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### **Basketball** Schedule

Now that football is finished, head basketball coach Jerry Phillips has begun training of the varsity team in earnest. Remaining games to be

played during basketball sea-son are as follows: Dec. 30, Ozona here, boys A, B, Freshmen Jan. 4. Junction there, boys

A & B, Girls A Jan. 7, \*Bangs, here, boys & Jan. 6, 7, 8 Big Lake Tourna-

ment, boys A & B, freshmen Jan. 11, \*Robert Lee, there, boys A girls A Jan. 14, \*Eldorado here, boys A, girls A & B

Jan. 18, \*Mason there, boys A & B, girls A Jan. 21, \*Menard there, boys

A & B, girls A Jan. 25, \*Bangs there, boys A & Girls A Jan. 28, \*Robert Lee here, boys

A & B, girls A Feb. 1, \*Eldorado there; boys A & B, girls A

Feb. 4, \*Mason here, boys A & B, girls A Feb. 8, \*Menard here, boys

A, girls A & B (\* Denotes district games) All B games for girls begin at 5 p.m.. 'A' games for the girls begin at 6:30 p.m. and all 'A' games for boys begin

Ray Mason is coach of the girls' basketball teams.

NEW YEAR'S HOLIDAYS SET Most of the offices and stores in the downtown area will be closed New Year's Eve and New Year's Day.

The First National Bank, as well as the city and county offices will be closed Friday in observance of New Year's Day Saturday. All the stores downtown will be closed Saturday.

### **Eastern Star Plans Instructional School**

A school of instruction for members of this section of the Order of Eastern Star will be held at the Ozona Community Center, beginning January 3 at 6 p.m. The school will be held Monday, with instructions beginning Tuesday morning.

A banquet and joint fraternal wisit of the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron will open the school Monday evening.

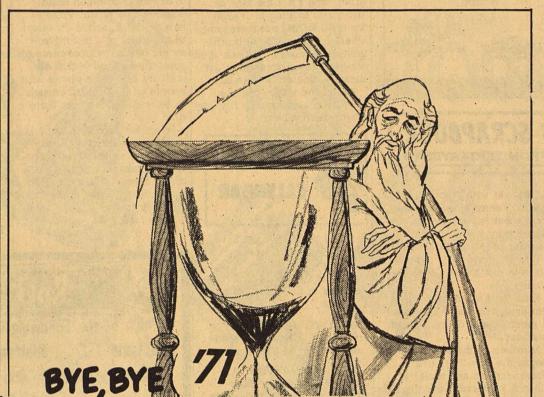
Following the ritualistic opening at 8 p.m. at the Ozona following a long illness. chapter honor guests will be | Fred Campbell, director of presented. Honor guests are Ailene Houston, Worthy Grand Matron; Harold C. Todd, Worthy Grand Patron; Mrs. Rennie Often, Grand Examiner; Mrs. Cora Lee Darcie, District Deputy Grand Matron: Mrs. Joe Hull, Deputy Grand Matron and Mrs. Kaleta Shepperson of Ozona, co-chairmen of the school.

Mrs. Hull who has completed visits to the seven chapters comprising District 5, Section 2, urges all members to attend the school.

The chapters taking part in the school include Ozona 287: Sonora 575; Eldorado 140; kankin 176; Clara Mills 1032; Fort McKavett 783 and Big

#### SAVINGS BONDS SALES TOLD

Sales of Series E and H United son. States Savings Bonds for the first eleven months of 1971 ty. Of this amount, \$1,503 were purchased during the month of November according George H. Neill, chairman of the Sutton County Savings Bonds Committee.



FATHER TIME A Joyous New Year To All . . CHRISTI SPAINI



### **Lesa Whitehead** To Perform With SWTU Band

Lesa Whitehead, Southwest Texas State University student will be performing with the SWTSU Band Organization at the Texas Stadium near Dallas January 2. Miss Whitehead, a graduate of Sonora High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitehead.

The colorful show band was invited by the Dallas Cowboys to perform at the National Football Conference finals, which will be nationally televised. "Hippodrome Varieties" will be the title of the game's star studded halftime show, with the group from Southwest Texas scheduled as the featured entertainment.

The SWT band, directed by Dr. Douglas Wiehe, and the Strutters, under the direction of Mrs. Barbara Tidwell, has performed at all home football contests this year, in addition to a December 5 appearance at the Houston Astrodome.

# 1971 HISTORY REVIEW

#### **January**

Three dry summers, with aove average winter moisture, has seriously reduced the proction and ground cove native grass. Thus far the 1970-71 winter has been extremely dry, and expensive feed bills are probable.

George Richburg of San An tonio, and Joe Wilson have opened a new business here in the Penick Building. It will be known as the Sonora Welding Company and will offer a general welding service.

An Ozona mother, Mrs. Margaret Villarreal gave birth to the first child, a boy born in Hudspeth Hospital January 2. Marty Martinez, 20, died December 31, 1970, in Austin of injuries sustained in an auto-

at Oak Hill, near Austin. Sonora firemen elected Darcy Carroll as fire chief for the coming year.

mobile accident November 29

ing, well-known, longtime wedding anniversary December 30. 1970. Services were held December

31, for Mr. Victor Garcia Chav ez, 92, who died at his home

District #5 of the American Rambouillet Sheep Breeders Association, Gerald Porter of Fort Stockton, president, Rod Richardson, Iraan, director of District #4 and Ed Whitesides of the State Agriculture Department, flew to Washington, D.C., to negotiate with representatives of the India Government on the sale of registered Rambouillet sheep.

Shelley L. Morriss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Morriss, was accepted into the membership of Alpha Lambda Delta at Baylor University in Waco.

From Green News: Wayne Herrmann made a HOLE IN ONE New Year's Day.

The 1970 hunting season officially ended January 3, and the Branding Iron Smoke House and Whitworth's Drive In reported a total of over 1, 000 deer were placed in storage in the two places during the sea-

Santa Fe Railway filed a request with the Interstate Comtotaled \$16,564 in Sutton Coun-merce Commission in Washington for permission to discontinue rail service on the line from Tom Green County to Sutton

> The Texas Highway Commission reduced the normal work | Tennessee hospital.

ance employees of the Texas Highway Department from 45

to 40 hours per week.

of \$25 monthly was granted to all county officials with the ex- almost \$85 each. ception of the commissioners. Mr. George Gordon Bennett.

81, died at 10 a.m. January 3 in Hudspeth Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

Renee Rousselot, daughter of had the champion finewool lamb carcass entry at the 23rd annual 4-H show held January

Scott Jacoby, high school senior, added three victories at the 4-H show and sale when he exhibited the champion fine shipment included Eddie reserve crossbred club lambs

Students making the semester ster Jones, Eugene Pierce and honor roll included; senior, Trouba Teaff; juniors, Jessie McCutchen, Joe Nance and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schwien-Rick Street; sophomores, Wade Richardson and Mark Rousselot; Sonorans, celebrated their 60th and freshmen, Cindy Feagin, Carmen San Miguel, David

> Carol Weston and Jack Sykes. The 1970 Texas Sports Writers Association Class A All-State football team included four. players from state champion class A winner, Sonora Broncos. Mike Taylor and Scott Jacoby

Wallace, Ruthie Wallace,

fense, and Sammy Perez, second team defense. The highly successful record of coaches Jerry Hopkins and Dennie Hays came to a close as they moved to Class 4A Seguin. Their ten-year tenure in Sonora stands 108-23-3, winning three state championships in the Class A division. Sonora won the state title in

1966, 1968 and 1970. Mr. Mike Puckett, Church of Christ minister, and Mrs. Puckett left for Fort Worth where he will attend Texas

Christian Brite Divinity School Miss Saundra Mounce was among fourteen area girls being honored at a tea at Fort Concho in San Angelo. The tea was sponsored by Pocahontas Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

Janet Pope was among forty outstanding FFA, FHA and 4-H members honored at the rural youth honor banquet in San

Mrs. Cora B. Matthews, 71, mother of Mrs. E. P. Carroll, died January 13 in a Cookesville

W. L. (Tom) Davis exhibited the champion registered breed fleece at the National Western Wool show held in Denver,

Colorado, January 15-23. At the Monday meeting of the | A total of thirty-five lambs county commission, a pay raise were sold at the 4-H show and sale, bringing an average of

Joy and Ray Piper opened the Chuck Wagon Inn Monday. The Piper family came here from Sterling City, and they have

four children. The second of four proposed Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rousselot plane loads of registered ram-

bouillet sheep were loaded in San Antonio, January 24, enroute to New Delhi, India. Seven hundred eighty were loaded into the four engine jet. Local and area breeders whose animals were selected for the wool club lamb, champion and Smith, W.L. Davis and Rodney, Mary Davis Coupe and Jimmy and champion pair of finewools. O'Harrow of Eldorado, Demp-

> Jay Miller of Ozona; Hayden Haby, James Wittenburg and J.O. Hankins of Rocksprings and Roger Landers of Menard. Debbie Howard exhibited the champion Rambouillet ewe and

ram at the Hill Country District Livestock Show in Kerrville January 18-19. Du Ray Smith was first place winner for best design in the

Pinewood Derby held by cub scouts. James Black was first in the championship flight. Fifty-two contributions totalwere named to the first team of ing \$925 were received at the

fense; Kerry Joy, first team de- Chinese auction at the 4-H sale An all school dance was held Saturday night at the cafeteria with Billy Roberts and his band providing the music.

Army private first class Antonio R. Martinez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Antonio B. Martinez, was assigned with the 173rd airborne brigade in Vietnam.

#### **February**

Smith Neal, local chairman of the March of Dimes drive, said \$656. 92 has been received here as of Monday. Mrs. Edwin Sawyer was chairman of the Mothers' March.

The Rev. John M. Weston, pastor of First Methodist Church received recognition as the outstanding pastor of the San Angelo District during the 1969-70 church year. This honor was given to one pastor in each District serving the Methodist churches. About sixty ranchmen attend-

ed the Sonora Wool & Mohair Company and the Cooper Company Angora goat and mohair cont'd on page 4

And Sale Set January 14-15 The annual Sutton County 4-H Show will be held at the 4-H Center Friday and Satur-

team members are shown here, reading left to right, bottom

row: Freddie Virgen, Freddie Gonzales, Mark Rousselot, Steve

ley Richardson and Rick Street; third row, Frank Taylor, John

Weston, Jack Sykes, Tim Cole, Willie Faye and Joe Gutierrez;

Street, Wade Richardson and Eddie Alexander; second row, John

Martin Beckham, Jimmy Galindo, Rick Hill, Tryon Fields, Wes-

at 12 Saturday. Thirty-six Sutton County 4-H Club members plan to exhibit 201 head of livestock in the show. Twenty-nine lambs or lamb carcasses will be sold in the auction sale and one lamb will be sold in a Chinese auction to raise money for 4-H club activities and the

day, January 14 and 15. The

follow a free barbecue lunch

auction sale of lambs will

4-H Center. Other 4-H activities supported by funds raised at the annual show and sale include a junior 4-H Horse Show, 4-H Ball, District and County 4-H Camp, State 4-H Range Camp 4-H Round-Up, 4-H Achievement Banquet, State 4-H Center and many other special 4-H activities.

The 4-H show and sale is the only fund raising activity of the Sutton County club.

Judges for the 1972 show will be Crawford Mitchell, Rocksprings, Angora Goats; James A. Gray, San Angelo, breeding sheep and W.M. "Dub"

SONORA HIGH SCHOOL'S 1971 CO-CHAMPION CLASS A Bronco fourth row, Gene Trainer, Mike Dillard, Ladd Turner, William

Sutton County 4-H Show

Gray, along with Dr. Frank Orts, College Station, Bill Sims of San Angelo and Allen Turner of San Angelo, will judge the carcass lamb classes. Col. Don Cooper, former Sutton County 4-H club member from College Station, will be the auctioneer. He will be assisted by Herbert Fields, Jimmy Harris, Lin

Day, market lambs.

Hicks and Nathan Donsky. Other committees appointed by show committee chairman . D. Cook include: Bookkeeping-Mrs. Louis Powers, Mrs. Lea Roy Aldwell,

Warren Hemphill and Pon Seahorn. Publicity-Doyle Morgan and Scott Campbell.

Food Committee-Mr. and Mrs. Dick Street and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Finklea.

-Bill Whitehead, Bill Morriss, Alan Saunders and Calvin Van Hoozer.

Thompson, Bruce Kerbow and Milton Noel; fifth row, Gene

Mata and Richard Bernal. Coaching the Broncos were head

Bob Snodgrass, Jerry Horn and Oliver Wuest.

Thompson, Bruce Baldwin, Beto Villareal, Joe Eustace, Henry

coach Bill Scoggins, Wayne Shaw, Travis Harkins, Jerry Phillips,

Announcers-Janet Pope and Ruth Ella Wallace. Awards-Billie Ann Stewart.

Show Ring assistants-Preston Love, T.E. (Hoot) Nix, Turney Friess and Tommy Love. 1972 4-H Sutton County

Livestock Show committee-Cook, chairman, Finklea, Wallas Renfro, Edgar Glasscock. Fields. Gene Wallace, Harold Schwiening, Jr., George E. Smith, George Wallace, Norman Rousselot, Walter Pope III, Dennis Dunnam and Eddie Smith.

Trophy donors for the show include: Nathan's Jewelers of San Angelo; D & D Ribbon Company, Rankin, and B. M. Halbert III of Andrews. Sonora donors include: The

First Mational Bank, Foodway Stores, Sonora Feed Company, Twin Oaks Motel, Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Company,

Marion Elliott, Neville's Department Store, Federal Land Bank Association, Stockmen's Feed Company and Edgar Glasscock.

The First National Bank will sponsor the special lamb carcass show again and will provide three hundred dollars in premiums for 4-H exhibitors

in the carcass classes. The complete schedule of the show is as follows: Monday, January 10, 3:45

p.m., live judging of carcass lambs. Friday, January 14, 1 p.m., Market Lamb Show. Saturday, January 15-

8:30 a.m., breeding sheep show. 9 a.m., Angora goat show. 11:30 a.m., carcass lamb display and results.

12 noon, tree barbecue lunch 12:30 p.m., auction sale of lambs.

1:30 p.m., presentation of awards and drawing for boots.

## The Devilse River News

# Editorials-Features-Columns

The most effective single force in building a good community is a good newspaper.

## **Welcoming The New Year**

Let us welcome the New Year, them. Let us welcome the opportunity that it provides. At the same time let us be thankful for the experiences of 1971.

We have the opportunity, during the 365 days ahead, to record our own individual achieve-Open House Custom ments. This is the way we paint start, with a clean slate.

Before we make our first marks for 1972 however, let's not turn completely aside from 1971. Look backward with an appraising eye. Our incomplete assignments cannot be brushed aside because the date in cities such as New York, on the calendar has been changed. The things that needed doing yesterday, if undone, need doing today, or tomorrow. They won't go

away just because we ignore MAYTAG

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It is a New Year, yet we as individuals are not reborn. We are the same, with the same strength, with the same weak-

# the New Year — time for a new start, with a clean slate. New Year's Day

The custom of calling on friends on New Year's Day is said to have started centuries ago by the Chinese. Here, in the United States, especially the custom began early -Dutch settlers are credited with beginning this pleasant practice. The men called on the women; so the ladies saw men friends at least once a year.

Gradually, the calling idea spread from the East coast to other states, and for many decades was a popular way of opening the New Year.

SS REPRESENTIVE TO VISIT A representative of the San Angelo social security office wil be at the courthouse January 20 from 9 to 11 a.m. Anyone needing assistance in filing an application for Social Security retirement, survivors, disability or Medicare insurance benefits may contact him at that time, or visit the San Angelo office.

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## Happy Birthday

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Clay Cade SUNDAY, JANUARY 2 Mrs. George E. (Bud) Smith Giles Hill Roger Langford Laura Denise Neal Carmen Galindo MONDAY, JANUARY 3 Nancy Kay Voight

Mrs. Jack Drennan

Nolan Johnson Jan McClelland TUESDAY, JANUARY 4 Sherry Farr Nedra Rave Lorie Michelle Olson Chuck Palmer David L. Kingston James Alexander WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 5 Richard Cox Mrs. Joe Neil Smith Brenda Baldwin Mrs. Tom Peaslee

Rebecca Ramos

many an experienced hunter by bagging his first two deer in SELECTING FRESH CRANBERone day. His first was a seven RIES-Cranberry varieties differ pointer and the second a tenidentified by variety names in pointer. the supermarket. So when se-**DECEMBER 28, 1951** Frank Bond who is attending plump, firm berries with a lusthe Texas University is home trous red color. Cranberries are over the holidays visiting his now available in plentiful suparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank

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**DECEMBER 28, 1961** 

H. V. (Buzzie) Stokes preview

ed the recently completed So-

nora Golf Course by teeing off

Limited play on the course be-

gan in November and the driv-

The District Sportsmanship

award for 1960 football season

went to the Sonora Broncos.

Bobby Sosa and Johnny Fields.

accepted the trophy for the team.

Approximately 175 members

and guests of the Bronco Booster

Club were on hand for the or-

ganizations annual banquet

Randy Awalt, 11-year-old

son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney

Awalt of San Angelo, had a

thrilling outing at the Mack

Pfc. Hayden Barker who is

stationed at Camp Roberts is

Ernest C. Stephen who is at-

ending the University of Texas

s here over the holidays visit-

ing his parents. Mr. and Mrs.

Miss Blanche Lavon Taylor.

as is here this week, the guest

Mayor Alfred Schwiening received a letter last week from

W. Cox stating that Sonora's

garbage disposal system was

recent inspection here.

Mrs. Bob Doran.

found to be very efficient on a

Miss Roberta Doran, student

at Mary Hardin Baylor is home

for the Christmas holidays, the

guest of her parents, Mr. and

Jamest T. Hunt, student at

over the holidays visiting his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan

JANUARY 2, 1942

Nine hundred pounds of food

was distributed to needy fami-

lies Christmas Eve by the Boy

Scouts, it was reported at the

Lions Club luncheon Tuesday.

The training of approximately

54 auxiliary firemen from Sut-

incendiary bombs will be under-

Cashes Taylor, fire chief, said

D. W. Reiley of Sonora is the

Reserves here since the outbreak

511 NE Main

ton County in the handling of

taken in the next few weeks,

first resident of this city to

complete his application for

enlistment in the U.S. Navy

Tuesday.

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the University of Texas is here

of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Cauthorn ranch. Randy outdid

at the school cafeteria.

Co-captains Jimmy Cahill,

ing range was opened at the

same time.

Bond.

ville Barker.

. C. Stephen.

C. W. Taylor.

with his trusty walking cane.

Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Trainer were in San Antonio for New Year's Day. Mrs. Ford Allen entertained her daughter, Betty Sue, with

ranches of Hal and Clay Holland

theatre party on her seventh oirthday. Members of the Baptist Church began the New Year with a

prayer service and social at Church Wednesday evening. The program started at 9 o'clock. 62 YEARS AGO

W. W. Moser the sheepman who has his sheep down on Dev il's River was in Sonora this week visiting during the Christmasholidays with his family. Ed Wall and sons R. E. and Andy were in from their farm in the Franks defeat country

Tuesday on business. Jesse Sharp was having a fine time in Sonora this week. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Luckie

spent Christmas in Sonora. Lum Heflin represented the Sol Mayer ranch over the Christ-

mas holidays. F.R. Hull, the well driller, spent Christmas in Sonora. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hall of Brownwood were here several here this week visiting his uncle days this week. Mr. Hall is and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Gran-

agent for the Cadillac auto and delivered one to Theo Savell. Mr. and Mrs. Bus Allison spent Christmas in Sonora with friends and family.

Artie, Stuart and Sterling Baker were in from the ranch several days this week having student at the University of Texa time.

E.C. Saunders, the windmill man, is spending a few days with his family in Ballinger. Marion Stokes was having a good time this week. State Helath Officer Dr. George

Born on Tuesday, December 28, to Mr. and Mrs. Will Hayes a 10 pound boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallace of

Rocksprings were the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mayfield this week. Carl Adams the telephone

man returned from a pleasure trip to Del Rio.

The Devil's River Philosopher Sez.....

### He Thinks He Has A Plan For Getting The Nations Of The World To Unite

You let Walter Cronkite an-

nounce on the evening news

that strange creatures on some

distant planet are preparing to

attack the earth and there won't

North and South Vietnam than

South Dakota or Methodists and

Baptists. India and East Paki

stan will turn their guns away

skyward side by side. Russia,

China and the United States

will start sharing military sec-

rets like pioneer settlers shar-

ing their fort against an Indian

Up to now I've been a little

skeptical about space explora-

tion, but I'm convinced it's

the way to bring the world to-

However the scientists ought

to use some common sense.

Write off the moon, there's

bobody there. Strike off Mars,

scopic bateria? Concentrate on

until we find some planet with

people on it civilized enough

to be warlike, then get them

Before we do that though,

make sure what kind of ma-

terial they've got. We don't

want to take on somebody out

of our league. We want some

planet that'll bring us together

who's afraid of a few micro-

going further and further out

attack.

gether.

mad at us.

not whip us.

Yours faithfully,

from each other and train them

there is between North and

Editor's note: The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitterweed ranch on Dry Devil's River comes up with another of his peculiar ideas this week. Dear editar:

According to an article I read in a newspaper somebody had used to gift-wrap a Christmas package for me, scientists are planning on spending 11 million dollars on another rocket ship to Mars in 1976 to find out if there's life on that plan-

They're on the right track but the wrong planet. They've already decided from photographs sent back by the rocket now circling Mars that if there is life there it's only microscopic

If the world is ever to get united, that's not the kind of life we're looking for. What we need to find out there some where is a planet with intelligent creatures on it. Then when we find them, we need to get them to declare war on us.

That's one way to get the people on earth to stop fighting among themselves.



FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31 NEW YEAR'S EVE (stores

closed) SUNDAY, JANUARY 2 Services at the church of your choice

MONDAY, JANUARY 3 8:30 a.m., City Commissioners meeting at City Hall

TUESDAY, JANUARY 4 12 noon, Downtown Lions Club luncheon in fellowship hall of First Methodist Church 5 p.m., Historical Society meeting, Miers Home

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Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Sosa JANUARY 5 be any more difference between Mr. and Mrs. Glen Richardson JANUARY 6

Mr. and Mrs. Rip Ward Mr. and Mrs. George Brockman Mr. and Mrs. Jack H. Sharp

JANUARY 7 Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wharton,

JANUARY 14 Mr. and Mrs. John Butterfield JANUARY 20

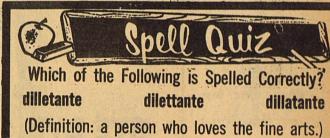
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Virgen Mr. and Mrs. Juan Lozano JANUARY 26

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Glasscock Mr. and Mrs. David Archer Mr. and Mrs. John Merck, Jr. **JANUARY 28** 

Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Cahill, Jr.



anymore he is a frequent visitor and has made a name for himself elsewhere in Texas. (Last week -Jimmy Cahill)

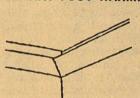


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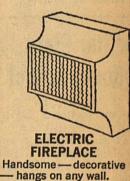
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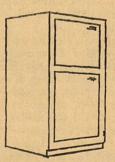




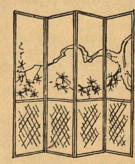
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clinic in cooperation with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at the 4-H Center.

The Sonora Independent School Trustees met Thursday night and hired Bill Scoggins as head coach and athletic director for Sonora High School He and his wife have two sons. Mike, 16, and David, 8.

A winter white theme was used by Mrs. Charles F. Browne and other committee members in the decorations for the annual Fling Ding dance.

Employees of the City of Sonora honored Lupe Chavez with a party Friday at the City Hall. Chavez who retired after twenty-five years with the City, was presented a desk clock with an inscription noting his years of service.

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At the School Board meeting trustees said Senior trips are being limited to United States travel and one school-day only with no overnight trips planned for future senior trips.

Mr. Marion "Bud" Stokes, 81 died in Hudspeth Hospital February 3, following an illness. The Rev. Douglas Robbins

arrived here to pastor Hope Lutheran Church. Miss Clara Allison, 80, died

February 7, at Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. Miss Allison, a daughter of pioneer settlers, the late Mr. and Mrs. George S. Allison, was born here April 25, 1890.

Mike Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Odell Taylor of Van Horn, of intent with Texas Christian University. Taylor, chosen to the All State Champion Class A team, played the split end position with the Bronco Class A State 1970 Champions. Manuel Paredes, 27, announ-

ced as a candidate for School Board Trustee of the Sonora Independent School District. He is the youngest candidate seek ing a spot on the Board. Five candidates are vying for the three spots. Armer Earwood, Bill Tittle and Gene Shurley, incumbents, have announced their intention to run. Mrs. Walter L. Pope, III also announced.

A conservation essay prepared by Scott Jacoby was selected as the winner of the 1971 conservation essay contest for the ligh School division. Jim Carlen, head coach at

Texas Technological University at Lubbock, was the speak er at the football banquet at the 4-H Center last Friday. About 400 persons attended the banquet, sponsored by the Booster Club. Former coach Jerry Hopkins and line coach. Dennie Hays, were here from Seguin. Hopkins presented awards to football boys and he was given a gift by the team and also the Booster club members.

Kerry Joy received the Nathan's Jewelry Award at the annual football banquet.

The Cub Scouts held their annual Blue and Gold banquet Wednesday night at the 4-H Center. Theme of the banquet was "Our American Heritage" with each den decorating its table accordingly. About 110 persons attended the banquet. Other high school winners placing in the soil conservation

essay other than first place winner, Scott Jacoby, were Gene Trainer, James Benson, Ben Snodgrass and Matt Davenport. Susan Schwiening, daughter Angora doe at the 1971 San Antonio Livestock Show last

Mr. Jerry Neill Shurley, 40, died about 11:30 a.m. February 18, in the Shannon Hospital Scout at a Court of Honor. in San Angelo after a brief illness. He was a rancher and

Rick Street, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Street, walked away with most of the medals in the speech tournament held here in February. Street won ten medals, a larger number than anyone else participating in the event.

Other Sonora students who placed in the various events included Kelley Sue Sentell, Jimmy Pollard, Maggie Galbreath, Claire Langford, Melinda Earwood, Johnny Pollard and Rick Hill.

Twenty schools participated in the meet involving 250 contestants.

The vocational nursing stu-

dents at Lillian M. Hudspeth Hospital received their caps after finishing a three months class in experience time February 1. Mrs. Mary Ford, R. N., has been instructing the group.

#### March

George Wynn, attorney, was named as County Attorney at a special meeting of Sutton County commissioners last Wednesday. Wynn was appointed by the court to fill the unexpired term of the late Jerry N. Shurley, who died in Feb. ruary

Effective March 1, Lone Star Gas Company customer service calls and payment of accounts former Sonorans, signed a letter was moved to the Mollie Hite book store.

> Willie G. Adams, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charlie F. Adams, died in Brawley, California, February 10. His father was the founder of Sutton Co. Two hundred seventy-four ballots were cast in the recent City Sales Tax election with 206 votes for the tax and 68 against. The 1¢ sales tax will

The 170th year of public chools in Texas was observed this week in the local schools. Sonorans had to bring umbrellas out of mothballs last week, when late February rains fell, bringing some relief from the dry weather that has prevailed for many months. Rainfall vari- honor the graduating seniors. ed widely with from . 70 to

become effective July 1.

2.80 inches being reported. William Caster Durbon, 91, father of Mrs. Maudie Doran and Mrs. Pete Doran, died February 25.

Ira "Boosie" Glasscock, Jr., a former Sonoran, died February 26, in Rankin.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bishop were honored with a barbecue dinner at their ranch home in observance of the couple's 50th wedding anniversary. Coach Jerry Phillips' basket-

ball players for the varsity finished the year with an 8-3 record, and placed second in the district to Mason, in the 9-A play. The annual Lions sale of ar-

ticles made by the blind and concluded here Tuesday, grossed over \$1700. Mr. Victor Hugo Schoenewolf,

27. died at 2:05 a.m., March from injuries sustained at 1 a.m. when his car overturned four miles east of here on U.S. The Bronco track team, under

Coach Bill Scoggins, took the Division II team title in their opening meet of the season at Ozona Saturday. Census Bureau reports Sutton

of Mr. and Mrs. Corky Schwien-County's official population in he 1970 census was 3, 175, down 15.1 percent from the 1960 figure of 3,738.

Horace Humphreys, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Humphreys, received the rank of Eagle

Traditional candlelighting ceremonies were held Friday county attorney for Sutton Coun- at Sonora High School auditorium for students who were this years initiatees into the National Honor Society. Students are selected on basis of scholarship, citizenship and service to their community and school.

Four Sonora Broncos were selected to represent the all-District 9-A basketball team. Mike Taylor and Willie Gutierrez were named to the first team, and selected to the second team were Jimmy Cade and Kerry Joy.

Sixteen Girl Scouts of Troop 79 visited St. Ann's Catholic Church March 7 in observance of Girl Scout Sunday. Dr. and Mrs. L.M. Pollard

and their three children, John, Ronnie and Paige moved to Sonora from Pecos. He is engaged in the practice of dentistry.

A father-daughter banquet was held last week at St. Ann's Parish Hall in observance of Girl Scout Week.

Melinda and Edward Earwood children of Mr. and Mrs. Armer Earwood, exhibited the champion pen of three range Angora doe kids, and Debbie Howard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard, exhibited the champion pen of three range ewe lambs to share top honors won by Sutton County 4-H members at the San Angelo Fat Stock Show.

Finishing touches were added to the new band stand at the 4-H Center. Money for the stand was donated by the Downtown Lions Club and construction of the stand was done by Joe Lane and other crew members of IH10 construction after work hours. The mobile stand was constructed on rollers for easier moving.
Kerry Joy, Sonora High School

senior, signed a pre-enrollment agreement to attend Sul Ross State University in Alpine. The annual Sheep Field Day

was held at the Texas Agricul-

tural Experiment Station. It was well attended. The Sonora Broncos accumuated 154 points to win first lace in the Fifteenth Annual

Plateau Relays held in Eldorado The Junior-Senior banquet was held Friday night in the elementary school cafeteria to

## April

Services for Dr. John Franklin Howell, 75, were held March 29, at 4 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church. Dr. How ell died around 2 p.m. Saturday, in San Angelo's Shannon Hospital after apparently suffering a heart attack while attending the San Angelo Relays in San Angelo Stadium, where the Sonora track team was partici-John David Fields, Jr. was

appointed Assistant Executive Director of the Memphis-based Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity recently. Kenneth W. Stokes of San

Angelo was recently appointed Agricultural Economist for the Near East Foundation of New York and the Government of l'anzania. Mrs. Stokes is the daughter of Mrs. Pauline Thompson.

Sonora Broncos placed first in the San Angelo Relays Saturday and brought home four large trophies. The speedy tracksters won all three UIL relays-the mile relay, the 440 relay and the 880 relay. Frank Fish, local ranchman,

and Smith Neal, high school English teacher, were cited for outstanding service to the soil and water conservation program in Sutton County. Five junior high students pre-

sented the program at the Down: town Lions Club Tuesday. They were Jimmy and Johnny Pollard, Maggie Galbreath, Claire Langford and Melinda Earwood. Joe Banhan of Uvalde and

Vivian Miears took first place honors in the East-West section of open pairs consolation in the Sectional Bridge Tournament held in San Antonio over the weekend. Sam Conner and George Fin-

ley of San Angelo won the Championship Flight in the Men's Partnership Golf Tournament held at the Sonora Golf Club. Sonora High School golf team

won the District 9-A championship when young high school golfers met here in early April for the tourney.
A total of 522 ballots were

cast in the Saturday school

trustee election with Armer Earwood receiving 304 votes; Mrs. Dorothy Pope, 299; Bill Tittle, 277; Gene Shurley, 267 and Manuel Paredes, 162.

Earwood, Tittle and Mrs. Pope were the three candidates elected to serve on the Board. Mr. Andrew Jackson Dragoo, 101, died at 12:30 p.m. at Brady.

Indian mounds or rock middens may become valuable as a tourist attraction. Many of these "rock fireplaces" are to be found on Sutton County rangeland, according to E.B. Keng, SCS Technician. Bill Coats, San Angelo attor-

ney, representing Southern Sun Corporation, requested city council members to annex 179. 6 acres of land recently purchased by the corporation, into the city limits.

In District 9-A competition at the University Interscholastic eague literary meet in Robert ee local students scored 102 points. When Saundra Mounce tied for second place in Ready Writing, Sonora took the lead over other competition.

Beautiful clouds and pools of water were a welcome sight after a dry winter that triggered vivid memories of the 1951-'57 drouth when nature started olaying "catch-up" with rainfall last week. An extensive front moved across the Sonora area Friday morning, leaving from one to two inches of rain. Rainfall was much heavier northwest of town, with 4-6

inches falling west of Eldorado.
Grosse Mohler, who has assisted with coaching duties of the Sonora Broncos for the past two years, has resigned from Sonora schools, effective at the end of the present school year.

Jack Kerbow announced this week that Home Hardware and Furniture has joined a buyers

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Sunday

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Ecclesiastes

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Sutton County 4-H judging teams participated in judging contests at Sul Ross State University, Angelo State University and Odessa Junior College Saturday, and won top honors in all three events.

From Teen Scene: These last two weeks at SHS could well be called "the weeks that were Sonora High School added a district track trophy Saturday at Robert Lee and Mr. Buchanan's one-act play easily won district enabling them to travel to Denton to compete in the Regional meet.

Baseball play opened for the Sonora Colt 45's team against Junction last week with the team losing to Junction 5-4 after 12 innings of play.

Students enrolled in Homemaking held a style show April 14 in the auditorium. A marker was dedicated to

the memory of the late Joe Brown Ross in ceremonies held at the courthouse. John Eaton, who gave the history of the Frisco Trailway, said in part .. "the Trailway is the longest known to be planned, built and paid for by a railroad

company. As a historical fact it is recorded in The Handbook of Texas. As an oddity in transportation, it is featured in the Texas Transportation Museum at San Antonio. As an assest to Sutton County Stockmen, it served for more than two decades before falling to progress and returning to the grazing land from which it came." The Junior Grass Judging team

composed of Marsha Finklea, Renee Rousselot, Larry Finklea and Susan Schwiening placed first in the District 6 4-H junior grass judging contest at Odessa last week. Larry was high individual and Marsha

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Thursday

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was the second high individual. Miss Annella Stites, 57, died April 10 in Hudspeth Memorial

Hospital after a long illness. Mr. Beal Freeman, 77, a forty-seven-year resident of Sutton County, died April 12, at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital after an extended illness.

Little Leaguers began practice for summer baseball play Monday and have the first game scheduled Monday afternoon, beginning at 6:15 p.m. at the Little League field.

Many racing enthusiasts attended the races Saturday and Sunday and enjoyed the sport under clear skies and sunny weather.

The junior horse judging team of Laura Gibbs, Teresa Parker, Cathy Ward, Maggie Galbreath and Pam Powers won first place in district judging in Fort Stockton Saturday. Pam won second in placings and was second place high point individual. From Teen Scene: 1970-'71

a year to remember! To the already lengthy list of accomplishments gained for SHS by its students, add a statebound track squad and a speech team also state bound.

Another event that should be included in this climatic year is a student council election so close that two impromptu student council meetings were called and the votes counted. recounted, and counted again, again and again.

Sonora students proved that they have other talents in addition to football playing when they took the State crown in Class A competition for their performances in the one-act play "The Madwoman of Chaillot" in Austin. James Buchanan

directed the play. Matt Davenport was named Best Actor. He was also winner of Samuel French Award as the outstanding performer. Ruthie Wallace. freshman, was named to the all-star cast.

Staff Sgt. Gene McCarver, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Mc-Carver, returned from an eleven month tour of duty in

Camrah Bay, Vietnam. Winner of the 1971 West Texas Futurity was My Margo, trained by Bill Lowe and ridden. by Perry Walker. On a fast track, time for the 330-yard race was 17.22. A large crowd was on hand to view the Saturday and Sunday races with nice weather prevailing both week-

ends of the race meet. Featuring a Mothers' Day edition, the May 6 issue honored mothers Mrs. John Weston, Mrs. Tom Dixon, Mrs. Dovle Crawford, Mrs. Leandro Badillo, Mrs. Pete Gomez and Mrs. Jerry Phillips.

Mrs. C. W. (Shirley) West, Ir., was on the dean's list at Angelo State. She had a 3.8 grade average in math and calculus and was honored as one of the twenty-seven outstanding students at a special awards presentation.

Twirlers for the 1971-72 season were chosen and they were Molly Morriss, Cindy Cavaness, Selma Nell Stubblefield, Glenna Chadwick and Vickie Turner. Kathy Hardegree will again serve as majorette.

The hand and choir concert was presented Tuesday night in the high school auditorium. Many commented on the vast improvement by both groups. Woman's Club officers installed included Mrs. Jamie Parker, president; Mrs. John Wes-

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First United

**Methodist Church** 

Rev. John M. Wetson, Pastor

9:45 · a.m.

First Latin American **Baptist Church** Ray Garnett, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship Services 11:00 a.m. Fraining Union 6:00 p.m. Worship Service 7:00 p.m. WMU, Monday 7:00 p.m.

Saturday

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Friday

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We all know the feeling

from not finding enough

hours in a day. Time to kill

New Year's reminds us

that time is one commodity

that cannot be bought. Try

as we will, we cannot crowd

more than twenty-four hours

into a day. Whether it's too

much time on our hands or

too little, we need con-

stantly to be aware of how

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play and worship makes

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speak to your heart and

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10:00 a.m. 7:00 a.m. Holy Day Masses 10:00 p.m Hope Lutheran Church

Sunday School 10:20 a.m. Worship Services 11:00 a.m. Church Services 10:30 a.m. "The Lutheran Hour" 6:30 p.m.

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ton, vice president; Mrs. Albert Ward, recording secretary Mrs. Lawrence Finklea, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Glen Richardson, treasurer; Mrs. Warren Hemphill, auditor and parliamentarian, Mrs. Bill

A Mothers' Day dinner was held at the home of Mrs. Frank Turney Sunday. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lin Turney of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Turney of San Angelo, Cal Johnson of Barnhart, Hollis Franks of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Merck.

Cheerleaders elected for the 1971-72 season included Pat Mooney, Jessie McCutchen, Marilyn Morgan, Ruthie Wallace, and head cheerleader, June Alexander. Alternate will

be Karen Hemphill. From Green News-"He was so excited we couldn't play anymore", said young Will Wallace after Lindsey Paul Hicks made his hole in one on number two the other day. Paul Browne was with the two and was just as excited as they were, and who wouldn't be! Congratulations, Lindsey!

The Sonora Recreation Club, local domino and pool hall, was sold to Herman Moore by Earl Duncan, who has operated the business for the past several

Sonora High School was represented at the girl's State track meet in Abilene by Carol Gay Hardgrave and Karen Hemphill Unsettled weather set the

pattern in the Sonora area during the past few days. A thunderstorm cut a diagonal path through Sutton County Thursday night with generally light rains reported.

Members of the 1971 graduaing class were honored Sunday night at a barbecue at the Bob Teaff home. Hosts and hostesses were Mr. and Mrs. Teaff, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tittle, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Thompson, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Shurley.

Miss Annette Shroyer, 19, died Thursday morning in Bexar County Hospital in San Antonio from injuries sustained in a busautomobile accident in San Antonio May 9.

Sparks Rust of Del Rio, judging at the Sonora Junior Quarter Horse Show Saturday, ran into difficulties naming the best All Around horse of the show. The final decision tied Bob Whitehead's Petre Tomas with Maggie Galbreath's Little Freckles Bar for first and second places.

Mr. Ben Mittel, 70, of Evant died at 11 p.m. Monday in Hamilton Hospital in Hamilton, after an illness.

Mr. Reiley Cooper Luckie, 46, of Eunice, N.M., died in Gladewater Sunday, while on vacation. He was a son of Mr.

and Mrs. Jim Luckie. In a comparatively light turnout of qualified voters, countywise liquor-by-the drink passed with 182 voting for and 139 against. The action carried in all precincts with the exception of Precinct #4, where there were 5 for and 6 against liquor

Mrs. H.B. (Bill) Smith, 59, Hudspeth Memorial Hospital

Golf Club Auxiliary included ine Thompson, treasurer and Bobbie Fawcett, reporter.

#### June -

the State judging contests held in San Angelo, Saturday, May 29, when the annual wool, mofirst in team standings. D.C. Langford, County Agent, said this was the first time in the history of the state events that four first places were won by one county in the 4-H state

Pam Powers' Poco Tuffy Red won the Reserve Champion y 4-H Club Junior Horse Show May 29.

Mrs. Tom Peaslee was awarded a Bachelor of Arts degree in Spanish from Southwestern University at Georgetown, May 30. Mrs. Peaslee, the former Deborah Jane Galbreath, was recognized during the exercises as an honor student, graduating Magna Cum Laude.

ed by Web Elliott and Jimmy H. Harris, won the first half of play with seven wins and one

Seventy-one young people, ages six to 18 attended the June 1 by Miss Lee Spencer of of her golf students.

previously planned. Hopefully, one of the final links in Interstate Highway 10 construction will begin soon as an announcement was received from the Texas Highway Commission last week approving construction for an expressway facility on IH 10 in Sutton. The project extends from 0.3 miles est of Sonora eastward to 0.9 mile east of US Highway 277, a distance of 1.5 miles. Estimated cost of construction is approximately \$2.9 million.

Danny David Wall, 24, of Lehi, Utah, died June 1, in a drowning accident that occured about 8 p.m. The boat he was in capsized, and he was unable to swim to shore. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. E, W. (" Dub")

Wall, and a Sonora native. Mrs. Mary Lois Brown was installed as Worthy Matron of Sonora Chapter #575 in an open installation Saturday night at

ed in most of the events at the thirty-fourth annual wool show held last week at Sonora Wool & Mohair Company warehouse. placed first in the 11th Annual anet Pope took national individual honors by scoring 610 than Janet, were Cora Pope,

Climaxing twenty-seven months of intensive study and work by the membership and its building committee, the First Baptist Church voted Sunday to sign a contract with the Hubert L. Hays, Inc. construction company of Fort Worth, to construct a new worship center to be located between the pres-



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always promising new joy and

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church . by the drink.

died at 5:30 p.m. May 15, in following a lengthy illness.

New officers named for the Marilyn Bloodworth, president; Sammie Espy, vice president; Muriel Brown, secretary; Paul-

Sutton County 4-H'ers swept hair and range judging events were held. Sutton County placed the Lions Internation convention

Gelding at the Schleicher Coun-

Little League Cardinals, coach-

Youth Golf Clinic held Tuesday San Antonio, along with three

Thursday nights brief rainstorm moved the graduation exercises indoors to the gymna sium. Blustery weather with high winds created too much disturbance to hold the ceremonies on the campus lawn as

the Masonic Hall.

Sutton County 4-H'ers excell-In team competition, the group National 4-H Wool judging contest, by piling up 1,802 points. points in the wool judging contest. Members of the team other

Sarah Allison and Bill Finklea.

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SAFE R. S. Teaff FINA GASOLINE ent church building and the parsonage, announced the Rev. Clifton Hancock, pastor of the

Five. graduating seniors and one junior were honored in the selection as members of the Society of Outstanding American High School students. The students chosen for the honor were Carol Gay Hardgrave, Ka L. Kerbow, Saundra Mounce, Scott Jacoby, Ben Snodgrass and Rick Street.

Mrs. Karen Peterson celebrated here 80th birthday with a party at Lillian M. Hudspeth Nursing Home.

Erma Lee Turner returned from a Clerks' conference in Dallas. Accompanying her on the trip was Mrs. Pryce Taylor. Hostesses for the monthly golf auxiliary luncheon were Peggy Trainer, Pauline Thomp

son and Loise Fields. Sixteen members were present. Dr. Leo B. Merrill, presidentelect of the Downtown Lions

in the recent election, attended in Las Vegas. He was accompanied by Mrs. Merrill and their daughter, Pattie. Will Wallace, 13, son of Mr.

and Mrs. Gene Wallace was overall high individual in the All American Junior Hereford Field Day held in Albert, N. M. at the Albert K. Mitchell ranch, Qualifying for the dean's list at Texas Tech University were Kathleen Morgan Spain, Karen Eustace and Linda Logan.

#### July

Forty-Six golfers played in the Scotch Foursome at the go club grounds recently. The winning team was Wanda Cahill, George Johnson, Joe Stewart and Tony Renfro.

Tryon Fields received his Eagle Scout badge in ceremon ies Tuesday, following the Lions Club luncheon at the First Methodist Church.

Over one hundred descendant of the John Berry family met here last weekend for the annual family reunion. Children of the late Mr. and

family reunion July 4, at the 4-H Center. About 82 people attended the affair. Four generations were present

Mrs. Francisco Morales had a

at the Trainer family reunion July 4. Eighty-two people attended the reunion.

The Texas Highway Commission has approved construction of a section of Interstate Highway 10 in this county. The work includes construction of grading and structures from 0.9 mile east of US Hwy 277 eastward to 0.9 mile east of Ranch to Market Road 864. a distance of approximately 4.0

Buddy Brown has re-opened his electrical business, which he operated before closing and moving to Snyder last year. Major John D. Eaton, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Eaton, was one of four graduates of the General Dentistry Residency Program in ceremonies held

A native of Sonora who served as priest-in-charge at Santa Fe

Church in 1961 and 1962 in San Antonio, Navy Chaplain (Lieutenant Commander) Thomas D. Bond, has been presented the Navy Commendation Medal for

meritorious service in Vietnam. Mrs. R. V. (Beulah Alice) Cook, 67, died in Hudspeth Memorial Hospital, July 10, following an illness.

Little Leaguers were entertained with a swim party last week at the municipal pool. The 12th annual Junior Rodeo

was cancelled due to an out-

break of Venezuelan Equine Encephalomylitis among horses Jimmy Harris and son, Alan, won second in the Sixth Flight in the Ozona Father and Son

Tournament held there last Ed Mayer and son, Steve, of San Angelo won the Sonora Father-Son Championship Fligh

at the golf tournament. Dr. Joe David Ross and Dr. Wayne Herrmann, local veterinarians, settled down for several days of hard work in administering VEE vaccine to horses in this county, as well as several of the surrounding

Mr. Manuel Vasquez, 88. died July 16, in Hudspeth Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

Thirty-three family members were here Saturday and Sunday at the Ervin Willman home to attend the Willman family re-

RAIN! RAIN! RAIN! July rain -no less-one of the normally dry, hot months when heavy rains are rather accidental! Practically all of Sutton County has been drenched with 3 to 7 inch rains during the past four days. Light rains fell Saturday in some areas, and heavy

rains fell Sunday in the eastern and southern parts of the area. Six Sonora students are listed on the honor roll for the spring semester at Angelo State University in San Angelo. They are Yvonne Carroll, Jess Cook, Delma Galindo, Martha Moore,

Celeste Prugel and Janice Sut-Sonora Little Leaguers lost the All-Star game to Ozona by a score of 14-4, when they met each other in playoffs.

Mrs. J. L. "Granny" Kiser was feted with many parties this past week in celebration of her 99th birthday. The parties began Tuesday night with cake and ice cream on the eve of her birthday, July 21. A luncheon was held in her honor Wednesday at the Commercial dining room. Sunday she was honored with a party at the Lillian M. Hudspeth Nursing Home, where residents of the home were guests, along with several family members and other visitors.

Sonora TV Cable company plans to close the office Saturdays effective July 31. The office will remain open week days from 8 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., announced Selma Dixon, manager, this week.

## **AUQUST**

Through July 28, 1142 horses

The Devil's River News, Sonora, Texas 76950, Thursday, December 30, 1971 Page 5 had been vaccinated in Sutton 13 inches during the past 21 County for VEE (Venezuelan

Equine Encephlalomyelitis). With most of the Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation district measuring from 6 to 13 inches of rain during the past ten days, concern quickly switched from drought to flood control.

With thirteen flood prevention dams on Dry Devils River and Lowrey Draw, Sonorans could sleep in peace with any flood threat extremely remote. Most of the rainfall on the watershed fell relatively slow, and runoff was moderate.

The city tax was lowered from \$1.25 to \$1.00 per \$100 valuation by members of the city commission when they met Monday morning at the City Hall.

A longtime Sutton and Kimble counties resident, Mr. George M. Hearn, died July

28, 1971, at Hudspeth Hospital. One hundred Sutton County area producers graded 731, 999 pounds of wool during the 1970 shearing season and marketed it at an average price of 49.8

ents per pound. Bill Finklea, son of Mr. and Ars. Lawrence Finklea, along with several other West Texas youths, was recently honored at the 17th annual Range Camp sponsored at Junction by the Texas Section of the Society of

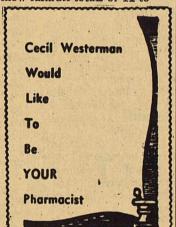
Range Management for outstanding 4-H and FFA members. From Firemen's Corner-A special thanks to Rip Ward for the donation of a new battery

for the pumper truck. Mr. and Mrs. Artie Joy were honored on their 43rd wedding anniversary with an open house held at the Parish Hall July 20. The event was hosted by their sons and families, Mr. and . Mrs. John W. Joy and children and Mr. and Mrs. A.Z. Joy and children.

The first summer band renearsal was held Monday night with 48 in attendance. At the first meeting last year only 22 attended.

Members of the 1958 graduating class of Sonora High School gathered at the Turney Friess ranch home Saturday for a class reunion and barbecue. Allan Construction Company, Inc. of San Antonio was awarded a contract for grading and structures on 1.5 miles of Interstate Highway 10. Low bid was \$2, 556, 688. 25.

Fourteen official rain gauges in the Lowrey Draw watershed show rainfall totals of 11 to



Sonora Independent School District last week announced a free and reduced price lunch policy for Sonora school children unable to pay the full

At the District 6 4-H council meeting in Fort Stockton recently a local girl, Janet Pope, was elected co-chairman of the council.

Sonora residents were awakened about 5 a.m. Sunday by a heavy downpour of rain, to add to the 12 - 17 inches measured since July 25. Some 2.5 fell in town, but heavier rains were

common. W.L. (Tom) Davis, 74, died about 8:30 p.m. at his ranch home August 13, 1971. Services were held at the First United Methodist Church at 2 p. m. Sunday with the Rev. John Wes-

ton officiating. Highway maintenance in Sutton County is big business as reported by Texas State Highway foreman, Cullen Luttrell at a recent meeting of the Downtown Lions Club.

Services were held for Mrs. Sol (Alma Nancy) Kelly, 77, August 16, at 1 p.m. at the First Baptist Church.

A record high school enroll-

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MRS. R. W. (Jerry) Wallace was honored recently with a miscel laneous baby gift shower by several of her friends. The surprise party was held in the fellowship hall of the First United Methodist Church. Pink, blue and yellow were used in the decorations ogether last Thursday and and gifts were displayed in a large baby buggy and baby bed that was used for the Richardson twins by Mr. and Mrs. Glen Richardson. Forty persons attended the party.

#### HISTORY REVIEW CONT'D FROM PAGE

ment was set Monday when 253 |in anticipation of finally bestudents attended the first day of classes. Last year 225 pupils more advanced system, and in attended Sonora High School, said James Pollard, high school Seniors. principal.

Ground-breaking ceremonies Sunday were held at the First Baptist Church to begin the con. ments concerning athletic struction of a new \$70,000 worship center. The 200-seat sanctuary, as well as six classrooms and nursery, is scheduled for completion within 90 days. Saunders Spraying Service was called upon to remove the large pecan tree which has

long been a familiar landmark. on the site where the church is being built. The tree grew from lives here, recently received a pecan planted by the late Rev. J.A. Stephens, then pastor of the church.

E.B. Keng, SCS Technician. says ranchmen in the Edwards Plateau soil and water conserportunity to find and destroy invading patches of burrograss during the next few days.

Mrs. Pat Reardon is serving as Neighborhood Chairman for local Girl Scouts this year.

Maggie Galbreath and Pam Powers qualified for the State Quarter Horse Show in Fort Worth.

A portrait of the late Dr. J. F. Howell was presented to Hudspeth Hospital by the L. M. Hudspeth Hospital Auxiliary.

#### September

of both anticipation and dread-

dread of meeting up with their A Community Bulletin Board was purchased by the Downtown Lions. Announce-

coming a part of a larger and

events, wool show, race meets and other community activities will be made. Winners in the Championship Flight at the Labor Day Golf

Tournament were Durwood Neville, 1st; Norman Rousselot, 2nd and Doyle Morgan, 3rd. Army Specialist Four Jerry Henderson, whose wife, Linda,

the Bronze Star medal in Vietnam. He is a son of J.W. Henderson of Del Rio. The team of Jo Neville, Joan

Nicholas and Monica DuRussel walked off with top honors at the Ladies Golf Tournament Labor Day weekend.

Mrs. Maria Flores, 68, died at 2:30 a.m., September 4, 1971, at Lillian M. Hudspeth

Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Lloyd P. (Ida Halbert)

Bloodworth was selected to be Grand Marshal of the annual Aspencade in Ruidoso, New Mexico, where she has a summer home.

Mrs. John (Mary Elizabeth) Dillard, died in Hudspeth Memorial Hospital, September 21, following a long illness.

A 3¢ reduction in the tax rate was set by the county commission when they met Monday at From Teen Scene-This year's the courthouse. The current freshmen began their first week tax rate was reduced from \$1.1 of high school with a mixture to \$1.15 per \$100 valuation. Junior members of the Sutton

County 4-H Club elected officers with the following slate of officers elected for the 1971-72 year: president, Mark Hemhere this week to serve as minphill; vice president, Randy Gillit; secretary, Lorie Olson

and reporter, Jane Wallace. Graveside services were held for John Bailey at Sonora Cemetery, September 15. The 1971 football season for Bronco fans was off to a thrillpacked start Friday night when Sonora played host to the Coahoma Bulldogs of District 5AA, and won the game by a socre

of 20-16. Eldorado's newest business, El Dorado Restaurant, opened its

doors September 17. From Coffee Break: One of the local teachers came across an interesting answer to a test question while grading papers at home a few nights ago. The question was one about past presidents; the answer she received was April Ham Lcnken. Now if you're as slow as I to catch on, it might take you quite a while to discover the famous president was Abraham

From Green News: Those who haven't seen our new patio urniture should ride out and ee it. We surely are enjoying

Cheering the junior high Colts on to victory in their ootball games were cheerleaders Renee Rousselot, Terri Means, Ruthie Perez, Joyce Noriega, Brenda Boyd and head cheerleader. Marsha Finklea. The Bronco'B' team got it all

tamed the Ozona Lions 22-6. From Teen Scene: James Buchanan, teacher of Speech, Drama and Freshmen English, was recently nominated, along with several others, for the Outstanding Speech Teachers

From Teen Scene: The Bronco Band presented a very fine halftime show Friday night, consisting of a combination of pinwheels and step-two drills

executed to various marches. Jimmy Hugh Harris, who has been city manager for the past our years, submitted his resignation to the city council. He is returning to Stockmen's Feed Company as manager of the

Two Sutton County 4-H girls attended the State 4-H Horse Show in Fort Worth. They were Maggie Galbreath and Pam

The Sonora Broncos won their second game of the season with a 14-7 victory over the Juncion Eagles Friday night in Bronco Stadium.

Mr. William Fred ("Wilfred") Berger, 46, died apparently of home about 1:30 a.m., September 18, 1971.

Josephine Mata, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Mata, was crowned queen of St. Ann's Catholic Church, when the church celebrated its Fall Fes-

Joe Stroube killed a trophy bear on a hunting trip near Reserve, New Mexico. The bear, weighing over 400 pounds, was rated 15 in records for bear

killed with bow and arrow.

From Teen Scene: Although the Bronco Band was able to hold their own against the Big Lake Band on the field Friday evening, the major portion of their competition took place in the stands, and Sonora fans witnessed what was perhaps their first 'band battle'. Before and throughout the game each band could be heard going through its favorite musical scores, never failing to receive gram at Lillian Memorial Hosan immediate response from

the other side of the field. Be-sides providing fans with entertainment, the band members discovered a phase of musical competition they had never taken part in before.

Band members chosen for outstanding performances Friday were Mark Gilly and Carlos Gallegos. New directors elected to the

onora Golf Club included Kyle Donaldson, Wayne Herrmann, Norman Rousselot, Bud Smith and Joe Ed Harrell.

The Sonora Broncos won their hird game of the season with decisive 28 to 9 victory over he Regan County Owls in Big ake Friday night.

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Texas A&M University Agricul- ly Gillitt Memorial Award". tural Experiment Station began Wednesday, September 29. Mr. Carlos Bryon Storm arrived

ister of the Church of Christ. He and his wife, Dana, and son, Scott, have moved into the Church of Christ parsonage. New officers elected to the Fling Ding Club were Lawrence Finklea, president; Dick Black, vice president and Mrs. Lea Roy Aldwell, reelected secretary-treasurer. New directors to serve until 1974 include Noble Taylor, Allie Askew, Buster Shroyer, Joe Ed Harrell and Harold Schwiening, Jr. Mr. Aurelia DeLeon, 90.

#### October

m., September 25.

died in Sunny Valley Nursing

Home in Del Rio, about 1 a. -

Sonora Broncos won a welldeserved victory over the Ozona Lions Friday night by a score of 10-8. The 2-point margin doesn't tell the story as well as the statistics. The strong Bronco defensive unit held the highly regarded Lions to only first downs and 116 yards, while the talented Bronco offense was rolling up 14 first downs with a 275 total yardage.

Mat Adams, local Justice of the Peace, returned from a 3day Justice of the Peace Seminar in Lubbock.

A. W. Saunders, commander of Sonora VFW Post 4395 was presented an award Sunday at the fall meeting of District 22 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States. The award was given for being the first post in the district to achieve membership quota for 1972.

Texas first Simmental Association sale held in San Antonio, found Joe David Ross topping the sale with three commercial cows with calves by side, bred back, and averaging \$1575.

Mr. Eusebio Baltazar, 76, died at 2 a.m. September 29, in Hudspeth Memorial Hospital The 34th annual Lions Club sale was a record-breaking one with \$5,805 in sales and cash contributions received by the

Employees in the office of Herman E. Moore, Tax Assessor and Collector, attended a workshop at the Tom Green County Courthouse. Mrs. Lottie H. Adkins and Mrs. Lester Byer attended the meeting.

Debbie Howard and Du Ray Smith, local Sutton County 4-H Club members exhibited orize winning Rambouillet wool fleeces at the New Mexico State Fair at Albuquerque, N.

Ruth Ella Wallace, Cora Pope and Bill Finklea represented the Sutton County 4-H council meeting in Ballinger Saturday. The 'B' team rolled over the

Eldorado 'B' team last Thursday 24-0. Teen Scene-The Lion and Bronco marching bands combined their talents Friday night in presenting another outstanding halftime show. The groups performed a number of precision drills and drill forma-

tions revolving around the theme of national unity. James Buchanan, high school speech teacher, was named as outstanding speech teacher of the year in Texas at an awards dinner at the Rice Hotel in

Houston, Friday October 8. Mrs. Inez Baldwin, Mrs. Lila D. Cook, Miss Neria Galindo, Mrs. Doris Hull and Miss Vicki Santos were presented diplomas and pins in graduation ceremonies for Vocational Nurses Pro-

Sonora Broncos defeated the Rankin Red Devils by a score of

At a special called meeting of the city commission, the resignation of Jimmy H. Harris as city manager was accepted. Pending the appointment of a city manager, various city employees were named as leads of different departments.

Winners of the Gold Star awards at the annual Sutton County 4-H Achievement Program were Cora Pope and Bill

Miss Janet Pope was named winner of the "Fred T. Earwood Memorial Award Trophy" at the Annual Sutton County 4-H Achievement Program. Marsha Finklea was presented the "Bil-

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The Texas Highway Depart-

ment Columbus Day Toumament was held at the local golf club for the first time this year. Thirty-seven golfers from the area participated.

A slight drizzle Thursday night made footing slippery and ball handling unreliable as the 'B' team pushed by Ozona 24-0.

The Rt. Rev. Harold C. Gosnell, bishop of West Texas was in charge of consecration services at St. John's Episcopal Church October 17. Honored guests were past rectors of St. John's and other clergy from the Diocese of West Texas. The Rev. Alfred B. Wagner

became the new pastor of Hope Lutheran Church and Faith Lutheran Church in Ozona. A special service of installation was held October 24. The Sonora Broncos overpower

ed a weak Menard Yellowiacket team Friday night in Menard and won their first district 9-A game by the score of 69-7. In testimony at the Santa Fe railway's application to dis-

continue branch line service between San Angelo and Sonora. twelve local witnesses appeared to testify as to the need of the railroad. Schools in district 9-A for

the 1972-73 and 1973-74 school years include Sonora, Junction, Wall, Eldorado, Mason and Robert Lee.

Selma Nelle Stubblefield. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Stubblefield, was crowned as Band Sweetheart in ceremonies held in the gymnasium October 15. Matt Davenport. vice president of the band, presented the crown and bouquet of roses to Miss Stubblefield.

Ernest Castro retired from Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Company in November. He first began work in a lumber yard here in 1928, working for West Texas Lumber Company. Pat Jungk and Mrs. Zola Bode donated a mantle to the Miers Home Museum. The mantle came from one of the first houses built here, coming from the Peter Hurst home.

Among those honored at the annual 4-H Achievement Awards banquet were Mrs. Charles Sagebiel of Llano, who was named outstanding 4-H individual contributor along with George H. Neill, who accepted a similar award for First National Bank

Ana Maria Fernandez, neice of the Rev. Fr. Michael Fernandez, was one of seven finalists in competition for the title of Homecoming Queen at Angelo State University. Mrs. Raymond Mobley of El-

dorado and Mrs. Richard Olson were named first overall winis at the Sonora Duplica Bridge Tournament held in October.

Harold Schwiening, Jr. was named outstanding father at the 4-H awards banquet and Mrs. Bill Whitehead was named outstanding mother.

Seven Sonora merchants and businessmen began giving profit-sharing coupons in a promotion aimed at rewarding customers who shop at home. Participating merchants are Home Hardware & Furniture, Ratliff's Department Store, Westerman Drug, Barrow Jewel ry & Sporting Goods, C.G. Morrison & Co. and Neville's Dept. Store. The First National Bank will award four-\$50 bonds, one given at each drawing. Armando Ramirez opened Chuck Wagon Inn.

Football players honored Miss Marilyn Morgan at the high school gymnasium when she was named "Football Sweetheart" of the 1971 squad. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Morgan, and a high school senior.

The watercolor "Evening Shower" exhibited by Mrs. Armer Earwood at the Big Country Art Association exhibit in Abilene, won a citation.

First six weeks honor roll students in high school wereseniors, Jessie McCutchen and Rick Spreet; juniors, James Benson, Wade Richardson and Steve Street; sophomores, Debra Hard, Cora Pope, Carmen San Miguel, Jack Sykes, David Wallace and Carol Weston; freshmen, Blaine Craw ford, Richard Dunnam, Margaret Galbreath, Laura Gibbs, Alan Harris, Sam Hernandez, Claire Langford, Carol McAllister and Jim Pollard.

A fifth grade student, 11-year old Pam Powers, swept the junior honors in the Iraan 4-H Horse Show. She won the Cham pion Gelding honors with Poco Tuffy Red, and also placed first in Halter-Registered Gelding 5-years-old and over.

Louis Vallejos Jr., 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Vallejos, died in Hudspeth Hospital October 23, after he was found hanging from a tree about 200 yards from his home. Dr. C.F. Browne said the youth died from strangulation. the Sonora area Monday, and In Austin last week, Mrs. Joe Hull was installed Deputy Grand the clouds were cleared away

Chapter of Texas Order Eastern Star.

Two persons, Frank L. "Mike" Moore and a Cleburne woman, Mrs. Rachael Della, "Molly" Wallace were apparently killed instantly when their cars collided headon about nine miles northeast of town Friday even-

Sonora Broncos made it seven in a row for the season with the 63-0 victory over the Bangs Dragons in Bronco Stadium. The Broncos scored 27 points in the first quarter.

#### November

Senior class members received \$916.01 at the Halloween concession stand for food that was sold during the carnival. The Junior Varsity man-hand-

led the Big Lake Owls Thursday night by a score of 26-13. Cindy Cavaness was named Queen of the 1971 Halloween Carnival. Other candidates were Kelley Sue Sentell, Margaret Black and Cora Pope. The car-

nival netted \$2,692.50. The Sonora Broncos used a strong team effort both offensively and defensively to overpower the highly rated Mason Punchers Friday night by the score of 27-13.

Graveside services were held Monday for Mrs. Helen Lee Barnes, 71, who died October 31, in Schleicher County Medical Center.

Twenty-seven Sutton County 4-H members placed 55 crossbred lambs and 54 finewool lambs on feed Saturday, October 30, for the annual Sutton County 4-H Livestock Show.

The trio depicting the story of Little Red Riding Hood" were named overall winners at the Halloween Carnival. "Grandma" was portrayed by little Cleve Jones, III; Red Riding Hood by Anita Balch and Rebecca Powers was the wolf. Jay Herrmann was judged the "spookiest" and Houston Powers was named the "funniest". A watercolor painting by Mrs.

Armer Earwood was named 'Painting of the Month" by the San Angelo Art Club.

The 8th graders ended their football season with a 27-8 victory over Eldorado. The season play ended with a 4-5-0 The Sonora Broncos kept their

record perfect for the regular season by defeating the Robert Lee Steers 35-7 in Robert Lee Friday night. Mrs. V.G. (Elizabeth) Tis-

dale, 84, mother of Mrs. Lola Archer, died at 11:30 a.m. November 10, in Hudspeth Memorial Hospital.

The Speech and Drama Department of Sonora High School one-year period. resented the play "A Company Of Wayward Saints" by George Herman in the high school auditorium Monday at 8:15 p.m. In his 25 years of practice here Dr. Charles F. Browne has delivered over 2,000 babies. Deliveries of some of the first babies were made under all sorts of conditions—f rom one or the floor of a hut on a sheepskin rug to the modern facilities IN EXCELLENT CONDITIONavailable in Hudspeth Hospital. 1 Keystone 8mm Movie Cam-Sonora High School speech students in a tournament held in Odessa, November 6, won second place in overall competition against several 3-A and 4-A schools. Fifteen school participated in the meet. Four local students placed first in

Sawyer, prose and Michelle Rousselot, poetry. Mr. Carlos Storm, minister of the Church of Christ, was speaker at the community Thanksgiving service held in St. John's Episcopal Church Sunday.

the various events and they

were: Rick Hill, prose; Rick

Street, boy's poetry; Molly

The Sonora Broncos won the bi-district game over the De Leon Bearcats by the very decisive score of 47-0, making them eligible for regional. Sonora High School Bronco

Band reached a first division rating in Brady Saturday in the Region VII University Interscholastic League marching and twirling band contest. The band, directed by John Butterfield, was one of six schools reaching first division ratings at the meet out of 34 schools participating. The Sonora Broncos domina-

ted district 9-A first team selection released Tuesday by the various coaches in the district. Three Broncos, Gene Trainer, Milton Noel and Mike Dillard were named to both the offensive and defensive first teams. Both Trainer and McDonald of Mason, were chosen unanimously to the offensive first unit.

Other Broncos named to the offensive first team were Richard Bernal and Steve Street. Others named to the defensive first team were Frank Taylor, Tryon Fields and Rick Street. Rainfall...by E.B. Keng... Light showers played tag in

Matron. Section 2 of the Grand with a spring-type thundershower Monday night. Light hail and brief, but heavy rain accompanied the unusual thunder and lightening.

#### December

In spite of hot weather in West Texas, hunters here were able to kill some fine bucks with good antlers during the first weekend of hunting.

Shotwell Stadium, Abilenethe site, plus a beautiful night for football and a score of Sonora 34, Nocona 7-made smiles on the faces of Bronco fans as plentiful as leftover turkey and dressing when the team won Regional. Graveside rites were held Saturday for Mr. Edward B. ceng, 56, soil conservationist

November 25, apparently of a neart attack. Sonora High School has been continued as an accredited school by the Commission on Secondary Schools of the Southern Association of Colleges

for the Edwards Plateau Soil

Conservation District. He died

and Schools. June Alexander, Darla Moore Sheila Alexander, Mrs. Kenneth Kordzik and Debra Tittle have entered the Make It With Wool Contest. Janice Sutton is also a contestant.

Mr. Frank "Dick" Hill, 65. died at 2:30 p.m. November 24, 1971, in Van Horn. He was buried here.

Allen Keller Construction Company of Fredericksburg was low bidder on the lettings for IH-10 work in Sutton County. The contract calls for four miles of construction.

Graveside rites were held Saturday for Mr. Edward B. Keng, 56, soil conservationist for the Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District. Burial was in Sonora Cemetery.

A longtime resident of this area, Mr. James R. Caldwell. 77, died about 7 p.m. November 26, in a Menard hospital following a long illness. At separate meetings of city

officials and county officials

Monday, two posts were filled

-one in the city and one in the county with the appointments of Alex Binford as city manager and that of Waymon Du Bose as county attorney. Senator Jack Hightower of Vernon, installed as Grand Master of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Texas, has announced the appointment of S.M. Loeffler as District Deputy Grand Master of Masonic District No. 55. Mr. Loeffler, an active Mason in this area, will serve five lodges as the representative of the Grand Master for a

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Daven-

tray last week by the Bronco Band as a token of its appreciation for all that they have done for the Band. For the three years they have lived here, the Davenports have acted as chaperones on out-of-town trips and taken charge of, found

games two nights a week, besides giving their support in a countless number of other ways. Rick Hill, Bronco lineman, made the grand play every lineman dreams about when he caught a fumbled ball and galloped 45 vards for a Sonora touchdown in the quarterfinal

workers for, and worked in

the concession stand at football

Class A game. U.S. Air Force Sergeant Mario V. Sanchez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roman Sancez, has arrived for duty at Laredo AFB.

Sonora Broncos defeated the White Deer Bucks in the Class A semifinals in Stamford by a score of 20-19.

From Teen Scene- "The Girls' basketball teams played two very exciting games last Tuesday evening against Junction. High pointers for the varsity were June Alexander, Jessie McCutchen and Billie Ann Stewart. All of the girls played a really great game, which ended in a 52 to 50 victory for

Sonora". Matt Davenport was awarded medal, trophy and \$25 bond for placing first in the Veterans of Foreign Wars "Voice of America" speech contest for the local V.F. W. Post. The theme was "My Responsibility

to Freedom". Miss Janice Sutton, ASU Senior was co-winner of the Senior division "Make It Yourself With Wool" fashion show held December 4 in Junction. The Hospital Auxiliary entertained Nursing Home members with a party. Christmas carols were sung and Mrs. Louie Train. er and Mrs. C.F. Browne play-

# Snips, Quips,

ed the organ and piano.

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