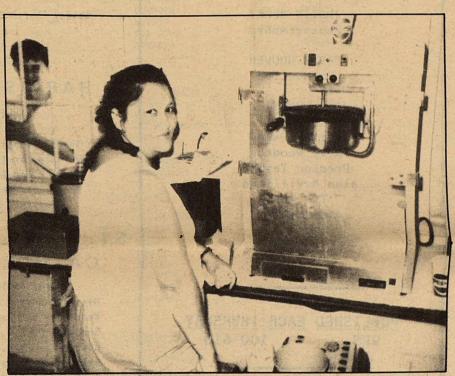


# BASEBALL! BASEBALL! BASEBALL!



It seems that Little League is not just for the young ones but a family affair. Pictured above is Leonard and Elaine Luna. They, along with Kathy Bader, are managers for the "New Kids" softball girls team.



Pictured above is Julia Terrazas donating her time in the Little League concession stand. Julia has been in charge of the concession and has donated her time now for several years.



"New Kids" team was victorious over the "Leprechauns" Wednesday night. Pictured above is the "New Kids" team.



Jimmy Bader volunteered during the softball game, to keep score.

Bill Herman, pictured at the right, and who is the head score keeper for Little League, is showing Jimmy how to keep score.



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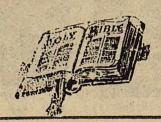
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#### OFFICIAL LITTLE LEAGUE SCHEDULE

# "OPENING DAY CEREMONIES" SATURDAY APRIL 28 9:00A.M. LITTLE LEAGUE FIELD

Monday night kicked off not only the first game of the Little League season, but they very first Girl's Softball Game in Kinney County. Spirits were high and many people were present to observe the game. "The New Kids," managed and coached by the husband/wife team of Leonard and Elaine Luna, were triumphant over the "Silver Roses," managed by Linda Sharp and coached by Melanie Jones. Volunteer umpires for the game were Manuel Pena, David Esparza and Buck Smallwood.

The first game of the Little League Season will be held Tuesday night at 5:30 with the Lions meeting the Astros for the first game and the Rams playing the Cowboys in the second game.

The official "Opening Day Ceremonies" will be held Saturday, April 28 at 9:00 a.m. at the Little League Field prior to the first game of the T-Ball League. Playing Saturday will be the Cardinals and Bombers, first game; and the Fireballs and Top Guns in the second game. Plans call for all four Commissioners to throw out the first ball. The County Commissioner's Court has greatly aided the Little League Program and all youth in this community by providing the funding to improve and create a safe, and more than adequate, playing field for the League. The Board, Managers, Coaches, Parents and Children are truly grateful to Bill Bizzell, Rosemay Slubar, Joe Garza and Rueben Fuentes.

The Little League is going through many changes and is growing by leaps and bounds this year. As with all growth things happen that are unexpected, both good and bad. The Board of Directors is doing its best to see that all children play under the safest conditions, with the best management possible. We do still need financial support from our community. Equipment must be purchased, insurance bought and the field has to be maintained. All of this is VERY EXPENSIVE. Please donate to your local Little League Program. Finances are an ongoing need.





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# LEASE OF DUCK INN

Fort Clark Springs Association, Inc. is accepting proposals for leasing the Duck Inn for the summer. Proposals must meet the , following criteria:

1. Minimum bid of \$350 per month

2. Must have minimum hours of operation from 12 noon to 6 p.m. Friday through Wednesday. May operate more hours at the discretion of successful bidder.

3. No alcoholic beverages may be sold.

4. On dance nights, Memorial weekend, 4th of July and Labor Day weekend, hours must extended to the end of dance in order to serve set-ups and/or food.

In consideration of the lease the Association will provide:

1. All utilities paid. -

2. Equipment currently on premises, box freezer, upright freezer, Cold drink box, bun warmer, grill, deep fat fryer, sandwich refrigerator, snow cone machine and ice machine.

3. All minor maintenance on above equipment provided by the Association; however, in case of a major break-down requiring total replacement of a piece of equipment, the Association reserves all rights to not replace the equipment.

Proposals should be submitted in writing to the General Manager's Office at Fort Clark Springs no later than 12:00 noon, Friday, May 11, 1990.

## OLD ARMY DAY FORT CLARK, TEXAS, 1930'



Pictured above is the 5th Cavalry's Monkey Drill Squad.

## PUBLIC NOTICE RIO GRANDE ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. UPDATE

The Board of Directors is pleased to announce that, in fairness to our Members and consistant with the By-laws of the Co-op, this years Annual Meeting will be held in Dell City, Texas.

We at Rio Grande Electric Cooperative are very proud of the communities we serve in and around and look forward to seeing our Members this September.

As details are worked out they will be announced.

Other news at RGEC concerns the Alpine/Persimmon Gap transmission line. Repairs on this line were scheduled to begin on April 10, 1990. Sarten Construction Company will be changing out 48 poles and approximately 75 to 80 cross arms to improve the condition of this line. A Cooperative employee will be with the construction crew at all times. The work will be done with the line hot to avoid power outages for members served by this transmission line.

#### SCHOOL NEWS RELEASE

Parents, students and other interested community members are invited to attend a program for counselors, parents, and high school juniors and seniors at Brackett ISD HS Library on Thursday, May 3. from 6 PM to 7:30 PM. This presentation, " Making High School to College an Organized Transition, " will be broadcast live over TI-IN Network and will feature Beverly Tucker.

This program is designed to help students and their parents organize a personalized high school to college transition plan. Much of the discussion will focus on helping the student prepare for the new environment, planning a budget. and developing a college checklist of things to do and remember.

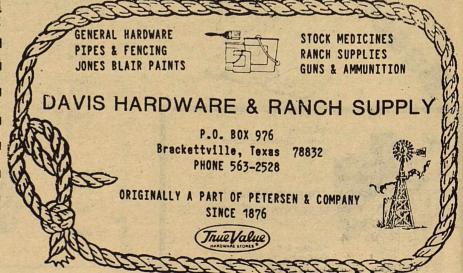
In addition, tips will be given to parents on ways to reduce separation anxiety, on how to develop creative communication channels, and a list of things to do to make the transition smooth.

Tucker is a career consultant based in Austin, Texas. A former teacher and guidance counselor, Tucker also served as assistant dean of students at the University of Texas at Austin and an assistant director of financial aid at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor. She owns and operates BT Enterprises, a multi-level health, wealth and wisdom business.

TI-IN Network is a satellite broadcasting network serving more than 950 school districts in 29 states. All of II-IN's programs are live and interactive. Participants can call on a special telephone and talk, not only to the presenter, but to other participants as well. The network remains on the air year-round and offers a wide range of staff, teacher, student, and community programs. For more information, contact Ms. Pauline at 563-2491.

"The most momentuous events of history are always things accomplished that had been held to be impossible."





## PUBLIC NOTICES

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Francisco P. Perez.

We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been extensively and belief and has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true and correct.

# PUBLIC HEARING ON FEDERAL FUNDS EXPENDITURES

The Brackett Independent School District will hold a public meeting to allow input from interested parties into the expenditure of Chapter I Regular, Chapter I Migrant, and Chapter II federal money.

The hearing will be held at 3:30 p.m. in the Elementary School Library on Friday, April 27th, 1990.

## TEMPORARY EMPLOYMENT

The Middle Rio Grande Development Council is looking for interested individuals willing to perform job development for AFDC clients in Del Rio and Uvalde. This pilot project will be in effect from May 1, 1990 through August 31, 1990. Preferred requirements for all persons interested in performing this temporary work include: experience in outside and independent sales, a Bachelor Degree or a minimum of two years experience in social work or related field. Salary commensurate with experience and qualifications. All interested persons are urged to apply with the MRGDC, 403 E. Nopal - P.O. Box 1199, Carrizo Springs, Texas 78834. Resume and/or applications must be received by no later than May 4, 1990.

#### ACCEPTING BIDS

BIDS WILL BE ACCEPTED UNTIL MAY 15, 1990, 10:00 A.M. FOR THE FOLLOWING WORK TO BE DONE ON SILVER LAKE RANCH, KINNEY COUNTY, TEXAS:

- (1) CONCRETE WATER STORAGE
- (2) TROUGH
- (3) PIPELINE
- (4) EXOTIC GAME (AXIS, FALLOW AND BLACKBUCK)

CONTACT SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT AT 512/563-2414 FOR BID FORM.

### NOTICE OF SALVAGE & SURPLUS AUCTION

Notice is hereby given that Kinney County will have an auction of surplus and salvage property at the County Barn on Saturday, May 12, 1990 at 10:00 a.m..

The following items will be auctioned:

- 1. Used tin 179 12 Ft.
  - 52 8 Ft.
  - 36 7 Ft.
  - 52 10 Ft.
- 2. 1978 3/4 Ton Crew Cab, 4 dr. Chevy Truck
- 3 1981 1/2 Ton Mazda 2 dr. Truck
- 4. 1 York heating & cooling unit
- 5. Misc. pipe.

The above items may be inspected at the County Barn.

TERMS OF SALE:

- All sales are final.
- All sales paid at time of sale.
- All items sold to be removed at date of sale.

## KINNEY COUNTY BID PROPOSAL

Bids are being accepted for purchase and installation of a storm warning system in Kinney County. Please submit separate bids for pole installation.

Specifications are available at the Kinney County Judge's Office, P.O. Box 348, Brackettville, Texas. Phone (512)563-2401.

Bids to be submitted to Kinney County Judge's Office on or before May 10, 1990, with bids to be opened on May 14, 1990.

Kinney County Commissioners
/s/ Tommy Seargeant
County Judge

## SPRING DANCE RECITAL

The local students of the Beverly School of Dance will be presented in their spring dance recital Saturday, April 28th at 7:00 in the evening in the high school auditorium. The theme of this year's recital will be "Sentimental Journey." The young dancers, ranging in age from three to eleven, have been attending weekly classes since September. Mrs. Beverly Matzig and Mrs. Janice Foster of Del Rio have instructed them in combinations of ballet, tap and tumbling at the St. Andrews Episcopal Church parish hall in Brackettville.

The dancers, their teachers, and their parents would like to invite everyone from Brackettville, Fort Clark, and the surrounding area to attend the recital. having the opportunity to perform on the stage is a wonderful experience for these children. There will be a reception honoring the dancers and their teachers at the school cafeteria, immediately following the recital, to which everyone in attendance is invited.

#### THE KINNEY CAVALRYMAN

#### LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor:

This is in reference to the weekly column, "Between Us", published in the Brackett News.

Please print these two columns appearing in the San Antonio Light newspaper, on behalf of His Holiness, The Reverend Joe Townsend's arrogant, self-seeking, ingenious babble.

> Thank you, /s/ Sharon Toft Trant

"ENVIRONMENTAL PRESIDENT" MUST ACT

This was a long time ago, kiddies, when gas guzzlers had tailfins, smokestacks spewed glop that rotted forests and nobody cared that we were ripping a chunk big as the United States out of the ozone layer. You wanted clean air? Turn up the air conditioner. It was 1961, and Gaylord Nelson, governor of Wisconsin and later a U.S. Senator, was hitching a ride in the limo with President Jack Kennedy. Nelson bent Kennedy's ear about "conserving the environment."

Kennedy, Nelson remembers, looked baffled.
"Gaylord, I've never given any thought to this
issue", said Kennedy. "I've lived in cities.
I didn't know a problem existed."

Now, three decades later, we're approaching the second Earth Day (which ex-Sen. Nelson invented), and Nelson worries that the incumbent U.S. president is almost oblivious as Kennedy was.

Is George Bush behaving like the "environmental president," or running a political scam?

"The jury is still out - and getting nervous," said Nelson, a leader in the Widerness Society. "The question is in how great depth Bush understands the issue. He's spent more time criticizing flag-burning than on the environment. What kind of priority is that?"

You'd think avid fisherman-boater-hunter Bush would be something of an eco-freak. But in the war between the "greens" (zealots who would move fast to protect the globe) and "browns" (business establishmentarians who would protect profits), Bush plays the middle ground.

"Sure, I want a clean environment," he waffles, "but I'm not going to shut down the economy."

Translation: Go slow, churn out reports, do nothing rash.

So far Bush has gotten a gentleman's "C" on the environment, mainly because he's no Ronald Reagan. But this week - and not merely because of this Sunday's Earth Day eco-fest - Bush has to show his true colors.

Seventeen nations are sending representatives to the White House for a two-day conference on global warming, that potential cataclysm of drought, flood and cancer the Bush team prefers to laugh off. Already the White House parley is rapped as a public relations fraud.

"It's really a smoke screen to cover up the administration's inaction," Daniel Becker of the Sierra Club says scornfully.

More bitingly, Europeans charge the Bush administration has stacked the deck so the global-warming powwow will paper over Bush's do-nothing approach.

"The whole agenda is a kind of one-way traffic," Dutch delegate Pier Vellinga complains. "It focuses on economic issues, not political will."

It's curious to hear Dutch, Irish, Germans and other Europeans chastising the World's Most Advanced Nation for selling out the 21st century. No wonder they're skeptical. White House adviser Michael Boskin scoffs that the warming threat "roughly translates into a temperature change less than moving from Washington to Atlanta."

Never mind that the National Academy of Sciences (700 members, 52 Nobel laureates) predicts greenhouse gases will warm the earth by four to nime degrees by next century's end.

Or that United Nations experts will move up that projection to 2050. That could mean U.S. droughts, bread lines and heat waves that make the summer of '88 feel like paradise.

"Maybe it will take an environmental Pearl Harbor," says Lester Brown of Worldwatch. Meaning: too late.

The "green" crowd worries that Bush is brainwashed by White House Chief of Staff John Sununu, a pro-industry mole who shrugs that "faceless bureaucrats" want to take "cars away from Americans." Earth Day leader Dennis Hayes calls Sununu "James Watt with more hair."

"This is a presidential challenge greater than any war or depression," Nelson says. "If Bush knows it's serious and does nothing, that's immoral."

Well, Bush could end the waffling with two dramatic moves this week: Call for a total ban on CFCs, the chemicals in refrigerators and air conditioners that eat away the ozone layer, and

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## Did You Know?

• That women are the fastest growing prison population?

That pets can have heart transplants?
That people still raise barns

the old-fashioned way?

That China has progressed

faster in the past ten years than in its entire history?

• That acupuncture really works for backaches?



These are just a few of the topics explored on "Chronicle", the A & E Cable Network's nightly television news magazine airing every Monday through Friday at 7 PM, EST. "Chronicle" features the people, places and events that shape our lives. Special reports include medical updates, environmental issues and human interest stories, plus forays into fanciful, foreign lands. Co-hosted by award-winning journalists Mary Richardson and Peter Mehegan, "Chronicle" opens our eyes to the images and imagination of an ever-changing world.

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demand 40-mpg cars in a decade. Instead, expect more go-slow yak-yak. And wait for Pearl Harbor.

By Sandy Grandy, a columnist for the Philadelphia Daily News, is based Washington, D.C.

#### WE MUST USE EARTH WISELY AND WELL

Earth Day 1990 will be observed on Sunday. Somehow it seems very fitting that Earth Day should fall on a Sunday, since the solution to the many problems threatening our Earth lies in better stewardship of God's creation. will be the 20th anniversary of the First Earth Day, and today the threats to our Earth are of a greater magnitude than anyone ever dreamed when the first celebration was held. we respond by saying that "the problem is so large that whatever I do will not help," let's consider a few pertinent facts.

Did you know that by recycling one aluminum can, you save as much electricity as it takes to run your television for our hours?

Or consider this: By recycling one yearly subscription to The San Antonio Light, you produce as much reusable paper pulp as an acre of forest land.

By saving and turning in our paper products, we and our neighbors can make a big difference, as each ton saves as much as is produced by cutting 17 trees. A stack of newspapers only 4 feet high is equal to a fullgrown tree. It takes more than 500,000 trees to produce the newspapers that Americans read in just one Sunday! When you consider the paper that most families usually place in the trash daily and the rate at which we are depleting our forests, recycling begins to make good sense.

In the field of energy, the experts tell us that enough leaks through American windows each year to equal the flow through the Alaskan pipeline. Count the light bulbs in your house, and you will be surprised by the number in use. If every household in the nation replaced the bulbs with compact fluorescent light bulbs when they burn out, we would eventually be saving as much energy each year as could be generated by 22 large nuclear plants.

Those of us who are concerned over the cost, safety and final disposition of nuclear plants when they can no longer be operated could make their construction unnecessary by making the switch. Fluorescent bulbs also last many times longer, so we wouldn't have to keep reaching out for ladders to replace the bulbs that are constantly burning out.

Styrofoam cups have long been recognized as a hazard to our Earth. They form a good part of the more than one ton of hazardous waste that each person generates each year. Because they are cheap and save us washing wash cups, Americans throw away 25 billion styrofoam cups yearly - enough to circle the earth 435 times! And the churches are among the worst offenders with suppers, after-service coffees, Learn to split logs day-care centers and the ever-present coffee instead of the "atom." pot that graces most church offices.

Unfortunately, our attitude preserving our Earth usually includes what others ought to be doing. We point to drive-in and fast-food places and the unbelievable Manx cats, amount of styrofoam packaging which they do and known for its lack of tails, excuse ourselves from doing something. We in the Irish Sea.

point to a lawn sprinkler that is running full force in the heat of the day or during a shower that blows in, and ignore ways in which we could conserve water in our own home.

Someone points out that Americans could save 250 million gallons of water each year by simply installing faucet aerators. This is not to suggest that we ought not pressure fast-food chains to find new safe packaging or that careless watering ought not be reported. It is, however, to suggest that each of us do our

When we purchase a new appliance, we need to read the labels and ask questions to ensure that we choose energy-savers. We can request a free energy audit from the utility company and seek their guidance in saving both money and energy. We can insulate and weatherstrip our houses and again save both money and energy.

With just a little effort, we can separate our cans, bottles, plastic containers and newspapers, and recycle them. Recently I went through our trash and removed seven large glass bottles and two gallon jugs which I carried to the recycling center nearby. I must warn you that helping out may cause you to suffer the sin of pride as I felt better all day at my tiny effort.

The Judeo-Christian traditions have always taught that God placed mankind on Earth with a sacred responsibility to care for it and use it wisely and well. Perhaps now that the existence of Earth is threatened, we will take the responsibility more seriously. Let's hope so. Written by Rev. Don Baugh who is executive director of the San Antonio Community of Churches.

#### NEW BUSINESS COMING SOON

Sterling "Smiley" Goodloe, that everybody knows and loves in this community, is opening his very own Bike Shop.

The Grand opening is scheduled for June 1,

Smiley has had this dream a very long time. He loved to ride his bicycle and work on it when he was a little boy.

We think it is wonderful for people to have dreams and it is even more wonderful when they work hard and make their dreams come true. Smiley is one of those people!

Smiley has contributed much to this community. He has been working with the Volunteer Ambulance Service for 12 years and has been active in Little League and many other activities. Since he has given so much of his

life to our community, we hope that some happiness and pleasure and profit will come his way with his "Bike Shop". Good luck to you, Smiley!

The New Bike Shop will be located at 674 Fort Street. He will also be selling Snow Cones. Below is the hours he will be open.

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Fri. and Sat. 2-11 p.m.

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He will have used bikes, bike acessories, and new and used parts for sale.

Bike repairs will also be part of his business.

"Bike riding is for all ages and is good exercise for everybody and since there is no other shop in town, it is needed," stated Smiley.



SMILEY GOODLOE

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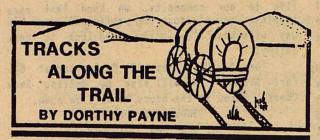




# PLEASE VOTE JIM McDANIEL SCHOOL BOARD TRUSTEE MAY 5, 1990

PD. POL. AD BY JIM McDANIEL, BOX 1140 BRACKETTVILLE, TEXAS 78832

#### THE KINNEY CAVALRYMAN



The Javelina who live in the southwest are really listed as a peccary. In Spanish he is listed as; "Boar, Jebali, F. Jobalina." In the early southwest they were called the "Jabali." It is not clear why the "a" was added to the word "Jabali" instead of the masculine "O."

Most Javelina weigh around forty pounds and rarely as heavy as fifty pounds. They are about three feet long, the largest boars are about three feet tall at the shoulder. When his bristles stand he looks much larger than he really is.

If a javalina is backed into a corner he will come out fighting and he has a lot of power. When they travel in packs they can pose a powerful threat. Both male and female have two pair of tushes in their jaws kept sharp by quashing.

All a baby javelina has to learn is to keep up with his mother. The ones made into pets think their master is their mother and patter along behind.

Javelinas eat prickly pear, biting off bits and pieces, ignoring the spines. He eats the seed pods of mesquite and other grasses and weed,s but the javelina could hardly get along without the nopal commonly called the prickly pear. He needs very little water because he gets so much moisture from the cactus.

The Javelina has a musk gland that gives off an odor but it is not overpowering. Their eyesight is poor but they have a highly developed sense of smell. In the 1800's they were killed by the thousands and sold for brushes, gloves and leather.

The javelina are still a part of the southwest. There were some on the fort when I first came they used to come into the plaza in Unit One and snuffle and root at night. But I haven't seen any lately.

## SNÖÖPS

Remindum ya'll about the Troopers Reunion being coordinated from the Commissary Building on the Fort, April 27th, 28th and 29th. Ya'll come, ye hear?....Seems that Berkley and Jeri Garrett, have his sister Dorothy and her husband Roy Hunter, an avid golfer, a visitum them. The Hunters have two girls and one boy, and these folk are from Virginia Beach, VA..Goin to be here about a month, and plan ta visit the Alamo Village, Mexico and the S.A.

walk....Do ya'11 know Garretts?...Whal, they are a most interestin couple. They live in Unit 35, have a loverly waterfall in than front yard, and they both love cats and dogs....Berkley is from No. Carolina, and he and Jeri met some time ago at the V.A. hospital. She whar sick at the time, but she had been a nurse with the Air Force prior ta her illness. company....Berkley has been a haven fun with the movie and T.V. Industry, and is the P.R. man fur Willie Nelson. I fergot to tell ya'll that Jeris is originally from Worcester, Mass., went ta nursing school and became an R.N., and her hobbbies are needle craft, rapping, and working out at the spa each week. She joined the Air Force in 1970, and whar in fer nine years; of that time, one year in Thailand during the Vietnam war, to Hong Kong, Taipai, Philippines, India, and Hawaii. She and Berkleymet ten years ago on September 13th, when they'll celebrate than tenth wedding anniversary.... How did they find the Fort? Whal, Berkley whar doing some video work at the Alamo Village, and they were brought to the Fort ta stay, and cool off with a nice swim, and they shore did like what they saw. They bought in 1982, and moved from thar home in the Indian Hills area of the hill country, to the Fort in 1989....Now I should let ya'll know jest what Berkley has been a doing in the movie/T.V. Industry....He been in the movies, Barbarosa, Red Headed Stranger and On the Road Again....Was in the T.V. movie that starred James Garner, "The Long Summer of George Adams." Robert Duval movie, Tender Mercies, what won an acadamey award fer Mr. Duval. He played the bus driver in the movie Cloak and Daggar" with Hentry Thomas and most of the filming whar done in San Antonio...Did a movie that is yet to be released, called "Cedar Chooper" based on Confessions of a Serial Killer, and Berkley plays as the Chief Investigator....Did one out of Austin, the life of an alcoholic, "Unfinished Business"...Did twelve episodes of "Dallas" series...was in "Black Roads" with Tommy Lee Jones of S.A., and alsoSally Field was in it as well as in "Places in the Heart" and he did a walk on part...Berkley has done many commercials, fer Allen Boat Centers in Austin and San Antonio, and Gilbralter Bank, and the Inter-First Bank.. He's going to be doing some movies soon at the Briar Cliff Country Club in Spicewood, Texas. Seems that Willie Nelson has bought the Cowboy channel, and will be utilizing the Ch 7 family channel...Berkley will be leaving in a couple of weeks ta git started...Ain't it great to have sech a celebrity on the Fort?...Whal, that him, he'd like ya to say"howdy"...Got to git to moverun, "Snoops"

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The Kinney Count Commissioners court hired Mary Mitchell as the new county librarian at a special meeting, she will be on duty may 1st. I would like to extend a warm welcome to Mary and i'm sure all the library patrons will do the same. I will still be around as a volunteer as there is always plenty of extra work to be done and I enjoy it very much.

Earlene Thurber

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#### LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor:

After reading the letter from Jessie Herndon in last week's paper reviewing all that has transpired on the controversial radioactive waste dump proposal over the past 22 months, one can only deplore what continues to be an attempt by big business to profit by any means possible even at the expense of hard-working citizens fighting to preserve what they have from potential dangers. Apparently this includes indifference by officials in control over water supply when a dependent community does not cooperate but resists what an outside bully is trying to impose on all of us.

Several weeks ago, national news informed us that Browning-Ferris Industries, Inc. had been fined another large sum for violations of government rules on the operation of a radioactive waste dump in New York state. Also, that they company had been denied permission to expand that facility. This is just one of many public disclosures of the persistent disregard this company has shown for safe and proper operation of hazardous waste installations which threaten the lives of people and the environment they live in.

More recently, evening news told us that BFI had decided to get out of the radioactive waste business because it was unprofitable. Undoubtedly, the millions they have paid in fines for violations is part of the problem. A spokeman for the company confirmed this adding that they proposed to sell off their active waste facilities or dismantle those which were not in a condition to market to someone else. Clearly, the facility TEXCOR proposes is in this category, and if BFI is a company of its word, we should soon see an end to this painful experience.

Despite this, we read that the President of TEXCOR claims that he has already spent to much time and money on the project to cancel it. But then the big dollar continues to be the dominant factor in his unwelcome presence. This also adds to the obvious truth that BFI and its subsidiaries are not to be trusted under any circumstances.

A public referendum would clearly reveal that a predominant majority are opposed to this project. why aren't our county commissioners court officials taking stronger steps to bring an end to this false promise of prosperity that the people don't want? Why can't we have an opportunity to vote our objection? Is it because someone is afraid of the truth? Is someone's financial interest in the way of justice for the people, by the people, etc.

We sincerely hope that 1990 will be the year of decision, when integrity and justice will prevail in Kinney County, for our common best interests.

S/S R. C. Hirsch

## BISD SCHOOL INFORMATION

BRACKETT SCHOOL PLAN TO REMAIN OPEN IF LEGISLATURE FAILS TO ACT BY THE MAY 1 DEADLINE

In the regular monthly meeting of the Brackett Independent School District Board of Trustees, Bob McCall, school district superintendent, recommended that Brackett schools remain open, if state funding is cut off May 1, 1990 by court order. Mr. McCall told the trustees that the district had the cash reserves necessary to meet the payroll and that in his opinion, it would be prudent to continue "business as usual." The Board agreed with the administrative recommendation.

## BRACKETT ISD TRUSTEES UPHOLD STUDENT SUSPENSION

In a called emergency meeting on Tuesday, April 17, 1990, the Brackett Independent School District Board of Trustees met to hear an appeal of a suspension of a student from the track team by track coach Jesse Rodriguez. The appeal was heard in executive session. Both Mr. Rodriguez and the parents of the student were given a chance to express their views of the incident.

After hearing both sides, the Board asked the parties to leave the board room so that the Board could deliberate the issues. The Board reconvened in open session. Mr. James Bader, Board President, told the audience that the Board recognized there were some inconsistencies in the past with the administration of athletic rules. However, Mr. Bader stated that the Board would not lift the suspension assessed by Mr. Rodriguez on the grounds of insubordination. The meeting was then adjourned.

#### CHAPTER I PAC MEETING

There will be a meeting for the parents of Chapter I Migrant students. The meeting will be held at the Jones Elementary School Library on Friday, April 27, 1990, at 3:30 P.M.

The 1990-91 Migrant Budget will be reviewed at the meeting.

Mr. Steve Mills, Jones Elementary School principal, invites all parents of migrant children to attend this important meeting.

Habra' una junta para los padres de los ninos migrantes del programa escolar Chapter I. La junta sera' el dia 27 de Abril de 1990, el viernes a las 3:30 p.m. en la biblioteca de Jones Elementary School.

El presupuesto para el program Migrant Chapter I de 1990-91 se revisara' en esta junta.

El Sr. Mills, director de la Escuela Jones Elementary, invita a todas los padres de ninos migrantes ques asistan a esta junta.

DEADLINE FOR VOTING ABSENTEE
BY PERSONAL APPEARANCE MAY 1, 1990

The last day to vote by absentee by personal appearance in the School Trustee election of May 5, 1990 is Tuesday, May 1, 1990. Persons wishing to vote absentee by personal appearance may do so between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. at the Brackett High School Office. Mrs. Emma Swaim is the chief absentee clerk and she is assisted by Ann Rose and Candy Hobbs.

SCHOOL BARD WILL CANVASS ELECTION RESULTS ON MAY 7, 1990

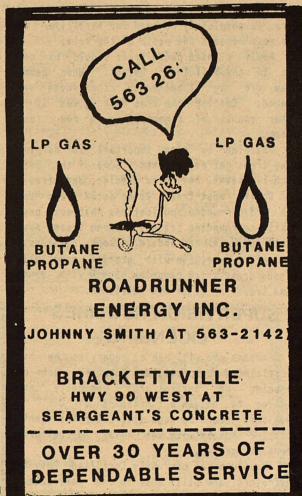
The Brackett Independent School District Board of Trustees will hold a special meeting

on May 7, 1990 for the purpose of canvassing the results of the May 5, 1990 election. New members will be given the new "Oath of Officer" to file with the Secretary of State's Office. New Members will then be sworn in at the regular monthly meeting of the Board on May 14, 1990.

## OLD ARMY DAYS BY WALLACE MORGAN



Pictured above is the Master of Ceremony, of "F" Troop. What a shame that we don't see this type of riding skill, anymore.





Texas Agricultural Extension Service

BY ALAN L. MCWILLIAMS

TEXAS AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE

I think it's safe to say that spring is here and with that in mind, the time is right to spray newly budded pecan trees.

Spraying will combat scab, the most prevalent disease among pecan trees. The disease is hard to see, but if you have had a problem in the past, you probably can expect it in the future. Pecan scab usually produces lesions on the leaf and black or dead shucks.

Some varieties such as Burkett, Wichita, and Western are susceptible to pecan scab and should be treated with a fungicide. Varieties resistant to pecan scab are Choctaw, Cheyenne, Pawnee, and Soiux, but homeowners should still be alert for problems with the fungus.

You should spray immediately after the buds break and then two of three more times until June. While spraying a fungicide, also spray the pecan trees with zinc. Zinc sprayed on foliage helps produce larger leaves and promotes overall tree growth and nut production.

The prime time to fertilizer pecan trees is immediately after the buds break. The old rule of thumb is to apply one pound of ammonium sulfate, 21-0-0, per inch of trunk diameter.

Fertilizer should be broadcast on the surface under the pecan tree and should extend out to the canopy. A common misconception for fertilizing is to dig a hole near the trunk and pour liquid fertilizer into the hole. Since most feeder roots are in the top 18 inches, there is absolutely no need for fertilizer to be placed beneath the depth of the soil.

Newly planted pecan trees should be cut back to one-half their height. When pecan trees are dug at nurseries, the roots are damaged. Cutting the tree back gives it a better chance of regenerating a new root system.

Mulching is also important in helping young trees get established. Some of the best mulch is leaves, hay, pine needles, and straw.

Unlike most trees, young pecan trees can with stand roundup applications that are used to kill surrounding grasses. Young trees need plenty of water and should be kept relatively free of competition with grasses especially bermuda grass which competes highly with young pecan trees for water and nutrients.

# SUPERVISION REQUIRES LICENSING

Persons who will use or supervise the use of restricted-use pesticides for the purpose of producing an agricultural commodity are required to obtain a license as of Jan. 1, 1990, said Robert De Anda III, Extension agent-pesticide safety with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Those who are currently Certified Private Applicators are still able to use restricteduse or state-limited-use pesticides; but are not allowed to supervise the use of these products, De Anda said.

#### THE KINNEY CAVALRYMAN

The Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) has basically divided the private applicator category into three groups. The first group are Certified Private Applicators who received their certification prior to January 10, 1989. This certification does not expire except under special ruling, and those holding such certification require continued education units (CEU'S) by October 1995 to recertify.

The second group are certified private applicators who received their certification after January 10, 1989. This certification expires in five years, therefore, this group must attend an Extension Service training, be tested and apply for a license by 1994.

The third group is licensed private applicators who must attend an Extension Service training, be tested and apply for a license with a \$50 licensing fee. This license expires in five years and 15 CEU's are required for renewal.

"Currently, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service is offering trainings for private applicator licensing. The applicator has two options. First, he or she may go to the local Extension office to view the slide program, receive a signed form from the County Extension Agent, and travel to the TDA District office for testing. The second option is for the applicator to attend a formal training where, if possible, a TDA representative is available for testing on-site after the training." said De Anda.

De Anda added that the applicator should contact the local County Extension Agent for more information.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic levels, race, color, sex, religion, handicap, or national origin.

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# EARTH DAY AT KICKAPOO CAVERN

The earth day at the Kickapoo Cavern State Park Sunday, April 22, was reported to be quite a success. About 53 cars and around 200 people showed up to enjoyed the the five to eight p.m. tour.

They first took a tour of the park to the old hunting lodge, where display pictures of the caves were shown. The people who attended the tour got to see a slide show of the park and they then went on to the green cave to see the bats fly out. It got dark shortly after that and the group let making a safe journey home. The general census of the group was "ALL HAD FUN".



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# FOURTH ANNUAL FORT CLARK TROOPER'S REUNION

The Fourth Annual Fort Clark Trooper's Reunion will held April 27, 28, and 29 at Fort Clark Springs in Brackettville. The events open to the public will be the dedication of the Guardhouse Museum at 2:00 p.m., Saturday, April 28th. A barbecue will follow at 5:00 p.m. at the area across from Highway 90 near the entrance of Fort Clark Springs.

For more information on the history, talk and fun- Contact: Lashawn Wardlaw (512) 563-2493



Pictured above is the Fort Clark Museum. This old building use to be the guard house. The Museum is to be dedicated this weekend.

# REFLECTIONS BY PRESTON TAYLOR

George died on his twenty-first birthday. He had lived a full, productive life. I knew George well because he was one of my dad's two mules.

One word may be used to describe the entire life of George. That word is faithful.

One day when I was about 10 years of age, my dad placed me on the mule. The he balanced a 50 pound sack of shelled corn in front of me on the mule.

George and I took the corn two miles down a dirt road to the little grist mill owned by Mr. Joe Kinnard. After the corn was ground into meal, Mr. Kinnard put the boy and the meal on the mule and soon Mom had fresh meal for corn bread.

George would pull a Georgia stock with a straight shovel and a 20 or 24 inch sweep for 12 hours a day. We could hitch the mule to a wagon with our other mule and they would pull a 1400 pound load of cotton to the gin or pull a heavy load of stove wood or firewood.

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George would pull "round and round" the pole that turned the rollers at the syrup mill at Mr. Will Fautheree's place not far from our little farm in south Arkansas.

George taught me the importance of being faithful. All of us need to learn this lesson, don't we?

Children and young people may be faithful in school. They can feel the excitement and thrill of studying and learning.

Teachers, parents, and workers in every area of life should recognize that faithfulness is one of the important qualities in life.

In Matthew 25:21 Jesus said, "Well done, thou good and faithful servant." What do you think the Lord will say to each of us when we stand before him?



o right-Tulisha Wardlaw, Virginia Shahan and Lashawn Wardlaw.

#### TEXAS TRAVEL FAIR IS A SUCCESS

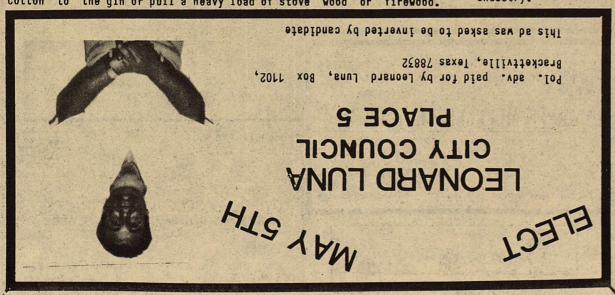
The Texas Travel Fair held in Lubbock April 18 and 19 proved to be a success for travel sites such as Fort Clark Springs and Alamo Village. Each year, a City is chosen for Texas Travel Counselors (the individuals that provide information about Texas at the port of entries) to meet and learn more about our great state of Texas' travel sites. These Counselors allow the Texas tourism industry to grow more and more each year.

Sea World in San Antonio, Aquarena Springs in San Moras, Odessa, Waco, Fredricksburg and many others attended the fair. Virginia Shahan, owner of Alamo Village said, "It was great seeing all of our friends in the tourism business again. They are all fantastic people.

For a different twist and to add a little personality, Lashawn Wardlaw, Public Relations Director at Fort Clark Springs were the cavalry uniform of Don Swanson, curator of the Old Guardhouse Museum. Wardlaw said, "A lot of people remarked that they hadn't seen a cavalry-women before!"

Representing Fort Clark Springs and its history and representing the ol' west through Alamo Village gives a person a great deal of pride. Tourism is a large industry. Kinney County tourism could be a larger industry. More people to our county benefits everyone. Remember: Positively promote our tourism industry. It is a winning industry.

By LaShawn Wardlaw





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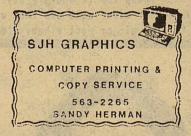
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