

Sonora, Texas 76950

Briefly

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Social Security

Garland Gregg, representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his November visit to Sonora. He will be at the County Courthouse on Thursday, November 15, between 9:30 a. m. and 10:30 a.

Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact him at this time.

Band boosters

The Band Boosters will have a meeting on November 12 at 7 p. m. at the High School band hall.

4-H meeting

The 4-H monthly meeting is scheduled for November 21 at 7 p. m. The program will be on leadership. Bring canned goods to donate.

Calendars

The Girl Scouts are selling calendars. They are \$1.50 each for pocket and wall calendars. If you would like to buy one and the girls don't make it by, call 387-5286 and leave a message.

Yearbook sales

The yearbook class at Sonora High School is taking orders for the 1991 yearbook. The cost of each book is \$20.00.

Contact Warren Kirkpatrick at the high school, 387-6533, for further information.

Food drive

On Saturday, November 10, 1990, the Cub Scouts of Pack 19 in Sonora will hold their annual food drive to benefit the needy of our community.

Between 9 a. m. and noon, the Cub Scouts will go door-to-door picking up canned goods and nonperishable food items (canned meats, peanut butter, dried beans and rice, and powdered milk are especially needed.) If you cannot be home during this time, please leave the food items on your porch or call 387-2048 or 387-2227 to arrange for pick-up.

Bake sale

The women of First United Methodist Church will hold their annual day-before-Thanksgiving bake sale on Wednesday, November 21, starting at 8:30 a. m. in the basement of the church.

Flea market

The Annual Twentieth Century Club Flea Market will be held at the Reagan County Community Center in Big Lake on Tuesday, November 13, 1990, from 9 a. m. until 5 p. m.

For booths, contact Harriet Berlin, 884-3462.

More the Merrier

The More the Merrier Christmas craft bazaar will be held on Saturday, November 17. For more information call 387-

Hotline Number

Violence need not be a part of your life. Call the Family Shelter in San Angelo at 655-5774 or 1-800-749-8631. Transportation is available.

DRN Deadline

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

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

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

Barrera pulls off shocking win

Write-in wins county commission seat by four votes

By Griffin B. Cole DRN Editor

Ernest Barrera, a write-in candidate, pulled off a shocking victory in Tuesday's general election knocking off incumbent Osbauldo Castaneda for the precinct four county commission

"To the best of my knowledge a write-in candidate has not won (in Sutton County)," said County Clerk Bobbie Smith. Smith was a winner herself taking the county clerk spot in an uncontested race.

Barrera edged Castaneda 107 votes to 103 including a 22-20 edge in absentee votes.

"I had my doubts (about winning)," said Barrera in a phone interview Tuesday evening.

When asked why he believed he was victorious, Barrera replied, "He hasn't kept in touch with the people....That's the reason I ran."

Perhaps the most shocking part of the victory is that Barrera did

not even announce his candidacy as a write-in until Oct. 11, leaving less than one month to campaign.

Castaneda said his defeat was due partially to the light turnout. He may be substantiated on that as just 39 percent of the eligible voters turned out.

"People from precinct number four are the ones going to suffer, not me," said Castaneda.

Despite the close totals, Castaneda said he most likely will not ask for a recount.

"I don't know," said Castaneda. "I haven't considered it. As far as I'm concerned it's over. I don't like to do that (ask for a recount) to my people.'

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Barrera said his main duty as a county commissioner will be to stay on top of what is going on.

"They (elected officials) get elected and forget their job," said

Barrera, "keep on top of things." Castaneda implied there maybe some communication problems.

Voting in Sutton County was low overall. Just 38 percent (846 of 2259 registered voters) turned out for the general election.

All other races in Sutton County were uncontested. In the other results; Adelita Smalling will return as Justice of the Peace, Bill Wade as County Commissioner, precinct two, Carla Fields, County Judge, Joyce Chalk, County Treasurer and Brock Jones 112th Judicial District Judge.

Broncos Chalk up big victory

By Griffin B. Cole **DRN Editor**

GREENWOOD - Larry Chalk's 58-yard punt return set up David Mirike's winning touchdown dive as Sonora came from behind to defeat Greenwood 25-21 Friday night in Greenwood.

The victory, combined with Reagan County's loss to Colorado City, earns the Broncos (6-3, 3-1) their first playoff appearance in a decade.

Trailing 21-18 with just over 5 minutes' remaining, the Bronco. defense held Greenwood on a thirdand-long situation forcing them to punt. Lara's punt bounced at the Bronco's 45 and was grabbed at the 38 by Chalk.

Chalk did a jab step to the inside to get by one defender, picked up a couple of blocks and headed down the right side line. He was finally hauled down from behind at the Ranger's 4-yard line.

Eric Espinosa carried the ball down to the 1 then Mirike dove in for the winning touchdown with 4:52 remaining in the game.

Offensive linemen Robert Gallion said the team knew they had to win and the punt return gave them the opportunity.

"We (the offensive line) put our guys basically in the end zone and the running backs did the job for us," said Gallion.

It was a strange twist in the defense which helped the Broncos come back and wipe out a 14-6 half time lead by Greenwood.

Sonora head coach Bob Bellard had the Broncos play a goal-line defense through the entire second

The drastic defensive change was made due to the loss of three linebackers, Sam Taylor, Tate Fincher and Jimmy Davis, in the first half.

"It wasn't by design," said Bellard.

Maybe not, but it worked very well. After giving up 288 yards on the ground in the first half, Sonora limited the Rangers to just 57 yards in the second half.

Bellard said it was an attacking defense which assigned somebody quick to Ranger quarterback Cody Mebane. Oscar Perez and Eric Espinosa repeatedly rushed from



VICTORY HUG - Sonora head coach Bob Bellard gets a hug from Eric Espinosa (23) after the Sonora defeated Greenwood 25-21. Sonora qualified for the playoffs for the first time since 1980.

the weak side and harassed Mebane. Mebane was neutralized in the second half after gaining 158 yards in the first half.

Shane Keller, the remaining linebacker for Sonora, said the inside was taken care of by the linemen who were pinching down. "We were stopping them pretty

good," said Keller.

While the defense shut down Greenwood, the offense took charge by relying on sweeps.

"Greenwood ran some stunts in the first half that hurt us," said Bellard. "We ran out of the I (formation), pounded them and started moving."

That meant a lot of work for tailback Eric Espinosa who carried

the ball 13 times for 81 yards and two touchdowns in the second half. "All I had to was follow by blocks and cut in or out," said Espinosa.

Espinosa totaled 118 yards for the game, his second consecutive 100-yard peformance.

The Broncos immediately sliced into the 14-6 halftime deficit as they moved 72 yards in 1:02 on their opening drive of the half. Espinosa tapped off the drive by scoring on a 54-yard run.

The play was, of course, a

"I saw the hole, faked inside, saw David pushed (the defender) in and cut out," said Espinosa about Please see Broncos, page 4

playoffs.

Bellard said playoff experience

Broncos in playoffs for first time in a decade

By Griffin B. Cole **DRN Editor**

It turned out the nine-point deficit the Broncos favored even before they faced Greenwood Friday night actually never existed.

The Broncos 25-21 win over the Rangers combined with the 17-14 Colorado City win over Reagan County pushed Sonora into its first playoff appearance in a decade. Sonora last made the playoffs in 1980 as district champions, eventually losing in

the bi-district playoff. Depending on whether Sonora is victorious Friday against Crane, the Broncos will face either Alpine or Clint out of District 5-AAA. If Sonora wins Friday Clint will be the opponent. A loss on Friday would pit the Broncos against

Alpine. Sonora head coach Bob Bellard said times and places for the playoff games are still tenative. Early plans show, the game against Alpine would be played Saturday at Fort Stockton beginning at 7:30 p.m. The Clint game would be played at Pecos starting at 7:30 or 8 p.m.

Bellard said playoff games need to be considered as just another ball game. What makes that tough to accomplish is all the hype that

occurs. Bellard said Sonora players have to keep their minds on the game.

"Don't get distracted," said Bellard.

"We want to make it a fun thing for the kids," said Bellard. At the same time he doesn't want to get satisfied with just making the

can be overrated. Teams that make the playoffs consistently tend to stay on a more even keel and expect to go far in the playoffs said Bellard. On the other hand, Bellard said, new teams are just

glad to be there. That is why he says he doesn't want the team to be just satisfied being there.

Before the coaching staff takes care of playoff workings, they must first face the Crane Golden Cranes in a game which will

determine the district champion. Crane comes in at 5-1-2 and 4-0 in district.

Bellard said there are plenty of offensive weapons for the Cranes. "The key will be to contain

their tailback," said Bellard. Ricardo Garza is his name. Bellard describes Garza as strong, fast, quick and doesn't go down easily. He handles most of the

running chores. When Crane does throw, it will be to tight end, Coury Jones or

wide receiver Jeffrey Keil. Offensively, Bellard said, "We'll have to attack the TNT (tackles and nose guard) to establish

control for the running game." That mean's a good night of production from the offensive line. Eric Espinosa has recorded backto-back 100-yard games from the tailback spot which should put some worry on Crane.

Bellard said Crane will do a lot of stunting with their tackles who are "very, very quick" and strong.

"They have an attacking defense," said Bellard.

The district championship match up will take place at Bronco Stadium beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Perez affected by crisis while still in the U.S.

By Griffin B. Cole **DRN Editor**

SAN ANTONIO - Specialist Jose Perez, 19, may currently be stationed at Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio, but the lingering

stalemate in Iraq still affects him. Perez, raised in Sonora, said he is guaranteed one year in San Antonio, but the invasion of Kuwait could change his residence in a hurry.

"It is a possibility, yes," said Perez about his going to the Middle East. "With the training I've had.

Currently working in the oncology clinic at Ft. Sam Houston, Perez said he was trained as a combat medic and served eight months in the emergency room. Training for Perez was in Basic Combat Medic Corp. "Kind of like the EMT training," said Perez. The idea is to be the first person to a soldier when he goes down.

At the oncology clinic, Perez said his duties are mainly with patient flow, things like drawing blood, making sure the patients are where they should be and stocking supplies.

So far Perez has not received any word concerning his involvement in the Middle East.



JOSE PEREZ

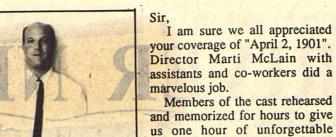
"At first I didn't understand why we were there," said Perez.

It is his understanding most of the oil imported from the United States is not from that area. But the realization came to him that "we had to back our allies."

Perez said as a soldier he would go where ordered but, "What I can't understand is why they can't fight for themselves?'

Now, with the Middle East situation bogged down, Perez said Please see Middle East, page 3

WINNING TICKET - Tana Churchill, Miss Sutton County, hands the first winning ticket to Albert Ward during the 23rd Annual Sutton County Game Dinner. Holding the first prize is Charly McPee of KKYK in San Antonio.



the courthouse.

entertainment. I just wish I could

have seen it more times and I am

grateful to those husky gents who

maneuvered my carcass upstairs at

Being somewhat responsible for

publicizing the outlaw, sorta

resurrecting him, I have kept in

contact and communicated with

him thru the years. Fortunately,

my research began when many

who knew Will Carver, maybe

slept under the same bed roll with

him, were here to interview him.

By the time "Will Carver,

Outlaw" was printed in 1972,

A few years back Will Carver

stirred in his grave when I reported

the visit from a character claiming

to be Bill Carver, Jr., from

Nevada. He talked a lot, enough

to prove he was all bull. I tried to

correspond with him but he

seemed reluctant to put anything

in writing. Will and I resented his

Then some West Texas folks

sent a write-up on Laura Bullion,

claiming to be Will Carver's

"woman". Admitting to be kin to

Laura, they justified her being a

wild woman. "A girl had a choice

between prostitution and

starvation." This came to me

back in my first compiling of

information on Carver, and on

repeating it to one old timer he

gave a snort of indignation, "Hell

no, Laura was a niece of Carvers

wife". They didn't tolerate such in

those days. We are glad our

many had passed on.

appearance.

This should be expected

I am probably just one of hundreds of editors writing a column concerning voting. I don't feel bad about not being unique. This is something that should be

Tallies from Tuesday's voting show a 38 percent turnout for the election. This is a heck of a lot better than the 19 percent that turned out for the county-wide election in May.

I still wonder how races would change if a greater number turned

Perhaps the greatest race to take into account is the Castaneda-Barrera county commissioner in district four.

Just 189 voters of 440, or 39 percent chose the new commissioner. I am willing to bet, that is, if I were a betting man, more than 39 percent of the precinct will have a comment one way or the other about the outcome.

It's a shame that some of those who make comments did not comment in the polls. To be fair I should mention some votes were most likely discounted due to improper voting procedure.

I do have a theory as to why voter turnout continues to shrink. It is my belief the public has become disenchanted with their choices on the ballot.

The choice of governor is perhaps the biggest backer of this theory. I'm not sure how many times I heard people say they were not fans of Richards (the eventual

winner) or Williams. Some of them said they would vote for the lesser of two evils, which ever way they looked at it.

I'm not sure how many just felt the heck with it and stayed home.

I think it is a great amount. Now, this hurts the other offices up for grabs which may have a strong candidate or candidates running. But, when a race such as the governor's race this year, it can overshadow the others and will wipe out complete packs of

Yes, voters can just skip whatever race they want to, but there may be too much frustration.

Where the biggest problem lies, is getting candidates people want to vote on. Candidates like Williams and Richards make it because they have the big bucks. Everybody knows money talks.

The common answer to this problem has been limiting the amount a candidate can spend on a campaign. Good luck trying to persuade newspapers, television and radio this is a good idea. Besides, the limit would be set so high the problem would not dissolve anyway.

The answer is to educate the public on the candidates let them make their choices and then hold the elected officials to their word.

Yes, this is the way it is supposed to happen. It's not the system that's wrong it's that the system is just losing steam.

Like so many football coaches say, it's time to go back to the basics.

Letters to the Editor

"April 2, 1901" play omitted Laura. On reporting this about Laura to Will, the gravel and dirt on his grave shook again in indignant wrath.

At our last etheral communication Will swore he had seen every presentation of the play. Of course we can not deny that. Being there in spirit, his ghost was invisible. My final query was what was his opinion? Did he like the play? Believe this or not, I heard a hearty chuckle.

John Eaton

Dear Editor,

The Sutton County Library staff would like to thank the businesses that participated in the Storyhour Trick or Treat Halloween Time. The children enjoyed it as much as the adults. Without your support for the community this wouldn't be possible. Moms also thanks a bunch for your help and participation.

Sincerely, Florie Mesa Maria Castillo Pauline Thormahlen

Dear Editor,

This letter is in answer to the "Airing Your Dirty Laundry in Public," by Clydene Chinetti. Anyone spending the time to read her lengthy letter had to be very indulgent.

First of all, I am a Houstonian, and I would like a name and the address of the laundry Ms. Chinetti so beautifully depicted in her letter that had to be decorated by one of the Houston's leading interior designers. Also, I question the prices that were quoted on use of each machine. From the laundries I have seen here in the Houston area, the laundry located in Sonora would be like the Marriot in comparison.

One very good reason for having an attendant in Houston is that they require some person to watch the equipment, building, pictures, and anything else; as thugs here will steal anything that isn't nailed or bolted to the floor. About the only thing I've seen to read to pass the time is obscene graffiti written on the walls, not magazines. I also question why men in a Houston laundry would be watching a Dallas Cowboy game instead of the Oilers.

But forget the building and the equipment for "a moment in time," and consider your own health and well being. For instance, rape, robbery, muggings, and most important drive-by shootings. Why, they will take the shirt "right off your rack."

I am not an avid hunter, but I am familiar enough to know that the hunters where ever they arrive from do not gather or frequent the local laundry mat to discuss or plan hunting strategy or logic, nor do laundry.

In all fairness and support of Ms. Chinetti, I can not imagine going to a public laundry for thirty-two years, and especially now with three small children. In that time frame, most people would have expended enough monies to purchase several sets of appliances.

I agree that competition is healthy, but it appears from the letter that Ms. Chinetti's bad attitude was worse than the conditions of the establishment. The saying that money talks and B. S. walks would bring the suggestion that she match investment dollars and time and give this business man a run for his money. Unfortunately it sounds like both parties had a "bad

Also, I wonder if Ms. Chinetti went to talk to the proprietor of this laundry regarding grievances, and if valid could or may have been corrected before going to print. In my some twenty years of dealing with the public, I have found that other people do not take care of things as well as they would should it belong to them, and this main problem has brought conditions to the point they are today in all phases of business dealing with service to the public, driving cost and expenses very high which must be

passed through to you and I.

HAND IT OUT TO DRY!! Thank you, Sue Stephens

Dear Editor,

The "Friendship Fish Fry" committee would like to thank all of the people of Sutton County and others that participated in the fish fry, ticket sales, and donations that were given to the ANN HILL FUND in care of the Sutton County Community Trust Fund.

There were approximately 700 people that were served fish at the Sutton County Park on Friday night before our Homecoming Game. The money taken in exceeded \$7,000.

A special thanks to Charles Russell, who encouraged the Colorado City Band and their football fans to eat fish with us. There were about 100 people from their community that participated. "Friendship Fish Fry" committee

For Your Information...

By Lolabeth Jones County Extension Agent-**Home Economics**



Plan your Thanksgiving dinner by considering available time, money and foods that are in season. Selecting meat for the traditional gathering is often the more difficult task for the

homemaker. Here's some information to help you make your choice from turkey, chicken or pork.

Turkey is traditionally a holiday meat. The large whole turkey will be the better buy in terms of cost per serving, but family size may determine the size turkey to purchase. A "rule of thumb" to follow when buying turkey is; if the turkey is less than 12 pounds, ready-to-cook weight, allow about 1 pound per serving.

In choosing a turkey, look for: plump appearance with broad breast and short body; clean, waxy skin, well-rounded thighs and a good meat coverage on the back. Avoid: bruises or discoloration; thin, skinny body; or birds with a lot of pinfeathers.

Fryer chickens and chicken hens are moderately priced, so they may be the choice for Thanksgiving. If so, plan to get 1 1/2 servings per pound for broiler-fryers--or from hens, you'll get about 2 servings per pound.

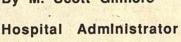
Plump appearance is one of the first things to consider. Chicken should have smooth, moist skin, few pinfeathers, short body and breast indicating a meaty bird. Avoid chickens with bruised, dry or purplish skin; hard, dry scaly legs; or many pinfeathers.

And now to consider pork. Smoked or fresh ham or fresh pork roasts are other possibilities for your Thanksgiving meal. Hams may be purchased fresh or cured. The cured ones range from tendered to fully-cooked. This indicates a variation in the amount of cooking you'll have to do. Only "ready-to-eat" or fully-cooked are safe to eat without further cooking. Ham and pork roasts with bone in will yield 2 to 3 servings per pound while those without bone will yield 3 to 4 servings to the pound.

Look for meat that is lean, light gravish to pink in color; marbled with fat; firm, both flesh and fat, along with fine grained lean and fat covering most of the outside of the meat. However, avoid meat with too much fat or coarsetextured lean. Also avoid a deep pink or reddish-colored lean or soft and flabby lean.

By M. Scott Gilmore

Healthcare





Ramblin'

By Jim Fish



Healthcare in the 90's

Q: What does this nation's budget deficit have to do with the healthcare industry?

A: Everything!

Government officials, in looking for solutions to the growing budget deficit, are once again looking to the healthcare industry for a quick fix. Why? Because healthcare makes up a hefty eight percent of the federal budget, making it an obvious target for budget cuts.

Medicare, the government payment for the elderly, is on the chopping block again. . . even though funding for the program has been cut to the bone in past sessions. And Texas' federally funded Medicaid program for the indigent ran out of money and had to be reduced mid-year. For several years these government insurance programs have not met the hospital costs of caring for their beneficiaries, and the underfunding of these programs has already put many hospitals in financial jeopardy across the country.

This year, a new area of potential savings is being looked at by some government officials. . . the savings that would be gained by removing or limiting tax exemption for non-profit hospitals. But the argument for this change is flawed.

Non-profit hospitals receive tax exemption because they relieve the government of a huge financial burden. Because these hospitals exist, government does not have to spend its capital on medical facilities, equipment, personnel, research and education.

Now; federal legislation has been proposed that would tie tax exemption to the amount of "charity" care that a non-profit hospital provides. The problem hinges on the definition of the term "charity". Many people, including some government officials, believe that the terms

"charity" and "charitable" mean the

same thing. They do not. True "charity" care is free medical care, provided to patients who cannot afford to pay for all or part of the services they need. The term "charitable" applies to all the benefits a non-profit hospital provides to the community, including patient care, preventive medicine, outreach programs,

research, and the education of healthcare professionals such as doctors, nurses and technologists.

The argument that specified levels of charity care, or care for the poor, should determine a nonprofit hospital's continuing taxexempt status totally disregards the value of the many other charitable services provided by these institutions. To threaten the tax exemption of the very institutions that have devoted millions of dollars and years of energy to teaching, research, and community education is a terrible

mistake. With more than 50 million Americans either uninsured or underinsured, most hospitals are already providing as much free or "charity" care as they can, but the need continues to grow. At the same time, hospitals are losing money on diminishing reimbursements from Medicare, Medicaid, and many private insurers.

Those targeting charity care and the tax-exempt status of non-profit hospitals are missing the big picture. There are not enough resources in any sector of this nation to finance the grand healthcare expectations of this society. Unfortunately, no one has yet been able to develop a broad enough solution to this dilemma.

The first step toward a real solution is to gain consensus regarding the root problem... that our society's financial resources cannot possible meet the healthcare expectations of this nation. Once those affected by the healthcare industry agree on the problem, they can join together to develop a workable solution.

If, in the meantime, "charity care" becomes the sole basis of a hospital's tax-exempt status, many of the nation's non-profit hospitals will face financial ruin, . . they simply can't support higher amounts of uncompensated care as government reimbursements continue to decline. And while the federal deficit may experience a brief moment of relief, the nation will continue to be battered by the underlying issue: neither private insurers, employers, healthcare providers, nor the government can continue to finance all that our society has come to expect from its healthcare system.

Contributing writer

The Bible in the real world The most difficult task I've undertaken is effectively assimilating the Bible and its teachings into modern living. Given that the Bible is Truth and ... the truth shall set you free", why is it used so often to circumvent the actions and beliefs of so many? How can any one of its passages be so diverse in its

interpretation among opposing Christin religions? It is enigmatic to the very souls for which it was intended, hopelessly clung to by the zealous and adamantly quoted by believers. Truly, the Bible is the single most significant printed text in the history of mankind. Written to communicate to the

understanding of two thousand years ago, the Holy Bible conveys terms to form mental images in the mind of that era. Does it not stifle or stagnate the mind of today? Can it possibly broaden the knowledge of today's believers? So how does it fit into the real

world of today and how can it "make us free"? The Book has stood the test of

time and survived the trials of generations since, and for those reasons alone can it be considered a set of standards on which to base one's spiritual foundation. It gives Christians a timeless moral code that can bind all mankind in a common objective, positive fulfillment. However, as our understanding of the universe about us increases, so should our commitment to develop skills and meet its challenges. So much confusion and contradiction is born of the ignorance of those who seek to harness man's tendency of progression and growth. We should not limit our knowledge to that of a bygone age, merely because the Bible was written during a time long passed. It teaches us to grow and soar the heights of the heavens, and "soar" we must.

Those that do nothing more than read the passages inspired by an "all-knowing" God, are traitors to themselves and their beliefs. What about those talents wasting away within; those that might seem frivolous or beyond our

ability to realize, or those we neglect as a result of doubt and ignorance? What good does it do a homeowner to read a book on how to do something to improve his house, if he doesn't convet that knowledge into action? We're talking about the greatest "How

To" book ever written. Words are tools by which we construct mental images. The words of the Bible are not less useful in the formation of positive ideals and objectives, in both a spiritual and a physical plane of existence. These planes are quite separate and should be attended to separately, but they are vital in comprising the whole individual. We learn lessns from the past, as well as those that preceded us, and progress ever forward. We cannot relive the past or change its events. To occupy all our time with people, places and things of yesterday distracts us from the task at hand. It is by the gift of recorded words from past ages that instructs and hsould guide our actions toward greater understanding. accomplishments. The Bible could be our greatest asset, if used as it was intended.

After thirty eight years of living and learning, my conclusion about the Bible and its place in life seems rather simple, but it works for me. It is used in the formation of a code of conduct, as it were, and as a reference when encountering new and unusual situations. Though it involves the trials and tribulations of those otherwise forgotten by the passage of time, it assures me of the goodness inherent in mankind and fills me with hope for the future; a future in which I have a vital role.

In all the mental images produced by its words, one factor flourishes. The factor is the greatest power and emotion known to man. It is the absolute essence of all that is good; love. Through my love of self, my family and those around me am I able to forge ahead, extract all that is good within me, and fashion it into something that will glorify my concept of God.

That is what I call "good".

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Johnson - Olson wed Oct. 27

Jacquelyn Jean Johnson and Eric Michael Olson were wed October 27 in the First Baptist Church of Sonora. The Rev. James B. Stephen officiated.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson of Sonora. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Olson also of Sonora.

Matron of honor was Angela Crittendon of Sonora. Junior bridesmaid was Cassi Johnson of Brownwood. Flower girls were Tara Johnson of Junction and Anna Hickman of Sonora.

Best man was Chase Snodgrass of Laredo. Groomsmen was Daniel Ward of Sonora. Ring bearer was Jack David Johnson of Brownwood.

Ushers were Mitchell Johnson of Brownwood and Calvin Johnson of Junction.

The bride graduated from Sonora High School in 1982 and from Angelo State University in 1986 with a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration. She is the manager of Avis Rent-A-Car in San Angelo.

The groom graduated from Sonora High School in 1978 and from Sul Ross State University in 1987. He is a seismologist for Western Geophysical.

After a wedding trip to New Braunsfels and San Antonio the couple will live in San Angelo.

Anniversary

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Veteran's Day November 11th

Card of thanks

Sonora Girl Scouts would like to thank the West Side Lions Club for the donations to buy vests for

Thank you very much, Girl Scout Troop 98 & 88

I want to thank all the people of the community that organized and supported the roping, auction, and fish fry that was held for my benefit. I never realized I had so many friends. Your generosity is deeply appreciated by me and my

Ann Hill

We would like to thank everyone for all the calls, flowers and cards sent while I was in the hospital and at home after my operation. May God Bless each of you.

Thank you, Mr. Miguel Duran

DESIGN **A NEW** FLAG

The Devil's River News is holding a contest to design a new flag (the heading on the front page). The new flag will be displayed in the December 20th special section. The winner will receive prizes donated by local businesses. All entries must be received by November 30th.

Crisis/from page 1

the armed forces have lost some advantage. As a soldier, Perez said the forces in the Middle East could lose some of their edge as time passes. Perez explained, soldiers could start missing their families more, not be as alert as they should be and even wondering what exactly is happening.

Perez said he doesn't know whether these conditions will happen or have happened, only that they could occur.

As for missing families, Perez is familiar with that. Perez lives on base at Fort Sam Houston while his wife of just over two years, Jana, 21, and his two girls, Mackenzie and Whitney live in

"It really hasn't affected me much," said Perez. "I just look forward to seeing them on weekends.

Fortunately Perez is able to visit his family about every other weekend without having to ask for permission. He said he missed his family much more so during basic

Jana said since she and Jose have been married, 27 months, they have been together just 16 months. Not unusual for the military, but troublesome nonetheless.

"I wouldn't get use to it (Jose going to Saudi Arabia) but, I'm getting used to living alone," Jana

Veteran's Day program to be held Nov. 11

On Sunday, November 11, there will be a program commemorating Veteran's Day.

The program will be approximately one hour in length and will feature our local Boy Scouts and the Junior High choir. The program will be held at 2 p. m. on the courthouse lawn. In

previous years the program has

County Steakhouse.

in by Nov. 16.

been held at the Junior High. The program will also be held at the Middle School Auditorium on Friday, November 9.

Jana said Jose missed out on his

first daughter learning how to sit

up and walking. If things continue

as they are, chances are Jose will

miss out on the same things for

There are plenty of good things

about being involved in the armed

forces. Jana says she and Jose are

looking forward to plenty of

"Another advantage is we know

For Jose the future is uncertain.

That is not an usual when

a lot of people," said Jana.

involved in the military.

TurkeyWalk

raises \$3,000

sponsored by the American Heart

Association raised more than

Jerry Landers, board member of

the AHA, said more than 40

walkers turned out on Saturday

morning to participate. While

temperatures hit the 60s, it was cloudy and windy which may have

limited the number of walkers

Landers said those who walked

in the event should have their

pledge money collected and turned

A Tired Turkey party Nov. 21

will be hosted by the Sutton

\$3,000, beating last years total.

This year's TurkeyWalk

his second daughter.

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Erin's proud grandparents are Vernon and Jean Humphreys of Sonora, Ron and Debbie Rhiddlehoover of Carthage and Sheila Franklin of White Oak.

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Emergency Management System Volunteers



KEITH AND ROSE BUTLER reside in Christoval. Keith an EMT- P, joined Sutton County EMS in May, 1988. He is the administrator for the Medi-Center at Angelo Community Hospital. Rosie, EMT, joined the Sutton County EMS in May 1987. They both help with the Christoval Volunteer Ambulance Service. They have a 1-year-old daughter, Emilly.

Broncos/from page 1

the play

After Greenwood responded with it's 72-yard scoring drive, Sonora was able to come back after the defense forced a pair of punts.

Sonora scored on a 60-yard drive capped by Espinosa on a fourthand-two play which opened the fourth quarter.

All of which led to the Chalk heroics.

Obituaries

Francis B. Archer

Francis B. Archer, 71, of Sonora died November 1 in Hudspeth Nursing Home in Sonora.

Graveside services were held Saturday, November 3 in Sonora Cemetery with the Rev. Lewis Allen, pastor of the Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian, officiating under the direction of Kerbow Funeral Home.

He was born Sept. 16, 1919, in Sonora. He was a Mason and a veteran of World War II.

He is survived by his Jane, of Sonora; one son, David and his wife, Annette, of Carrizo Springs; one daughter, Kay Mershon and her husband, Scott, of Houston; two stepdaughters, Cindy Fields and her husband, Tryon, of Sonora, and Becky York and her husband, Doug, of Sonora; one sister, Stella Smith of San Angelo; seven grandchildren, David Archer of San Antonio, Craig Archer of Carrizo Springs, Paige Mershon of Houston, Tanner Fields, Sean Fields and Kayla Fields, all of Sonora, Cody York of San Angelo; several nieces and nephews.

Porfirio R. Gomez, Sr.

Porfirio R. Gomez, Sr., 66, died October 26 at his home. Mass was celebrated at 3:00 p. m. Tuesday, October 30 in St. Phillip's Catholic Church with the Rev. Aidan Maguire, officiating.

Burial was in the City of Lubbock Cemetery under the direction of White Funeral Home.

He was born in Uvalde, Texas on April 13, 1924. He attended school in Uvalde. Gomez married Olga Chavez July 23, 1947 in Sonora, Texas. He owned his own upholstery business and was also a farmer. He was a longtime member of St. Phillip's Catholic Church

Survivors include his wife, Olga, of Idalou; six daughters, Liza Gomez and Sally Peralez of Idalou, Linda Lopez of Lubbock, Norma Gomez and Stella Gomez of San Jose, Ca., and Cindy Jaklick of Boulder Creek, Ca.; three sons, Ed Gomez of San Jose. Ca., Albert Gomez of San Leandro, Ca., and Porfirio Gomez. Jr. of Azuza, Ca.; three sisters, Eva Perez of Sonora, Guadalupe Walley Gonzales of Lamesa and Anita Rodriguez of Lubbock; one brother, Adan R. Gomez of twenty-one Lubbock; grandchildren and three greatgrandchildren.

grandchildren.
Pallbearers were Richard Perez,
Ramiro Perez, Johnny Gonzales,
Bobby Gonzales, Jimmy Gomez,
Jr., Danny Gomez, Jr., Henry
Gomez and Joey Gomez.



JOHNNIE HODGES, EMT, joined the Sutton County EMS in April 1987. She is married to Buddy Hodges and has six grown children. They are Marsha, Phyllis, Matthew, Alex, Clay and Cheryl. Jonnie is a homemaker and has lived in Sonora for 11 years.

Congratulations

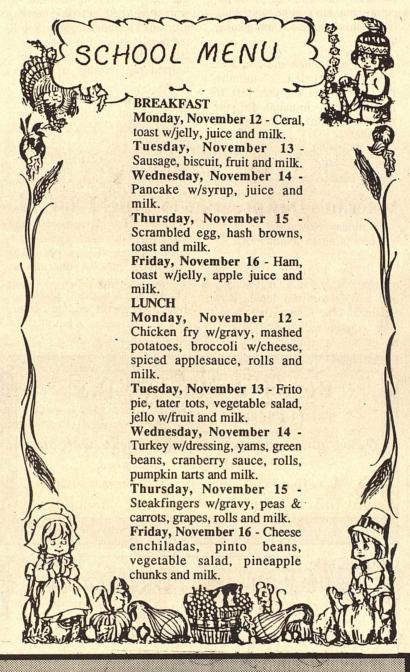
Ninety percent of all seventh grade students mastered all sections of the 1989-90 TEAMS test. The following letter was received by Mr. Smith Neal at Sonora Junior High School from Rene Nunez who is a State Board of Education member from Region 1.

Dear Mr. Neal,

It is with great pleasure that I offer congratulations to you on behalf of the State Board of Education. The outstanding performance by your students on the 1989-90 TEAMS test is to be commended. Their performance is indicative of strong instructional leadership, quality teaching and support from parents and community.

The Board is proud of the academic success enjoyed by your campus. Please extend our congratulations to your staff, students and parents for their continued commitment to educational excellence.

Sincerely, Rene Nunez



CHURCH GUIDE

The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian Worship Service-11:00 am Church School-9:45am

Bronco players felt the large contingent of Sonora fans who

made the trip played a big part in the victory. The entire team

wanted to thank the fans and

cheerleaders for their grand

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Fourth Quarter

failed) 11:56

Second Quarter

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Communion first Sunday of each month Lewis Allen, Pastor

New Life Assembly of God 306 N. 4th Street Sun. Worship 10:30 am Sun. evening worship 6:00 pm Weds. Study 7:00 pm Daniel Timmerman, Pastor

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Rev. Louis Halford
Sunday Adult Bible Hour-9:30 am
Super Son Bible Hour-9:30 am
Morning Service-10:45 am
L.I.F.E. (youth)-3:00 pm
Evening Service-6:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study-7:00 pm

First Baptist Church Rev. Jim Stephen Sunday School-9:45 am Morning Worship-11:00 am Church Training-6:00 pm Evening Worship-7:00 pm Wednesday Service-7:00 pm Sonora Tabernacle
United Pentecostal
Rev. Kenneth Doyle, Pastor
Sunday School, etc. -10:00 am
Prayer Meeting-6:30 pm
Evening Worship-7:00 pm
Prayer Meeting-6:00 pm

Wednesday Service-7:00 pm

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English Meeting
Public Talk-10 am Sun.

Watchtower Study-11:55 Sunday
Theocratic School-7:30 pm Wed.
Service Meeting-8:15 Wednesday
Bible Study-7:30 Monday

New Hope Baptist Mission 708 SE Crockett Sun. morning bible Study-10 am Sun. morning Worship-11 am Sun. evening Worship-7 pm Weds. Childrens Bible Study-7 pm Dana Floyd-Pastor

> Church of Christ Minister-Don Jones Bible School-10 am Worship-11 am Sunday Night-6:30 pm Wednesday Night-7 pm

First United Methodist Church Kent L. Kepler Sunday School-9:45 am Worship-10:55 am KHOS 92.1 FM-11 am Chancel Choir Wednesday-7:30 pn Jehovah's Witness
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Spanish Meeting
Public Talk-1 Sunday
Watchtower Study -1:55 Sunday
Theocratic Ministry-7:30 pm Tues.
Service Meeting -8:15 Tuesday
Bible Study-7:30 Thursday

Hope Lutheran Church Sunday School-10 am Worship Service-11 am Thursday: Adult Bible Class-8 pm Charles Huffman, Pastor

St. Ann's Catholic Church

Rev. Lawrence D'Mello
Deacon E. Samaniego
Saturday Night Mass-7 pm English
Sunday Mass
8 am Spanish
11 am English
Holy Day Mass-7 pm
St. John's Episcopal Church

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Holy Eucharist-Sunday 8 & 11 am

Sunday School-9:45 am

Holy Eucharist w/Prayers for
healing, 1 & 3- Wed. 7:15 pm

Rev. J. Monte Jones, Rector

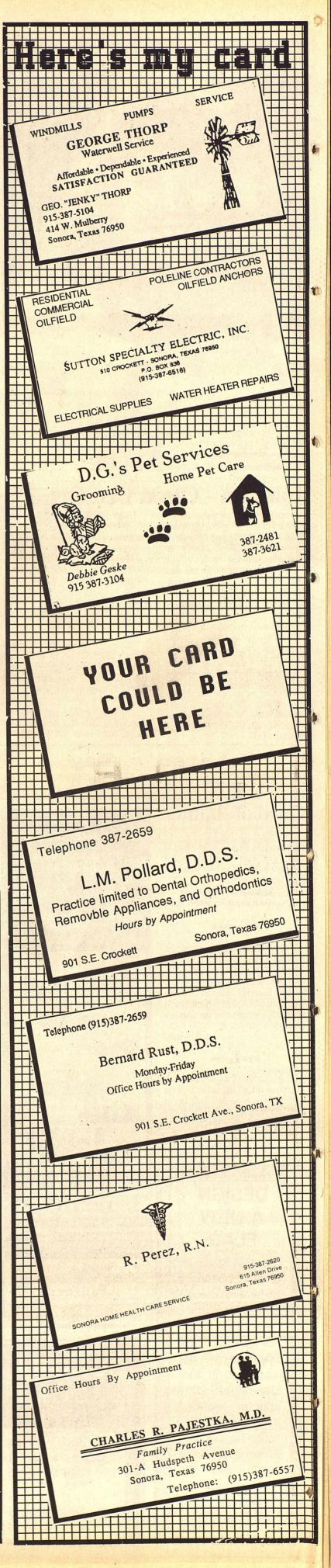
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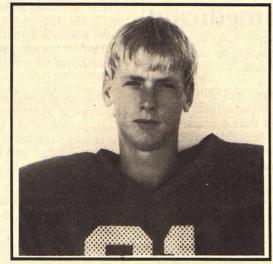
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Larry Chalk

A junior, Larry plays split end for the SHS football team. He is the son of Luther and Joyce Chalk

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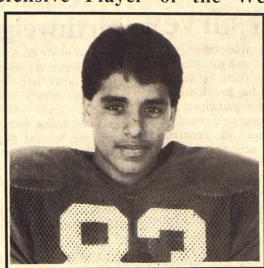
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SEPT.	28	MASON	HOME
OCT.	5	BALLINGER	AWAY
OCT.	12	KERMIT*	AWAY
OCT.	19	REAGAN COUNTY*	HOME
OCT.	26	COLORADO CITY*	HOME
NOV.	2	MIDLAND GREENWOOD*	AWAY
NOV.	9	CRANE*	HOME

JUNIOR VARSITY SCHEDULE

Junior High Schedule

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Focus on education Community/school survey

Even though it is early in the school year, it is time to start planning for 1991-92. questionnaire will be mailed out on November 9 to 100 parents with 25 being selected from each campus, and to all employees of the Sonora I. S. D. Recipients will have an opportunity to provide input by responding to any one of the 4 topics that are addressed. The responses will be submitted to the board for review at the January board meeting and will be considered for adoption or rejection at the February meeting. Those suggestions that are adopted by the board will become the organizational goals for the 1991-1992 school year.

Planning is an important part of a successful school year and equally important is that the community be provided with opportunities to participate in the planning process. I would ask you, if you do receive a community school survey, to please take the time to respond to any or all of the topics. With everyone working together we have the opportunity to improve our school and provide a better education for our students.

If you do not receive a questionnaire and would like one, you may pick one up at the Administration Office at 807 S.

New books at the Sutton County Library

The following is a list of new books at the Sutton County Library: PLAINS OF PASSAGE by Jean Auel, FAINT COLD FEAR by Robert Daley, BUFFALO GIRLS by Larry McMurtry, LADY BOSS by Jackie Collins, 1st MAN IN ROME by Colleen McCullough, KING'S OAK A NOVEL by Anne Rivers Siddons, LAST RAVEN by Craig Thomas, MURDER AT THE NATIONAL CATHEDRAL by Margaret Truman, WINGS OF THE MORNING by Thomas Tryon, DAWN by V. C. Andrews, HOUSE WITHOUT DOORS by Peter Straub, THE JIM CHEE MYSTERIES by Tony Hillerman, THE SHEPHERD by Joseph Girzone, SHADOWFIRES by Dean Koontz and LONGSHOT by Dick Frances.

John Kendall is a writer whose books run the gamut from travel guides to manuals on safety in the

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jungle and the desert. His agent touts him as inquisitive and capable, but he knows that his client has a strong impulsive

When John, in the hungry interval between the acceptance and the publication of his first novel, turns to work that will at least pay the bills, the decision seems less an impulsive act than a matter of necessity. Although he knows little about racing, his new project is the biography of a racehorse trainer. Soon enough John discovers that it takes all his skills and ingenuity to complete this new book. In fact, the perils described in his survival guides pale next to the dangers in rural England.

"Impulse will kill you one of these days," his agent had warned. John Kendall should have listened but he didn't-not by a longshot.

WIC participation increases birthweight, reduces medicaid

Medicaid costs are lower and infant birthweights are higher for pregnant women who receive healthy foods and nutrition education during their pregnancies from the Special Supplemental Food Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC). The Sonora WIC program, directed by Maria Carrasco, provides food and nutrition services for local women and children each month.

The new findings, released October 1 by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, reaffirm the positive impact of the federally-sponsored WIC program for low-income women and infants, according to Debra Stabeno, Chief of Texas Department of Health's Bureau of WIC Nutrition. The one-year study sampled five states including Texas which serves more than 300,000 WIC participants each

"These results are exciting," said Debra Stabeno, "They show that Medicaid eligible pregnant women who participate in WIC have healthier babies. These babies require less Medicaid assistance after birth than do babies of lowincome pregnant women who don't participate."

"Unfortunately, WIC is only able to serve 25 percent of the people who are potentially eligible for the program in Texas. Maybe

A new study demonstrates that this study will help us secure additional funding to serve more people," she said.

> For every dollar spent on prenatal WIC participants eligible for Medicaid, there is an associated savings in Medicaid costs during the first 60 days after birth for newborns and their mothers.

> In Texas, prenatal participation by Medicaid recipients in the WIC Program resulted in estimated Medicaid savings of \$573 for each newborn. Other outcomes attributable to prenatal participation in WIC include: an average overall increase in birthweight of 77 grams; an average increase in birthweight of 165 grams for premature infants; a 3.4 percent reduction in the incidence of low birthweight, a .4 percent week increase in gestational age; and a 4.2 percent decrease in premature births.

> "The WIC Program is a sound investment of taxpayer dollars. We now have additional proof that money spent on WIC saves Medicaid dollars," said Stabeno.

> In Texas the WIC program is administered with \$150,004,058 in federal funds which accounts for 96.4 percent of program's annual

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"We are pleased to award a certificate of system membership in recognition of the efforts this community has made in providing library services," said Gooch. "It is a symbol of having achieved a level of excellence."

The Sutton County Library is a renewal member of the Big Country Library System and serves citizens in the City of Sonora, Sutton County. The Sutton County Library had to meet strict criteria, according to Florie Mesa, Library Director/Librarian, such as hours of access, professional staffing requirements, member of library materials, and local per capita support to become an accredited member. Public libraries must apply and qualify for system membership annually. The Sutton County Library has been a member of the Big Country Library System for 10 years.

Local system benefits that the community can have access to are: interlibrary loan, films, extension books, spanish books, L. T. E., and books on tape (soon to arrive).

Authorized by the Library Systems Act of 1969, the Texas Library System was developed to improve library service in the state through cooperative efforts. Comprised of ten regions, the statewide system provides an opportunity for local libraries to make the best possible use of both their own resources and those available elsewhere in the system.

These cooperative efforts are made possible through state and federal funds appropriated to the Library Development Program of the Texas State Library. This year the Texas State Library will distribute about \$8 million to the ten library

Not only does the Sutton County Library benefit from the system, we also have numerous services to offer the community such as: bestsellers, preschool storyhour, Literacy tutoring, memorial fund, meeting room, school tours, coupon-pattern swap, record recollection, reference service, summer reading program.

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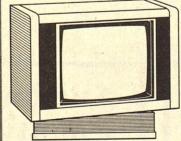
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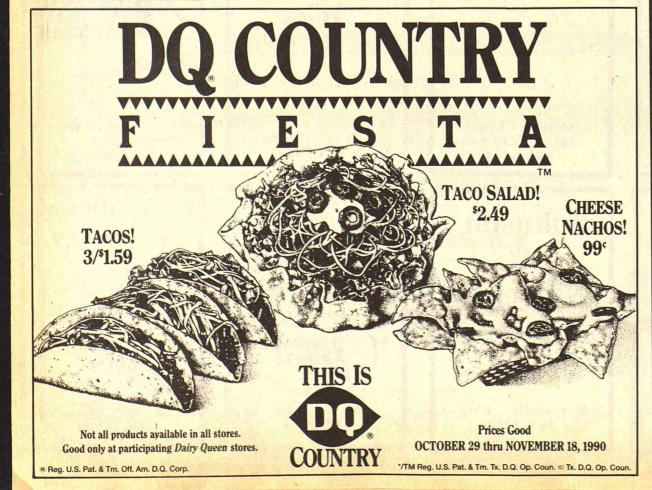


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Teri Williams receives award

Teri Williams, Court Administrator for the 112th Judicial District was the proud recipient of the Justice Charles W. Barrow Award "for her straordinary contributions in promoting Court Administration in Texas." As the award sites, "Her sustained dedication and

promoting Court Administration in Texas." As the award sites, "Her sustained dedication and outstanding assistance to Court Administration are recognized by the high standards of excellence exhibited in all of her endeavors presented in behalf of the Texas Association for Court Administratrion."

The award was presented to Teri at the 14th Annual Awards Banquet in Austin during the Education Conference for the Texas Association for Court Administration. Teri has been the Chairwoman of that organization for the past 2 years and was reelected for another year. Retired Justice Charles W. Barrow of the Texas Supreme Court presented the award.

As an active member of TACA for six years, Teri has been

involved in the Education and Professional Development Programs for that organization. TACA works jointly with the Texas Center for the Judiciary towards training administrators and coordinators in the state of Texas.

Teri has completed the three year training program on Texas Trial Court Management offered by TACA and The Texas Center for the Judiciary. She has also attended seminars sponsored by the Institute for Court Management including "Designing and Delivering Effective Presentations for Court Personnel" in Austin and "Fundamental Issues in Caseflow Management" in Washington, D. C.

TACA also honored Teri by awarding her the Judge Paul Ferguson Scholarship to be used towards attendance to an ICM

Judge Brock Jones, 112th District Judge is a director on the Judicial Advisory Board for the Texas Association for Court Administration.

Outreach effort looks for older women

Despite advances in the economic status of most retirees, older women, especially women over age 85, remain one of the most economically vulnerable groups in our society. Social Security hopes that its current Supplemental Security Income (SSI) outreach effort will assist some of these older women.

Because of differences in life expectancies, 70 percent of Social Security beneficiaries age 85 and older are women. Their benefits are usually lower than men in the same age group because historically women have had lower paying jobs or have taken time out of the labor force to care for their families.

Additionally, many women at 65 have savings and other resources which are gone by 85. Their resources may be depleted by a husband's final illness or the increased living expenses of living alone as a widow.

SSI privides an income floor for many older people with low Social Security benefits and reduced financial resources. Over 75 percent of the SSI recipients over age 85 are women, and advocacy groups believe many more older women may be eligible for SSI.

Social Security Commissioner Gwendolyn S. King has committed the Agency to an outreach effort to ensure that all individuals who are potentially eligible for SSI know about the program, know what the benefits of the program can mean to them, and have an opportunity to obtain benefits.

Information about SSI is available from Social Security. The San Angelo Office is located at 2214 Sherwood Way. The telephone number is 915-949-4608

Rent/Lease

Storage Units for Rent - Please call 387-3529 between 9-5, after 5 p. m. call 387-3996 or 387-2136. 425-\$35. (P)

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Classified ads get results!

Bronco Bob

The effort shown by the Sonora Broncos was "totally awesome" especially if you were a favored Greenwood Ranger last Friday. We came from behind, 2 touchdowns and won 21-25.

Without a doubt, the outstanding player was the total offensive unit, and the outstanding defensive player was the entire defense. The 100% effort that was given from everybody on the team-plus that extra 10% that certain coaches have the ability to add, created a 110% ball game.

David Mirike played an outstanding football game, then he added some bowling skills to the sport. After pitching back to Eric Espinosa, the ground gaining speedster; #10 lined up two Rangers and bowled them over. There went Espinosa on a touchdown mission.

Blocking was great. Eric Galindo and Robert Gallion made their presence felt. They represent the hub of our offense.

John Russell did a great job in the middle opening up the center

of the Ranger defense.

Ubaldo Luna was railing his guys with precision blocking.

Trini put a new dimension on "War in the trenches." He's zapped big #62 on one play - BIG TIME.

Crazy Adam-#40 played with abandon-even putting points on the board. Man, was that a pretty play!

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Our subscribers can now place free buy, sell, or trade ads in a weekly column designed for non-commercial purposes. A maximum of twenty words or five lines are allowed for anything other than vehicle, help wanted, real estate or garage sale.

Oscar Perez ran well into the quick opening middle.

Sam Taylor made a quarter horse sprint down the right side line, and then on his next carry over left tackle, he lost his knee.

In fact, our inspired offense scored 25 points.

The defensive truly did shine. Our "extra large" designated tackler, #81 took charge. He put all of his 145 pounds to work Friday night.

Robert Gallion and Eric Galindo really did their jobs at tackle. Those big guys were holding their territories and then making tackles all over the field-lots of mobility.

Jim Davis was beginning to shine at linebacker until he found a hidden bear trap in the center of the field and severely turned his ankle. Then Tate came in, but he agravated his neck injury again. I'm sure Coach Bellard can recruit one more linebacker.

Shane Keller filled his holes well. There was one 41 to 41 meeting out there that stopped the Ranger fullback dead in his tracks. Mark Lowder and Blayze Sykes did great jobs at their end positions.

After the first two touchdowns that Sonora gave up (just so Coach could make the game interesting), Sonora took the quarterback roll out away from Greenwood. That was their main threat, I wonder how much Chalk was used at 1/2 time? In fact, this game was so interesting, that a full stadium of red-shirted fans were "hoarse" ("horse") by the end of the game.

Why do people stand up for most of a game?

Note to the horses: You Broncos are really executing well, and you are able to depend on your fellow players to do their jobs to the maximum. Friday was an example of each individual playing up to his full potential, and his teammates playing to their full potential.

The team really clicked as a unit with each player helping his fellow player.

Anybody for "Crane Hunting"?
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Bronco Bob



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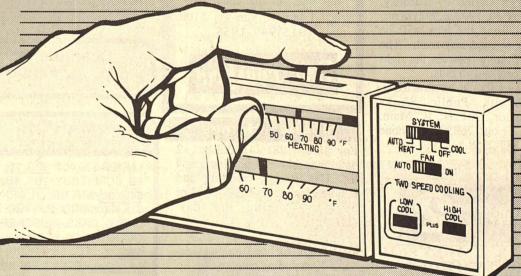
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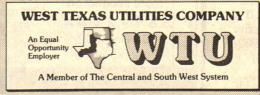
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PUBLIC NOTICE CONTRACTOR'S NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE WORK

Sealed proposals for RENOVATION OF ELECTRICAL SERVICE, RESIDENCY OFFICE AND MAINTENANCE SITE in Sutton County, and covered by Building Maintenance Agreement No. 071XXR1001 will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation's District Office at Loop 306 & Knickerbocker Rd., in San Angelo, Texas 76906-1550, on November 15, 1990 at 10:00 a. m., and them publicly opened and read.

LOCATION OF PROJECT Residency Office and Maintenance Site

US 277 North of Sonora Sonora, Texas

PREBIDDER'S CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD AT 1:00 P. M. ON NOVEMBER 12, 1990 AT THE SONORA MAINTENANCE SITE LOCATED AT THE ADDRESS LISTED ABOVE. INTERESTED BIDDERS ARE URGED TO ATTEND.

Plans, specifications and proposals are available at the office of Daniel W. Gower, P. E. District Maintenance Engineer, Loop 306 & Knickerbocker Rd, San Angelo, Texas.

Usual Rights Reserved. The estimated over-all construction cost for the proposed contract is \$5,800.00. (11/8)

PUBLIC NOTICE **NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

Notice is hereby given that the City of Sonora is now calling for bids for repair of dumpsters. Specifications may be obtained from the city office, 201 N. E. Main, Sonora, Texas 76950. All bids must be sealed and addressed to the City Secretary, 201 N. E. Main, Sonora, Texas 76950. The envelope must be clearly marked "SEALED BIDS - DUMPSTER REPAIR" and returned to the City Secretary's Office by Tuesday, November 20, 1990 at 9:00 a.m., at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The City of Sonora reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Inquiries should be directed to Jim Garrett, Public Works Coordinator, 201 N. E. Main, Sonora, Texas, 76950, telephone # (915) 387-2558. (11/8)

Misc.



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