

### COUNTY MEETS ON LIBRARY PROBLEM

### headliners-

Monday, March 12, the City Council met at City Hall at their regular meeting.

The top of the list question was the public hearing to bring before Brackettville citizens the adding of Channel 9 and raising the cable rate cost per month. The Council decided to hold a public hearing but no date was set.

Several Fort Clark people were at the meeting asking for the extra channel and for a hearing to be

Also several complaints were heard on the service as it is getting to be terrible reception on the present channels.

The Texas Highway Department presented a proposal to the Council to cut the amount of road with the 45mph speed limit and raise it to 55mph, also to increase the size of the speed limit signs.

The Council rejected the 55mph increase but approved the increase of the sign size.

John Meyers asked that the City close a street to his property so he could put livestock in the area. The council boted to close the road so it could be reopened if necessary.

The Council expressed their thanks to County Commissioner David Luna for his assistance in clearing right-ofways in certain areas of the City.

The subject of increasing the cost of building permits and sewer taps was brought up and City Manager Tim Ward was instructed to present his recommendations at the next meeting.

### KINNEY COUNTY CHILD WELFARE BOARD

The monthly meeting of the "Child Welfare Board" was held March 5, 1979, 7:30 pm, County Court house. Tusnelda Cervantez presided. Karen Crowder was installed as new board member. Those present were: Tusnelda Cervantez, Pres. Lucy Shipman, V. Pres., Miss. Charles Wilson, Secretary; C.W.Spain, Treasurer Lydia Tipps and Karen Crowder.

Cindy Cauthorn, 'Dept. of Human Resources", was present to help set up program on "child Abuse" for P.T.A. meeting, March 13, Home Economic Cottage, Next Board meeting will be April 2, 1979, 7:30 pm, County Court House. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

### SOCIAL SECURITY REPRESENTATIVE

Beginning April 5, 1979, the Social Security Representative will visit Brackettville the First Thursday of each month. The Representative will handle all matters pertaining to Social Security and Supplemental Security Income benefits at the Kinney County Civic Center from 9:00 a.m. thru 12NOON.

#### SENIOR TEXANS EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM

Governor William P. Clements, Jr.. has declared the week of March 11-16. 1979, as 'Older Workers Week.' In doing so, Governor Clements has urged all Texans to work for the creation of additional employment opportunities for all older Texans. The Senior Employment Program supports the Governor in asking all Texans to take a moment to appreciate the talents and wisdom displayed by our older Texans and to assit them in maintaining their independence and dignity through meaningful employment opportunities.

is administered by Farmer's Union Community Development Association, Inc. and is jointly funded by the Texas State Legislature and Department of Labor through the Governor's Committee on Ageing.

The Senior Texans Employment Program is active locally in Kinney County The local STEP employees are: Hannah Daniels, Virginia Cruz, Robert Wilson, Victoria Martinez.

### NEW ECA COURSE

Rose Mary Slubar announced that a new Emergency Care Attendant Course will begin in the near future and anyone interested should contact her at 563-2125. and nutrition and the dishes at the

#### COUNTY YOUTH TO COMPETE IN DISTRICT 4-H FOOD SHOW

Nine Kinney County youth will match their foods-and-nutrition "knowhow" against that of youth from surrounding counties at the District 4-H Food Show, March 24, in Uvalde.

Competing for a senior-division top place will be Cindy Miears, main dish; and Mary Jane Garcia, snacks and beverages.

In the junior division will be Cindy Meyer, main dish; Barbara Forbes, side

Also, Ethel Arrant, breads and desserts; and Theresia Ward, snacks and beverages.

Representing the preteen division will be Lisa young, main dish; Virgie Garza, side dish; and Penni Ward, breads and desserts.

Mrs. Linda Rech, a 4-H Foods and Nutrition leader, will help judge menus and records in Uvlade prior to the District Food Show while Ms. Patty Messer will participate in judging the contestants knowledge of foods

KINNEY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT MEETING

The off-again-on-again County Library controversy hit a snag again this past Monday a the Kinney County Commissioners' Court Meeting.

The Commissioners had previously agreed to re-contract with Myers Construction of Uvalde to complete the project that Myers had started. The original project treminated after a dispute with Myers Construction and Graves and Associates, architects for the project.

The Commissioners had authorized County Judge Albert Postell to present a new Contract to Myers COnstruction. proportatably The Senior Texans Employment Program Myers Construction did not show up on the appointed date to sign the contract. According to Court house officals Myers Construction has determined that the contract submitted by the county is not satisfactory, and their attorney will submit a new contract to the Commissioners Court.

> The County Commissioners' Court made arrangements for Justice of the Peace of Precinct 2, 3, and 4 to have office spaces in the welfare building next to the Civic Center. These Justices have already moved their offices to the new location.

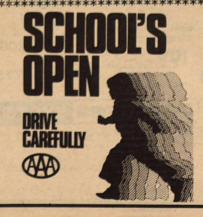
food show.

All contestants earned the right to enter the district contest when they won top honors in county competition.

This year's theme is 'Cooking Good-Looking Great."

4-H Food Show are sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, and The Morrison Milling Company of Denton, Texas.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages, regardless of race, color, creed, sex, religion, national origin, or socioeconomic levels.







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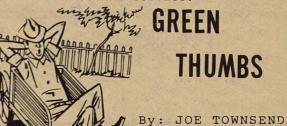
### Present Day Myths

by: JOE TOWNSEND

I don't resent being above 60 years of age. I'd rather have lived the years of my life than any years past or future. Marks of age that identify me as "old" are self endient. I very much resent that politicans have made political hay out of people my age and older. I resent the fact that bureaucrats and policians feel they must patronize me because of my age. I'm offered free meals at taxpayers expense just because of my age. I resent the fact that do-gooders seem to think I'm incapable of feeding myself, that they can plan and prepare a more nutritious meal than I can afford or prepare. I resent the fact that politicans feel they must provide recreation and transportation for me by harnessing the taxpayers with additional taxes. I resent the implication that I'm incapable of providing my own meals, medical care, transportation and recreation because of my age. I resent the fact that in many cities I can ride public transportation at a fraction fare while taxpayers pick up the tab for the remainder. I resent the fact that my P.O.Box is flooded with appeals for support for lobbying organizations so they can squeeze more out of the taxpayers for me--just because of my age.

The years tell me that there are no free lunches. When a bureau gives me something—someone has to pay for it. The years have given me a deep sense of pride that prevents me leeching off of someone else. The years, have given me a sense of personal

intergrity that makes me want to rely on myself. My years have taught me I know more about what's good for me than politicans and bureaucrats. Until I need someone to help me because I can't do it for myself—Mr. Politican please don't insult me by implying I need a crutch furhished by the tax—payer. Though it now seems to be only a myth—I stil believe every person should do for himself. The Government owes me no social service.



It is now fully time to plant a garden. Thereis not likely to be another freeze. The earlier most vegetables as planted the better they produce. If you are putting out tomatoes plants, puth them as deep as you can. The more of the trunk of the plant you have under ground the better the plant wil do. It will put out roots the full length of the plant in the ground. hence you will have a strudier, heavier plant that will produce more. soaking; beans and oka in water overnight will help them sprout sooner. Egg plant is a plant easily grwon in our area and very productive. Fertilize your ground before you plant. This will increase production a great deal. Be sure to follow the directions on the seed packet for best results. After planting do not let the ground become dry. This could cause the seed to sprout and die for lack of moisture. A small amount of many different things will produce a great variety of fresh vegetables and that's like money in the bank.



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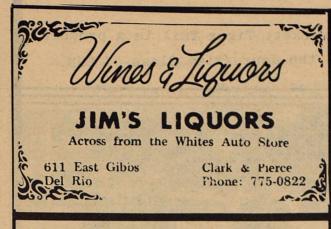
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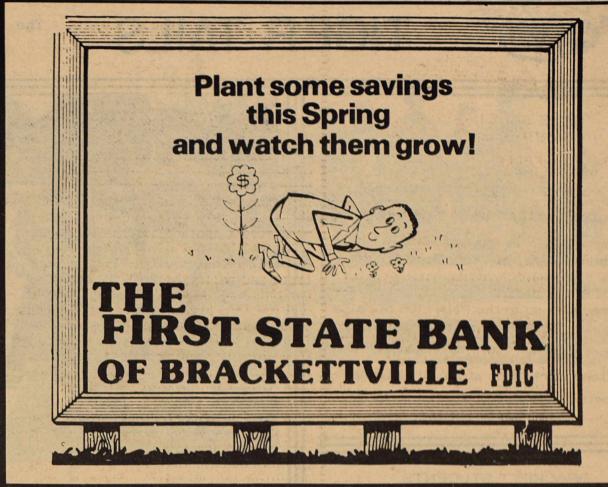
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### BETWEEN US

By: JOE TOWNSEND

The passing of Dave Rose calls attention to some things we should ever keep resh in our minds. It's difficult to inagine the changes Dave saw in his lifetime of 87 years spent as a resident of this county. Many of those years his family lived in a tent and ranched. When World War I came he volunteered and served in the U.S. Navy. When depression came they took their sheep to Mexico in order to hold their flock together. When things were better they brought the sheep back. Being born less than ten years after the last Indian raid in the United States and in the approximate area this sturdy pioneer saw such unbelieveable accomplishments by the United States. There came the automobile, airplane, radio, television, unbelieveable progress in medicine and thins to make life easier. It was this sturdy spirit of that generation that led to the progress we've seen. These people believed that they must depend on themselves. They could not abide the idea of the government giving them a handout. When a neighbor was in trouble



they pitched in and helped. Their thrill of living was found in just living. They did not find it necessary to look for happiness and coontentment by continously being on the move or demanding entertainment. They were proud to wear the uniform of their nation. They didn't feel it was an 'immoral" war to protect the continent of Europe from Kaiser Bill. They were a rugged people who believed in hard work and in receiving only what they justly earned. Theirs was a freedom loving, indepent generation that pro-

duced more progress in a lifetime than any gerneration post and I believe future. When these characteristics were winners its amazing to see them watered down, softened up and mocked at. They are the characteristics consistent with God's teaching and expectations for man--You can't improve





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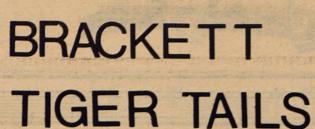
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The Brackett Tiger Tail is a product of the Journalism Class of BHS.

BAKE SALE!

By: Martha Gomez
Cakes...cupcakes...pies...

brownies will all be on sale Saturday,

March 17. In front of Chuy's Minimax and Nash Dry Goods Store

The sale will last from 9 am till?

Proceeds go to the FHA club to raise money for the Area State meeting in Fort Worth. Two FHA members will' attend workshops at the Area State meeting.

BRACKETT STUDENTS DID WELL IN HOUSTON

By: Joe Martinez

FFA members who were going to enter lambs in Houston Stock show were left Mon day February 26. Doug McCarty, Jim Lindeman, Joe Cruz, and Arnulfo Pinales. joined 4-H members Kristy Gwartney, Lashawn Wardlaw, and Keven Kaplan. This judge was looking for extremely well muscled lambs

that pasessed long bodies. He also wanted lambs with long rumps and loins plus a firm ribeye and loin. Lashawn Wardlaw won 1st place. Earlier in the year she had recieved champion honor in the Kinney County show & First place in San Antonio show.

SECOND ANNUAL BRACKETT RELAYS

MARCH 23 - JUNIOR HIGH

MARCH 24 - HIGH SCHOOL



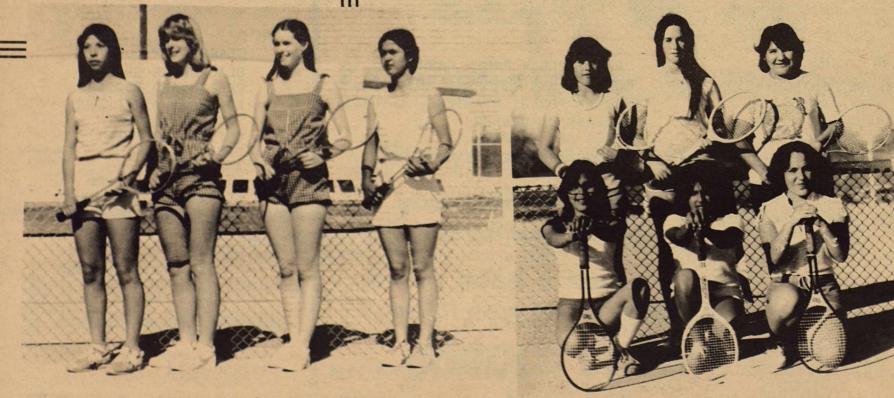


Junior High Boys Tennis Team Members: Erasmo Garcia, Robert Longoria, David Wilson and Eddie Garcia. Not Pictured are Walter Dyer and Seth Kaplan.

Varsity Tennis Boys: Danny Pena, Rick Garcia, Nelson Payne, Ray Pena, Mario Longoria, Bernie Cervantez, Joe Hernandez.

Varsity Girls Tennis Team: Monica Benites, Cathy Wills, Lisa Schafer, Patty Hernandez.

Junior High Girls Tennis Team: Virginia Ortega, Sandra Munoz, Bonnie Resendez, Rosie Gallegos, Ginny Martin, Andrea Garcia



### CUBS TRACK TEAM BEGIN THE '79 SEASON ON A WIN NING NOTE

By: Adrian Reyes

Brackett Jr. High track team

started the year's track season with a meet in Sanderson, Friday March 9.

The boys came home with the first place team trophy. Cubbettes won 3rd place.

Individual results follow:

Conrad Veltman

1st shot put 1st Discus

Guillermo Leos

1st long jump 2nd Discus

Warren Voss Richard Ortega

3rd shot put

Robert Hidalgo

3rd pole valt

Oscar Solis

5th high jump

Boys Running Events

Oscar Solis, Robert Hidalgo - 1st 400 Guillermo Leos, Eddie G.-- meter relay

Guillermo Leos

1st meter dash

Oscar Solis

1st 200 meter dash

Robert Hidalgo Guillermo Leos 1st 1600meter relay

Eddie Garcia

Oscar Solis

Walter Dyer 2nd 1 mile run

Paul Flores

3rd 300 meter low

hurdles

Paul Flores

4th 110 meter Inter.

hurdles

### Girls Field Events

Tana McCarty

3rd discus

Tina Kral

3rd shot put

Elia Estrada

3rd triple jump

Elia Estrada

5th high jump

### Girls Running Events

K.K. Dimery

2nd 200 meter dash

K.K. Dimery

4th 100 yd. dash

Brenda Foust

4th 400 meter dash

Tina Kral

4th 80 yd. hurdles

Elia Estrada, Barbara Forbes-4th 1600 meter relay

Elia Estrada,

Brenda Foust

Barbara Forbes----5th 400 meter dash

Elica Estrada

5th 80 yd. hurdles

Elia Estrada

6th 200 meter dash

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Tana McCarty, Brenda Foust, Tina Kral Patty Sanchez

Brenda Foust

Alma DeHoyos

Lawshawn Wardlaw

Ginger Shamblin

6th 400 meter relay

The boys scored a total of 138 points over Sanderson with 129 1/2 points for 3rd points scored by the girls 56

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CUB TRACK TEAM



CUBETTE TRACK TEAM

TIGER VARSITY TRACK TEAM





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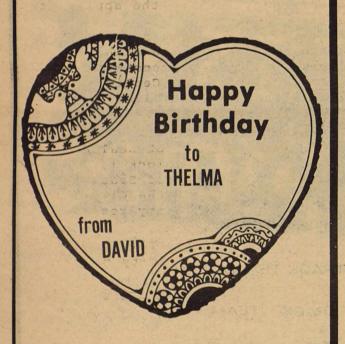
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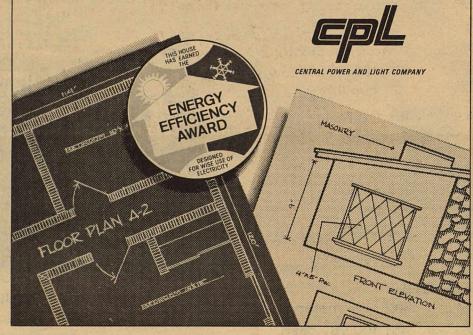
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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: Robert A. Neal, Defendant, Greeting:

YOU (AND EACH OF YOU) ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the County Court of Kinney County at the Courthouse thereof, in Brackettville, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. on the first Monday next after the expiration of fourty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 28 day of March, A.D. 1979, to Plainiff's Petition filed in said Court on the 25th day of October A.D. 1978, this cause, numbered 555 on the docket of said court and styled Fort Clark Springs Association, Inc., Plainiff, vs. Robert A. Neal, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is follows to-wit:

Action for membership assessments in Fort Clark Springs Association, Inc., including use of one unit, being an undivided 1/8000th interest in and to Fort Clark Springs consisting of 2677.91 acres, more or less, together with all improvements thereon as recorded in the Deed to Seller in Volume A-43, Page 612 in the Deed Records of Kinney County, Texas.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The Officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

witness, Dolore Raney, Clerk of the County Court (s) of Kinney County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said Court at Brackettville, Texas, this the 14th day of February A.D. 1979.

/s/ Dolores Raney, Clerk County Court Kinney County, Texas

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REMINDER: FILING DEADLINE FOR CITY ELECTIONS IS MARCH 17, 1979.

/s/Tim Ward City Manager "NOTICE OF HEARING"

"West Texas Home Health Agency, d/b/a Hill Country Home Health Agency, Kerrville, Texas, Represented by Marciano Morales, #3 Briercroft Office Park, Lubbock, Texas 79412 (THFC File # As78-0703-040) is scheduled to appear at a hearing at 8:30 a.m. on May 14, 1979, in the offices of the Texas Health Facilities Commission, 1600 West 38th Street, Suite 305, Jefferson Building, Austin, Texas, to present evidence in support of the application for a Certificate of Need for the Kerrville sub-unit to provide the new services of occupational therapy, speech therapy, home health aide-homemaker service, and medical social service to the following counties : Atacsosa, Banera, Bexar, Blanco, Burnet, Caldwell, Comal, Concho, Crockett, Dimmit, Edwars, Frio, Gillespie, Gonzales, Travis, Guadalupe, Hays, Karnes, Kendall Kerr, Kimble, Kinney, Lampasas, LaSalle, Llano, McCullough, McMullen, Mason, Maverick, Medina, Menard, Mills, Real, San Saba, Schleicher, Sutton, Tom Green, Uvalde, Val Verde, Wilson, Nueces and Zavala. The Commission proposes to render a decision on the application on May 31, 1979.

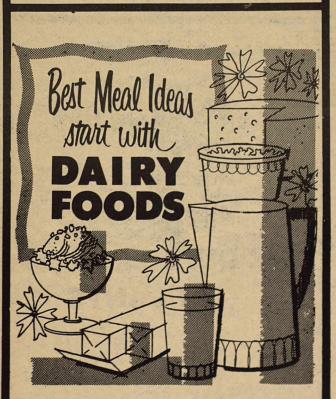
A request to become a party to the application may be made by filing a sworn affidavit with the Commission using the format prescribed by Commission Rule no later than 5:00 p.m., April 20,1979, and by forwarding a copy by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the applicant and all other parties."

NOTE: If no request to become a party or petition for hearing is timely filed with the Commission, the Commission may proceed without a hearing on the application for a Certificate of Need at any time after April 20, 1979, upon written request by the applicant.

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THE CITY OF BRACKETTVILLE will accept sealed bids on the followin property: Lot 19, Block 1, Brackettville Addition to the City of Brackettville. Bids should be submitted to the City Manager no later than March 30,1979. City reserves rights to reject any or all bids.

/s/ Tim Ward City Manager





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