

HISTORIAN ADDRESSES CLUBS



CHARLES SPAIN, PRESIDENT OF BRACKETTVILLE LION'S CLUB, AND MISS ELSIE SAUER, OF THE KINNEY COUNTY LIBRARY, greet Texas Historian and Author Robert H. Thonhoff prior to Mr. Thonhoff's talk and slide show on Texas history.

Robert H. Thonhoff noted Texas historian presented a program at the Brackett ville Country Club, Thursday, June 16, on "Texas in 1776." The meeting was hosted by the Brackettville Lion's Club with guests from the Library Committee and Rotary Club.

Miss Elsie Sauer was instrumental in the arrangements for Mr. Thonhoff's presentation.

New Officers



NEW LION'S CLUB OFFICERS WERE SWORN IN AT THE LAST MEETING, JUNE 16th, AT the Brackettville Country Club.

Front row left to right: Ray Robinson, President; Francis Larson, Secertary Treasurer; Bill Johnson, Director; Charles Ward, Director; Back row: Hal Landrum, 1st Vice-President; Dick Fuller, Tail Twister; Marion Wills, Director. (EDITOR'S NOTE: A number of the new officers were not available when this photo was taken.)

Seminole Grave Dedications

Seminole descendants from widely scattered locations were in Brackett-ville Sunday for the dedication of grave markers for four Congressional Medal of Honor winners who are buried in Seminole Indian Scout Cemetery, west of town.

William Warrior of Del Rio is the leader of the Seminole Scout group who planned the dedication of markers for the graves of Sgt. John Ward, Trumpeter Isaac Payne, Pompey Factor, and Adam Paine.

Speaker for the occasion was Clyode I. Brown for Del Rio, who has done special research work on the Seminole Scouts.

The Ceremony was held at 11 a.m. Sunday in the Seminole Cemetery.

An honor guard was provided for the occasion by Laughlin Air Force Base.

Col_Lawrence Garrison, wing commander, and Col Jesse W. Campbell attended the ceremony along with other dignitaries, Warrio said. Ian Hancock professor of English at the University of Texas in Autin with a group of his students were on hand. After the dedication, a barbeque was held at the old school in Brackettville which the Seminole Scout Organization bought.

After the ceremonies, and dinner the students presented selections in the language of the South comprised of mixtures of African dialects; some Gullah appears in the Seminole dialect.

Rev. Harvey Kinchelow of Uvalde, who also serves as pastor for the Grace United Methodist Church in Del Rio attended the ceremony and had a group who sang.



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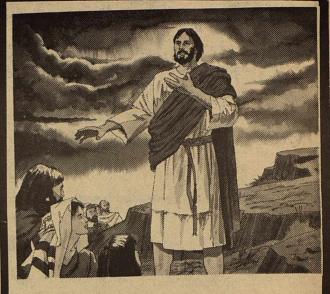
THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN MEN AND BOYS IS THE PRICE OF THEIR TOYS.

TIPS FOR GREEN THUMBS by:

JOE TOWNSEND

A number of people have asked me about tomato plants this time of the year. Tomatoes should be producing by this time. If normal weather prevails tomato plants will not do well now. There are generally two gardening periods a year-spring and fall. Somethings will grow anytime but the bulk of vebetables do better in the spring or in the fall. It's not too early to began planning you fall garden. Count about 120 days for your vegetables to grow to maturity and produce. Our average first frost comes in the last part of November. This would mean your fall garden should be planted August 1 or there abouts. Tomato plants should be

available about that time. You can grow squash, cabbage, brocolli, brussell sprouts, turnips, carrots, beans, tomatoes and et al. It would be useless to plant peppers, okra, blackeyed peas, cantaloupes or watermelons that late. Its surprising how much good fresh vegetable eating one can enjoy from a fall garden.



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GUILLERMO LEOS KNOCKS FIRST HOME RUN
OF THE SEASON

Smiling as he crossed home plate to receive congratulations from his team mates, "Memo" Leos was the first to chalk up a home run this year. The ball sailed across the center field fence. If happened at the top of the sixth inning with Memo's Giants trailing 6 to 2. Leos knocked in Robert Brown, then Roger Brown came in for a final score of Rams 6, the Giants 4. Pitching for the red shirted Rams was Johnny Cadena with Walter Dyer going all the way for the Giants. Scoring for the Rams were Richard Jaso-2, James Benites-1, David Benites-1, Louis Waddell-1, and Eloy Garcia-1. Getting two nice hits was Conrad Veltmann.

In a high scoring first game, the Yankees out scored the Lions 15 to 14. The Lions were leading at the bottom of the 2nd inning 9 to 7, but the Yanks came on strong in the 3rd inning with 6 runs. The Lions had a good rally going and looked like a tie ball game, but failed to score. Yankees scoring included: Martin DeHoyos -3runs, 2 hits, Carlos Guajardo-2 runs, 2 hits, Eddie Garcia-2 runs, 2 hits, Jeff Burgess-2 runs, 1 hit, and scoring one apiece were: Jesus Pena, Robert Gallagos, Norma Terrazas, George Villareal, Steve Pena, and Gilbert Gallagos. The Lions under the coaching of Lingo Sandoval had Seth Kaplan-3 runs, Robert Longoria-3 runs, Kenny Perry-3 runs, Greg Sandoval-2runs Phillip Pena, Paul Flores, and David Hensley all had one run a piece.

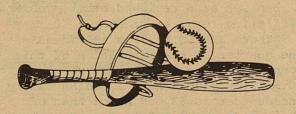
JUNE 20----

LEOS KNOCKS TWO MORE HOMERS

"Memo" Leos cut loose again in this high scoring game to blast two home runs from the Giants. Leading his team mates Memo scored -3 runs, Sweet-3, Robert Brown-3, Terrazas-1, Dyer-1, Sanchez-1, Voss-1 and Roger Brown with 1 run, making the score Giants 14, and the Lions 1. Robert Longoria pitched for the Lions and made the Lions'lone run. Robert Brown and Louis Terrazas shared pitching duty for the Giants.

The Rams and Yankees played a heads up ball game with the Rams coming out on top 8 to 3. Waddell led his team on the mound all the way while the Yankees used Burgess, Villareal, and DeHoyos at the plate. The 4th inning the Rams scored 4 of their 8 runs, Rams scorers were: David Benites-3, Richard Jaso-2, Veltmann-1, Waddell-1, and Garcia-1. Yankees scoring were Martin DeHoyos, Carlos Guajardo and Jesus Pena. Johnny Cadena played a heads-up ball game with his Rams.

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Deaths

ETHEL DEPOISTER BERRY SUCCUMBS

Last rites were held for Mrs. Ethel Depoister Berry, June 17, 1977, in the St. Andrew's Episcopal Church with Rev. Melton Brown officiating and burial in Eagle Pass.

Mrs. Berry, 91 year-old Brackettville lived his entire life in Brackettville. resident was born November 2, 1885, in Gonzales County. She had lived in Brackettville for 35 years after moving here from Eagle Pass.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Lillian Sheedy, a sister, Mrs. Ouida Woodward of Houston, and Grandsons-Plunker Sheedy of Brackettville, Hayes Berry of Cheyenne, Wyo. and great grandchildren.

WARNER L. "Crickett" BROWN RITES HELD AT SEMINOLE CEMETERY

Rite for Warner"Crickett" Brown was held Monday, June 20, at the St. John Baptist Church with burial in the Seminole Indian Scout Cemetery.

He was born February 27, 1907, and

Survivors include two daughters Mrs. Jo Ann Perry and Mrs. Hattie Mae McCullum of Odessa; one son, John Leslie Brown of Leesville, LA.; three brothers-Elmore Williams of Colorado; Sgt. Robert Kiffett of Hawaii; Roland Kiffett of Kerrville; three sisters-Mrs. Clara Bell July of Brackettville Zula Mae Parker and Stella Goodloe, both of Kerrville, sixteen grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

MARCELLUS HUFFPOWER RITES SET

Marcellus Huffpower, 84 year-old resident died in his home Sunday, June 19. Rites will be held Saturday, June 25, 1977, in the Doran Funeral Home in Del Rio with burial in the Seminole Indian Scout Cemetery, west of town.

He was born on August 23, 1892, in Victoria, Texas, and moved to Brackettville where he spent most of

He served in the United States Army in World War I and was a plumber under Civil Service until his retire-

Survivors are: two sisters, Mrs. Eleanor Gant and Mrs. Genevieve Lott both of San Antonio; one brother, Roosevelt Huffpower of Houston; and adopted daughter Mrs. Mary Lou Johnson of Middletown, Texas, and seven grandchildren.

Semator Lloyd Bentsen

Watching Washington

BENTSEN OPENS SECOND DAY OF RURAL HEARINGS CITES LACK OF ADEQUATE MEDICAL CARE

WASHINGTON, D.C. -- Senator Lloyd Bentsen said Wednesday that a shortage of doctors make the very existance of medical care a critical problem for rural America.

Bentson, Co-Chairman of the Joint Economic Subcommittee on Economic Growth, presided Wednesday over a second day of hearings into the economic problems of rural America.

"Rural counties average less that

60 doctors per 100,000 people, compared to over 200 doctors in large cities." Bentsen said in his opening

"In my own State of Texas we have 23 counties, at last count, without any physicians at all. We have 49 counties that have been designated 'critical health manpower shortage areas" by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare."

"While cities are legimately concerned about the quality of medical care, the overriding concern in many rural areas of this country is simply the existence of medical care," Bentsen

Bentsen also reviewed other problems afflicting rural Americans.

"There are 60 million Americans-one quarter of the population of this country--living in rural areas. These 60 million people have a median family income that is \$3,000 below that of their city cousins, "the Senator said.

"THese 60 million Americans own one-third of the homes in this country, but they have one-half of the substandard housing--houses without plumbing or in a dilapidated condition."

"These 60 million Americans suffer a poverty rate that is 50 percent higher than the poverty rate in big cities, "Bentsen said.

"The rural communities of our great country have been neglected far too long. For decades, they have failed to share in the growth of this country and it is time to reverse that. The continued balanced growth of our economy requires that rural Americans have a share," Senator Bentsen said.

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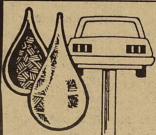
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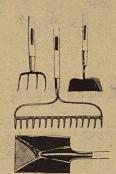
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The 62nd Annual convention of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raiser's Association offers a little something for everyone.

Set in the Inn of the Hills, Kerrville, on Friday and Saturday, July 22-23, the convention promises a full slate of activities including receptions, dance, the Annual Banquet, and awards ceremony, scenic and historic bus tours, as well as the business meeting that make the entire affair legimate.

Registration begins at 9 a.m. Friday and continues through 5 p.m. The Texas Animal Damage Control Association will meet in the morning, followed by the past president's luncheon at 11. Committee meetings will begin at 1 p.m. with the Predatory Animal Committee, the Wool and Mohair Marketing and Promotion Committee and the Tax and Labor Committee.

Later that afternoon, the Health and Product Development and Natural Resources Committees will meet, followed by the Districts of 6 and 11 Caucuses and the General Resolution Committees at 5p.m.

A reception will be hosted by the American Cyanamid Company is set to begin at 7:30, a western dance to follow at 9 p.m.

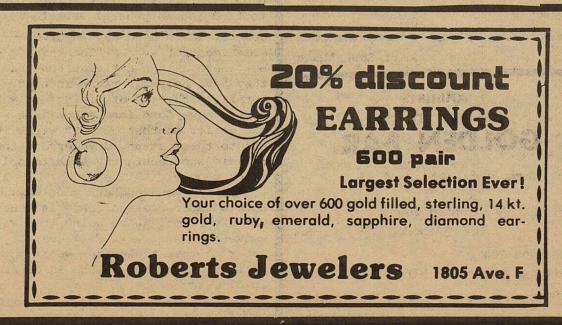
Saturday's activities include the convention general session featuring Rep. Jim Nuget, keynote speaker. Tom Indart, past president of California Wool Growers and current Tresurer of National Wool Growers Assocation, will report on NWGA activities. Past TS&GRA president Sutton Allison, San Angelo, is scheduled to outline current activities of the American Sheep Producers Council Wool and Lamb Committee.

Howard Derrick, Eldorado, past TS&GRA president and immediare past president of ASPC, will report on the Lamb Promotion Coordinating Committee, and current Mohair Council of America president, Sid Harkins, Sanderson, will outline MCA highlights including the recently concluded International Mohair Association meeting in San Antonio.

The general session and an American reception will precede the Annual Banquet, set at 8 p.m.

Banquet speaker will be recently appointed Texas Commissioner of Agricultural Reagan V. Brown, and awards, including the coveted Earwood Memorial Award, will be presented at the banquet.

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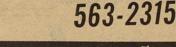
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All the good numbers your way. Have a super weekend. This is KOH 4856, The Sky Pilot. We're going this way we've been that way. We'll catch you later on this boulevard—we're out of it for now and will be 10-10 and 10-8. C-You.

SHEEP AND GOAT INDUSTRY NEWS.....
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How about those scenic and historic tours? They're part of the Woman's Auxiliary program, but the men are welcome to, as long as their schedules tally. The Friday tour will leave the Inn of the Hills at ll a.m. for a trip to Fredricksburg and will include stops at three restored Sunday houses, other points of interest and lunch at a German restaruant. The Auxiliary Advisory Board will meet later that afternoon.

Saturday bus tour will take in the unforgettable YO Ranch and a Guadadlupe River drive. The Auxiliary will meet at Riverhills, Kerrville's newest country club, for a luncheon and short business meeting. A tour of the James Avery silversmith shop is scheduled to follow. Reservations for the Auxiliary tours must be made by July 10.

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HONORS FOR 4-H ADULT LEADER--Dr. Daniel Pfannstiel, (left) director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and J.L. "Curly" Hayes of Abilene, trustee for the Texas 4-H Foundation, present a plaque to Ray Smallwood (center) of Brackettville, a Kinney County Adult Leader and one of 2 leaders honored from Extension Service District 13 during the State 4-H Roundup at Texas A&M University, June 8. Also receiving a plaque during an adult leader luncheon was Mrs. Mary Howard of Medina County. The special awards were given to 28 volunteer leaders from across the state for "Distinguished service to Texas youth" in the program arranged by the 4-H Foundation in cooperation with the Agricultural Extension Service, the Texas A&M University System.



4-H HORSE SHOW DUE IN DEL RIO

DEL RIO-- Approximately 200 horses and contestants are expected to compete in the annual District 13 Horse Show to be held in the Val Verde Fairgrounds on June 24-25.

Halter judging will begin at 2:00 p.m., June 24, (Friday) and performance events will start at 8:00 a.m., June 25 (Saturday).

The 20 boys and girls who earn the highest number of points by exhibiting horses at halter and in performance classes will be eligible to compete in the State 4-H Horse Show scheduled in Houston July 27-30.

District 13 Extension Agent Doyle Moore of Uvalde will certify the winning contestants, and Shorty Russell of Brownwood will judge the show.

Performance events will include reigning, western pleasure, western horsemanship, pole bending and barrel racing. Special awards will be presented to winners in each of the 14 classes and a silver buckle to the high point contestant in the show.

Ninteen counties in the District have sent advance registrations for the show to make it one of the largest events of its kind in Texas.

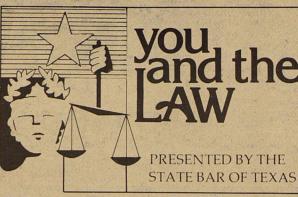
Those 4-H Club members that will be praticipating in the District 4-H Horse Show from Kinney county include: Lashawn Wardlaw, Leisha Wardlaw, Tana McCarty, Rex McCarty, Doug McCarty, Seth Kaplan, Warren Voss, Joel Voss, Brenda Foust, Debbie Latham, Ginger Shamblin, and Robert Lopez

Between Us

by:

JOE TOWNSEND

Recently a man called for local information about Alamo Village. In the midst of the conversation he asked what it cost to go in. I told him I din't know. Another voice chimed in "It cost--and it ain't worth it". The tones were acid and antagonistic. Another group stopped by the Shop to ask about Alamo Village. I told them I thought they would enjoy it. They went out that evening and stayed around so they could go back the next day and stayed all day. I can understand how some people do not enjoy some things -- "Soap Operas" including Mary Hartmann to me are sickening boob tube spectacles. But unless some people enjoyed them they couldn't remain on the air. One of the big problems of life is that fact that so many people want to harness others to their way of thinking, I'm sure to a degree we are all guilty of this. How much better the world would be and how much mor pleasant life would be if every person recognized the rights and privileges of others. When the man said "It ain't worth it" he really meant it was not worth it to him. By his attitude I'm sure he finds many many things that "Ain't Worth It." But that is his privilege--he would be more accurate to say, "It ain't worth it to me." If it were not worth it to many many people there would be few to enjoy it. It's never a mark of intelligience to make decisions for another.



Q: If a woman remarries, does she need to have her will revised to show her new

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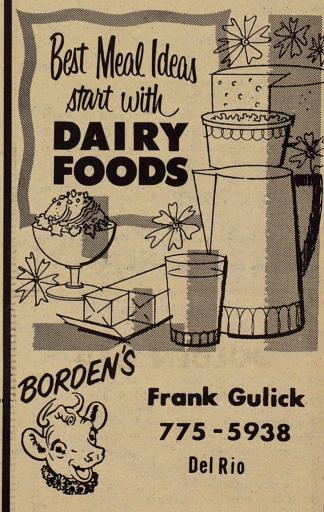
cord of my birth. What can I

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Choice business lot in excellent location in Brackettville's business section.

/ELTMANN 563-2811

DUNNAM 563-2752

Dairy King Building for rent for Office or Small Business. Contact Dale Borden 563-2555.

FOR SALE

FORT CLARK MEMBER IN NEW ORLEANS WANTS TO SELL MEMBERSHIP---MAKE OFFER--CALL 504-393-8295 or Write: Ken Burke, 2172 N. Lexington, Gratea, LA. 70053

LAST CHANCE

MUST SELL MY FORT CLARK MEMBERSHIP... Assume balance of \$1900.00 plus \$700 cash or any reasonable offer. Write P.O.Box 161, Copper Mountain, Colorado 80443 or call (303) 668-2882, Ext. 325.

KINNEY COUNTY LAND CO

563-2446 or 2447

10 to 25 ACRES across from Rodeo Arena: on Pinto Road. Several Partials with City water.

988 ACRES east of Brackett, Frontage on Hwy 90--Wells--Barn--Mobile Home-Excellent Hunting -- LOW DOWN PAYMENT.

COMMERICAL and RESIDENTIAL LOTS in Brackettville--GOOD FINANCING.

SMALL FARMHOUSE on 5 acres--12 mile from Brackettville.

SEE US FOR BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES IN BRACKETTVILLE....





ST ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

HOLY COMMUNION & SERVICE 8:15 a.m.

Rev. Milton Brown

PUBLIC NOTICE

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT RIO GRANDE ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC., (THE "UTILITY") INTENDS TO CHANGE RATES FOR ELECTRIC UTILITY SERVICE EFFECTIVE JULY 25,1977, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS PERMITTED BY LAW. THE CHANGES ARE APPICABLE TO ALL AREAS TO WHICH THE UTILITY PROVIDES ELEC-TRIC UTILITY SERVICE. ALL CLASSES OF CUSTONERS ARE AFFECTED BY THE PROPOSED CHANGES. THE PROPSED RATES WILL EFFECT A THREE (3%) PERCENT INCREASE IN THE OPERATING REVENUES OF THE UTILITY BASED UPON THE TWELVE-MONTH PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31,1976 AS THE ADJUSTED TEST YEAR.

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROPOSED CHANGES IS SUJECT TO APPROVAL BY THE APPROPRIATE REGULATORY AUTHORITY. A STATEMENT OF INTENT INCLUDING THE PROPOSED REVISIONS OF TARIFF AND SCHEDULES AND A STATEMENT SPECIFYING IN DETAIL EACH PROPOSED CHANGE, THE EFFECT THE PROPOSED CHANGE IS EXPECT-ED TO HAVE ON THE REVENUES OF THE UTILITY AND THE CLASSES AND NUMBERS OF UTILITY CONSUMERS AFFECTED IS ON FILE WITH THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMIS-SION OF TEXAS, AND THE CITY OF DELL CITY, TEXAS.

THE STATEMENT OF INTENT IS AVAIL-ABLE FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION AT THE GENERAL OFFICE OF THE UTILITY LOCATED AT BRACKETTVILLE, TEXAS.

EARNEST CASSTEVENS ATTORNEY FOR THE UTILITY

CHURCH OF CHRIST

9:30 a.m. SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:30 a.m. MORNING WORSHIP 7:00 p.m. EVENING WORSHIP 7:00 p.m. WEDNESDAY SERVICES

ST MARY MAGDALENE CATHOLIC CHURCH

SUNDAY MASSES

8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES

7:00 a.m.

(except Wednesday)

6:30 p.m.

Septemeber thru April May thru August

7:30 p.m.

Saturday

CONFESSIONS HEARD

4:00 p.m. -- 5 p.m. 7:00 p.m.--8 p.m.

BRACKETTVILLE UNTIED METHODIST CHURCH

SUNDAY MORNING SERVICES ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

11:00 a.m. 9:45 a.m.

KENT L. KEPLER

775-1541 DelRio

Pastor

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

SUNDAY SCHOOL

9:45 -- 10:45 a.m.

MORNING WORSHIP 11:00 -- 12:00

EVENING WORSHIP 7:00 -- 8:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

PRAYER, BIBLE STUDY, CHURCH TRAINING 7:00 --- 8:00 p.m.

RAY GAGE Pastor