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The DRN Briefs

Football Notice

Game in Marble Falls begins at 7:30 p.m. instead of 8:00 p.m.

Advanced Tickets for Sonora vs. Marble Falls

Advance tickets for the Sonora vs. Marble Falls game in Marble Falls will be on sale from Thursday at 8 a.m. until 12 noon on Friday. Tickets are \$4 for adults and \$2 for students and will be available at each Principal's office and at the Superintendent's office. Tickets will be \$5 at the gate for both students and adults.

Adult Education

Adult education classes will begin Tuesday, October 11, 1996. Classes will be held at the vocational Building on the corner of E. Second and Prospect from 6:30-9:30 p.m. The classes will include English as a second language and GED preparation. For more information call 387-3029.

Classes de educacion para adultos empezaran martes, primero de octubre. El sitio sera en el "Vocational Building" en la esquina de la calle segunda y Prospect de las 6:30-9:30 de la noche. Las clases incluyen ingles como segunda idioma y preparacion para el GED. Para mas informacion llame el telefono 387-3029.

Worship Schedule-First United Methodist Church

Sunday, October 6, First United Methodist Church will have an early worship service at 8:30 a.m., and Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. We will not have our regular 11:00 worship service so that we can participate in the Homecoming Service on the Courthouse lawn.

Ministerial Alliance To Host Homecoming Service

Once again this year, the Ministerial alliance of Sonora will be providing an ecumenical worship service as part of our Homecoming celebration. Sunday, October 6, at 11:00 a.m., everyone is invited to the Courthouse lawn to join in this time of worship for all members of the community as well as visitors.

SWCD Election

Edwards Plateau Soil & Water Conservation District election for zone 4 director will be October 9, 1996 at 8:00 a.m. at the 4-H Center. The election will be followed by an Extension Service brush control field tour.

Dee Ora Lodge Meeting

The Dee Ora Lodge #715 in Sonora would like to invite all Masons to attend their two-day Masonic Camp Meeting to be held on the L.P. Bloodworth Ranch fourteen miles down Caverns Road. It will begin at 4:30 p.m. October 4th when the chuck wagon arrives at Masonic Canyon. Degrees will be conferred after study sessions. All meals will be furnished "Chuck Wagon" style. Bring your camper, your tent, or your sleeping bag and enjoy a week-end of Masonry. For more information, call 387-5988 or 387-3063.

Chamber Mixer

Welcome Sonora Interim Superintendent, George Wright, and Police Chief Chris Croy at the Depot, Monday, September 30, 4:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Broncos Down Eldorado Eagles, 35-21

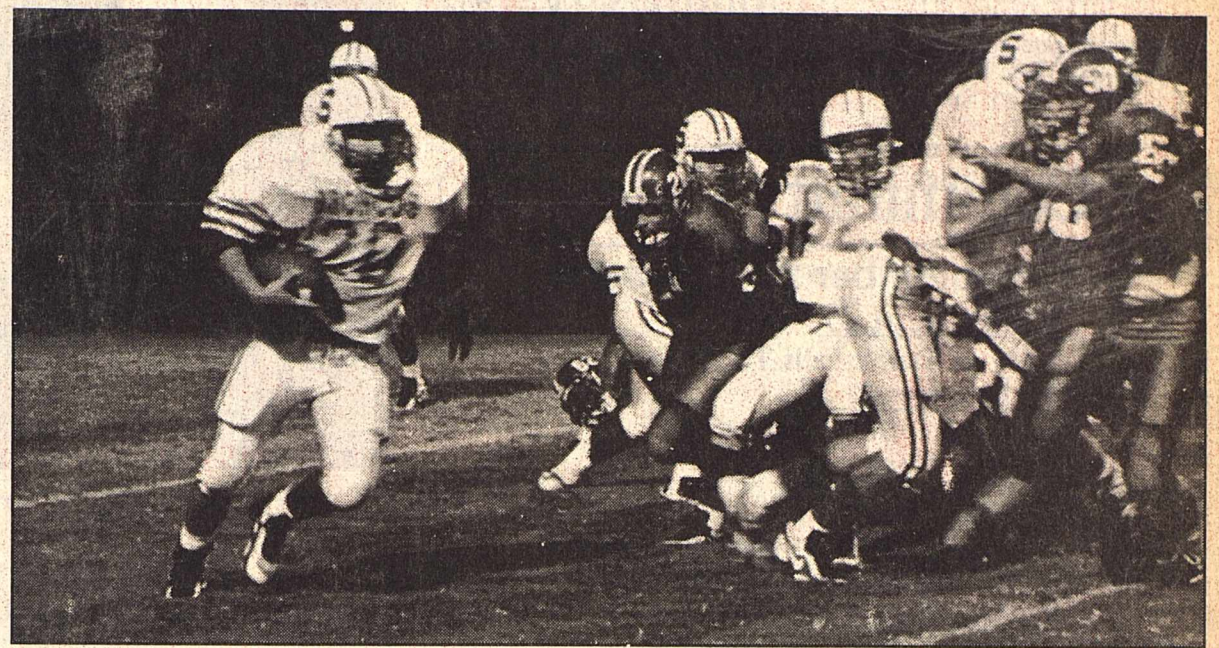
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This past Friday night, the Red Hosses traveled north to "The Jungle", Eldorado Eagle Stadium, and proceeded to ruin Eldorado's homecoming. Though the score indicates a close ball game, the Broncos were pretty much in control of the game from start to finish. The Broncos amassed 452 yards of total offense with most of this yardage coming on long runs by Joey gandar, Justin House, and Caleb Barker. Something that most fans think is a new look, also came into evidence on Friday, with Barker putting the ball in the air 15 times. Barker only completed five of the tosses, but two of these went the distance as he hit Andy Mirike on a 65 yard touchdown throw and run, and Tanner Fields on a 26 yard completion in the back of the end zone. The Broncos gave up a few big plays to the Eagles, along with some poor tackling and kickoff mishandles, to give the Eagles a faint glimmer of hope; but in the end, it was the Sonora Broncos 35 and the Eldorado Eagles 21.

The Eagles took the opening kick-off and marched down to the Bronco 36 where they were stopped by a very determined Bronco defense. The Eagles elected to kick a 36 yard field goal. The kick by Reeves was good and the Eagles led 0 to 3 with 8:41 left in the first quarter. The Broncos took possession of the kick-off on their own 20. Two plays later, with only 24 seconds taken off the clock, Joey Gandar took the ball off tackle and, after breaking a couple of tackles and out running two Eagle defenders, Gandar found himself in the end zone. Anthony Renfro came on to split the uprights and make the score Broncos 7 - Eagles 3. The Broncos defense once again went on the field; and as it has done all year, it has bent, but hasn't broken. Led by Justin House, Walker Wallace and Kris Wood the Broncos forced the Eagles to punt and the Bronco offense took over at their own 21. Runs by

House and Gandar were stopped by the Eagle defense, so Caleb Barker was forced to put it in the air to Kasey Wood, who found the yardage to keep the drive alive. On the next play Joey Gandar was thrown for a one yard loss. This set up an option play to the left with Barker keeping the ball and, with some very shifty moves found himself all alone in the Eagle secondary - 70 yards later - Paydirt! Anthony Renfro came on to nail the extra point; Broncos 14 - Eagles 3. The first half ended with the Eagles in possession of the pigskin. The Broncos led by House, Barker, Brad Legan, Chad Bruns, and David Arevalo once again did not allow the Eagles any breathing room, and were forced to punt to the men in Red and White. The next Bronco series saw the Broncos not able to sustain a drive and the Eagles received the Broncos punt on their own 35. The Eagles were able to drive the ball on the Broncos, using short runs and passes to get to the Bronco eight yard line. On a 4th and goal from the 8, Garret Bownds was met by a host of Broncos and stopped short to give the ball over to the Broncos. The Broncos were satisfied to let the clock run out as the second quarter ended.

The third quarter began with Justin House receiving the kick-off for the Broncos and returning it for 43 yards to the Eldorado 42. On short runs by Steven Gandar, Joey Gandar, Justin House, and a bullet pass to Kasey Wood, the Broncos were able to move the ball to Eagle 13; but this was where the drive stalled. Anthony Renfro was called upon the attempt the field goal, but a missed blocking assignment caused the attempt to be blocked. This seemed to give the Eagle offense some life as it was able to advance the ball on runs by Casey Snelson (32 yards), Garrett Bownds (20 yards), and with Clay Butler putting the finishing touches on the drive with a 18 yard run for the Eagles' first touchdown. The



Joey Gandar, 20, contributed to the 452 total yards gained during the Eldorado game last Friday night.

point after attempt was no good. Broncos 14 - Eagles 9. The Broncos took possession of the ensuing kick-off on their own 28. After two runs by Joey Gandar and Justin House the ball was put in play on the Eagle 40 yard line. Caleb Barker rolled left and found Andy Mirike on a curl route in the flat, and after a quick inside move, with Barker finding Brad Legan all alone in the left corner of the end zone of the conversion. Broncos 22 - Eagles 9. The Broncos kicked off the Eagles, who just could not take the intimidating coverage of the Broncos. The Eagles coughed the ball up with the Broncos recovering on the Eagle 26 yard line. Caleb Barker took the snap and dropped back and threw a pin point pass to a wide open Tanner Fields at the back of the end zone for the touchdown. Once again the Broncos went for two, however this attempt failed. Broncos 28 - Eagles 9. Neither team was able to sustain a drive on the next two series and the third quarter ended with the Broncos owning a commanding 28 to 9 lead.

The fourth quarter found the Broncos owning the football on the Eldorado 45 yard line. After runs by Caleb Barker and Steven Gandar, Justin House took the

hand off from Barker and 40 yards later handed the football to the referee in the end zone for the final Bronco score. Renfro was called upon to attempt the extra point, and with a swift kick of the leg, the Broncos were up by 27 points: 35 to 9. Be it mental lapse or whatever, the Broncos had a let down and on the next Eagle possession, the men in green were able to take the ball on a 62 yard drive, with Bownds scoring the Eagle's second touchdown. The Eagles go for two, but Andy Mirike picks off a Snelson pass to end the threat. Broncos 35 - Eagles 15. On the ensuing kick-off the Broncos mishandle the ball and the Eagles recover it on the Broncos 34 yard line. Casey Snelson is able to find Kyle Hunter open for a 24 yard touchdown reception. The two point try fails and the Eagles are back in the ball game with a minute and 29 seconds left on the clock.

Sonora 35 - Eldorado 21. Everyone in the stadium knows what is coming on the Eagle kick-off --- You guessed it! An onside kick. Sonora is not able to handle the ball and the Eagles have another glimmer of hope at the Bronco 38 yard line. Snelson goes to the end zone two times to no avail, but they say that the third time is the charm. Well, on this night it was not to be, as Tanner Fields was able to go up and pull in the interception to end all hopes for the Eagles. Caleb Barker took matters into his own hands and ran the clock out to preserve the third Bronco win - 35 to 21.

The Broncos will travel to Marble Falls this Friday to face a very talented 4-A opponent. The game will begin at 7:30 p.m. at Mustang Stadium.

See you there. Go Broncos!!!

Weaver Named Commended Student

The principal, Donna Hill of Sonora High School, announced today that Carla Weaver has been named a Commended Student in the 1997 National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC), which conducts the program, will be presented by the principal to this scholastically talented senior.

About 35,000 Commended Students throughout the nation are being honored for their exceptional academic promise. Although they will not continue in the competition for Merit Scholarship awards to be offered in 1997 Merit Program by taking the 1995 Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test.

A Merit Program spokesperson commented, "The young men and women named Commended Students have demonstrated outstanding academic potential by their high performance in the extremely competitive Merit Program. In a nation that values excellence, it is important to publicly recognize the attainments of our scholastically talented young people and to credit schools for the important part they play in their development. We hope this recognition will help to broaden the educational opportunities of Commended Students and serve as encouragement to them and other able students to develop their abilities to the fullest."

Consultants Seek Input For Hiring Of New Superintendent

The Sonora Independent School District Board of Trustees had employed Sigler and Watson Consultants to assist in conducting a search for a new Superintendent of Schools.

On Monday October 7 and Tuesday October 8, 1996, they will be in Sonora visiting with groups to develop a list of the qualities that the community would like for the new superin-

tendent to have. A public forum will be held at 6 p.m., Monday, October 7th, in the Middle School Snack Bar area. Anyone not able to attend one of the group meetings, please attend the public forum to express your beliefs concerning the characteristics that the next Superintendent of Schools should possess.



Chris Croy Sworn In

Chris Croy of Alpine, Texas was recently appointed to the Chief of Police position in Sonora. Mr. Croy received his law enforcement training at Tarleton State University, in Stephenville, Texas. He became the youngest elected constable in the state of Texas at Hamilton, Texas.

His assignments before assistant Chief of Police in Sonora. Mr. Croy received his law enforcement training at Tarleton State University, in Stephenville, Texas. He became the youngest elected constable in the state of Texas at Hamilton, Texas.

Chief Croy, his wife, Tonya and their 15 month old daughter, Mckenzie moved to Sonora the beginning of September. He was sworn in on September 9.

Hospital Board Minutes

The regular meeting of the Sutton County Hospital District, Board of Directors, was held on Monday, September 9, 1996.

Ms. Rex Ann Friess, Chief Appraiser, Sutton County Appraisal District, reported that the current tax levy collection rate is 98.6% as of August 31st. Dr. Johnson reported that word had been received that Louis Dreyfus Co. had filed a \$20,000,000.00 lawsuit against the Appraisal District, protesting their taxable values. While this is in litigation, taxes cannot be collected against the \$20,000,000.00. This will decrease the Hospital district's tax revenue by \$37,600.00 for the upcoming year. There is no precedent for this type of suit and it is a constitutional matter and will be set by the Board, which is .188. Mr. Goodrich also reported that he had received a letter last week, stating that the Disproportionate Share money would be reduced by approximately \$3,000.00 per month for the upcoming year. Directors felt like the budget should be examined and discussed in depth, taking into consideration this decrease in tax revenue and the decrease in Disproportionate Share money. Discussion was held regarding whether or not the Hospital District could rescind the tax rate that had been set and re-adopt a new tax rate. Ms. Friess reported that she had checked with the legal counsel in the State Comptroller's office and he stated that there was no provision in the law against rescinding the fixed rate and there was no law permitting it. He suggested the Appraisal

District consult an attorney. Ms. Friess called the law firm that takes care of the Appraisal District delinquent taxes. She was advised that the law firm saw no problem with rescinding the set tax rate and re-adopting a new rate. This could be done by posting a meeting notice and a line item on the agenda needs to state that the Board intends to rescind the adopted tax rate and another line item needs to state that the Board will re-adopt the tax rate. If the time comes in a couple of years that Louis Dreyfus is required to pay these taxes on the \$20,000,000.00, a lower tax rate could be set for the year in which this money was received by the District. Upon motion by Ray Smith, seconded by Lewis Allen, a called meeting was set for Monday, September 16, 1996, at 8:00 p.m.


Mr. Mark White, of White and Zesch Administrators, Inc., presented the renewal rates for employee healthcare insurance coverage. The premiums for the current plan, which is Blue Cross, will increase approximately 10% for the next year. Mr. White also presented figures on several other plans through Employers Insurance. Discussion was held regarding some type of "self-insured" plan. Motion was made by Ray Smith, seconded by Lewis Allen, to set a called meeting for September 30, 1996, at 8:00 p.m., for the purpose of reaching a decision on which employee healthcare insurance coverage to provide for the employees for the District for the upcoming year. If Mr.

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BIRTHDAY

September
 26th: Josie Emiliano
 Dustin Creek
 Paula Gonzalez
 Debbie Hard
 Lisa Pajestka
 27th: Rosario Ibarra
 Jose Espinosa
 Patrick Braly
 Brooklyn Caddell
 Martha Garza
 Kurt Hadsall
 28th: Andy Mirike
 Ricky Lumberras
 Laura Hearn
 Felicia Van Winkle
 Kari Miller
 Margaret A. King
 29th: Ben Torres
 30th: Anthony Sanchez

Raven Rainer
 Crystal Martin
 October
 1st: Sandra Fuentes
 Stacey Montez
 Adam Mendez
 Adrian Mendez
 2nd: Seth Prather
 Amanda Dungan
 Echi Samaniego
 Angelica Ibarra

Happy Anniversary

 October
 1st: David & Mary Alexander
 2nd: Gene & Jeanette Thompson



Tracy Crites Jr. and Michelle Barker

Barker/Crites Announce Engagement

John and Vickie Barker of Sonora announce the engagement of their daughter, Michelle Amber Barker, to Weldon Tracy Crites, Jr., son of Tracy and Jeannene Crites of Sonora.

The wedding date is New Year's Eve '96 at the Cauthorn Memorial Depot.

Michelle is a 1993 graduate of Sonora High School and is attending ASU. She plans to graduate in August 1997 with a major in English and a minor in Communications. Tracy also is a 1993 graduate of Sonora High School and is attending ASU. He plans to graduate in August 1997 with a major in Management. He then plans to attend law school in the fall. Tracy is employed by the law firm of Gossett, Harrison, Reese, Wilson, Woodward, & Millican P.C.

Our Sympathy

Joyce Shedrick

Joyce A. Shedrick, 70, died Saturday, September 21, 1996, in Sonora.

Memorial services were at 6:00 p.m. Wednesday at Kingdom Hall of the Jehovah's Witnesses. Arrangements were by Kerbow Funeral Home.

She was born February 11, 1926, in Welty, Oklahoma. She had taught remedial education in Oklahoma, Arizona, and Texas and was the librarian for the Sutton County Public Library. She was a Jehovah's Witness.

Survivors include two sons, Mark Shedrick of Sonora and Warren Shedrick of Salem, Oregon; a brother, Dean Reames of Oklahoma City; and several nieces and nephews.



Card of Thanks

The family of Michael Taylor would like to express their gratitude to the Sonora Fire Dept., EMS, Sonora Police, Sheriff's DPS and dispatchers, Dr. Pajestka and hospital staff, Rev. Jim Stephen, Dono Oil, Bruce Kerbow and staff, the Community of Sonora and Eldorado for everything done for the families during this time of loss. A special thank you to Kenneth Conger who did his best to save Michael, we appreciate the many many areas of response to our needs.

Kelly and Destinee Taylor
 The Taylor, McNiell and House Families

Community Calendar

September 27-October 4

Friday Sept. 27

Varsity vs. Marble Falls-T 7:30

Friday, Sept. 27

Senior Center Birthday Party

Friday, Sept. 30

Chamber Mixer 4:30-6:30 at the Depot, Meet the new Chief of Police and George Wright interim Superintendent

Wednesday, Oct. 2

Early School Dismissal 1:00 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 3

J.V. and Freshman vs. Llano T 5:00/6:30

7th & 8th vs. Llano H 5:00/6:30

Go Broncos!

The Community Calendar is made possible by:

First National Bank
 Member FDIC
 102 N. Main
 387-3861

SCNB Member FDIC
 106 N Hwy 277
 387-2593

Sonora Church Directory



NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD
 James Lee, Pastor
 306 N. 4th Street
 387-2898

PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA
 504 Santa Clara
 387-2035

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

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Rev. Jim Stephen, Pastor
 404 NE Oak
 387-2951

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
 Rev. J. Monte Jones, Rector
 404 NE Poplar
 387-2955

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 Rev. Ron Myers, Pastor
 201 NW Water
 387-2466

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

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

THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD PRESBYTERIAN
 Lewis Allen, Pastor
 319 NE Mulberry
 387-2616

OUTREACH CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Hwy. 277 S. Glasscock

PENTECOSTAL CALVARY TEMPLE
 Willie West, Pastor
 509 Amistad
 387-3236

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

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

NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
 Don Sessom
 511 Cornell
 387-5215

Attend the church of your choice. this Sunday.

Southwest Texas Electric Co-op
 853-2544

Kerbow Funeral Home
 387-2266

SONIC
 131 N Hwy 277
 387-5292

Cornerstone Home Health Agency
 116 N Concho
 (915)387-2505 (915)387-2506

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BREAKFAST

Monday, Sept. 30

Breakfast Pizza, Juice

Tuesday, Oct. 1

Chorizo & Egg Burrito, Fruit

Wednesday, Oct. 2

Sausage Biscuit W/Gravy, Juice

Thursday, Oct. 3

Oatmeal, Toast W/Jelly, Fruit

Friday, Oct. 4

Muffin, Egg, Juice

All Meals are served with milk.

LUNCH

Monday, Sept. 30

Pizza, Tossed Salad, Kernel Corn, Chocolate Chip Cookie, Roll

Tuesday, Oct. 1

Baked Chicken, W/Egg Noodles, Scalloped Potatoes, English Peas, Chocolate Cake

Wednesday, Oct. 2

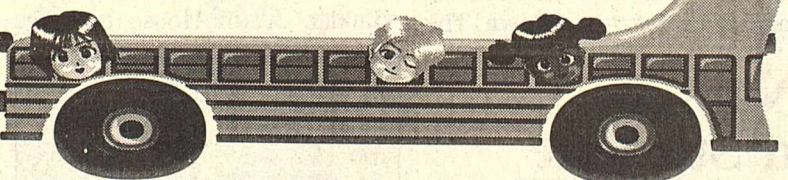
Fish Nuggets, Seasoned Rice, Carrot Salad, Mixed Fruit

Thursday, Oct. 3

Burrito W/Chili, Mexicali Corn, Vegetable Salad, Blue Berry Muffin

Friday, Oct. 4

Corn Dogs, Tater Tots, Baked Beans, Ice Cream



SENIOR CENTER

Calendar of Events

September 27 - September Birthday Party with the Old Country Tyme Band

September 30- Nutrition Program with Kelly Thorp (noon)

October 1 - Line Dance and Aerobics 2:30 with Tamara Wolf from Cornerstone Health Program!

October 2- Blood Pressure Checks 11-1 p.m. by Housecalls Health Program

Lunch Menu

Friday, September 27

Hamburger Pattie W/Cheese, French Fries, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Onions, Buns, Macaroni Salad, Brownie

Monday, September 30

Grilled Chicken Breast, Spiced Rice, California Blend Vegetables, Hot Rolls, Tossed Salad, Orange Sherbet

Tuesday, October 1

Swiss Steak, Peas and Carrots, Corn Muffins, Tossed Salad, Orange Sections

Wednesday, October 2

Oven Fried Chicken, Fried Rice, Tomatoes, Hot Rolls, Zucchini Squash-Raw, Peach Cobbler

Thursday, October 3

Fish Sticks, Pork & Beans, Cole Slaw, Corn Bread, Peanut Butter Cake

Friday, October 4

Chicken Fried Steak W/ Gravy, Corn on the Cob, Mixed Vegetables, Hot Rolls, Apple

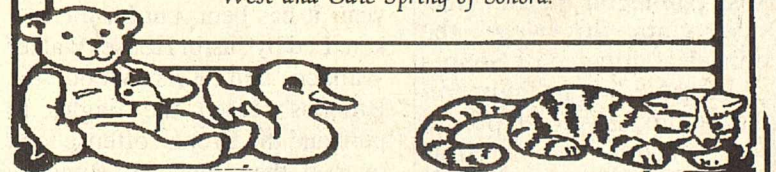
Guest Meals are \$4.00.

Suggested donation for Senior Citizens is \$1.75.

IT'S A GIRL

Kayla West of Ozona is proud to announce the birth of her baby sister Jessica Leann. Jessica was born August 23, 1996, at 7:30 a.m. in San Angelo, at Columbia Medical Center. She weighed 7 lbs. 14.5 oz., and was 19.25 in. long.

She is welcomed home by parents Kevin and Donna West also of Ozona, and proud grandparents. Maternal grandparents are Don and Judy Morris of Ozona, and paternal grandparents Steve and Frances Tackel of Sonora. Maternal great grandparent Bessie Barron of Ozona, and paternal great grandparents Geneva West and Odie Spring of Sonora.



IT'S A BOY

Westley Ray Lipham is proud to announce the arrival of his Baby Brother Walker Ryan.

Walker was born on September 5, 1996 at 10:15 a.m. at University Hospital in San Antonio, Tx.

He weighed 8 lbs. 2 oz. and was 20 in. long.

Proud parents are Marty and Darla Lipham.

Grandparents are Steve and Frances Tackel of Sonora and Leslie and Rita Lipham of Pandale.

Great Grandparents are Genera West and Oda Spring of Sonora and Emilie Tackel of Paradise.

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Ask The Historical Society



Pictured front row l-r are Mrs. Harold Saunders, Mrs. Davis, Mr. Davis, and Mrs. Nell Martin. Back row l-r: Birdwell C. Davis, G. Haney Davis, Wallace Davis, and Tom (WL) Davis.

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

Q. Could you tell me anything about this picture taken in about 1934?

A. The following story was printed in The Devil's River News in 1934:

Mr. and Mrs. R. Walter Davis and Children Enjoy First Family Reunion Since 1921

"It had been thirteen years December 25th since all of the children of Mr. and Mrs. R. Walter Davis of Austin, for many years Sutton County residents, had been with their parents for a reunion.

On that day their two daughters and four sons were with them at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G.H. Davis, two miles north of town. Mr. and Mrs. Davis now lie on the place which was the home place of the parents when they lived here.

The daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Davis who were present are Mrs. Nell Martin of Austin, who was accompanied by her daughter, Billie Virginia, and Mrs. Harold Saunders of San Marcos, who was accompanied by her husband.

Two sons, G.H. and W.L. (Tom) Davis, are Sutton County ranchmen. They were present as were two other sons - B.C. Davis of Beeville, who is engaged in federal-state-county agricultural work, and Wallace Davis, who

operates an advertising agency in Houston.

Two granddaughters of Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Marjorie and Flora Dell, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. G.H. Davis, were also present.

The elder Mr. Davis was born in Bastrop County, in 1869. He observed his birthday anniversary December 18. Before coming here in 1903 to live, Mr. Davis was engaged in railroad and lumber work in Elgin, Bastrop County. Their first Christmas in Sonora was in 1897, when they were guests in the home of the late J.L. Davis, a brother, and Mrs. Davis. Mrs. Davis still lives here. J.L. was Sheriff of Sutton County at that time and for a number of years.

In 1919, when their daughter, Nell, and sons, Wallace, and B.C., were ready for college days, Mr. and Mrs. Davis moved to Austin. The daughter and Wallace enrolled in the University of Texas and B.C. became a student at the agricultural and Mechanical College, College Station.

Since taking up their residence in Austin Mr. and Mrs. Davis have made numerous visits here to see their children. During the last few months, Mr. Davis has been in poor health. He and Mrs. Davis went to Austin the day after Christmas with their son, Wallace, who returned to Houston."

Researchers have found that articles like this one on family reunions are a great help to them in finding where their tree has branched out to. This one is just full of information on places of birth, schooling, and residences through the years. It really helps fill in information pages in family records. This is why so many researchers come to the society looking for the old newspapers. We receive many requests for copies of old articles, weddings, birth announcements, obituaries, family reunion stories, and general information on individuals in Sutton County. Anyone is welcome to come here to do research for themselves. Just call and set up an appointment for any afternoon or evening. If we do the research for you there is a fee of \$10 per hour, plus copy costs.

One of our readers asked how to get a copy of *The Tall Texan, The Story of Ben Kilpatrick* by Arthur Soule. You can contact the author at 624 Clark Street, Deer Lodge, Montana, 59722. We have a copy of the book in our files and have found that it is not totally historically correct. There are many

spelling errors but there are also many copies of documents from prisons, etc. that are very interesting reading. Mr. Soule came to Sonora and did research here, on the Kilpatrick connection to Sutton County, after corresponding with John Eaton for many years. For those of you who aren't sure who Ben Kilpatrick, the Tall Texan was, he was another West Texas boy that joined up with Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid. Laura Bullion, Will Carver's niece/girlfriend, became Kilpatrick's girl after Will died. This book goes into some detail on their relationship and covers Kilpatrick from birth to death. Parts of it we found to be quite interesting, but recommend buying the soft cover version.

Someone told me the other day that there weren't any bad hail storms in this area until recent years. I did some checking and found this to be incorrect. There have been hail storms on and off through the years of recorded history in Sutton County. There have been some reported with hail so large it killed sheep and goats. The August 22, 1930 issue of The Devil's River News had the following story: Judge Harvey Walker was here on business Monday. Mr. Walker reports a heavy hail and rain on his ranch Saturday afternoon. The hail covered a strip of country about a half mile wide, accompanied with a two and one half inch deluge of rain. Some of the hail stones were about an inch and a half in diameter, he said. The trees were stripped of their leaves, and Mr. Walker's garden plants were totally beaten into the ground.

If you have any questions concerning Sutton County history, send them to "Ask the Historical Society" PO Box 885, Sonora, TX 76950-0885 or give us a call at 915-387-5144 or 387-2855, afternoon or evenings only, please.

LEPC Discusses Sonora's Emergency Shelters

The Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) met September 19, in the Sutton County EMS Training Room. Members present elected new officers. Ramiro Perez is the incoming chairman, Brent Gesch, vice chairman, and Donna Keese remains the secretary/treasurer.

Members received an updated copy of the Sutton County/Sonora Base Plan and a copy of Annex C - Part II (Shelter) of our emergency plan. Donna Keese gave a summary of Annex C and explained its purpose and how it works.

Members present were Ramiro Perez, Carla Garner, Lenora Pool, Carl Teaff, Stephanie Campbell, Brent Gesch, Smith Neal, George Keese, Phil Scott, Patrick Campbell, and Donna Keese.

The committee meets twice a year.

OPEN LETTER

Dear Sir:

I would like to respond to some Welfare Reform questions raised by the Robert Bryson Family article published on Thursday, September 12, 1996.

The welfare changes signed into law on August 22, 1996 did NOT stop all benefits being paid through Social Security Disability to children with terminal, chronic, or acute diseases. The changes were directed at children with behavioral problems who do not have other medically determinable impairments. We are continuing to process and approve children's disability claims if the child has a severe impairment. Our rules on confidentiality do not permit me to disclose the status of any application filed on behalf of Bobbie Bryson, but you have my assurance that children with terminal or severe functional limitations are still being approved for monthly disability benefits.

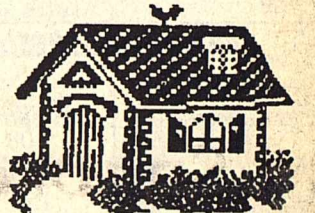
The initial medical determination takes about 65 days in most cases. This time is needed to secure all the medical evidence, compare the medical finding to the listing of impairments, seek additional medical opinions if needed, and prepare the decision.

For example, if Bobby Bryson applied for SSI monthly disability benefits in July she should receive a decision in September or October. Her benefits will be retroactive to the month she applied if her claim is approved.

Based upon the newspaper and other media coverage of her illness, Bobbie Bryson will probably meet the medical requirements for monthly disability payments.

Sincerely,
Franklin H. Upp
District Manager

Free Blood Pressure & Blood Sugar checks every Wednesday from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Senior Center:



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Sonora J.V. vs. Brady J.V.

by Lewis Allen

It was a little like watching an ant trying to crawl out of a doodle bug hole Thursday night in Bronco Stadium as Sonora's Junior Varsity came oh-so-close time after time to pulling away from the Brady Bulldogs. But in the end the hulking Brady line tipped the scale preventing a Bronco first-down that would have virtually sealed the Sonora lead, and bulldogging a last Dog drive that resulted in the touch-down and go-ahead extra point with just 2 minutes left to play. The J.V. Broncos absorbed their first losses of the season 15-14.

Play started slowly with neither team able to move consis-

tently through the first quarter. Blain Wilkinson, Lupe Ramon, Jeremy Shaffer, Will Allen, Bregg Hughes and Jacob Mendez turned in some good defensive plays against the run; Graham Bloodworth leaped high to bat away a dangerous pass toward a walking skyscraper of a tight end. About midway through the second period Anthony Luna returned a Bulldog punt 5 yards to the Bronco 31. From the tailback spot he dived at the center for no gain, took a pitch right for 3 yards. Up to this point Sonora had not made a first down; on 3rd and 7 the punting team was getting itself assembled. But Luna was stationed at left wing-

back and took the handoff on a nifty little wingback counter trap that burst him out into the open and down the right sideline just like that, Sonora had the lead with 5:57 in the half. Welcome newcomer Michael McLauren tacked on the extra point.

That Bronco lead held until the early going of the 3rd quarter. After a bounced center snap on a punt attempt forced Bobby Salinas to run. Brady took over in Sonora territory. Brady's first play, a quick-opener by the burly fullback over center, caught the Broncos napping for 41 untouched yards. The conversion kick evened the score at 7-7 with 7:03 left in the 3rd quarter.

The Bronco's next possession stalled after a 30 yard Luna burst, but Salinas' punt pinned the Bulldogs down at their own 12. Gann smashed the fullback over left tackle for a loss of 1, an option pitch was fumbled for a loss of 5, and Mendez and Shaffer combined to throttle the tailback over right tackle for no gain. A short punt plus a handy unsportsmanlike conduct penalty set the Broncos up at the Brady 25.

Luna plunged twice over right guard, 5 yards each time, moving the sticks. He burrowed into left guard for a tiny gain. As the 4th quarter opened, a slanting guard shot through to snap up

quarterback David Mayer on an attempted option play. Falling, Mayer flipped the ball to Luna swinging wide left. Threading his way down the sideline, Luna was shoved at the one, but lunged over the endline just at the pylon. In the game of inches, the Broncos had won a battle. McLauren's kick made it 14-7 with 9:53 remaining in the game.

Sonora allowed one first sown but blunted the Bulldog's nest possession. With time running down, the Bronco's got the ball when the Brady punt rolled to Sonora's 35. Needing one first down to secure their lead, Sonora got rolled backwards by the big Brady line and fast-reaching line-

backers. Luna eked out a yard on a pitch left, then was buried for a loss of two over left guard. Mayer, rolling right, was dragged down from behind for a loss of four. A short-hop punt snap forced Salinas to kick on the run, the ball fair caught at Sonora's 46.

Seven plays later the tailback took an option pitch wide to the right for 15 yards and the touch-down, narrowing the score to 14-13. With 2:06 left to play, the Bulldogs lined up in a Tight-I, going for all the marbles instead of the sisterly kiss. As the tailback plunged over center,

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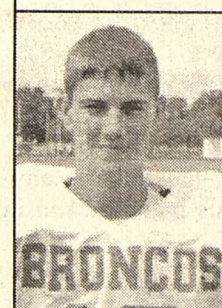
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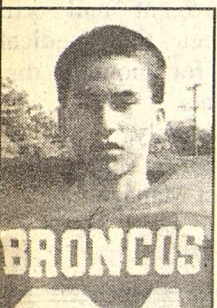
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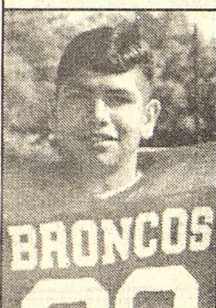
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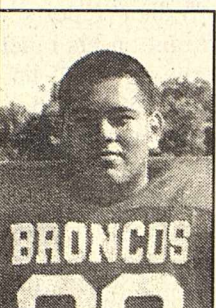
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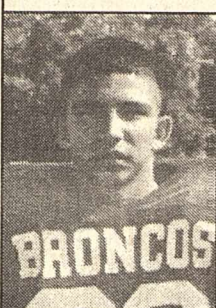
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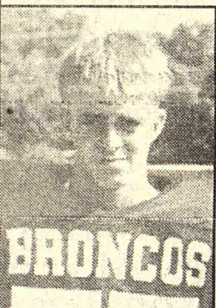
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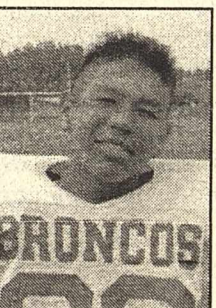
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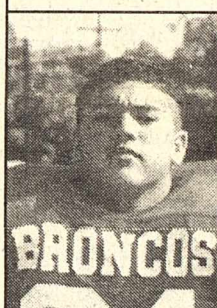
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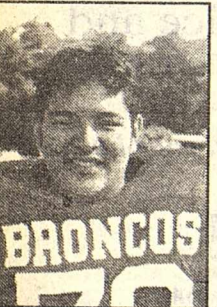
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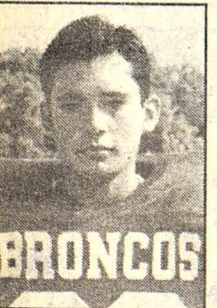
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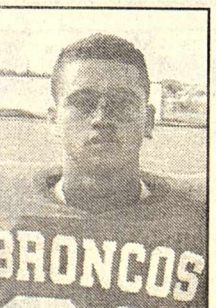
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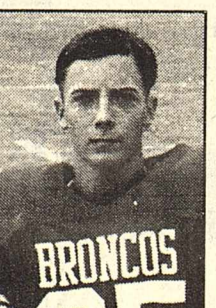
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Andy Mirike, 10, runs for the uprights against the Eagles in Eldorado Friday night.



Enrique Lopez, 32, makes the tackle against Eldorado's #33.

7th Grade Colts Victorious

submitted

Last Thursday the 7th grade Colt football team travelled to Eldorado to play their first road game and came home with a 42 to 6 victory. The Colts once again were able to dominate on defense, only allowing 59 total yards. On offense the Colts were able to do about anything they wanted to do; amassing 350 yards of total offense, with seven different backs getting to handle the football.

The Colts were led on offense by William Renfro who scored four touchdowns and two, two point conversions. Renfro's touchdown runs were of the long range variety, with them coming on runs of 70, 45, 42, and 20 yards. The other offensive touchdown came on a 63 yard run by Sean Fields. The offensive line is to be commended for their excellent blocking for without their efforts none of the above mentioned runs would have been possible. These young gentlemen are: Noe Alvizo, Baldemar, Hernandez, Byron Williams,

Ponciano Costello, Joey Quiroz, Chance Armke, Stetson Hall, Justin Routh, and Brandon Scott.

The Colt defense was led by James Elliott with five solo tackles. Joey Quiroz provided the fireworks on defense after picking up a fumble, caused by the hard hitting of Stetson Hall and Sean Fields, and outracing the Eagles for a 71 yard touchdown run. James Elliott added the 2 point conversion to round out the scoring for the Colts. The aggressive gang tackling showed by all of the young Colts is the main reason that to this date, none of the opponents they have faced have been able to amass many offensive yards. The defense is to be highly commended for their continued efforts.

The 7th grade Colts will travel to Grape Creek next week to face a new program and new challenges, if you should be in San Angelo next Thursday, come on over to Grape Creek about 5:00 p.m. and show your support. Go Colts!

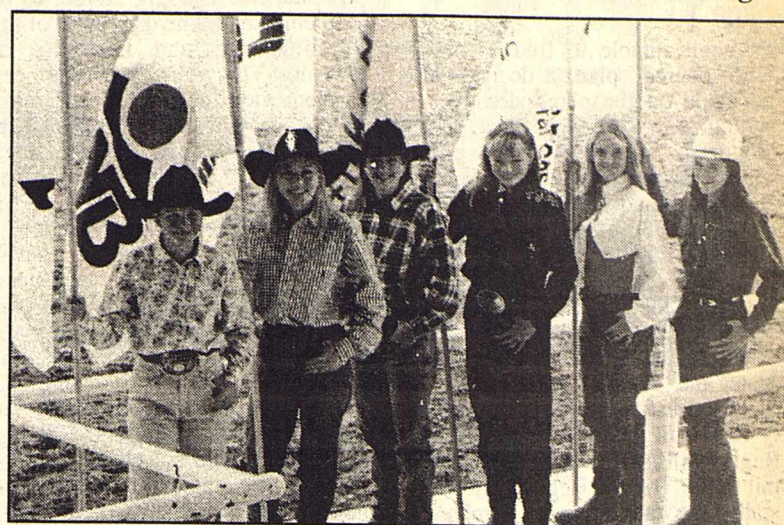


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The Bad Girls riding for the Sutton County Days Association took second place in the horseback mounted group during the Sutton County Days Parade. Pictured l-r with their respective chute sponsor flags are: Sara Ball - Carl J. Cahill Inc, Toni Balas - Sutton County National Bank, Arett Wireman - Creek Swabbing & Roustabout Service, Kendra Jones - Caverns of Sonora, Cara Mayfield - William Tiffie Construction, and Koda Armke - Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas.

THSRA Rodeo Results

The Texas High School Rodeo Association held their 2nd Rodeo Saturday, September 21 and Sunday, September 22 in Eldorado, Texas. The results are as follows for local contestants placing in the top ten:

Boys Cutting- 2nd Tommy Tiffie with a time of 71. Calf Roping- 7th Kelly Morrow with a time of 14.74. Steer Wrestling- 1st Kelly Morrow with a time of 6.17 and 2nd Walker Wallace with a time of 6.18. Breakaway Roping- 8th Kelly Jones with a time of 13.63 and 9th Kendra Jones with a time of 13.70. Bull Riding- 3rd Casey Bradley with a time of 68. Goat Tying- 6th Kelly Jones with a time of 10.17 and 8th Kendra Jones with a

time of 11.59. Team Roping- 7th Casey Bynum and Kelly Morrow with a time of 43.41. Boys cutting- 2nd Tommy Tiffie with a time of 71 1/2. Team Roping- 8th Cody Callaway and Tommy Tiffie with a time of 41.34. Steer Wrestling- 1st Kelly Morrow with a time of 9.64. Goat Tying- 2nd Kelly Jones with a time of 8.11 and 8th Kendra Jones with a time of 9.75

Our next Rodeo will be held in Ozona Texas Saturday, September 28 at 1:30 p.m. and Sunday September 29th at 11 a.m. After Saturday nights Rodeo there will be an open Team Roping. Come on out & show your support and enter the roping!

Freshman Broncos, 2-1

The Freshman Broncos played the Eldorado Eagles JV on Thursday, September 19th. The Freshman won the toss and chose to receive. After the first two plays of the game, the Broncos had 6 points on the board with a run by Edgar Gonzales. From then on it was all Eldorado. The Broncos made mistakes that Eldorado took advantage of.

Eldorado made their first touchdown off of a deep pass. They made two more touchdowns before the half. The Broncos were down 20-6 going

in at half time. They came out in the second half with a great attitude and ready to defend their goal.

The Broncos held the Eagles to no points the second half. The Broncos just could not put the ball in the end zone. The Freshman are going to forget this game and have a great season.

They play the Grape Creek Eagles on Thursday, September 26th in Sonora, as they have already scrimmaged them once this season, it should be a good game. Come out and support them

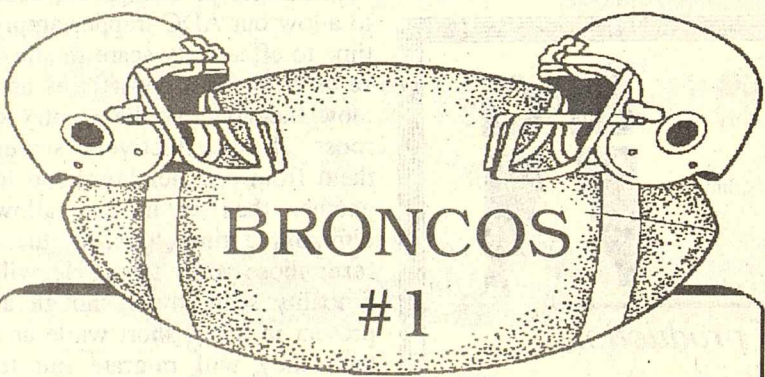
JV Broncos

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Sonora's line swayed, sagged agonizingly back, cracked just enough for the ball to nose over the end line. Sonora lost this battle of inches, and with it, the war. Anthony Luna led all Sonora rushers with 139 yards on 19 carries. In fact, all other Bronco rushers totaled 0 yards on 10 attempts. Mayer connected on 2 of 5 passes for 15 yards. Sonora lost 3 fumbles.

Defensively, Sonora gave up 156 yards rushing on 35 attempts, allowing only two pass completions out of 8 attempts for 14 yards. Most of Brady's rushing yardage came in the second half, 97 yards on 14 attempts. In the first half, the Red Hosses half firm; allowing only 59 yards on 21 rushes.

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White is unable to find a suitable "self-insured" plan, a decision will be made on the plans already presented for consideration. Mr. Goodrich will also check into a Texas Hospital Association plan, and share information on that plan at the September 30th meeting. Renewal date for healthcare insurance is October 1.

Mr. Goodrich reported that in order for the hospital to become trauma center certified and to meet State and Federal regulations, the facility must be able to electronically transmit data to the Trauma Registry in Austin. In order to transmit to the Trauma Registry electronically, the facility must purchase a computer. This computer would also be shared with the dietary department, as the Registered dietitian has recommended that the facility purchase software for the dietary department, which would generate menus in-house instead of paying the consultant to provide menus and would also aid the dietary department in other areas, such as purchasing. Motion was made by Lewis Allen, seconded by Lee Bloodworth, to allow Mr. Goodrich to seek bids for the proper computer required. Approval of the purchase of the computer will be added to the 1997 budget figures.

Mr. Goodrich reported that on November 9, 1992, the Hospital District had approved the 40 hour week for nursing personnel for the

Hospital and Nursing Home, to be implemented at the discretion of the Administrator and Directors of Nursing. This policy has now been implemented in the Hospital, making it necessary to amend the personnel policies to cover this matter.

In regard to item 8 on the agenda, discussion of "Policy on Copying of General Information", it was discovered after the agenda was posted that this matter had been addressed at the Board meeting on December 11, 1995, so no action is required on this matter at the present time.

Mrs. Bobbie Rock, R.N. consultant for the Hudspeth Nursing Facility, reported that overall, everything in the nursing facility looks good at this time. There are still some documentation problems, especially in the area of "change of condition" of the residents. There are still problems with C.N.A.'s. There are many instances in which a C.N.A. should be written up for incidents that occur and should be terminated; however, that leaves only the nurses to do the work of the C.N.A.'s. The pay scale for C.N.A.'s was raised and even that did not seem to remedy the situation. It has been decided that pay is not a big factor in the current problems. The Assistant D.O.N. is the staff developer and is in charge of orientation, etc., so the C.N.A.'s are receiving more in the way of orientation; however, regarding starting a private C.N.A. school in Sonora, as many people interested in attending

C.N.A. school are not able to travel to San Angelo to attend classes. Mrs. Rock reported that the physicians are up to date on the History and Physicals and Progress Notes at the present time. Mrs. Rock reported that there are only a couple of infections present in the residents at this time.

Mr. Goodrich reported that he had received a letter from Congressman Bonilla's office regarding the status of obtaining Medicare coverage for a nursing home resident, who is not a U.S. Citizen. There is now documentation that this resident has been living in the U.S. for 7 years; however, Mr. Bonilla feels that a bill recently signed by President Clinton excludes people in this resident's category from receiving any type of benefits. Congressman Bonilla will research this issue further and get back in touch with Mr. Goodrich.

Mr. Goodrich reported that the Hospital must schedule a trauma center certification survey by March 1, 1997. The survey does not have to be done by March 1, 1997, but must be scheduled by that date. The facility is responsible for making the arrangements for the survey, as well

as responsible for payment for the survey costs, and has received a list to approved surveyors from the TDH.

Mr. Goodrich reported that he had received word from Al Elliott that the Corporate Board is giving the Hospital district funds in the amount of \$36,000.00 for renovations in the hospital, with the stipulation that the contractor whose bid was accepted be checked out very closely before the work is started. Mr. Goodrich will itemize each job to be done and the expectations of that particular job. The Board asked Mr. Goodrich to check into a performance bond. Mr. Goodrich had asked that the contractor also show proof of liability coverage.

Mr. Goodrich gave the financial report for July, 1996. The census in the nursing facility is still low and the census in the hospital has been very low the past couple of months. Collections have been down in the hospital and discussion was held regarding reasons for collections being down and ways to increase the cash flow. Mr. Goodrich will pursue this matter with all personnel and departments involved.

Try It In My Shoes

by Mary Humphreys

Buzzards! Year after year they show up at my house to roost in pecan trees in my front and back yards. They are ruining my trees, making a mess in my yards because they throw-up all over everything, and they stink. I can't let the dog out of the house because it runs through the through-up; I can't even walk in the yards myself. I have tried everything I can think of to scare them off of their roost. I have even had the local ADC Trapper try to scare them off of their roost; however, just when we think they have moved to another roost-site we have to cancel the scare tactics and the buzzards come right back to my trees. It is so frustrating, so nasty, and so senseless.

These words are echoed by several homeowners in Sonora. If you had buzzards roosting in your large trees you would be saying the same things. The birds can be encouraged to move to roost sites out in the country. All that is needed is a little patience, compassion, and understanding.

Black and turkey vultures, more commonly known as buzzards, are nature's house cleaners when it comes to 'picking-up' after carrion or dead animals. It is often thought they look the part part of the nasty job they perform. Most often the flesh that buzzards eat is putrid or spoiled; however, the digestive system of the buzzard destroys the bacteria from the meat so the buzzard is not harmed. Other defense mechanisms buzzards employ are that of having naked head so to expose the infectious bacteria from the meat they come into contact with to the cleansing rays of the sun, the ability to defecate on their legs and feet to cleanse them with the bacteria-destroying enzymes from their digestive systems, and the instinct to roost high in trees to expose themselves to sunlight that will also kill bacteria on their feathers.

Buzzards will typically return to a favorite roost site year after year unless something keeps them from preferring those roost trees. This is the case in Sonora. Several homes on the east side of town have been picked by the buzzards as a favorite roost site because of the large pecan trees in the area. The roost trees are being damaged because there are a lot of buzzards roosting in them and they are tearing at the leaves themselves, the number of birds themselves are a nuisance, and then there is the nasty problem of the buzzards defecating on themselves and whatever else is below them.

Buzzards fall under state non-game bird protection laws and are federally protected under a flyway treaty with Canada and Mexico, so shooting the birds is not a solution to the problem. Trapping the birds is unfeasible because no one would allow a dead carcass in their yard long enough to lure the birds into a walk-in type of trap. So, the solution most likely falls back to using scare tactics to frighten the buzzards from their roost trees after they have come to roost in the evenings. The scare tactics utilized in the past have been to shoot cracker-shells into the air around the roosting buzzards until they have left the roost trees for the evening, and then to shoot the cracker-shells during many consecutive evenings -- long enough to scare the buzzards from the roost altogether.

Tactics have proven successful until the operation is called off due to too many citizens calling in concerns about the loud noises, barking dogs, and interrupted evenings. Our local ADC Trapper has been very successful at scaring the buzzards off their roost for awhile, and just when he has the birds somewhat trained, his mission is called to a halt due to neighbors complaining about he noise the cracker-shells make.

This is where Sonora's compassion comes into play. In order to rid our neighbors' yards and our town of the health hazard the buzzards are producing, we need to allow our ADC trapper ample time to effectively scare the buzzards from their roost trees and move them out into the country to roost. If he effectively scares them from one neighborhood to another, then we need to allow him ample time to scare them from those roost trees. He will probably scare them enough at present in just a short while and then they will migrate out to south Texas or Mexico like they do every year. Then, next spring, when they show up again to roost in our town, he will need to begin his scare tactics again. This will take time, patience, compassion, and understanding -- but it's better than having the buzzards roosting in your neighbor's yard or in your own.

Five CEU's Available With Ag Tour

The Extension Agricultural Committee will be conducting a tour of Project Range Care activities which include a validation study of techniques used to estimate forage production, a study of benchmarking rangeland condition with an evaluation of range trend with respect to range condition and brush encroachment, and a discussion of the rainfall analysis project being conducted in Sutton County. In addition the tour will include a stop at the Brush Buster plots for juniper control on the Wardlaw ranch adjacent to IH-10. The tour and educational program will be conducted by Dr. Larry White and Dr. Bob Lyons, Range Specialists with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

This training activity will be

conducted on Wednesday, October 9, 1996. The program will begin at 8:00 a.m. at the 4-H Center with registration and an election for director of Subdivision 4 of the Edwards Plateau Soil and Water conservation District #2222. Following a brief orientation on the days activities the group will depart the 4-H Center on the tour route. We will return to town by noon for lunch on your own and will resume educational activities at the 4-H Center at 1:30 p.m. The program should conclude about 4:00 p.m.

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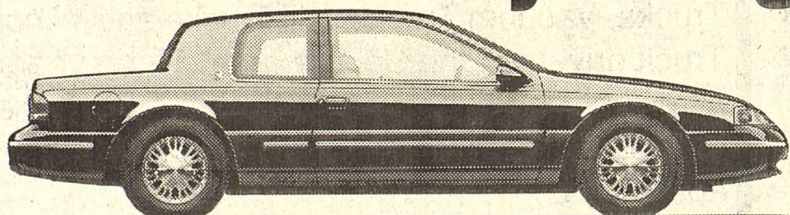


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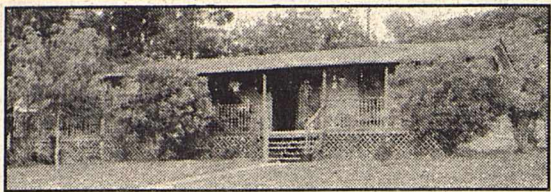
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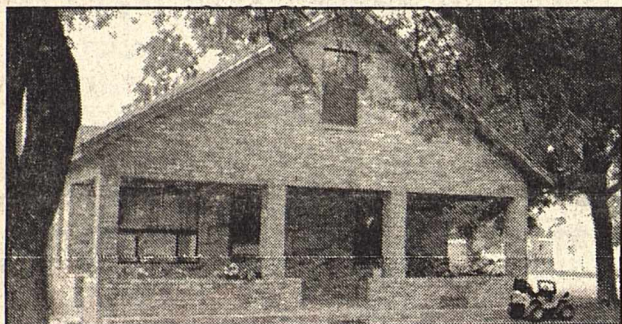
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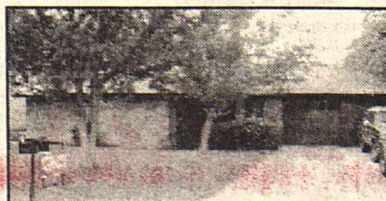
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