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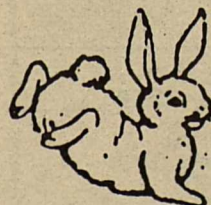
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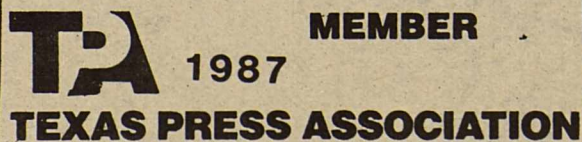
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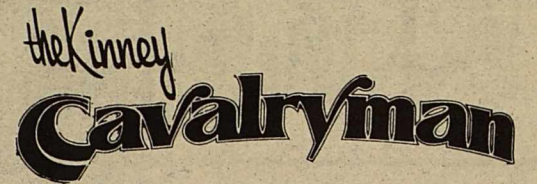
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BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE dated April 6, 1987, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Kinney County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date, and to me delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 6th day of April, 1987, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1987, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Brackettville, between the hours of 10:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. on said day proceed to sell for cash, by my authorized agent, Chester E. Young, P.O. Box 18657, Austin, Texas 78760 (512/472-9232), to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the Defendants in the following suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Kinney and State of Texas, to-wit:

No. 2524, Kinney County Appraisal District vs. Leopoldo Cristobal Hidalgo a/k/a Leopoldo Cristobal Hidalgo, Lots 12, 13 and 14, Block 4, Veltmann Addition, City of Brackettville;

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Dated at Brackettville, Texas this the 6th day of April, 1987.

ss/ Norman Hooten, Sheriff
Kinney County, Texas

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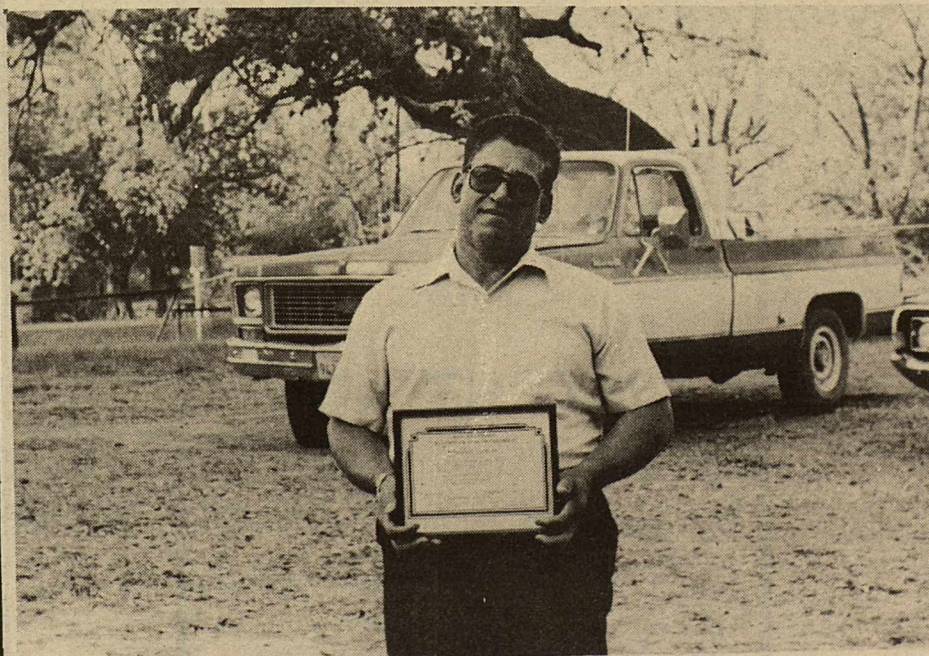
PUBLIC HEARING

CARRIZO SPRINGS -- Hon. Leodoro Martinez, Jr., Middle Rio Grande Development Council Board President, has announced that Public Hearings on Needs Assessment for the Elderly and the Aging Area Plan up date for Fiscal Year 1988-89 will be held by the Area Agency on Aging at the Nutrition Center in Del Rio, Texas at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 21, 1987.

The hearings will be held for the elderly and all interested persons of Val Verde and Kinney Counties.

Information obtained at the Public Hearings will be used to assist the Area Agency on Aging in establishing programs and priorities to be included in the annual update of the Area plan.

For Information contact:
Area Agency on Aging
Middle Rio Grande Development
Council. 512/876-3533



Pictured above is Ernest Jaso with his retirement certificate.

NANCE & JASO RETIRE

Ernest Jaso & Don Nance retired from The Fire Department after 20 plus years of faithful service to the community. The community is very grateful for Firefighters such as Mr. Jaso & Mr. Nance. We wish to thank them both for the time and effort, not only that they have given, but that of their families without whose support they would have had a hard time fulfilling such a long volunteer service to the community.





FT. CLARK SHRINERS RIDE AGAIN

Saturday morning, April 11th, Jack and Marge Taunt, Jim and Dorothy Haga, Bruce and Dorothea Clements, all members of the Fort Clark Shrine Club Scooters, having loaded their scooters on Friday evening, departed Brackettville for Poteet to participate in the Poteet Strawberry Festival Parade. Just after passing through Devine we ran into a very dense fog and the further we drove, the thicker it got. Finally arriving in Poteet we found the parade assembly point and joined 32 other Alzafar Shrine Units to await the beginning of the parade. Just before the parade began the fog lifted and the sun dried the street making it a perfect day for a parade.

When the parade began, our Colonel, Noble Jack Taunt, said follow me and do everything I do. As we approached the downtown area, midst the largest assembly of spectators, Jack responding to the cheering crowd tried a maneuver that caused him to fall and plow up about 10 feet of pavement with his elbow. Jim and I stopped and helped him to his feet. He looked at us through glazed eyes and said, "I thought I told you to do everything I did. He then said, "This d--- ice on the street". I looked at a thermometer on the bank building, it showed 80 degrees. Must have been hot ice. As soon as Jack got his bearings back we started to ride again. The crowd seeing he wasn't hurt too bad began to yell "DO IT AGAIN". The rest of the parade proceeded without incident. At the end, the Alzafar Shrine gave Jack an award. THE BAND AID AWARD. In spite of this incident a great time was had by all. There was plenty of strawberries for sale even though about 50% of them came from California.

After walking around the grounds for a while looking at the Arts and Crafts booths and seeing miles of strawberry vendors, we ate a piece of strawberry shortcake, said good-bye to our brother Nobles and their Ladies, looking forward to seeing them again in San Antonio on the 25th at the Fiesta Flambeau Parade. We departed for home knowing we had once again let the public know that even though we are bunch of old men in funny red hats out having a lot of fun, the real purpose of Shrinedom is to give free help to crippled or burned children.

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SCHEDULE FOR HOLY WEEK 1987

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April 16 Thursday of Holy Week

6:00 pm Confessions

7:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

The washing of feet

Distribution of Holy Communion

Procession of Blessed Sacrament

Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

till 11:00 pm

April 17 GOOD FRIDAY

10:00 am Way of the Cross (Spanish)

3:00 pm Celebration of Lord's Passion

Veneration of the Cross

Holy Communion

5:00 pm Passion Play "Sympathy"

April 18

5:00 pm Confessions

11:30 pm Blessing of the Fire and Lighting
of the Candle

Procession

Easter Proclamation

Liturgy of the Word

Liturgy of Baptism

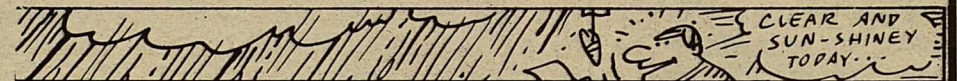
Liturgy of the Eucharist

April 19 EASTER SUNDAY

8:00 am Mass (Spanish)

10:30 am Mass (English)

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SHERIFF'S CORNER

BY
Norman Hooten
Sheriff

Burglars struck again the night of Thursday, April 9th with a local business on Highway 90 being the victim.

We received a call at 7:40 a.m. on Friday, April 10th from Amelia Villarreal, an employee with Las Moras Distributing Company, who reported that a break-in had occurred at the business sometime during the night. Investigation at the crime scene by myself and Chief Deputy David Luna determined that a single intruder had forced open a locked restroom door at the rear of the building and used a grubbing hoe to chop a hole through the wall thereby gaining entry to the office. The interior was ransacked and approximately \$81.32 in cash was taken as well as approximately 18 gallons of gas. Several cans of motor oil were knocked from shelves next to the hole in the wall, some of them ruptured and caused quite a mess on the floor.

Tracks and other evidence found outside the building indicated that the unidentified criminal attempted to siphon gas from several vehicles parked at the side and rear of the building. The burglar evidently needed money and fuel as those were the only items taken. There is a suspect in the case though no arrests have been made at the time of this writing.

The Border Patrol check-point held west of town last week netted the arrests of three persons in possession of illegal drugs. The first case involved was the arrest of Kurt Phillips, 30, of Scottsdale, Arizona on charges of Possession of a Controlled Substance (cocaine and marijuana). Phillips was arrested at 3:15 a.m., Saturday, April 11th on the felony charges and was magisterated by City Judge Bill Thurber who set bond at \$5,000.00.

The second and third arrests were those of Parker Vincent Evans, 21, and James Neel, 24, both of New Orleans, Louisiana on misdemeanor charges of Possession of Marijuana. Bonds on Evans and Neel have not been set at the time of this writing.

The financial crunch being experienced by the county has been eased somewhat with the reception of 10 federal prisoners on Friday, April 11th.

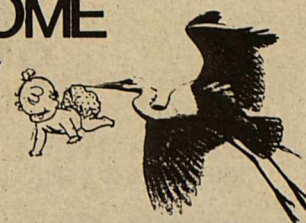
I had called U.S. Marshall Bill Jonas in San Antonio on Tuesday and explained to him that due to a deficit in our projected income from prisoner care fees the county was running below anticipated income for FY 86-87 by some \$68,000.00 and we needed to make every attempt to generate revenue by increased federal prisoner population at the county jail.

Marshall Jonas was sympathetic with our situation and explained that our problem was being shared by many other counties whose sheriffs had federal prisoner programs in their jails. He went on to explain that apprehensions of both illegal aliens and smugglers of illegal aliens was down an estimated 72% from this time last year, primarily because of the new Immigration and Naturalization law. He did, however, promise to make every effort to have a "van load" of federal prisoners designated and delivered to our jail by Monday, April 13th. He was good for his word as we received the prisoners on Friday, two days earlier than expected. Income from prisoner care fees for these prisoners will be approx. \$8,400.00 per month. I intend to make every effort to obtain at least 10 more federal prisoners in order to increase revenue for the county.

We have been fortunate in that over the past five years to date we have collected almost 3/4 million dollars from federal prisoner care fees. These funds have gone a long way in helping the county not only pay expenses, but also to get out of debt. Hopefully once the new Immigration law, and the enforcement of it is in full swing, things will get back to normal and we will once again be receiving good income to the county from federal prisoner care fees.

Commissioners Court met in a special meeting Friday, April 10th to discuss and revise the county budget. All department heads agreed to voluntarily cut their existing budgets in order to ease the financial strain now being experienced. These cuts totalled almost \$30,000.00 with the largest cut being made by me from my jail budget in the amount of \$10,270.00. The county is by no means out of money at this point as we still have over \$100,000.00 in the General Fund and \$225,000.00 in Certificates of Deposit, but care should be, and will be taken to reduce spending until we can get straightened out and added income is generated, primarily by prisoner care fees at the county jail.

WELCOME BABY



BAILNE GOODLOE

A baby Girl was born to Mr. & Mrs. Arkie Goodloe on April 2, 1987 at 10:30 p.m. at the San Angelo Community Hospital in San Angelo, Texas. Bailne Goodloe weighed 9 lbs. 8 oz. and was 21 inches long. Grandparents are Mr. & Mrs. E. Ramirez of Big Lake, Texas and Mrs. Dora Goodloe of Brackettville, Texas.

THANK YOU

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK EVERYONE WHO SUPPORTED ME DURING THE RECENT CITY ELECTIONS FOR COUNCILMEMBER, PLACE I.

SINCERELY,
LOUIS DIMERY

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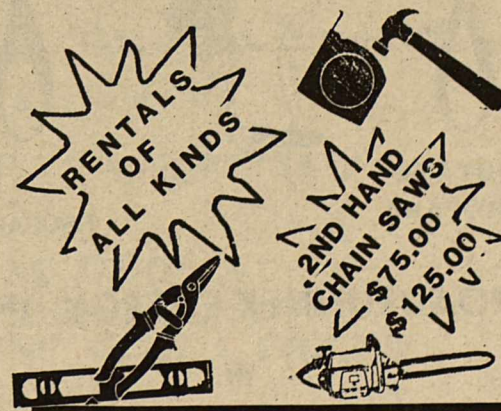
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JUANITA MONTOYA

Juanita Montoya, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Montoya, is a 10th grade student. She plays basketball and is on the track team. She plans to attend SWTJC and likes to swim.



LINA FALCON

Lina Falcon, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Falcon, is an 8th grade student and a member of 4-H where she is President of the Junior Club. Her interests include swimming and collecting stamps.



VIDEO VIEWER

BY RORY WOODSON

Hi! This week I'll review two great movies, "Soul Man" and "Legal Eagles".

"Soul Man" is a terrifically funny movie that makes fun of prejudices without hurting anyone's feelings. Thomas Howell does an outstanding job in his portrayal. He learns first hand about the trials and tribulations of being a black man striving for an education, and brother is he in for an education!

"Legal Eagles" is billed as a comedy. Although it was funny in parts, I thought it should be billed as a thriller-mystery. I thought it was a very intriguing movie. Darryl Hannah, (who made her "Splash" on Hollywood a few years back) plays the daughter of a murdered artist. The movie's storyline goes like this...Darryl tries to recover her dad's stolen paintings with the help of her 2 attorneys, Robert Redford and Debra Winger. The movie also has a very good twist ending. All in all, it was a very good movie. Until next week, Happy Viewing!

SPRING FESTIVAL PLANNED

St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church will have their annual Spring Festival on Sunday, May 3 beginning at 11:30 a.m. Food and entertainment will continue throughout the day.

ALL ABOUT COLORED EASTER EGGS

There are just about as many Eastertime customs as there are countries.

In the Netherlands, boys and girls celebrate Holy Thursday by caroling from door to door as they beg for Easter eggs.

Hand painted Easter eggs are given as rewards in the villages of Hungary.

Ukrainians sometimes hide decorated Easter eggs in thatched roofs and under haystacks. The hidden eggs serve as charmed protection against high winds.

Eggs have been a symbol of Easter since the earliest days of Christianity. The egg was a symbol of the Universe and a token of spring and rebirth to the early Egyptians, Greeks, and Romans.

Christians of Mesopotamia first used eggs to represent the Resurrection. Eggs were consecrated and the shell's stained red to stimulate Christ's blood. Since then, the custom of coloring eggs and exchanging them as Easter gifts has become universal.

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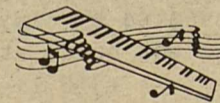
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"THE NITTY AND THE GRITTY"
BY JOE TOWNSEND

The other day I saw a car stopped by the side of the highway and stopped to see if I could be of any help. They had just killed a long snake and were admiring it and wondering if it were a rattlesnake. They were from up in the northeast and this was their first trip west. They had heard so much about rattlesnakes they were feeling great that they had seen one and killed it.

The truth of the matter was that it was a very big bull snake. I didn't disillusion the people. When they went home they could tell all who would listen about how big a rattlesnake they had killed in Texas. Texas reputation being what it is, folks would believe them if the snake grew a few feet with the telling.

There was however, a pang in my heart that they had killed this enemy of the rattlesnake. It is highly poisonous and adds little, if any good to the world. To needlessly kill a harmless snake however, makes my heart cringe. Most snakes in the wild are truly friends of man. They kill rodents and insects that can be harmful to man and otherwise help. It is a sad thing that people do not acquaint themselves with the many varieties of snakes we have in this country and help to preserve the good ones. The coach whip, the blue Indigo, the bull snake and the common variety of garden and grass snakes are truly worth their weight in gold for the benefit they are to mankind.

JUST BETWEEN YOU & ME



BY WANDA SCHWANDNER

Spring break is finally here and our chickadees are scattered all over Texas and some beyond. My two youngest, Henry & Marc, along with Robin Moore and Steven Boutwell are in Corpus Christi. They called last night and sounds like they are having lots of fun & sun. According to Henry, A surfing contest is coming Thursday, so should be lots of bikini-clad lasses around. I can just imagine!!

Tulisha & Hadley Wardlaw took four boys; Dutch Wardlaw, Sonny Garcia, Wesley White, and Wesley Risinger to South Padre. Can you just hear the tales that will be exchanged when everyone returns home?? Should be enough excitement to keep them all happy until the end of school.

Freddie & Terry Frerich have purchased the local Stop N Shop from Evelyn & R. L. Tartt. Good luck to them in their new business!!

The Kinney County Ambulance Crew is slowly dwindling in size and really needs some new volunteers. Please call Rosemary Slubar to see what you need to do to become a valued attendant. It is very rewarding and YOUR COMMUNITY NEEDS YOU!!! Gladys Hall has been ailing. She returned from the hospital Tuesday after tests. We hope you get well soon, Gladys!!



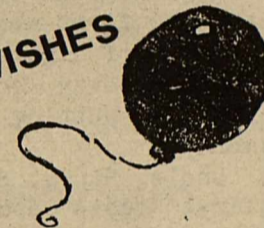
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The Coast Guard says: Children, non-swimmers and the elderly should always wear personal flotation devices when near water. The greatest cause of boating accident fatalities is drowning and 87% of these could be prevented by the use of personal flotation devices.

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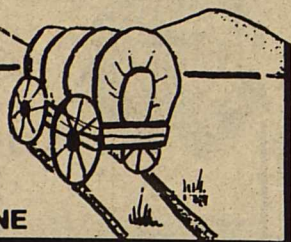
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**TRACKS
ALONG THE
TRAIL
BY DORTHY PAYNE**



On July Fourth, 1883, a group of cowboys got together and held a rodeo on the alkalia flat in front of the courthouse at Pecos, Texas. Prizes were given in roping and steer wrestling. The prizes were what we now call entry fees.

What a day that must have been with everyone coming from the surrounding ranches bringing their lunches.

Trav Windham came, contested and won the first money. Henry Slack, a boy of eighteen, rode and was doing pretty good when his rope broke, putting him out of the money.

Uncle Henry Slack rode in the first rodeo and in every rodeo until he died. He was a tall straight old man and lead the parade too.

Trav Windham tied his steer in 22 seconds flat that day. Morgan and Jim Livingston, Billy Coalson, Charles Goedeke, Jeff Chism, Pete Beard and others, were the first contestants.

This was the worlds first official rodeo. In the encyclopedia Britannica it says "Most authorities agree that the first public contest for prizes for bronco riding and steer roping was held in an open field near the courthouse in Pecos, Texas on July 4, 1883, no admission was charged. The first contest for which an admission was charged and prizes were awarded was held at Prescott, Arizona on July 4, 1888."

Pecos has an unusual history and was the home of many interesting characters. Here one of the most famous early western sheriffs, Bud Frazer lived, and was killed in the line of duty. It was one of the stops on the Butterfield Stage Line and end of track when the railroad came.

It was the home town of the W Ranch which stretched along the Pecos River for thirty miles and covered three counties. At one time or another all the cowboys in the area rode for the W.

The boys from the Hashknife came to Pecos to whoop it up. In later years one cowboy stands out, Ole' Fritz Steigler.

Fritz was a bronco buster and broke horses for the surrounding ranches. The highlight of the year for Fritz was the rodeo on the 4th of July. He broke horses all year long and could ride anything with hooves and hair. He eared them down with his teeth while he climbed aboard and then the fun would begin.

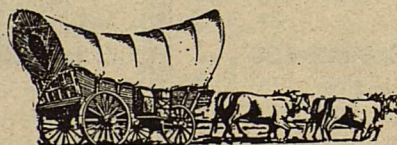
Fritz was wild and wooley as the saying goes, with small feet and sure hands.

It's hard to tell where the true stories end and the legends begin about Fritz. One particular 4th, Fritz put on his rodeo shirt which was always red, shined up his neat small boots, and decided to really celebrate this time and give the Pecosites a real show. He eared down his favorite bronc and went to town, ...but how he went to town.

When the first spectators noticed him coming all they could see was a cloud of dust. As the dust cloud came closer they could see it was Fritz on a walleied horse, hat clamped down low on his head and whipping that ole pony at every jump. It wasn't until he thundered down main street that they could see he was whipping his pony with a live rattlesnake. Fritz made quite a picture, he had that snake right behind the head and was using the tail end where it would do the most good. I'd have given my eyeteeth to have seen it but I didn't know Fritz until 1932.

I first met him at a rodeo dance where he had changed his red shirt for a spanking clean white one. And I must say he was as graceful as a ballet dancer.

Fritz did all the years dancing, drinking, and celebrating at the 4th of July Rodeo every year. I guess he had to store up enough hell-raising to last until next fourth of July.



**CANCER CRUSADE
KICK-OFF**

FRONTIER BAPTIST CHURCH
APRIL 20, 1987
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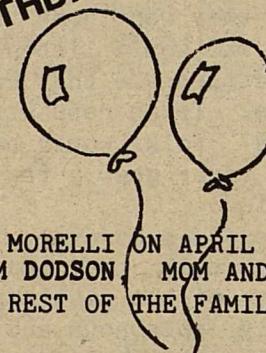
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AND 5:00 P.M.
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

TO BRENDA AND KENNETH MORELLI,
AND MANY, MANY MORE FROM MOM
DODSON, MOM & DAD SWEET AND THE
REST OF THE FAMILY.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY



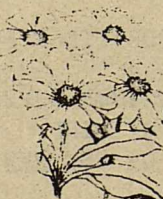
TO KENNETH MORELLI ON APRIL 17,
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SWEET AND THE REST OF THE FAMILY.

**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY**



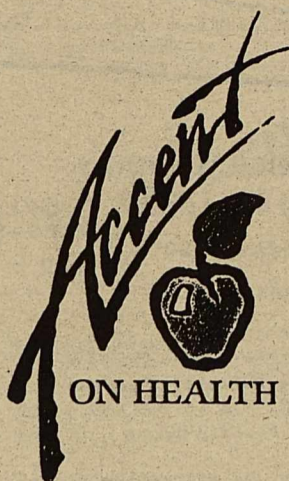
TO DONNA ROSE DODSON ON APRIL 16,
1987 FROM YOUR HUSBAND, DAUGHTER,
MOM AND FAMILY.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY
AND BEST WISHES**



To Juanita Abrigo
On April 18, 1987
From your Family





April is Cancer Control Month

The Texas Department of Health (TDH) has joined other agencies and associations nationwide in observing National Cancer Control Month in April.

President Ronald Reagan proclaimed the observance to draw public attention toward a better understanding of cancer, its prevention and treatment.

In Texas, TDH and the American Cancer Society are assisting local public awareness programs, emphasizing the dangers and detection of breast cancer in women, cancer attributed to tobacco use, cancer screening among older adults, and other programs.

One recent statewide public information campaign, conducted primarily through local television stations and newspapers, attracted some 108,000 responses from persons concerned about breast cancer. Part of the campaign was low-cost examinations and mammograms conducted in some metropolitan areas.

In addition, TDH's Adult Health Program has begun a pilot project to teach cancer preventive nutrition for black adults in East Texas (Wood County).

At the heart of TDH's programs to prevent cancer is its Cancer Registry, which compiles records from Texas hospitals of the many factors involved in cancer incidence. Analysis of registry data since 1976 has begun to show characteristics of the more than 100 types of cancer suffered by Texans. Such information includes demographics, age, ethnic origin, previous illnesses, types of treatment and other pertinent facts that may indicate why some people are more at risk than others. An example of the registry's finding is that Hispanics appear to have a higher incidence of stomach, liver, and gallbladder cancer than do Anglos. Such facts help

researchers in their quest for specific causes of the diseases.

Dr. Robert Bernstein, Texas Commissioner of Health, said, "The combined efforts to prevent cancer have come a long way in recent years. We are steadily learning some of the specifics about how cancer occurs and which Texans are likely to have it. In doing so, we are able to help the public better understand ways to avoid the second most common cause of death in the state."

(For more information contact Susan Griffin, Director, Cancer Registry Division, at 512/458-7265, or Margaret Wilson, Public Information Coordinator, Public Health Promotion Division, at 512/458-7405).

LEGEND OF THE EASTER BUNNY

An Easter bunny!! Why not an Easter elephant or giraffe? Why a bunny?

The bunny, as a symbol of spring seems to go back in time to the Egyptians, before Easter was celebrated. It has won acceptance throughout much of the world as the most important symbol of springtime to children.

In a German book written about

1682, the tales goes that the bunny lays eggs and hides them in the garden.

Easter bunnies first appeared in America in the 1770's with the arrival of German settlers. Children prepared nests for the bunnies hoping to find colored eggs on Easter morning. The nest could be a hat or a fancy paper box. Then it would be hidden in a secluded spot, because Easter bunnies are especially shy.

Pennsylvania Dutch children receive Easter cakes made of bread dough formed in the shape of a rabbit, with a raisin eye and a colored hard-boiled egg beneath the bunny's tail. In Germany, in the 1800's Easter bunnies were first made of pastry and sugar.

Whatever the country, you can see this legend is pleasant to swallow.

CHEESE DISBURSEMENT

COMMODITIES (CHEESE) DISBURSEMENT WILL BE TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28TH AND 29TH, 1987 AT THE CIVIC CENTER FROM 8:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M. AND 1:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.

**THEN NOW!
EASTER TALES**

Many people believe that the tradition of coloring eggs at Easter time is a Christian custom. Actually, it predates Christianity. Read further to learn about that tradition and others.



Then: 5,000 years ago the Persians celebrated the return of spring by exchanging colored eggs as tokens of goodwill. The Pennsylvania Dutch brought the Easter egg to the New World in 1728. Their pride in the colorful Easter eggs made the Pennsylvania Dutch start the custom of an Easter egg tree. They used a large branch or small tree, removed the leaves and hung the decorated eggs on branches.

Now: The egg tree is still one of the most popular centerpieces on the Easter table in the Pennsylvania Dutch country. Other traditions remain intact as well.

HAIR BY DIANE

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**9:00 A.M. TO 5:00 P.M.
TUES. - THRU - FRI.**

**'TIS THE SEASON
TO BE GLAMOR-
OUS! HERE'S
HOPING YOUR
HOLIDAYS ARE
VERY HAPPY!**



EASTER SPECIAL

ALL "PERMS" ON SALE

SPRING BREAK "HAIR CUTS" - \$6.00

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563-9300**



BVFD'S NEW OFFICERS

The Brackettville Volunteer Fire Department held their election of officers on April 1, 1987.

- Chief.....Justin Berry
- Assistant Chief...Eloy Garcia
- Captain.....Richard Wills
- Assis.Captain....Gilbert Sanchez
- 1st Lieutenant....David Martinez
- 2nd Lieutenant....Oscar Martinez
- Sec/Treasurer.....Adrian Reyes
- Chaplain.....Lingo Sandoval

The Fire Department will be sending 5 people to the Fire Training School this summer at Texas A&M. This was made possible by the City, County, Fort Clark Springs, and the Lions Club. Each of the above agreed to sponsor one fireman to attend the school, and the Fire Department will pay for one themselves. The cost of the school is approximately \$400.00 per person. This will cover the cost of tuition, all materials, meals, and dorm rooms. This will give each fireman that attends enough hours to be certified as a fire fighter by the state. As I said before, the firemen's convention that was held March 22, 1987, was a big success and we thank everyone that helped and donated.

MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION SCHEDULE FOR APRIL

Thursday, April 2nd - Laughlin only.

Tuesday, April 7th - Del Rio.

Tuesday, April 21st - Del Rio.

Calendar for first week of activities in April.

If you must go to Del Rio on days not scheduled, please contact Community Council of Southwest Texas Inc. for information on their trip schedule.

Just a reminder, Social Security Representative will be here on Friday, April 3rd, from 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m., at the Courthouse.

The regular scheduled Directors' Meeting will be held in Uvalde on Thursday, April 9th.

KINNEY COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

STAFF CORNER OF SPRING AT ELLEN OPEN

FRANCES BRACKETTVILLE, TEXAS 78832 TUES.-SAT.

& 10 - 5

CYNDY (512) 563-2884

KINNEY COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

The library now has a bulletin board! All items to be posted must have the librarian's approval. One of the features on the bulletin board each month will be "The Spotlight". A person will be spotlighted for his or her contributions to the library.

April's Spotlight Person is: Mr. Richard Mountain. Mr. Mountain volunteered 12 hours at the library in March, working on the card catalog. The catalog's filing method was changed from the unified method to the divided method. Mr. Mountain has served actively on the library board for the past 3 1/2 years and is active in several other organizations. THANK YOU Mr. Mountain, your hard work is greatly appreciated.

The videocassette circuit has increased to 29 titles! Features of this month's titles are posted on the bulletin board.

Looking for a free way to keep your children entertained during Spring Break? Check out a videocassette. This week only, if you check out one videocassette Thursday, you bring it back Tuesday!

The library will be closed Friday, April 17 and Monday, April 20th.

Don't forget effective April 21st, the new library hours will be Tuesday - Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Easter Greetings!

May the coming of this holy day lift your spirit and bring joy to your heart as you worship in your church this Easter Sunday.

THE FIRST STATE BANK OF BRACKETTVILLE

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JOB OPENING AT UMC

United Medical Centers (UMC) is accepting applications for the following position.

MEDICAL RECORDS CLERK/RECEPTIONIST

Greets and receives patients coming into the Center in a friendly courteous manner, ascertains their wants and directs them accordingly. Answers and transfers telephone calls to the different departments and personnel properly. Screens patient calls on a daily basis. Informs patients as to general center services. Calls patients prior to their appointments. Ability to work under pressure and constant interruptions.

Positions requires at least a high school diploma and six months experience in the receptionist field, preferably in a medical environment. Must type at least 30 words per minute. Bilingual preferred(English/Span.). Depending on training, experience and funding availability, the salary ranges from \$ 8,944.00 to \$ 10,858.00.

GENERAL

Blank applications and Job Descriptions may be picked up and will be accepted at the following address on or before 5:00 p.m., April 20, 1987 or anytime thereafter until filled. Position is subject to availability of funding and approval by the funding source. No phone inquiries, please.

SEND ATTENTION: Rosemary Slubar
201 James Street
Brackettville, Texas 78832



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO RORY WOODSON ON APRIL 21, AND MAY YOU HAVE MANY MORE. FROM ALL YOUR FRIENDS.

CONSERVATION NOTES

BY TONY HUFFMAN

This is the last week to order fish from the West Nueces Las Moras Soil & Water Conservation District. The last day is April 18th. We are offering Blue Catfish, Channel Catfish, Largemouth Bass, Bluegill Sunfish, and Fathead Minnows. Delivery date will be on Wednesday, April 29, 1987, at the Kinney County Civic Center. If you would like a Fish Application Form, call or come by our office. We are located upstairs at the Kinney County Courthouse and our phone number is 563-2414.



Tris Speaker, the great American baseball player, was known as the "Gray Eagle" because of his gray hair and his speed in playing the outfield.



You can remove a red-wine spill on your rug with club soda. Leave on until the stain is completely absorbed, then vacuum.

**Protect the elderly
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**Report it.
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ALL CLASSIFIED ADS RUN 20 CENTS PER WORD OR \$2.00 PER WEEL FOR 10 WORD MIMIMUM.

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<p>LEE'S LAWNMOWER REPAIR RECONDITIONED MOWERS FOR SALE. PHONE 563-2019 IN SPOFFORD.</p>	<p>TEN MINUTE OIL CHANGE QUAKER STATE Pennzoil Fram Filters  OPEN Mon. - Sat. 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. JERRY PARKER, Owner (512) 775-9858 1913B Ave. F Del Rio, Texas 78840</p>	<p>**FOR SALE OR RENT** Real nice 3 bdrm., 1 1/2 bath house with 4-car garage, fenced in yard. Phone 563-2616.</p>
<p>PIANO FOR SALE Wanted: Responsible party to assume small monthly payments on piano. See locally. Call Credit Manager at 1-800-447-4266.</p>	<p>AL-ANON meetings weekly. For more information call 563-2007</p>	<p>**FOR SALE** 2 bedroom, 1 bath home. \$15,000.00. Call O'Rourke Realty at 563-2713.</p>
<p>For Package shipping nationwide, including Hawaii, and overnite letters call the Sagebrush Shoppe at 563-2735. Call early for Easter orders.</p>	<p>ALCHOLIC ANONYMOUS (A.A.) Open Meeting: Monday, 8:00 pm Slator Hall, First UMC</p>	<p>**For Sale** Large 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath home with fireplace on corner lot. Close to schools, on Ann Street. Phone 563-2223 or 563-2372.</p>
<p>JB SATELLITE RECEIVERS SALES & SERVICE SERVICE ALL NAME BRANDS CONTACT: JUSTIN BERRY 512-563-2476</p>	<p>HELP WANTED</p>	<p>**FOR RENT** One bedroom furnished apartment. Call Dale Borden at 563-2221.</p>
<p>**FOR SALE** Fort Clark Membership 1987 dues paid. No lot chosen. Reasonable. Call 563-2913.</p>	<p>WORK FROM HOME \$60 PER 100 INSERTING ENVELOPES. FOR INFORMATION SEND STAMP TO K.S. ENTERPRISES, P.O. BOX 1501-H, BLOOMFIELD, N.J. 07003.</p>	<p> QUARTZ</p>
<p>THE NEW SUNSHINE SELF STORAGE Located at 814 West Spring Street All sizes, up to 10' x 30' Call Chris Gomez Phillips U - Haul Service Station 563-2588 or 563-2725</p>	<p>**WANTED** Mature, responsible woman to babysit 2 children part-time days. Call 563-9313 after 5:00 p.m.</p>	<p>Quartz has as many names as its colors: pink is called rose quartz; purple or violet, amethyst; yellow is "false topaz."</p>
<p>DOC HARRIS ENTERPRISES WINDMILL AND PUMP SERVICE FARM TRACTOR AND INDUSTRIAL ENGINE REPAIR FENCING, PIPE, STEEL POST, SANDBLASTING 1906 HWY. 83 N., UVALDE, TX 78802 PHONE 278-9192, NIGHTS 278-4846 OR 278-3811</p>	<p> LIONS CLUB WEEKLY DONATIONS ARE BEING ACCEPTED BY THE BRACKETTVILLE LIONS CLUB FOR THEIR FALL RUMMAGE SALE. FOR PICK-UP CALL 563-2169, 563-2186 OR ANY LION CLUB MEMBER.</p>	<p> To keep salt shakers from clogging, keep five to 10 grains of rice inside your shaker.</p>
<p> MASON SHOES & BOOTS OVER 350 STYLES FOR MEN & WOMEN USE OUR LAY-AWAY TO SUIT YOUR BUDGET Robbie Robertson 563-2993</p>	<p>CHAMBER OF COMMERCE The Brackettville Chamber of Commerce will present a \$25.00 bond to the person who can send in the winning motto or slogan for a sign to be placed on Highway 90! Hondo has "This is Gods Country, Don't Drive thru it Like Hell." In case of identical entries, the one with the earliest date will be the winner! Mail entries to the Chamber at P.O. Box 386, Brackettville, 78832.</p>	<p>AREA ASSISTANCE FIRE DEP'T 563-2233 TEXAS HIGHWAY PATROL 563-2788 AMBULANCE 563-2757 SHERIFF'S DEPT. 563-2788 MEDICAL CLINIC 563-2434 CITY POLICE 563-2100</p>