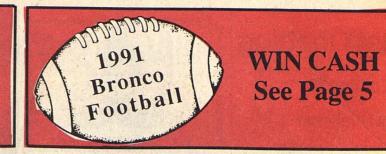
Bronco home opener Friday night Sonora vs. Junction 8 P.M.

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Briefly

Voting district

The Citizen's Committee appointed by the City Council to study voting districts for the City of Sonora will meet on Tuesday, September 17, 1991 at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall.

Deadline for individuals to submit plans is September 17, 1991.

Cub Scouts

A new year for Cub Scouts will soon begin! On Monday, September 16, a rally will be held in the Junior High snack bar at 7 p. m. At that time parents or guardians may register boys from grades 1 through 5. Former Cub Scouts, as well as boys new to scouting, are encouraged to come.

Several more adult leaders are still needed. If you are interested in helping, please call Claudia Dempsey or Kathy Hardgraave.

Dance Club

The Halloween Dance Club will hold a meeting on September 24 at 7:30 p. m. at Margaret Kring house at 405 E. 2nd.

The meeting will be for the purpose of electing officers and making plans for October 26. All members are urged to attend.

Bible study

Precept Upon Precept Bible Studies. An inductive Bible Study method that establishes God's people in God's Word will be held

Pressures increased on drivers to carry insurance on autos

By Griffin B. Cole **DRN** Editor

The Texas Legislature has taken further steps to make Texas drivers carry insurance as required by law.

Laws passed by the 72nd Legislature to increase the fine range for conviction of failure to maintain financial responsibility went into effect on Sept. 1.

The new fine structure follows the latest move which requires motorists to show proof of financial responsibility when purchasing lincense plates, their vehicle inspection sticker or registering their vehicle.

State figures show that 75 percent of Texas drivers carry insurance as stated by law.

Sutton County Justice of the Peace, Adelita Smalling, says that number could increase with the new fine structure, "If (drivers) stop and think about it, it will be cheaper in the long run to have insurance."

House Bill 2 changes the first conviction to be punishable by a fine between \$175 and \$350.

For a second offense a person

could look at a fine between \$350 and \$1,000. Judge Smalling said impoundment of the car for up to 180 days is also possible.

"Say they get a ticket, the minimum will be \$270. For that you could very well get six months or a year of insurance," said Smalling.

Smalling said she feels teenagers could be hit hardest by the new fine structure.

"Teens are more susceptible to accidents. I don't know if they (the Legislature) are trying to cut down on younger kids driving or parents buying their kids vehicles," Smalling explained her reasoning.

When asked why 1/4 of the drivers in Texas don't have insurance despite the law, Smalling equated it to seatbelts, "A lot of people feel they shouldn't be forced to do something they believe is their own choice.

This latest increase in fines gives drivers the choice of getting insurance or facing a fine which may make them wish they did have it.



DRN staff photo by Griffin B. Cole

JV OPENS SEASON - The Sonora junior varsity, pictured here during their scrimmage against Wall, played well in their opener Thursday despite losing the game 12-6 to Lake View at Bronco Stadium. After falling behind 6-0, Sonora came back to tie the game then almost won it in the last minutes before an interception ended the Bronco drive inside the 15-yard-line. The junior varsity will take to the road to play Junction Thursday evening.

Broncos stun Lake View in opener

By Griffin B. Cole **DRN Editor**

Broncos defense stifled Lake View in the second half as Sonora season-opener for both teams

cited by Bellard were, Pete Perez, Tracy Crites, Joe Buitron, Jamie SAN ANGELO - The Sonora Espinosa and Adrian Sanchez among many others.

"We outhustled them all the upended the Chiefs 19-10 in the way," Espinosa said explaining how the Bronco defense was able

In addition to touchdowns, Youngblood ran for 171 yards.

"I owe it all to my linemen," said Youngblood about his big night.

on Tuesday, September 17 from 9:00 - 11:00 a. m. at the New Hope Baptist Mission at 511 Cornell Street.

The course will be "Lord, I Want to Know You" taught by Tammy Jackson. Child care is available. For more information call 387-5604.

Precept is a non-denominational ministry everyone is welcome.

Bike ride

Carol Sessom is coordinating a Wheels for Life" Bike-A-Thon to benefit St. Jude's Childrens Research Hospital on September 21

Anyone interested in riding can contact Mrs. Sessom at 387-5797.

Daisy Girl Scouts

The first meeting of the Daisy Girl Scouts will be held on Wednesday, September 18 from 2:45-4:00 p. m. at the Girl Scout Hut.

All kindergarten girls are urged to attend.

Clubhouse available

The clubhouse at the Sonora Senior Apartments is available to the public at no charge for meetings, clubs, suppers, etc.

For more information or to make reservations call 387-5628.

Fund set up

A special fund has been set up at Sutton County National Bank and First National Bank for Brad Morgan.

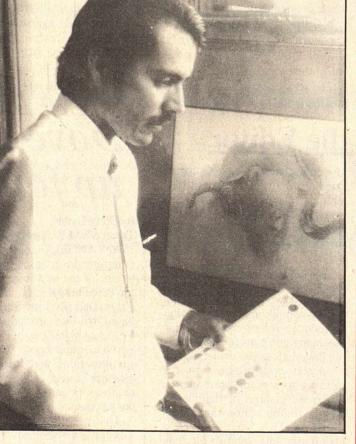
Anyone wishing to donate may do so at the banks.

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.



DRN staff photo by Griffin B. Cole

Communication/Education Project

in October, 1991. The project

will be offered in 13 counties in

the Concho Valley. The agency's

Project Educator, who has

experience in training adults and

parent involvement programs, will

provide the workshops. The focus

of the workshops will be the

development and application of

communication skills needed to

talk with teens. Methods of

obtaining information and

resources will also be developed.

Those skills and methods may be

used in dealing with a variety of

issues.

UNIQUE ARTIST - Raul Ruiz, perhaps the world's only sheepshearing artist, was featured during the art exhibit at the Cauthorn Memorial Building. Ruiz, from San Angelo, specializes in Southwestern, Western and Livestock originals. Several locals artists including, Barbara Earwood, Ron Nicholas, Patti Strauch, Elvie Turney, Melinda Powers, Tommy McKissack and Mary Lou Gilley also had their work exhibited.

Parent-teen communication workshops to offered in Oct.

Parents are their children's most important teacher. Parents, like any effective teacher, need to know the facts and have the skills necessary to communicate those facts. Today's teens have many decisions to make. They need information to act-on and followthrough with their choices. Teens need to talk with someone who is informed and will listen to their concerns.

The San Angelo AIDS Foundation, through its Education/Prevention Grant from the Texas Department of Health, will begin a Parent-Teen

Trailing 10-7 after three quarters, Adam Youngblood's 6yard touchdown run on the first play of the fourth quarter provided the winning points.

The Broncos were able to come from behind for the win thanks to some outstanding defense in the second half.

Lake View was held to 31 yards total offense in the second half, most of that coming on a 19-yard scramble by quarterback Brandon Stephens on the Chiefs final offensive play.

"We benefitted (defensively) from a lot of second down and long situations," explained Broncos head coach Bob Bellard. We were able to go to our prevent defense.'

In five drives in the second half, Lake View punted on three, and turned the ball over on the other two.

"Our defense was starting to get the knack for where the plays were going," said Bellard.

It was a collective defensive effort by the Broncos, Bellard said.

"A lot of young men filled in and did a terrific job," said Bellard.

Those coming off the bench

to contain the Chiefs. 'We didn't think of paind or anything else. We did what we had to.

Offensively, the Broncos were led by their backfield of Danny Mata and Adam Youngblood.

Sonora	La	ke View
14	First Downs	. 7
40-270	Rush-Yards .	32-84
3-10-0	Passing	5-16-2
29	Passing Yard	s 65
299	Total Yards	149
4-30	Penalties	6-50
5-23.8	Punts	6-33.0
2-1	Fumbles	5-0

Sonora 7 0 0 12 - 19 Lake View 0 10 0 0 - 10 **1st Ouarter**

4:17 Son - Youngblood, 57 run, (Robles kick)

2nd Quarter

7:41-LV - Flores, 45 pass from Carr, (Carr kick) 5:37 LV - Carr 39 FG

4th Quarter

11:56 Son - Youngblood, 6 run, (kick missed)

6:53 Son - Faris, 19 run, (kick

missed)

'Everybody just did their job," said Mata who ran for 63 yards on 12 carries himself.

Specifically, Bellard said Lake View started stunting a great deal towards the end of the first half. That is when the Broncos went to the center trap.

That play effectively neutralized the middle portion of the Lake View defense.

The Broncos most impressive drive of the evening came midway through the fourth quarter.

From the Lake View 49-yard line, Mata opened with a six-yard run.

From there, Youngblood tore up the middle on four straight plays taking the ball to the 19.

Brian Faris concluded the drive with a bootleg play around the left side after a beautiful fake to Youngblood up the middle.

After opening the season with a victory on the road, the Broncos will have their home-opener Friday night against Junction.

The Eagles, defeated by Sonora 33-0, opened their 1991 campaign with a 37-0 shutout of Medina.

Game time at Bronco Stadium is 8 p.m.

Lions Club annual auction to be held Sept. 17

Sonora has no Community Chest or United Way, but we do have two Lions Clubs, a newly formed Jaycee group and a newly organized Veterans of Foreign Wars unit. Of these, the oldest is the Downtown Lions Club, which has provided the bulk of community support for this town for many, many years. The primary source of income for the Downtown Lions Club continues to be its annual auction, and from the funds raised, the club puts a very high percentage of those monics back into Sonora and Sutton County.

believe that the auction is only for the wealthy, and they stay away. In order to allay those fears, the Lions Club is doing all that it can to encourage everyone to come out, enjoy a FREE barbecue dinner, and at least consider bidding on some of the smaller,

less expensive items. Remember that the money you pay is really a donation to help out the many organizations supported in part or entirely by Lions Club gifts, and the items you receive from the auction are a bonus for that contribution.

The Downtown Lions Club built the Scout Houses for the Boy Scouts and the Girl Scouts and they maintain them and pay the utilities. This past year, over \$600 was spent on scouting in Sonora, and more than that in years past when maintenance of these facilities was necessary.

Last year the Lions spent over \$4,000 on eyeglasses for the needy, including many school children. They donated \$750 to the Sonora Volunteer Fire Department, which also receives many goats for barbecuing from the Auction. Sonora City League got over \$300, Christmas in April

\$200, Project Graduation \$200, and over \$1,500 is spent by the Downtown Lions supporting 4-H in Sonora.

Downtown Lions serve meals to the participants of the Annual Speech Meet and the Wool Show. The Lions motto, "We Serve" certainly holds true for the Sonora Downtown Lions Club, as it has for over 60 years. But they need your support to continue to do the many good works in this community. The last two years, the people of Sutton County contributed an average of \$13,500 at the Lions Club Auction, and you and your help are called upon again this year. Please mark your calendar for Tuesday, September 17 and be at the 4-H Center at 6:00 p.m. to do your part for our community by supporting the many good works of the Sonora Downtown Lions Club.

Unfortunately, many folks

Just Chatting

By Griffin Cole

DRN Publisher

Patience is a virtue

The traveling I have done recently has pointed out just how differently time is perceived here than in other places.

A trip from Sonora to San Angelo, approximately one hour and 15 minutes, is not even considered a burden. As a matter of fact, for West Texas, that would would be considered down right convienent.

Growing up in a small town in Wisconsin, we had a similar situation. The folks would load up the kids for a fun day in the larger towns of Fond du Lac or Oshkosh. Yet, the were located only 20 minutes away and we didn't go there very often, say once a month or so.

I know a lot of people who go to San Angelo three or four times a week.

From Ripon, if we headed on the road for an hour and 15 minutes we were in Milwaukee. Now that was a trip.

Milwaukee, the real big city. That's where all the sports events were, like baseball, basketball and football at the professional level.

On the average, the Cole family made one baseball game a year and a basketball game every other year Or SO.

It just wasn't a trip you made often because there were so many plans to make.

After living in West Texas for a couple of years, it now seems like when we planned for a family trip to Milwaukee it was like planning for a cross-country adventure.

For Sonora folks it's, "Want to go to San Angelo?" and their off. The time on the road also makes Texans appear more patient. They know it's going to be more than an hour before they get anywhere. In Wisconsin after being on the road for 10 minutes the common phrase is, "Are we there yet?".

The distance between towns can still be startling as well. Between Sonora and San Angelo there is Eldorado. That is it.

From Ripon to Milwaukee, the back way (which was most common because there were less state patrol cars), one would pass through Brandon, Waupun, Mayfield, Slinger and about three or four other small towns which I have forgotten. And this is before the suburbs.

Up north, if we failed to hit a town within 10 minutes we would figure we were lost. Here in Texas, if you hit a town every 10

Of course, traveling for football games is where I notice the difference the most. Here, three hours is nothing for a game. If my hometown high school team travelled three hours for a game, we'd be playing in Illinois.

Although, I doubt if they would ever travel three hours for a football game in Wisconsin. They used to complain about the trip from Ripon to Little Chute which

The competition was fierce in the opening week of the Devil's River News football contest. While the competition was fierce, nobody really cruised through the week.

Each of the winners missed the winner in six games, which means

Fans who think they are only semi-knowledgeable about football should take heart and give it a try.



minutes you know you're lost.

took an hour.

it came down to the tie-breaker.



DRN staff photo by Sharon Huston

LOOK BACK AT SUMMER - Though back in school now, Sonia Gandar can look back at this past summer with fond memories from all the reading she did during Camp Wannaread.

Health news

Food/mood relationships by Dr. Rico J. Forlano

Many research studies have concluded that there is definitely a relationship between food and stress. A clear connection between food and mood is evident when people go on a severely restricted diet or abstain from food altogether. The effects are nearly all bad, causing people to suffer from fatigue, depression, anxiety, impaired judgement, difficulty in concentration, expressions of anger, and in extreme cases, death.

A series of studies connecting the "junk food" industry to behavioral problems and physical and emotional disturbances have been conducted. In one report, covering a 2-year period, adolescent subjects who had been apprehended for various crimes, were divided into 2 groups. One group was placed on a special diet involving the replacement of soft drinks (cokes) and "junk foods" with fruit juices and nutritious snacks, while the other remained on their prior diet. There was a reported decrease in "antisocial behavior" in the group who was switched to the nutritious diet.

In another study of elementary school children, a group of students were placed on a modified

diet where refined carbohydrate foods were eliminated and fresh fruits and juices, whole wheat flour, honey, and unprocessed foods were substituted for other foods. The teachers reported that, after a 6 month period on the improved diet, significant improvements in both behavior and learning patterns were achieved.

In still another study, people were asked to complete a questionnaire survey that asked people to choose foods that they preferred when they were in different moods. In general, people selected "healthy" foods when they felt relaxed and selfconfident; they indicated a preference for "junk" or "fast" foods when they felt anxious, nervous, guilty, or frustrated.

From these and similar studies, it would appear that modern, preprocessed foods contribute to stress and other psychological problems. Because stress can be at the root of musculoskeletal problems, chiropractic physicians are interested in the total package of attitudes and habits which lead to stress and consider dietary advice as a legitimate component in their approach to therapy.

Constituents comment on national issues

Residents of the 21st Congressional District responded with enthusiasm to the 1991 Legislative Questionnaire.

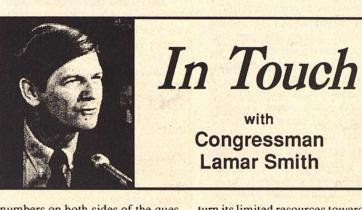
They answered questions on issues ranging from education to crime to the environment-adding their own comments along the way.

The questionnaire is one of the many ways to keep in touch with the thoughts and concerns of constituents.

Responses to the 1991 Legislative Questionnaire showed they held some strong opinions:

• Education-School choice was a subject that found significant

Education-Should the government give parents vouchers that would allow them to choose which school their children will attend?



numbers on both sides of the ques-

cent-of those responding said they did not want the government involved in helping students attend the school of their choice outside of their neighborhood.

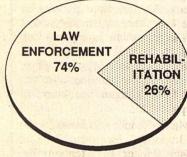
they believed the current system of sending students to neighborhood schools was not the best method. They indicated they would like to see a government voucher system quired of new cars. that allowed students the choice of where to attend school.

turn its limited resources toward law enforcement. Victims' rights was of

• Environment-Conservation concerned many of those who responded to the questionnaire-23 percent said it was among their top concerns.

Sixty-one percent said they would favor requiring all cars to get a minimum of 34 miles per gallon of gasoline by the year 1996, compared to 27.5 miles per gallon now re-

The questionnaire is only one way to keep in touch with constituCrime-To reduce crime, which should the federal government spend more on:



Environment-To conserve energy and protect the environment, do you favor requiring all cars to get a minimum of 34 miles per gallon of gas by 1996, as compared to 27.5 miles per gallon required of all new cars?



39%

particular concern.

The remaining 44 percent said

tion. A little more than half-56 per-

"Walkies Talkies" to begin Oct. 1

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October 1 is the date to put on your calendar if you are interested in losing weight in a healthy manner, exercising and walking with others who are interested, and having a good visit too.

You guessed it! The "Walkie Talkies for Life" program will begin its fall session at the Extension Office meeting room, 301 S. Crockett, at 5:30 p. m. on October 1. Remember, it's FREE.

Please note that we have made some changes in the scheduling of the classes. This session will run for 8 weeks only. Another class will begin after the Christmas holidays.

Make plans to join us at the first meeting to set your personal 8-week weight loss goal.

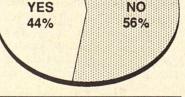
4-H members will host a booth during lunch next week at the Junior High Snack Bar to sign up new members for this year. The Sutton County 4-H Club offers a variety of projects, so check it out.

I'll be at the Sutton County Senior Center at lunch on September 23. Our cooking and nutrition programs will get back on schedule this fall, so join us at lunch and taste what is prepared at the program.

If you are interested in helping to organize regular hours and improved displays at the Old Jail and the Miers Home Museum, please contact me at the Extension Office at 387-3604. We need lots of help to make this worthwhile project successful.

Next week I will begin a weekly series of articles offering tips for parents and children who spend some time alone at home each We will refer to these day. children as "Latch-key" Children. The American life-style has changed radically in the last few years with both parents often working at full-time jobs. The safety of these children will be our primary concern in the article series, but we will discuss tips on

dealing with boredom, lonliness, and fears that children may experience while home alone. Please look for the article series entitled "Latch-key Children. . . Home Safe.'



• Crime-One out of every three ents. I also hold town meetings in respondents to the questionnaire said controlling illegal drug use was one of their top concerns.

The vast majority-73 percentsaid the federal government should

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

This letter is in support of the Sonora High School Band program. It was prompted by her remarks made about the halftime performance at the Lakeview Game.

It was not done as in past halftime performances. The idea was to have 1 well prepared song rather than several ill prepared numbers. The halftime performances will be built on each week.

John Canfield, the new Band Director, has many new ideas, concepts, and goals for the band. Excitement and motivation has already been evident in the band members.

It takes time to build a successful band program. Mr. Canfield and the others involved need and deserve our support. Be patient and you will be both surprised and proud of what will be accomplished.

The band looked and sounded good at the game and we look forward to seeing even better things throughout the school year. Our band needs our support and an occasional encouraging work. Sincerely,

Lynn & Gail Northcutt

Win Big!

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DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

FOOTBALL CONTEST!

Dear Editor.

I am writing in the hopes of disspelling the far-flung myth that

law enforcement officers support gun control. The police administration on Capitol Hill, most of who haven't been on the streets for decades, do not speak for the majority of rank and file police.

Take if from someone who knows. Gun band and other harsh anti-gun laws directed at lawful gun owners ultimately do nothing to reduce violent crime. Semiautomatic gun bans in some states put law-abiding gun owners at risk of arrest and prosecution for refusing to register, surrender or otherwise dispose of their guns. Now a similar nationwide ban is proposed. I want to arrest criminals, not lawful citizens made into common criminals by means of misguided laws. That's why I oppose semi-auto gun ban proposals and other worthless antigun laws masquerading as crime control.

My job would be a lot easier if our elected officials would dedicate more time, money and effort toward developing anti-crime tools which legislate against the criminal, not law-abiding citizens. Let's cut out the easy parole and courtroom injustice and start enforcing the tough laws already on the books.

Sincerely, Jeffrey C. Onstott

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various locations throughout the 21st Congressional District. I hope to have the opportunity to visit with many of my constituents personally in the months ahead.



61%

By Stève Byrns

Texas A&M Extension Service SAN ANGELO - This month's mourning dove season promises to be one of the best in recent times for Texas hunters.

Dr. Dale Rollins, San Angelobased wildlife specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, said good spring and summer rains and little violent weather have increased dove numbers in two of Texas' three dove zones.

These zones as defined by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department are the North Zone, the area north of Interstate 20; the Central Zone, the area between IH 20 and U.S. Highway 90; and the South Zone, the rest of the state south of U.S. 90.

Rollins said that state wildlife department surveys of adult mourning doves in May showed the northern zone populations to be up 24 percent over last year, while the southern zone fell 15

percent. "The real newsbreaker is the central zone, which is up a whopping 45 percent over last year," he said.

"The department has reported that the overall state index is up 21 percent from last year," Rollins said. "This is well above the longterm average.'

Rollins said traditionally most mourning dove are taken either by hunting over a water source or over fields of milo, fallow wheat or wild sunflower.

The prospects look real good for a successful season, but a note of caution," said the specialist. "All the good rains have provided the birds plenty of feed and water sources. This means they may not

be as concentrated over your old favorite water hole or field as they were in leaner year. Be prepared to do a little scouting before you start your hunt."

Rollins said mourning dove season to many avid hunters is one of the most exciting times of the year because it signals the start of fall hunting.

"Many look on dove hunting as kind of the salad bar served before the fall seasons' other entrees," he said.

"I'd say 75 percent of the birds taken are harvested in the first two weeks after opening day. In the northern and central zones, which open Sept. 1, most of these are taken over the Labor Day weekend, weather permitting."

According to Rollins, most hunters prefer shotguns in 12- or 20-guage loaded with number 7 1/2 or eight shot. He said that based on a per box ratio, Texas hunters only bag an average of two birds per box of 25 shells.

"That's 23 misses per box," he said. "Twenty-two of these, I'd venture to say, are owed to shooting behind the bird. Hunters serious about filling their limit might want to spend a couple of hours on the skeet range before they head afield."

Mourning dove season dates are: North zone, now thru Nov. 9; Central zone, now thru Oct. 30 and Jan. 3-12 and South zone, Sept. 20 thru Nov. 11 and Jan. 3-

The statewide daily bag limit, except for the Lower Valley, is a total of 12 mourning, whitewinged and white-tipped dove to include not more than six whitewings and two white-tips.

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Mrs. Jeff Strickland Merck - Strickland wed Aug. 17

Rachel Allison Merck and Jeffrey Vaughn Strickland were married August 17, 1991, at the amphitheater at the Cauthorn Memorial Building in Sonora. The Rev. Lewis Allen officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Buck Bloodworth of Sonora and Mr. John Merck of Ruidoso, New Mexico; and Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Strickland of Stephenville.

Maid of honor was Janna Pierce of Imperial. Bridesmaids were Casey Miller of Stephenville, Kelly Kiowski and Leila Bouhassis both of Sonora, and Allison Post of San Angelo. Ashley Post of San Angelo was the flower girl.

Best man was Rick Kieschnick of Vernon. Groomsmen were Mike Strickland, Kenny Strickland, and Tom Wilson of Stephenville; and John Pierce of Imperial. Ushers were Buddy Reid and James Hays.

Mrs. Strickland is a 1988 graduate of Sonora High School and is a candidate for December graduation from Tarleton State University with a major in speech communication.

Her husband is a 1987 graduate of Vernon High School and attended Odessa College. He is in the hay brockerage business.

After a wedding trip to Cancun, Mexico, the couple will reside in Stephenville.

Out and about town Twin Oaks

By Corie Avila

Happy Birthday wishes go out to Lucinda Duran who will celebrate her birthday September 13th. Love, Mom and Dad Juan and Yolanda, brother John David, and sister Gabriella. A

Happy Birthday wishes go out P to Gloria Gutierrez who will P celebrate her birthday September 12th. y

Happy Birthday wishes go out to Brook Ashley Northcott B who celebrated her 5th 1 birthday September 3rd. R Happy Birthday wishes go out Т to Sandra Luz Gonzalez II H who will celebrate her 15th birthday September 14th. D A Happy Birthday wishes go out

to Lucy Brown who will celebrate her birthday September 15th.

Happy Birthday wishes go out to Harold Martinez who will celebrate his birthday September 15th. * * * * *

Happy Birthday wishes go out to Yolanda G. Carbajal who will celebrate her birthday September 15th.

Happy Birthday wishes go out to Mike Duran Sr. who will celebrate his birthday September 15th.

Senior Center

menu

Thursday, September 12 - Sweet and sour pork, buttered rice, sweet peas, hot rolls, tossed salad and tapioca pudding w/topping. Friday, September 13 - Roast beef w/brown gravy, mashed potatoes,

carrots, hot rolls, creamy coleslaw and brownies. Monday, September 16 - Meat

sauce, w/cheese, lasagna noodles, spinach, garlic toast, garden salad and banana pudding, Tuesday, September 17 - Chicken

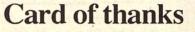
creole, refried beans, carrots, combread and rice crisp squares. Wednesday, September 18 - Fried catfish w/tartar sauce, corn o'brien, okra gumbo, cornbread and brownies.

Ice cream social to

Carol, Jericho, Casey, and Claire Thorp spent Labor Day weekend in Austin visiting Carole's sisters, Susie Womack and Allyson Peerman and their families. Carole's parents, Lynn and Bill Womac, of Houston were also there. (Steve went fishing.) It turned out to be a real "Labor" Day weekend when Allyson gave birth to her second baby girl, Megan Michelle Peerman on September 1st., Daddy Robert and Big sister Lander are very proud. The Thorps were still able to hold a family birthday party for Claire during the exciting weekend.

Pedro and Alicia Virgen and family are inviting the people of Sonora to a "Welcome Home BBQ Dinner" For Eddie Virgen at the home of Felipe and Lynn Marie Onofre on September 16th at 1308 Orient St. Sonora Tx. set for 5:00 p.m. Everybody come visit with our son!

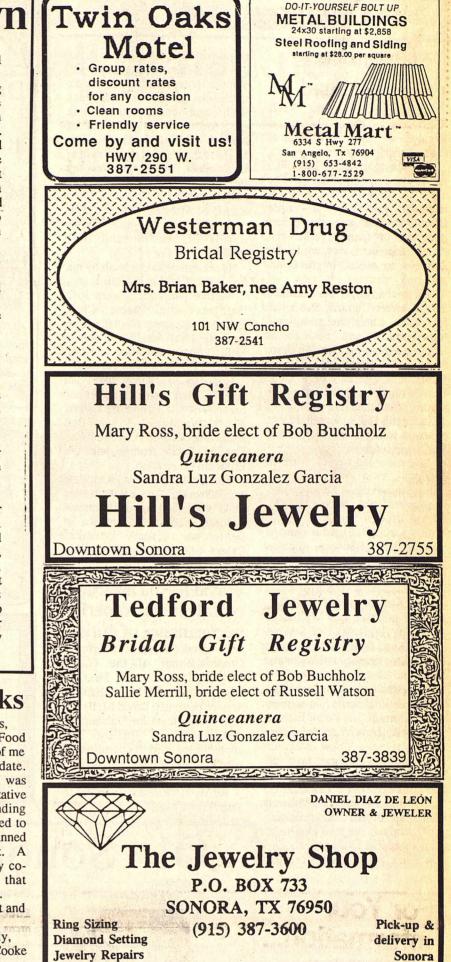
Call 387-2507 or send your information to 220 N.E. Main attention Corie, for all your birthdays, reunions, baby showers, bridal showers, or send greetings to your out of town relatives through this column, we need for you to provide the information for us, please. Deadline is Friday at 5:00 p.m. Thank you!



Dear Sutton County Residents,

I would like to thank Food Center for their sponsorship of me as a Sutton County candidate. Thank you for the bracelet I was given for being your representative and for being so understanding about all the time off I needed to attend the many activities planned for us during the last week. A special thank you for all my coworkers and to everyone that bought rodeo tickets from me. Thank you for your support and

encouragement. Sincerely, Kathy Cooke



NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX INCREASE The Sutton County Hospital District will hold a public hearing on a proposal to increase total tax revenues from properties on the

New arrivals Joshua Justin County Library are as follows: UH-OH by Robert Fulghum; FLOWERS IN THE RAIN & Guardiola 👹 OTHER STORIES by Rosamunde Pilcher; THE DOOMSDAY

Nancy Sue Herrera and Jesse Guardiola of Kerrville are proud to

Library news New books in the Sutton

announce the birth of their son Joshua Justin Guardiola. Joshua was born on August 28, 1991 at 10:12 a. m. He weighed 7 pounds and 8 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Joshua was welcomed home by his big sister Julie Marie Guana.

Maternal grandparents are Jesus and Cruz Herrera and Dora Mendoza of Sonora. Paternal grandparents are Ramon and Mary Jane Guardiola of Ingram, Texas. Great-grandmother is Manuela Mendez of Sonora.

David Diaz de 🖓 Leon

Daniel and Veronica Diaz de Leon of Sonora are proud to announce the birth of their son, David Diaz de Leon. David was born on August 21, 1991 at Shannon Memorial Hospital in San Angelo. He weighed 7 pounds and 11 ounces and was 18-3/4 inches long.

He was welcomed home by his sisters, Noemi and Ester and his brother, Daniel Jr.

His grandparents are Samuel and Dara Diaz de Leon and Fernando and Dolores Castaneda.

Rayonna Paige Blackman

Rayonna Paige Blackman was born Thursday, August 15, 1991 in San Angelo at Shannon Medical Center. She weighed 8 pounds and 5-1/2 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Her proud parents are James and Rhonda.

She is welcomed home by her sisters, Angela McElhaney of Junction and Christy Blackman of Sonora.

Maternal grandparents are Oda Mae Spring and the late Doyle R. Crawford. Her paternal grandparents are Dorothy Clark of Eldorado and Bobby Gene Blackman of Byers, Texas. She is also welcomed by numerous

CONSPIRACY by Sidney Sheldon; EXCEPTIONAL CLEARANCE by William Caunitz; DAUGHTER OF DECEIT by Victoria, Holt; RUSSKA by Edward Rutherford; NOSTRADAMUS by V. J. Hewitt; and THE KITCHEN GOD'S WIFE by Amy Tan.

THE KITCHEN GOD'S WIFE is about a chinese immigrant who is convinced she is dying, threatens to celebrate the Chinese New Year by unburdening herself of everybody's hidden truths, thus prompting a series of comic misunderstandings.

Family shelter

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

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be held Sept. 15 for Santa Fe Depot

SAN ANGELO - The third annual "ice cream social" and membership drive will be held at Historic Orient-Santa Fe Depot in San Angelo, Sunday, September 15, 1991, from 1:30 to 4:00 p. m.

Those attending the event may view the progress on the restoration of the historic structure while enjoying the entertainment, ice cream and cokes, according to chairman Allen Johnson.

Depot board president Joe Mertz hopes the event will result in sufficient additional support to enable repairs to begin on the depot roof. "We really cannot begin work on the inside of the building until we stop the leaks in the roof," Mertz added.

The depot is located on Hardeman Pass, between S. Chadbourne and S. Irving, and the event is open to the public.

ax roll in <u>1991</u> by <u>30</u> percent. Your individual taxes may increase at a greater or lesser rate, or even decrease, depending on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in taxable value of all other property.

The public hearing will be held on September 19, 1991 at 7:00 P.M. at Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital in the Dining Room.

FOR the proposal:

Ruth Shurley, Lee Bloodworth, Bob Brockman, Harold McEwen. Carol Parker, Alvis Johnson AGAINST the proposal: None PRESENT and not voting: None ABSENT: Smith Neal

The statement above shows the percentage increase the proposed rate represents over the \$.10 tax rate that the unit published on August 8, 1991. The following table compares taxes on an average home in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average home this year. Again, your individual taxes may be higher or lower, depending on the taxable value of your property.

Average Home Value	Last Year \$22.740.00	This Year \$22,720.00
General Exemptions available (amount available on the average home, not including senior citizen's or disabled person's exemptions)	0.00	0.00
Average taxable value	\$22.740.00	<u>\$22.720.00</u>
Tax rate	.10	. <u>13</u> (proposed)
Tax	22.74	<u>29.54</u> (proposed)

Under this proposal taxes on the average home would increase by \$ 6.80 or (29.90) percent compared with last year's taxes.

Comparing tax rates without adjusting for changes in property value, the tax rate would (increase) by (\$.03) per \$100.00 of taxable value or (30) percent compared with last year's tax rate. These rate figures are not adjusted for changes in the taxable value of property. Alvis Johnson, Jr., President



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Obituaries

Dora Davis Whitehead

DEL RIO - Dora Davis Whitehead died Monday, September 9, 1991 at her home at the age of 83.

She was born Sept. 29, 1907, in a covered wagon by the Old Red Tank which was located in the northern part of Val Verde County. She was the eldest daughter of Linn Everett and Nettie Coalson Davis, a pioneer family who settled in the Loma Alta area.

As a youngster, she attended Sacred Heart Catholic School in Del Rio. Later she completed high school and college at Incarnate Word in San Antonio. She married Walter Roland (Lee) Whitehead, the son of a wellknown ranching family that was among the earliest settlers of Texas in the 1830s. Lee and Dora operated ranches in Edwards and Val Verde counties.

Lee preceded her in death in 1969.

She is survived by her daughter, Lou Emma, who married Jack W. Brown of Del Rio, and a son, Walter Linn (Bud), who married Tommy Espy of Sonora. She was blessed with seven grandchildren, Lovelyn Brown Wharton, Linn Brown Dutton, Wayne Brown and Jackie Brown, all of Del Rio, Espy Whitehead, Lea Whitehead and Kelly Whitehead of Sonora. She also had the great pleasure in having two great-granddaughters: Misty and Lindsay Wharton of Del Rio. Also surviving are two sisters, Edith Davis Tomlinson who resides in San Pedro Estates, and Violet Davis Lane of Loma Alta.

Dora always was very involved in all activities that concerned her family, church and community. She will always be remembered with deep respect and admiration

by all who knew her, and especially by her longtime friend and companion, Nohemi Martinez. Dora was a lifelong member of the First United Methodist Church. She had served on numerous committees and was on the board.

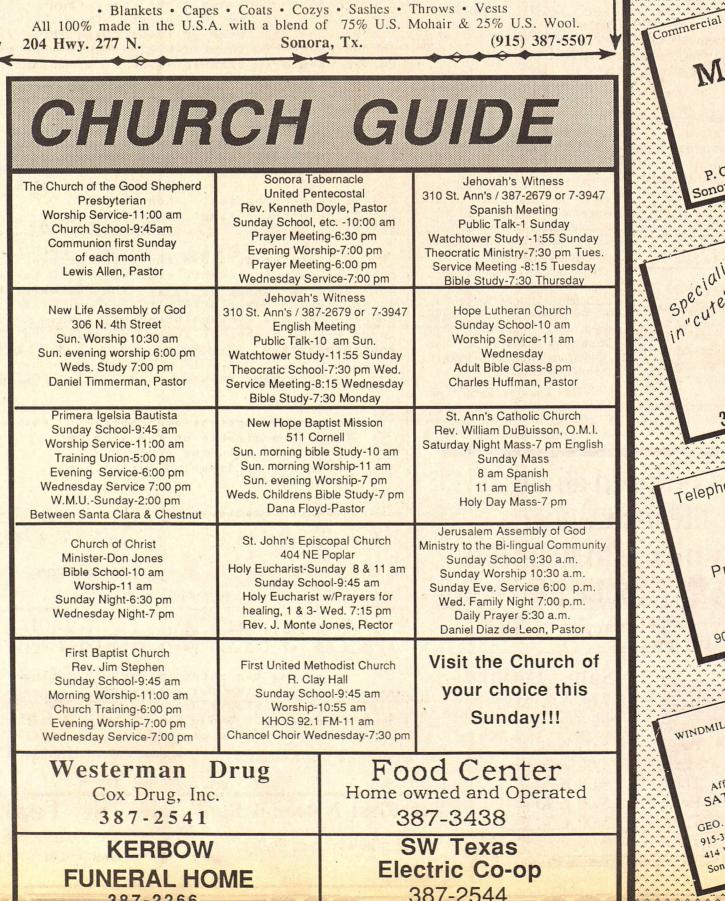
She spent a great deal of time on the Whitehead Memorial Museum programs, contributed to the Meals on Wheels, was a Ψ member of the Together Circle, a charter member of the Clipper Club and a member of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Auxiliary. She was an avid supporter of the Val Verde and Sutton County 4-H. Clubs. She especially enjoyed any programs or events in which her grandchildren and greatgrandchildren participated. Services were held Wednesday, September 11, 1991 at the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. David Stewart officiating. Interment was at the Westlawn Cemetery. Memorials may be sent to the American Cancer Society or a donor's favorite charity. Pallbearers were Jim Harding, Bill Perkins, Dr. Emery Davis, Darrell Davis, Gerald Ross and J. T. Jarrett. Honorary pallbearers were O. B. Bone, D. A. Herrington, John Prude, Sam McBee and Dave Wharton, Sr. Funeral arrangements were directed by Humphreys-Doran Funeral Home Inc., 200 E. Garfield.

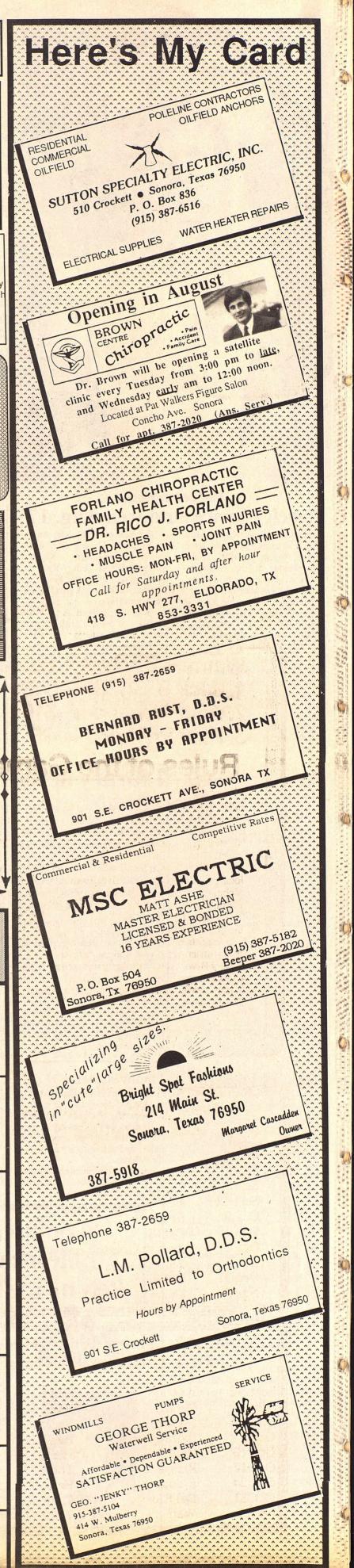
Survivors include his wife,

Favila, Dick Bearce, Lawrence Steen, Joe Ed Hill, Earl Crook, M. H. Woodward, Robert Ben Nun, the Coffee Club at Rio Concho Patio Homes and the Eldorado Lions Club.

The family requests memorials







John Thomas 'Tom' Ratliff

ELDORADO - John Thomas 'Tom' Ratliff, 88, died September 3, 1991, in Schleicher County Medical Center in Eldorado, Texas.

Services were held Thursday, September 5 at First Baptist Church, the Rev. Chris Graham officiated. Burial followed in Eldorado Cemetery under the direction of Kerbow Funeral Home.

He was born March 30, 1903. in Coppell, Texas. He began his career as a high school football coach at Fair Park High School in Shreveport, La.; and later served as principal of the combined high school and grade school at Belcher, La. He moved with his family to Sonora in 1942 where he owned and operated several businesses and was active in civic affairs, including serving as mayor of Sonora and president of the Sonora Lions Club.

He was for several years county judge of Schleicher County and had served as county Democratic chairman. It was during his term

1991 Sonora Bronco Varsity Football Schedule

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Sept. 13	Junction	Here	8:00
Sept. 20	Ozona	Here	8:00
Sept. 27	Mason	There	8:00
Oct. 4	Ballinger	Here	8:00
Oct. 11	Kermit	Here	7:30
Oct. 18	Reagan County	There	7:30
Oct. 25	Colorado City	There	7:30
Nov. 1	Greenwood	Here	7:30
Nov. 8	Crane	There	7:30

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SOIL SCIENTISTS - Pictured from left to right are Wayne Gabriel from Uvalde, Dennis Williamson from Big Spring, Lynn Loomis from Uvalde, Rex Cochran from Alpine, and Tommie Lovelace from George West. These SCS soil scientists worked on the Edwards and Real Counties Soil Survey this summer.

Soil survey completes 480,000 acres during summer

Five soil scientists from the Soil Conservation Service (SCS) worked out of Sonora and Rocksprings on the soil survey in Edwards and Real Counties this summer according to Wayne Gabriel with the SCS in Uvalde.

The soil survey crew completed 480,000 acres of mapping this summer. A total of 1.2 million acres out of the 1.8 million acres in the two county area have been completed in the last 20 months.

Gabriel says most of Edwards County has already been soil surveyed so the emphasis in the coming year will be to survey Real County says Gabriel. The soil scientists will be contacting landowners for permission in the next 12 months.

One of our major jobs in the next 16 months will be collecting data on the composition of the soil surveys completed thus far. The soil scientists will be revisiting some of the areas they surveyed in the last 20 months to run transects to determine map unit composition.

Wayne says the cooperation and interest of the landowners in the soil survey has been outstanding so far. Most of the landowners are aware that knowing the soil resources on their property can be a valuable management tool in agricultural or wildlife operations.

Soil survey information is available on request from the Soil Conservation Service assisting the Upper Nueces-Frio Soil and Water Conservation District at Rocksprings, and the Edwards Plateau SWCD at Sonora. All Soil Conservation Service programs and services are available without regard to race, color, national origin, religion, sex, age, marital status, or handicap.

Water quality/quantity fact sheets available at SCS

A new set of water quality and quantity fact sheets are now available from the USDA Soil Conservation Service.

The leaflets summarize how farmers and others can reduce erosion while enhancing water quality and increasing water quantity.

Titles of the the fact sheet are: 1) Management ideas for farmers. 2) The farmer's guide to controlling erosion. 3) Improving water quality by managing animal waste. 4) A farmer's guide to managing nutrients. 5) A farmer's guide to pesticide management. 6) Choosing and using pesticides. 7) Managing animal waste: a water quality checklist for farmers. 8) Protecting water quality at home and on the farm: a water quality checklist for farmers. 9) Keeping sediment under control: a water quality checklist for farmers. 10) Managing nutrients: a water quality checklist for farmers. 11) Glossary of water quality terms. 12) USDA 1991 water quality projects.

Single copies of the fact sheet are available free at SCS offices.

To receive a copy by mail, send the name of the fact sheet you want with a self-addressed, stamped envelope to your local SCS office or to: State Conservationist, USDA-Soil Conservation Service, 101 South Main Street, Temple, Texas 76501-7682.

Sims to speak at range symposium

AUSTIN - Senator Bill Sims, D-San Angelo, is scheduled to appear at the Society for Range Management's symposium on "Managing Rangelands and Endangered Species: Compassion, Compatibility and Compromise" to be held in Austin on September 20, 1991. The symposium will be held at the Hyatt Hotel.

Sims will be presenting the private landowner's perspective in Session II, "Impacts of Endangered Species Legislation".



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by Marti McLain

With football season upon us, it seems that an "Only in Sonora" football story is timely.

People in other parts of the

for them and a San Angelo reporter took a picture of our superintendent, eating barbecued rib, and captioned it, "Fattening

before the kill." Obviously, Sonora was found the games still get a bit mistyeyed when they describe how those five "fifth year men" could play. In spite of the dire predictions of moralists, all five young men did not become degenerates because of

world do not realize exactly how much we love football in West Texas. Certainly, in Sonora, football has been responsible for much uncommon and abnormal behavior among the fans.

If you ever have to prove that Sonora football fans are the most devoted fans, just tell your friends the story of the famous "five from the forties."

In the forties, Sonora had a championship team that featured five seniors of extraordinary ability. The school, the coaches, the community, and the boys hated to see the season end. It was just too wonderful to give up.

When graduation time came around, most folks shed a tear or two because these five special athletes were leaving. The boys participated in graduation and received their diplomas. One of the five was valedictorian, one was salutatorian, and others received honors and awards. It was a sad day in Sonora when these top football players left.

The sadness was of short duration because the very next day, the school announced that a mistake had been made. It seems that all five boys had failed one semester of senior English, and none of the five had actually graduated.

The town rejoiced and the boys continued to work to stay in shape for football.

The next season found Sonora even stronger than before. With the five "fifth year men", the team was unbeaten. Other teams were disappointed to have to play these same boys again. They seemed to think that there was something rotten in Sonora.

The University Interscholastic League began and investigation into the situation. Rules were more lax then and not as strict, but even by the old standards, this was too much.

The committee came to Sonora, and the town turned out to "charm" the officials and to convince them that nothing wrong had been done. guilty of all charges and titles were forfeited.

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Most people in town regretted the outcome, but those who saw the cheating. Actually, all five have lived very moral, upstanding, productive lives. Two of them are presently living in Sonora.



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Sixty-one golfers enjoy scramble

Sixty-one golfers turned out to play in the Thursday afternoon scramble on August 27. There were three teams tied at 7 under at the end of play.

The team of Gene Thompson, Jeannette Thompson, Steve Anderson, Clyde Dukes, Joe Bob Ragsdale, and Dingo Ortiz won the putt-off when Steve sank his putt and none of the other teams could match his feat.

DeVoe Smith's team won second in the putt-off. Team members were Papo Sanchez, Tommy Sanchez, Tommy Sheppard, M. D. Shurley, and Mike Dillard.

Winning third was Ray Roe, Mike McBride, Juanita McBride, Don Deel, Savell Shannon, and Stacey Reiner.

Other teams and their scores were:

J. T. Hill, David Martin, Jane Archer, Steve Short, John D. Casparis, and Kevin Snyder at 6 under.

Steve Thorp, Willie Gutierrez, George Noriega, Ed Farr, Whiskey Hill, and Harvey DuRussell at 6 under.

Joe Turner, Oliver Wuest, Ed Price, Harold Martinez, Benita Martinez, and Mike Krieg at 5 under.

Virgil Burge, Randy Sparks, Shelly Shannon, Bob Snodgrass, Buddy Brown, Brian Cascadden, and Tom Green at 5 under.

John Barker, Vickie Barker, Allan Prather, John N. Casparis, Mike Moore, and Joe Moore at 4 inder

Eldorado First **Baptist Church** to celebrate

ELDORADO - First Baptist Church of Eldorado, Texas will be celebrating it's 90th anniversary September 14-15. Plans are under way to gather as many past members and friends of First Baptist as possible to help celebrate this special occassion.

Pastors who have ministered at First Baptist will be key note speakers. Music and fellowship will be an important part of the weekend celebration. Special events will include:

SATURDAY - 7:00 p. m. Sandwich supper on the parsonage lawn. Please bring lawn chairs.

SUNDAY - 8:45 a.m. Cowboy Continental Breakfast at the chuckwagon. 9:45 a. m. Joint Sunday School in the sanctuary. Children I - Adults. Members, past and present, will reflect on



Golfing news

Gary Hardgrave, Dwayne Swaringen, Richard Gonzales, Dick Hall, Freddy Garza, and Frances Tackel at 2 under.

Winning skins were J. T. Hill's team with a birdie on No. 2 and DeVoe Smith's team with an eagle on No. 6.

Golfers enjoy Labor Day scramble

The Sonora Golf Club hosted an 18 hole scramble and pizza supper on Labor Day. Sixty-four golfers participated.

Two teams tied with 15 under, and the winners were decided by a play-off on the course. The team of Ray Roe, Joe Turner, Melissa O'Harrow, Harvey DuRussell, Buddy Brown, and Ralph Mayer won first when they birdied No. 1, and the team of Mike Percifull, Marla Percifull, Papo Sanchez, Tommy Sanchez, Ricky Day and Norm Rousselot parred to take second.

The third place winners were Virgil Burge, Billy Bob Galbreath, Mike Krieg, Joe Casillas, and Shelly Shannon at 14 under.

Other teams and their scores were as follows:

Bob Jackson, Mike McBride, Juanita McBride, John Casparis, Manuel Munoz, and Kevin Snyder at 13 under.

PUBLIC NOTICE BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED **CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS** SPECIAL ELECTION

NOVEMBER 5, 1991

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 114 proposes a' constitutional amendment that would authorize home rule cities having a population of 5,000 or fewer inhabitants to amend their city charters by a majority vote of a city's qualified voters at an elec-tion held for that purpose. The amendment makes clear that home rule cities that have declined in population below the population required to initially adopt a charter may nevertheless continue to amend their charters.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment allowing home-rule cities with a population of 5,000 or less to amend their charters by popular vote.'

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 10 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to authorize the Texas Department of Transportation to expend money, from any source available, for the costs of the turnpikes, toll roads, or toll bridges of the Texas Turnpike Authority, provided that any monies expended from the state highway fund shall be repaid to the fund tolls or other turnpike revfrom

tion institutions, and youth corrections institutions, to repair and renovate existing facilities of those institutions and to acquire, repair, or renovate other facilities for use as state prisons or substance abuse felony punishment facilities. The \$1.1 billion is in addition to the \$900 million currently authorized by the constitution to be expended on bond issues for facilities of correctional and mental health and mental retardation institutions. The bonds would constitute a general obligation of the state. The bonds and interest on the bonds would be paid from the first money coming into the state. treasury that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution, less any amount in a sinking fund at the end of the preceding fiscal year that is pledged to payment of the bonds or interest.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of up to \$1.1 billion in general obligation bonds for acquiring, constructing, or equipping new prisons or other punishment facilities to confine criminals, mental health and mental retardation institutions, and youth corrections institutions, for major repair or renovation of existing facilities of those institutions, and for the acquisition of. major repair to, or renovation of other facilities for use as state prisons or other punishment fa-

Phil Browning, David Martin, Jane Archer, Mike Holley, James Edmondson and James Barton at 12 under

Jim Covington, John Barker, Vickie Barker, Mike Moore, Jerry Northcott, and Mike Dillard at 11 under.

Steve Tackel, Frances Tackel, Don Deel, Stacey Reiner, Wes Henson, and Freddie Virgen at 10 under.

Albert Bosmans, Alfred Enriquez, Clyde Dukes, Bill Savell, Harold Martinez, and Elizabeth Martinez at 10 under.

Bob, Harris, Orlando DeHoyas, Ed Price, Dingo Ortiz, George Noriega, and Sue Moore at 9 under.

Doyle Morgan, Willie Gutierrez, Sammie Espy, Wanda Neville, and Durwood Neville at 8 under.

Erasmo Lumbreras, Allan Prather, Pattie Prather, Savell Shannon, Kyle Nunn, and Jeannette Thompson at 6 under.

members of different political parties appointed by the governor from a list of at least ten names submitted by the members of the senate from each major political party; two members of different political parties appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives from a list of at least ten names submitted by the members of the house from each major political party; and two members of different political parties appointed by the lieutenant governor from a list of at least ten names submitted by the members of the senate from each major political party. A major political party is a political party required by law to hold a primary. With the exception of the initial appointees, commission members would serve for four-year terms. A member who has served for one term and any part of a second term would not be eligible for reappointment. The commission would be authorized to recommend the salary of the members of the legislature and may recommend that the salary of the speaker of the house of representatives and the lieutenant governor be set at an amount higher than that of other members. If the commission recommends a change in salary, the voters would be authorized to accept or reject the salary change at the next general election for state and county officers. If the voters approve the recommended salary, that salary would take effect January 1 of the next odd-numbered year; if the voters reject the recommended salary. no change in salary would occur. The commission would set the per diem of the members of the legislature and of the lieutenant governor. The per diem could be raised or lowered biennially as necessary to pay members' costs, but could not exceed the amount allowed as of January 1 that year as

New real estate glossary bridges English-Spanish language gap

COLLEGE STATION - Real estate transactions between speakers of English and Spanish now can be simplified thanks to a new glossary from the Real Estate Center at Texas A&M University.

"Many U.S. real estate terms have no direct counterpart in Spanish, yet an understanding of them is crucial as markets between the two cultures expand," explained Center Director Richard L. Floyd.

The 3.5x7 inch pocket guide defines 249 key real estate terms in English, with a Spanish translation immediately following. Even the most technical terms are defined in everyday language and examples are included for clarification.

"The glossary was compiled for brokers who have bilingual clients, metropolitan markets and international investors," said Floyd. "The need for this resource is tremendous, especially as the

not be exceeded and may not be renewed unless the right to exceed or renew is stated in the proposition. The legislature may enact laws necessary to implement the authority granted by a proposition. A law enacted in anticipation of the election on a proposition is valid if, by its terms, it is enacted subject to approval of the related proposition. State debt that is created following voter approval of a proposition and that is approved by the Attorney General is incontestable for any reason.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the voters of this state to consider state debt questions in the form of ballot propositions that must clearly describe the amounts, purposes, and sources of payment of the debt only after approval of the propositions by a two-thirds vote of each house of the legislature."

PROPOSITION NO. 9 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 11 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the commissioner of the General Land Office to issue patents for certain public free school fund land for which there is not a valid transfer of title from either the State or the Republic of Texas to a private party. A patent is a document of title issued by the state. On application to the School Land Board, a person is entitled to receive a patent if: (1) the land is surveyed public free school fund land, (2) the land was not patentable under the law before the adoption of this proposed amendment, (3) the person acquired the land without knowledge of the title defect out of the State of Texas or the Republic of Texas and held the land under color of title, the chain of which dates from at least January 1. 1941, (4) the person has a recorded deed on file in the county courthouse and, in conjunction with his predecessor in interest, has claimed the land for at least fifty years as of January 1, 1991. and (5) the person, in conjunction with his predecessor in interest, for at least 50 years has paid taxes on the land together with all interest and penalties associated with any delinquency. If the applicant is denied a patent, the applicant may file suit against the School Land Board in a district court in the county where the land is located within 60 days from the date of denial. The proposed amendment does not apply to beach land, submerged land. or islands, and may not be used to resolve a boundary dispute. The proposed amendment also does not apply to land found by a court to be stateowned or to land on which the state has given a mineral lease that is in effect when a patent is sought. A patent under this proposed amendment for land within five miles of mineral production shall reserve minerals to the state in the manner provided by law for reservations of minerals in sales to claimants of un-surveyed school land within five miles of production. An application for a patent under this proposed amendment must be filed with the School Land Board before January 1.1993. This proposed constitutional amendment is similar to the version of article VII. section 4A, that was in effect between 1981 and 1990. The main difference is that under the earlier version the applicant for a patent to land had to have a chain of title that dated back to at least as early as January 1, 1932.

Hispanic population continues to increase faster than any other racial or ethnic group in the United States.'

By the year 2000, Hispanics are expected to represent nearly 9.5 percent of the total U.S. population, up from about 8 percent in 1990. In the Southwest, these percentages are expected to be even higher. Many Hispanics are first or second generation Americans whose predominant language is Spanish.

The Real Estate Center celebrates its 20th anniversary this year. It was created in 1971 by the Texas Legislature to meet the needs of many audiences, including the real estate industry, instructors, researchers and the general public. The Center's comprehensive program of research and education yields publications, audiovisuals and computer software distributed widely under the slogan "Solutions Through Research."

on dissolution, the assets remaining after the discharge of the corpora-tion's indebtedness will be transferred to an entity providing water supply or wastewater service, or both, which is exempt from ad valorem taxation. The transferred assets must be property that is reasonably necessary for and used for water supply and wastewater services.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxes certain property of a nonprofit corporation that supplies water or provides wastewater service."

PROPOSITION NO. 11 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 8 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to pass laws to authorize the State of Texas to operate lotteries and to enter into a contract with one or more legal entities that will operate lotteries on behalf of the State of Texas.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing a state lottery."

PROPOSITION NO. 12 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 34 proposes a constitutional amendment that would increase the total amount of bonds that may be issued by the Texas Water Development Board to provide wholesale and retail water and wastewater facilities to economically distressed areas of the state. The proposed amendment increases the maximum principal amount of the bonds from 20 percent to 50 percent of the \$500 million amount authorized by article III, section 49-d-7, of the Texas Constitution. The proposed amendment would increase the maximum aggregate dollar amount of bonds that the Texas Water Development Board could issue from \$100 million to \$250 million.

the church's history with historical vignettes, songs, and messages. 10:40 a. m. Fellowship in our newly remodeled Youth Department. 10:55 a. m. Morning Worship Service and 12:00 noon Covered Dish Luncheon in Fellowship Hall.

For more information, contact First Baptist Church, Eldorado (915) 853-2662.



Monday, September 16 - Cream of wheat, donut, juice and milk. Tuesday, September 17 - Peanut butter & jelly sandwiches, fruit

and milk. Wednesday, September 18 Waffles w/syrup, sausage, jello and milk.

Thursday, September 19 - Cereal toast w/jelly, fruit and milk. Friday, September 20 - Scrambled eggs, cinnamon rolls, juice and milk.

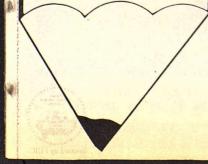
LUNCH

Monday, September 16 - Beef & cheese pita pockets, fried okra, lettuce & tomato, chocolate pudding and milk.

Tuesday, September 17 - Beef fajita, flour tortilla, vegetable salad, pinto beans, coconut pie and milk

Wednesday, September 18 - Meat loaf, au gratin potatoes, sliced peaches, roll and milk.

Thursday, September 19 - Burrito w/chili, fajita fries, waldorf salad. vanilla pudding and milk. Friday, September 20 - Chicken & lumplings, peas, glazed carrots, sugar cookies and milk.



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The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment mandating the repayment to the Department of Transportation of monies expended to assist the Texas Turnpike Authority in the construction, maintenance, and operation of turnpikes, toll roads and toll bridges.'

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 26 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the Veterans' Land Board to invest, as authorized by law, moneys of the Veterans' Land Fund which are not immediately committed to the payment of principal and interest on bonds issued by the Veterans' Land Board. the purchase of lands, or the payment of expenses. Investment of such moneys would no longer be restricted to investments in bonds or obligations of the United States. The proposed amendment would also authorize the Veterans' Land Board to invest, as authorized by law, moneys of the Veterans' Housing Assistance Fund which are not immediately committed to the payment of principal and interest on general obligation bonds issued by the Veterans' Land Board for the benefit of the Veterans' Housing Assistance Fund, the making of home mortgage loans, or the payment of expenses. Investment of such moneys would no longer be restricted to investments in bonds or obligations of the United States. The proposed amendment gives the legislature power to implement the amendment and to delegate such duties and authority to the Veterans' Land Board as it deems necessary.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to further implement and enhance the administration of the veterans' housing assistance and land programs and to expand the investment authority of the Veterans' Land Board."

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 4 proposes constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to authorize the issuance of a maximum of \$1.1 billion in general obligation bonds. The proceeds of the bonds are to be used to acquire, construct, or equip new prisons and substance abuse felony punishment facilities, mental health and mental retarda-

cilities."

PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 39 proposes a constitutional "amendment that would allow a county, junior college district, or municipality to exempt tangible personal property from ad valorem taxation if: (1) the property is acquired or brought into the state in an enterprise zone to be forwarded outside the state, (2) the property is assembled, stored, repaired, maintained, manufactured, processed, or fabricated in the enterprise zone, (3) the property is transported outside the state not later than 175 days after being acquired or brought into an enterprize zone, and (4) the person who acquired or brought the property into an enterprise zone is a qualified business. A county, junior college district, or municipality may exempt such property by entering into a written agreement with a qualified business that states the duration of the exemption and the terms on which the exemption is granted. Any action to exempt property must be taken before April 1 of the first year in which the property would otherwise be taxed. The term "enterprize zone" means an area that (1) has been designated as such by a state agency responsible for economic development, and (2) has pervasive poverty, unemployment, and economic distress. The term "qualified business" means a business that meets the qualification established by general law. and requires that the qualified business is actively engaged in a new business in the enterprize zone or is expanding a business that is already active in the enterprise zone. An enterprise zone is created to foster economic development in an area of pervasive poverty and unemployment.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the exemption for ad valorem taxes of certain property in an enterprise zone."

PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 8 proposes a constitutional amendment that would establish a Texas Ethics Commission with the powers and duties provided by law. The commission would consist of eight appointed members selected as follows: two members of different political parties appointed by the governor from a list of at least ten names submitted by the members of the house of representatives from each major political party; two

living expenses incurred in a legislative day in connection with a member's business as a legislator, disregarding any federal income tax exception for legislators residing near the Capitol. The commission would have other powers and duties provided by the commission's enabling act (Senate Bill 1, 72nd Legislature, Regular Session). The amendment would also provide that an increase in the emoluments of the office of Lieutenant Governor would not make a legislator ineligible to serve in the office of Lieutenant Governor.

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The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment creating the Texas Ethics Commission and authorizing the commission to recommend the salary for members of the legislature and the lieutenant governor, subject to voter approval, and to set the per diem for those officials, subject to a limit."

PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 6 proposes constitutional amendment that would allow the board of trustees of each statewide public retirement system to invest the funds of the system in such manner as the board considers prudent. The board would no longer be limited to investing the funds of the system in securities.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to allow the board of trustees of a statewide public retirement system to invest the funds of the system in a manner that the board considers prudent."

PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 21 proposes a constitutional amendment that would permit the legislature to create debt by or on behalf of the state if the legislature submitted the debt question to the voters of the state in the form of a proposition and a majority of those voting approved the proposition. The legislature may call the election, by joint resolution approved by at least twothirds of the members of each house, during any regular session or during any special session if the subject of the proposition is included in the Governor's proclamation for that special session. A proposition must clearly describe the amount and purpose for which debt is to be created and must describe the source of payment for the debt. The amount of debt stated in the proposition may

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the commissioner of the General Land Office to issue patents for certain public free school fund land held in good faith under color of title for at least 50 years."

PROPOSITION NO. 10 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 15 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to pass general laws to exempt property owned by a nonprofit corporation organized to supply water or provide wastewater service from ad valorem taxation. A nonprofit corporation would be eligible for the exemption if its bylaws provide that

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to increase from 20 percent to 50 percent the percentage of Texas water development bonds previously authorized by Texas voters that may be issued for economically distressed areas."

PROPOSITION NO. 13 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 2 proposes constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to pass general laws authorizing Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board or its successor to issue and sell up to \$300 million of general obligation bonds to finance education loans to students. The maximum net effective interest rate to be borne by the bonds would be set by law. The amendment would also authorize the legislature to provide for the investment of bond proceeds and to establish an interest and sinking fund to pay the bonds and provide for the investment of such fund. Bonds authorized under this amendment would be paid from the first money coming into the treasury in each fiscal year that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution, less any amount in an interest and sinking fund established at the end of the preceding year that is pledged to the payment of the bonds or interests.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of general obligation bonds not to exceed \$300,000,000 to continue existing programs to provide educational loans to students, with repayments of student loans applied toward retirement of the bonds.'

Estos son los informes explanatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitución que aparacerán en la boleta el dia 5 de noviembre de 1991. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252/8683 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, Texas 78711.

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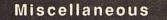
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