

KARL CHISM

FORT CLARK SPRINGS HAS NEW SECURITY CHIEF

Effective July 19th, Karl Chism was hired as the Security Chief of the Fort Clark Springs Association. This Texan native had the opportunity to visit Fort Clark in 1986 at which time he bought property. He and his wife, Jan, decided three years ago to make Fort Clark their permanent home.

Chism began his Fort Clark career by becoming the golf professional and manager of the 18-Hole golf course and was then employed by North American Towns of Texas. He held that position until NATT handed it over to the Fort Clark Springs Association in January. In February, Chism began working as Building Inspector for the Association and will continue to hold this position with his present duties as Security Chief.

Chism worked seven years with the Nueces County Sheriff Department and in 1979 resigned as Detective Sergeant. He has also worked as manager of an air conditioning and plumbing company based in Dallas and has worked with Ray Ellison Industries. With his background with the Nueces County Sheriff Department, Chism feels that he has the qualifications necessary to fill the job positively. "My main concern in securing the property and making members safe and secure in their home," said Chism.

Fifteen full-time and part time persons occupy the security staff. "I know that I can provide leadership, discipline and the positive training which I feel will benefit my staff," said Chism.

Karl Chism and his wife, Jan, have three children and have been

married nearly 33 years. Mrs. Chism is presently working at the Activity Center and at the swimming pool at Fort Clark. When Chism and his wife aren't working, one may find them riding their motorcycles or playing golf. Good luck to Fort Clark Springs new Security Chief, Karl Chism.

By LaShawn Wardlaw

NUECES RIVER ON A RAMPAGE AGAIN

The Nueces River was on a rampage again this last week. Many of the Ranchers and their family could not get out of their ranches to get to town.

As you can see in the picture below, the water is still quite high and swift.

This is the second time in just a few months that it has rain enough to flood. Livestock was lost in both floods and there has been much fence and property damage.

Rain is much needed in this part of the country but when we get a abundant amount, it can be costly to the ranchers.



NOTICE

Junior High and High School Physicals.

When: August 2, 1990

Where: The Clinic

Who: Everyone that is going to participate in Junior High or High School Athletics.

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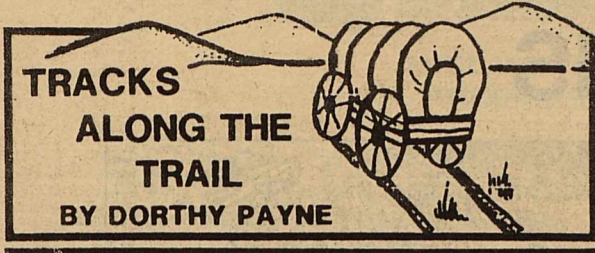
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

ALL LETTERS TO THE EDITOR WILL BE PRINTED IF THEY ARE SIGNED AND ACCOMPANIED BY A TELEPHONE NUMBER.

July 26, 1990



Nellie Tayloe Ross was born in 1876 and died in 1977. She may not be a very familiar figure to people of the Southwest, but it happened that she was elected Governor of Wyoming on the same day Miriam "Ma" Ferguson was elected Governor of Texas.

Ross happened to have been sworn into office first which made her the first woman governor in the United States. Nellie Ross, like Ma Ferguson, followed her husband into office. Ross was born in St. Joseph, Missouri, but had always refused to say what year. She married lawyer William Ross in 1900 and went with him to Cheyenne, Wyoming where he hung up his shingle and began practicing law.

William Ross was elected governor of Wyoming in 1922. He died in 1925 while still in office and his wife, Nellie Ross, was elected to complete his term.

Unlike Ma Ferguson, Ross was an active politician, but, as women in government were still not taken seriously, she did not get re-elected when the term of office was over.

After 1926, Nellie Ross was still very active in Democratic politics and became a strong, active worker for FDR. She was rewarded for her work by being named the first female director of the United States mint, and served in that position from 1933 to 1953.

LIBRARY NEWS

We wish to thank Mr. Roger Borroel of East Chicago, Illinois for donating a copy of his book, THE TEXAN REVOLT OF 1836, to our library.

Also, we wish to give an especially big thank you to the generous donation of \$500.00 from Mr. Vernon Miers of Southwestern Communications Service here in Brackettville. Mr. Miers kind donation will go toward improving the lighting here at the library.

As those of you know who visited us during this past rainy season, the library is not only the coolest, friendliest place in town, it was also the darkest, wettest. We publically apologize for our trash cans sitting around to catch the water. Our county officials are trying to get the necessary repairs done as soon as possible. As for the darkness, if you see Mr. Vernon Miers or Mr. Happy Shahan, tell

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them thanks, because their generous donations will be going toward the lighting improvements as well as shelves for our books. Too, we wish to thank all those who have volunteered their technical assistance in helping us to solve some of our problems at the library. We are currently looking for someone with superior carpentry skills to help us assess our shelving needs.

We haven't had anyone sign up for chess lessons yet, and we know there are several out there who would be interested. Don't let this opportunity pass you by. Call and let us know you would be interested when the classes become a reality.

We had an opportunity to meet the local Rotarians a few weeks ago and if there are other groups who would like a program presented by your local Library, just let us know, we're more than willing.

We're still looking for used videos to add to our local video library. Keep us in mind as you go through yours!

Remember, come to your library, we're getting in many new books with our brand new lease program. We're still the coolest, friendliest, and soon to be the driest, brightest place in town!!

The Library Staff and Volunteers

**REFLECTIONS
BY REV. PRESTON TAYLOR
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**

Most of us look forward to making a trip. A thoughtful family places enough toys in the car to entertain the children on the journey. Rest and meal stops are planned with the children in advance. A map of the route helps highlight the places of interest for every family member.

Of course, one parent may need to stay in the back seat to keep little wars from starting between the children. Surprises of snacks, cokes, new toys, and books add joy to the journey, too.

Everyone takes a trip at the end of life. A strong indication from Jesus is that God's people get to journey with a band of angels to heaven at death (Luke 16:22). An old Negro spiritual says, "I won't have to cross Jordan alone."

God's people will be greeted in heaven by many who have gone on before. I'm looking forward to meeting my parents and grandparents as well as friends in glory when the Lord taps me on the shoulder and says, "Son, come home."

Heaven already explodes with excitement. As God's redeemed, blood-bought people arrive "on the other side," they will understand in a new way that God's grace, love, and mercy make it possible for anyone to get inside those pearly gates. We don't get to heaven because of our name nor our personal goodness nor works. It's God's righteousness in Jesus Christ which makes us acceptable in the Lord's presence.

God rewards His people for their holy living. Our capacity to take in the wonders and glories of eternal life will be determined by what we do in this life that brings glory and praise to the Lord.

Are you planning a trip to New York,

Paris, or Mexico City -- or even San Antonio? God wants us to make plans for a journey to the "New Jerusalem." Why make plans to go someplace on planet earth and not prepare for the trip into eternity?

**BILLY GRAHAM FILM
AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**

Millions of people have seen the hour long color movie that carries the title "Cry From The Mountain." This Billy Graham film will be shown at 7:00 this Sunday evening, July 29, at First Baptist Church of Brackettville.

The public is cordially invited to see a production that every family member will talk about for days to come....

**DISASTER LOANS
AVAILABLE**

San Antonio, July 16...Julio Perez, District Director of the San Antonio District Office of the Small Business Administration (SBA), announced today that SBA is making Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDLs) available to small businesses that have sustained economic injury losses as a result of severe freezes which occurred in Texas December 21 through 24, 1989. The deadline for filing applications is October 10, 1990. The counties eligible for economic injury loan assistance include:

Atascosa, Bandera, Dimmit, Edwards, Frio, Kinney, La Salle, Maverick, McMullen, Medina, Real, Uvalde, Val Verde, Webb, and Zavala.

If a small business was normally able to meet its bills and pay its operating expenses, but cannot do so now as a direct result of the December freeze, it may be eligible. The loans, however, are not to cover physical losses.

Economic injury loans are limited to the financial needs of the applicant based on the actual economic injury and may be made for up to \$500,000. The interest rate is four percent. Based on repayment ability, a loan may extend to 30 years. This program is available only to small businesses which are able to meet SBA size standards and which do not have credit available elsewhere.

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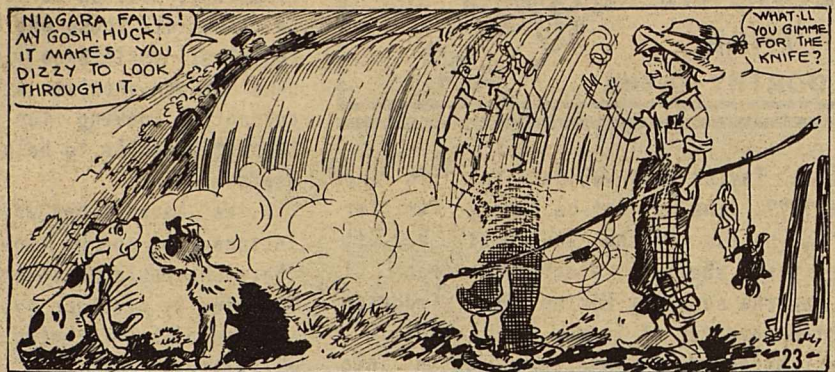
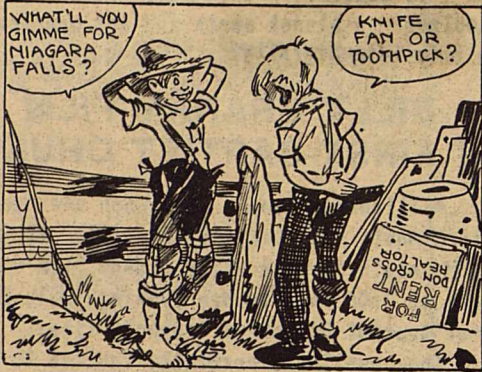
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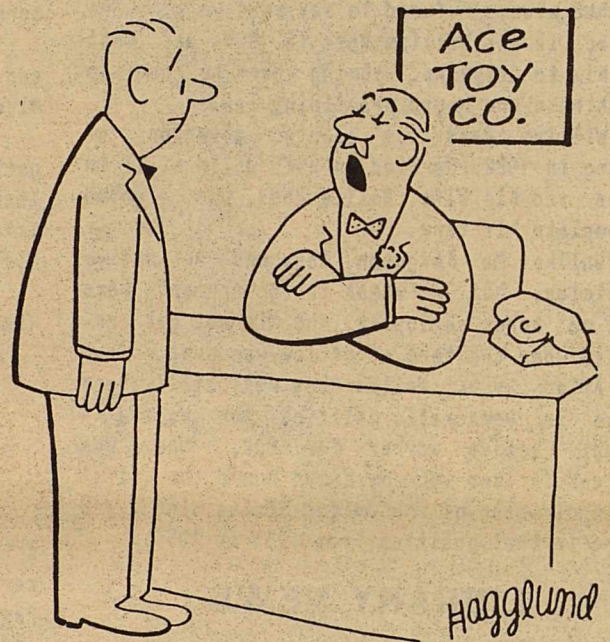
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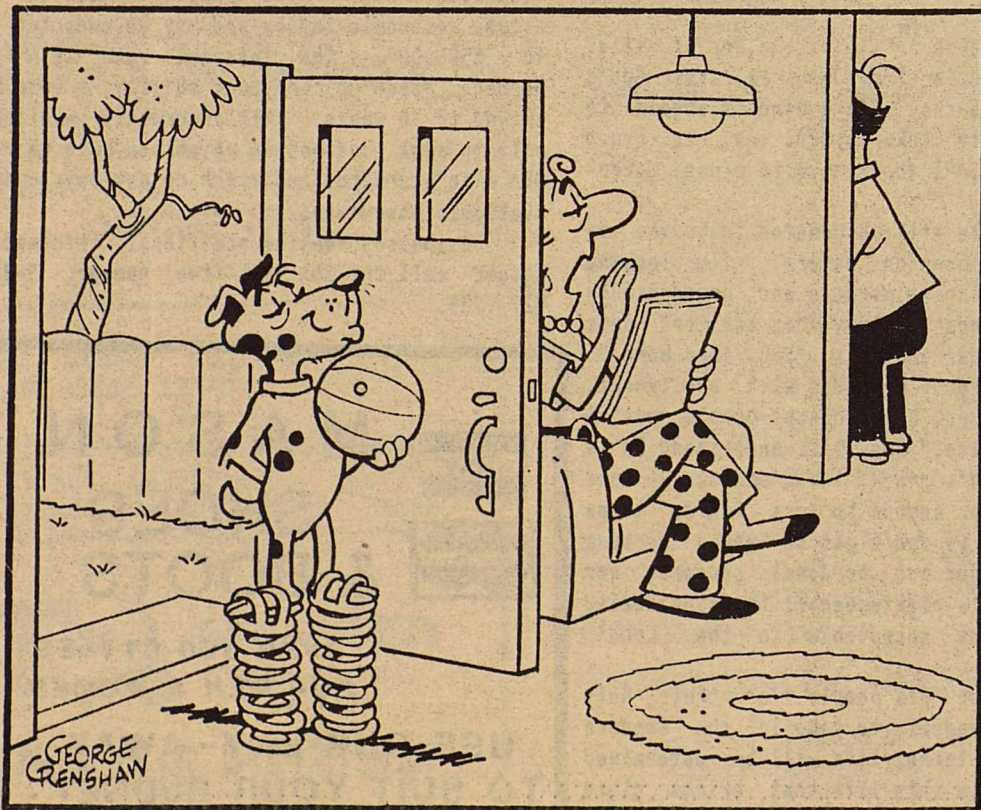
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by George Grenshaw



"BELVEDERE SAYS HE'S READY FOR YOUR BIG BASKETBALL MATCH."

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"THAT'S FROM MY WIFE! SHE WANTS A NEW FUR COAT!"

PUBLIC NOTICES

CITY OF BRACKETTVILLE

**PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENT FOR
MANAGEMENT SERVICES**

The City of Brackettville has recently received a Contract award from the Texas Department of Commerce for a new swimming pool. Accordingly, the City is seeking to contract with a qualified management consultant to carry out several aspects of overall program management for the locality.

Please submit your proposal of services and a statement of qualifications to the City of Brackettville, P.O. Box 526, Brackettville, Texas 78832. Proposals must be received by the City no later than August 6, 1990 to be considered. The City reserves the right to negotiate with any and all management consultants or firms that submit proposals, per the Texas Professional Services Procurement Act and the Uniform Grant and Contract Management Standards Act of 1981.

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CITY OF BRACKETTVILLE

**ORDINANCE NO. 1990-7
BRACKETTVILLE LANDFILL**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BRACKETTVILLE, COUNTY OF KINNEY, STATE OF TEXAS, ESTABLISHING CERTAIN REGULATIONS AND FEES REGARDING USE OF THE LANDFILL LEASED BY THE CITY OF BRACKETTVILLE; AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF SAID REGULATIONS. THIS ORDINANCE CAN BE SEEN IN ITS ENTIRETY AT CITY HALL.

ACCEPTING BIDS

Bids will be accepted until August 7, 1990, 10:00 AM, for the following work to be done on Silver Lake Ranck, Kinney County, Texas:

1. Treedozing, Stacking, and 2-way Chaining (more or less, 6300 acres)
2. Water Well Drilling and Casing
3. Windmill Installation
4. Water Storage Facility
5. Pipeline and Troughs
6. Fence Construction

Contact Soil and Water Conservation District at (512) 563-2414

BRACKETT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Public Hearing on Federal Funds Expenditures

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

The hearing will be held at 6:00 p.m. in the Central Office Board Room on Monday, August 6, 1990. Everyone is welcome.

PRAYER TO ST. JUDE

May the Sacred Heart of Jesus, be adored, glorified, loved and preserved throughout the world now and forever, Sacred Heart of Jesus, pray for us.

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St. Jude, help of the helpless situations, pray for us.

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CITY OF BRACKETTVILLE

**PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENT FOR
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The City of Brackettville has recently received a Contract award from the Texas Department of Commerce for a new swimming pool. Accordingly, the City is seeking to contract with a qualified Engineer/Engineering firm (registered to practice in the State of Texas) to prepare all preliminary and final design plans and specifications and to conduct all necessary interim and final inspections.

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BRACKETT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

**Position Vacancy
Part-time Custodian/Bus Driver**

Brackett Independent School District has a vacancy for a part-time custodian/bus driver. The position will be for a minimum of twenty hours per week. Pay begins at \$4.00 per hour with an increase at the end of a three month probationary period.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Education: Must be able to secure a GED
Experience: Custodial, electrical, plumbing experience is desirable.

- Must:**
- *Be willing to work evenings.
 - *Be available for special events
 - *Be available for bus driving substitute
 - *Be able to secure a Class A commercial license successfully complete the Texas School Bus Drivers Training Course

Interested parties are to contact the Central Office for an application. The Brackett Independent School District office is open 7:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday, closed from 12:00 Noon to 1:00 p.m. the position will remain open until filled

Brackett Independent School District does not discriminate on the basis of sex, handicap, race, color, and national origin in its educational and vocational programs, activities, or employment. Brackett Independent School District is an equal opportunity employer.

BRACKETT ISD MAY LOSE OVER \$300,000

The Commissioner of Education, Dr. William Kirby, has certified that Brackett ISD may lose as much as \$300,000 if Senate Bill 1 is completely implemented by 1995. The district will lose the money in State Aid if it fails to make an "adequate" local tax effort. The District would need to adopt a rate of \$1.26 by 1995 using current Appraisal District property values.

"The Legislature did not do a very good job explaining that local property taxes were going to have to increase dramatically to raise money for the current funding plan," said Brackett Superintendent, Bob McCall. This lack of information or disinformation leaves the local property tax payers assuming that the increase in local taxes is the idea of the Board of Trustees when, in fact, it has been mandated by the Legislature.

McCall did note that those persons 65 and over who have had their taxes frozen will not be affected by any increase in school tax rates. He noted that many people do not understand this when they complain about the cost of education.

BRACKETT SCHOOL NEWS

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION OF NONDISCRIMINATION
IN VOCATIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS

Brackett Independent School District offers vocational programs in Vocational Home Economics and Vocational Agriculture. Admission to these programs is based on student interest, scheduling constraints, and prerequisites for certain courses.

It is the policy of Brackett Independent School District not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, or handicap in its vocational programs, services, or activities as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

It is the policy of Brackett Independent School District not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, handicap, or age in its employment practices as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended, and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

Brackett Independent School District will take steps to assure that lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in all educational and vocational programs.

For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator, Bobby D. McCall, Superintendent, Brackett Independent School District, P.O. Box 586, Brackettville, Texas 78832, or phone the coordinator at 512/563-2491.

BRACKETT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
RELEASES SCHOOL CALENDAR AND SPORTS SCHEDULES

Brackett Independent School District has released the 1990-91 School Calendar and the schedules for Football and Volleyball. Other dates of importance are:

New Teacher In-Service -
Friday, August 17, 1990
9:00 AM - High School Library

In-Service for Teachers Who Did Not
Complete Training This Summer -
Monday, August 10, 1990
8:30 AM - 4:00 PM
High School Library

All Teachers Report for In-Service -
Wednesday, August 22, 1990
8:30 AM - 4:00 PM
High School Library

BRACKETT ISD FACES LARGE TAX INCREASE
TO MEET LEGISLATURE'S REQUIREMENTS

Senate Bill 1 (SB1) recently passed by the Texas State Legislature will force Brackett Independent School District to adopt a fourteen cent (\$.14) property tax increase in order to receive maximum state aid for 1990-91. This increase, if adopted, would boost the current school tax rate from \$.8571 to \$.9971 per \$100.00 of appraised values.

Superintendent Bob McCall told the local Rotary Club that Brackett ISD has had a six percent increase in property taxes over the past six years while most districts in the state have experienced an average of forty percent increases. When Chapter 75 was adopted

as The School Reform Act in 1984, Brackett had a \$.79 tax rate. The state average at that time was around \$.54. The state average today is around \$.95. Del Rio CISD, during the same time span, has increased property taxes from \$.28 to \$.71.

Every District in the state which is not currently at or above \$1.18 per \$100.00 of valuation will be faced with huge tax increases in order to get their share of state funding. It is going to be difficult for school administrators and local school trustees to adopt these increases and keep local taxpayers happy. The goal of SB1 is to have every district in the state taxing at \$1.18 by 1995.

Representative tax rates from surrounding districts are listed below:

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| LaPryor | \$1.38 |
| Nueces Canyon | \$1.08 |
| Knippa | \$1.082 |
| Rock Springs | \$0.557 |
| Dilley | \$1.12 |
| Sabinal | \$0.927 |
| Del Rio | \$0.71 |
| Uvalde | \$0.72 |

These figures are taken from the Texas Research League and are based on 1989 rates reported to the Texas Education Agency.

BRACKETT TRUSTEES STAY WITH TASB
FOR EMPLOYEE INSURANCE

The Brackett Independent School District Board of Trustees agreed Monday, July 16, 1990, to continue using the Texas Association of School Boards (TASB) as the carrier for the Employee Health Insurance Plan. The deductible was increased to \$500.00 in order to keep rates reasonable. President of the Board, Jim Bader, proposed maintaining the district's contribution to the employee health plan at fifty percent of the premium. This is the second year that the district has contributed to the employee health plan.

Executive Summary
Brackett Independent School District
Federal Programs

Chapter 1 Regular

The 1989-90 Chapter 1 Regular program operated at Brackett Independent School District served 183 eligible students at grades Kindergarten through sixth. A variety of instructional strategies were used, including supplementary instruction in the Foundation classroom, supplementary instruction in a resource classroom, and computer-assisted instruction (CAI). The program focused on basic skills

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instruction in language arts.

The students participating in the program showed an average gain for the 1989-90 school year as evidenced by their performance on the 1985 edition of the California Achievement Test. Analysis of their reading scores showed gains on both the basic and advanced skills subtests at all grades served except grade 2, which showed a small loss in the advanced skills area.

Chapter 1 Migrant

The 1989-90 Chapter 1 Migrant remedial instructional program served 82 eligible students in grades Pre-Kindergarten through twelfth. Students were served in the foundation classroom by supplementary instructional aides under the direct supervision of a certified teacher. In addition, eligible students received computer assisted instruction (CAI). The program focused on basic skills instruction in language arts.

The students in the migrant remedial program also showed overall gains for the 1989-90 school year. Analysis of the total reading scores showed gains in grades 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, and 11, and losses in grades 3 and 7. On the advanced subtest (Reading Comprehension), gains can be seen in grades 2, 4, 5, 6, and 10, while grades 3, 7, 8, 9, and 11 had losses.

We do advise using caution when interpreting test results based on small groups of students because an extreme score from a single student can disproportionately affect the results for an entire grade in either direction.

While overall results are generally positive, achievement test data reflect only one aspect of a project's effectiveness. Other measures should be considered as well when evaluating the success of a project. These measures might include classroom grades, essential element mastery, TEAMS scores, or dropout rates. Please refer to the enclosed Program Evaluation Checklist for a list of modifications to consider for the 1990-91 school year. Based on the results of this evaluation, you will not be required to formulate a Campus Improvement Plan this year.

HOSPITAL WELCOMES DR. O'BRIEN VAL VERDE

Val Verde Memorial Hospital is pleased to announce the addition of Lawrence O'Brien, M.D. to the medical staff.

Dr. O'Brien and his family are not strangers to our community as they have been here for the past four years while Dr. O'Brien fulfilled his commitment to the Air Force at Laughlin AFB.

Dr. O'Brien was a pediatrician at the base hospital.

Dr. O'Brien attended college at the University of Texas at Arlington, then attended medical school in San Antonio at the University of Texas Health Science Center. Following medical school, Dr. O'Brien returned to Dallas to do his residency in pediatrics at Children's Medical Center and Parkland Hospital.

In his leisure time, Dr. O'Brien enjoys woodworking, water skiing, photography, bike riding, and spending time with his family. His family includes wife, Nancy and sons Sean, 10 and Nick, 8 months.

To schedule an appointment with Dr. O'Brien, you may call the Del Rio Medical and Surgical Clinic, 774-2505, or stop by 1200 Bedell Avenue. Dr. O'Brien's office hours will be Monday thru Friday, 9 A.M. - Noon; closed Wednesday afternoon; then Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons 2 - 5 P.M. Wednesday mornings will be reserved for emergencies only.

WELCOME, DR. ABBOTT

Val Verde Memorial Hospital welcomes Emile G. Abbott and his wife, Frances to the community. Dr. and Mrs. Abbot recently moved to Del Rio from Georgia.

Dr. Abbott attended college at Georgia Southern, graduating from there in 1962, then attended the Medical College of Georgia in Augusta, graduating in 1966. His internship and residency were done at Naval Hospital in Portsmouth, Virginia from 1966 to 1970. Following that, he spent three years in the Navy and was stationed at Japan Naval Hospital in Sasebo. The stint in the Navy was 1970-1973, during the Vietnam conflict. After he completed his military service, Dr. Abbot began his private practice, specializing in Internal Medicine in Congers, Georgia, a suburb of Atlanta, and has been there until just recently when he moved to Del Rio to open his practice.

Dr. Abbot's wife, Frances, is a Registered Nurse, and she is working with him in this new office. Fran completed her BSN at Emory University after having taken some time off while she had their two sons. She originally worked with Dr. Abbott in his Congers' office for seven years, but for the past three years has primarily done rehab nursing, specializing in spinal cord injuries. Dr. and Mrs. Abbott have two college age sons, Tony, a junior at the University of Georgia; and B.J. a sophomore at Georgia Tech. In their spare time, the Abbots enjoy scuba diving, gardening and reading.

Dr. Abbott's office staff is bilingual and office hours will be Monday thru Friday, 8 A.M. to 5 P.M. To schedule an appointment you may call 774-5517, or stop by 106 Foster Drive.

Dr. Abbot will be happy to see patients four years of age and older. His services will include: Internal Medicine, General Family Practice, Female/Male Health, Adolescent Medicine, Sports Medicine, Occupational/Workmans Comp., Wellness and Preventive Medicine, Diagnostic Medicine, Physical Exams/All Levels, Minor Surgery, Full Counseling Services and Laboratory/X-Ray/EKG.

If Dr. Alvarado or Dr. Cartall was previously your family physician, and you currently do not have one, feel free to call

Dr. Abbot's office and make arrangements to have your records sent there.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING

The City Council met in a special meeting, Monday, July 16, 1990. All council members were present.

Mr. Ron Barbutti, planner for the City Planning Grant, went over his contract with the council. After the briefing the council passed and approved the contract.

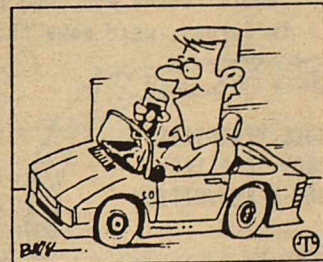
Landfill ordinance #1990-7 was presented to the council by Mr. David Tilley, Utility Superintendent. After Mr. Tilley reviewed the ordinance with the council. The council approved it with an effective date of August 1, 1990.

CD signatures were discussed and it was voted that Councilmembers Cervantes, Terrazas and Fuentes would be the only signatures on the CDs.

Council went into Executive Session to review and discuss the eight applications received for City Municipal Judge and to also review and discuss the 22 applications for City Administrator. After coming out in open session, council voted to hire Royce F. Massingill as the City Municipal Judge. Also four applicants for City Administrator were picked to be interviewed at the August regular Council meeting. Meeting adjourned.

PRAYER TO ST. CLARE. Pray nine Hail Mary's once a day for nine days. On the ninth day publish this prayer and wish for three things even though you don't have faith your prayer will be answered. G.L.A.

GOOD PSYCHOLOGY



Don't drink and drive: That message is being taken to heart nationwide these days. If you'd like to hold safer parties and still keep your guests happy, it's a good idea to have a selection of non-alcoholic drinks at the bar, including glasses of delicious iced tea with lemon slices. Guests may find these non-alcoholic drinks are just as tasty as other kinds—and that they'll feel a whole lot better both during the party and after!

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NEWS FROM FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Pastor J. Roland Cole

August to Be "Favorite Hymn" Month at First United Methodist Church.

Worshippers at First United Methodist Church the next two Sundays will be selecting the hymns to be sung at worship during the month of August. They will also have an opportunity to help Pastor Roland Cole select sermon topics for the month. The hymns to be sung will be chosen strictly on a "most popular" basis, the ones named by the most persons attending the July 29 and August 5 services at 210 West James St. (one block West of the courthouse)--whether from the new United Methodist Hymnal, the old hymnal, the Cokesbury Hymnal, etc. Visitors are encouraged to come and to include their preferred "favorite hymns".

Soloists for the month of August will be members of the congregation. This next Sunday, July 29, Allyson Potter, member of the congregation and student at ASU, will present the special music.

LIVING WILLS FORMS OFFERED AS SERVICE

As a service to the community, sponsored by the Stewardship and Finance Committee, Ron Buckles, Chairman, First UMC is making special "living wills" forms available for those who want to assume responsibility and leave legal instruction regarding their dying. Specifically, this form, properly filled in, protects people from being hooked up to tubes, artificial respirators and "life"-prolonging devices after they are "brain dead," in a "vegetative state," and can have no viable life.

A second form, for those wanting to avoid probate and leave their estate to their spouses, is also available through First United Methodist Church. Both forms may be picked up on Sunday mornings, or obtained by writing P.O. Box 93, or by calling 563-2823.

MISSION COMMITTEE CLOSETS BUILT BY TRUSTEES

So that the Mission Committee of First UMC (Leola Finger, Chairman) may more adequately serve the community, three men of the church

have been laboring daily for over two weeks. Sponsored by the Board of Trustees (Betty Inman, Chairperson), two members of the Board of Trustees, Francis Larson and Darryl Earwood, have been joined by Ron Buckles. Together they have torn out old and unusable closets, have been remodeling the church building and sheetrocking three different areas, and will install new and useable closets and shelving. Hazel Earwood, culinary angle of mercy, has been furnishing the men free meals each day in support of their good work. Francis Larson is in charge of this project for the Board and will build the new closets for the use of the Mission Committee.

LADIES LUNCHEON A "VISUAL/AESTHETIC" DELIGHT

The interdenominational Ladies Luncheon, sponsored by First UMC every third Wednesday, was a special treat July 17. Dorothy ("Dottie") Gore gave a program on the Grand Canyon that was both very educational and a visual delight. The geologist and former teacher (Ft. Clark Springs, Unit 15) shared an incredible breadth of knowledge effortlessly, succinctly, and without notes while sharing inspiring slides she has taken over the years. Nakai Breen and Hawkins Huey were hostesses for the month. They had Slator Hall decorated beautifully with blue, red, gold, and green tablecloths and a centerpiece for each table composed of a beautiful basket in which was a cactus plant topped with a colorful bloom surrounded by mounds of corn, wheat, and other grains. Door prizes this month, necklaces created by Nakai, were won by Dottie Gore, Doris Eckenroth, and Marguerite Neuman, each was gift-wrapped in colorful gift-sacks. All of this, plus the tasty and colorful food, made July's luncheon a visual and aesthetic experience. Doris Eckenroth and Nakai Breen were telephone callers for the month of July..

Hawkins Huey, Food Coordinator, reported that last month the attendance was 46, within six persons of the highest attendance ever. This summer ladies are volunteering to bring salads, etc. and those who don't pay \$2.00. If you would like to reserve a place at the next luncheon (August 15, 11:30 a.m.), you may call Hawkins Huey (3-9338) or leave word at First UMC (3-2823).

DANNY POTTER BAND DIRECTOR AT EDGEWOOD

While Danny and Jaye Potter were vacationing in Europe, word came that Danny will be the new

Band Director of Edgewood, a 2A school, near Dallas, Texas. Even though we hate to see them leave (including Emily, Pamela, Jeffry, and Allyson, an ASU student), we say, "Congratulations" and our prayers and best wishes for all of you! Danny will have a 100 piece band to work with and an assistant.

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For further information, call Wanda Gillman, 512/442-4484.

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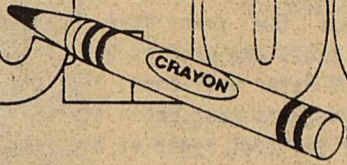
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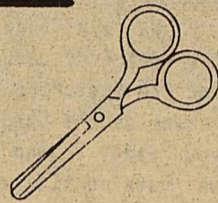
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1. School Box
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3. 1 1/4 oz. School Glue
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6. 1 Roll Paper Towels

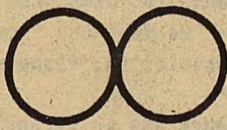
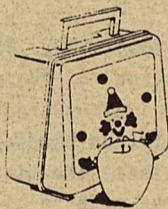
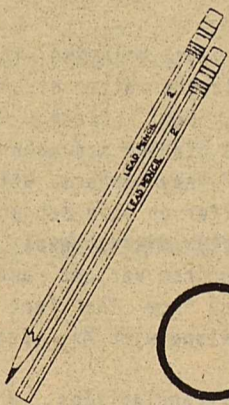


Kindergarten Supply List

1. 8 Count Crayons (not jumbo)
2. 2 Pencils # 2 (regular size)
3. 1 Pair School Scissors
4. 1 8 oz. School Glue
5. 2 Aladdin Guide Line Tablets No. 2112
6. 1 Box Pop-Up Tissues (family size)
7. 1 Plastic School Box

FIRST GRADE SUPPLY LIST

1. 8 Pencils # 2 (regular size)
2. 4 Big Chief Tablets
3. 16 Count Crayons
4. 1 Eraser (Big, Pink)
5. 1 Pair Pointed Tip Scissors
6. 1 8 oz. School Glue
7. 2 Boxes Pop-Up Tissues (family size)
8. 1 Plastic School Box
9. 1 Back Pack
10. 8 Pencil Cap Erasers



SECOND GRADE SUPPLY LIST

1. 12 Pencils # 2 (regular size)
2. 1 Eraser (Big, Pink)
3. 1 Pair Pointed Tip Scissors
4. 24 Count Crayons
5. 1 4 oz. School Glue
6. 1 Plastic School Box
7. 1 Package 3 X 5 Lined Index Cards
8. 200 Sheets Regular Notebook Paper
9. 2 Boxes Pop-Up Tissues (family size)
10. 1 70 Page Spiral Notebook
11. 2 Red Pencils

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THIRD GRADE SUPPLY LIST

1. 200 Sheets Regular Notebook Paper
2. 12 Pencils # 2 (regular size)
3. 24 Count Crayons
4. 1 Pair Pointed Tip Scissors
5. 1 12 Inch/Centimeter Ruler
6. 2 Dennison Glue Sticks (large)
7. 2 Folders with Brads and Pockets
8. 1 Plastic School Box
9. 1 Eraser (large, pink)

FOURTH GRADE SUPPLY LIST

1. 1 Red Pen
2. 400 Sheets Notebook Paper (no college rule)
3. 12 Pencils # 2 (regular size)
4. 1 Eraser (large, pink)
5. 1 Pair Pointed Tip Scissors
6. 5 Folders with Pockets and Brads
7. 1 8 oz. School Glue or Glue Sticks
8. 1 12 Inch Ruler
9. 1 Highlighter Marker
10. 1 Old Sock
11. 2 Boxes Pop-Up Tissues (family size)
12. 2 Spiral Notebooks (5 subject)
13. 64 Count Crayons
14. 1 Plastic Zip Bag for Small Item Storage

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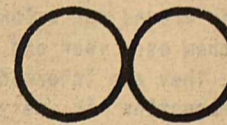
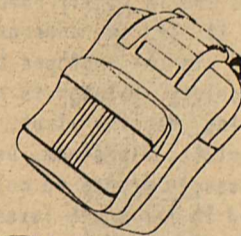
FIFTH GRADE SUPPLY LIST

1. 1 Eraser (large, pink)
2. 12 Pencils # 2 (regular size)
3. 1 8 oz. School Glue
4. 1 Notebook Binder With Dividers
5. 200 Sheets Notebook Paper (no college rule)
6. 2 Boxes Pop-Up Tissues (family size)
7. 1 12 Inch Ruler
8. 1 Pair Scissors with Point End
9. 1 Packet Map Colors
10. Markers
11. Protractor

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SIXTH GRADE SUPPLY LIST

1. 3 Pencils # 2
2. 2 Pens (blue)
3. 24 Count Crayola Map Colors
4. 200 Page Spiral Notebook (no college rule)
5. 1 Pair Pointed Tip Scissors
6. 1 12 Inch Ruler (plastic)
7. Protractor
8. Compass
9. 6 Folders with Brads and Pockets
10. Hole Punch
11. 200 Sheets Notebook Paper (no college rule)
12. Plastic Zipper Bag
13. 2 Boxes Pop-Up Tissues (family size)
14. 1 eraser (large, pink)



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BY ALAN L. MCWILLIAMS

NEWS RELEASE - GRASS

We continue to receive much needed rain in our area. Some areas of the county have received 10 inches or more!

I did not realize how much damage the last winter's extreme cold did to our lawns. St. Augustine was badly hurt in big areas of Texas, even where it had been grown for many years without serious injury. A lot of old bermuda was weakened and some of it was even killed by the cold.

A number of homeowners have replaced some of their lawn in the problem areas. There are several varieties that will work in our area but I should mention that you don't need to buy any lawngrass unless you have seen it do well in this area. Know what you are buying and know that you like it.

Warm-season grasses do their most active growing from mid-May through late September, while temperatures are quite warm. Most of these are adapted only to the southern states.

Common bermuda grass is the most common, being adapted over almost all of Texas. It's fine-bladed and is easily and inexpensively established. It's aggressive and various herbicides can be used on it to kill grassy weeds.

Hybrid bermudas have been selected for a variety of uses. Most commonly, they are used on golf course greens and fairways. They're extremely fine-bladed grasses which can be kept at mowing heights of one-quarter inch or even less. They require special care and some special equipment.

St. Augustine is a coarser-bladed, bright green grass that holds its fresh color all season. It tolerates shade better than other warm-season turf, but it does its best growing in full sun. It crowds out almost all other grasses and is easily removed from flower beds since it has no underground runners. It's adapted in the southern two-thirds of Texas. The variety Raleigh is resistant to the St. Augustine decline virus. Other varieties such as Seville, Floratoam, Del-Mar and Jade have much less tolerance to cold and should only be planted in far south Texas.

Zoysias have been around for a long time, but folks discover them each year and mistake them for a new grass. They are intermediate to bermuda and St. Augustine in many ways, including texture, shade tolerance and durability to traffic. Zoysias are expensive to plant and slow to cover, but they're well adapted to Texas landscapes.

Buffalograss is native to Texas. It's a wiry, low-growing grass that inhabits the roadsides of our State. Buffalograss is extremely durable, but it must have full sunlight. It's attractive, but it is not lush and deep green like other turfgrass choices. One needs to really go see some growing to decide if it is what one wants to use landscaping.

For more information, you can come by or call the Kinney County Extension Office.

THE SIGNS OF THE TIMES

America is under judgment of God this very hour, and most do not even know it. Jerimiah said, "Yea, the stork in the heaven knows her appointed times; the turtle and the crane and the swallow observe the time of their coming; but my people know not the judgment of the Lord." (Jer 8:7)

The past few years have been ones of judgment on those who profess God and live for the flesh. I Peter 4:17 says, "For the time is come that judgment must begin at the house of God: and if it first begin at us, what shall the end be of them that obey not the gospel of God?" Looking back, we can clearly see that God judged his house first, and struck down the big television ministries before he judged the wicked communist governments. I know the fallen ministers all cried and blamed the devil for their troubles, but it was God who judged them for their self-serving ways.

Russian Communism is a wicked system; it was destined for judgment the moment it was conceived. In just one year, she has gone from a fearless world power to a beggar nation, asking for hand-outs. The reason judgment has not been fully executed on Russia is because Bible prophecy must be completed; the Jew must come home to Israel. At this very minute, thousands of Jews are pouring out of Russia after two thousand years of bondage, just as the prophet Ezekiel prophesied: "Therefore prophesy and say unto them, Thus saith the Lord God; Behold, O my people, I will open your graves, and cause you to come up out of your graves, and bring you into the land of Israel. And you shall know that I am the Lord, when I have opened your graves, O my people, and brought you up out of your graves, And shall put my spirit in you, and you shall live, and I shall place you in your own land; then shall ye know that I the Lord have spoken it, and performed it, saith the Lord." (Ex 37:12-14)

Ezekiel went on to say in verse 28 of Chapter 37, "And the heathen shall know that I

the Lord do sanctify Israel, when my sanctuary shall be in the midst of them for evermore." You see, in May of 1948, Israel became a nation again. After 1000 years of being scattered all over the world, they were given up for dead - a dead nation. Now, not a soul on earth can deny that God has raised them up just as he said he would do, to become a strong nation once again. However, God is not through judging Israel for rejecting his Son Jesus Christ. Israel must face these final days of judgment and suffer much more.

We are standing at the very threshold of the coming of Jesus Christ. Everything is ready for the "catching away" of the body of Christ, known as the "rapture." The question is, are you ready? I John 1:8-10 says, "If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. If we say that we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his work is not in us."

Yes, you can lose your walk and relationship with God just as Israel did. America has become just as backslidden as Israel, and as God judged Israel, so will He also judge America and every individual. II Thessalonians 1:7,8 says, "And to you who are troubled rest with us, when the Lord Jesus shall be revealed from heaven with his mighty angels, in flaming fire taking vengeance on them that know not God, and that obey not the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ."

Judgment and vengeance will be measured out not only on those who "know not God," but also on those who "obey not the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ." The message today is "REPENT" and turn from your sins. Cry out to God and ask Him to forgive you.

In Christ's Service

BY ROBERT WHITE

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Readers:

I was privileged to watch our group of Thespians perform in the production, Glory Road, and don't feel that singling any one out for my praise will suffice.

Let me instead congratulate the entire cast for a job well done, and thank them for an outstanding evening's entertainment. Despite the number of hours, and buckets of sweat that it took to put the play together, everyone involved seemed to enjoy doing it, and made me enjoy watching it.

To the people of Brackettville and Fort Clark who were a part of this outstanding endeavor, let me again say congratulations, and thanks.

Walter N. Geeze

The Editor

Dear Sir:

We, the undersigned, take this opportunity

to thank Mr. Bacon for bringing to the attention of the public the matter of how the Board of Directors, Fort Clark Springs Association handles its bidding processes. He expressed the minds of many members with his remarks made in his letter on this subject.

This paper nearly every week lists advertisements for bids from various entities. Never have we seen one from the Fort Clark Springs Association. Along with Mr. Bacon we ask, "Why?"

If there are no irregularities, why the secrecy? As our elected representatives, we expect the Members of the Board to operate in the open.

We suggest that either a Member of the Board or the General Manager appear at the next meeting of the Community Council to explain to the Membership the Bidding Procedures-- advertising, reviewing and awarding.

Sincerely,

John Nowlan
Tom Powell



OLD ARMY DAYS
BY WALLACE MORGAN

Fort Clark, Texas. Pictured above, is the Old Post Cemetery, photographed on 6 August 1944. This cemetery is the oldest of the two that were located on the post. This was shown on the official U.S. Army map as number 137. As shown, not much care has been given to this area, possibly because the last cavalry division had departed to the European Theatre of Operations. At the time, a small Infantry housekeeping unit was manning the post.

It was said in the Dallas Morning News, March 31, 1946, in an article written to describe historic old Fort Clark going on the Federal auction block, that within the stoned walls of the cemetery, 102 of the 146 headstones carry the inscription, "unknown." At the time of this news article, the local people were not only worried as to what possible use would come of the post since it meant a great deal to the economy, but many had hopes that this old cemetery would be kept. Fort Clark had buried military and civilians in this plot of ground among whom were many heroes.

The local people particularly hoped that the grave of Private Peter Corrigan, an Irishman who died on May 23, 1873 after a fight with the Kickapoos on May 18 at Santa Rosa, Mexico, would go undisturbed. A trooper of D Company, 4th Cavalry Regiment, Corrigan's headstone was the most eloquent in the old cemetery. There was a verse on his tombstone which read:

"Pray for this soldier, you kind-hearted stranger:
He has roamed the prairie for many a year.
He has kept the Comanches away from your ranches,
And chased them far o'er the Texas frontier."

It is indeed a shame that this headstone is missing. It would be more than a fitting tribute to all of the soldiers and civilians who were assigned to Fort Clark. It would make the fitting touch to the

old cemetery which now is to be a Fort Clark Springs Memorial area. Unfortunately, when the Federal Works Agency Public Buildings Administration Office in Dallas found a buyer for Fort Clark, all personnel buried in both cemeteries were transferred to the Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery. All transferred personnel were issued new headstones and all of the stones remaining in the Fort Clark cemeteries were turned over and buried or were removed by persons at the time. If anyone has any knowledge of the location of Private Peter Corrigan's headstone, please contact this newspaper.

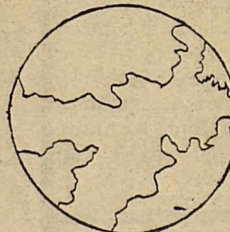
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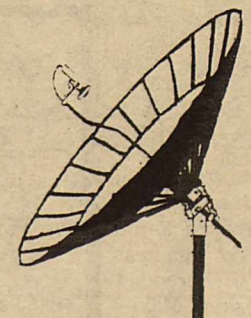
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| 22 Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus -0- 22 | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 23 Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus (No. of shares outstanding -0-) -0- 23 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 24 Common stock (No. of shares: a. Authorized 240 -0- 24 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| b. Outstanding -0-) -0- 25 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 25 Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock) 328 26a | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 26 a. Undivided profits and capital reserves -0- 26b | | | | | | | | | | | |
| b. LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities -0- 26b | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 27 Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments -0- 27 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 28 a. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27) 818 28a | | | | | | | | | | | |
| b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) n/a 28b | | | | | | | | | | | |
| c. Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 28 a & 28 b) 818 28c | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 29 Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 21, 22, and 28 c) 11284 29 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report Date | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 a. Standby letters of credit Total -0- MEMO 1a | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 b. Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1 a. conveyed to others through participations -0- MEMO 1b | | | | | | | | | | | |
| NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report. I, the undersigned officer(s), do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true and correct to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT | | | | | | | | | | DATE SIGNED | |
| FRANCISCO P. PEREZ | | | | | | | | | | 7/12/90 | |
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| FRANCISCO P. PEREZ CASHIER | | | | | | | | | | 512-563-2451 | |
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| SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR | | | | SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR | | | | SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR | | | |
| Melba Bader | | | | [Signature] | | | | [Signature] | | | |
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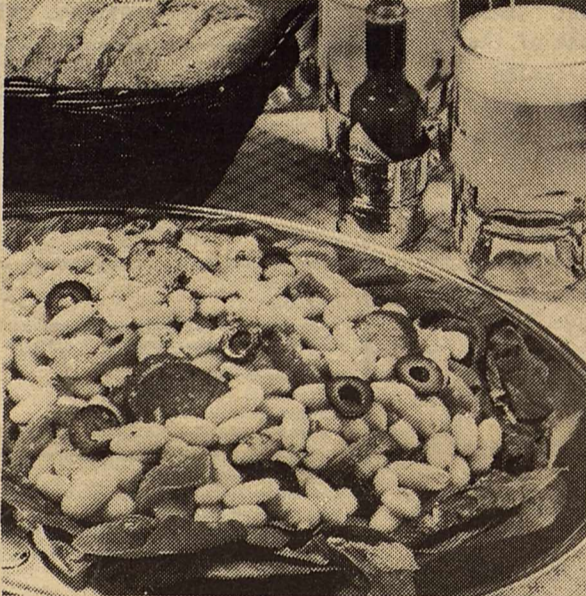
The Chopping Block
 by Philomena Corradeno

Salads have come a long way from the tasty, tried and true, refreshingly crisp greens tossed with oil and vinegar or lemon juice. The latest trend is the warm meat salad that's substantial enough to be a main dish. Made with warm or hot meat, or poultry, or even wild game, these salads are highlighted features in many restaurants these days. Don't wait, my friends, for your next restaurant visit to enjoy this newest specialty. Do it yourself at home. Easy and quick, a warm salad can be made with leftover or freshly cooked meat.

The white beans and meat in Hearty Sausage Salad calls to mind a French cassoulet, but the palate detects a Polish influence in the kielbasa. It's dressed with olive oil and wine vinegar and sparked with zesty Tabasco and a hint of oregano.

Shanghai Salad has the traditional Oriental flavoring of soy sauce, sherry, garlic and the spiciness of ginger root and a touch of hot pepper sauce.

Serve frosty, frothy beer or a non-alcoholic brew.



Hearty Bean and Sausage Salad

2 tablespoons olive oil
 1 pound kielbasa Polish sausage, sliced
 2 large onions, chopped (2 cups)
 2 cloves garlic, minced
 2 16-ounce cans white beans, drained
 1 cup sliced, pitted ripe olives
 1 7-ounce jar roasted red peppers or pimiento, drained, chopped (1 cup)
 1/3 cup red wine vinegar
 1 teaspoon Tabasco pepper sauce
 1/2 teaspoon dried leaf oregano, crumbled
 Fresh spinach leaves

In a large skillet, heat oil; add sausage, onions and garlic and cook five minutes, until vegetables are tender. Stir in beans, olives, red peppers, vinegar, Tabasco sauce and oregano; heat through. Spoon onto a bed of spinach leaves. Serve hot. Pass Tabasco sauce if desired. Makes four to six servings.

Shanghai Salad

3 tablespoons vegetable oil
 1 teaspoon minced, fresh ginger root
 1 clove garlic, minced
 1 1/2 cups cooked flank steak or other meat, cut into 1/2-inch strips
 1 1/2 cups fresh or 1 6-ounce package frozen snow peas, thawed and drained
 1 8-ounce can sliced water chestnuts, drained
 1/2 cup scallions, cut into 1/2-inch pieces
 2 tablespoons dry sherry
 1 tablespoon soy sauce
 1/2 teaspoon Tabasco pepper sauce
 Shredded lettuce

In large skillet, heat oil; add ginger and garlic; cook one minute. Add remaining ingredients; stir-fry over high heat until heated through. Spoon onto a bed of shredded lettuce. Serve hot. Pass Tabasco sauce if desired. Makes three to four servings.

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Antiques And Collecting
 by Ralph & Terry Kovel

USE ANTIQUES PROPERLY

Fashions change, and sometimes collectors don't remember how pieces from other eras were used. A decorator is often influenced by the proportions of furniture used in the 20th century and errs in the use of antiques. We just saw a mirror made about 1840 that had been restored for use in a contemporary home. The rectangular mirror had a gold-leafed frame with small pillars at the side. The mirror had originally been used over a mantel, so the heavy decorated piece was intended for the top. The simple edge rested on the top of the mantel. Today, the mirror would be hung with the heavy part at the bottom.

Be careful when restoring antiques. We have seen Victorian tables and cabinets reassembled with columns or legs upside down. We now tend to place the thickest part of a leg at the bottom, but that was not always true in the 19th century.

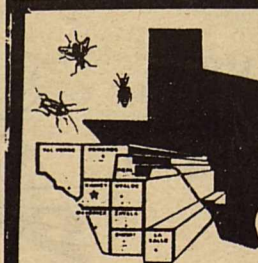
Q. I collect antiques that picture monkeys. I have some 19th-century teapots, a figurine showing a monkey musician, a pair of figurines of well-dressed monkeys riding dogs, and many pictures of monkeys in human activities. Most of them predating the 20th century never show realistic animals of the wild. Is there a reason for this?

A. Monkeys were evidently introduced to Europe in medieval times. Royalty kept pet monkeys at court and often dressed them with jeweled collars and chains. By the 17th century, the monkey was used by satirists to represent the vices of humans. Painters portrayed monkeys dressed as cavaliers, drinking and smoking and playing. The famous monkey band represented an out-of-favor human orchestra. The French often painted dressed monkeys at human-like work or play in well-decorated rooms. It might have been the beginning of the term, "monkey business."

The human-like monkeys went out of favor with designers and painters by 1800. Perhaps the sideshow performing monkey, or the organ grinder's monkey, is the 20th-century equivalent.

TIP: If the name "England" (or that of another country) appears on a dish, it probably was made after 1891, but it may have been made as early as 1887. The words, "Made in England" (or some other country), indicate the piece was made after 1914.

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