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CITY SURVEY RESULTS

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The city-wide survey conducted last week was based on the Census Bureau population figure of 1,733 residents. Of this total, the survey contacted 1,477 for an 85% contact figure that exceeded the required 75% contact requirement.

Of the 1,477 population contacted, 835 responded below the low and moderate income base while 642 responded higher. This data indicates a 56% low and moderate income base, thus exceeding the 50% requirement for a proposed city-wide TDCA grant.

Additional important information can also be deduced from the survey. The survey contacted 535 residences that showed a 2.8 average persons per household. It further reported 110 vacant homes in Brackettville with some 20 households reporting non-resident status. Compared to the utility department water connections for residential use it revealed that the population of Brackettville under the survey was 1,554 while the utility connections indicate 1,620 and the census 1,733.

The main reason for the disparity is the average number of persons per household. The survey indicated 2.8 while the census shows 3.8 persons.

The primary purpose of the survey was accomplished and on behalf of the employees we thank each and everyone for their hospitality and cooperation.



One of the prominent landmarks on Galveston Island is Sacred Heart Church, a distinctive piece of architecture reflecting influences of Moorish, Gothic, Byzantine and Romanesque styles. Constructed in 1904, the church features octagonal towers, flying buttresses, and a variety of arches. It is located off Broadway in the East End Historical District. TTDA photo by Richard Reynolds.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SPONSOR BAZAAR

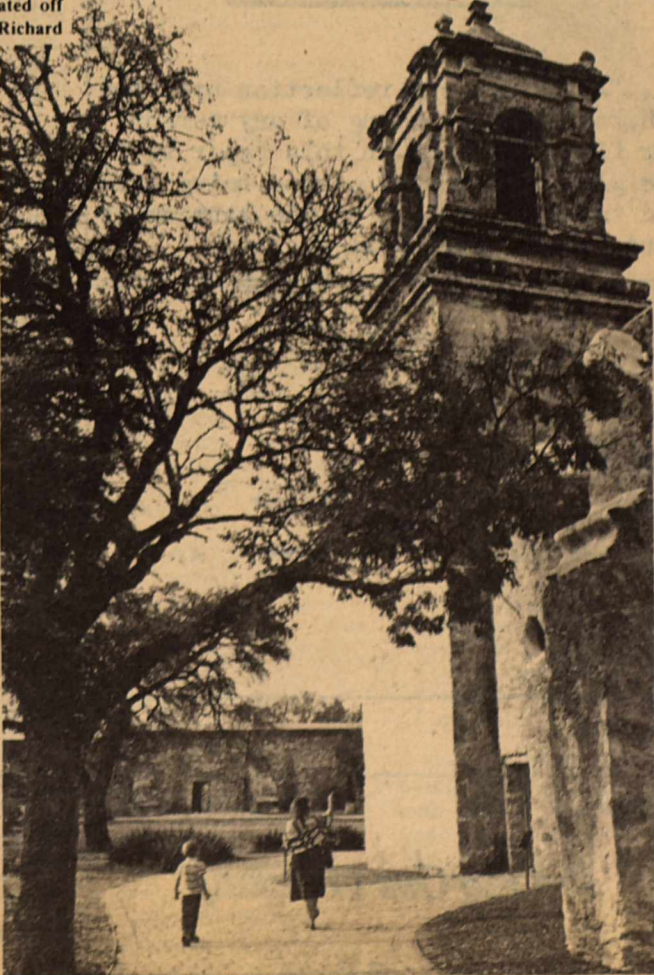
The Knights of Columbus are sponsoring a BAZAAR on Sept. 16, 1984 at the St. Mary Magdalene Church in Brackettville (Deis Y Seiz). Any of the parishioners are welcome to submit a project or participate with the Knights. Please contact the Grand Knight, Chris Gomez (3-2588) or Program Director Eloy Garcia (3-2396).

Food boothes, games, homemade items, & soft drinks are some of the projects already in the making.

K.C. Council #8223, Brackettville, TX on August 25, 1984, undertook a major project - painting the Mission of St. Blaise at Spofford, TX. A noon meal was served by Auxiliary member Mrs. Antonio Pena, and Mrs. Jose J. Cruz Sr. & families. The meal was provided by St. Mary Magdalene & Father Jim Cashin. It consisted of fajitas, tortillas, beans, rice, iced tea, homemade cookies, cake and coffee.

CITY LANDFILL OPEN SEVEN DAYS A WEEK

The city council has approved and the city staff is now operating the city landfill on highway 131, seven days a week. The hours for the operation of the landfill has been established as 10 - 6 Mon. - Sun. and will only be closed on approved city holidays.



Known as the "Queen of the Missions," San Jose y San Miguel de Aguayo in San Antonio was founded in 1720, and the church was built 1768-82. The entire mission compound has been restored, and includes a granary, workshop, and Indian dwellings. The famous landmark is both a State and National Historic Site. TTDA photo by Richard Reynolds.

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UVALDE ARTS COUNCIL SPONSORS 'PETER & THE WOLF'

UVALDE, ---- : "Peter and the Wolf," a Russian folk tale set to music, will be performed by David Syrotiak's National Marionette Theatre on Sunday, Sept. 23, at 2:30 P.M. in the Grand Opera House. This 55 minute musical production is sponsored by the Uvalde Arts Council.

The legend of the young hero who outwits the wicked wolf, has been a favorite of concert audiences for over 40 years. This unique puppet production combines theatre, music, and adventure and is designed to appeal to all ages.

The National Marionette Theatre, based in Hartford, Connecticut, has been in existence for 30 years and tours coast to coast each season. Last season, they also performed in Switzerland, France, and Italy, and are planning a tour of Yugoslavia, France, and England for the coming season.

The theatre has won numerous awards, including a Citation for Excellence in the field of adult puppetry from the Union International de la Marionette. They are the first American Marionette Co. to receive this award.

Tickets are \$5.00 each and will go on sale Tuesday, Sept. 4, at the Opera House Box Office in downtown Uvalde. Uvalde Arts Council discounts will not apply to this performance. For more information, the Box Office number is 1-278-4082, or you may write to P.O. Box 1451, Uvalde, TX 78801.

OBITUARY

MILDRED MELISSA GANT

Melissa M. Gant passed away at her home in Brackettville, early Wednesday morning, August 29, after a long illness.

She is survived by her husband, James C. Gant, one son and one daughter, both of Ohio.

Final preparation and disposition of her remains were completed Friday, August 31.

Hillcrest Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

MOMS AND DADS !

It's time again! Time again for Fall Round-Up. Troop 234 Boy Scouts of America is recruiting youth for its troop. Bring your sons (10 1/2 or older) to meet our leaders and talk about registering your son with B.S.A. Troop 234. This could be a once in a lifetime adventure for your son, so don't let him miss out on the fun.

GIRL SCOUTS

That's a pretty tall order for the girls willing to take on that challenge, and we have a small group of girls in this community that have done just that for the last two years.

This year we are hoping to improve our numbers, but we can't do it by ourselves. **WE NEED LEADERS.**

Young and old adults - men and women. We can always spare a few hours a week for a good cause, the future of our community.

Come by the First Baptist Church, Sep. 17, at 7 p.m. for our Recruitment Round-Up, to lead our girls to a better future.

Businesses willing to sponsor a scout can drop us a line at Troop 282/283, Box 1214, City 78832



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SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE WITHDRAWS APPLICATION

Southwestern Bell Telephone today announced it has withdrawn its application for optional local measured service now pending with the Public Utility Commission.

In taking this action, the company cited the need to consider issues raised by customers and to allow more time for an in-depth study of pricing for local telephone service.

"This request does not mean Southwestern Bell is backing away from the difficult issue of how we price our service," said Larry J. Alexander, Vice President-Public relations. "Today, providing local exchange service is our primary business and the rate we charge must now cover the costs--if we are to keep providing the kind of dependable service customers deserve. But more importantly, we must offer rate options that meet customer needs."

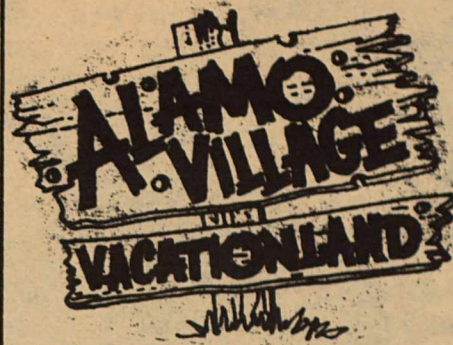
To underscore the company's concerns, Alexander said that Southwestern Bell plans to form an advisory panel representing Texas consumers and organizations who have expressed interest in the pricing issue.

Leaders from the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) and the League of United Latin-American Citizens (LULAC) Already have indicated they will serve on the panel.

Invitations will be issued to other leaders and experts in this area in the coming weeks, according to the company.

"We want to be responsive to our customers on this and every other issue," said Alexander. "In this case, it means making the decision to re-examine this proposal in light of customer comments and industry changes."

As part of today's announcement, Southwestern Bell Telephone reaffirmed its commitment to offer customers pricing options, including some based on telephone usage.



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NEWS OF HEALTH

A chewing gum which contains nicotine—the addictive substance found in cigarettes—is helping thousands of smokers kick the habit.

The gum releases small amounts of nicotine which are absorbed via the buccal mucosa—lining of the mouth—and produces nicotine blood levels sufficient to reduce withdrawal symptoms. In clinical trials, when used as an adjunct to a formal smoking cessation program, the chewing gum demonstrated long-term success rates of 40 percent or more—better than twice that of the same program with placebo gum.

Called Nicorette™ (nicotine resin complex), from Merrell Dow Pharmaceuticals Inc., the gum has been used successfully in Canada for several years, as well as in several other nations, doctors say.

Use of Nicorette enables the smoker who is trying to stop to deal with the social and psychological aspects of overcoming cigarette addiction, while alleviating withdrawal symptoms from nicotine. Once the first hurdle has been overcome, experts say, the second phase of nicotine withdrawal becomes easier. Because oral absorption of nicotine is slower and, therefore, possibly less addicting than inhalation, it is less difficult to decrease gradually the amount of gum



There's a new prescription chewing gum that's helping thousands of Americans "kick the smoking habit."

chewed until its use can be discontinued.

The only product proven effective in helping smokers quit, Nicorette is an adjunct to smoking cessation programs and is available by prescription only. Nicorette is not for everyone. It will not make anyone stop smoking; the smoker must be motivated to quit. It has demonstrated its worth, doctors agree, as an important part of smoking cessation therapy and should be good news to millions of Americans.

If the gum is chewed too fast, the effects can be similar to those experienced when a person smokes a cigarette too fast. Most of these side effects are controlled by chewing more slowly. Nicorette is contraindicated in women who are or may become pregnant, in nursing mothers and in certain other conditions.



Don't use rubber gloves when polishing silver and don't store silver with rubber bands. Rubber darkens silver.

SENSIBLE SWEETS

Summer fun means summer thirst. Instead of reaching for a sugary soft drink, cool down with fun, reduced-calorie, no-alcohol drinks like Cran-Orange Spritzer, Chocolate Amaretto Cream and Tom Collins. These are "sensible sweets" for the entire family from Equal, low-calorie sweetener with Nutra-Sweet.

Cran-Orange Spritzer is the perfect pleaser after tennis, swimming or running.

If summer brings out the iced coffee lover in you, try Chocolate Amaretto Cream. This rich tasting creation is a delicious anytime cooler, or if sour is your preference, try this low-calorie version of the spirited Tom Collins.

For more sensible and tasty summer drink ideas, send for a copy of the 40-page booklet, Equal Delicious Recipes. Send \$1.00 (for postage and handling) to P.O. Box 3435, Libertyville, IL 60198.

CRAN-ORANGE SPRITZER

- 3/4 cup cranberry juice
- 1/2 cup orange soda
- 1/4 cup club soda
- *2 packets Equal, low-calorie sweetener
- 3 to 4 ice cubes

Combine all ingredients in blender. Blend on high until smooth. Pour into tall glasses. Serve. Makes 2 servings, 6 ounces per serving.

Calories per serving: 81
Diabetic exchange: 2 fruit

CHOCOLATE AMARETTO CREAM

- 2/3 cup evaporated skimmed milk
- 1 tablespoon unsweetened cocoa
- *6 packets Equal, low-calorie sweetener



- Dash bitters
- 1/2 cup club soda
- 1/2 teaspoon almond extract
- 4 ice cubes

Combine all ingredients in blender. Blend until smooth. Pour into glasses. Serve. Makes 2 servings, 6 ounces per serving.

Calories per serving: 141
Diabetic exchange: 1 non-fat milk, 1/4 fruit, 1-1/2 fat

TOM COLLINS

- 1 cup seltzer water
- 2 teaspoons rum extract
- *5 packets Equal, low-calorie sweetener
- 3 tablespoons lime juice
- 1 cup ice cubes

Combine all ingredients in blender. Blend at high speed until smooth. Pour into 8-ounce tumblers. Serve. Makes 2 servings, 6 ounces per serving.

Calories per serving: 29
Diabetic exchange: 1/2 fruit

*This recipe was developed especially for Equal (aspartame sweetener). Success cannot be assured if other sweeteners or preparation methods are used.

"I believe in the discipline of silence and could talk for hours about it." George Bernard Shaw

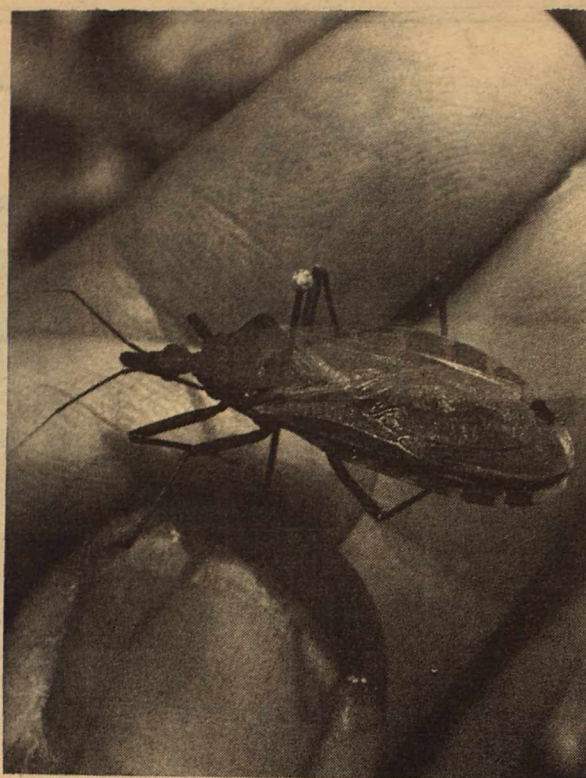
KISSING BUGS BITE

UVALDE--Don't be misled by the kissing bug's flowery name. This insect can be a serious household pest, according to Dr. J.W. Stewart, extension entomologist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, headquartered in Uvalde. The insects are found throughout the southern United States, all of Central America and as far south as Argentina. They are especially prevalent in South Texas this year, Stewart said.

The kissing bug got its name from newsmen around the turn of the century. The insect often bites near the lips of sleeping individuals and many journalists regarded these insects as a favored topic, popularizing the insect as early as 1890. Names such as cone nose bug, blood-sucker and Mexican bed bug all relate to the same type of blood sucking insect, he said.

In spite of their size -- their full length will be about one inch -- kissing bugs often escape detection. They hide behind furniture and drapes during the day, becoming active at night. Stewart said they are easily recognized by their long, slender head and tell-tale orange harsh marks which encircle the abdomen.

Kissing bugs usually frequent houses only to take blood from sleeping or resting individuals. However, they can become numerous in hunting cabins that harbor rats and mice, feeding on unwary campers as opportunities arise, Stewart said. The insects naturally abound in wood piles, prickly pear clumps, overgrown fence rows and similar areas where common field rodents live. It is in these surroundings that they develop into mature, flying insects found in homes, he said.



"Kissing bugs enter houses through ill fitting window screens, holes in screening, around doors that do not fit or are not weather stripped, through open chimneys and through cracks in flooring of houses built on pier and beam foundations," the entomologist said.

"Once entrance is obtained, they wait until it's totally dark and then feed," he said.

Research has shown that the feeding time varies from two to eight minutes, Stewart said. The bite usually benign at first, but an intense itching usually develops at the site of the bite from 12-20 hours later, he said. Most people who have suffered a bite find it only slightly annoying, however visible bumps may persist for two or more weeks, Stewart said. "A few people are highly allergic to the bite and require medical attention," he explained.

Prevention is the best tactic to avoid kissing bug bites, Stewart said. Houses should be bug-proofed by the judicious use of caulking around windows, repairing screens on windows and doors, using weather stripping around doors and closing the chimney damper during the summer. The area around the house also should be inspected for breeding sites of the insect, he said.

"The primary objective is to eliminate any area that favors ground squirrels, rats and mice. Sanitation is the key, but does not insure 100

percent success," Stewart said.

"Disposing of trash or brush piles and keeping fence rows clean are necessary since these areas are prime rodent hideouts and excellent places for kissing bugs to live," the entomologist explained.

Kissing bugs may still gain entrance into homes after all precautions have been taken, he said.

"Should this occur, use a fly swatter to immobilize the intruder," Stewart said. "Paper toweling should be used to pick up and dispose of the insect. Kissing bugs are blood feeders and should not be handled or trusted," he advised.

Several household insecticides may be used to control kissing bugs, he said, and these may be necessary if frequent bites occur. A pest control operator can spray for these pests, however the long-range solution is to find where they are entering the house and take measures to block them out, he said.

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**THE
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by Norman H. Hooten, Sheriff

Larry Ronald Stiver, 43, a Ft. Clark resident being held in the Kinney County Jail, escaped at approx. 3:15 a.m. Tuesday morning, August 28th. He was being held on numerous charges by the state of North Carolina for Felony Fraud and Felony Embezzlement. He was to be extradited to that state.

Stiver used the oldest trick known to exist between inmates and jailers to effect his escape. He pretended to be sick and in need of medication. The jailer on duty violated two (2) standing departmental directives by entering the cellblock alone and opening the cell door to give two aspirin and a cup of coffee to Stiver, who then threatened the jailer with physical harm to obtain control of the jailer and the keys to the jail. A few minutes later, the jailer was able to lock himself in the Dispatcher's Office and start calling for assistance. Security Officers from Ft. Clark Springs, Chief of Police Richard Dempkowski, Game Warden Bill Lindeman, local DPS Troopers and others responded to the call. By the time they arrived, Stiver had fled the scene.

I was in Austin at the time to attend a seminar and was notified at 3:30 a.m. that the escape had occurred. I immediately left Austin to return to Brackettville, arriving shortly after 8:00 am. Roadblocks had been set-up on all major highways leading out of the Brackettville-Kinney County area and a largescale manhunt was begun. We were assisted by area law enforcement officers including the U.S. Border Patrol, DPS Troopers, Game Wardens, and other Sheriff's Departments, all to no avail.

Friday morning, August 30th, I was contacted by a Leakey rancher who has holdings in Kinney County approx. 6 miles Northeast of Brackettville on Ranch Road 334. He advised me that a man approached him at the ranch on Thursday morning at approx. 10:30

a.m. asking for food and water. He said the man answered the description of Stiver which he later obtained from a Leakey newspaper. He further stated that the man was dirty, unshaven with numerous scratches about the face, neck and arms, related a story about being abandoned by friends and being lost since Tuesday. He gave the man a ride to the intersection of Hwy. 334 and Hwy. 55 in Uvalde County, approx. 30 miles Northeast of Brackettville. He said the man told him that he was going to contact friends in Uvalde. There have been no further reports of his being sighted in the area.

A long-term investigation and search for the escapee has been set in motion and I am confident that the end result will be the capture of Stiver and his return to Kinney County to stand trial on charges of Felony Escape. The North Carolina authorities have been advised and they will assist in the search. Mr. Stiver will be caught eventually and will answer for his crimes against society.

The jailer, Hector Luna, 36, a two year veteran with the Kinney County Sheriff's Department has been suspended without pay until the investigation into the matter is completed. From the information available thus far, it is most likely that he will be terminated, possibly by the time you read this. Had departmental rules & regulations regarding inmates and jailers been followed and obeyed the escape would not have occurred.

Three of the four Guatemalans arrested locally last May on charges of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle were tried, convicted, and sentenced on Thursday, August 30th. They each received 5 year probated sentences. One, a U.S. Citizen, was released to return home to California. The other two, Guatemalan Nationals, were released to the custody of the U.S. Border Patrol, who processed them and returned them to the County Jail to be detained until they can be transferred to another location. There is a case pending against a fourth Guatemalan who is in the custody of the FBI at an undisclosed location.

2106 THE TAX PICTURE

"Tax the rich!"

That's the outcry of most politicians as the solution to a dismal federal financial picture.

"If all the taxable income not already taxed above \$75,000 were taken, the government could be run for only 10 days," according to J. Peter Grace, chairman and chief executive officer of W.R. Grace Co., who heads the President's Private Sector Survey on Cost Control.

The Grace Commission report has issued 2,478 cost cutting suggestions that it said would result in a savings of at least \$424.4 billion over three years.

"If taxes are to be raised to cut the deficit, they're going to have to raise taxes in the level of \$35,000 and below. That's where 90 percent of the taxable income is, and therefore it's where significant revenue can be raised with an increase in taxes," Mr. Grace declared. "The working people of this country are already at the end of their rope with taxes, which have risen, believe it or not, from an average of \$9 per year for the median income family of 1948 to \$2,218 today. The myth that the defi-

cit problem can be solved by raising taxes on the rich is a cruel hoax on the working people of this country because if taxes are raised to close the deficit, it is the working people who are going to bear the brunt of the burden."

Some of the areas in which the Survey identified savings possibilities include curbing program waste in the government's loan policies, personnel mismanagement, and through system failures.

"This serious deficit problem is going to continue, however and it's going to get worse and worse and become completely unstoppable unless Congress—the people at the root of the problem—cuts the spending," Mr. Grace said.

Many people concerned about America's economic future are writing to their legislators to suggest their congressmen implement the findings of the Grace Commission. They address the letters to the U.S. Senate, Washington, D.C. 20510 and the House of Representatives, Washington, D.C. 20515.

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TIGER 'BONE' TO SNAP AT EAGLE'S NEST

EDITOR'S CORNER

I hope our journalism class will be able to provide you with the news of our school. We will make some mistakes, but we will overcome those mistakes in the near future.

We would like to thank Mr. Martinez for drawing the tiger logo for our paper pages. Also, we would like to thank Mr. Loos for allowing us to publish our newspaper in The Kinney Cavalryman.

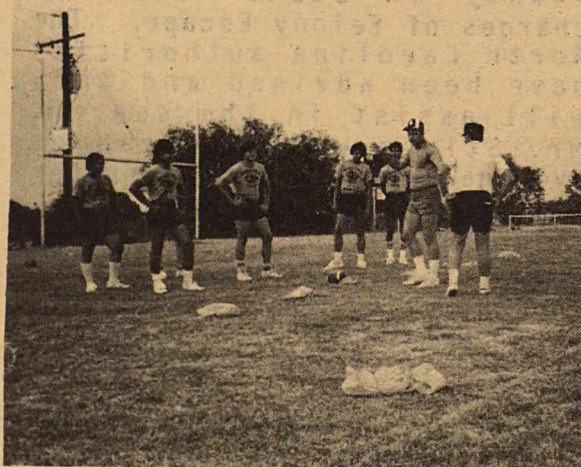
I hope this school year is as good to you as it will be to us. Our staff is hoping to provide coverage for school and the community. I am very proud of the enthusiasm they have displayed in our first work sessions.

Pat R.

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COACHES BURKS AND BAKER PREPARE JESUS PENA, HECTOR PENA, MARK FRERICH, EARL BAKER, RICHARD ESPARZA FOR LEAKEY.

COACH BAKER ON 1984

In an interview that was held with Coach Baker on August 28. He shared the following with this reporter. He expects his players to have good attention, be aggressive and highly motivated. This will help them do their very best. He stated, "All this will make a winner". When asked about this years football season he said, "I can't wait".

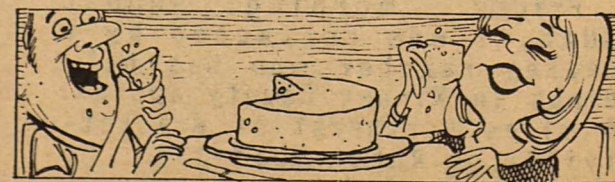
Coach Baker was asked how he thought the team did in the scrimmage against Ingram. "They did better than expected. Once we get our act together we should be tough". He also went on to say that the J.V. did good for what little practice they had.

The Brackettville Tigers completed the pre-season scrimmage session Friday night, Aug. 31 at Tiger stadium. The Asherton Trojans were both victims and victors. The Tiger Varsity outscored the Trojan Varsity, while the junior varsity dropped their decision.

With Hector Pena and Walter Dyer alternating at the quarterback position for the varsity the Tigers went scoreless during their first possession. Asherton found the going rough all evening on offense, due to Coach Cliff Baker's version of the "swarm" for defensive purposes. It was the defense providing first points when freshman safety Robert Estrada intercepted an Asherton pass and dashed 61 yards for a touchdown. The next Tiger points were accomplished in three plays on the Tiger's second possession.

Asherton was slowed on their second possession by interceptions. Cornerback David Benitis and his brother James intercepted the Asherton ariel attack.

Coach Cliff Baker commented on the improvement noted since the last outing by the Tigers. Looking forward to tonight's season opener with the Leakey Eagles in the Eagle Nest he stated, "As long as we don't get satisfied with our performance, we will continue to improve".



The pound cake got its name not from its weight but from the pound of butter it contains.

LIBRARY NEWS

Mrs. Bixby, Brackettville School Librarian, is looking forward to seeing all the students once again. There have been several new paperback books purchased for the library. These books will be processed in the library. Some books are classics and some are for general enjoyment. There are also magazines that could be checked out for a period of time. If any teacher has any idea or recommendations for reference books in their subject area that they would like to see added to the reference collection, Mrs. Bixby said she would like them to see her as soon as possible.

The schedule of classes for library visitation is being developed. Mrs. Bixby is making an effort to schedule class visits in a way that will allow each Brackettville Schools student to have access to the library on a regular basis.

by Alma De Hoyos

FACULTY FEATURE

This year there are several faculty members new to the staff. Our new basketball coach, Nancy Chism, is one of the new members.

Miss Chism is originally from Llano, Texas. She has coached and taught in several Texas schools. Among them are Freeport, Kalfeen, and Caldwell. Her last year of coaching was at a school in Texas named Buena Vista.

As a college student she went to Tarleton State at nearby Stephenville, Texas. She was a college athlete. Her sports concentration areas were volleyball and track.

According to films she has seen, she feels that the Tigerettes need work on basics. The girls have a real sound tradition in basketball and that counts for a lot. According to Miss Chism, "some of the girls from the team last year moved away, but I think with some hard work we could make-up the difference and more than likely be better".

JONES ELEMENTARY NOTES

Mrs. Marvin Carder, 1984-1985 Jones Elementary School PTA President, urges all parents of elementary school students to attend the first PTA meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 11 in the school cafeteria. This will be an excellent time to get information about the school year, and you are urged to "come and greet your child's teacher."

**BRACKETTVILLE CAFETERIA MENU
September 10-14**

- MONDAY: chicken pattie, baked potato, broccoli with cheese, fruit surprise, hot roll, milk
- TUESDAY: hot dog or chili dog, tator tots, vegetarian beans, jello, milk
- WEDNESDAY: beef tacos, taco salad, spanish rice, sliced peaches, milk
- THURSDAY: spaghetti with meat sauce, green salad, banana, garlic toast, milk
- FRIDAY: fried chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, grapes, white bread, milk

COMPUTERS

Mr. Chuck Hall is teaching a course in computer science for students who are interested in computers.

Computers are very fascinating. In three to four years from now, computers will offer the greatest amount of jobs in job marketing. Brackett High School has ordered about nine computers from Radio Shack. The models of the computers are TRS 80 three and four, which is a very good brand. Mr. Hall is hoping to offer computer science one, two, and three in the near future.

FIREWORKS AT B.H.S.

FROM MR. MC CALL:

Monday, August 27, 1984, school started with a "bang". The "bang" resulted when the electrical transformer became overloaded due to the heavy usage from the first day of school.

Students at Brackett High thought it was a fireworks display when the transformer started shooting sparks everywhere. There was no permanent damage to anyone or to any cars parked under the transformer.

Mr. Mc Call made a few statements about the reaction to the 30 minute lunch break. He said that, "the students have reacted very well to the change". He said, "there has been no problems due to the change". He also added to these statements that, "Brackett students are the best students to work with."

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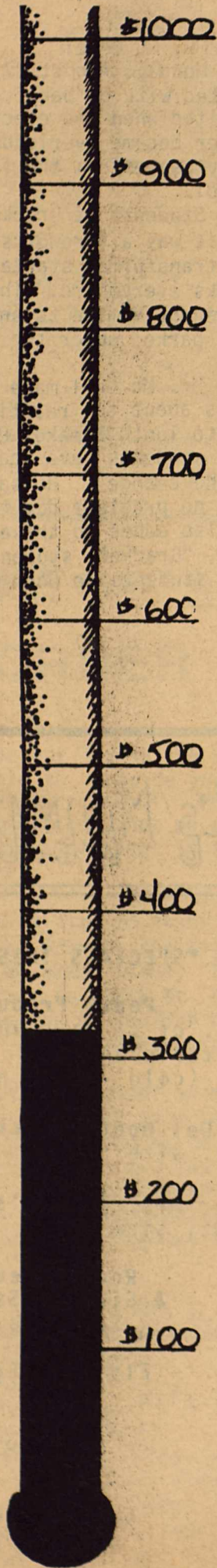
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Career Opportunities

Jobs Open For Border Patrol Agents

The U.S. Department of Justice and the U.S. Border Patrol are recruiting men and women to work as agents on the U.S.-Mexico border to enforce national immigration laws.



Working as a Border Patrol agent can be both challenging and rewarding.

There are two time periods during which applications will be accepted. They are: between July 9 and August 17 and between October 15 and November 30. Applications cannot be accepted except during those times.

Beginning Border Patrol agents are paid \$13,903 per year with advancement to

\$21,066, usually after two years. Agents often earn an additional ten to 25 percent over that through overtime work.

Applicants must be United States citizens, in excellent physical condition, under 35 years of age, must pass a written test and meet the high standards of the agency.

Starting Border Patrol officers undergo 17 weeks of intensive training at the Border Patrol Academy located at the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center in Glynco, Georgia. Subjects covered include law, Spanish language, marksmanship, care and use of firearms, arrest techniques, pursuit driving, physical training and others.

Following completion of the initial training period, trainees must pass written examinations six and one-half months after entering on duty, and at the completion of one year on duty.

Persons who plan to apply or would like additional information may contact any local Immigration and Naturalization Service office or federal Office of Personnel Management or INS Staffing and Manpower Office, Washington, D.C. 20536.

LIBRARY NOTES

CHAROLETTE COREY.

In looking over our vertical files - or the beginning of them, it has come to my attention that we have very few pictures of "People, Places and Things" taken during the early years of our county's heritage. In order that we may accumulate more of these, we are offering "a deal" to anyone interested in receiving photocopies of their personal photographs. The library will offer up to 10 FREE PHOTOCOPIES for each picture taken of people, places or things in Kinney County during the years of 1852-1952 (100 years of Kinney County History!) The librarian reserves the right to determine the vintage of the pictures brought to the library and the right to turn down any which would not reproduce properly. This Project will help organize materials which may be used during the 1986 Texas Sequicentennial Exhibits here in town.

NEW BOOKS

Building a Mail Order Business by William A Cohen.

Dollars on Your Doorstep, the Complete Guide to Homebased Businesses by Gregory Fikishel and Patricia Kishel.

Hug someone and have a blessed day!

KINNEY COUNTY 4-H CLUB MEETING

There will be a Kinney County 4-H Club meeting for all youth in Kinney County, Monday night, Sept. 10 at 7:30 p.m., at the Kinney County Courthouse. This will be the first meeting of the 4-H clubs for the new school year and Carl Esser, county extension agent, encourages all youth and their parents to attend. Election of officers, discussion of 4-H lamb feeding projects and county 4-H activities will be discussed. For any further information contact the County Agents Office at 563-2442.

4-H club work is open to all youth between the ages of 9-19 without regard to race, ethnic origin, religion, sex or handicap.

PUBLIC HEARING

The City Council of the City of Brackettville will conduct a public hearing in conjunction with the regular City Council Meeting, Monday, Sept. 10, at City Hall to further discuss the \$1 (one dollar) increase in Cable TV rates that was held in abeyance last year, pending increased satisfactory service to all Cable TV customers.

Last October, the Council authorized the Brackettville Cable TV Company permission to raise the basic subscriber rate from ten (\$10) to eleven (\$11) a month for the (10) operating channels commencing November 1, 1983 and would determine the merits of authorizing the additional increase requested in 1983 to be effective November 1, 1984.



The word *vaccine* comes from the Latin word *vaccinus*, meaning cow. The name was given by Dr. Edward Jenner to the cowpox material which he discovered gave immunity to smallpox.

PHROG

By George



A starfish can be cut into sizable chunks and each piece will grow into a completely whole starfish.



The word *delta* describes a stretch of land, usually shaped like a rough triangle, built up by mud and sand at the mouth of a river.



The oldest person to pitch in major league baseball was Leroy "Satchel" Paige who was still hurling at age 59.

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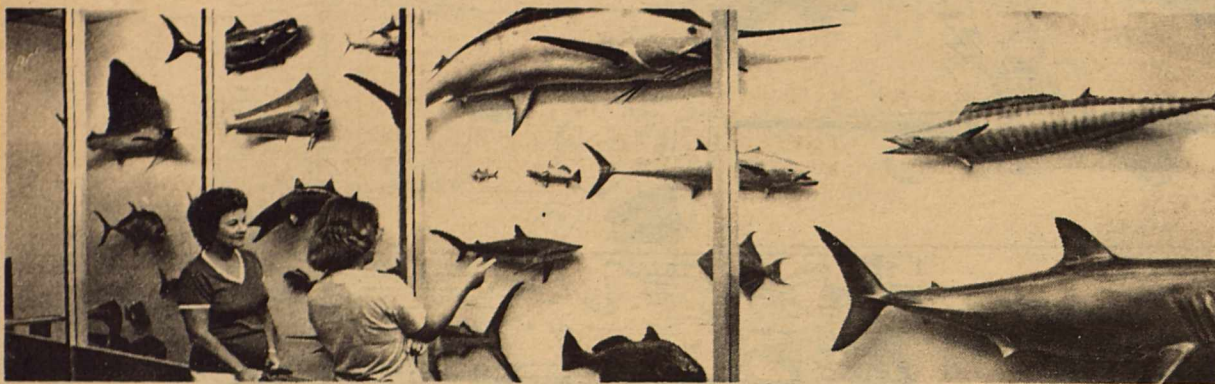
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"Texas Riviera" sun and sea fun met by a dandy museum

by Richard McCune, chief of media relations, Texas Tourist Development Agency

Corpus Christi, hub city of the "Texas Riviera," has so much to offer the vacationer and weekend visitor that few may realize what a bonus they can find among the attractions of the Bayfront Arts and Science Park, all free of charge.

And, if you haven't been to a museum lately (please don't flinch) you and the entire family are in for a surprising treat. The Corpus Christi Museum joins outstanding museums in Dallas, Fort Worth, San Antonio and Houston, along with numerous others in Texas which have swept away the cobwebs to entertain visitors while offering wide varieties of fascinating subjects.

With the C.C. museum, many displays include exhibits of natural history and anthropology of the area. Lifelike dioramas depict local wildlife, a Padre Island scene and the vast brush country, not so far west of the city.

Visitors from far places thus can envision the unique ambience of a sparkling bay and its mile-and-a-half of inviting sandy beachfront; the rugged serenity of Padre's dunes; and the forbidding brush land of mesquite, prickly pear, cat's claw, huisache and guajillo, all of which defend them-

selves by sticker or thorn.

Museums generally have recently continued to enjoy large and regular attendance increases, as documented by the Texas Tourist Development Agency and compared to previous-year time frames by month, quarter, half-year and yearly reports. The answer is in the attitude of creative curators such as Aalbert Heine and staff who believe that museums should be entertaining, lively and devoid of "do not touch" signs. So it is here.

One area contains tables and tables of interesting things which kids and parents can pick up, touch and feel. Aquariums showcase many varieties of fish, of no small interest to visiting anglers.

A sense of humor pervades throughout. In a collection of small animal skeletons, all labelled, there is one identified as hen's teeth. Of course, there is nothing in that place.

Even a group of eight marvelous murals depicting the area from prehistoric to current times has its lighter moment. A representation of the famed American Gothic painting of the farmer, with pitchfork, and his wife, the pitchfork has been replaced by a fishing pole, naturally.

Star attraction currently

at the museum is a large display of artifacts from recovery of three Spanish sailing ships which were driven aground on Padre Island in 1554. They include a 16-foot length of the keel from the *San Estaban*, and treasure of all kinds from the era, first located by private efforts and later returned to the State and museum.

A huge Spanish iron anchor appears in the display as a formidable device against being driven to shore. In reality, however, Spanish iron of that time was of poor quality, leading to an expression of weakness in years to follow: "As meager as a Spanish anchor."

The facility is open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Tuesday-Saturday and 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday, closed Monday, no admission charge.

Nearby in Bayfront is the Art Museum of South Texas, which offers a continuous visual arts program of changing exhibitions in its sparkling white modernistic structure by architect Philip Johnson of New York City.

Three circa 1900 homes, the Lichenstein, Sidbury and Gugenheim homes, have been restored and moved to Heritage Park in the area, respectively serving as the Creative Arts

Center for children; offices restored by and for the Junior League; and offices made for Camp Fire Girls. Inquire at each for tour information.

Just across the ship channel and under the Harbor Bridge, as is the city museum, is Channelview Park with a telescope for viewing incoming ships.

What else to do? Probably the most popular place with visitors is the Peoples T-Head, a bay wharf flanked on both sides by concessions of sailboards, catamarans, aqua-trikes, pedal surreys, paddle boats, Flagship cruises. "Captain Clark" bay fishing boat and three new restaurants: Captain Boomer's floating barge; the Lighthouse Bar and Grill at Lawrence St. T-Head; and the Wayward Lady, a new, huge four-deck Mississippi stern-wheeler permanently moored near the pier. Also new is the 350-room Marriott overlooking the bay and opened June 2.

For more information, contact Corpus Christi Area Convention & Tourist Bureau, 1201 North Shoreline, P.O. Box 2664, Corpus Christi, TX 78403.

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William Blake



When the nation took its first census in 1790, only five percent of the population lived in cities or towns. Most of the 3.9 million people lived in farm areas.

"The most important thing in life is never to have too much of anything."
Terence

QUICK QUIZ

Take this quick quiz to see how much you know about everyday steps that can help protect you from cancer. The answer to the last question can tell you of a free booklet on cancer prevention.

- Switching to low-tar, low-nicotine cigarettes will reduce the risks of developing cancers of the mouth and throat. a. True b. False
- Frying meats increases cancer risks more than does cooking them by baking, roasting or simmering. a. True b. False
- Information on cancer prevention is available from anywhere in the country with one free telephone call. a. True b. False

ANSWERS: 1. b. Low-tar, low-nicotine cigarettes may reduce somewhat your risk of developing lung cancer if you do not inhale more deeply, take more puffs, or smoke more cigarettes than you did before you switched. However, it will not reduce risks of developing cancers of the mouth or throat or other diseases, such as heart disease. 2. a. Findings suggest that a diet high in fat is a risk factor for cancer. Choosing wisely the cooking method to use can decrease risks; so can selecting carefully the meats to cook. Select lean red meats, fish and poultry. Trim fat from steaks, roasts and chops and skin poultry before cooking. 3. a. A toll-free telephone call to 1-800-4-CANCER will connect you to the Cancer Information Service. You can ask them for "Good News, Better News, Best News: Cancer Prevention," a free National Cancer Institute booklet. If you live in Alaska, call 1-800-638-6707; in Washington, D.C. (and suburbs in Maryland and Virginia) call 202-636-5700; in Hawaii, on Oahu call 808-524-1234 (neighbor islands call collect).

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BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS
OF PROPOSED
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS
GENERAL ELECTION
NOVEMBER 6, 1984

PROPOSITION NO. 1
ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 29 proposes a constitutional amendment that provides to state-chartered banks the same rights and privileges that are or may be granted to national banks of the United States domiciled in this state. For example, if national banks become authorized to maintain branch offices, this amendment would extend the same privilege to state banks.

The proposed constitutional amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to provide state banks the same rights and privileges as national banks."

PROPOSITION NO. 2
ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 19 proposes a constitutional amendment that restructures the Permanent University Fund to provide: (1) for the expansion of the institutions eligible to participate in the bonding capacity of the fund to include the components of The University of Texas and Texas A&M University systems that have been added to those two systems of higher education since the Permanent University Fund was last restructured by constitutional amendment; (2) for the expansion of the purposes for which bond proceeds can be expended from new construction to include major repair and rehabilitation projects and the acquisition of major capital equipment (e.g., computers and laboratory equipment) and library books and materials; (3) for an increase in the bonding capacity from 20% (2/3 for The University of Texas System and 1/3 for the Texas A&M University System) to 30% (20% for The University of Texas System and 10% for Texas A&M University System) of the value of the assets (exclusive of real estate) in the Permanent University Fund in order to provide sufficient bond proceeds to care for the addition of 10 new institutions to those authorized to participate in the Permanent University Fund bonding program and to care for the expanded purposes for which the bond proceeds can be spent; and (4) for the dedication of the dividends, interest, and other income from the Permanent University Fund remaining after payment of principal and interest due on bonds and notes issued, to the provision of support and maintenance (over and above normal legislative appropriations) for Texas A&M University in Brazos County, Prairie View A&M University, and The University of Texas at Austin.

House Joint Resolution 19 also annually appropriates \$100 million in each fiscal year, beginning September 1, 1985 (from the first money coming into the state treasury that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution) for the use of those

education which are not included in The University of Texas or Texas A&M University Systems and, therefore, not eligible to participate in the Permanent University Fund bonding program. The amount of this appropriation could be adjusted every five years by a 2/3 vote of the Legislature, but could not be adjusted in such a way as to affect outstanding bonding indebtedness. Each institution of higher education that is eligible to participate (i.e., those institutions of higher education outside The University of Texas and Texas A&M University Systems) would be authorized to expend directly its share (such share to be determined pursuant to an equitable formula) of the \$100 million appropriation for the purposes of acquiring land, constructing and equipping buildings or other permanent improvements, major repair and rehabilitation of other permanent buildings or improvements, and acquisition of major capital equipment (e.g., computers and laboratory equipment) and library books and materials. Additionally, each institution would be authorized to issue bonds backed by a pledge of up to 50% of its share of the \$100 million annual appropriation for the purpose of land acquisition, new construction, and major repair and rehabilitation projects.

Except in the case of fire or natural disaster and in other extraordinary cases, verified by a two-thirds vote of each house of the legislature, all institutions of higher education would be precluded from receiving appropriations of general revenue funds for the purposes of land acquisition, new construction, and major repair and rehabilitation projects.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to create from general revenue a special higher education assistance fund for construction and related activities, to restructure the Permanent University Fund, and to increase the number of institutions eligible to benefit from the Permanent University Fund."

PROPOSITION NO. 3
ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 65 proposes a constitutional amendment which authorizes the legislature to provide for the payment of assistance to the surviving dependent parents, brothers, and sisters of officers, employees and agents of the state or its political subdivisions, including members of organized volunteer fire departments and members of organized police reserve or auxiliary units authorized to make arrests, who die in the course of performing hazardous official duties. Payments to surviving spouses and dependent children of agencies and institutions of higher

such officers, employees, and agents are already authorized by the Constitution.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for payment of assistance to the surviving dependent parents, brothers, and sisters of certain public servants killed while on duty."

PROPOSITION NO. 4
ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 20 proposes a constitutional amendment which abolishes the office of county treasurer in Bexar and Collin counties if a majority of the voters in each of those counties vote in favor of abolishing the office of county treasurer in a local election to be held on the issue. All the powers, duties, and functions of the office of county treasurer in each of these counties would be transferred to the county clerk.

The proposed constitutional amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to abolish the office of county treasurer in Bexar and Collin counties."

PROPOSITION NO. 5
ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 22 proposes a constitutional amendment which provides a new method of filling a vacancy in the office of Lieutenant Governor. The amendment requires the President pro tempore of the Senate to call together the committee of the whole Senate within 30 days after a vacancy occurs in the office of Lieutenant Governor. The committee would be required to elect one of its members to perform the duties of the Lieutenant Governor until the next general election. This individual would continue his duties as Senator at the same time that he performs the Lieutenant Governor's duties. If the Senator who is elected ceases to be a Senator before the next general election, another Senator must be elected according to the above procedure to perform the Lieutenant Governor's duties. The President pro tempore would be required to perform the Lieutenant Governor's duties pending the election of one of its members by the committee of the whole Senate.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the state senate to fill a vacancy in the office of lieutenant governor."

PROPOSITION NO. 6
ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 73 proposes a constitutional amendment that permits the use of public funds and credit for payment of premiums on non-assessable life, health, or accident insurance policies and annuity contracts issued by a mutual insurance company authorized to do business in this state. The constitutional prohibition against a grant of public money to an individual, association, or corporation or against becoming a stockholder in a corporation, association, or company has limited life and health group policies of political subdivisions to non-mutual insurance companies. The amendment would permit mutual insurance companies to bid for those policies.

The proposed constitutional amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: The constitutional amendment to permit use of public funds and credit for payment of premiums on certain insurance contracts of mutual insurance companies authorized to do business in Texas."

PROPOSITION NO. 7
ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 4 proposes a constitutional amendment to change the membership of the State Commission on Judicial Conduct to include one Judge of a Municipal Court and one Judge of a County Court at Law, who shall be selected at large and appointed by the Supreme Court with the advice and consent of the Senate.

The amendment also provides additional grounds for removal from office of judges or justices of Texas courts, and provides additional disciplinary actions that could be taken in lieu of removal or censure. The amendment would extend the Commission's disciplinary authority to masters, magistrates, and retired or former judges who hear cases by designation. The amendment creates a tribunal to review recommendations of the State Commission on Judicial Conduct for removal or retirement of a judge or justice. The review tribunal would be composed of seven (7) Justices or Judges of the Courts of Appeals selected by lot by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. The amendment also provides for appeal of the review tribunal's decision to the Supreme Court of Texas and grants an accused judge the right to discovery of evidence.

The proposition will appear on the ballot as follows: The constitutional amendment relating to the membership of the State Commission on Judicial Conduct and the authority and procedure to discipline active judges, certain retired and former judges, and certain masters and magistrates of the courts."

PROPOSITION NO. 8
ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 22 proposes a constitutional amendment which increases the per diem of members of the Legislature. The amount of per diem allowed during a calendar year would be equal to the maximum amount set in federal income tax statutes as of January 1 of that same year as a deduction for ordinary and necessary business expenses incurred by a state legislator. Current per diem is \$30; the maximum deduction is now \$75.

The proposed constitutional amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to provide a per diem for members of the legislature equal to the maximum daily amount allowed by federal law as a deduction for ordinary and necessary business expenses incurred by a state legislator."

Estos son los informes explicatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitución que aparecerán en la boleta el día 6 de noviembre de 1984. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252/9602 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12887, Austin, Texas 78711.

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