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NEW BANK PRESIDENT



David Winters elected president of the First State Bank of Brackett-ville.

At the annual stockholders meeting of the First State Bank of Brackettville, Wednesday, January 12, the following officers were elected: Mrs. Martha Petersen Bartberger, Chairman of the Board; David Winters, President; Virginia S. Lackey, Executive Vice-President (Inactive); Carlotta De La Rosa, Assistant Cashier; Betty Ward, Assistant Cashier; Gloria Jimenez, Assistant Cashier.

The following directors were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Martha Petersen Bartberger, Melba Bader, Gordon Lackey, Virginia S. Lackey, C. L. Orr, Vera Nash, David Winters, and Tommy Seargeant.

GOMEZ FUND STARTED

Lucio Gomez, an employee at Anderson's Texaco Service Station, was burned at the Friday morning fire of the station. A fund has been started to help Mr. Gomez and his family.

Those who wish to contribute may call 563/2446 if you would like to have your contribution picked up or drop it off at the Kinney County Land Office.

EDITORIAL BY GEORGE!

As we enter into this fourth volume of the Kinney Cavalryman (some people said we wouldn't make four issues), I think that it is time to reflect on our position.

I realize that we have not put out a newspaper comparable to some of the large cities . . . and that we have a lot of room for improvement . . . but as the guy said a while back . . . poor old William Randolp Hearst doesn't deliver his own newspapers either!!!

OUR BOO - BOO OF THE YEAR AWARDS.

TO THE city council for accepting \$132,000.00 in federal funds for building a lounge for the fire department ... (Out of taxpayers pockets).

TO THE Red Cross worker that suggested that our coordination center should be the school cafeteria.

TO THE School Board for not having the cafeteria.

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TO THE city, county and Fort Clark for their lack of cooperation on an airport for the area.

TO THE Chamber of Commerce for increasing women's lib and neglecting chamber national rules that says members and directors should come from the business community.

TO THE Commissioner's Court for voting their increase in salary which are now getting them voted out of office... Oh Yes! They also get the leaky jail, leaky swimming pool, and leaky civic center award... They also receive our annual DONE-THE-LEAST-AWARD.

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Our Gold Star BOO*BOO Award goes to the people that think they are going to be able to keep the news that belongs to the public from this newspaper!

And our FIVE STAR BOO*BOO AWARD GOES TO THE KINNEY CAVALRYMAN . . . The highest priced, most stubborn newspaper, that refuses to quit!

IN THIS COMING YEAR LET'S ALL WORK TOGETHER.

Brackettville Chamber of Commerce held it's ballot counting on January 17th to select four directors, those nominated were: Jimmy Bader, Molly Ardrey, Alfred Pena, Jean Seargeant, Lupe Pena, Ray Smallwood; also several write-in: Allen Kreiger, Jr.; Jesus Munoz; Mario Munoz; Roy Dyer; Don Hood; Henry Fuentes; Bud Gwartney. Those receiving the most votes were: Jimmy Bader, Molly Ardrey, Jean Seargeant and Ray Smallwood. These four people will join Travis Wilson, Miss Charles Wilson, Charles Koch, Dr. Tom Young, Walt Wagnon, Diane Pratt, Kathy Boltinghouse, Rich Adams as Director's for the 1977 year.

Officers are to be elected on Fedruary 1, 1977, the next Director's Meeting of the Chamber of Commerce.

MC BEE NAMED TO HOUSE ELECTIONS COMMITTEE

AUSTIN--Rep. Susan McBee of Del Rio has been named vice chairwoman of the Elections Committee and the procedural Calendars Committee by Speaker of the House Bill Clayton.

In addition, the second term legislator, will serve on the Agriculture and Livestock Committee.

Elections Committee will have the jurisdiction relating to matters of right of suffrage; primary, special and general elections in Texas; changes in the Texas Election Code and contested elections.

Calendars Committee has jurisdiction over all matters pertaining to the assignment of bills, resolutions and motions to appropriate House calendars.

She is one of the 11 members on the Agriculture and Livestock Committee which has jurisdiction over all matters pertaining to agriculture, horticulture, farm husbandry, livestock industry, the Department of Agriculture and the Animal Health Commission.

4-H & FFA STOCKSHOW

Nutrition knowledge and food preparation skills will get a test when the Kinney County 4-H Food Show gets underway January 28 at the Brackettville Civic Center. Approximately fifteen (15) youth will be competing in the senior, junior and preteen division.

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and the one wanting the channel

should courteously await the release of the channel.

Have yourself a good day all week. We'll be 10-10 till we catch you again. This is KOH-4856, the Sky Pilot; we'll be clear on this channel

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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Kathy Boultinghouse

January 24--Fern Dyer

Jimmy Bader January 25--Debbie Herndon

January 26--Martha Munoz

January 27--Lloyd Davis, Jr.

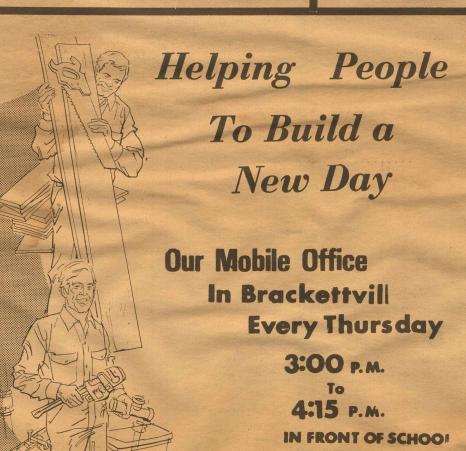
January 28--Jim Lindeman

BRIGHTEN UP THE DAY



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A Family Membership for Brackettville and Fort Clark residents is \$15.00 per year.

BRACKETTVILLE TEXAS For further information call: 563-2580.

BETWEEN US by: JOE TOWNSEND

There is a sense of insecurity, of frustration, of anxiety that is very wide spread. One of the major indences of this is the beginnings of a revival of interest in God, the church and religion in life. It is historically true in America that during times of depression, war and other oppressing factors the people come to be more interested in God. A recent survey shows that 94% of the people of the United States belive in God, 56% of the people feel their religious beliefs are very important, and 30% feel they are fairly important. Only 5% state they are not important The suprise in this is that in all categories, the emphasis on God and religion are higher than in a good many years. Though it is true this points to the feeling of people that there is a definite need of God and his way, it is also true historically that when people turn to God, things get better. The Bible says this will be true and history has proved it so. The closer a people walks with God, the better every facet of life will be.





Rotary Foundation

Rotary International District Governor Joseph P. Blanks has announced the availability of a Rotary Foundation educational awards for young people in his district for study abroad during academic year 1978-79. The awards cover the costs of language instruction, transportation, food, lodging, and tuition.

Rotarians are looking for scholars who are well-rounded, articulate, outgoing people who can interpret their homelands as well as absorb the cultures of their country of study. Candidates must apply for the awards by March 1, 1977 through local Rotary clubs where they reside or study.

The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International, the world's oldest service club association, seeks to promote international goodwill and understanding. Its awards programs are supported by voluntary contributions of Rotarians and others worldwide.

The Foundation's awards are placed into five categories, the largest of which is the graduate fellowships. Each graduate fellow must be twenty through twenty-eight years old and have earned the equivalent of a Bachelor's degree.

Students who have completed only two years of study on the university level may apply for the Foundation's Undergraduate Scholarships. Applicants may not be married and must be eighteen through twenty-four years old.

Technical Training awards are available to people who have the equivalent of a secondary education and have worked for two years in a technical field. In the past, students have studied vocations from beekeeping to hydrofoil construction. Technical Training awardees must be twenty-one through thirty-five years old.

Also available are awards for teachers of the handicapped and journalists which are granted to winners of a world-wide competition of candidates sponsored by Rotary clubs. In 1978-79, the journalism awards program's first year, the Foundation will grant twenty awards. Up to 120 Teachers of the Handi-

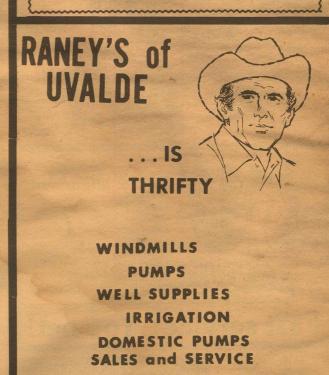
capped awards will be presented the same year.

Teachers applying for this award must have the equivalent of a secondary school degree, have worked with the handicapped for two years, and be twenty-five through fifty years old.

Applicants for journalism awards, if students, must have completed at least two years of secondary education in journalism. Professional applicants must have been working for two years and be twenty-one through twenty-eight years old.

Over the next three years the Foundation's trustees have committed over \$22 million for their programs. And in concert with their motto of "Service Above Self," none of theprogram's awards can be made to Rotarians or their families.





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GRANTS SCHEDULED FOR ARTS AND HUMANITIES

The spring deadline for grant application to the Texas Commission on the Arts and Humanities is February 1, 1977. Matching grants are available to nonprofit organizations in Texas which are engaged in, or sponsor arts and humanities activities in the state.

Priority is given to projects which develop community sponsorship and management, and to programs which encourage artistic excellence, professionalism, sound management, and community impact. The Commission strives for even geographic distribution, and applications from small communities are encouraged.

The Commission offers financial assistance for education programs, touring programs, and community development programs. Publications, festivals and workshops may also receive financial support.

Inquiries about deadlines and application procedures should be directed to the State/Community Division with in the Commission.

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Following the "Gourmet Foods" theme, youth from the Brackettville 4-H Clubs will prepare main dishes, side dishes, breads and desserts, or snacks and beverages. "A gourmet food is an unusual food served on special occasions or a common food served in a unique or unusual manner," according to Becky Rogers, County Extension Agent-at-Large. Four participants each in the preteen, junior and senior division will earn the right to represent the county is the District 4-H Food Show in Uvalde, the February.

Youth ages 14-18 will compete in the senior division, while the junior division contest involves ages 11-13 and preteens are 9 and 10 year

Food Show contestants will set up displays between 6:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. The public is invited to attend the Awards Programs which will begin at 8:00 p.m. followed by a Tasting Tea.

"Because our foods program emphasizes nutrition, contestants will be asked to demonstrate knowledge of nutrition, meal planning, food buying, and meal service as well as the ability to prepare food," Ms. Rogers explained.

4-H members have been studying foods and nutrition in project groups taught by volunteer adult and junior leaders. Serving as 4-H Foods and Nutrition Project Leaders are Mrs. achel Daniels, Mrs. Barbara Voss Mrs. Debbie Esser, Mrs. Don Packer, Miss Kaye York, Miss Kimberly Trant, Mrs. Jean Gallegos, and Miss Veronica

Kinney County 4-H Food Show is sponsored by the Morrison Milling Co. in cooperation with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M'University System.

Texas Agricultural Extension Service Programs are open to all, regardless of race, color, creed, sex, religion, national origin or socioeconomic levels.

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Scorers: Richard Martinez Albert Fuentes Roman Saenz

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TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN OFFICES. XXX XXX XXX 2 424 25. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices 250 None 26 27. Mortgage indebtedness. None None None 28. Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding . . 30. TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)..... 32. Preferred stock a. No. shares outstanding None 32 33. Common stock a. No. shares authorized XXX XXX XXX 50 155 116 35. Undivided profits . . . None 36. Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves . 321 37. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 36) 38. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 30, 31, and 37). MEMORANDA 1. Average for 15 or 30 calendar days ending with report date: xxx xxx xxx a. Cash and due from banks (corresponds to item 1 above) Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell (corresponds to item 8 above) Total loans (corresponds to item 3a above) Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices (corresponds to Memoranda items 3a plus 3b below) 2 986 Total deposits in domestic and foreign offices..... (corresponds to item 24 above) Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase (corresponds to item 25 above). Other liabilities for borrowed money. . . . (corresponds to item 26 above) None 2. Standby letters of credit outstanding as of report date None XXX XXX XXX 3. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices outstanding as of report date: a. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more Albert Postell, President

Name and title of officer authorized to sign report is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this report of condition at belief is true and correct. Notary's Seal A copy of the bank's statement, clipped from the newspaper, should be attac of this form and sent to the FEDERAL RESERVE BANK

BICENTENNIAL GRANTS AVAILABLE

ARLINGTON -- The American Revolution Bicentennial Commission of Texas has announced that the U.S. Bicentennial Administration will release a final matching grant of up to \$15,000 to each state.

The money is to be granted to an endorsed Bicentennial entity in the state -- a community, county, university, or state association.

Other stipulations for receiving the money are that it must be matched on a dollar for dollar basis with nonfederal funds by the entity applying for the funds, that it be used for only one project, and that the project be completed by June 30, 1977.

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STATE BAR REPORT:

AUSTIN - Students interested in a career in law should be aware that there is no shortage of lawyers in Texas and the job competition is tough, according to a new State Bar of Texas publication announced today by State Bar President Gibson Gayle, Jr. of Houston.

"Job hunting is very competitive because approximately 2,000 new lawyers are licensed in Texas each year," warns the brochure entitled "You, Your Career and the Legal Profession." It adds: "Law graduates should be ready to consider a full range of employment options if they are to be successful in their job search."

The brochure, prepared in cooperation with the University of Texas Law School Placement Office, was produced as a public service by the State Bar. Individual copies may be obtained free, and bulk orders may be made at a cost of \$4.00 per 100 plus shipping costs, from: Law Pamphlet, State Bar of Texas, P.O. Box 12487, Austin Texas 78711.

Gayle said the brochure was prepared to meet the growing interest in law careers.

"Intensified news media coverage of legal topics, along with increased emphasis on career education in public schools, have heightened student curosity about the various types of careers in law," Gayle said.

The brochure outlines educational requirements for lawyers, cost of legal education, and the differing careers available to law graduates,

including:

Private practice--ranging from a one-person law office to associating with a firm of more than 100 lawyers, with practice opportunities including such office legal work as preparation of contracts and wills or court appearances to represent a client or argue an appeal.

Corporate law-employment in the law department of a large business, performing legal work varied as the activities of the company.

Government employment—
including federal, state or
local government jobs involving
such activities as hearings
conducted by a regulatory agency,
prosecution of criminal defendants, representation of government agencies in court, drafting
regulations or ordinances, and
evaluating the legal aspects of
policy decisions or other
actions by a governing body or
its administrator.

Alternative practice-representation of individuals
and groups generally not
involved in the legal system,
such as the poor, ethnic
minorities, consumers and
citizen environmental groups,
through such organizations as
legal services programs or
public interest law practices.

Academic positions--including law professors, law librarians, editors and administrators.

Military service--legal offices of the armed services offer benefits which may be more appealing to new lawyers in a time when legal employment opportunities are limited.

Other opportunities--including use of a law degree in other fields such as journalism,

industry, advertising, banking, politics, administration or accounting.

The brochure also includes the names and addresses of all eight law schools in Texas and a list of books helpful in understanding the various types of legal careers.

NURSING TEST SLATED

UVALDE--New students interested in entering the vocational nursing program at Southwest Texas Junior College here will need to take the National League of Nursing pre-entrance examination at 8 a.m. January 29 at the college Health Clinic.

The four-hour examination will consist of general information, judgment, mathematics, reading comprehension and vocabulary. A \$7.50 examination fee will be collected at the time of the test.

A 2 p.m. tea following the examination will be given for all prospective students by the present vocational nursing class at the college. At that time the one-year curriculum, expenses and all requirements will be explained.

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Signature of Chief Executive
William Mendeke, Mayor
Name and Title

THE GOVERNMENT OF BRACKETTVILLE CITY

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 ✓ (D) TRUST FUND REPORT (refer to instruction D 1. Balance as of June 30, 1976)) \$	3,691
2. Revenue Sharing Funds Received from July 1, 1976 thru December 31, 1976	\$	4,444
3. Interest Received or Credited (July 1, 1976 thru December 31, 1976)	\$	0
4. Funds Released from Obligations (IF ANY)	\$	0
5. Sum of lines 1, 2, 3, 4	\$	8,135
6. Funds Returned to ORS (IF ANY)	\$	0
7. Total Funds Available	\$	8,135
8. Total Amount Expended (Sum of line 15, column B and column C)	\$	2,660
9. Balance as of December 31, 1976	\$	5.475

(F) THE NEWS MEDIA HAVE BEEN ADVISED THAT A COMPLETE COPY OF THIS REPORT HAS BEEN PUBLISHED IN A LOCAL NEWSPAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION. I HAVE A COPY OF THIS REPORT AND RECORDS DOCUMENTING THE CONTENTS. THEY ARE OPEN FOR PUBLIC SCRUTINY AT

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by: JOE TOWNSEND

It is now definitely time to trim your roses. They are dormant but usually don't stay that way very long. Certainly all the dead limbs should be cut out. Any limbs that are overly long or unshapely should be cut back. Care should be taken so that as new growth comes, the bush slopes up into a well ordered bush that displays the flowers to the best advantage.

Generally the more severely the rose is trimmed, the more luxuriant will be the new growth. The root system that led to the original growth will be able to sustain and develop much new young growth which should lead to many months of

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In addition, the money must be used for a specific project and not for planning or development.

Applications should be mailed to the ARBC of Texas, Suite 210 University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, Texas 76019, and must be received by February 1, 1977.

Information may be obtained by calling (817) 461-1776. This is the final Becentennial grant to be released by the federal government, which utilizes funds received from the sale of official U.S. Bicentennial medallions.

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FEBRUARY	87	21	52	0.06
MARCH	93	38	65	0.28
APRIL	95	37	66	4.95
MAY	92	40	66	3.95
JUNE	100	62	81	0.52
JULY	98	61	78	13.86
AUGUST	101	63	82	0.58
SEPTEMBER	97	56	76	2.07
OCTOBER	92	31	61	4.34
NOVEMBER	81	19	50	1.87
DECEMBER	78_	20	49	2.20
Average	91.33	38.58	64.58	34.80

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	Inches	Year
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FEBRUARY	8.14	1949
MARCH	6.00	1923
APRIL	7.45	1900
MAY	15.00	1914
JUNE	22.32	1899
JULY	13.86	1976
AUGUST	11.50	1971
SEPTEMBER	11.36	1958
OCTOBER	10.34	1907
NOVEMBER	5.25	1907
DECEMBER	4.64	1937

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Studies showed that some customers call Directory Assistance 25, 50 or 100 times a month from their homes. Some businesses yet, 75 percent of the numbers requested were in the telephone directory

Yet, the cost of excessive use of Directory Assistance was borne by all telephone rate-payers. Thus, we introduced the charge because it is the only way we can handle the rising costs of Directory Assistance fairly. The people who use Directory Assistance the most will now pay the most.

Here's how the plan works:

Customers with single-line basic service who call Directory Assistance (1411) more than 10 times during a monthly billing period will be charged 20 cents for every call after their tenth. A maximum of two numbers may be requested during each call to Directory Assistance. Multi-line customers will have an additional allowance of one call for each line, up to 25 lines.

The Directory Assistance Charge also applies to calls for numbers in other towns within your home Area Code — with one

important exception. You won't be charged for calling Directory Assistance in another town that has the same Area Code as yours provided you make a corresponding Long Distance call within your home Area Code. That call has to be placed from and billed to your own phone within the same monthly billing cycle.

To request numbers in other towns with the same Area Code as yours, continue to dial 1-555-1212.

There is no charge for requesting numbers that have a different Area Code than yours. Just dial 1, plus the Area Code, then 555-1212

Also, there is no charge for Directory Assistance calls from coin telephones or from hospitals.

Some customers not charged.

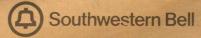
Visually and physically handicapped people who are unable to use the directory will be exempt from the charge. If you think you, or someone in your family, or a friend may be entitled to this exemption, please fill out the coupon below for more information

If you're like most people, you'll never be affected by the Directory Assistance charge. In fact, in cities where Directory Assistance charging was already in effect with a five-call allowance, only 5 percent of customers were ever charged each month.

More importantly, 95 percent were not. This certainly indicates that 10 free calls a month will more than meet your needs if you can't find a number in the directory.

So look in the book before you call. It will save you 20 cents that we don't want.

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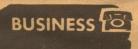
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