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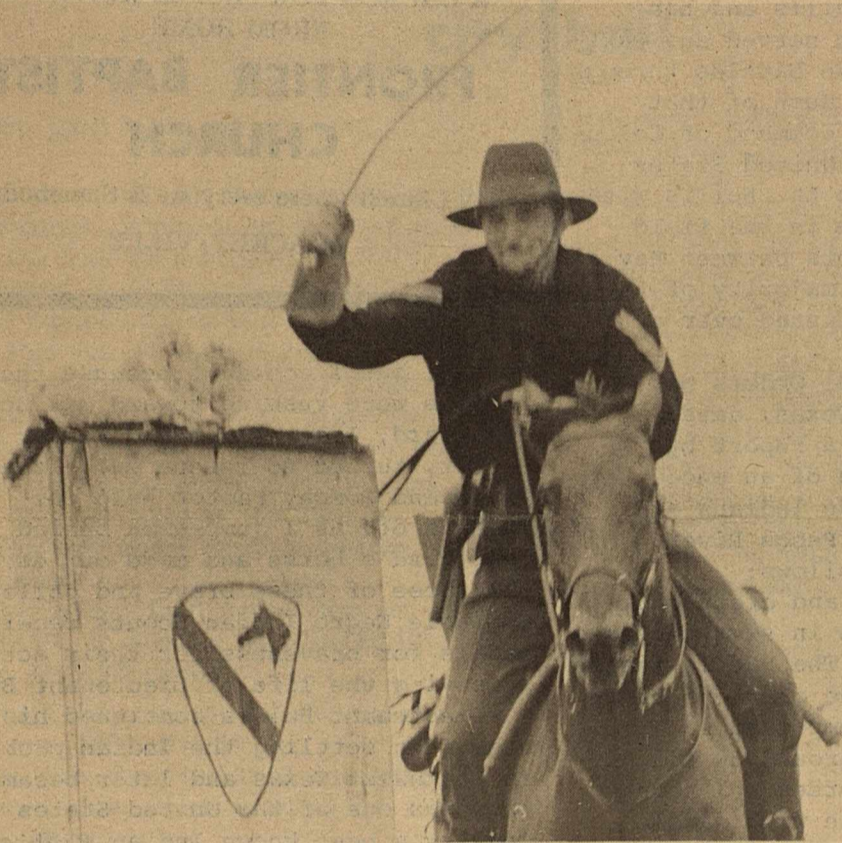
JULY 29, 1977

BRACKETTVILLE, TEXAS

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THE FAMOUS "WATER MELON CHOP" WILL BE ONE OF THE FEATS PERFORMED AT A DEAD GALLOP BY MEMBERS OF THE HORSE PLATOON THIS WEEKEND, COMMEMORATING FORT CLARK AND BRACKETTVILLE'S 125th ANNIVERSARY.

"FORT CLARK DAYS" WILL BE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

County to Receive Public Works Funds

Governor Dolph Briscoe today announced the awarding of \$152,292 in Local Public Works Program Funds to Kinney County.

The funds will help in the construction of a new community facility in Brackettville, including a clinical services building and a courthouse annex. It is estimated the project will provide 10 job opportunities.

This project is one of 34 projects in 23 Texas counties approved by Governor Briscoe in accordance with the provisions of the Public Works Employment Act of 1977. The Act provided \$11,309,000 to the Governor for allocation on a statewide basis. It is estimated the 34 projects will employ 2,200 people, with construction to begin within 90 days in most cases.

The Public Works Employment Program is designed to assist areas experiencing high unemployment, to provide immediate employment opportunities for the unemployed and to assist governmental entities in financing such projects.

"Fort Clark Days"

FRIDAY-JULY 29th

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| 11:00 a.m. | Frontier Village Opens for Business |
| 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. | Army Mess Test For Lunch |
| 1:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. | Pioneer School (Grades 1 thru 6)
Adults & Children |
| 2:30 p.m. | Medicine Man |
| 3:00 p.m. | The Magic Of Las Moras Springs
Old Fashion Chuck Wagon Dinner
Serving the Famous B-B-Q Of Southwest Texas |
| 3:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Indian Dancers |
| 4:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. | Judge Advocate, Robert E. Lee,
Lt. Col., U.S. Army will arrive
at Fort Clark to hold trial in the
Judges Stand. (Historic Lee Courthouse) |
| 5:00 p.m. | Arrival of famous 1st Cavalry Horse
Platoon of Fort Hood, Texas |
| 5:30 p.m. | A Square Dance Demonstration by the
Kinney County Kickers in front of
Museum. |
| 6:00 p.m. | Retreat at Museum led by 1st Cavalry Unit
(In Uniform) |
| 8:00 p.m. | Old Fashion "Hoe Down" Street Dance
will be held in front of Equestrian
Center. Special dignitaries are planning
to be at this event. |

SATURDAY — JULY 30th

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| 9:30 a.m. | Parade (Around Quad Area) |
| 10:00 a.m. | Frontier Village Opens |
| 10:30 a.m. | 1st Cavalry Horse Platoon
Demonstration (Behind Museum) |
| 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. | Army Mess For Lunch |
| 1:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. | Pioneer School Classes |
| 1:00 p.m. | Old Fashion Chuck Wagon Lunch
Serving The Famous B-B-Q of Southwest
Texas |
| 2:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. | Trial — Judge Advocate, Robert E. Lee,
Lt. Col., presiding. Judges Stand,
Lee's Courthouse. |
| 2:30 p.m. | Pony Express Arrival — Mail Delivery
and Pick Up. |
| 2:45 p.m. | "Pot O Gold" drawing \$12,500.00 in cash
to be given away behind the Museum. |
| 3:00 p.m. to 3:30 | 1st Cavalry Horse Platoon
Demonstration (Behind Museum) |
| 3:45 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. | A salute to the Seminole Indian Scouts
at Seminole Indian Burial Grounds.
A tribute to our friends from Mexico and
Presentation in Honor of General
Quinones, Coah, Mexico. (Lower
Quad Area) |
| 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. | Retreat — Main Flag Pole
(Lower Quad Area) |
| 6:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. | Big Texas B-B-Q At Pool Area |
| 6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. | The Kinney County Kickers Square
Dance Demonstration (Swim Park) |
| 8:30 p.m. | "Dance Under The Stars" (Swim Park) |
| 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. | Live Music Sponsored by Your Assoc. |

SUNDAY — JULY 31st
MEXICO FIESTA DAY

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| 9:00 a.m. | Church Service At The Amphitheater |
| 10:00 a.m. | Frontier Village Opens |
| 10:00 a.m. | Old Mexico Fiesta
Opening Ceremony — General Quinone
Games, Mariachi's (Swim Park) |
| 10:30 a.m. | Charros From Del Rio
(Behind Museum) |
| 10:30 a.m. | Pioneer School At The Village |
| 11:00 a.m. | Indian Dancers At The Village |
| 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. | Authentic Mexican Buffet Served
At The Swim Park |
| 12:00 Noon | Village Closes |
| 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. | Historical Home Pilgrimage |

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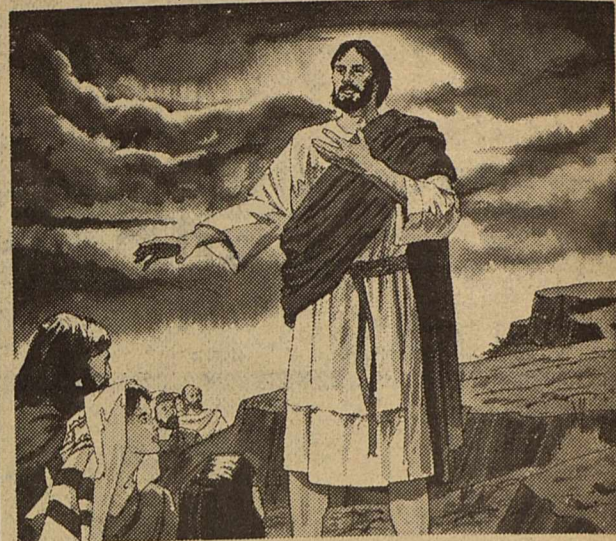
Seminole Scouts
To Be Honored

A salute to the Seminole Negro Indian Scouts will be held on Saturday, July 30th at 3:45 p.m. at the Seminole Indian Burial grounds, located South of Fort Clark Springs in conjunction with the Fort Clark Days Celebration.

The Seminole Scouts played an important roll in the Settlement of Southwest Texas along the Mexico Border. They were first enlisted as a Body in Texas, August 16, 1870 at Fort Duncan on the Rio Grande River. The Seminole Indians at that time were living in Mexico and were invited by Captain Perry to cross into Texas and enlist. Three years later, these scouts were to be stationed at Fort Clark under the leadership of First Lieutenant John L. Bullis. Bullis and his Seminole Indian Scouts served and participated in many Indian battles throughout Southwest Texas. Much of that service was under the command of Colonel R.S. Mackenzie, 4th United States Cavalry, which credits Lt. Bullis with twenty five scrimmages in the field with the Seminole Scouts between May 1873 and June 1881. A majority of the scouting expeditions lasted over a month in duration.

According to General Orders No. 10 of the Department of Texas, dated May 12, 1875, relates a report by Lieutenant John Bullis of an encounter with a band of Renegade Indians attempting to cross the Pecos River. The report reads as follows:

We tied our horses and crept back of a brush, up to with in seventy five yards of the Indians. The battle lasted for approximately three quarters of an hour before we were compelled to give way as they were all around us and had cut us off from our horses. I regret to say that I lost mine with saddle and bridle. Three scouts ran to their



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horses, but I couldn't because the Indians were rushing toward me, Scout John Ward, Izaac Payne and Pompey Factor, turned to rescue me. Izaac Payne and Pompey Factor held the Indians off as I jumped on behind John Ward's horse and made our escape. All three of these brave and gallant Seminole Negro Indian Scouts received medals for braveness for their actions in saving the life of Lieutenant Bullis.

Lieutenant Bullis continued his orders in settling the Indian problems in Southwest Texas and later became known as one of the United States Cavalry's best known Indian Fighters.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Long, Jr. are the parents of a son, born Tuesday, July 26, 1977, at 8:30 o'clock in Del Rio hospital. He weighed 6 lbs. 1 ounce and has been named Josh L. Long. He joins J.L. Long, a brother 3½ years.

His Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Pat Rose, Jr. of Brackettville and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Long of Colorado City. His proud Great-Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Pat Rose, Sr. of Del Rio and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Reisinger of San Angelo.

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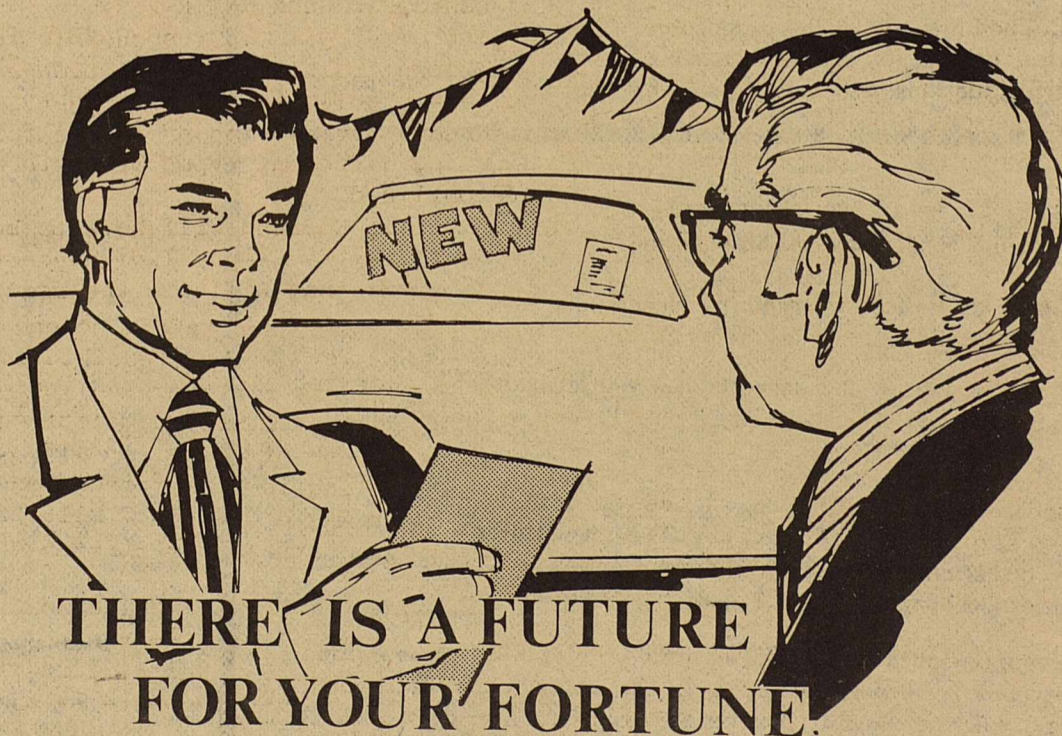
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BUDGET AND TAX RATE

Both the 1977-78 Budget and Tax Rate were tentatively approved at a special meeting of the City Council, July 26, 1977. The General Fund Budget was met by cutting off \$46,000.00 earmarked for Solid Waste, this was do to a report by Williams, who just returned from a Solid Waste Seminar that the time lag in the approval of the permit was from 7 months to a year.

Williams told the Council there was no reason to raise taxes at this time as we do not know yet where we're at on the Solid Waste matter.

The general fund budget was set at \$78,567.70, an increase of \$10,144.42 for the 1977-78 period.

The Utility Budget for the same period was \$161, 070.52.

The Tax Rate for 1977 was left at the same figure, which is \$1.50 per hundred at 40% valuation.

Both the Budget and Tax Rate will have their final hearing and approval at the regular meeting, August 8, 1977.

DANCES

The Council issued orders to enforce the resolution calling for security persons at all Public Functions and Dances. The cost of these persons will be borne by the promoter, who will have to be deputized by the City.

The Secretary was ordered to inform all establishments where dances and gatherings were held of this Ordinance.

The Chief of Police was told to close any Public Dance, etc.; that did not obey these rules.

City of Brackettville
July 25, 1977
RE: Solid Waste
Honorable Mayor and City Council

Sirs:

After attending the Solid Waste seminar for two days on rules and regulations and studying the time lage, it seemed to me that we were seven (7) months to a year away from this decision, as you note on your time chart it is approximately 210 days after the application is accepted to final action. So my feelings is that we handle the item when it comes due.

Also, after a conversation with Joe York, Jr. he does not approve the easement that we sent, stating that

too many requirements were omitted and that he would have his attorney draft one for us.

After listening to the rules and regulations it became apparent that we would almost be compelled to have two attendants on duty at all times the area was open, they will have to be certified to fully enforce the rules and regulations.

We will need room to handle five (5) types of waste: (a) Normal; (b) Industrial; (c) Demolation; (d) Brush; (e) Solids--refrigerators, ranges, etc., also we will need a pit for solids and dead animals to be handled in our old area.

The whole operation will be the responsibility of the operator or owner, including the littering of highways and streets, this could be controlled by the cover law.

The landfill act is governed by four (4) agencies: Texas Department Health Resorces; Texas Water Quality Board; Texas Air Controll and Federal Aviation Control, all are impowered to inspect site at anytime and have the power to revoke the permit if standards are not met (E-2.3).

The owner will be responsible for windblown trash, fire protection and noise and pollution (F-2). Under this same article the procedure for handling different types of waste are outlined.

A Public Hearing will have to be held at least a twenty (20) day notice

It seems that will all the requirements we had better take a second look, it does not seem feasible for the city to pay for the handling of waste from contactors, demolition and public haulers of waste for a fee.

The feeling is that rather than haul their waste on a 6½-7 mile trip people will dump in the streets and alleys.

Should we look at bearing some or all of the cost for a contractor to handle our solid waste, furnishing and operating a Solid Waste Area?

R.D. Williams
City Secretary

IS YOUR DRINKING WATER SAFE
Public Law # 93-523

Most Americans believe that their drinking water is the best in the

world, but Servicemen and tourists who travel abroad know the problems of unsafe drining water. At home we scarcely give it a thought; we know that we can depend on our pure water and usually we are right.

If our water is so good, why do we need a new program to protect it? The reason is that during the recent

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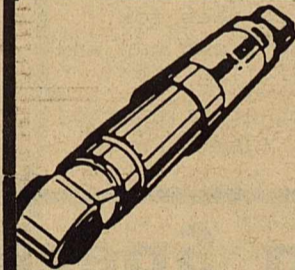


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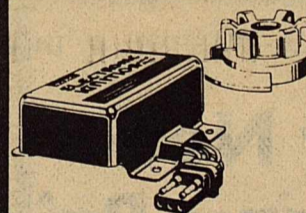


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decades the sources of our water supply are being endangered by hundreds of new pollutants, and in addition, some of our treatment plants have not kept pace with the technology required to remove the increasing amounts of chemical or microbiological contamination.

The disease control center tell us there are about 4,000 cases of illness linked to drinking water in the United States each year. While we have almost eliminated typhoid and cholera as water problems, we now have the threat of organic contaminants, viruses and other disease causing organism.

In the past the water for drinking in Texas has been under control of the Texas Water Quality Board which meets, and in some cases, exceeds the new national requirements. Under the Texas Water Quality Board our drinking water has been treated by technology capable of removing potentially harmful contaminants and the purity is monitored on a regular basis to assure its quality.

To safeguard drinking water and to protect health, Congress passed a law in 1974 (Public Law #93-523) the safe drinking water act. The law directed the Environmental Protection Agency to establish national drinking water standards and setting limits on the various substances sometimes found in our waters. This means that every community water supply serving 15 customers or more must meet this standard; also trailer parks, campsites, motels and etc. Most systems meet these requirements already; however some systems meet these requirements already however some systems have not kept pace with the demands and will require changes, but some will not be able to meet the requirements due to poor quality of their water.

Under the Texas Water Quality Board, the City has been required to submit 4 samples of our drinking water to a State approved laboratory each month. The taking of these samples provides many chances for human error both by the field man and the laboratory, as the slightest touch or lack of proper sterilization on the test points can result in a

bad sample. In case of a bad sample, we are immediately notified and send a check sample at once and in our case these have always turned out good. However, under P.L.# 93-523 we are required to notify the public if our second sample is not good. If you hear or read of such an announcement do not panic, it will explain the problem and tell what precautions are being taken. Most violations of drinking water standards do not mean that your health is endangered and the reason is that the limit on each substance allowed in drinking water was based on what you can consume in a life time without adverse health effects.

Some of these substances which could cause a threat to your health when the limits are exceeded are: Bacteria-Nitrate-Arsenic-Barium-Cadmium-Chromium-Flouride-Lead-Mercury-Selenium-Silver-Pesticides-Radioactivity-Turbidity.

Until recently the certified operators of the City have been taking the samples for the chemical analysis, however now the State engineers take the samples themselves. Our most recent one was reported on April 22, 1977, accompanied by a letter stating that our drinking water meets the

Substance expressed in MG/L or PP/M

Substance	expressed in MG/L or PP/M	Recommended Limited
Calcium	82	82
Magnesium	4	0.05
Sodium	6	
Carbonate	0	
Bicarbonate	240	
Sulfate	14	250
Chloride	11	250
Flouride	0.3	0.6-1.0
Nitrate	1.73	10
Arsenic	0.01	0.05
Barium	0.5	1
Cadimium	0.005	0.010
Chromium	0.02	0.05
Iron	0.1	0.3
Lead	0.02	0.05
Manganese	0.05	0.05
Mercury	0.0003	0.002
Selenium	0.002	0.01
Silver	0.02	0.05
Dissolved Solids	243	500
P.H.	7.7	7
Total Alkalinity	197	
Total Hardness	222	

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limits set by "National Interim Primary Drinking Water Regulations".

We will give you some of the analysis combined with the requirements:

The following are the results of our latest chemical analysis and the recommended limits for drinking water.

Analysis Recommended
4/1/77 Limited

The latest chemical analysis may be inspected at the City Hall and if desired a copy available.

All the requirements needed to produce safe drinking water for the City of Brackettville will be met and all test reports and records are open for inspection at any time.

Yours for Safe drinking water,

R.D.Williams
Water Superintendent
City of Brackettville

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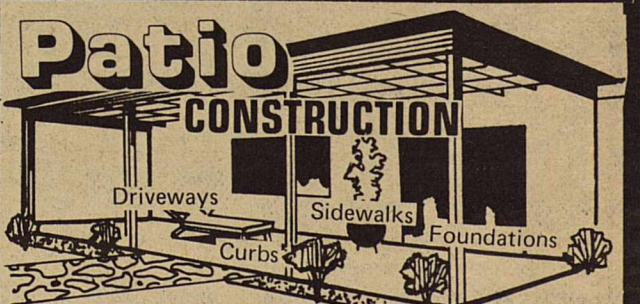
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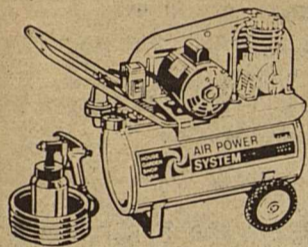
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TIPS FOR GREEN THUMBS

by:

JOE TOWNSEND

It seems ridiculous but are you thinking what to do with your plants this winter? It appears we will have an early winter and a hard one. The way to protect your plants is to plan early. Most plants need protection from the cold in this area. This usually means "inside or cover". A plastic covered frame with a small amount of heat at night and ventilation when needed by day will suffice. Whether you plan to crown your plants into the house, close in a porch, build some protection or put in other cover, now is the time to plan so when the time comes you can move with efficiency--Winter is coming.

"NUFF SAID"



A MULE'S LIKE SOME PEOPLE- THEY DON'T NEED A REASON TO KICK JUS' SUMP'N TO KICK AT.



LAST RITES HELD FOR EMMA SAUER BROWN

Emma Sauer Brown of Brackettville, died on Wednesday, July 20, 1977, in the Val Verde Hospital in Del Rio, at the age of 86 years, 9 months, and 20 days.

Mrs. Brown was born on October 1, 1890, the fourth child of Richard Victor Sauer and Elise Haass Sauer.

In 1891 the family moved to Kinney County near Brackettville where the family ranch is still in the family holdings, and five more children were born.

Before her marriage to Wm. J. Brown in 1936, she served in numerous capacities, among which were, governess on a West Texas ranch, teller in a La Coste Bank, clerk in Ford Sales Department in Rock Springs, etc.

After her marriage, she accompanied Mr. Brown on his building contracts covering an area from Houston to Sanderson.

After her husband retired, she applied her talents to homemaking. She was an excellent cook, and took much pride in her house and garden. Her yard was always green and blooming. She is remembered as an excellent neighbor, ready to lend a helping hand at any time.

She was an active member of the Order of Eastern Star and served as Worthy Matron in the Brackett Chapter. She was a dedicated member of the Retama Garden Club.

Mrs. Brown is survived by three sisters: Hortense Berry, of Edna, Tx.; Adele Aulgur, of Fort Clark Springs; and Elise Sauer, of Brackettville; six nieces: Crystal Vickers of Victoria; Melva McCurdy, of Denver, N. Carolina; Ruth Berry Johnston and one nephew, Jack Berry, both of Edna, Texas; Elise Huntsman of Kalamazoo, Michigan; Anna Legg of Danville, Ca.; and Ernestine Lopez of Redwood, Ca.; also surviving are several great nieces and nephews including two great-great nieces.

Last rites for Mrs. Brown were held at the St. Andrews Episcopal Church in Brackettville with the Reverend Milton Brown officiating, and Mrs. Burn Ballantyne accompanied on the organ.

Interment was in the Masonic Cemetery in Brackettville, under the direction of Doran Funeral Home.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

July 31-----Theresa Terrazas
August 1----Wanda Lewis
 Charles Veltmann III
August 2----Bob York
 Weida Crain
August 3----Buster Schwandner

August 4----Mary Flores
 Rudy Vasquez
 Alvin Hall, Jr.
August 5----Michael Hernandez
 Elva Munoz
 Shirley Hadsell

PUBLIC NOTICE

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids will be received by FORT CLARK MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT OF KINNEY COUNTY, TEXAS, at the office of the District, P.O.Box 345, Brackettville, Texas, 78832, until 4:00 p.m. local time, August 9, 1977, for general construction work of Rehabilitation of Water Tower and Site Improvements.

At said place and time, and promptly thereafter, all bids that have been duly received will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The work to be performed includes providing a temporary pressure maintenance system, tank repairs, tower repainting, miscellaneous modifications, and site road and fence.

Copies of the plans, specifications, and other proposed contract documents are on file at the office of District and at the offices of Travis-Braun & Associates, Inc, 1927 N. St. Marys St., San Antonio, Texas, 78212. Drawings and specifications for use in preparing bids may be obtained from the office of the Engineers upon deposit of \$100.00. The full amount of the deposit will be refunded upon the return in good condition of all documents covered thereby within thirty (30) days after bids are opened.

Each bidder shall file with his bid a cashier's check, certified check, or a bidders bond, for five (5%) per cent of the greatest amount bid. Bids received after the stipulated closing time will be returned unopened.

The bidder to whom a contract is awarded will be required to furnish a Performance bond and Payment bond acceptable to FORT CLARK MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT OF KINNEY COUNTY, TEXAS, for one hundred (100%) per cent of the contract and a Maintenance bond for ten (10%) per cent of the contract, in conformity with the requirements of the contract documents.

No bid may be withdrawn within a period of thirty (30) days after the date fixed for opening bids.

FORT CLARK MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT OF KINNEY COUNTY, TEXAS, reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to waive any informalities or irregularities therein.

/s/ RALPH E. BEARD
PRESIDENT
FORT CLARK MUNICIPAL UTILITY
DISTRICT OF KINNEY COUNTY, TEXAS

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Sealed bids will be received by FORT CLARK MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT OF KINNEY COUNTY, TEXAS, at the office of the District, P.O.Box 345, Brackettville, Texas, 78832, until 4:00 p.m. local time, August 9, 1977, for general construction work of Expansion and Modification to Water Distribution and Sewage Collection.

At said place and time, and promptly thereafter, all bids that have been duly received will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The work to be performed includes furnishing and installing mains, piping, valves, flush valves, manholes, lift station, trenching, backfilling and blocking.

Copies of the plans, specifications, and other proposed contract documents are on file at the office of District and at the offices of Travis-Braun & Associates, Inc., 1927 N. St. Marys St., San Antonio, Texas, 78212. Drawings and specifications for use in preparing bids may be obtained from the office of the Engineers upon deposit of \$100.00. The full amount of the deposit will be refunded upon the return in good condition of all documents covered thereby within thirty (30) days after bids are opened.

Each bidder shall file with his bid a cashier's check, certified check, or a bidders bond, for five (5%) per cent of the greatest amount bid. Bids received after the stipulated closing time will be returned unopened.

The bidder to whom a contract is awarded will be required to furnish a Performance bond and Payment bond acceptable to FORT CLARK MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT OF KINNEY COUNTY, TEXAS, for one hundred (100%) per cent of the contract and a Maintenance bond for ten (10%) per cent of the contract, in conformity with the requirements of the contract documents.

No bid may be withdrawn within a period of thirty (30) days after the date fixed for opening bids.

FORT CLARK MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT OF KINNEY COUNTY, TEXAS, reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to waive any informalities or irregularities therein.

/s/ RALPH E. BEARD
PRESIDENT
FORT CLARK MUNICIPAL UTILITY
DISTRICT OF KINNEY COUNTY, TEXAS

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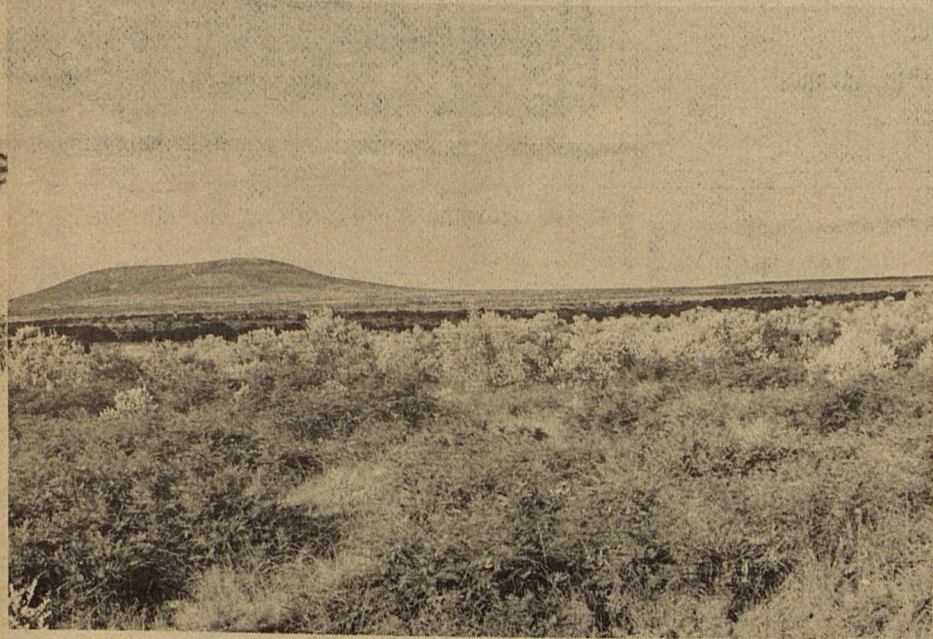
BY THE SKY PILOT

It's interesting to hear travelers who pick up "Green Stamps." I hear them complain because "nobody told" them a smokey was ahead. The complain because "they weren't going all that fast." Recently I listened to a man complain to everyone he could get to come back to him. He tried to give the

Smokey a bad name, the highway a bad name and traffic on the road a bad name. In reality he advertised to all who could hear that he had been speeding, was caught and was given a citation. It seemingly never occurred to him that if he had watched his speedometer and stayed within the legal limit he would never have been stopped. It's a part of human nature to always blame someone else for our troubles, especially those we make for ourselves.

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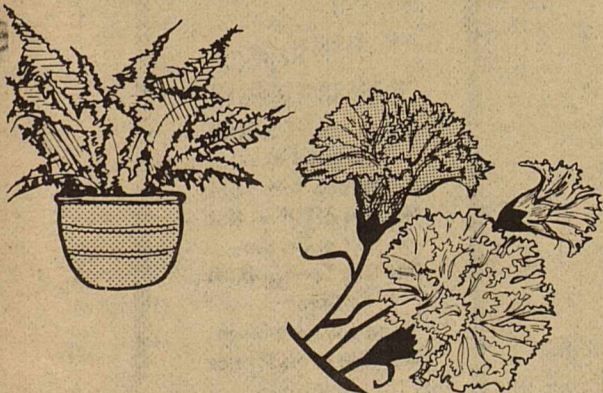
JOE TOWNSEND

Recently I was coming back from Del Rio early in the morning. I was in the very heavy traffic toward Laughlin Air Force Base. As the traffic sign indicated I pulled into the inside

lane marked for through traffic. Suddenly as traffic approached the gate at the base two cars whipped in front of me out of the lane marked for Laughlin AFB traffic. I was much surprised when they zoomed past one car and whipped back into their lane. They barely were in their lane when they had to pull into the base. I wondered why the urgency? Why pull out of your lane into a busy lane to pass one car. The two eager beavers did not gain 10 seconds time-wise. They

did however, demonstrate irresponsibility. They demonstrated their feelings of being overly important. They attracted attention to their foolish actions and hence caused other drivers to lose respect for them. As I saw the situation they gained nothing but lost a great deal. No one appreciates a chiseler who wants to push in ahead of his due time. Ambition, competition--these are essential ingredients to success. Egotistic, bullying has no place in a gainful society.

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EASTER HOLIDAYS	March 24 & 27, 1978
LAST DAY OF SCHOOL	May 26, 1978
SENIOR GRADUATION	May 26, 1978

TEACHER INSERVICE AND WORK DAYS

Inservice	August 23, 24 & 25, 1977
Workday	August 26, 1977
Inservice (Small Schools)	October 24, 1977
Workday	November 21, 1977
Workday (Stockshow)	January 20, 1978
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WEDNESDAY SERVICES	7:00 p.m.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL	10:00 a.m.
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EVENING WORSHIP	7:30 p.m.

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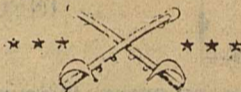
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