

# PECOS BILL AND THE DIRTY DAN GANG!

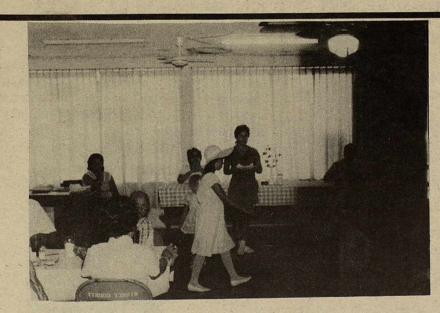


Rehearsals for the August 1 Melodrama in the Old Quarry Amphitheater at Fort Clark Springs, Brackettville, are underway. Shown left to right are Betty Inman, Director; Toby Frerich, Pecos Bill; Roger Knox, Clever Coyote; and Buffy Lynch as Slue-Foot Sue.

Others in the cast are Marie Sofaly as Granny; Shelly McDaniel, Widow Quackenbush; Wendy McDaniel, Becky; Eben Hatch as Blue Duck; Shawn Ralston, School M'arm; Armando Talamantez, Fleas; Frankie Gutierrez, Boots; Tim Hatch as Dirty Dan; Michaer O'Rourke as Pete Grouch; Marcus Brown, Ole Timér; and J.J. Guidry as Mr. Goodnews. Don Parks is the Assistant Director, Roger Knox is Stage Manager, Bo Hatch is set designer and Ellis Hatch is in charge of lighting.

Read this list of names for friends of yours. Come on out and cheer Pecos Bill and the Dirty Dan Gang!

Remember, August 1 is the date, and 8:30 p.m. is the time. Admission is \$3.00 for adults, \$1.00 for students.



### **4-H SEWING GROUP**

The 4-H sewing project consisted of Nancy Aguirre, Terry Esparza, Samantha Luna, Olga Aguirre, Lina Falcon, Mary Falcon, Raquel Franklin and Melinda Meyer.

All of these girls have done a great job. Some were beginners who had never sewn before and others were in their 2nd and 7th year. These girls learned how to select patterns and materials, from fiber to fabric. How to work with sewing machines and start and finish a garment and how to work with each



Fictured above are (bottom row) Terry Esparza and Samatha Luna, (top row) from left to right are Melinda Meyers, Lina Falcon, Raquel Franklin, Olga Aguirre, Mary Falcon and Nancy Aguirre.

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We leaders, Elena Luna, Ramona Falcon and Sylvia Meyer, recognize each and every one for such a great job done. They will all be representing Kinney County 4-H in their District Show Saturday, August 1. Good Luck Girls!

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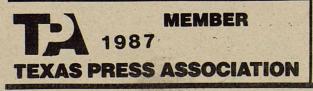
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# FISH

CROCKETT--D&B Fish Farms has become the first private fish hatchery in Texas to successfully spawn hybrid striped bass.

State hatcheries have spawned hybrid stripers for a number of years, but D&B is the first private hatchery to spawn the hybrids and offer them for sale in Texas.

"Our fingerlings can reach one pound in one year," D&B owner Mike Baughman said. "We expect they'll be three pounds in another year, then six to seven pounds the year after. That's exciting growth! We've found these hybrids can reach 12 pounds even in small ponds."

The hard-fighting hybrid stripers are highly prized as put-and-take sport fish and as an aggressive predator to thin out lakes overpopulated with small fish. Hybrids do not compete with large mouth bass.

D&B's hybrids are unique in that they are offspring from a male striped bass and female white bass. Hybrids created by State hatcheries have typically been a male white bass/female striper cross.

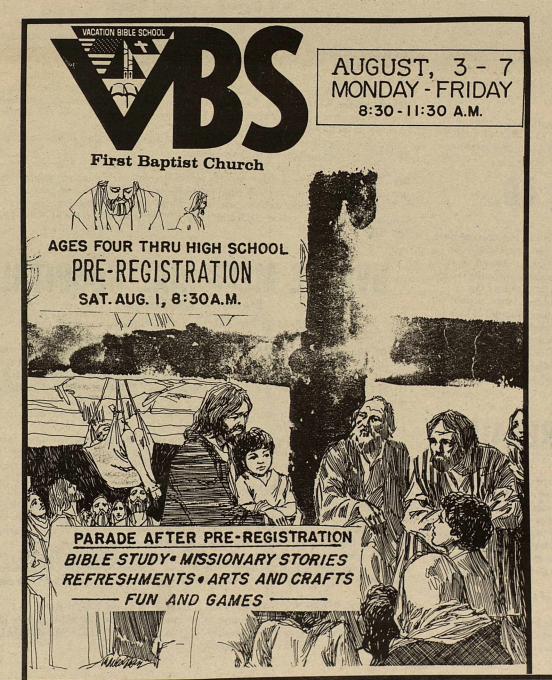
California fish farmers have begun raising and selling hybrid stripers as a food fish. Unlike other bass species, hybrids will eat pelletized fish food as readily as channel catfish.

"We see tremendous long-term potential for hybrids as a food fish and sport fish," Baughman said.

For more information on D&B's hybrid stripers, call Mike Baughman, D&B Fish Farms, 1-800-544-7465.



Therefore all things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them. Matthew 7:12





### HUBERT EMIL MENGER

Hubert Emil Menger, 80, passed away Tuesday, July 21, 1987 of a rare form of anemia.

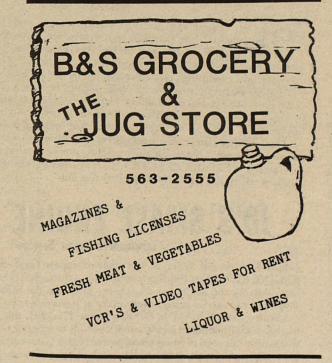
A member of a pioneer San Antonio family, he was a certified professional geologist who was still practicing his profession after 51 years.

He was the son of Rudolph and Adele Russi Menger and grandson of Simon Menger, San Antonio's first classroom music teacher and its first industrialist. He founded the Menger Soap Works in 1850 on the banks of San Pedro Creek.

Menger's great-grandfather, David Russi, served with the Confederacy and restored the Alamo in 1849, 13 years after the historic battle.

He and his wife of 51 years, Johnowene Brackenridge Peeler Crutcher Menger, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last year with a dinner party for 500 friends from all over at the San Antonio Country Club.

Menger was a charter member of Post Cambrian Geological Society, which he served as president, vice president, secretary and treasurer. Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Owene Caruth III and Roberta Byrd, both of Dallas; a brother, Allen R. Menger of San Antonio; and two grandchildren.



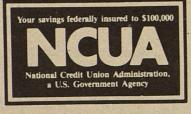
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# **1987 SUMMER BUSINESS REVIEW**

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# BORDER FEDERAL CREDIT UNION Jim Cannon – President

The BORDER FEDERAL CREDIT UNION is a "not-for-profit" financial institution. They have three convenient locations in this Southwest Texas area. The main office is at 600 East Gibbs in Del Rio, phone 774-3503; Building 336 at the Laughlin Air Force Base, phone 298-3171; and in Eagle Pass at 222 Jefferson, phone 773-5847. This financial cooperative provides consumers with a valuable financial alternative by offering services in ways unique to a credit union's purpose, structure, management and operating styles. The main difference between a credit union and any other type of financial institution can be seen in the way a credit union provides its services. Based upon the philosophy of "not for profit, but for service," Credit Unions are owned by the people who save and borrow there.

The BORDER FEDERAL CREDIT UNION earnings are returned to members in the form of better service, lower rates on loans or higher returns on savings. Deposits are federally insured up to \$100,000 each account by the National Credit Union Administration, an independent agency of the U.S. Government.

All persons residing or employed in Maverick, Kinney and Val Verde Counties are eligible to join BORDER FEDERAL CREDIT UNION, except those persons eligible for memberships in an existing occupational credit union within these counties.

The BORDER FEDERAL CREDIT UNION has recently installed automated teller machines at their main office, at the Laughlin Air Force Base office and inside the Cousins Convenience Store in Del Rio. They are a part of the Pulse Network which gives credit union members access at over 5000 machines throughout the southwestern United States.

Demonstrating their dedication to providing close personal service for ALL members regardless of their deposit size, the BORDER FEDERAL CREDIT UNION urge members to take advantage of free investment and financial counseling services.

# WESTERN ELECTRIC CO. F. Morales - Owner

For power, lighting and electrical heating work in your home or business, contact one of the area's leading electrical contractors, and have the job done right! Located at 903 E. Ogden Ave. in Del Rio, phone 774-7149, this outstanding firm

devotes itself to the business of "excellence in electricity!" They can handle the largest commercial or industrial electrification job or the installation of a ceiling fan.

They specialize in new construction wiring, re-wiring of older homes, repairs on ALL types of electrical installations, electric heating and most any other job which requires a master electrician! They're licensed, insured, and bonded and fully versed in all phases of electrical requirements and local building ordinances.

This qualified firm employs only licensed electricians. They have won the respect of prominent home builders for their careful, precise workmanship.

Call the WESTERN ELECTRIC CO. in Del Rio whenever you're in need of electrical work of any type. You'll be glad you did!

# JD'S SMALL ENGINE REPAIR Lawnmower Repair Service

Specialists in all types of lawnmower repairs and sharpening, JD'S SMALL ENGINE REPAIR in Del Rio is well known throughout the area as being one of the very best mower mechanics anywhere. They are the repair service for many local shops and can service nearly every make of lawnmower or other lawn care machine.

Located at 2452 Ave. F in Del Rio, phone 775-7201, this respected firm can handle most any malfunction, from a minor tune-up to a major overhaul to a regular blade sharpening. Be sure to bring *your* mower in this lawn cutting season so that you may have your machine serviced, repaired, tuned-up, and ready to go whenever it's time to mow the lawn.

In addition to mowers they can service or repair all kinds of tillers, edgers, chain saws and even water pumps.

JD'S SMALL ENGINE REPAIR invites all area residents to bring in their mowers so that they can always have them ready for grass cutting time.

Make plans to have this well known lawnmower specialist take care of your mower this year! JD'S SMALL ENGINE REPAIR in Del Rio!

# **CREDIT MOTORS**

### "No Interest Financing on The Lowest Prices in Town" Lee Coverdell — Owner

For many years, automobile dealers considered the "used car" business a sideline to selling new models. The friendly sales people at CREDIT MOTORS at 1001 Ave. F in Del Rio, phone 775-3716 or 775-9916 totally reject this theory. They specialize in preowned cars exclusively and, right now, they're dealing with a lower profit margin than anyone in an all-out effort to help their customers beat the current high price of new cars by offering great deals on good, clean used cars.

CREDIT MOTORS offers no interest in house financing. And don't worry about credit problems. No credit and bad credit is accepted. And they don't require high priced full coverage insurance on the cars they finance. The friendly people at CREDIT MOTORS make it easy for you to have a car!

The kind of business that this respected firm does is the main reason for their large "family" of repeat customers. People return again and again when they need an automobile because they know that integrity, quality and value are passwords at this fine used car dealer.

Buy the safe way! Stop in at CREDIT MOTORS in Del Rio and look over the tremendous values in quality used automobiles. You won't find better cars AND better values anywhere!

# BROWN AUTOMOTIVE CENTER A.W. Waymack — General Manager

With so many new models flooding the automotive market, it's difficult for the prospective buyer to decide which car best suits his driving and transportation requirements. The best way to buy is to compare, and the best place to compare is the BROWN AUTOMOTIVE CENTER. Located at 2520 Hwy. 90 West in Del Rio, phone 775-7550, this well known dealer is your headquarters for all of the new models from the famous manufacturers: Pontiac, Cadillac, Chrysler, Plymouth, Dodge and Nissan and the GMC Trucks. One of the region's largest selections, some of the very finest service and very special deals are just a few of the reasons why this dealership has won so many friends.

They offer sales, service, parts, leasing and a complete paint and body shop too. Their goal is complete customer satisfaction.

The BROWN AUTOMOTIVE CENTER is also one of the best places to have your car serviced. With a staff of factory-trained mechanics and the latest equipment, they can keep your car, truck or van running perfectly for many years to come.

Keep this outstanding new car dealer in mind when it's time for your next new automobile. See "Everybody's Dealer", the BROWN AUTOMOTIVE CENTER in Del Rio!

# **UVALDE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL**

UVALDE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL has become an integral part of the health care delivery system in this part of Texas.

This family-oriented facility offers personalized framework of health care, centered around each individual patient's needs. In their endeavor to be sensitive and responsive to the complex and continually changing demands, UVALDE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL has been successful in providing a mix of services tailored to the community's requirements.

This full-service acute care general hospital has a physician on duty in their Emergency Room, 24 Hours a Day, everyday of the year!

They serve the Southwest Texas area with some of the most advanced medical technology available. They have the Dicker Computed Tomotraphy whole body scanner, a high tech diagnostic device. They also offer mammography to screen for women's breast cancer.

UVALDE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL continuously seeks to improve itself. The hospital's success extends much deeper than the bricks and mortar. It goes much further than the sophisticated equipment. It highlights the intellect, the dedication and the untiring contributions of a group of people co-ordinating efforts to make the spokes of this hospital revolve in a smooth-running manner.

Each employee feels a great deal of pride in knowing that they are a part of a health success story which has, to significant degrees, accomplished the commitments of rendering and developing a compassionate and competent courtesy toward the patient.

UVALDE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL is located on Garner Field Road, in Uvalde, phone 278-6251. They are becoming more important each day to the people of this vicinity. Whenever selecting a hospital, stop in and see UVALDE MEMORIAL, we know you'll be satisfied with the excellent services they render.

Ben Durr — Administrator

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# **TIPTON-CARSON** DISTRIBUTORS David Kelley — Manager

Distributors in this area for the popular Miller Beer, Miller Lite, Lowenbrau and Meister Brau beers is the **TIPTON-CARSON DISTRIBUTORS**, located at 4917 Hwy. 90 East in Del Rio, phone 298-1298.

Through the efforts of the management of this company to serve the people of this area with the finest beers available, they are appreciated widely, and their beers are favorites among people who know the best when they taste it.

If you own a tavern, night club, or grocery store and aren't letting your customers enjoy these beers, contact them anytime for information about regular delivery. You will appreciate the professional friendly manner in which they do business.

If you are just a beer lover, remember to pick up a six pack or two the next time you're shopping and always call for one of these fine brands at your favorite tavern or night spot.

This distributor is to be commended on their professional business policies, their quality products and their community minded efforts. For Miller or Miller Lite, Lowenbrau or Meister Brau call the TIPTON-**CARSON DISTRIBUTORS in Del Rio!** 

# **PAT'S DRAPERIES** Pat Butterworth — Owner

Custom designed from the fabric of your choice to fit your windows exactly! That's the way draperies are made at PAT'S DRAPERIES in Del Rio on Stampede Creek Road where every set of beautiful drapes are "designed originals" especially for you! Just phone 775-8394 and make an appointment for

Pat Butterworth to come to your home and show you the latest samples of fine fabrics of all types. Her experience in interior decorating can help you choose the style and fabric that will best compliment your interior design. Once you have made your selection, their skilled craftsmen will construct your drapes to the exact measurements of your windows.

The work of PAT'S DRAPERIES can be viewed in many of the better homes and office buildings throughout the area, and she'll be proud to show you her distinguished referral list. Contact PAT'S DRAPERIES in Del Rio when you're in the market for the best in custom draperies.





Whether you're at home or on the job, you know that you can perform your tasks more efficiently if you're working in a temperature controlled environment. A hot, muggy room or office is just not the place for maximum efficiency. Let WESTERN AIR CONDITION-ING OF DEL RIO design and install a complete weather-control system" featuring famous Carrier Heating and Cooling products. Located at 3800 Highway 90 West in Del Rio, phone

775-8582, this leading air conditioning specialist can design, build and maintain an air conditioning unit that will perfectly fit the needs of your home or office.

WESTERN AIR CONDITIONING OF DEL RIO has served this area with quality products and professional service since 1969. They do service and repair work on all makes of air conditioning systems.

Carrier also offers convenient financing arrangements if you are planning to build or remodel this summer.

Their expert workmen are thoroughly schooled in all phases of air conditioning and will do the best possible job in the shortest possible time. You will enjoy years and years of trouble-free operation with one of their custom-installed units on the job.

Call Joe or Mike for more information. You'll like the systems AND the service you get from WESTERN AIR CONDITIONING OF DEL RIO INC.

# LA GITANA TORTILLERIA

Fred Lozano — Owner

Genoveva Lozano — Manager

Here in the United States, we have developed a taste for all types of "imported" foods, and the famous tortilla is no exception. Made from rough ground corn meal, this is a staple of the Mexican diet, much the same as bread is in American meals. Today, we don't have to go to gourmet shops to find the finest Mexican foods, and a prime example of this is LA GITANA TORTILLERIA!

Located at 439 W. Main in Uvalde, phone 278-9061, this tortilla bake shop provides authentic Mexican corn and flour tortillas, and a number of other products for fine Mexican dining.

Look for LA GITANA TORTILLERIA'S tortillas, taco shells, and other products in your favorite store, or stop in and get them fresh from the oven. You'll agree that authentic Mexican quality is built into every bite! If you own a store, grocery, restaurant or other retail outlet, call about regular deliveries.

This fine independent business deserves special men-tion. Be sure to see LA GITANA TORTILLERIA in Uvalde for the best Mexican Foods!





### BY RORY WOODSON

This week's Top Ten in Video Rentals are as follows:

- 1. "Color of Money"
- 2. "Children of a Lesser God"
- 3. "The Morning After"
- 4. "Mosquito Coast"
- 5. "Heartbreak Ridge"
- 6. "Ferris Bueller's Day Off"
- "Jumpin' Jack Flash" 7.
- 8. "Peggy Sue Got Married"
- 9. "Hannah and Her Sisters"
- 10. "Little Shop of Horrors"

No new movies were released this week, but "Black Widow" starring Debra Winger and Theresa Russell will be available tomorrow, Friday, July 31. I'll include a review of the movie in my next column. Until then, Happy Viewing!

SOME FUN!



"I NEED SOME LEGAL ADVICE-QUICK!"

### PUBLIC NOTICE

# ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

The Brackettville Housing Authority is accepting applications for a part-time secretary. Applicant must have some experience in filing, typing, consumption reports, and rent rolls.

All applications will be accepted between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. at the Housing Authority office located at El Paso and Sweeney streets.

The Housing Authority is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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# LADIES AUXILIARY VFW

The V.F.W. Ladies Auxiliary #8360 of Ft. Clark Springs met July 22 at the N.C.O. Building. The new officers for 1987-88 officially presided at the meeting. New Chairman for the various working committees were appointed.

New officers are; President: Rose Mary Cervantes, Senior Vice President: Margaret Geeze, Junior Vice President: Frances Outlaw, Secretary-treasurer: Wilma Lewis, Chaplain: Enemencia Starzell, Conductress: Dot Fithian, Trustees: 1st Yr. Marguerite Neuman, 2nd Yr. Carlotta De La Rosa, 3rd Yr. Martha Ward.

Committee Chairpersons: Membership, Margaret Geeze, Americanism and Loyalty day: Eva Ashby, Legislative work: Ellen Hazelton, Hospital and Rehabilitation: Ann Sciba, National Home Program: Dorothy Haga, Youth Activity & Voice of Democracy: Marguerite Neuman, Buddy Poppy Program: Enemencia Starzell, Community Activities & Safety: Dot Fithian, Cancer Aid & Research: Juanita Sides.

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V.F.W. Ladies Auxiliary #8360 of Ft. Clark walked awaw with eleven awards presented at the District II Meeting held in Uvalde July 26th. The awards were for participation and merit in the following programs:

Cancer and Research Buddy Poppy Hospital Volunteer Work Safety POW/MIA Publicity Spirit Coupon Program Youth Activities Community Activities 100% Program Participation

Senior Vice President Marge Geeze accepted the awards, several ladies from the local Auxiliary attended the District Meeting. Next year promises to be an equally hard working endeavor.



Nutmeg was once thought to remove freckles.



To continue our discussion on fruit trees for our area, we will go over apple trees.

Apple trees have become very popular over the last few years as more and more varieties have been adapted to our area. This has been done by selectively grafting onto better resistant not stock. Apple trees, like most fruit trees, have been grafted to produce dwarf, semi-dwarf, and standard trees.

The biggest problem with apple trees in Kinney County is that our soil has cotton root rot. And inevitably apple trees will die of this root disease. The soil must be prepared correctly when planting apples and must be maintained throughout the life of the tree. Large amounts of sulfur need to be added when the tree is planted, and it should be mixed with the soil deeply and throughout the dripline. A correct soil analysis will help to determine how much sulfur should be added.

As to varieties, the most popular and prolific are the Anna/Dorset Gold combination. Anna (a vellow/reddish color) must be pollinized by either a Dorset Gold or Einshimer apple. Because the Einshimer apple blooms later than the Anna, the Dorset Gold is a better pollinizer. Einshimer apples are also a very good tasting apple. It. and the Granny Smith apple should be planted along with the Anna/Dorset Gold to extend the throughout the summer. harvest Other nice varieties include: Stark Crimson, Red Delicious, Starkspur, Golden Delicious, Mollies Delicious, Adina, Holland, and Jerseymae.

Apples do very well here when properly cared for, and the harvests have been spectacular for the last 4 years (ask Bess Fritter).

There is also a newly created Apple Growers Association for apple producers (or lovers) that meets regularly in Uvalde to discuss problems, record harvest information, and to exchange the newest developments in the apple industry. It is alot of fun. If anyone is interested in joining I'll pass on the address.

Well, thats all for today. Good picking!

# STATE AID CUT FOR BRACKETT SCHOOLS

Brackett I.S.D. Superintendent, Bob McCall, received notice Friday that Brackett I.S.D. will receive from \$4000. to \$13,000. less in state aid for 1987-88. These projections came from the State Senate Office of Judith Zaffirini. McCall noted that the reduction was not unexpected. He did however concern that public express education did not benefit more from the record tax bill of 5.7 billion. Raising that much money one would think that Brackett I.S.D. would be able to receive at least as much state aid as in 1986-87.

McCall noted that teachers salaries continue to increase at a state mandated rate of \$1140. a year per teacher. With no additional money coming in from the state, these increases must come out of local funds. This leaves less money each year for building maintenance and purchase of instructional supplies.

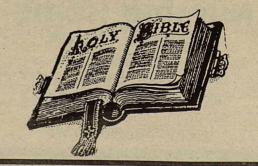
## BIBLE SCHOOL AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Vacation Bible School for all those from four years of age through high school is Monday through Friday, August 3-7. VBS at First Baptist Church begins at 8:30 each morning and ends at 11:30.

Pre-Registration and Preparation Day is this Saturday, August 1, at 8:30 in the morning. A big VBS parade is also scheduled.

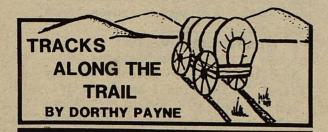
Handcraft, Bible stories, singing, refreshments, games, and a few other activities are a part of the daily schedule.

The Vacation Bible School at First Baptist is open to all children and youth. An excellent group of workers will be prepared to help make this VBS week an exciting time in the life of all who attend. No charges or costs to the children - - it's free. Welcome!



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### THE KINNEY CAVALRYMAN



Ft. Griffin in Northwest Texas was established in 1867 and abandoned in 1880. The terrain is not unpleasant along the Brazos in groves of pecan, elm and hackberry trees.

Several civil war commanders saw service here, among them were Lee, Thomas, Hood, Van Dorn, Hardee, and Sibley.

The settlement that sprung up near the fort was called "The Flat", and was one of the Wests four wildest towns, made up mostly of outlaws, whores, gamblers and killers. "The Flat" was the home town of Frank Conrad, W.S. Dalrymple, Jude C.K. Stribling, H.W. Ledbetter, Matthews and Reynolds, and Union officers, George H. Thomas, J.N. Palmer, George Stoneman and K. Garrard, and Robert S. Neighbors, superintendent of Texas Indians.

Between June 1862, not less than eight hundred persons had been killed up to the year 1868 by the Indians.

From 1875 to 1880, "The Flat" increased in size from one to twothousand, which was twice as many transients, buffalo hunters, and cowboys.

The Fort was a colorful site, one saloon was called the Bee Hive. In front was the following sign;

In this hive we are all alive,

Good whiskey makes us funny,

If you are dry, step in and try The flavor of our honey.

Temporarily called "Camp Wilson" the name was changed to "Ft. Griffin" after General Charles Griffin, commander of the Military Department of Texas from 1866 to 1867. The officers fared better at mess than the enlisted men. Officers had bacon, cured ham, vegetables, fruits, jams, jelly and spices. Breakfast for the enlisted man was beef, bread and coffee, with occasionally fish balls or mackerel, with some for dinner with vegetables or soup in season. For supper bread and coffee with apples or molasses added.

In 1876 one hundred and twentyfive thousand head of cattle passed through Fort Griffin by passing Fort Worth on the way to Dodge City.

One days sale in "The Flats" was about four-thousand dollars, about

twenty-five hundred being spent for guns and ammunition.

The F.E. Conrad store was associated with the Sutler Store owned by Charley Rath and moved to "The Flats".

In 1872, in one month, twohundred and thirty-eight felonies had been committed in only sixtyeight counties. Small boys wore six-shooters to school and no one considered himself safe in the absence of a young arsenal strapped about his person.

Captain John F. Lytle sent cattle up the trail through Ft. Griffin. Cattle was also shipped by George W. Saunders of the Texas Trail Drivers association, Shanghai Pierce, Seth Mabry, Doc Burnet, Dan Waggoner, and John and Al Blocker.

In 1878, Fort Griffin or "The Flats", boasted as citizens, "Hurricane Bill, Doc Holliday, Big Nose Kate, Wyatt Earp and Pat Garrett" among others.

In 1877, sixteen hundred hide hunters were on the range. In August of that year about twohundred thousand hides were brought into Fort Griffin.

When the Southern Buffalo herd was destroyed, Ft. Griffin declined and in the fall of 1879, was over and done. About 1881 to 1884, even the Tonkawas moved back to the Indian Territory.

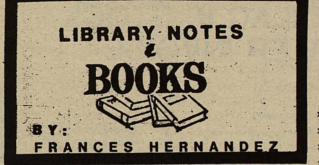
cannot read well enough to perform simple tasks, such as filling out job applications.

What's revealing about these statistics it that many of these people are young adults-high-school graduates and dropouts alike who left the school system lacking the most basic skills. But these facts don't have to be, according to the mothers at McCall's who are all big believers in the positive influence that parents can have. We live in a society where the picture takes precedence over the word, they say. So we must, by example, motivate our kids to read... by helping to foster your child's interest in good books, newspapers and magazines, you can encourage feelings of self-worth and also help Janie and Jim to function in society later on.

Start with one hour a week put aside for recreational reading. Make family visits to the local library. And be sure that your bookshelves and magazine racks at home are well stocked. To instill a love of reading is not an act of charity but an act of love. Like charity, however, it starts at home.

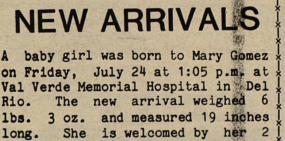
#### Signed-Elizabeth Sloan

Over 1900 childrens books are available for borrowing free of charge at the Kinney County Public Library to all county residents. And two children's magazines: Ranger Rick and National Geographic World. Come see us today!

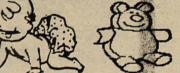


The following article appears in the 1987 August issue of McCalls magazine under Notes from our Editor: "Getting our kids to read" At McCall's, of course, the word "reading" resonates with meaningafter all, it's a big part of our jobs, and the mothers on our staff agree that, sad to say, we can't leave the urgent questions of our children's ability to read entirely to the schools.

Nothing demonstrates this more clearly than the results of the literacy test administered by the Bureau of Census last year. Given to 3,400 Americans, this test was flunked by fully 13 percent of those who took it. From these appalling figures, it is projected that 17 to 21 million adults in the U.S. cannot read. And this does not take into account those people who, although technically literate,



sisters, Anna and Nella and grandparents D Elias and Paulita Gomez.



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A baby girl was born to proud Rosa and Ruben Rios. parents Cassandra Rose Rios was born on July 24, 1987 at 5:03 A. M.. She weighed 6 lbs and was 19 1/2 inches long. Cassandra is welcomed by sister Davina Michelle and brother Proud Materal Micheal. Grandparents are Eulalio and Juanita Garcia from Brackettville.

**BUSING EXEMPTION** 

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FOR POPE'S VISIT

Fair, the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo and the Cotton Bowl, to

name just a few of our state's big

events, can tell you that big

hundreds of thousands of people,

and I expect the same to be true

when Pope John Paul II visits San

Antonio this September. The Papal

visit could, in fact, be the

largest single gathering of people

local organizers, an overdrawn

federal regulation almost made it

But despite the best efforts of

in the history of our state.

We're good at handling these

crowds are nothing new to Texas.

Anyone who has attended the State

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impossible for thousands of people to participate in this event. A number of other religious and secular organizations inform me that this recently implemented regulation also threatens their transportation programs.

The intent of the Urban Mass Transportation Administration regulation is to protect the owners of private bus companies from unfair competition by public transit systems that receive federal funds.

The effect is that if you have a private bus operator who wants to provide service to an event--even if he only has one bus--then public transit systems cannot charter their buses for that event.

What does this mean for the Pope's visit? That San Antonio's



VIA Transit Authority couldn't use its 400-plus buses or buses from other parts of Texas.

I can't believe that is the purpose of UMTA's regulations.

Nor was it the intent of any federal legislation I am aware of.

And that's what I told Transportation Secretary Elizabeth Dole and UMTA officials when I asked them to grant an exemption for the Pope's visit.

Secretary Dole called several days later to inform me that she had granted the exemption. That was good news for the Pope's visit--and her prompt action makes the organizers' task much easier.

Now, with that immediate obstacle cleared, we have to rewrite these regulations. I have pointed reservations about them. If my mail is any indication, so do a number of Texans.

I have heard from various denominations--Baptists, Catholics, Episcopalians, Methodists, Presbyterians and others--who oppose the regulations.

I also have heard from rural communities and public interest, non-profit organizations who fear' what this dramatic change in policy means for their transportation programs.

These widespread concerns and the trouble this overregulation already has caused should be sufficient reason.

> Lloyd Bentsen United States Senator

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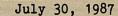
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# **1987 SUMMER BUSINESS REVIEW** Compiled & Edited by:

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# **VAL VERDE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL** Larry Dorsey — Administrator

Dedicated to providing the finest medical care of which modern science is capable, the VAL VERDE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL is well known as a major factor in the growth and development of the Del Rio community. This respected hospital has been prominent in caring for the health of area residents for many years now, and is widely acclaimed for its staff of general practitioners and specialists in many fields. Located at 801 Bedell in Del Rio, phone 775-8566, this quality medical facility of-

fers a full range of services from outpatient to surgical to maternity to specialists. There's no better place to receive the type of care that only modern medical science can provide.

The VAL VERDE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL recognizes all Medicare & Medicaid benefits as well as private insurance. It's one hospital which is staffed with skill and run with compassion.

We are pleased to be able to bring our readers attention to such an outstanding facility as this fine hospital: The VAL VERDE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL in Del Rio!

# **FASHION WORLD** and **MANJU JEWELERS** All 14K Gold Jewelry on Sale at 70% Discount

Distinctive creations await the women of the Del Rio and Kinney County areas at FASHION WORLD! Now located at 737 South Main, in Del Rio, phone 774-6788, this is one shop where fashion never takes a back seat! They feature outstanding designs from India, California and New York, and they'll show YOU some of the absolute latest in glamorous apparel. Here you will find high fashion women's clothing, shoes and gold jewelry.

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Stop in at FASHION WORLD or MANJU JEWELERS and look over the latest creations offered by this outstanding merchant. You're sure to find everything you want AND everything you love! And don't forget: All 14K Gold Jewelry on Sale — 70% Discount.

# **ESSARY ENTERPRISES**

Mark & Violet Essary — Owners

If you're building a new home or vacation cabin in an area not connected to a sewer system, then you may need to get in touch with ESSARY ENTERPRISES at 504 E. First in Del Rio, phone 775-9218; and find out more about the advantages of a modern septic tank system.

In addition to the sales, manufacture and installation of septic tanks this firm can also take care of perculation tests. They also do concrete construction, concrete stand up walls and other concrete products.

As manufacturers and designers of septic tanks, this outstanding company offers a wide variety of sizes, shapes and styles to fit into most any building plan on most any size codes, and are constructed of the finest materials for a lifetime of use. The health of your family depends on modern sanitation and, in this day and age, there's no excuse for not using the best products available. Call ESSARY ENTERPRISES before you build and discuss your sanitation needs

with an expert. All prospective homeowners should contact this outstanding firm for septic tanks. ESSARY ENTERPRISES in Del Rio!

# Road to Prosperity is Paved With Fresh Economic Ideas

By William P. Clements, Jr.

At the start of every new year, many Texans take some time to ponder the future; set goals and plc !ge to break bad habits.

I am no exception. Late in December, about a month before I assumed office, I put pen to paper and set some goals for myself-and Texas. The goals, quite simply, involve turn-

ing the Texas economy around. Our economic malaise, triggered by the collapse in oil prices, is well-known and far-reaching.

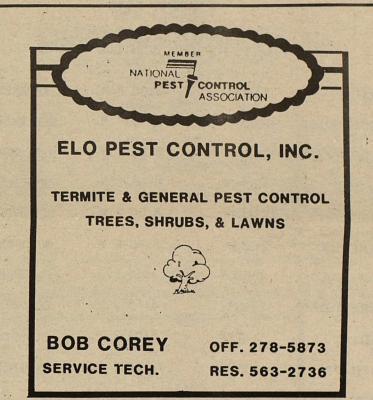
Now, six months later, I am happy to report that we are making substantial progress. We are not yet there, but in our recently completed legislative session we built a solid foundation upon which economic recovery certainly can be built

jobs. Second, it is important that our economy be diversified and that we wean ourselves from a reliance on oil and gas.

But much more was accomplished in the legislative session in terms of fostering an economic revivial. For example, lawmakers agreed to the creation of an 18-member State Economic Planning Commission to develop a state economic development framework.

Also at my urging, lawmakers enacted legislation limiting government regulatory red tape for small business. We must foster the development of small business in Texas, not put innumerable obstacles in its path.

In addition, a legislative green light was given for the establishment of foreign trade zones in several Texas cities,



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# TIGER FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

### RESERVED SEAT FOOTBALL TICKETS ON SALE FOR 1987

Reserved Seats for the 1987 Tiger Football Season go on sale August 7, 1987. Prices this year are twelve dollars (12.00) for each set of tickets. There are four home games this year. Persons interested in reserving the same seats that they had last year should pick their tickets up before August 21, 1987. Tickets and ticket information may be obtained by calling 563-2491 or going by the Central Office. Cindy Brandt will be handling reserve seat sales.

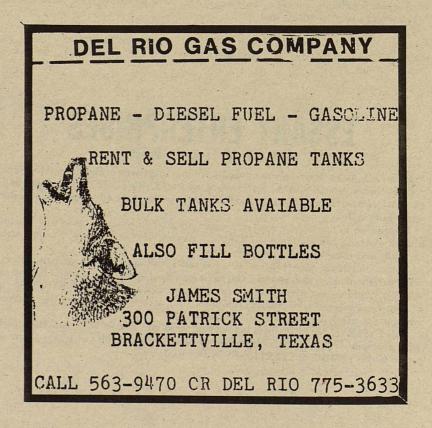
The Brackett Tiger Varsity schedule is listed below.

#### TIGERETTES BEGIN SECOND YEAR OF VOLLEYBALL COMPETITION

The Brackett Tigerettes are getting ready to start their second season of District 30AA volleyball competition. The Tigerettes were impressive last year as they learned the game. This year they expect to make a run at the District Championship. Matches are the best two of three games and are played on Tuesday evenings. The complete schedule is below.

#### BRACKETT **1987 VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE**

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BRACKETT HIGH SCHOOL	
VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE 1987-88	

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ROCKSPRINGS	HERE	8:00 P.M.	SEPTEMBER 11
NUECES CANYON	THERE	8:00 P.M.	SEPTEMBER 18
SABINAL	THERE*	8:00 P.M.	SEPTEMBER 25
NATALIA	HERE*	8:00 P.M.	OCTOBER 2
WIMBERLEY	THERE	8:00 P.M.	OCTOBER 9
S.A. COLE	THERE*	8:00 P.M.	OCTOBER 16
ASHERTON***	HERE*	8:00 P.M.	OCTOBER 23
DILLEY	THERE*	8:00 P.M.	OCTOBER 30
LYTLE****	HERE*	8:00 P.M.	NOVEMBER 6
* DISTRICT CON	TEST		

\*\*\*HOMECOMING

\*\*\*\*PARENTS' NIGHT

# PUBLIC NOTICE

The governing body of the City of Brackettville will be conducting a public hearing in conjunction with the regular City Council meeting, 7:00 P.M., Tuesday, August 11, 1987, at the City Hall Council Chambers. The purpose of the meeting is to receive citizen input and to analyze and discuss the projected 1987-88 Annual Budget.

s/s William Mendeke Mayor

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# **GONZALO MARTINEZ**

World War 11 veteran Gonzalo Martinez is pictured with a dozen service ribbons, badges and medals he received 42 years after seeing some of the worst combat of the Pacific Theater. Among the decorations are the Purple Heart and the Bronze Star shown at the center of the arrangement. The box at the front of the arrangement contains a small collection of war souvenirs. (SIP photo)

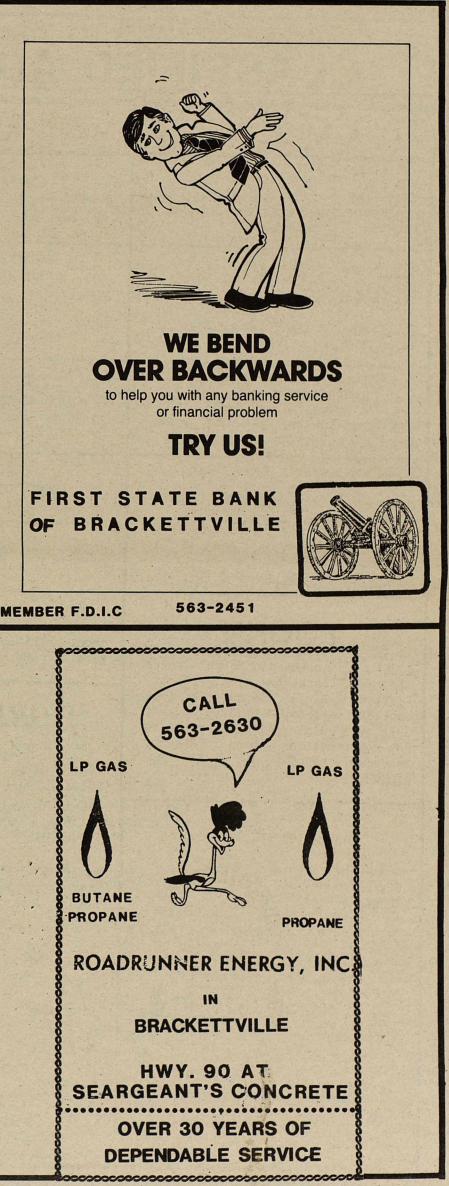
Mr. Martinez is 67 years old and was here last week visiting with his cousins, Ramona Flores and Raymond Aguilar, who are Brackett residents. Mr. Martinez comes to Brackettville every year for his vacation.

Our World War 11 veteran took almost 42 years to get his medals. He said he just never got around to picking them up.

When World War 11 broke out, Martinez was a young man still living in his home town of Brackettville. He was drafted and sent to California for basic training and later sent to the Pacific Theater in the Seventh Infantry Division. Martinez's unit occupied the Aleutin Islands following the Japanese withdrawal, and later paticipated in the liberation of the southern Phillippines. In 1945 the unit took part in the battle of Okinawa, the scene of some of the heaviest fighting in the Pacific. It was here that he was wounded.

After his discharge, he married his wife, Mary, and in 1968 brought his family to Heyburn. The Martinez have three sons currently living in the Heyburn area.

Gonzalo Martinez is still very patriotic and fly his country's flag outside his home on National holidays.



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