

## WINNERS

## -headliners-

## 34 th ANNUAL MEETING FOR RIO

 GRANDE COOPERATIVEThe Rio Grande Electric Cooperative, Inc., willhold its 34 th Annual Membership Meeting on Saturday September 29, 1979. The meeting is scheduled at the Civic Center in Brackettville. Registration for the Members will begin at 9:00 a.m. with the business portion of the Meeting starting at 10:00 a.m. The Business session of the Meeting will be followed by the annual babarbecue.

President Bit Terry of Cooperative will preside over the Meeting which will consist of reports from the Officers and Manager plus the annual election of Directors and any other business which might come before the Membership.

The electing of five directors will include Candidates from District III which are Jack Van Cleve of LaPryor and Leroy Williams of Carrizo Springs District IV, Pat Rose, Jr., Tommy Seargeant and Hugh Coates all of Brackettville and T.B.Mallard of Uvalde District $V$, Bit Terry of Comstock and Johnny Zuberbuler also of Comstock District XI, Bob Templetion and R.H. Layton of Dell City.

Door prizes which are donated by the Cooperative's Suppliers and electirc appliances furnished by the Cooperative will be given at the Meeting

TEXAS TOURIST COUNCIL
Shahan Re-elected Director
Prominent Brackettville rancher, Happy Shahan, was re-elected in Austin as a director on the Texas Tourist Council board

The Texas Tourist Council is a private enterprise organization whose purpose to to support and supplement our state's efforts to attract more visitors. Last year 25.8 million visiotrs came to Texas, and they added $\$ 4.3$ billion to our economy \#\#

## COMMUNICATION

## Communication today is not

 only radio, television or newspapers. Communication is also speaking and listening to friends to parents, to teachers, and to children, about jobs, school, home and feelingsSomtimes when kids talk to their parents or parents to their children what is actually being


BRACKETTVILLE WESTERN AUTO SOFTBALL TEAM 19791.....Pearsall tournment, second place; Uvalde tournment, 4th place; Del Rio tournment. In the Del Rio Tournment--Ray Smallwood and Eddie Solis made the All-Tournament Team. We had a 29 -WON, 12 LOST record for the season. We got Fifth Place in the Del Rio League with 15 WON, 7 LOST record.

We also had two outstanding players (brothers) with one of the best Batting Averages in the League--Tony Samaniego with a .658 batting average and Danny Samaniego with a .587 batting average.

Team Players: Danny Samaniego, Tony Samaniego, Ronnie Hobbs, Eddie Garcia, Eloy Garcis, Lingo Sandoval, Dan Rose, Eddie Solis Manuel Pena, Mario Jaso, Reggie Rivas, David Esparza and Albert Payne. Player Manager: Ray Smallwood and Scorekeeper: Candy Smallwood. (Team Publicity writer: Lingo Sandoval)
said is missed or not understood. The generation gap occurs when parents and kids stop talking and listening to each other On October 22, 1979, Lee Schermerhorn will be guest speaker of The New World Study Club. The topic will be communication between parents and children \#\#\#

SHEEP AND GOAT RAISER'S TO MEET
The Fall Meeting of the directors of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raiser's Association will be September 29, 1979 in Eldorado Meeting place is the Eldorado High School, and registration will begin at $8: 30 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. Committee will get under way at 9:00 a.m.
and meet on split schedule until noon. The noon meal will be served at the Eldorado Restaurant

The general business session will begin at $1: 30 \mathrm{~m}$. in the school auditorium. Immediately following this session, the delegates of the Texas Sheep Council will meet briefly.

All Sheep and Goat producers and agri-business people are urged to attend this meeting and bring themselves up to date on matters related to the industry. \#\#\#

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want to be treated as an "equal" of Canada--he wants more for Mexico gas. His international pronouncements and actions preclude Mexico ever becoming other than a backward nation. If the President of Mexico would reflect the intelligence, industry and commons sense of the great people of Mexico hewould soon find Mexico takire her place among the truly great nations. THe greateness of a nation is determind by the pople and leadership of the nation not by the treatment by other nations.
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TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

AUSTIN--The Texas Department of Water Resources has published a report illustrating the stratigraphic and hydrogeology framework of a part of the Coastal plain of Texas from the Sabine River to the Rio Grande

The report is the outgrowth of a project that has as its objective the construction as its objective the constructi
of a digital ground-water flow
modell of at least a part of the Miocene aquifers in the Texas Gulf Coastal Plain. The model will serve as a tool for planning the development of the ground water suppliers.

Work on the project was done by the United States Geological Survey in cooperation with he Texas Department of Water Resources. The wrk correlates subsurface strata across must of the Texas Cosastal Plains An index of the availability of fresh to slightly saline water (less that $\mathrm{mg} / 1$ ) is provided through the location of sand containing this quality of water. The report is titled "Stratigraphic and Hydrogeologic Frame work of Part of the Coastal Plain of Texas." The report number is 236. Copies of the report are available without charge from the Texas Department of Water Resources, P.O.Box 13087, Austin, Tx 78711


## Rules

## Present Day Myths

## by: JOE TOWNSEND

We want to be treated as equals. This is a modern myth. The pro-Communist Presidenti of Mexico cries loud ly that he only desires his country be treated with dignity as an equal by the U.S. It's has to figure this "equality" bit. Compare it any way you like ther's no "equality" of these two nations. If Mexico were "equal" there wouldbe no great imigration of from Mexico to the United Staices. The fact that thousands of Mexican nationals every month flee Mexico to knowingly violate the laws of a foreign country shows the inequality. The lack of expertise and refusal of Pemex to take advice on a drilling rig caused the worst oil spill of all times. This proved an inequality in oil well drilling. The President of Mexico disavows any financial responsiblity for the disaster. I can well imagine what he would say were the situation reversed. He wants to sell gas to the United States when in reality the United States doesn' need it. He is very indignant when the United States refused to be robbed by the exorbiant price be sets. He doesn't

## MEMBERSHIP DRIVE CONTEST <br> 1.31 October 79

Only Credit Union Members
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Prizes
will be awarded
The member that brings in the most new members during the month of October will be awarded

The member that brings in the most new members during the month of October will be awarded
First prize ${ }^{5} 150^{00}$
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Third place winner ${ }^{5} 50^{00}$


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Notice-Change of Mobile Unit Schedule Will be at Brackettville High School parking lot Tuesday and Thursday 9:00-11:00. Starting 2 Oct.-29 Nov. Eagle Pass-International Bridge Customs parking lot Tuesday and Thursday 1:00-3:00 3 Oct.-29 Nov. Comstock High School parking lot Wednesday 11-1.

## TO THE PUBLIC

The First State Bank is still honoring the white counter Checks as well as the Yellow
pocket size checks.

As customers order new checks they are being assigned account numbers. This is just the first step of converting to an account number basis. Eventually, the white counter checks and yellow pocket checks will be phased out: however, at this time they are as acceptable at the personalized checks

If anyone has a question regarding this, please come by or give us a call!!

## THE FIRST STATE BANK OF BRACKETTVILLE

## Between Us

## JOE TOWNSEND

It's interesting to see how agencies seek to justify their policies. We read the often about the skyrocketing of traffic death in Texas. We read also if the high rate of speed on Texas Highways. We read a great deal about how the two were linked together. The Big Brothers in Washington began to mumble threat about taking our money away from us and not giving it back unless something was done to lower speed on our Texas highway. More black mail from Washington like the establishment of the 55 mile speed limit. Eventually however, some one of integrity made a careful analysis of the figures It showed in fact that there was an actual decrease in deaths on Texas Highways--the big increase came in the cities. When these figures were revealed there settled a strange quietness on the death dealing speed on Texas highways. There may be justification of the fifty-five mile speed limit (I doubt it however) but now the advocates should at least quote the record straight One responsible person in the DPS told me 70 to 75 percent of deaths on our highways were alcohol related. The answer seems to be to get people with alcohol
in them out of the cars. We don't seem to want to do that however. In tow recant contested cases in Kinney County two men were found "not guilty" when evidence clearly showed they were guilty. I could hope these two men would not take the actions of two juries in Kinney County as license to "drink and drive" and kill some innocent party in a highway crash. Were I on a jury and blocked punishment of a person guilty of DWI and he later was instrumental in death on the highway I'd have a difficult time living with myself.
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## COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC AGGOUNTS BOB BULLOCK-CONPTROLLER

AUSTIN--State Comptroller Bob Bullock Friday said 82 ex-teachers are the latest targets in his efforts to collect overdue loans.

Bullock said he has expanded his collection efforts to include everyone receiving money from the state.

He said the school teachers who quit teaching and requested refunds of their contributions in the teacher retirement program
will not receive them until the settle up their education debts.
"These loans aren't scholarships and must be re-paid to keep the program going," Bullock said.

Bullock, who last month refused to pay state workers who have de-faulted on student loans, said a computer cross-check identified at least 150 more persons who owe the state more than $\$ 200,000$ in delinquent student loans

He said payments to five ness operators who have sold goods to the state are being held until \$7,207 in student loans liabilities are settled.

State law prohibits anyone owing the state a debt from receiving state payments.

Bullock also identified 50 persons who are receiving benefits as loan defaulters

He said more than 500 state employees have cleared up about $\$ 900,000$ in debts to the Texas College and University Co-ordinating Board after being notified they owed debts and wouldn't be paid until the made good on the deliquent loans.

In August, the Texas College and Co-ordinating Board held loan defaults worth more than $\$ 39.9$ million under the Hinson-Hazelwood गrogram from loans to 24,685 former students.

## ANNUAL CALF SALE SLATED



NAME THIS LONGHORN STEER AT ICA CALE SALE AND WIL $\$ 100$ PRIZE

Momentum is building quickly
throughout the state for the Independent Cattlemen's Association 2nd Annual Statewide calf sale as hundreds of ranchers donate calves and other livestock for the fundraising event. The sale will be held Saturday September 29, beginning at 10 a.m. at the Atàscosa Livestock Exchange in Pleasanton.

ICA President Roy Wheeler, owner of the auction, invites all livestock producers to particapte, as funds raised through the calf sale will enable ICA to continue its fight for legislation beneficial to the agricultural industry Last year's sale raised more than $\$ 100,000$ for the Association
"We are encouraged by the enthousiam shown this year," said Wheeler, who is traveling throughout various counties in Texas in the weeks before the sale to solicit livestock donations. "WEtake this as a sign that the livestock industry leaders in Texas support our efforts to make the government responsive to our needs.

Teh success of last year's sale enabled us (ICA) officials to attend all hearings concerning the federal brucellosis program--a program which could mean additional financial hardshiops for cattelemen if it is adopted in its present form. ICA will continue to present the viewpoint of the industry as long as it is able to do so.

We thank all of those who helped us last year and urged them to double their contributions this year," said Wheeler

A presale Cattle Drive Party will be held Friday, Sept. 28, from 6 p.m. to $10: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. at the St. Andrews Catholic Church Hall in Pleasanton. Food and drink will be plentiful with a dance following the dinner hour

An added feature ofthis year's sale is a contest to name the Association's sale mascot. Last year, Happy Shahan of Brackettville donated a longhorn steer to the sale the steer sold and resold several times and the final purchaser was Wheeler who donated the animal back to the Assocaition. A $\$ 100$ price will be given by Wheeler to the individual who creates the best name for the steer The only requiremnt for entry into the contest is for each contestant to buy a subscription to the INDEPENDENT CATTLEMEN, the Association's monthly magazine. A panel of judges will selec the best name from all the entries and the steer will remain the ICA sale mascot as long as it lives.

Auctioneer for the sale is Clyde Holdcroft and Transportation Director is C.P.Hamer ofGiddings. Those who need to make arrangements to have their calves transported to the sale should contact Hamer at 713/542-2929 or the Association office 512/836-1321.

by: JOE TOWNSEND
It's time to seriously consider preparing your plants for winter All signs point to an early winter. Pot plants and hanging baskets outside for the summer are of first concern. Preparations should be made for moving them inside. It is good to begin now to put mulch around the bottom of shrubs that might freeze. A good mulch of leaves, dead grass, or bark will save many shrubs and small trees that would otherwise be killed. It is good to remember also that many times when a frost hits and.or

## GUEST EDITORIAL

Police are supposed to protect the people. THis is now a myth The police are to protect the criminal. Case in point: Philadephia, with the best criminal record of an major city in America fewer murders than any large city
they find themselves perecuted they find themselves perecuted
by the Federal Bureaucracy. A police officer is killed and other wounded; in the process of budduing the murder some mentally warped media photographers took picture of a policeman kicking the killer. No picture was taken of the dead officer, little mention made of it. It's no longer news when a police officer is killed in line of duty. It is out of a strait jacket in appretestimony to the rarity of the occurrence. In the first place we are in trouble in America. can step into internal affairs of a city we have a sick situation and have thrown out the Constit-
ution. To step into the internal affairs of a city to protect crim inals is even sicker! To prosecute a city for its good record on controling crime and murder is sicker yet. No prosecution of New York City--as high as sixteen or more banks a day are robbed there. No prosecution of San Antonio, the murder rate there is unbelieviable. No prosecution of San Franciso, the use of marijuania and dope is high there So Mr. Carter, Mr. Bell;s, Mr Cirletti's Justice Department singles out Philadelphia a crimnally cleaner city. If every city controlled the crimnal as well as Philadelphia there would be no need to continue to take taxpayers dollars and give them to police agencies in cities, counties, and states across the land to try to control crime Politicians should be taught that millions of dollars taken from the tax payer do not solve pro-
blems. Realistic approaches and blems. Realistic approaches and resolute aciton are the kev.
eck out Philadelphia.
a light freeze if you will spray your affected plants with water before th sur hits them you may save them. Winter time is a time of survival for plants--It's a good reminder that when cold weather comes and plants are insde they do not need as much water as outside in the summer. Many plants can be easily killed with too much water, especially during the winter months

## ENERGY UPDATE

## Foiled By His Own Designs

While the rest of Washingtonians struggle in the gas lines, a special station is pumping gas to Capitol V.I.P.s at 67 cents a gallon. This private station's
customers include House Speaker Tip O'Neill and Senate Minority Leader Howard Baker. However, the station does not service Energy Secretary James Schlesinger, who recently waited 25 minutes for a fill-up.

A Taste of Their Own Medicine
In New York the country of Iraq, a leading petroleum exporter which recently advocated a dramatic increase in the price of oil, is demanding that the United States take immediate steps to ease the fuel shortage. Tired of waiting in gasoline lines, Iraq’s United Nations diplomats are asking for special consideration for themselves and their chauffeurs.

## A Sip From the Wrong Tank

William Wilkinson won't have to worry about running out of gas for a while. His car has been impounded by Washington police. It seems that Mr. Wilkinson and several of his friends were afraid they were going to run out of gas. In desperation they resorted to siphoning fuel from a parked squad car. Police Officer Luther Watkins was not sympathetic and arrested Wilkinson and his cohorts, charging them with gas theft.

## NEWS BRIEFS

A BYOO Party
Mr. Bruce Bradshaw recently parachuted 3,500 feet into the world's largest martini. The drink filled a ten foot pool. Bradshaw carried his own olive
Dangerous Equipment It is illegal for Arizona residents under 16 to take lawn mowing jobs. That's the conclusion of a state agency's recent interpretation of a 1976 law regulating "power driven machinery
Split Decision
Saying, "Marriage is a serious thing you don't want to fool around with," singer Marie Osmond broke off her engagement to Jeff Crayton. Crayton proposed to Osmond last May by pasting her in the face with a banana cream pie

## Government Austerity

A recent government-funded study included the following: $\$ 21,592$ for development of a "curriculum package" to teach college Medicinal Purposes
Swedish social worker Roland Olofsson says the best way to curtail alcoholism is to ration liquor.

## for those

who want to go
first class

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The glamorous French cradlephone has been reborn in America, where it's known as Antique Gold*. Its carved gold-colored figures and rich ivory trim make it the last word in period-style decor.
And, because it's genuine Bell, you know you're getting top quality. You never have to worry about repairs, either, because the Bell System retains uwnership of your phone's working components and repairs them without additional charge anytime there's a problem.
Make your French Connection at your nearest PhoneCenter Store, where you can aiso choose from a variety of other colorful and atractive styles. Or call your local Southwestern Bell business office. Choose a phone that's genuinely you and genuine Bell.

The Antique Gold. $\$ 24$ a month for five months or a one-time charge of $\$ 120$.
Prices do not include taxes or, it applicable, installation and recurring charges
I necessary, hearing aid adapters ore available trom your telephone company.
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## (f) Southwestern Bell

THE CHOICE IS YOURS. BE CHOOSEY.


WHATISIT???? It is the first of the custon made Dune Buggy's built by Dave Broderick of Dave's Garage in Brackettville. It is not one of your mild tempered VW powered buggy's that most people are accustomed to. This Creation has a Chevy 350 engine Dave calls his new creation a 1979 "Squirt". "Local interest in the new machine has been very exciting," Broderick stated. Who knows, Brackettville may get on the map as the SQUIRT MOTOR CAR COMPANY!!!!

## KAZEN IN WASHINGTON: <br> Abraham (Chick) Kazen

It was President Lyndon B.
Johnson who once said "In this free land, the minds of our young are our most valuable resource. I have long believed the wisdon of those words and therefore, I have reviewed with special concern two new reports on education in Texas and the Nation. Neither is encouraging. At a time when our Nation faces many pro blems that will take years to solve, we all need to be concerned about the ability of younger generations to meet the challenges which we will bequeath to them

The first, fromthe prestigious College Board, published the findings from the annual Scholastic Aptitude tests given to high schoolseniors. The nationwide averages fropped slightly, continuning a decline that began more than 10 years ago. Texas scores were below the national average

## TWO TYPES OF TESTS

The SAT examintion, given last spring to a million college-bound seniors, showed the national average for verbal skills was 427 points, compared to 429 a year ago, while the Texas average was 425 points. In mathematical skills the nations average was 467 , down from 468 the previous year; the Texas average was 460 .

Both tests, which are voluntary are marked on a scale of 200 to 800. They are given primarily to assess a student's ability to pass college courses, but the
continued decline has caused man
observers to believe that our schools are deteriorating. In 10 years, the national verbal score average has fallen by 36 points, and the mathematics
scores have declined by 26 .
Robert Cameron, of the
College Boards organization, thinks the drop in verbal scores, measuring ability to read and write, have come as communication has switched to telephone and television, as opposed to reading and writing

## MATH SKILLS DOWN

The second report, made by the National Assessment for Educational Progress, reported that the Nation's elementary and secondary school children have shown decling ability in mathematics during the past 10 years. The sharpest drop has been among high school students who have also shown inadequate progress in reading, science and other subjects.

Tests were preformed on 71,000 students at the ages of 9,13 , and 17. Nearly one-quarter of the nine-year-olds could not answer "That is the sum of 54 and 21 ?", but if the problem was stated " 54 plus 21 equals what? 75 percent could properly answer "75". Only about one-third of the 13 year-olds and half the 17-year-olds could "express $9 / 100$ as a percent.." Many were unable to answer "9 per cent.

## TEXAS AIDS ADULTS

We have long been concerned about illiterate adults. The
this week, said at least 15 per cent of all persons over 16 were functionally illiterate by which was meant that they were unable to cope with modern mathematical and reading needs.

We have a federal program to assist these people since 1964 and Texas has made significant contributions. Not only has the University of Texas had a primary role in developing programs to aid adults who did not complete school, but one of the Nation's best is operated by the Edgewood school district in San Antonio, the federal Office of Education tells me.

I believe education is so important, both for our youngsters and for the adults who may not have finished high school and also our national manpower stren gth, that I have supported and will continue to support maximum feasible efforts to improve our educational system.

## LOCAL, NATIONAL CONCERN

I believe that operation of our schools is primarily the responsibility of local school boards, but there is also a national interest. The survival of our Nation depends on the education and , hence, I have supported elevating the responsible federal agency to a Cabinet level Department of Education.

We must give our youngsters the education that will provide the tools with which they can survive in the highly competitive would in which they will live.

Ford Foundation, in a report

## Tigers Crush DOGS 34-6

By Bill Tom Ferguson and Kevin Kaplan

The Brackett Tigers extra day of practice seemed to pay off as they easily beat the La Pryor Bulldogs, 34-6.

Tiger tailback Arthur Goodloe thrilled the audience on his first carry by scoring on a 47 yard run around the left end. Goodloe had a spectacular night posting his second 100 yard plus game. He ran for 103 yards in only five carries.

Harrasement from noseguard Joel Voss caused the La Pryor center to get a bad snap on a punt. Brackett recovered the fumble setting up their second drive. The Tigers took over and two plays later Nelson Payne barreled in for a seven yard touchdown. Brackett went for two points but the conversion attempt failed.

Brackett's other
touchdown came from junior wingback, Albert Fuentes, who made his score by plowing through the Bulldog defense. the two point conversion was good.

A tough Tiger defense shut down the Bulldogs on their next drive causing them to punt. Romam Saenz received the punt and returned the ball 67 yards. The run was called back because of a penalty. The half ended with a 20-0 score.

Big Nelson Payne ignited the second half by taking the ball after the kick off and racing 73 yards for a touchdown.

David Koch was sent in at the quarterbacking position and Cervantez was moved into the backfield. Koch led the Tigers dow $n$ the field and Cervantez scored Brackett's last touchdown on a nine yard run. Cervantez rounded up 75 yards in 11 carries.

The hard hitting defensive front led by $t$ a c $k$ les Bill Ferguson, Conrad Veltman and noseguard Joel Voss along with ends, Mike Hidalgo and Tommy Mever were not intimidated by the Bulldogs ground game.


## CAMPUS HAPPENINGS

## Chef training

## By Phillip Benites

Home Economics classes are fun as well as practical. This year's H.E.I。class is a mixture of freshmen, sophomores, juniors and seniors. During the first quarter, the class-will learn to cook. Last Wednesday, the class had a cooking lab and made pancakes.

The class is divided into four groups made up of three and four students. Each group has a kitchen to cook their own pancakes. The group that cooked the best pancakes made the best table and eat the pancakes. Clean up time was next.

## CAMPUS HUMOR

Kevin Kaplan was working on a geometry problem. Mr. Hall. asked to see Kevin's answer. When Mr. Hall read the answer he immediately wadded up the paper and threw it out the window. Kevin, with an astonished look on his face stated, "I thought I was doing pretty good!'

The whole class cracked up laughing. As Kevin walked back to his desk, Mr. Hall was seen reaching for a bottle of Malox and mumbling, "You're trying to kill me!

By Roman Saenz
IUch moaning and groaning will be heard this week at Tiger workouts. The Tigers are off this week, but that doesn't mean they are going to take it easy. Most of the workouts will be on fundamentals and conditioning will be stressed. Coaches will also be scouting opponents.

## MUM Time

By: Vickv Jaso
and Joe Cinmez
The Junfor class is busy raisind money for the Junior-Senior banquet. Their first money making project is selling traditional homecoring mums.

Anyone who would like to order a mum for the homecomine r, ane on october 12 , may contact an of the following Juntors: Walter Goodloe, Fatty liernandez, Vicky Jaso, Roman Saenz, or Mona Sandoval. Two styles arc avallable. Plain mums are $\$ 3.50$ and mums, with numbers or initials are $\$ 4$. Orders must be in by October:

The class ordered the rums from Mr. Townsend's Flower Shop. They are a bright yellow with black ribbons.

The Junfors hope to sale from one to two hundred mums. If they succeed, they will make at least four hundred dollars. The money will help pay for the meal at the banquet.


Bowby Freeman prepare: to cook his pancakes.

these girls are no stren ers
to kitchens
now is your turn
to order a mum for the homecoming game


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## Journalism class

By Jennifer Burgess
Now that school is finally underway, the fifth period journalism class is going full speed. This year's class has 22 students and is the largest one ever. Most of the students in the class are juniors. Each week the journalism class prints from one to three pages of school news in the Kinney County Calvaryman. The school news section is called the Tiger Tails. There some yearbook staff members in the journalism class: Gina Esparza, Kevin Kaplan, Debbie Packer, and Mona Sandoval. These students will work on yearbook pages as well as the newspaper pages.

## Booster

By Richard Slubar
Brackett's Tiger Booster Club has been doing a splendid job supporting the athletic program at Brackett High School, but they need help! "We have approximatly 32 members," stated Charles Hall former booster club president. The Booster Club has been raising money by selling memberships. Memberships are $\$ 3$ for a single person per year, $\$ 5$ for a couple per year, $\$ 10$ for a business per year, and $\$ 100$ for a life membership.

Dues are just one way the club raises funds. The club also runs the consession stand at the basketball games and has an annual bar - b-que. Money raised by the Booster Club goes for accident insurance for the players. The club also charters buses for out-of-town games.

Meetings are held every Tuesday n the home economics building at 7 pm 。

Officers for the coming year are: Daniel Kral, president, Molly Ardrey, vice president, Phyllis Simmonds, secretary treasurer.

## New Students

FF.A.EXCITEMENT
by Aurelio Perez
FTA members are looking
forvard to another year of forward to another year of
excitement. $1 r$. Foust, fra sponsor will teach his class mone tbout rancing, raising, and animals. FFA will be going on simld trips to other towns and parties. They also will be goinc to the San Antonio rodeo which will be on February $29,1980$. This year 3 greenhands (new members) joined FFA and 5 boys joined the Pre-lah class. On May officens for the 1979-90 school yean. The officers are: Douglas UcCanty-President, Jim Lindeman, Vice-President, Martina ValdezSecretary, Rex McCarty, Treasurer Leonard Somez-Reporter, Curtis Kral-Sentinal, and Mr. Charles FCust-FFA sponsor and advisor.

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Ty 'ona Sandoval
Last week Cubs really showed, the fans what kind of team they, had.
 In an interview Coacin Robert, 0 Ormsby stated that Gillermo Leos was as excellant tailback, ${ }^{2}$ and that Paul Flores was the number, one Cub fullback. TThe Cub coach also had high praise for his. quarterback David Hensley and, the rest of the team.

The first and second touchdowns were made by Leos. He ran 52 , yards for the first score. He, ran 35 yards for the second six, points.
During the third quarter, Leos also put points on the board by running 62 yards.

> Coach Ormsby let the sesond, string play and they gained some experience.

La Pryor did not disappoint their fans and scored and made a two point conversion attempt.

The game ended with a Cub victory--32-8.


Vocational Agriculture is a good class for students wanting to learn about farm and ranch work. This year Mr. Foust asked his students for suggestions about things to do in class. The suggestions included how to shoe horses and how to back trailers. Students also wanted to learn welding.

## Aany Vo-Ağ students join FFA

 (Future Farmers of America) They are looking forward to cutting Christmas trees and going to livestock shows.

## BAND's MONEY PROBLEM SOLVED

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systems were profitable,: Reardon siad. "The two-year average indicates only the short-duratio system has made a new profit. This same trend should hold up for 1979 , since the estimated calf crop is 91,86 , and 86 percent, respectively, for the short duration, Merrill and yearlong systems.

When comparing beef production per acre, some very interesting results have been logged. The short-duration system has produced over 40 percent more beef per acre than the other systems This can partially be explained by the fact that it has maintained a higher range condition and therefore has been stocked about 38 percent heavier. The short duration system also has some improved grass which offers seme advantages.

Individual cows and claves on this system have performed better than the year-long animals during the past two years. For instance, the early calves from the 1979 calf crop were recently we anted and sold at 497 and 478 pounds respectively, for the short-duration and year-long systems

A goal of being able to carry more animals and still maintain good individual animal performance and good range conditions is presently being accomplished with the use of the short-duration grazing systems. The possibility of increasing net profits 25 to 40 percnet should sound good to most ranchers It could mean an additonal $\$ 1.00$ to $\$ 2.00$ more net profit per acre for typical ranch in Southwest Texas

In addition to the higher pro duction per acre from the short duration system, it has been found that calves from this system, when fed to slaughter weight in a feedlot, gain nearly 20 per cent more than those form other systems. "This means a rancher using this type of system may either get a premium for his feeder calves, or increase profits if he feeds them out himself," Reardon said.

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## Still No Rain

DRY NORTHER COOLS OFF REGION HARVESTS CONTINUE

Southwest Texas cooled down last week as a Norther blew into the region bringing no moisture with it.

Land preparation for fall crop continued, cotton harvesting went unterrupted, and soybean farmers began watering that crop for the last time this season

Texas Agricultural Extension Service Agents in Uvalde, Medina Dimmit and LaSalle Counties estimate cotton harvest stages of 75 percent, 40 percent, 90 per cent and 100 percent respectively in those counties.

Farmers are putting finishing touches on land preparation for oats and other small grains They are ready to plant as soon as moisture is available.

Livestock continue in good to excellent condition with some ranges and pastures on the decline and needing rainfall.

## Adults, Jr. Leaders Meet Too

DISTRICT 4-H COUNCIL MEET DUE IN UVLADE

Uvalde--Youngsters and adults involved in $4-H$ work in Southwest Texas will gather at Southwest Texas Junior College here, September 29, for the annual
District $134-H$ Council Meeting.
Running concurrent with the Council Meeting will be an annual meeting for the district adult leaders and a training session for junior and adult leaders.

The day-long sessions will begin at 9 a.m. with registration on the Tate Building patio. Participants are asked to bring sack lunces for the all-day work shop.

During the day, training sessions on $4-\mathrm{H}$ projects in gardening, methoddemonstrations, wildlife, lamb, arts and crafts and foods and nutrition are planned. A session on how to enlist and keep $4-\mathrm{H}^{\prime} \mathrm{ers}$ involved also is on the schedule

Program personalities include County Extension Agents Miss Pat Anderson, Kimble, Edwards and Real Counties; Carl Esser, Kinney County; Doug Presley, Bexar County; Miss Enuice Rainwater, Uvalde County; and Jerri Ray, Kerr County. Germino "Jerry " Chavez, an area $4-\mathrm{H}$ Specialist from Uvalde; and Dr. B. Dean McCraw, a horticulturist from College Station also are on the program.
To Tour Mexico Pecan Research
STAR PECAN GROUP GOES INTERNATIONAL

UVALDE--Members of the Southwest Texas Agricultural Resources (STAR) Programs' Horticultual Task Force will become an international group Friday

The group plans to hold their fall meeting in Zaragosa, Mexico and toured the Campo Agricola Experimental Station there. STAR is a volunteer development organization dedicated to improving the agricultural economy of the region. The Horticultural Task Force is comprised of fruit and nut growers within the area.

Friday, members and other interested visitors will assemble at border locatons in both Del Rio and Eagle Pas for the trip to the Zaragosa agricultural research station. This station is devoted to pecan and fruit research.

Dr. Paul Flores, Resident Director of the staion, welcomed the group to Mexico and lead the tour.
'We have been looking forward to this opportunity to study some of the pecan and fruit research under way in Northern Mexico," Dr. Loy Shreve, a Texas Agricultural Extension Service horticultural, who advises the STAR group.
'Dr. Flores, and his staff are involved in a number of re search projects of interst to growers in South Texas, including intercropping (mixing fruit and nut trees in the same orchard)work with both pecans and fruits.


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PROPOSICION NO EN LA BOLETA (S.J.R. 13)

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PUBLIC NOTICE BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 6, 1979

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(S.J.R. I3)

Senate Joint Resolution
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guarantee of loans used to purchase farm and ranch borrowers. The proposed amendment would allow the Legislature to provide for, issue, and sell general obligation bonds called Sarm and Ranch Loan State of Texas not ceed 10 million dollars. All money received from the sate of such bonds would be deposited in a separate fund with the State Treas urer and administered by the commissioner of agriculture without further approprations. These guarantee loans for the guarantee loans for the ranch real estate. The commissioner of agriculture would use these funds, under provisions to be prescribed by the Legislature for the purpose of guaran-
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MISS RODEO TEXAS PAGEANT
Horsemanship, beauty, poise, personality, and western attire are the qualififications for girls entering the Miss Rodeo Texas Pageant

The 18 to 24 year old winner f this coveted title will be the recipient of a wealth of cash and prizes, including a hand-tooled saddle, a $\$ 1,000$ scholarship, a $\$ 500$ gold and silver belt buckle and trophies and western attire. Pageant of-
ficials are negotiating for the use of a pickup for use by Miss Rodeo Texas while she holds her Rodeo Conjunction with the Miss Rodeo Pageant, there is also
a Miss Rodeo Texas Teen-- 13 to 17 years of age. She also will receive numerous prizes, incuding a scholar ship, a hand tooled saddle, a $\$ 350$ belt buckle, trophy and western attire and the pageant officials are negotiating for the use of a two horse trailer for use by the Miss Rodeo Texas Teen during her reign.

The Pageant is in San Antonio and will headquartered at the Oak Hills Motor Inn, January 30 thru February 3, 1980. Horsemanship competition will be held at the Joe Freeman "Coliseum. The Cornation is Saturday evening February 2 at the Plaza Club, frost Tower

The categories in which the girls compete will be Horserianship, Western Attire, and Personality. Nine judges are to be preent, three for each category. Miss Rodeo Texas and Miss Rodeo Texas Teen will have an equired to make a majority of he PRCA Rodeos in Texas, they ublic relations events around the year. vill go to compete in the Miss Rodeo America Pageant held in oklahoma City, Oklahoma This year's winner, Carole Spur lock, Miss Rodeo Texas, Texas Teen, have been very busy attending PRCA Rodeos, Junior Rodeos and multide of other func tons, promoting rodeo and Pa eant sponsored prizes. This includes the truck and trailer for Miss Rodeo Texas and a complete western. wardrobe for both Miss Rodeo Texas and Miss Rodeo Texas Teen
Various vacation trips are also awarded the girls. Miss Rodeo Texas has gone to El Paso courtesy oficontinental Airlines and has enjoyed a weekend vacation to the Triple 7 Exotic Game Rnach, in Hondo, Tx. A contestant for Miss Rodeo Texas or Miss Rodeo Txas Teen must be sponsored or titled by civic non-profit organization sents. Yong women wishing to enter either division are urged to have thier entries complete and submitted before the Junary
1st deadline. For entry blanks, please writ Miss Rodeo Texas Pageant, PO BOX

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    How to raise monev was in the minds of everv Tiver Fand Nember until last week. The band "embers were asked to sell seat cushions at $\$ 5.15$ each. Ith alot of hard work the hand members brought in over son?. The money will be used to pav for gas for future out of town games.

    Prizes were riven to "onica Sandoval and Virginia Esnarza for selling the most cushions in one dav. Jight other members of the hand were ziven jackets for sellin: more than $3^{3}$ cushions in three lavs. Their names have not been announced as vet.

