

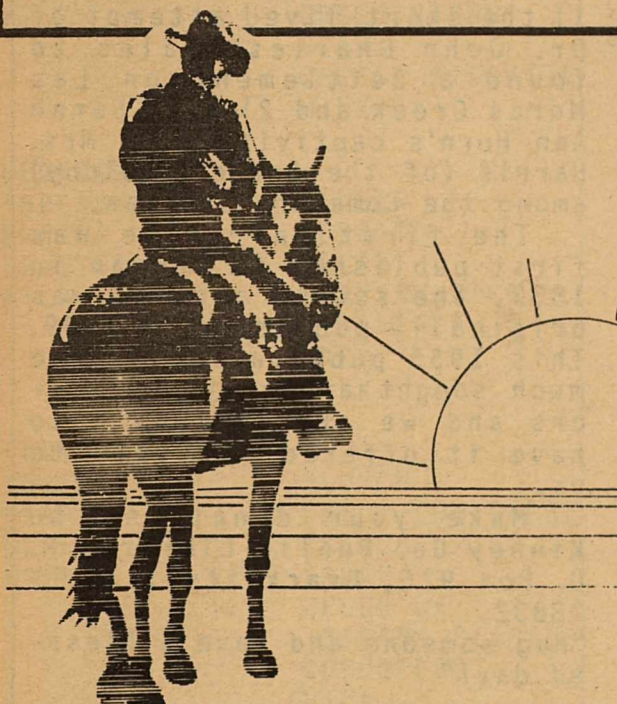


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BRACKETTVILLE, TX 78832

## BRACKETT HONOR ROLL



7th  
 Sherri White      Maria P. Lozano

Jones Elementary

'A' Honor Roll

6th  
 Bonnie Frerich  
 Fidel Hernandez

3rd  
 Charles Frerich      Regina Rubino  
 Kenneth Knowles

2nd  
 Hanna Reschman      Katy Martinez  
 Adan Rodriguez  
 Josefina Talamantez

'A-B' Honor Roll

6th  
 Ramerio Jimenez      Trey Stevens  
 Josie Jackson      Lisa Frerich  
 Michelle Munoz      April Glocar  
 Arturo Lincon

5th  
 Virginia Burgess      Tyson Glocar  
 Ernest Esparza      Rosemary Rubino

4th  
 Jenifer Shahan      Jenifer Javens  
 Susan Hale      Veronica Barragan  
 Patsy Saunders  
 Lorena Rodriguez  
 Jose Miguel Pena

3rd  
 Monica Cruz      Mary Dimery  
 Mary Falcon      Claude Gomez  
 Dee Ann Frerich      Adrian Pena  
 Cordelia Munoz      Sonia Ramos  
 Juan Rivero

2nd  
 Willie Allemeier      Dale Smith  
 Richard Esser      Danielle Blum  
 Maria Terrazas

Special Awards

4th  
 Mary Duran - bringing up all grades  
 David Ramos - most improved: grades & conduct

Perfect Attendance

1st  
 Olga Aguirre      Sean Burks  
 Noe Armendariz      Chris Forbes  
 Yesenia Garcia      Sammie Ricks  
 Guillermo Pina      Teresa Perez  
 Stephanie Powers  
 Sandra Samaniego  
 Dawnivee Rodriguez

DondaAvila      Eduardo Esparza  
 Aaron Bunjes      Chris Hale  
 Manuel Ramon      Mario Reyes

Kindergarten

Denice Frerich      Narciso Gomez  
 Kathleen Hall      Eric Villasenor  
 Ignacio Aguirre      Rebecca Payne  
 Mary Esparza      Monica Rodriguez  
 Matthew Sadler      Juan Hernandez  
 Jacquelyn Smith      Samantha Luna  
 Raymond Talamantez  
 Conrado Talamantez

5th 6 Weeks HONOR ROLL

A w/ Citizenship Honors

12th  
 Jeff Burgess      Ginger Hooten

Sandra Munoa      Mary Alice Sanchez

9th  
 Shawn Burns

'A' Honor Roll

9th  
 Robin Moore

7th  
 Kelly Hall

'A-B' Honor Roll

12th  
 Rodney Bunsen      Brenda Foust  
 Cindy Meyer      David Wilson  
 Juana Hernandez

10th  
 Rita Diaz

9th  
 Toby Frerich      Maria C. Lozano



**DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME  
 APRIL 29TH**

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DEADLINE:  
TUESDAY AT NOON



..."Any erroneous reflection upon the character or standing of any person or firm appearing in this paper will be gladly corrected - upon being called to the attention of the management and to the article in question." ...

*Crystal Sez...*

"Experience is a dear school but fools will learn in no other."  
— Benjamin Franklin

"Etiquette is getting sleepy in company and not showing it."  
— H.M. Berston

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## LIBRARY NOTES

CHAROLETTE COREY,  
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### A New Twist ...

"Who Killed the Robins Family?" created by Bill Adler and written by Thomas Chastain is a new book with a special offer. The publisher is offering a \$10,000 prize to the reader who solves the mystery and submits the best answer.

New books for painting enthusiasts are:

**Painting Watercolors from Photographs**

by Shook

**Painting What You 'Want to' See**

by Reid

**Painter's Problem Book**

by Dawley

For the very young (or young-at heart):

**Goldilocks and the Three Bears**

by Cauley

**Jumanji**

by Allsburgh

A new children's magazine has just arrived - "Ranger Rick", published by the National Wildlife Federation - which may be compared as a very youthful version of National Geographics. There

## UVALDE PACE COMEDY

"How the Chicken Hawk Won the West", a comedy in six scenes, will be presented on the stage of the Grand Opera House, Uvalde on Saturday evening, May 5, at 8 p.m. by the PACE students of Uvalde CISD.

All students in the school's PACE program, grades four, five and six, will be in the play. It was written by Gifford W. Wingate, published by Samuel French, and is directed by Marilyn Nunley of Sabinal. Barbara Niemeyer is director of the Program for Academic and Creative Excellence in the Uvalde schools.

Tickets to the production are available at \$3.00 for adults and \$1.00 for children under twelve. They may be purchased at the Grand Opera House Box Office or by calling 1-278-4082 Tuesday - Friday, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. and Saturday, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

are very comparable photos and an activities section.

We are also getting in Business Week, Newsweek, Mother Earth News, Personal Computing, Gifted Children Newsletter, Sylvia Porter's Personal Finance and more.

We wish to thank those of you who are continuing to save Campbell's and Swanson labels for us. We also wish to thank those who are continuing to contribute to the Library's Extended Services Depository of clothes and household items which are then distributed to our community's needy.

We are now collecting donations toward the purchase of Comanche Bondage by Carl Coke Rister (\$60.00). This book provides two narratives: 1) the short-lived attempt of Dr. John Charles Beales to found a settlement on Las Moras Creek and 2) Mrs. Sarah Ann Horn's captivity with Mrs. Harris (of the Beale's colony) among the Comanche Indians.

The first narrative was first published in German in 1837, the second account was originally published in 1839. This 1955 publication is one much sought after by collectors and we are fortunate to have it offered for sale to us.

Make your donations to Kinney Co. Public Library, P. O. Box 975, Brackettville, TX 78832.

"Hug someone and have a blessed day!"

## THUNDERBIRDS TO VISIT DEL RIO

The Thunderbirds, the famed U.S. Air Force Aerial Demonstration Team, will be featured at Laughlin Air Force Base during this year's open house, May 27th.

Air Amistad will be free of charge and open to public viewing. The festivities will begin at 10:00 a.m.

Other activities will include marching bands, static display aircraft and aerial demonstration from Laughlin and other Air Force units.

Any local civic organizations wishing to participate in Air Amistad should contact Capt. Chris Maracchini at 298-5536 or 298-5547.

Additional details will be provided as they become available.

**BRACKETTVILLE  
SCHOOL MENU**

**APRIL 30 - MAY 4**

**MONDAY**

\*BREAKFAST  
ORANGE JUICE  
PANCAKES  
MILK

\*LUNCH  
CHILI DOG  
FRENCH FRIES  
SWEET PEAS  
FRUIT COCKTAIL  
MILK

**TUESDAY**

\*BREAKFAST  
FRUIT COCKTAIL  
COCOA KRISPIES  
MILK

\*LUNCH  
MACARONI  
'N MEAT SAUCE  
GREEN BEANS  
PEARS  
CHEESE BISCUITS  
MILK

**WEDNESDAY**

\*BREAKFAST  
BANANA  
FROSTED FLAKES  
MILK

\*LUNCH  
BURRITO  
SALAD  
SPANISH RICE  
PINEAPPLE  
CAKE  
MILK

**THURSDAY**

\*BREAKFAST  
PEARS  
MUFFIN  
MILK

\*LUNCH  
CHILI CON CARNE  
FRENCH FRIES  
SALAD  
JELLO W/  
BANANA SLICES  
CORNBREAD  
MILK

**FRIDAY**

\*BREAKFAST  
PINEAPPLE  
POTATO & EGGS  
MILK

\*LUNCH  
BAKED CHICKEN  
SPECIAL PEAS  
BROCCOLI  
APPLESAUCE  
BISCUIT  
MILK

**DO YOU KNOW?**

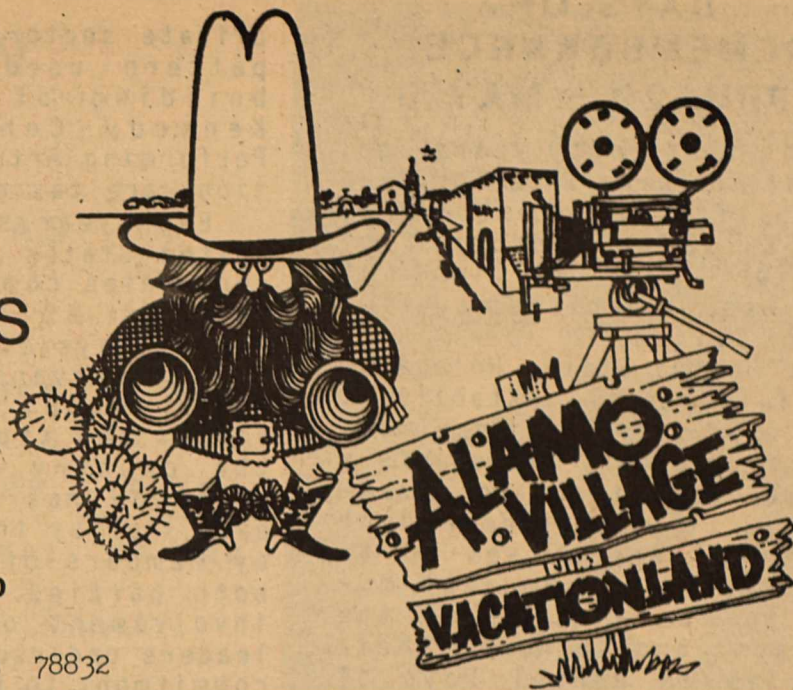
The 94th Bomb Group, a B-17 unit assigned to the 8th Air Force at Bury St. Edmunds, England, is searching for former members. Some 2,400 living former members have been found and another 1,000 are listed as killed in action or deceased. A sixth reunion in England is being planned. Anyone who served with the group or has knowledge of those who served is asked to contact Ret. Col. R. H. Voss, 4351 Balboa Dr., 1-817-292-4737, Fort Worth, TX 76133 for details.

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**SCHOOL REGISTRATION**

Children who are of age (in the Brackettville school district) and plan to attend school during the 1984-85 school year should prepare to/ and register at the school district.

To enroll a child, according to the state of Texas, parents should bring proof of age (birth certificate) and a completed immunization record.

The immunizations include three DTP and polio doses with one required after the fourth birthday. In addition, one dose each of measles, mumps and rubella which is generally given in one injection.

Any child needing an immunization should plan to visit their family physician or their local health clinic.

Immunizations are offered free-of-charge at the Kinney County Memorial Health Clinic everyday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (appointments are necessary). Also, the State Dept. of Health offers free immunizations, at the Dental Clinic on the fourth Friday of every month from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Registration for Kindergarten students has been extended for one week, April 30 - May 4, from 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Jones Elementary.

Registration for new students to the district will be held during the week prior to the new school year: Aug. 21 - 24. High school students will report to the High School and elementary students will register at Jones Elementary.

**SCHOOL  
SNOOPER**

by Crystal Loos



"Hi Guys and Gals!"

Guess What! The school has a new pencil machine. You put your quarter in and you get a pencil. It is in the Jones Elementary office just as you walk in the door.

I would like to personally congratulate the Brackett Tiger and Tigerette track teams for doing such a great job at the track meet. The old saying still stands: "We're # 1!!!"

**ARTIST WORKSHOP**

The Fort Clark Arts Painting Spectacular is planned for May 7th - 10th. This four-day workshop will feature three well-known Texas artists instructing in their personal specialty:

- Billie Barnes - Houston: Portraits
- Bill Zaner - Boerne: Western Art & Landscape
- Mark Claphan - Houston: Horses.

Each class has a fee of \$130 for the entire four-day workshop. Pre-registration is requested.

For additional information please contact:

Enola Lampkin  
Pres. of Ft. Clark Arts.  
P. O. Box 388  
Brackettville, TX 78832

or:  
Edna Tarver  
P. O. Box 812  
Brackettville, TX 78832  
512-563-2209

## DAYS OF REMEMBERANCE APRIL 29 - MAY 6

Less than forty years ago, six million Jews were murdered in the Nazi Holocaust - part of a systematic program of genocide - and millions of other people perished as victims of Nazism.

The United States Holocaust Memorial Council, established in October 1980 by a unanimous vote of Congress, represents a national commitment to remembrance. It is an independent government agency set up to create a living memorial/museum to the victims of the Holocaust and to honor their memories in annual Days of Rememberance ceremonies. Prof. Elie Wiesel, the distinguished author and Holocaust survivor, is chairman of the 65-member council.

Chief among the Council's current activities is planning the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum. The Museum will be an American memorial to the six million Jewish victims of the Holocaust and the millions of others who perished at the hands of the Nazis. It also will be a research and education center for teaching the lessons of that devastating period in the history of civilization so that no future Holocaust will ever again happen anywhere or to anyone.

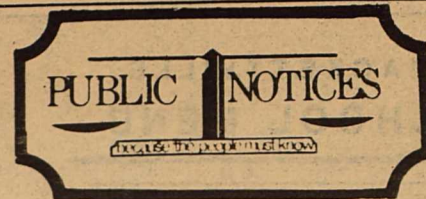
The law requires that all funds for building this institution be raised from the

private sector, following the pattern used to fund the building of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts. All contributions are tax deductible.

Each year since 1979, the United States has coordinated ceremonies commemorating the victims of the Holocaust during Days of Rememberance, when observances are held in Washington, D. C. and in states and cities throughout the country. The national ceremony has been addressed each year by the President and by members of Congress from both parties. This personal involvement of the nation's leaders underscores a national commitment to honor the memory of the victims. In 1984, Days of Rememberance will be observed from April 29 - May 6, in memory of the victims of the Holocaust and with the hope that we will strive always to overcome prejudice and inhumanity through vigilance and resistance.

The Council also has produced an award-winning documentary, TO BEAR WITNESS, which tells the story of the liberation of the concentration camps in 1945 through the stories of the American and Allied soldiers who were there and the tales of those who survived. Information on purchasing or renting this documentary is available from the Council office.

For additional information: Marcia Feldman at Suite 832, 425 13th Street, NW Washington, D.C. 20004. or call: 202-724-0779.



### Contractors' Notice of Texas Highway Construction

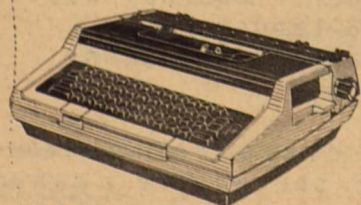
Sealed proposals for constructing 109.284 miles of Seal Coat on various limits in District 7 in Concho, Irion, Tom Green, Sutton, Val Verde, Edwards, Coke, Runnels, Kinney, Kimble & Reagan Counties, on US 83, US 67, US 277, SH 41, FM 2034, FM 2872, FM 2804, RM 479 & FM 1357, covered by CSR 35-3-33, CSR 77-3-23, CSR 77-4-21, CSR 77-6-57, CSR 159-1-32, CSR 159-2-41, CSR 160-2-19, CSR 160-7-23, CSR 201-5-14, CSR 2010-1-7, CSR 2280-1-7, CSR 2752-1-3, CSR 2934-1-9 & CSR 3052-3-2, will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 9:00 A.M., May 9, 1984, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available for inspection at the office of Charlie F. Low, Resident Engineer, San Angelo, Texas, and at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction Division, D. C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

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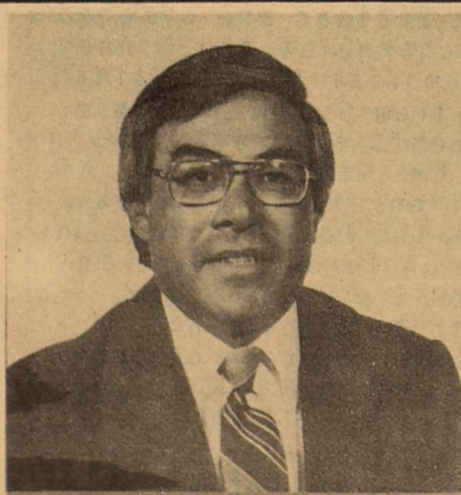


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**CHRIS GOMEZ**  
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" I need your vote - not an endorsement by someone who doesn't live in our community."

# VOTE FOR THE MAN WITH EXPERIENCE

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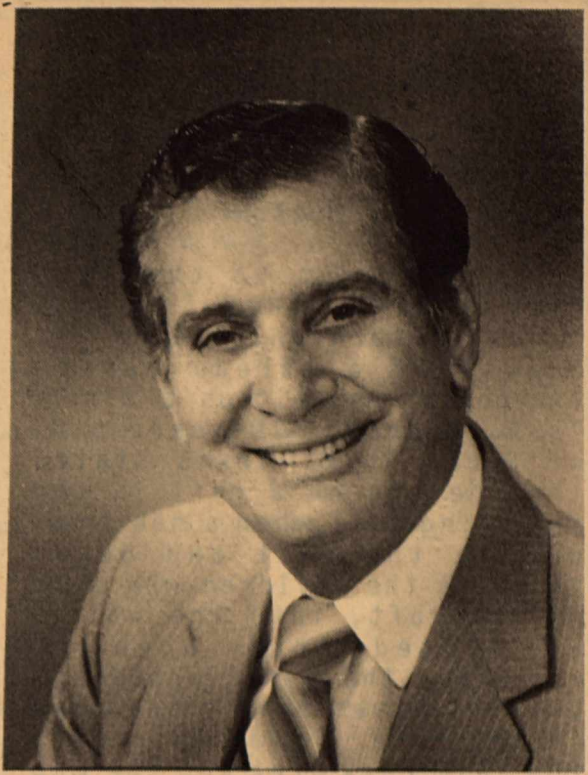
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**KAZEN**  
**DEMOCRAT**

TEXAS HOUSE 6 YRS.  
TEXAS SENATE 14 YRS.  
U. S. REP. 18 YRS.  

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## RODRIQUEZ TO HOLD CONCERT FOR KAZEN

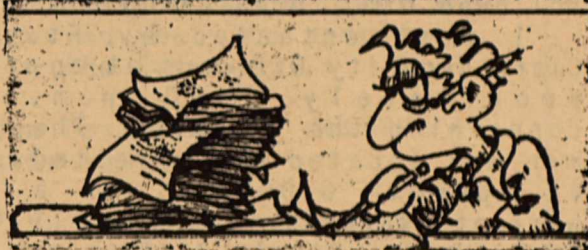
Renowned country singer Johnny Rodriguez and his Band will honor U. S. Rep. Abraham "Chick" Kazen for his 18 years of congressional service to the 23rd district on April 26 at 6 p.m. The concert and festivities, which will be held at the Juan Garcia Park in Crystal City, will be free and open to the public.

Commemorating Kazen's long and successful public record, the celebration will include entertainment, food and refreshments. In case of

inclement weather, the event will be moved to the Crystal Ballroom on Big Wells Highway.

Kazen is running for his 10th term as District 23's congressman. If elected, he will become the ranking majority member of the Military Installations and Facilities Subcommittee of the Armed Services Committee on which he now serves. This committee authorizes all base closings and major increases or reductions in missions strength.

Kazen is also Chairman of the Water and Power Resources Subcommittee of the Interior Committee, which has direct jurisdiction over water rights and compacts approachments of interstate water rights.



## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sirs,

It's been a long time since we've had about 25 old and dilapidated, donated books located in the Brackett News Office (formerly around 1947 where Nash's is now) and manned by the Booth girls, whose salary was paid by Alfred Bartberger, to the beautiful library we now have where you can walk in and get almost anything you want to read.

I wish to thank all those who have contributed to this service including the present Commissioner's Court to whom I will be forever thankful.

Sincerely Yours,  
Uralee Lawrence



### To the Citizens and Voters of Kinney County:

We will choose one justice of the peace in this year's election process, for all of Kinney County.

The county will eventually have only one J.P. The person handling this office needs to be mature, fairminded and worthy of the public trust.

I can meet these qualifications and all others this office requires. I want to serve, but I need the help of each of you.

Thank You,  
Marcus Tidwell

Pd. Pol. Adv. by  
Marcus Tidwell  
P. O. Box 322  
Brackettville, TX 78832

## Musical

Presented by  
"The Kings of Harmony"

Sponsored by: St. John's Church Youth

CARVER SCHOOL HALL  
Brackettville, Texas

April 29, 1984 3:00 p.m.

Donation - - - \$2.00



## THE SHERIFF'S CORNER

by Norman H. Hooten, Sheriff

An incident at the Swim Park in Ft. Clark Springs, Sunday afternoon, led to the arrest of a Laredo man on charges of Assault on a Minor. Tommy Hidrogo, 10-years-old, of Round Rock, Texas stated that he was on a raft in the swimming pool when a man swam out to the raft and began throwing the children who were on the raft, into the water. He stated that when he resisted, the man slapped him several times on the head and in the face. Tommy then left the Swim Park area and the man followed him, threatening him.

I was contacted by Ft. Clark Security Officers at approximately 7:00 p.m. concerning the incident. The man was located and arrested at approx. 8:00 p.m. on a warrant issued by J.P. Darrell Paul Franks. Donald K. Easton, 37, of Laredo, Texas was formally charged with Assault

and received a \$200.00 fine after pleading guilty before the Judge. He paid the fine and was released.

The recent crackdown by the Brackettville Police Department on traffic violations within the City of Brackettville has, as is usually the case whenever police departments take such action, caused mixed emotions from local citizens. Outrage and uproar from many of the violators who have been cited, and expressions of acceptance and satisfaction from those who are glad to see an effort put forth by the Police Department to curb traffic violations within the City.

Law enforcement is often, at best, a hard, thankless job. Most folks want the law enforced, some folks want it enforced on everyone but them and theirs. Traffic law enforcement is probably the most unpopular phase of all law enforcement. Traffic violations are not, for the most part, considered criminal violations unless an accident occurs that takes lives or causes serious injuries, or DWI and DUID cases. But consider this, a

hunk of steel, plastic and rubber, weighing close to 4,000 lbs., traveling down a hard surfaced road can be, at times, a deadly weapon.

The laws controlling the operation and safety requirements of this huge, heavy piece of equipment are necessary for the preservation of life and property. Most drivers, once they pass their driving tests, forget about how long it takes to stop a 4,000 lb. vehicle at various speeds. Thus the reason for speed laws and restrictions such as stop signs, red lights and other traffic control devices.

The speed limit in any residential area, unless otherwise marked, is 30 mph. Most school zones are 20 mph, sometimes less. The reasons for these speed limits is to allow an ALERT motorist to stop a vehicle safely and quickly in the event something unexpected occurs, such as a small child darting out into the street, or a car backing out of a driveway.

In any small community, such as Brackettville or Ft.

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# ELECT NORMAN H. HOOTEN SHERIFF

TAX ASSESSOR - COLLECTOR

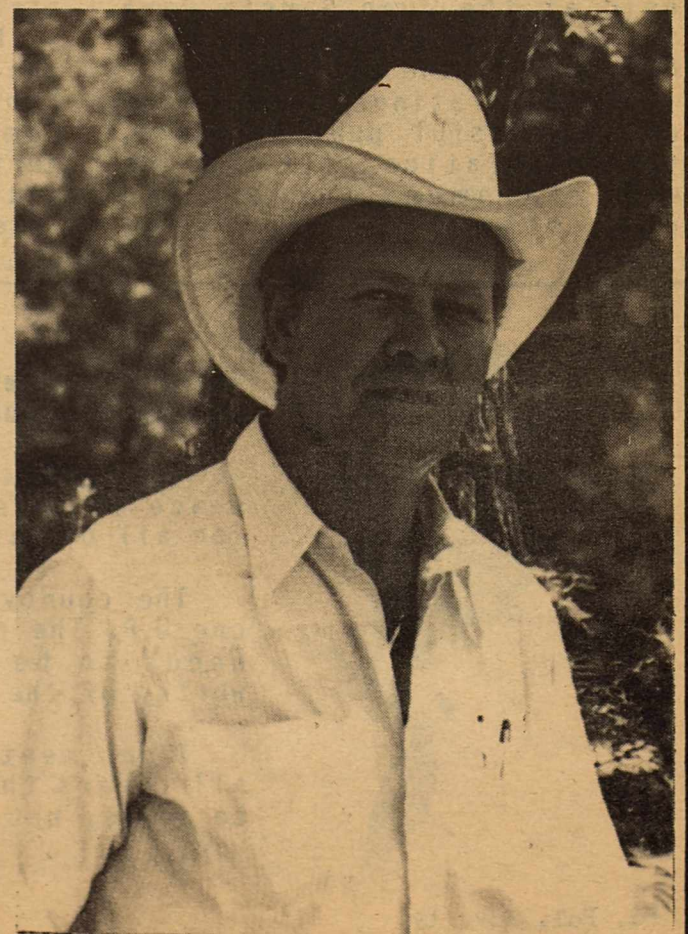
THE SHERIFF WITH A PROVEN RECORD  
OF ABILITY AND PERFORMANCE

NORMAN H. HOOTEN has:

- \* Proven ability in Law Enforcement and Jail Management
- \* Decreased the overall crime rate in Kinney County with effective Law Enforcement Techniques
- \* Saved the taxpayers of Kinney County over \$200,000 during the past two years by good jail management.
- \* Served the people of Kinney County with Honesty and Integrity

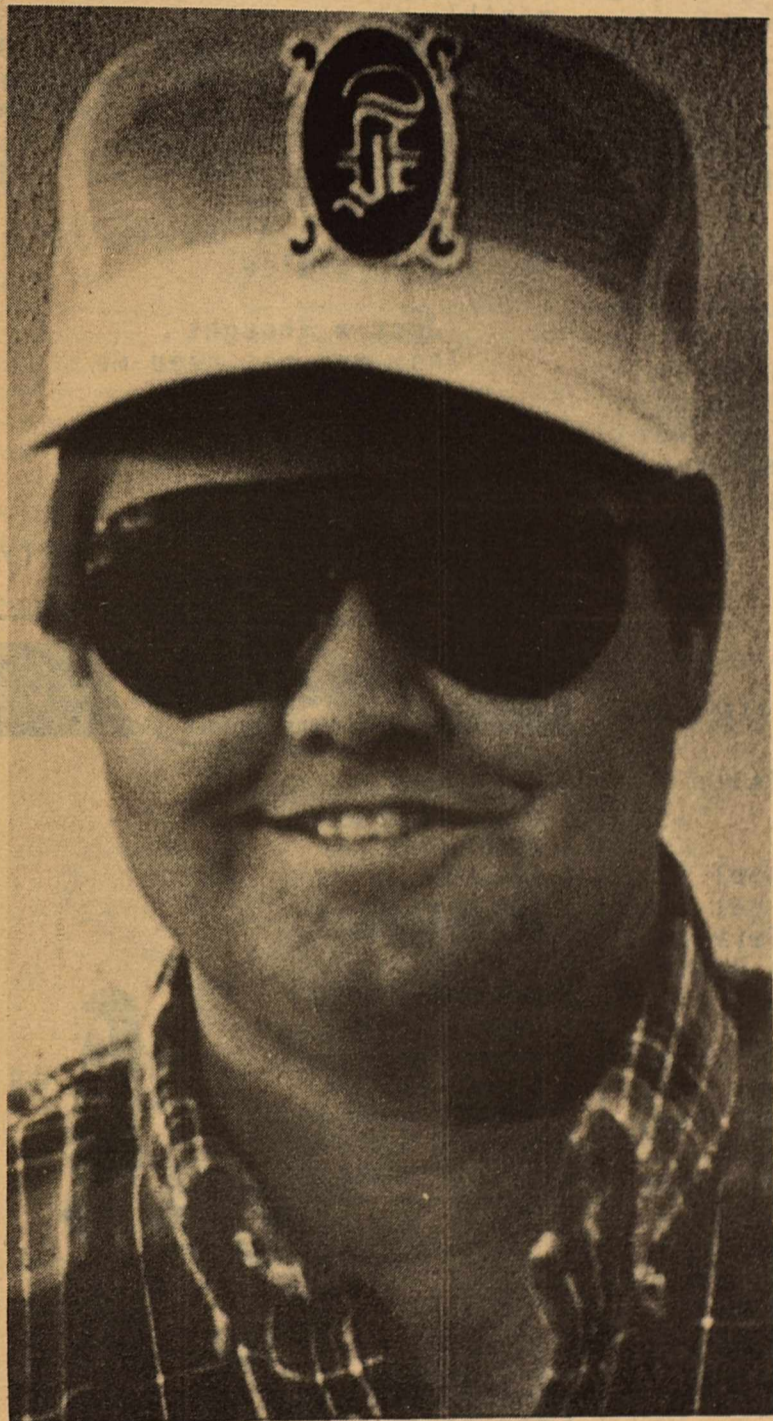
**YOUR VOTE FOR NORMAN H. HOOTEN  
ON SATURDAY, MAY 5, 1984 WILL BE  
A VOTE FOR CONTINUED PROFESSIONAL  
- DEDICATED LAW ENFORCEMENT  
FOR ALL THE PEOPLE OF KINNEY COUNTY!**

**LET'S KEEP THE RIGHT MAN IN OFFICE!**



Pd. Pol. Adv. by Norman H. Hooten

VOTE AND ELECT  
**DARRELL PAUL FRANKS**  
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE



- \* He is a man of Honesty, Integrity and Dedication.
- \* He has performed his job in the past and is capable of serving you, the people of Kinney County, in the Future!
- \* So let's hire the Best Man for Justice of the Peace - County-wide.
- \* His record of five years stands alone!

YOUR CONSIDERATION  
AND SUPPORT FOR  
**DARRELL PAUL FRANKS**  
ON MAY 5TH , 1984  
FOR  
**JUSTICE OF THE PEACE**  
WILL BE  
THE RIGHT ONE!

*Darrell Paul Franks*

**HOOTEN - CONT'D**

Clark, we all tend to take things for granted, especially our driving habits. We become careless and, though I sincerely believe none of our citizens maliciously violate traffic laws, serious accidents have occurred in our community because of careless driving habits and untrained, unlicensed drivers. A friend of ours, was seriously injured and permanently crippled a few years ago, while standing beside his car talking to a friend. The driver of the car which struck him, and caused the serious, permanent injury, was a 13-year-old unlicensed driver who simply did not have the experience or the knowledge to enable her to control the heavy vehicle.

Many years ago, I was working for my Uncle on his ranch near Lometa, Texas. We were building fence and he hired another young man to help us with the work. Well, I kinda felt like my status was being threatened and naturally resented the intruder. We worked a couple days and, of course, things did not go too smoothly because of my feelings. If the newcomer made a suggestion or a request, I was immediately against it, not because of the nature of the request or suggestion, but simply because I resented his even being there.

My old Uncle, being the wise man he was, called me out to the barn one morning as we were getting ready to go to

work. In the pen were two mules, tied together with a short rope around their necks and blindfolded. My uncle put two identical bales of hay in the pen, one on each side. Now this hay was the same type, smelled the same, and I am sure would taste the same.

My uncle walked to the mules and pulled off the blindfolds. The mules stood there a minute and then started to pull against each other. Seems one wanted to go to one bale of hay and the other wanted to go to the other. As I said, the hay bales were identical.

After watching the mules pull against each other a few minutes, my uncle looked at me with his piercing blue eyes and said, "You know, if those mules would COOPERATE and WORK TOGETHER they would both get what they want." It didn't take a ton of bricks to fall on me to know what he meant by that demonstration. We went back to building fence and things sure worked out a lot better after that.

Think about it.

**OUR SENIOR CITIZENS INVOLVEMENTS**

by Agnes Vondy

**A Busy Schedule This Week for the Senior Citizens**

\*\* Practice is being held for the Senior Citizens Olympics to be held in Del Rio, May 18th & 19th.

\*\* April 25 - Celebrating all Birthdays in April. This is a monthly observance.

\*\* April 27 - We are honored by Mr. & Mrs. Aguilar from the Southwest Nursing and Health Service, Inc. They will be taking blood pressure and other necessities.

\*\* May 3 - A Director's Meeting in Uvalde.

**Just a Thought**

They may not need me  
Yet they might  
I'll let my heart  
Be just in sight  
A smile so small  
As mine might be  
Precisely their necessity

**GOSPEL MEETING**

**BRACKETTVILLE CHURCH OF CHRIST**

Hear four Gospel sermons by  
**ROBERT BUCHANAN**  
Minister at  
South Getty Church of Christ  
in Uvalde

Everyone Welcome - Please Come

**MAY 1 - 4 8:00 PM**

**THE COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
Ann Street  
Brackettville, Texas

**SUNDAY**  
10:00 a.m. Bible School (age 2 - gd. 6)  
11:00 a.m. Worship Service  
7:00 a.m. Believers Bible Study

**TUESDAY**  
7:00 a.m. Mens Bible Study and Prayer (open to all men)

**WEDNESDAY**  
7:00 p.m. Prayer and Praise

**FRIDAY**  
10:00 a.m. Womens Tape Group (held at Debbie Esser's home: 3-2531)

GARY HOLCOMBE, Pastor  
315 El Paso  
3-9375

May we help you with:

- \*Christian Counseling (Bible based for Adults, Youth, Deliverance, Inner Healing)
- \* Physical Needs (Food, Clothes for Adults and Children)
- \* Prayer Needs (Crisis, Family, Illness)

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# State Panel Documents Need for Organ Donors

By Governor Mark White

AUSTIN—Since the first successful cornea transplant in Austria in 1905, medical scientists have discovered new surgical techniques and anti-rejection drugs to improve dramatically the survival rate of organ transplant patients.

Given the growing demand for life-saving transplant operations, I appointed the first committee of its kind in the nation last July to suggest ways to encourage more people to become organ donors and to streamline the matching of potential donors and transplant patients.

The Special Coordinating Committee to Facilitate Organ Transplants consists of 11 representatives from state agencies, the medical community, and the interested public. In its final report submitted this week, the committee documents the unmet demand for donated organs and recommends ways the state can support private sector efforts to improve its organ transplant delivery system.

Today, in this country alone, there are 7,000 patients waiting for kidney transplants, 24 waiting for heart transplants, and another 130 adults and children approved as candidates for life-saving liver surgery.

An average of 20,000 Americans die each year under circumstances that would make organ donation possible, yet only 10 to 15 percent of these actually donate their organs. At the same time, many donated organs are discarded because a suitable recipient is not identified in time or because there is no available transplantation center capable of using these donated organs. The Southwest Organ Bank, for example, discarded 105 out of 512 donated kidneys.

We must find ways to eliminate this tragic waste and educate the public about the need for organ donation. The committee is recommending that the Texas driver's license application and renewal forms be redesigned to ask the ap-

plicant if he or she is willing to become an organ donor. If the answer is "yes," the Texas Department of Public Safety would notify a central organ bank registry responsible for mailing these persons the appropriate pre-clearance forms.

Once the completed forms are received, the central registry would forward willing organ donors a special adhesive decal to attach to their driver's license.

Another major committee recommendation involves the creation of a Texas Council on Organ Transplantation to educate the public about organ donations and to collect and coordinate a centralized listing of organ donors, patients needing transplants, and locations of all available transplantation centers in the state.

The committee suggests encouraging the Texas Hospital Association, Texas Medical Association, Texas Osteopathic Medical Association, and Texas Nursing Association to develop uniform guidelines to make systematic efforts to procure organ transplants.

While these recommendations require further study and, in some cases, potential legislative action, they represent an important first step toward improving equitable access to organs donated by unselfish Texans.

Organ transplantation should remain the primary responsibility of the private medical community, but state government can play an important support role and improve the dialogue between all persons involved in this complicated effort to match donor and patient in need.

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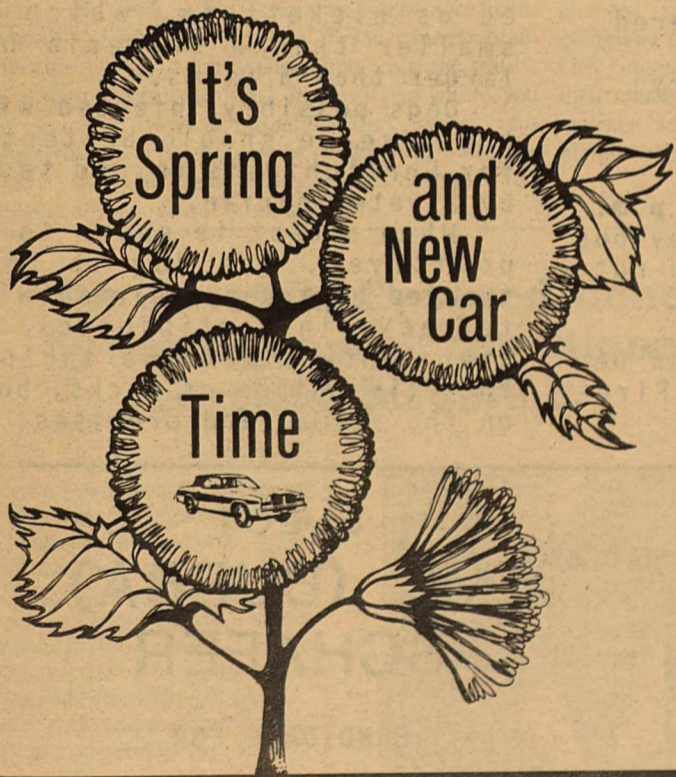
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Anyone can enter and there is a fee of \$1 per photo entered. Deadline for entry is May 23 at 5 p.m. A trophy and ribbons will be awarded.

### Rules of Entry

1. Open to anyone.
2. Entries accepted in 3 categories:
  - a. color prints
  - b. B/W prints
  - c. slides
3. Limit of 4 entries per category.
4. \$1 fee per photo entered.
5. Prints must be drymounted, matted or framed.
6. Minimum size of prints is 5" x 7".
7. Entries must be labelled on back:
  - a. Name, address, phone #
  - b. Title
  - c. Price or N.F.S.
8. 10% of sale proceeds go to the Del Rio Council for the Arts.
9. Entries must be delivered to:
 

The Firehouse Gallery  
120 E. Garfield  
Del Rio, TX 78840
10. **Deadline for entry: Wednesday, May 23 @ 5 p.m.**
11. Winning photos in previous Shutterbug Competition not eligible.

Additional information can be obtained by calling the Firehouse at 775-0888.

## TICK DANGER REPORTED

Texas veterinarians are reporting an increasing number of cases of Canine Ehrlichiosis (pronounced early-ki-o'sis), a potentially fatal dog disease.

Originally introduced to the U. S. from Vietnam, the disease is transmitted by ticks and aggravated by stress, according to an article published recently in the Texas Veterinary Medical Journal.

Veterinary internal medicine specialists say early symptoms may include listlessness, fever, poor appetite and weight loss, followed by depletion of red and/or white cells and decreased blood platelets. If not properly diagnosed and treated during the early phase, some dogs may be subject to a severe chronic phase of the disease 50-100 days after infection. This stage of the disease is frequently fatal, with treatment often unrewarding and animals living only a few days.

The disease is characterized as rickettsia, which is smaller than a bacteria but larger than a virus.

Dogs possibly infected with the disease should be tested for Ehrlichiosis (blood test) by a veterinarian.

When a test is shown to be positive, the dog is then treated by a veterinarian with tetracycline antibiotics. Other control methods include the elimination of ticks, both on the animal and premises.



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**Consumer Update**

Does it really do any good to complain about incorrect utility bills?

Does it really have any impact if you call the utility or the PUC and complain about poor service?

Does anyone at the PUC really read letters from consumers about high rates or sloppy service?

The answer to all three questions is "yes," but the real question that should be asked here is how can a consumer complain effectively. The following is a short course on how you can complain in a way that will achieve positive results:

(1) Decide what you want to accomplish in complaining. Do you want to vent your frustration about high rates? Do you want your telephone line fixed?

Do you want to make sure you're being charged the proper rate? Be specific in stating your complaint.

(2) Decide to whom you want to complain. We have found that the majority of successful complainers try the utility first and obtain satisfaction. Perhaps the utility's computer messed up and charged the wrong rate or a service representative miscalculated a deposit. Any number of things could be the answer to your problem and most utilities will try to satisfy your complaint as soon as you contact them.

(3) If you cannot obtain satisfaction from the utility, ask the utility to whom you should address your complaint (under PUC rules the utility is required to give you our address).

What do we do with the complaints and inquiries we receive? Much of what we do depends on the type of complaint. But we will acknowledge your complaint and we will try to get you some help if you are having a specific problem such as disconnected service or an inaccurate bill.

In most cases, we contact the utility and ask for a written report on its investigation of your complaint. We want utilities to respond effectively to complaints, and the reports help us determine how well the utility has responded to your complaint.

Last year the Consumer Affairs Office received and acted on more than 21,000 complaints and inquiries. As a result of our actions, more than \$250,000 was returned to utility customers in credits or refunds. Hundreds of Texans obtained essential utility services that they had not been receiving. Many who had given up on having a service problem resolved finally got the repairs they were entitled to. We can't always resolve a complaint to your full satisfaction, but we do listen, and we will do our best to help make your complaint count.

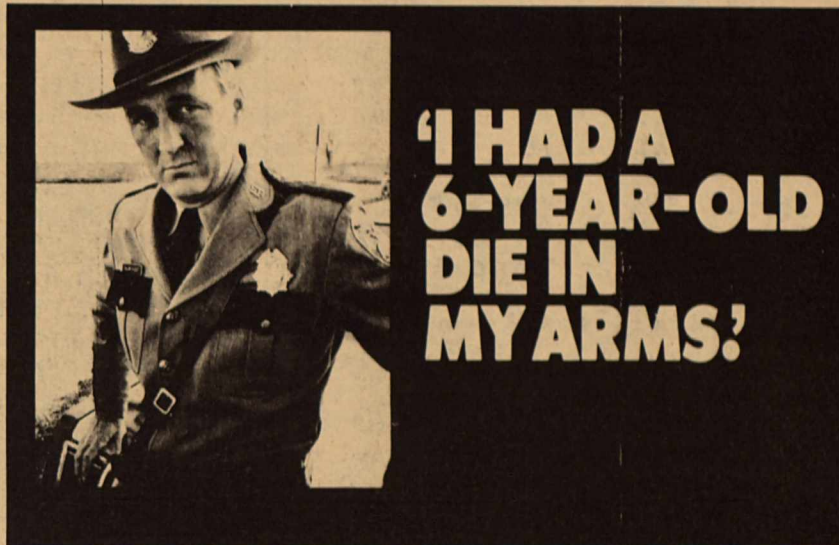
So, increase your chances of making your complaint effective. Be specific, contact the utility, and then contact the PUC. Our mailing address for complaints or inquiries is:

Public Utility Commission of Texas  
Consumer Affairs  
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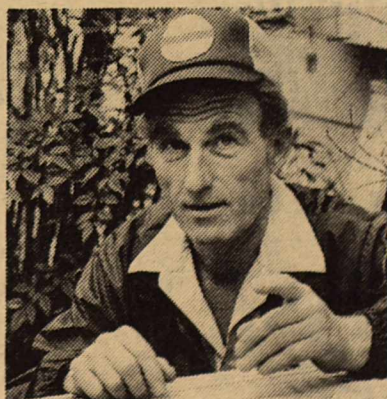
"As it is, I found a small problem and fixed it when I came out to clean and check their air conditioning. I can tell you that problem would have grown worse and damaged the whole system. It's a good thing I caught it when I did.

"Of course, I wouldn't have had the opportunity to find the problem early if Mrs. Jones hadn't called early.

"Your air conditioner needs a tuneup every year—and spring is the best time to do it. Call your air conditioner repairman today and give him a chance to save you some money.

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**NORMAN H. HOOTEN**

**County Commissioner Pct. 3**  
**TIM WARD**

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