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Sonorans turn out to discuss prison facility

A town meeting was held Tuesday evening at Sonora High School to discuss the possibility of Sonora obtaining a state prison facility. Approximately 250 Sutton County residents were present, many with opinions already formed and many more who were unsure as to the positive and negative effects of such a facility.

Team Management Services (T.M.S.) representatives, C.W. "Buzz" McKethan and Billy Don Everett, first approached the city council with a proposal for services to assist the city in obtaining a state prison in May of this year. McKethan and Everett were present at Tuesday's meeting to answer questions concerning the proposal.

If T.M.S. assisted the city in obtaining such a facility, Sonora would have to pay \$60,000 to T.M.S. for its services. If successful, the city would then pay an additional \$100,000 selection fee to T.M.S.

Mayor Bill Gosney and City manager Pete Gildon have been in touch with Eldorado officials concerning the possibility of "sharing" the prison facility with them. This would mean that each entity, Sonora, Sutton County, Eldorado, and Schleicher County, would pay one-fourth of the fee to T.M.S. Eldorado officials were invited to attend the meeting, however, no one was present at the meeting to represent them.

Recently the State of Texas provided for funding of state prison facilities to reduce overcrowding in the state's prisons. According to the T.M.S. representatives, the state is in need of prison facilities in the South and West parts of Texas.

Local realtor, Martha Valliant McLain questioned T.M.S. representative Billy Don Everett about his recent involvement in the construction of a private prison facility in San Saba. This facility is not housing any inmates at this time and Ms. McLain questioned the possibility of the state purchasing facilities such as these, rather than building a new one.

The T.M.S. representatives stated that the private facility in San Saba, as well as some of the other existing private facilities that are not being used, do not meet the standards set by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. It would be possible for the state to purchase these facilities and bring them up to their standards.

Concern was apparent over the type of people a prison facility would draw into the community. Would the families of the inmates move in? How would our local crime rate be affected? What kind of work load would this put on our local law enforcement?

Sheriff Bill Webster stated that his office would be responsible for criminal matters that take place in such facility as well as any criminal matters in the county due to increase in population, etc. When asked if he would need additional help, he stated that the county would probably require at least two more people to handle the work load.

In a telephone interview with Gatesville Mayor, John Ward, he stated that with their four prison facilities they see very few families of the inmates moving into their town. He also stated that the inmates typically do not remain in Gatesville once they are released.

He went on to say that employees hired by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice (TDCJ) are usually the local citizens and these people are typically given top priority.

The employment issue also seemed to concern many citizens at the meeting. According to the proposal by T.M.S., the facility would employ approximately 260 people. The jobs would range from clerical to correctional to administrative positions.

With some of the more highly trained positions, it would be necessary for the TDCJ to bring in

their own people. For the positions such as prison guards, all

that is required is a high school diploma or equivalent, and those interested would be able to attend a course provided by the TDCJ or a community college in which they would be trained for this type of employment. It would take approximately six months to meet the qualifications for the guard positions.

Local businessman, Lynn Simpler, stated that he felt the prison facility would be good for Sonora. He explained that if he obtained the prison facility, it would set a "spinoff" around town and increase the economy of our small business community. He stated for example that if his trailer parks filled up, he would have the need to hire help and that this would probably be the case with several other small businesses in town.

Many of the residents questioned whether or not Sonora needed to hire a firm, such as T.M.S., to assist the city in obtaining a prison facility. It was pointed out that the process is very time consuming and expensive and there may or may not be anyone in Sutton County willing to commit to such a task without receiving compensation for their time. Political knowledge and connections in such an undertaking would also be very important in this matter.



Approximately 250 attended Tuesday evenings town meeting at the Sonora High School.

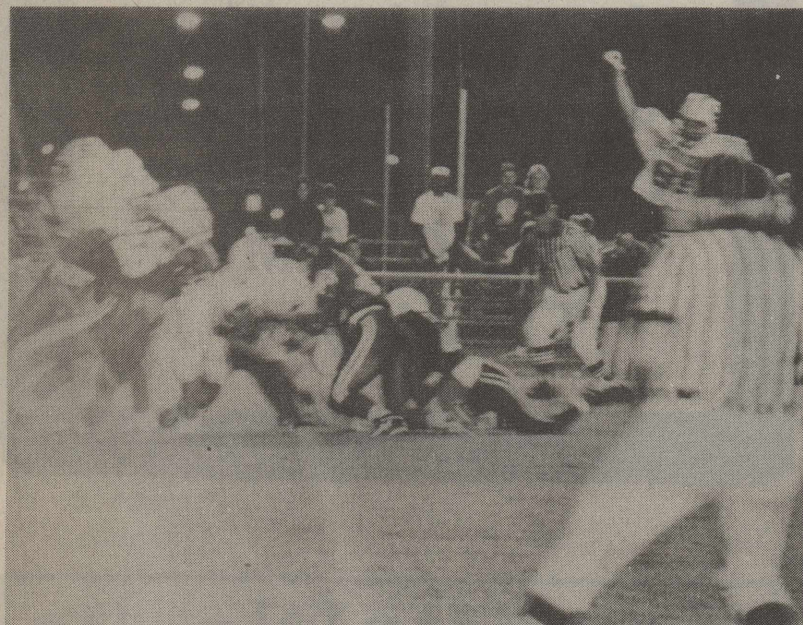
Near the end of Tuesday's meeting, Buck Bloodworth took the floor and stated that Sonora looked negatively at the oil companies (the same way as the prison facility is viewed now) when they began moving in and now the town looks at these companies in a different way.

The prison facilities the state will be building will be funded through our tax dollars, regardless of where the new facilities are located. Mayor Gosney ended the meeting by saying, "They're going to build these prisons and Sonora is going to pay for it whether its built here or not."

Though no one is sure what the next step will be, one thing is certain, Sonora definitely wishes to learn more about the pros and cons of such a facility and the majority of those in attendance are unsure if they are "for" or "against" a prison facility in this area.

In August, the city sent surveys out to all of the utility customers and of the ones returned, 74 were "for" the facility while 57 were "against" it.

It will be up to the community now to decide if they want to take a chance on this particular form of economic growth. Needless to say, there will be more discussion to come.



Larry Chalk (81) shows his enthusiasm as the Broncos regain the lead with this, the 1st of 2 touchdowns, in the 4th quarter.

Sonora Broncos beat Lake View Chiefs 19-10

The Sonora Broncos traveled to Lake View Stadium Friday evening to take on a big Lake View team. Size did not seem to make a difference though as the Broncos worked their magic.

Adam Youngblood started the scoring Friday night in the 1st quarter with a 57 yard run down the right side. The Broncos showed their great team work as they blocked out the Chief defenders to clear the way for Youngblood.

At the beginning of the 2nd quarter the Chiefs came back with a good series of plays moving from their own 30 into Bronco territory. With a little bit of razzle-dazzle the Chiefs scored a 45 yard touchdown off of an option pass to tie the score. The Chiefs then regained control after a fumble on the Bronco 23 yard line. The Broncos defense held fast however, and Lake View had to settle for a field goal to pull ahead of the Broncos 10-7. The Broncos threatened again towards the end of the half but

could not produce a score.

The second half, however, was all Sonora as the Broncos came out fired up and ready to go. The Bronco defense held Lake View to only 16 yards offense in the final half. Though it seemed like a tough defensive battle during the 3rd quarter the Broncos were threatening as the horn went off to signal the end of the 3rd quarter.

On the 1st play of the 4th quarter, Youngblood once again barreled his way through Lake View's defense to cross the goal line on a 6 yard run. This series of plays and touchdown seemed to cripple the Chiefs. The Chiefs were once again forced to punt.

The Broncos again went to work and with excellent blocking, and the running of Danny Mata and Youngblood, they managed to go to the Chiefs 19. The final score came as Brian Faris faked a handoff to Youngblood and bootlegged around the left side to bring the score to 19-10 in favor of the

Broncos.

Lake View once again tried to get something going only to be stopped by the quick hands of Larry Chalk as he intercepted a pass to shut the door. All that was left to do for the Broncos was to run out the clock with less than a minute left.

The Broncos looked good as they not only kept the holes open for the offense, but also as they shut down Lake View time and again.

The Broncos had 12 first downs, 258 yards rushing, and 29 yards passing for the night. Adam Youngblood had 166 yards rushing, followed by Danny Mata, 62; Brian Faris, 20; Tracy Crites, 5; Shannon Escalera, 3; and Sam Taylor, 2. Brian was 3 of 10 in passing for 29 yards to Larry Chalk.

This Friday the Broncos will face the Junction Eagles in Bronco Stadium at 8:00 p.m. Come out and support the Broncos as "Bronco-Mania" is off to another great season.

Burch has fond memories of her 26 years teaching

After 26 years of teaching, Margaret Burch, 2nd grade teacher for Sonora I.S.D., retired. She was honored at a reception Wednesday evening, September 5, at the Sutton County Steakhouse.

Her teaching career began in 1958 here in Sonora. After teaching 2nd grade for 2 years and 3rd grade for 2 years, she laid out of the profession to raise a family. Jack, her husband, was asked to come to San Antonio in 1961 to help develop the Natural Bridge Caverns and for a short while Mrs. Burch taught in a private kindergarten.

In 1971, Mr. Burch was asked to come back to Sonora to help with the caverns here once again. Mrs. Burch began teaching again in Sonora. She taught 2nd grade for a

couple of years and then kindergarten. She then moved back to the 2nd grade until her retirement this year.

Mrs. Burch says she has a lot of fond memories. She also said, "The support of the parents and students has always been great. Even more so in the past year."

The following is an excerpt from the Sonora I.S.D. teachers newsletter. "She has been an inspiration to all of the boys and girls that passed through her classroom. She greeted everyday as a new day with a smile and good humor. She was always willing to undertake any task asked of her, no matter how inconvenient it might be."



Children still can't resist the magic touch of Margaret Burch. Mrs. Burch is retiring after 26 years of teaching.

Spotlight on Sutton County EMS

Donna Keese

Donna Keese, EMT, has lived in Sonora for thirteen years, and works for Sonora Animal Hospital and member of the local fire department women's auxiliary. She joined the Sutton County EMS in March, 1984. Donna is married to George Keese and has two children, Jimmy and Dawn. She is an EMS Lecturer and Examiner for the Texas Department of Health, and CPR instructor for the American Heart Association.

EMS



Lions Club Auction to be held September 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 monies back into Sonora and Sutton County.

Unfortunately, many folk 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 is 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 \$300, Christmas in April \$200, Project Graduation \$200, and over \$1,500 is spent by the Downtown Lions supporting 4H in Sonora.

The Downtown Lions sent two Sonora young people to the Lions Cripple Children Camp at Kerrville, and spent \$1,800

supporting the camp. \$350 went to the District Eye Bank, \$200 to the Leader Dog for the Blind, and \$200 to Lions International.

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 4H 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.



Tony Smith stands with family members at his welcome home ceremony Saturday morning.



Wade Spain rounds the corner looking for a receiver.

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

Daisy's to meet

The Daisy Girl Scouts will be holding their first meeting of the year Wednesday, September 18th. The meeting will run from 2:45 until 4 p.m. at the Girl Scout Hut on Water St. and all kindergarten age girls are invited to attend.

special thank you for all my co-workers and to everyone that bought rodeo tickets from me. Thank you all for your support and encouragement.

Kathy Cooke

Halloween dance club to hold meeting

The Halloween Dance Club Meeting is set for September 24th at 7:30 p.m. at 405 E. 2nd St. All members are urged to attend. Officers will be elected and plans for the October 26th dance will be made.

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A note from the Editor

by M. Zimmerman

I personally had many questions concerning the proposed state prison facility that was the cause of the sometimes "heated" discussions at Tuesday's town meeting.

I suppose the most common question was that of what happens if someone breaks out of this "facility". True, bad things have happened to some residents of towns where these facilities are located. Cars are stolen, and in some cases physical violence has occurred. We watch network news, read major newspapers and we always hear of prison riots and numerous other acts of violence that take place in these "facilities". Now try to remember how often these occurrences take place. Where do they occur? Are we possibly forming opinions from television shows and our memory banks store the information in the "fact file" of our brains.

As much as my family and employees tire of it, I listen to the police scanner day in and day out, around the clock, in order to cover incidents that occur in our area and keep our readers informed. While listening to this scanner there is not a day that goes by that somewhere (usually on the Interstate) the highway patrol, sheriff's office, or local police are dealing with stolen vehicles, wanted individuals, etc., and most of these are no different, if not worse, than the convicted criminals serving time in the state prisons. Now in my opinion, I'm more concerned about these people roaming our streets freely than I am with those who are safely locked behind bars. In some instances,

these interesting people who pass through our town each and every day may very well be roaming freely due to the overcrowding in our state prisons at the present time.

In my conversation with Gatesville Mayor, John Ward, I brought up the questions about the type of person these prisons attract and the possibilities of the inmates staying on in the towns in which they've been serving time. Mr. Ward explained to me that he does not believe that the families of these detainees relocate to be near their husbands/wives. It is very difficult to compare one town to another, however, we need to find out more about other cities who have these facilities and get their opinions also.

During Tuesday's meeting, it was brought up that the TDCJ would not shop in local businesses, and the type of people who would be brought in by this facility's existence would not buy houses. While this may be true, the average family incomes will increase due to employment opportunities, and family budgets will allow more spending. Employees of the facility will be purchasing houses, cars and clothing, and many more items they might not have been able to afford previously.

At this point my opinion of the facility can easily be swayed. I am not sure if it would be good or bad. Maybe it would be both. Right now we need to learn more about these facilities and we need to use common sense and good judgement in our decision, "for" or "against".

Labor Day Golf 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.

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 Lumberras, Allan Prather, Patti Prather, Savell Shannon, Kyle Nunn, and Jeannette Thompson at 6 under.



Biscuits' Crumbs

by Biscuits O'Bryan

Somebody gave me a bunch of those hard, sweet little pears the other day, and, as soon as I get some time, I'm goin' to whip up a big batch of pear honey. I really think makin' jelly and preserves is a real hoot, and it got me to thinkin' about people who enjoy cannin' and preservin' stuff. I come to the conclusion that it's a lot more fun to put up food than it is to eat food that's been put up.

Think back on pantrys and food cellars you've been in. If your recollections are anything like mine, I bet you can remember jars of jellies and preserves that have been settin' on shelves so long that they've turned plumb black. Peach preserves and plum jelly really come to mind, 'cause they do tend to darken with age. From all I can tell, it don't really hurt the taste none too much, just the color. I know around the bunk house here at the I O Everbody Ranch, we got a couple a' hands who really like jelly, but most of us can take it or leave it. That don't stop me none from likin' to fix it, though. Prickly pear apples, algertia berries, mesquite beans, peaches, pears, crab apples and most everthing else but horse chestnuts end up in the pot and in jars, then set on the shelf 'til I find somebody who says they like the stuff.

Which brings to mind a real good use for all those jars of preserves, jams and jellies that you had to make, but ain't real inclined to gobble up. Them things make great Christmas presents. Folks always seem real proud to receive somethin' that somebody took the time to make from scratch in their kitchen. A gift of homemade goodies in jars always brings lots of "Ooh's" and "Aah's" when it's opened on Christmas mornin', and somebody always wants to head for the kitchen and make some toast to try out the just-got Kiwi-Lime-Mango Conserve or the Dewberry Fruit Leather. I'm serious! Folks get real excited about stuff like that at Christmas, even though they would pass the same thing by

without a glance at the grocery store. That's 'cause it was homemade, and that's gettin' to be rarer and rarer ever passin' year, and ain't that a sad commentary on the lifestyles of the rich and infamous. It's really come to be a big event that causes somebody to spend time in the kitchen fixin' somethin' that our grandfolks would've just taken for granted as bein' the only way to have it for the table. So if you really want to make an impression on somebody, fix up a batch of homemade jelly or preserves to send out for Christmas presents. Shoot, it don't matter even if it's just grape jelly made from store-bought grape juice and Certo. If it comes in a cannin' jar with a homemade label, you'll be a hit.

And if you're lucky enough to have somethin' fresh and home grown, then you're really in hog heaven. Here's how I'm goin' to fix

PEAR HONEY

The pears can either be peeled, cored, and ground, or (the way I do it) run through a Squeeze Strainer. Measure the smushed pears. For every 4 cups of pears add 3 cups of sugar. Cook over medium heat, stirrin' often, 'til very thick. For every 4 cups of pears you started with add 1/2 cup of crushed pineapple that's been run through a blender. Cook another 4 or 5 minutes. Put into sterilized jars and seal, followin' the cannin' directions.

I still ain't real sure how the pineapple does it, but it really brings out the flavor of them pears, and this stuff is gooder'n gold. "Even this ol' non-sweet eater loves pear honey, and I keep about as much as I give away. Now's the time to be thinkin' about home canned Christmas presents, so stock up on what you like to fix and get plenty of them fancy little jelly jars. Then be prepared to really impress them lucky folks who get the things you fixed with lovin' care in your most special room in the house—the kitchen. Y'all keep on cookin'!

Remember the
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Thank you

Community Calendar

September

- Friday-13th:** Broncos vs. Junction (here).
- Monday-16th:** Cub Scout Rally at the Jr. High snack bar 7 p.m.
- Tuesday-17th:** Lions Club Auction 6:00 p.m. at the 4-H Barn.
- Wednesday-18th:** Daisy Girl Scouts to meet at Girl Scout Hut at 2:45 p.m.
- Friday-20th:** Broncos vs. Ozona (here)
- Saturday-21st:** Wheels for life Bike-a-Thon for St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital. Contact Carol Sessom for more information.
- Tuesday-24th:** Halloween Dance Club meeting at 7:30 p.m. at 405 Water St.
- Friday-27th:** Broncos vs. Mason (there).

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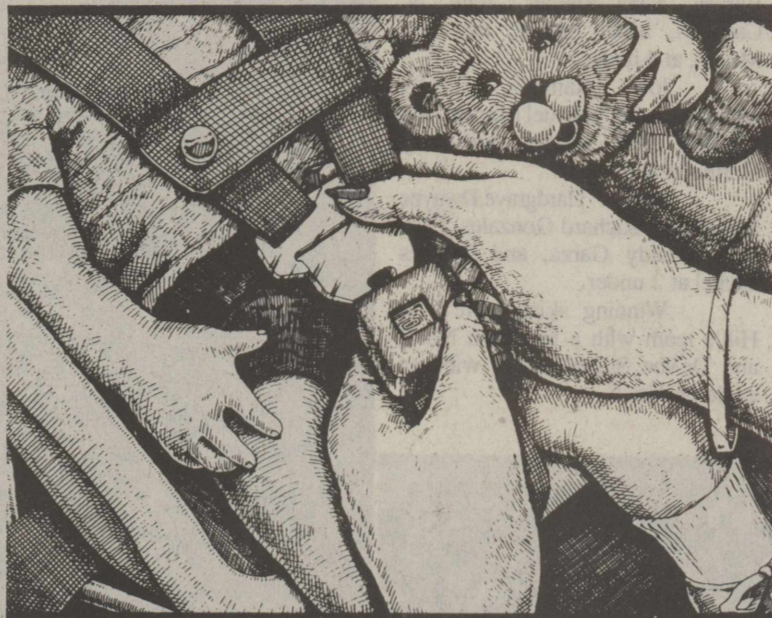


Merck - Strickland exchange vows

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 Boubassis 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 1987 graduate of Vernon High School and attended Odessa College. He is in the hay brokerage business. After a wedding trip to Cancun, Mexico, the couple will reside in Stephenville.

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- Titles of the fact sheets are:
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 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 sheets 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.

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The following are new books at the Sutton County Library: UH-OH by Robert Fulghum, FLOWERS IN THE RAIN & 7 OTHER STORIES by Rosamunde Pilcher, THE DOOMSDAY 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, 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.

Psychology



Cub Scout News

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 Hardgrave.

Taking your child to a baseball game can be easy to swallow, if you come prepared. Take plenty of sandwiches and snacks and a thermos of punch made with instant iced tea, pineapple juice and lime juice. That way, the call of "play ball" won't be drowned out by, "Dad, I'm thirsty."

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Sixty-one play in August 27 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 Harver 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

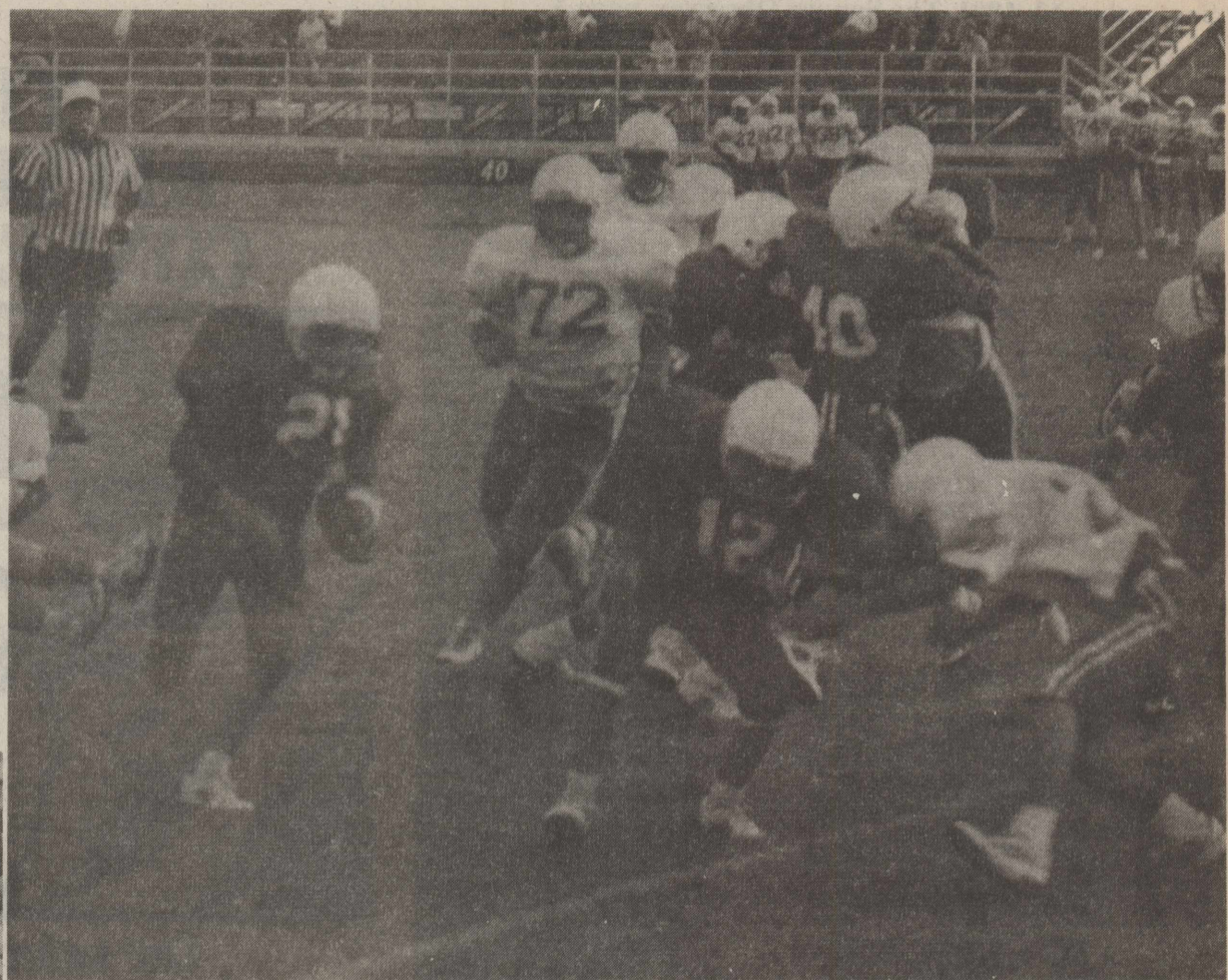
Snodgrass, Buddy Brown, Brian Cascadden, and Tom Green at 5 under.

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

Joe Ramirez, Billy Bob Galbreath, Manuel Munoz, Joe Casillas, John Adams, and Jerry Northcott at 4 under.

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.



Robert Trevino (21) rounds the right side as Wade Spain (12) throws a block to clear the way.



Armando Robles (77) attempts an extra point during Friday's game at Lake View.

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The Church of the Good Shepherd
Presbyterian
Worship Service-11:00 am
Church School-9:45 am
U.Y.F. Wednesday 6:00 p.m.
Choir Practice-Wed. 7:30
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

St. John's Episcopal Church
404 NE Poplar
Holy Eucharist-Wed. 7:15 p.m.
U.Y.F. Wednesday 6:00 p.m.
Morning Prayer M-F 6:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:45 am
The Rev. Monte Jones, Rector

First Baptist Church
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
Rev. Jim Stephen

New Hope Baptist Mission
Corner of Cornell & Savell St.
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

Sonora Tabernacle
United Pentecostal
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
Rev. Kenneth Doyle, Pastor

Jehovah's Witness
310 St. Ann's
387-2679 or 7-3947
English Meeting
Public Talk-10 am Sun.
Watchtower Study-11:55 Sunday
Theocratic School-7:30 pm Wed.
Service Meeting-8:15 Wednesday
Bible Study-7:30 Monday
Spanish Meeting
Public Talk-1:00 Sunday
Watchtower Study-1:55 Sunday
Theocratic Ministry-7:30 pm Tues.
Service Meeting-8:15 Tues.
Bible Study 7:30 Thurs.

First United Methodist Church
Sunday School-9:45 am
Worship-10:55 am
KHOS 92.1 FM-11:00 am
U.Y.F. Wednesday 6:00 p.m.
R.Clay Hall, pastor

Visit the Church of your choice this Sunday.

Church of Christ
Bible School-10 am
Worship-11 am
Sunday Night-6:30 pm
Wednesday Night-7:00 pm
Don Jones, pastor

Hope Lutheran Church
Sunday School-10:00 am
Worship Service-11:00 am
Thursday:
Adult Bible Class-8:00 pm
Charles Huffman, Pastor

St. Ann's Catholic Church
Saturday night Mass 7 pm English
Sunday Mass
8 am Spanish
11 am English
Holy Day Mass 7 pm
Rev. William DuBoisson

Primera Iglesia Bautista
Sunday School-9:45 am
Worship Service-11:00 am
Training Union-5:00 pm
Evening Service-6:00 pm
Wednesday Service 7:00 pm
W.M.U.-Sunday-2:00 pm
Between Santa Clara & Chestnut

Templo Jerusalem Asamblea de Dios
St. Ann's Street
Sunday School-10:00 am
Sunday Evening Serv.-5:00 pm
Wednesday Serv.-7:00 pm
Friday Prayer Meeting-7:00 pm
Daniel Diaz de Leon, pastor

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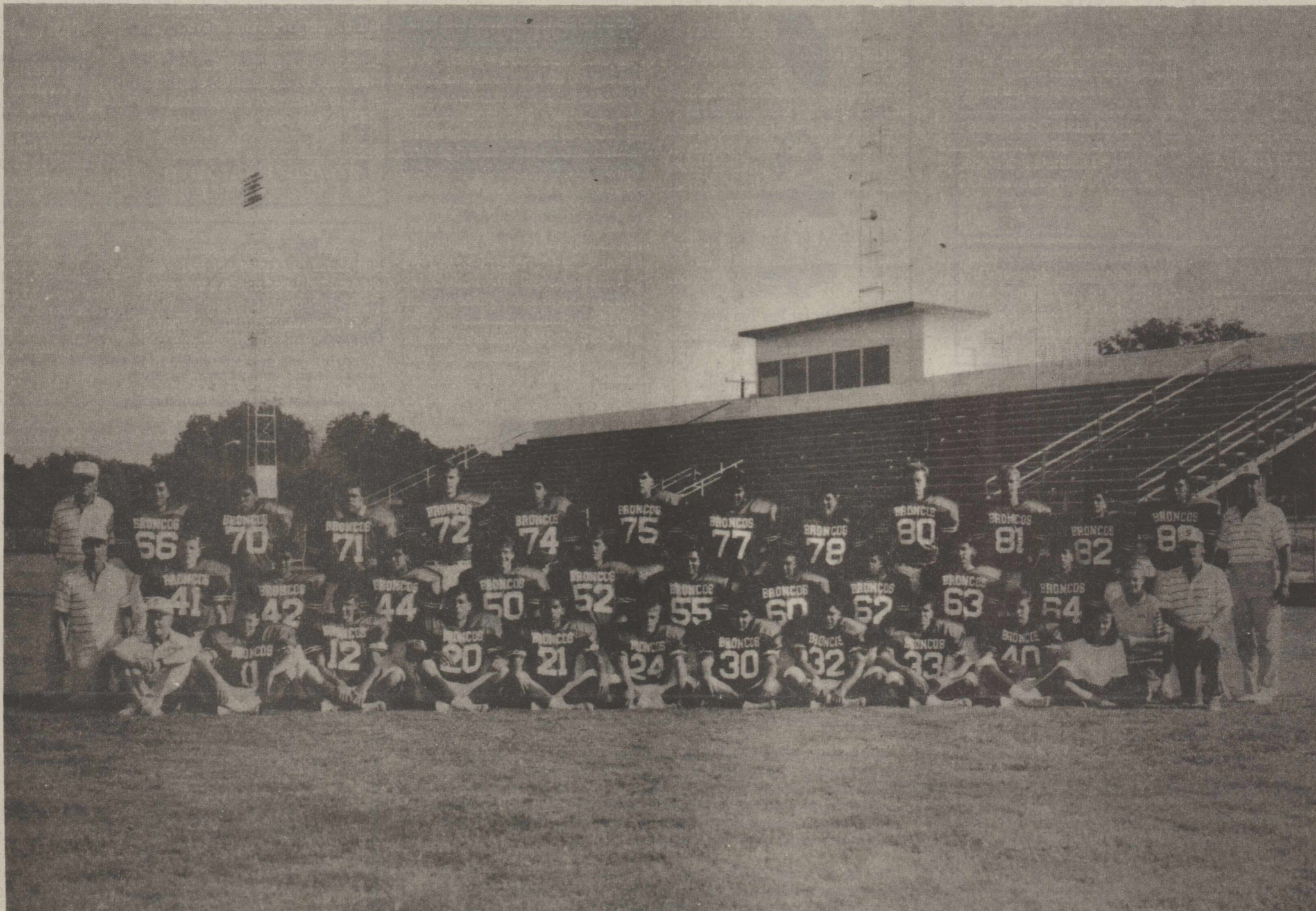
VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
September 6	Lake View	There	8:00
September 13	Junction	Here	8:00
September 20	Ozona	Here	8:00
September 27	Mason	There	8:00
October 4	**Ballinger	Here	8:00
October 11	*Kermit	Here	7:30
October 18	*Reagan County	There	7:30
October 25	*Colorado City	There	7:30
November 1	*Greenwood	Here	7:30
November 8	*Crane	There	7:30

**Homecoming
*District Games

Junior Varsity Schedule

September 5	Lake View	Here	6:30
September 12	Junction	There	6:30
September 19	Ozona	There	6:30
September 26	Mason	Here	6:30
October 3	Ballinger	There	6:30
October 10	Del Rio	There	6:30
October 17	Reagan County	Here	6:30
October 24	Eldorado	There	6:30
October 31	Del Rio	Here	6:30
November 7	Crane	Here	6:30



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