight end's block and it was open," said Gandar about the play.

The victory improved the Bronco's overall record to 4-2, but more importantly gave them a 1-0 record in district.

It appears the Broncos are putting things together at the right time.

"We came out wanting to win," said Mirike. "Things are falling into place right now. We're going to be tough to beat in district."

Sonora joins Greenwood and Crane at the top. Greenwood edged Reagan County 12-6 while Crane knocked off Colorado City 41-10.

The Broncos should have an advantage as they play three of their final four games at home.

They'll start off with Reagan County Friday at Bronco Stadium and follow with Colorado City in the homecoming game.

Game time for Reagan County will be 7:30 p.m.



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**SWARMING DEFENSE** - Sonora defenders Trini Sentena (73), Robert Gallion (52) and Larry Chalk (background) swarm a Kermit ball carrier during first quarter action in their game Friday. The Kermit wishbone was kept in check for most of the night as Sonora cruised to a 50-14 victory.



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**BREAK OUT** - Sonora tailback Oscar Perez (42) breaks through the Kermit defensive line for a big gainer. Perez led all ground gainers in the game with 115 yards. Providing a key block is Michael Escalera (32).



Rabbits are rarely found deep in forests. They prefer places where bushes or clumps of tall grass are available for hiding.

## Sutton County ASCS reminds wool/mohair producers to file report

Herb Schwertner of the Sutton County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, said wool and mohair program participants who have planted any grain crops are required to file a 1990 crop report to verify conservation compliance and swampbuster provisions. (Form ASCS-578)

The report must be filed before producers can receive their wool and mohair price support payment.

There will be no charge for the late-filed crop report if producers do not wish to receive history credit. A fee will be charged if farmers have grown an agricultural commodity and request history credit.

All farmers participating in ASCS programs are required to certify that they will not violate sodbuster and swampbuster provisions during the program year (Form AD-1026). Wool producers who plan to break out any land should contact the ASCS office. If the land is highly erodible, farmers must have a conservation plan before a crop is planted.

The federal support for 1990 shorn wool marketings is \$1.82 per pound. Mohair marketings will be supported at \$4.532 per pound, according to Schwertner.

The ASCS official says sales slips for 1990 marketings may be turned in any time before the January 31, 1991 deadline.

## Webster endorses Phil Gramm

Sutton County Sheriff W. W. "Bill" Webster had endorsed U. S. Senator Phil Gramm for re-election.

He joins an impressive list of law enforcement officials and organizations that have endorsed Senator Gramm's re-election to a second-six year term, including the chief of police in over 150 Texas cities, the sheriff in over 80 counties, and the Combined Law Enforcement Associations of Texas.

"As a county sheriff, I am involved in the day-to-day fight against crime and know the far-reaching effects that crime has on

the people of this country," Webster said. "I especially appreciate Senator Gramm's continued efforts in the war against drugs, drug dealers and organized crime."

As a freshmen senator, Gramm has made 156 visits to law enforcement officials in most Texas counties to hear their recommendations for winning the war against drugs. He also brought the U. S. Customs Service Black Hawk helicopter to several Texas communities to assist local lawmen in fighting the war on drugs.

## Healthcare/from page 2

is to encourage LVNs to get the additional education needed to become RNs. Because of their previous education and experience, LVNs can sit for RN licensure after completing special 12- to 15-month ADN programs (compared with four years). Methods for recognizing prior education and work experience that are commonly used at nursing schools in Texas include challenge procedures, special transition course offerings, and transfer of coursework from other institutions.

In the last legislative session a bill was passed surcharging every registered nurse and vocational nurse when they are licensed or

relicensed. The one-time charge provides money for financial aid for nursing students.

Finally, a Nursing Study Committee mandated by the state legislature (HCR 92) is studying issues and concerns relating to the nursing shortage, career mobility among the various nursing programs, and collaboration among schools in the same area.

The committee had made recommendations to the state legislature, the coordinating board for higher education, and the board

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#### Do You Know These Facts About Breast Cancer?

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• If breast cancer is diagnosed and treated early, the five-year survival rate is more than 90%.

• Modern mammography can reveal small breast cancers up to two years before they can be felt.

Average size breast lump found by regular mammograms

There is no need to be afraid to learn about breast cancer. The facts are encouraging and reassuring. If you remember only one thing about breast cancer, it should be this: **Your best protection is early detection.** Early detection provides the

best opportunity to treat breast cancer successfully, and a diagnosis may not mean removal of the breast.

Doctors recommend this three-step early detection program:

**Schedule regular mammograms**—your first screening mammogram by age 40, one every year or two to age 49, and every year after 50;

**Practice monthly breast self-examination**—your doctor can show you the proper method;

**See your doctor for regular breast examinations**—at least every three years until age 40, the every year.

Average size breast lump found by regular breast self-examination

October is National Breast Cancer Awareness Month, a good time to get the facts. To find out more about breast cancer, ask your family doctor or write to the ICI Pharmaceuticals Group Breast Cancer Education Center, P.O. Box 4333, Grand Central Station, New York, N.Y. 10163-4333.

### Notices

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

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