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Contributions vital to Library Project

The Kinney County Public Library has been in existence since 1966. It was begun as a project by the New World Study Club by private donations of the members. It operated as a volunteer entity until 1973 when it was recognized and funded by the Kinney County Commissioners Court. Since that time, it has maintained its membership in the area Library system and operated as a County Public Library.

Through much local effort and some grant monies, they were moved into the present building in 1982. This building has many useful years remaining. However, the need to expand has been noted with the increase in the service population.

This Library serves all of Kinney County which includes Fort Clark, Spofford, Brackettville, and surrounding areas. The 1980 census gave Kinney County population as 2383, while preliminary 1990 census figures place the county population as approximately 3,500.

The Library statistics for the 1990 fiscal year show:
Total Circulation - 15,333
Monthly circulation - 2,555
Monthly patron use - 798

The proposed project involves the expansion of the present Library facilities to include the restoration of an historically significant building adjacent to the present structure joined by a covered passage.

The second building would be used for reading, resource use and research. It would house valuable

historical documents as well as the traditional research volumes.

The plans would call for development of suitable shelving, display, and security for irreplaceable records and documents. Currently, no facility is available for these documents which are in the hands of county, city, and private individuals.

A large thermometer will be erected in front of the Library to indicate the amount of contributions received. The citizens will be able to drive by and actually see our community effort progress. The thermometer will change daily and the excitement will climb with the mercury.

The Friends of the Library is actively obtaining local donations for this project which has broad based support.

The projected cost of the project is \$100,000 with 50% being covered by a grant to the county. The remaining 50% will have to come from private donations and the citizens of Kinney County. The grant will be acquired from the State of Texas and specifically be targeted for Library use.

The local Library will be competing on a point system with other libraries throughout the state of Texas.

The additional space will provide a private area for the youngsters of our area and a quiet area for the adult patrons to read and research. The tentative plans

are for a micro-film viewer and printer that will be available for those who need it.

Over 800 historical documents are available to the Library providing ample and necessary room can be provided. The documents are priceless and must be housed in locked display cases.

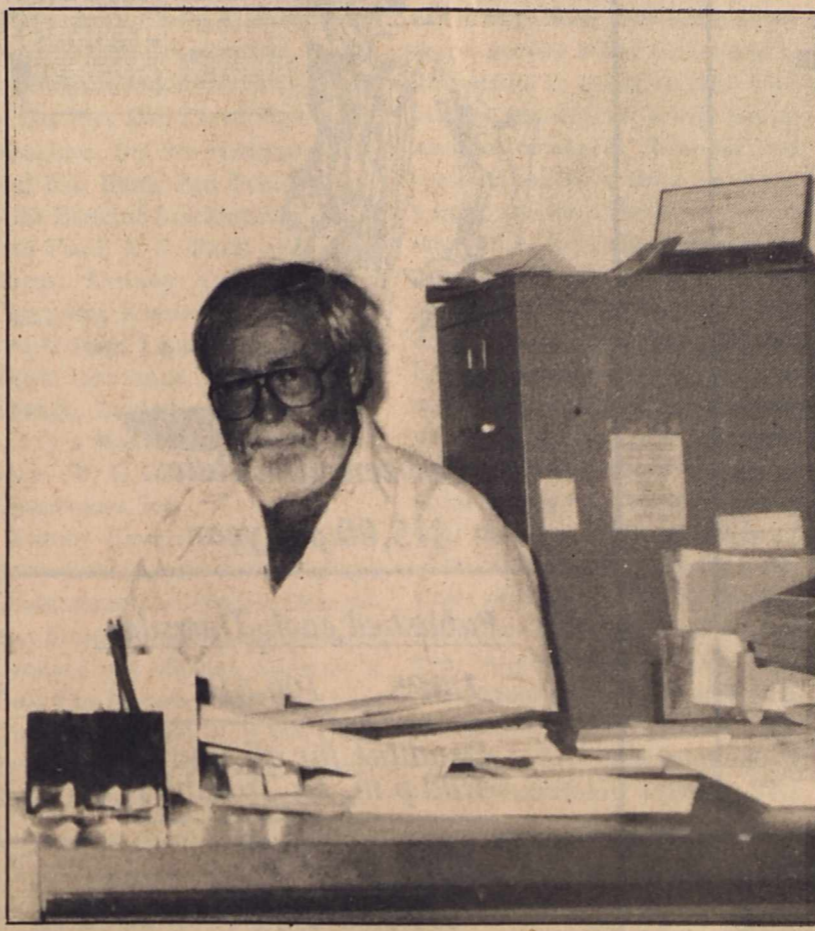
The local library has come so far since it's beginning and to fail it at a time like this would hardly seem fair.

This project will attain success only through the donations and contributions of interested citizens who are dedicated to the restoration and preservation of Texas history. It is not an impossible task and can be done with a 100% effort on the part of every citizen of this community.

The success or failure of this venture will be on the shoulders of all of us. If one of us fail to carry our part of the load the remaining weight will be too much for the rest of the supporters. According to the information handed down, we have six weeks to raise this sum of money. This is, by no means, an impossible task. It is possible and it can be done but it is going to take the cooperation and support of everyone living in Kinney County.

A large thermometer will be erected in front of the library and it will indicate the progress on the donations toward this most important goal.

Let's all pull together and keep our Library the best!!!



Pictured above is Road Runner Energy's new employee, Woody Massingill. He will begin service soon.

Road Runner Energy hires new employee

Roadrunner Energy recently employed Woody Massingill as a butane truck driver whose responsibility will be to service the residents of Brackettville and Fort Clark Springs. Before Massingill can embark on his new career he must complete a two week training course which is mandatory for individuals who handle liquid petroleum gas.

Massingill and his wife, Debra, who is an employee of Rio Grande Electric Coop, have been residents of Brackettville for ten years. They have a son and a daughter, Savannah who is a

second grader and Whitney, a four year old pre-schooler.

Before moving to Brackett, Massingill and his wife lived at Cedar Creek Lake where he was employed as ranch manager. They now own the Total Insurance Agency in Brackettville.

Woody is the son of Royce and Jean Massingill, owners of the Buckhorn Trading Post.

Roadrunner Energy has always provided excellent service to this community for many years. Massingill has pledged this same caliber service and is looking forward to serving the residents of Kinney County.

Four sign up for Alderman

If you were not registered by five o'clock Wednesday afternoon your name will not appear on the ballot for the upcoming election coming up this year. In the city election, Louis Dimery, incumbent seeking another term on Place 1 will face Diana Bravo, who will be seeking her first term in this office. Incumbent, Dave Broderick, Place 3 will be trying for another term of office against candidate, Ralph Gonzalez.

There was some speculation that the incumbents would not run for another term but due to the unfinished business at hand and

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School Board Candidates

Two positions will be open this year on the Brackett Independent School board and with just two candidates seeking the positions the election will lack the excitement that usually takes place this time of the year. The only thing that could possibly alter the election is an individual deciding to run on a write-in ticket.

Lingo Sandoval, who filled the unexpired term of Eloy Garcia, following his untimely death, and John Jones, who is running for the first time, will be seeking these two vacated positions.

There is a rumor that a local citizen is contemplating running on a write-in but this has not been confirmed.

Sandoval is a long time employee of Rio Grande Electric while Jones has been employed by Fort Clark Springs for approximately ten years. Both candidates are long time Brackettville residents.

Low scores win Las Moras Invitational

FORT CLARK -- If the mark of a good Country Club and golf course is a successful golf tournament, then the Fort Clark Golf and Country Club would be in line to accept their award for excellence

after this past week end. They just hosted the second annual Las Moras Invitational and, not only did it exceed expectations, it attracted a record number of entries as well.

The golf course was in excellent condition, due to the unlimited hours of hard work put in by a group of golf club members who have the welfare and future of the course at the top of their priority list. The new steps around the tee boxes and the beautiful landscaping, combined with the all weather cart paths, certainly enhanced the appearance of the golf course and, in doing so, attracted the attention of the out of town golfers who had nothing but praise for the course.

Thanks to this "over the hill gang" who, through their unselfish dedication, have contributed so much of their time to developing the golf course into one of the best in southwest Texas.

The first day of play was not played in ideal weather conditions. A cold east wind was blowing with gale force but it didn't hamper the play nor the players as good scores were turned in. In the championship flight, Mike Riley and Benny Wilson turned in a sizzling 12 under par for a net 58 to take the lead in their flight. Gary Kyle and Bob Herndon turned in the best score of the day in the first flight to register a net 60 after shooting a 10 under par. The third flight found two teams tied with a 68 each as J. Leyva and D. Tiller and Mike Landry and Joe Hurst found the winds a little bit tough. James Stafford and A. J. Foreman turned in a 67 in the fourth flight which put them in the lead going into the second round of play.

The fifth and final flight found Don Moore and Gene Brittan on the top of the leader board with a net 67.

A cool north breeze blew through Saturday night and moved the overcast clouds out, creating some ideal playing conditions. The golfers loved it and their scores proved it.

The leaders in the Championship flight got off to a shaky start as they used both of their "mulligans" to register a par on hole number 2. Neither, Riley or Wilson hit the green in regulation and they both chipped up short. They used one "mulligan" to chip closer and then they both missed their putt. They used their final "mulligan" and sank the putt to salvage par. With their "mulligans" gone this twosome charged ahead and finished the day 15 under par and the Championship. The De La Cabada boys, Mario and George, who play out of Eagle Pass, played their usual awesome game of golf but it was not quite good enough to win the tournament. They placed second with a posted score of 117.

The first flight leaders, Gary Kyle and Bob Herndon, took advantage of the beautiful playing weather and registered a second round score of 65 for a total of 125 and the winner's purse. Winning undisputed 2nd place in this flight was Fort Clark's Bob Young and Guy Crippen. Crip-

pen's claim to fame was his hole in one during the tournament last year. In a playoff win for third place was Hoagy Nelson and Flip Talmantez ... two more products of Fort Clark Springs.

Flight number three was hauled down by J. Leyva and D. Tiller. Second placed went to Mike Landry and Joe Hurst, and taking third place after winning their

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Benny Wilson and Mike Riley savoring their victory after two torrid days of good golf and low scores to win the Championship flight.



Uvalde's Bob Herndon and Del Rio's Gary Kyle, all smiles after holding off their challengers to claim the First flight winner's check.

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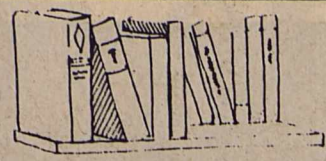
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Entry salary level for this position is \$11,595.</p>	<p>JOB ANNOUNCEMENT The Middle Rio Grande Development Council is accepting applications for two Participant Services Specialist positions located in Carrizo Springs, Texas. The preferred requirements for these positions are: (1) graduate from an accredited college or university with a degree in Business Administration, Public Administration, or other related field and (2) two or more years of work experience in case management. All qualified persons interested in applying for these positions should mail a resume or application to the Middle Rio Grande Development Council, P.O. Box 1199, Carrizo Springs, Texas 78834, attention Ramon S. Johnston, Deputy Director. These positions will be kept open until filled. Entry salary levels for these positions are \$11,595 and \$15,009.</p>
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Space Available

Library News



Spring is definitely here. We are now having showers, our spring bird friends are being seen on their way north. The Hummingbirds are very busy with all the mountain laurel and fruit tree blooms. Too, we have witnessed the sun worshippers out as well. It is time to put the winter doldrums away and get the old pulses racing. Your Library, as always, stands ready to meet your informational needs on any activity you might wish to pursue or renew. We have books on gardening of all types; walking books, exercise books; bird watching books; camping books; tennis, baseball and t-ball books. In fact, we even have books for reading in the sun or shade.

Our Library has been very busy lately in preparation for the summer which can't be too far away. We will be hosting an area Library meeting on April 5 to plan and prepare for our summer reading program. This year, the theme will be: CAMP WANNA READ. Parents begin planning now to enroll your children in this program to assist them in maintaining their reading level through the summer.

We are so happy with the plans progressing toward the expansion of your Library. This would provide us with area where persons could work quietly on research projects. It would provide an area for the proper display of valuable local history from a variety of sources. And finally, it would provide for expansion of materials in all areas your Library presently has or needs.

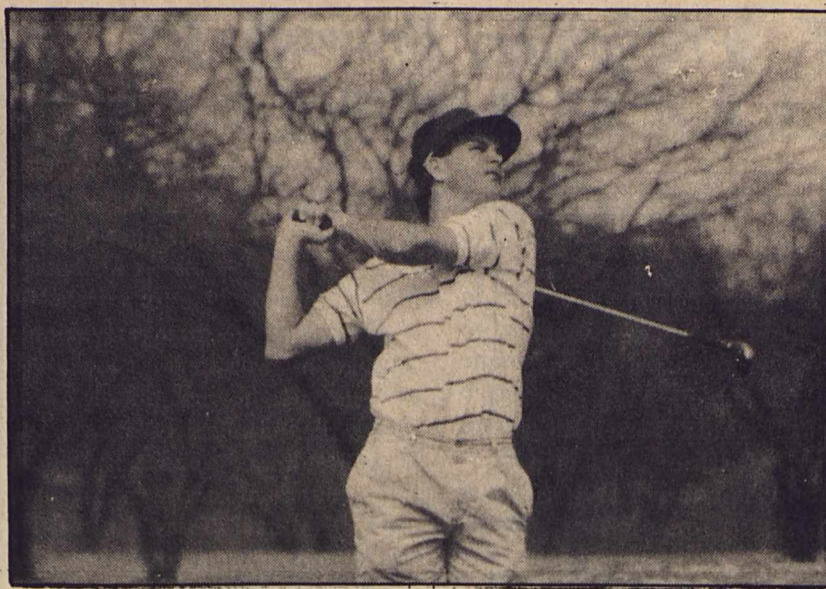
Our Easter display is now com-

plete and we invite you to come in for materials to use for this holiday. Several volumes are available for craft projects for children which are new and easy. Please remember that your Library as well as all county facilities WILL BE CLOSED FOR GOOD FRIDAY ON FRIDAY, MARCH 29th. As usual, please feel free to use our book drop just to the left of the front door for returning books after hours, on holidays or weekends.

Videos are not to be placed in the book drop as books dropped on them may break the video cases and tapes. Videos checked from the Library on Thursday March 28th will be due on Monday, April 1, 1991 before 4:00 p.m.

We wish to thank Mrs. W. B. Mann for her recent donation of several books. We now have a near complete collection of the works of Stephen King thanks to the very generous donation of Mrs. Sandy Herman. We would encourage others who have a favorite author they have been collecting to donate those books to the Library so that many many others can read them. We are happy to see an increased number of teenagers in our Library making use of the facility to meet research requirements. We have just received several new children's books which are excellent reading as well as imparting lessons. The painless way to learn. Parents, have them try it. As always, we invite you to visit the coolest, friendliest little Library in Kinney County!!

KINNEY COUNTY LIBRARY STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS



Walter Dyer, left handed scratch golfer, who won the Championship flight last year with his dad, Roy, showing the form that has made him a regular winner.

GOLF

playoff was Gordon Lundquist and Bobby Derrickson.

The first place check in the fourth flight went to the Miller brothers, Bob and George, when they posted their two day score of 136. After leading the first day and ending in a tie with the Millers, A. J. Foreman and James Stafford, went down in defeat via a playoff. Sam Henninger and long hitting Jim Bussey claimed third place after they turned back three teams of challengers in a playoff.

Don Moore and Gene Brittan led wire to wire for the fifth flight win with a posted score of 139. Closing fast but not fast enough was G. Bieber and Andy Anderson with a 142 for second place. The third place check went to K. Fight and P. Bowers.

Sponsors for this year's tourna-

ment were: Alamo Village, Armando Gonzales Allstate Insurance, Bizzell Construction, Brackett News, Cannon Graphics, Coors of Del Rio, Dan Lloyd State Farm Insurance, Del Rio National Bank, Del Rio Bank and Trust, First State Bank of Brackettville, Griffith Ford, J. C. Paint and Body Shop, Kinney County Land Company, Kinney County Wool and Mohair, Lacks Furniture, Val Verde Insurance, 10 Minute Oil Change, Lozano's Welding Shop, Larry's Barber Shop, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. London, and Ole Distributors, Inc.

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Word Studies

By Ken Curry

WHY GOD CREATED MAN PART II

I would like to tell you a story. But before I do, I need to define two words, time and eternity. Time is that period from the creation of man until the destruction of the earth and the creation of the new earth. Eternity past is the period before man was created, and eternity future is the period which begins after the old earth is destroyed and the new earth is created.

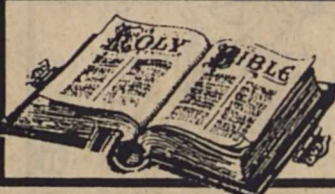
In eternity past God was. God has always been, and there never was a period when God wasn't. Sometime in eternity past God created a group of beings which were called angels. Whether God created them all at once, or one at a time, we don't know; but we do know that God created them individually and they do not procreate themselves as the animal world does. To compare these angelic beings to man would be like comparing man to an ant! Compared to man, angels are much more powerful, more beautiful, more intelligent, able to mentally will themselves from place to place, able to exist without food, water or oxygen, able to become visible or invisible to an animal eye. Angels have great intellect and apparently were created with three reflections of God's attribute: 1) Self Consciousness, "I think, therefore I exist; 2) Self

Determination, "I will"; 3) Moral Reasoning, "I ought." The combination of intellect and the three reflections of God's attribute allows volition, or free will; the ability to receive information, understand it, and to make a choice for or against something.

Sometime after creating the angelic beings (how many were created we don't know), God created the physical universe as the angels were watching, and He did it by speaking a word!

We know that there is a hierarchy among the angels; some are more important than others. Whether they were created that way, were appointed by God to certain positions, or gained their status by excelling their peers, we don't know. One of the leaders of the angels, if not the chief angel, was named Lucifer, "the son of the morning." On a certain occasion Lucifer mentally exercised negative volition against God. He was so enamored with his beauty, his power, his charisma, his position and authority, that his pride so enlarged itself, and Lucifer committed the first sin in the universe by thinking five "I wills." He thought, "I will ascend into God's throne room, I will exalt my throne above the angels of God, I will rule over the earth, I will be Sovereign of the universe, and I will be like God."

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The Bibles Says

By Rev. Joe Townsend

"Argue your case with your neighbor himself, and do not disclose another's secret." Better advice than this is hardly to be found. A person of integrity will always try to find a solution to the controversy with the person himself. It is always a coward's way to talk with the uninvolved about his difference with another. If he is honest and wants to solve it, he will go directly to the adversary. This can possibly lead to a solution to the problem, while spreading the controversy will only

exacerbate the problem. Along with this, the Scripture says to not disclose another's secret. Certainly if one doesn't want something told, it is his own business. To spread anything that another wants to keep hidden invades his privacy and infringes on his rights. No one has the right to do this and in doing it, he discredits himself and makes himself a fool. "Argue your case with your neighbor himself, and do not disclose another's secret."

Prov. 25:9

St. Magdalene Catholic Church Holy Week schedule

The following is the schedule for Holy Week starting Palm Sunday, March 24th at St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church of Brackettville.

PASSION/PALM SUNDAY

Mass 8:00 a.m. Spanish
Mass 10:30 a.m. Proceeded by the commemoration of the Lord's entrance into Jerusalem.
Procession and blessing of palm.

HOLY MONDAY

Mass 7:00 a.m.
Via Crucis 6:30 p.m. Spanish

HOLY TUESDAY

Mass 10:00 a.m. Followed by the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick
Via Crucis 6:30 p.m. Spanish

HOLY WEDNESDAY

Mass 6:30 p.m.
Way of the Cross 7 p.m. English
Followed by the Washing of the Feet, Procession of the Holy Eucharist and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (until 10 p.m.)

GOOD FRIDAY

Ejercicio de las tres caidas 10 a.m.
Celebration of the Lord's Passion 3 p.m.
Followed by the Veneration of the Cross and Holy Communion
Way of the Cross 5:30 p.m. English

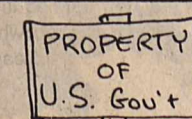
HOLY SATURDAY

Concert by Dan Shi 10:30 p.m.
The Easter Vigil 11 p.m.

Blessing of the Fire
Distribution and carrying of the Paschal candle through the Church.
Chanting of the Easter song, *The Exsultet*.
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Liturgy of the Eucharist

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PLEXAR-Custom is a central office-based service which provides switched voice and/or data communications similar to a customer-premises PBX. PLEXAR-Custom service is currently being provided on an individual customer-specific basis via Southwestern Bell's Customer Specific Pricing Plan Tariff for central office-based telecommunications systems of 200 stations or more. If Southwestern Bell's application is approved, the PLEXAR-Custom service tariff will be revised to also include central office-based telecommunications systems which require between 75 and 200 stations.

Centrex and Plexar-II services are currently priced according to a standard tariff regardless of the customer's geographic location in the state. If this application is approved, customers needing 75 to 200 stations will be able to obtain this service priced on an individual customer-specific basis rather than under a standard tariffed rate.

Southwestern Bell's application proposes that the service market for PBX/type systems of 75 stations up to 200 stations be declared subject to significant competition statewide in all of the exchange areas served by Southwestern Bell and in which the central office capability to provide the service exists and/or can readily be made available.

Persons who wish to intervene, protest, or comment on this application should notify the Public Utility Commission of Texas by June 21, 1991 at 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. You may also call the Commission's Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256, or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf. Please refer to this matter in all correspondence as Docket No. 9960.

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Palm Sunday service at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Brackettville will be a 10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist March 24, according to the Rev. Bill Koons, priest-in-charge.

Other Holy Week services, he

said, will include a 7 p.m. Holy Eucharist and Stripping of the Altar on Maundy Thursday, March 28, and a one-hour Good Friday Litany with Holy Communion from the Reserved Sacrament on March 29.



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FORT CLARK SPRINGS NEWS



Pictured above from left to right are Marg and Walt Geeze, Val Frizby, Wilma Lewis, and Ron Frisby at the "Wearing of the Green" pot luck supper.

"Wearing of the Green" at Pot Luck

Wednesday March 20 saw "The Wearing of the Green" at the monthly pot luck dinner. Although a bit late for St. Paddy's day I'm sure he didn't mind a bit!

Joining in the festivities were the forty seven people from the Elderhostel program; also 76 from Fort Clark.

Food was in abundance -

chicken, Irish stew, salads, beans, green of course, homemade breads and biscuits, assorted desserts and to much more to mention. Green beer was furnished along with wine and iced tea. Entertainment was provided by "The German Boy", Gabe Dirk, and Pete Pacheco. A green time was had by all!

Ladies and Gents Weekly Golf Results

The fabulous females of Fort Clark Springs were out in numbers this past Tuesday morning for their day on the golf course. Tuesday has always been designated "Ladies Day" and the "golfing gals" have always taken full advantage of it.

Approximately 35 ladies signed up for the Tuesday morning scramble and after being assigned their team they headed for the tee boxes.

There are several adjectives that describe someone who has overcome adversity and bounced back from crippling injuries. Service men and women receive medals when they recover but senior citizens in civilian life somehow get overlooked. If we were going to award a "Tougher than a boot" award it would surely have to go to Betty Inman. Tuesdays scramble was a good example of this last observation. After undergoing serious hip surgery that could have confined Betty to a wheelchair for life, she has jumped up and resumed her illustrious golf career by leading her team which including Louise Williamson and Ruth Robinson to victory this past Tuesday. Hard to believe, ain't it? Betty's team

turned in a winning score of 67. A three way tie for second was recorded by Margaret Adams, Barbara Miller, Jan Chism; Phyllis O'Rourke, Eileen Voracek, Diane Daniels, and Vicki Nichols; and Ann Bramble, Betty Schlatterer, Jane Young, and Dorothy Wood.

Better move over, men, 'cause them long hittin' females is on the move. The Wednesday morning Men's League played a two man best ball using the Stableford system. A good turnout of 38 men signed up for play in weather that seemed to be ordered special for golfers.

Big Hoagy Nelson and Lloyd Warnke turned in the best score of the day and claimed the first place check. 2nd place went to Bobby Derrickson and Danny Isenberg. Jim Swinney, the steak cooking king from Del Rio, and Gordy Mathison won third place with Gordy Petaja and Bill Koons and Jack Wood and Harold (Killer) Kauffman tied for 4th and 5th.

As the hard work on the golf course continues and the results become clearly obvious the crowds seem to increase from week to week.

Maintenance report

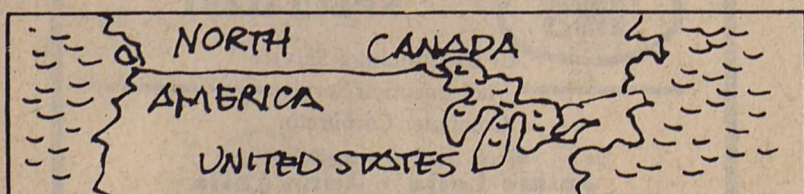
The Fort Clark par 3 golf course has been manicured and the signs have been refinished. Mr. John C. Osborn has voluntarily been aiding the maintenance department by repainting the signs, rewooding and painting benches and in general improving the over all looks of the course. Mr. Osborn moved here from San Antonio about a year ago and lives in Unit 22. A big thanks for all your help John!

Mr. McClure, head of maintenance, said that they have been working replacing deteriorating timber on the exterior of the Commissary building. If the wind will stay calm the painting of the timber should be finished by mid-

April. Re-enforcement of outer areas are also complete.

With the onset of Spring and the lovely weather we've been having the mowing season has begun on Ft. Clark. The maintenance department will be kept busy with the many green areas, Association grounds and pool area that require continuing mowing.

The pool will be clean and sparkling for the annual members meeting to be held Easter weekend. So with the good weather here let's all get out and enjoy our Fort and notice the hard work the maintenance department provides to keep things clean and safe. Good job guys!



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Historical Society News

VANISHED VILLAGE OF DOLORES

At a meeting of the Fort Clark Historical Society on March 23, at 10:00 a.m. in the Sabre Room, Fort Clark Springs, Mr. Ben Pingenot will recount the history of the vanished village of Dolores on Las Moras Creek.

Dolores, located about six miles south of Fort Clark, was a settlement before the establishment

of Fort Clark in 1852. Consisting of several homes and even a church, the settlement was abandoned and only faint traces remain today.

Mr. Pingenot has researched the story of the village and will present his findings to the group at this meeting.

Everyone is welcome.

Old Quarry Society

Monday, April 1st, 1991, the Old Quarry Society will have the installation of it's officers for the coming year. They will be:

President- Rosetta Pigenot
Vice President-Warren Outlaw
Secretary- Joan Lindley
Treasurer- Jewel Robinson

Other officers are:
Building & Grounds- Rosetta Pigenot
Lighting & Sound- Lou Sofaly & Larry Sofaly
Youth Production- Marge Love
Album- Margaret Holt
Publicity- Lashawn Wardlaw &

Don Parks
Productions- Betty Inman
Wardrobe- Dot Burrow
Cabaret Dinner-Nelda Archer
Concession- Maryn Caton & Margaret Holt
Tickets- Dorothy Haga
Winter Texan Representative- Helen Peck
Set & Design- Lou & Betty Schlatterer

Everyone who has ever purchased a ticket to any of their performances are considered a member of the Old Quarry Society and are invited. There will be hors'd oeuvres and Border Buttermilk-ya'll come.

Recreation News

From Sondra's desk

Twenty-four golfers turned up for the Monday Scramble on the Par 3 Golf Course. Six teams hit the greens. Winning the money for the day were three of the teams who tied for first place with a score of 27. Winners were:

Fay Gooch, Dave Yates, Henry Smith, J.E. Meil, Tom Faulkenberry, Ted Thatcher, Art Ray, Gerald Gallion, Carol Benfield, Lou Sofaly, Joe Genualdi and Ed Boyco.

We are still taking sign up for the Bandera Race Trip at the Adult Center. Don't miss out on this one. We went in October and

everyone really had a lot of fun.

We will be having a special day at the Adult Center on Friday, March 29th. This will be Catherine Gallions last day to work at the Adult Center. Friday will be "Catherine's Day." There will be an Open House with refreshments for everyone so come by and wish her the best and let her know how much she will be missed. This open house will begin at 3 p.m. and go til?

Las Vegas Night will not be held this month. The Old Quarry Society's play, Wally's, will be held March 23rd and March 30th, so join the fun at the Town Hall.



Eyes Are On Catherine Gallion



Catherine Gallion was born October 25, 1927 in Oklahoma City, OK, to Martha and Charles Hooper. She has a brother, Charles, living in Oklahoma City and a sister, Frances. Catherine is married to Gerald Gallion and her sister, Frances, is married to his twin brother, Harold Gallion. They all four share a home on Fort Clark. Catherine and Gerald have five children and nine grandchildren. They have been members of Fort Clark for twelve years

and permanent residents for ten years.

Catherine's hobbies are sewing, needle work and golf. She has worked at the Adult Center for seven years and is a delightful person to head the front desk. She will be retiring March 29th. She

plans to relax and she and Gerald plan some traveling. We'll all miss her at the Adult Center, but wish you well Catherine in your retirement.

Ceramics update

The Ceramic Shop is featuring large, handmade, hand-painted ceramic Easter Eggs on stands this month. Come by the ceramic shop and have Sid show you the Easter Eggs and many, many more interesting items. Also he is working on Nativity Scenes that are simply beautiful. It's not too early to be

planning Christmas items as they take a while to make. Sid will also be happy to talk to anyone concerning doing ceramics. So hurry on in! Hours of operation are:

Saturday Noon to 5 p.m. - Sunday 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. - Monday night 7 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Hearing Tests to be held

March 28th, 1991, the Beltone representative will be at the Adult Center from 1 to 2 p.m.. This is a good opportunity to come have your present hearing aids checked or have your hearing tested.

There's no charge for these services. So come on over and have things checked out, maybe your spouse has been mentioning that you're not hearing so well!

Fort Clark Springs Calendar

MEETINGS

ACTIVITIES

Architecture Committee: Every Tuesday in the Board Room at 9 a.m.

FCS Community Council: 2nd Saturday of the month at the FC Town Hall at 9 a.m.

Board of Directors: 3rd Saturday of the month in the Board Room at 9 a.m.

Historical Society: 4th Saturday of the month in the Sabre Room at 10 a.m.

Planning Board: 1st Friday of the month in the Board Room at 9 a.m.

Recreation Board: 1st Thursday of the month in the Adult Center at 9 a.m.

Art Club: Work days: every Mon. & Sat. in the Art Studio 11 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Business meeting: 1st Monday of the month in the Art Studio at 1 p.m.

Old Quarry Society: 1st Monday of the month in the Sabre Room at 7 p.m.

Sundays- duplicate bridge, Sabre Room, 1:30 p.m.

Mon&Fri- Ladies Exercise, Activity Center 10 a.m. Wed at 9:30 a.m.

Mon/Thur Aerobic Workout, Activity Center at 8:30 a.m. Afternoon class, Activity Center 4 p.m.

Monday- Florida Scramble, PAR 3 course at 10 a.m.(meet across from Town Hall) \$1.50 p/person.

Tuesday- Duplicate Bridge, Sabre Room at 7 p.m.

Wednesday- Ladies Luncheon, 2nd Wed of the month in the Cavalry Room at noon, \$5.00 p/person.

Wednesday- last Wed. every month, Pot Luck, NCO Club at 6:30 p.m.

Thursday- Bunco, Adult Center at 7:30 p.m.

Friday- Bingo, Town Hall at 8 p.m.

Ceramic Hours- Sat. noon to 5 p.m., Sun. 1 to 5 p.m., Mon. 7 to 10 p.m.

"Wally's Cafe" Equals Teamwork

When "Wally's Cafe", the spring production by The Old Quarry Society, is presented on March 23 and 30, three actors will appear on stage. Pat Melancon (Wally), Lisa Conoly (Louise), and Tiffany Bryan (Janet) are rehearsing diligently to provide an entertaining evening for their audiences. In this effort they are directed by Betty Inman. Betty and Lou Schlatterer are producer and set designer - stage manager. Although these principals are very important, they represent only a portion of the entire project.

Staging a play is rather like building a car. Many people are busy doing different jobs, and in the end their efforts are combined to produce a show. A car must have wheels, and engine, and brakes and steering, etc., in order to function. No part is more important than another, because all are assembled. Acting, direction, production, stage management, make-up, props, lighting, costumes, sound, construction, prompting, artwork, ticket sales, and other activities combine to make a whole. In the end, all are important because all are absolutely necessary. Community theatre provides personal satisfaction because of the great variety of talent and knowledge involved,

and because no effort is unimportant.

A number of Old Quarry Society members and friends are contributing time and effort to "Wally's Cafe." Nearly all have been involved in earlier shows in Kinney County or elsewhere. In no particular order, these are some of the people who are doing their best to make "Wally's Cafe" a success: Dot Burrough (costumes), Mary Butler (props), Rosetta Pingenot (props), Lou Sofaly (lights), Margaret Holt (backstage manager), Marge Love (make-up, tickets), Nelda Archer (make-up), Dorothy Haga (tickets), Wes Robinson (sound), Molly Schroeder (prompter), Wilma Lewis (prompter, and the Art Club (decor). Add to this list various assistants, stage hands, ticket sellers, lenders of props, and advisers on technical matters. It is apparent that "community" theatre is precisely what the name implies: a community effort by people who enjoy using their skills in a group project to produce entertainment none of them could accomplish alone. "Wally's Cafe" is just such an entertainment. Come see it on Saturdays March 23 and 30, at the Fort Clark Town Hall, at 8:00 p.m.



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Texas Agricultural Extension Service

By Alan L. McWilliams

National Agriculture Week, March 17-23, will again honor America's providers--the farmers and ranchers who provide food and fiber for domestic and global needs.

In addition, National Agriculture Day on March 21 will be marked by many special programs that increase awareness of the role of agriculture today and challenges it faces in continuing to meet the world's food and fiber needs.

Farmers are efficient producers. U.S. farmers today produce more than 80 percent more crop output on one acre of land than did their fathers. One hour of farm labor today also produces 16 times as much food and other crops as it did 70 years ago.

New technology has made these gains possible. The productivity of the land now depends on the skill and knowledge with which capital is applied. The larger the volume that farmers can raise and sell, the lower the product cost per item. Thus, consumers gain from the increase in farm production efficiency.

The productivity level of U.S. farmers and ranchers, when compared with those of other countries, also illustrates their high efficiency level.

For example, one American farmer provides food and fiber for 114 people. This compares with one farmer who provides food and fiber for 3.5 people in China, 3 people in Japan, 8 in Argentina, 4 in Brazil and 11 in the Soviet Union.

Consumers spent \$361 billion for foods produced on U.S. farms last year, about 4.5 percent more than in 1985. This amount includes purchases of farm foods in food stores, or roughly two-thirds of the total, and at away-from-home

eating places.

About 25 percent of last year's food spending went back to farmers, who received about \$89 billion. The remaining \$272 billion, the marketing bill, went to the food industry for handling, processing and retailing foodstuffs after they left the farm. Direct labor costs for food marketing represented 45 percent of the marketing bill, and all labor costs were about two-fifths larger than the farm value of food commodities.

For each dollar's worth of food bought in food stores, 31 cents was paid for processing. Retailing charges added 23 cents. Another 10 cents was spent for wholesaling and 6 cents for intercity transportation. The farm share was about 25 cents. These shares of the food dollar have been relatively constant over the years because costs of each function have risen at roughly similar rates.

In food-away-from-home purchases, 16 cents of each dollar covered the farm value. Processing costs accounted for 15 cents, transportation charges for 3 cents and wholesaling for 6 cents, or a total of 40 cents. Thus, 60 cents was paid for food service, or the preparation and serving of food eaten away from home.

The American consumer is more health conscious today than at any previous time in history. But convenience is still a top priority in the consumer's selection of food products. Agriculture and the food industry are working hard to respond to these needs.

Research progress has been made in developing leaner meats and lower-fat dairy products. Food processors have developed high-fiber products and items with low sodium and less sugar. Ingredient labeling is another response to consumer needs.



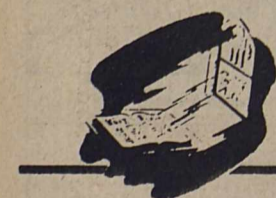
Steve Mills

Unsung Hero

By Joe Townsend

A man came to our community in a professional capacity. He has proved himself capable and effective in his position. He has come to be an important officer of the Rotary Club. He is very active in

his church. He has made notable contribution to the community beyond his professional responsibilities. He is a friendly, warm-hearted individual. Surely, Steve Mills is an "Unsung Hero".



Reflections

By Rev. Preston Taylor
First Baptist Church

Most of us have heard the story of Jonah. We remember that people call him the "run-away prophet." About all that some can say about the man is that a big fish swallowed the preacher.

Do I believe that rare story? As much as I believe that man has walked on the moon, that we have microwave ovens (although "we" don't), and that doctors do open heart surgery and liver transplants.

What some don't remember or have not heard about Jonah is even more exciting.

When Jonah arrived at Nineveh, the capitol of Assyria, the Lord used him as the preacher in the greatest revival ever known in human history.

A Spirit-blessed revival and renewal takes place every time that people repent. God calls upon us to change directions, to have a new mind-set, a new attitude, to live with a new aim and purpose.

The flood tides of spiritual freshness come upon any person, Church, or town when we make room for God.

Our March 24-27 Revival with Hubbell and Jansky is a time when God gives us another opportunity to open our hearts to Him. It matters not what your religious background or faith may be, God wants to bring about a Spring-like awakening. Do you want that to take place in your life?

Service time each night is 7:00 o'clock. The Church extends a

cordial invitation for everyone to attend.

Senator Zaffirini

"The duty of economy is not debatable. It is manifest and imperative. In the appropriations we pass we are spending the money of the great people whose servants we are - not our own. We are trustees and responsible stewards in the spending," noted former President Woodrow Wilson.

Texas legislators were responsible stewards in approving unanimously SB 111 by Sen. John Montford, D-Lubbock. As amended by the House of Representatives, this bill trimmed \$77 million from current state spending and requires performance audits of all state agencies, programs and services. It will require a majority of state agencies to reduce spending by approximately one percent.

SB 111 also transferred \$62.5 million from agencies and programs with budget surpluses. This, combined with \$129 million in unobligated balances, will make \$286.5 million available to cover budget deficits at the Texas Department of Human Services, the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation and the Texas Attorney General's Office. It was the first bill passed this session and the first signed by Gov. Ann Richards.

Our actions addressed an immediate fiscal problem and, by authorizing the performance audit recommended by Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, set the stage for process that should ensure more efficiency and economy in our state government.

Originally, SB 111 froze all state hiring, salaries and major expenditures, unless approved by the Legislative Budget Board. As passed in the Senate, it also created a state budget policy committee composed of the governor, the lieutenant governor and the speaker of the House of Representatives, to review each state program, determining its efficiency, possible cost reductions and actions needed to maximize federal funds.

House members, however, amended the bill by eliminating the hiring freeze and designating the Legislative Budget Board, rather than a policy committee, to conduct the performance audits. My Senate colleagues and I approved the amended version by a 26-0 vote.

Exempted from the budget reduction measure were the Department of Human Services, Department of Mental Retardation, Texas Education Agency, Public Finance Authority, the Higher

Education Fund, workers' compensation and state employees and teacher retirement programs.

One of the strengths of the bill is that it gives the agency the opportunity to determine its own priorities. After the comptroller notifies an agency regarding the required reduction in appropriations, agency personnel must determine which items and programs to trim, then notify the comptroller.

The performance audit provisions of the bill apply to all state agencies. SB 111 specifies that the LBB will "challenge and question the basic assumptions underlying all state agencies and the programs and services offered by the state to identify those that are vital to the best interests of the people of the State of Texas and those that no longer meet that goal."

With the aid of Comptroller John Sharp's staff, LBB members and staff will review all state agencies and all programs, services and activities; evaluate the efficiency with which state agencies operate programs and fulfill duties assigned by law; determine methods to maximize the amount of federal funds received for programs; and identify any state agency or program that could be eliminated or transferred to the private sector without injuring the public.

SB 111 was passed to help eliminate waste, duplication and inefficiency and to improve the performance of state agencies. State leaders agree that state government must serve citizenry needs efficiently and regain the public trust.

Because time is short the bill requires the LBB to report the results of its reviews and audits "as soon as practicable," with an initial report to the Senate Finance Committee, the House Appropriations Committee and the Governor by April 2. A final report is due before July 1, 1991.

By "turning each agency upside down and shaking it good," as Bullock suggested, state leaders envision a process that will create a more efficient organization for delivering the services Texans need and expect.

"Economy is the method by which we prepare today to afford the improvements of tomorrow," said Calvin Coolidge. Passage of SB 111 is a great step toward finding realistic and timely methods of coping with our state's pressing financial challenges.

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TEXAS SENATE WEEK IN REVIEW

AUSTIN - With the Texas Supreme Court's April 1 deadline approaching, the House-Senate conference committee on Senate Bill 351 is continuing to meet to address the funding problems of the public school finance system. Lieutenant Governor Bullock and House Speaker Lewis each appointed five members to the conference committee to work out the differences in the bill. Both Houses must agree on the final bill.

On Monday, March 14, the Senate passed Senate Concurrent Resolution 31, sponsored by Senator Carlos Truan of Corpus Christi, which recommends to the State Highway Department that the nickname "The Lone Star State" be incorporated into the design for Texas automobiles license plates. The measure goes to the House for approval.

On Wednesday, March 13, several members of the Senate traveled to Washington, D.C. for three days of work at the White House and the U.S. Capitol, for the National Conference of State

Legislatures Leader to Leader Conference. Lieutenant Governor Bob Bullock is leading the delegation, which plans to meet with U.S. Senator Lloyd Bentsen, members of Texas' Congressional delegation, White House staff, and members of Congressional leadership. Topics of discussion will include economic development, rural health care, and congressional redistricting.

The Senate met at 8:00 a.m. on Thursday, March 14, for Local and Uncontested Calendar, with the Chair of the Senate Administration Committee, Senator Bill Haley of Center, presiding. Local and Uncontested Calendar is a process where uncontested, noncontroversial bills are read and passed by the Senate after being approved by the Senate Administration Committee. This was Senator Haley's first session to preside over Local and Uncontested Calendar after being newly appointed to the post by Lieutenant Governor Bullock in January.

The Senate stands adjourned until 11:00 a.m. Monday.

Special Easter Concert

There will be a special Easter Concert at St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church, Saturday, March 30, at 10:30 p.m. by Dan Shi.

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Tiger Sports



Tiger netters compete in Sabinal

By J. J. Guidry

SABINAL - The Tiger netters competed in the Sabinal Invitational Tennis Tournament last week. They will take part in the Uvalde High School Tournament this weekend.

In boys singles, Brackettville's Tevin Senne finished fourth. He defeated Jay Castro of Carrizo Springs and Steve Wright of Boerne before falling to King of Floresville in the semi-finals.

Senne lost to San Antonio Cole's Mike Mennito in the battle for third place. John Hernandez, who also played singles, was defeated by Kole Lovett from D'Hanis in his first match.

The senior duo of Clay Hunt and J. J. Guidry made it to the quarter-finals where they were defeated by the eventual tournament champions from Del Rio, Benitez and Gridley. Hunt and Guidry defeated a Floresville team 6-1, 6-2 in the opening round and

then beat Del Rio's Hahn and Garza 6-3, 6-4. Brackett's "B" doubles team of Peter Perez and Jesse Terrazas split sets and lost to Rihn and Van De Walle from Medina Valley in their first match.

In women's singles, the McDaniel sisters won their opening round matches. Wendy defeated Tiffany Whitworth of Rocksprings 6-2, 6-0, but then lost 6-2, 6-3 to Clare Gilbert of Boerne. Shelly also lost in the second round. She began the

tourney with a 6-2, 6-0 victory over Stephanie Mason of D'Hanis and then fell to Nueces Canyon's Mary Dalton, who finished second in the tournament.

Both of Brackett's girls doubles teams were ousted from the single elimination tournament in the first round. Kasey Hall and Vivian Luna fell to Knoll and Chavirra from Del Rio, while Amanda Davis and Ida Aguilar were beaten by Nueces Canyon's Ross and Casey.

Brackett Players perform in UIL competition

By Lynn Floyd

The Brackett Players will be heading to SWTJC in Uvalde on March 26th for UIL One Act Play Competition. They performed for the public, Monday and really put on a performance.

Under the direction of Merry Beth Mills, Brackett has won district the past two years. This year it looks like the tradition might very well continue with four of last years cast returning.

Among the talented young Thespians are Shelley McDaniel and Regina Pena. Shelley was chosen a member of the All-Star cast her sophomore year and honorable mention her junior year. It is the first year in the One Act Play for Regina Pena but she handles her role perfectly.

Scott Sims is in his second year performing. He has had experience with major productions in the past and knows the stage well.

Monica Cruz, Lynn Floyd,

Tiffany Bryan and Wendy McDaniel make up the rest of the actors. Monica plays her part very well and promises to entertain the judges.

Lynn Floyd returns for his second year and is very excited about the upcoming competition.

Wendy McDaniel, who received honorable mention last year returns again with one of the leading roles, which she performs like a veteran.

Tiffany Bryan is very talented and has really given this years play a boost with her role.

Billy La Gioia and Frank Rodriguez make up the backstage crew and will take care of the lights and set.

Mrs. Mills and the cast and crew have been working hard in preparing for the play and are anxiously awaiting competition.

Please come and support your youth and school, Tuesday, March 26th in Uvalde, as they perform "The Midnight Caller."



Pictured at left is Wendy Mc Daniel and at right Shelly Mc Daniel who share leading roles in Brackett's One Act Play. The girls performance was very entertaining at the performance held Monday night for the public.



Pictured at left is Monica Cruz and at right Regina Pena as they rehearse their lines for the UIL One Act Play *Midnight Caller*. Both girls will do an outstanding job with their roles at the SWTJC in Uvalde on March 26.

Little League Board of Directors meet

A meeting was held by the Board of Directors of the Kinney County Little League on Sunday, March 17, 1991, for the purpose of reviewing and approving Coach and Manager registrations, determining the number of teams in each League and setting the size of each team.

The Board has a real desire to see every child who is eligible participate in the baseball program. Therefore a decision was made at the meeting to delay coach and manager approvals one week and extend registration for T-ball, Little League and Softball through Sunday, March 24. At the request of the vice-president of the Senior League, the Board approved an extension through Sunday, March 24, for the Senior League applicants, with the understanding that anyone enrolled after March 17, would be placed in the Player Pool pending a decision on the possibility of two teams. If there are not enough enrolled to field two teams, then only the boys enrolled prior to Sunday, March 17, would be

eligible for the one team.

Anyone wishing to enroll their child in the Kinney County Little League program may get an enrollment form from Tully Shahan's office or any Board Member: Linda Sharp, Debbie Coe, Ruby Munoz, Albert Payne, Bill Herman, Darlene Shahan, Buck Smallwood and Manuel Pena.

A great deal of protest was voiced at the meeting concerning the keeping of scores in T-ball. The Board agreed to seek advice from the District Office.

Albert Payne resigned from the Equipment Committee and Buck Smallwood was appointed to fill his term.

The next meeting of the Board is scheduled for Sunday, March 24, at 3:00 p.m., at the Kinney County Courthouse. At this meeting the Board will review Manager and Coach applications, determine the number of teams in each league and set the size of each team. Player draft is set for Monday evening starting at 6:30 p.m., in the District Courtroom of the Kinney County Courthouse.

Ingram and Terrazas place at Utopia

Utopia - The Brackett track teams opened their season at the Utopia Invitational meet last Saturday.

Billy La Gioia and Adrian Pena, who were a part of last year's regional sprint relay team, teamed up with John Ingram and Luis Gonzalez to take second place in the Utopia relays.

In the 100 meter dash, Ingram took second and Pena finished third. La Gioia placed second in

the 200 and Pena was seventh. Arturo Falcon earned seventh place in the 400 and Gonzalez was seventh in the 800.

Theresa Terrazas led the Tigettes with second place in the triple jump and fifth in the 100 meter dash. Wendy McDaniel was third in the 300 low hurdles and fourth in the 100 meter hurdles. Nina Gonzalez finished fifth in the 800.

Medina track meet results

Medina Track Meet Results
100 meter dash - Adrian Pena - 3rd place

200 meter dash - Billy La Gioia - 4th place

Sprint Relay - Pena, Gonzales, La Gioia and Ingram - 5th place

800 meter run - Luis Gonzales - 7th place

Triple jump - Theresa Terrazas 2nd place

Jr. High Track

The Cubettes relay team, which consists of Jennifer Terrazas, Theresa Perez, Samantha Luna and Olga Aguirre, finished second in the sprint and then fourth in the 800 meter relay. Terrazas also finished third in both the long jump and the 200 yd. Perez ran the 100 meter sprint and took third place, while Annie Barrow split fourth, fifth, and sixth place in the high jump.

Dale Smith led the Cubs with a fourth place finish in the 110 hurdles and eighth in the 200. Domingo Villarreal also ran the 200 and placed seventh. Smith, Villarreal, Joey Pena and Chris Hale finished eighth in the mile relay.

Wolves defeat Tigers

The Tigers hosted the Dilley Wolves on Tuesday in District 29-AA baseball action. Brackett is 0-2 in conference play as they fell 1-9 to the Wolves.

Dilley took an early lead as they scored four runs in the first inning from Oney Ramirez, Craig Seal, Rodriguez, and McGehee, who had a home run.

T. Santos hit another home run for Dilley in the fourth inning. The Wolves went up 9-0 when Ramirez, Seal, and Rodriguez scored again. Seal and Rodriguez were both three-for-three from the plate.

David Dorrough scored the only run for Brackettville. He got on base with a walk and was driven in by Steve Clementz, who singled.

Tigers travel to Crystal City

The Tiger baseball team will have a busy weekend: On Thursday and Saturday they will be participating in the Crystal City tournament and on Friday they have a district match up with La Pryor.

The Tigers will face D'Hanis today at 3 p.m. in their opening round game in the Crystal City tourney. The Cowboys are currently ranked second in the state in Class A. Other teams competing in the tournament are Crystal City, Carrizo Springs, and Natalia.

Refugio Martinez will be pitch-

ing for the Tigers. Other starters are Lesly Floyd, catcher; Arturo Falcon, second base; Javier Solis, third base; Steve Clementz, short stop; David Durrough, left field; Gilbert Villarreal, center field; and Lynn Floyd, right field. Coach Nowlin said he wasn't sure of his starting first baseman, but it will be either Pete Abrigo, Mark Dimery, or J. J. Sandaval. "It's gonna be a tough tournament," said Coach Gregg Nowlin. "We're still looking for our first win, but we're taking things slow and eventually it will all come together," he concluded.

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Tracks Along the Trail

By Dorothy Payne

The lady who was the editor of Godey's Ladies Book for forty years set a pattern for today's women's magazines and greatly influenced two generations of American wives and mothers in her own lifetime. Her name was Sarah Josepha Hale and her audience looked to her for decades of advice for fashions, homemaking, health and child-rearing.

Sarah Hale was a wholesome soft-spoken mother of five children. On one hand she was a suffragette and on the other gave advice to mothers in their homes.

She was born Sarah Buell on a farm near Newport, New Hampshire in 1788. Since schools for girls were few in those days, Sarah's only education was from reading the Bible and the English classics from the teachings of her mother; and later from her brother who went to Dartmouth.

She started a small private school when she was only eighteen and kept it open for several years. In 1811, David Hale, a young lawyer opened an office in Newport and two years later he and Sarah Buell were married. In their early marriage, David urged

his wife to study with him at nights and to write articles and stories for local newspapers.

Then suddenly David Hale died right after the birth of their fifth child. She published a novel in 1827 and caught the attention of an Episcopal clergyman, who offered Mrs. Hale the editorship of a new woman's magazine.

Sarah Josepha Hale widowed at forty created our first successful womens magazine and made popular the fashion of Paris. Her magazine carried poems, stories and her principal campaign was for the education of women. She founded the Seaman's Aid Society. She finished the Bunker Hill Monument forming the first public fund-raising campaign. Under the publisher Godey's Lady Book with Sarah as Editor over the next forty years had 150,000 subscribers.

The ladies book also illustrated the newest model cottages and furniture. Sarah Hale ran her magazine for 47 years and laid down pen at the age of 90. But of all her writing she will always be remembered for her writing of *Mary Had a Little Lamb*.

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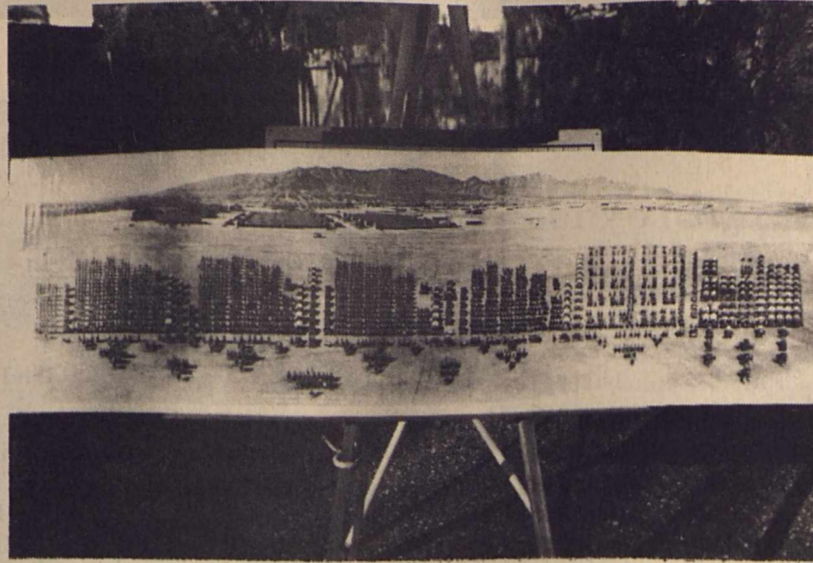
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Old Army Days

By Wallace Morgan

First Cavalry Division, Fort Bliss, Texas, January 27, 1940.

In 1920, the National Defense Act called for two Divisions to be added to the Regular Army. The 1st Cavalry Division was to be active and the 2nd Cavalry Division would be inactive, until needed in a National Emergency. Each Cavalry Division contained two Cavalry Brigades and each Brigade had two Regiments, a Machine Gun Squadron and a Headquarters Troop. Other divisional elements were a Horse Artillery Battalion with 75 MM Guns, a Mounted Engineer Battalion, an Ambulance Company, the Division Trains (Pack & Ammo) and the Special Troops (Headquarters, Signal, Ordnance and Veterinary).

Included in this photo are left to right, Band, 5th Cavalry

Regiment, 12th Cavalry Regiment, 1st Brigade, 7th Cavalry Regiment, 8th Cavalry Regiment, 2nd Brigade, 82nd Horse Drawn Field Artillery and Special Troops. In the center background are the stables and paddocks.

This photo was taken looking to the west. Just over the background mountain range is New Mexico. The area where the Division is lined up is the western edge of what would later be Biggs Air Force Base. The buildings and stables in the background are still there. The stables now serve as warehouses.

During the time of the photo, all of the pictured Regiments were not permanently stationed at Fort Bliss. The 5th Cavalry Regiment was posted at Fort Clark, for about another year.

Rory's Video Viewer

Treasure of the Lost Lamp is the first full-length feature film starring Scrooge McDuck, Huey, Dewey, Louie, and Webbigail Vanderquack! The Egyptian desert becomes a non-stop adventure zone as the Duck Tales team pursues the legendary treasure of Collie Baba's ancient pyramid! When the daring ducks make off with the riches, little do they know there's a magic lamp among the gems... a lamp with a wacky, wish-granting Genie inside! When Merlock the evil sorcerer follows them back to Duckburg, an incredible battle erupts over the lost lamp! But in the thrilling climax, Scrooge and the nephews learn a lesson far more valuable than even the world's greatest treasure! (74 minutes)

Quick Change
Some people will do anything to escape the rat race. But no one can do it as hilariously as Bill Murray in *Quick Change*. The star of *Caddyshack*,

Stripes and *Ghostbusters* continues his string of rollicking comedies, starring in and co-directing this uproarious heist-and-pursuit caper. Murray plays Grimm, a frazzled urbanite who disguised himself as a clown -- and sets out to rob a metropolitan bank. Geena Davis (*Beetlejuice*), and Academy Award winner for *The Accidental Tourist* and Randy Quaid (*National Lampoon's Vacation* and *Christmas Vacation*) play cohorts in Grimm's daring scheme to get from Point A (Armed Robbery) to Point Z (a zillion miles from the city). And two-time Oscar winner Jason Robards (recently seen to funny effect in *Parenthood*) is the blustery police chief caught up in Grimm's "Clown Day Afternoon."

Of Course, swiping a million bucks is a snap compared to getting out of town. Grimm and cohorts commandeer a car, a cab, a bus, a baggage tram and a plane to make what becomes for them a less-than-merry escape. But for comedy lovers, *Quick Change* is their ticket to ride!

Signs of the Times

by Bonnie White

We are quickly approaching a time of one of the greatest hypocrisies in America - Easter Sunday! Millions of one-time church attenders will pull a suit out of it's plastic bag, dust off well-preserved shoes, and go listen for one hour to a well-worn message from "Sermon-Shop Ministries." NO WONDER ISLAM IS THE FASTEST-GROWING RELIGION IN AMERICA!

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The writer of Hebrews said, "For unto us was the gospel preached, as well as unto them: but the word preached DID NOT PROFIT THEM, not being mixed with faith in them that heard it." (Heb 4:2) You see, Jesus preached to many people in many places, but not all who heard received His words. His disciples asked Jesus, "---Why speakest thou unto them in parables? (Matt 13:10) Jesus answered, "---because they seeing see not; and hearing they hear not, neither do they understand. ---For this peo-

ple's HEART IS WAXED GROSS, and their ears are DULL OF HEARING, and their eyes they have closed;---" (Matt 10:13, 15) Jesus was saying, THEY DON'T WANT TO SEE!

Secondly, the Word becomes unfruitful when the one who delivers it has no faith. Paul said, "And my speech and my preaching was not with enticing words of man's wisdom, but in demonstration of the spirit and of power: That your faith should not stand in the wisdom of men, but in the POWER OF GOD." (I Cor 2:4, 5) Listen, God is not the least bit impressed with Greek bible scholars or theology degrees. He would care less how many books a man has written or how many sermons one has preached. God is looking for believers with power-not personality or poems! Jesus, being filled with the Holy Ghost, came to "heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised." (Luke 4:18)

Folks, Easter Sunday is EVERY SUNDAY, and all the days in between when you know the resurrection power of Jesus Christ. "For we have not followed cunningly devised fables when we made known unto you the POWER and COMING of our Lord Jesus Christ, but were EYE-WITNESSES OF HIS MAJESTY! (II Pet 1:16) Amen.

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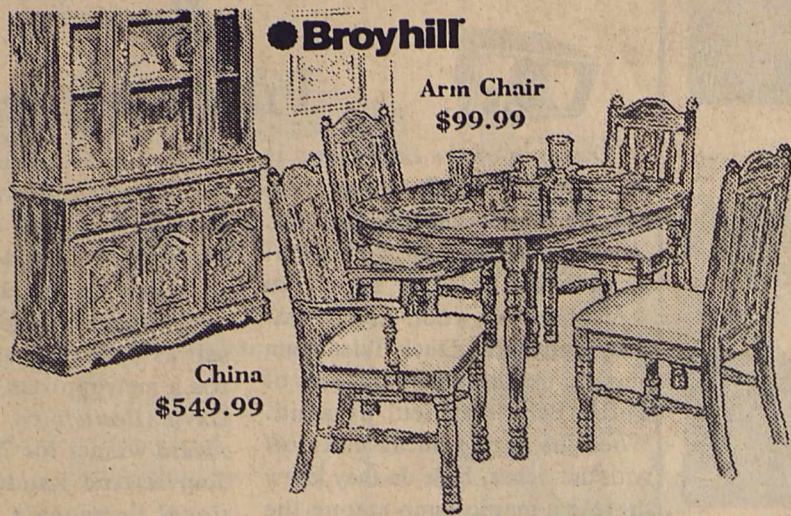
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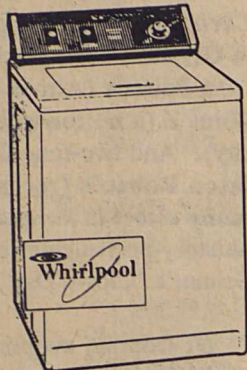
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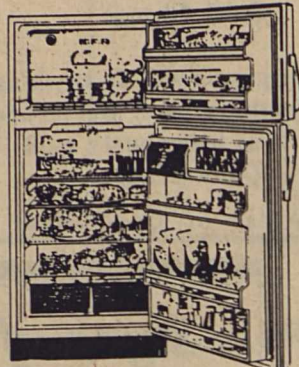
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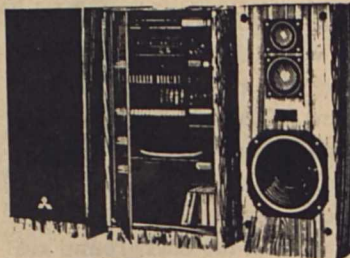
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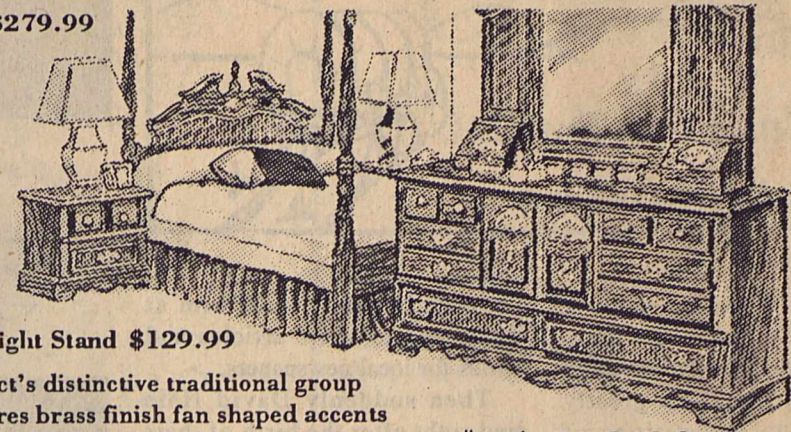


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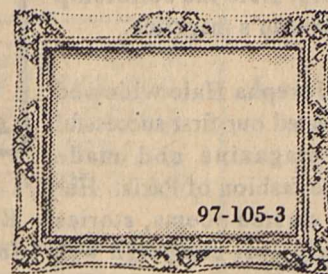
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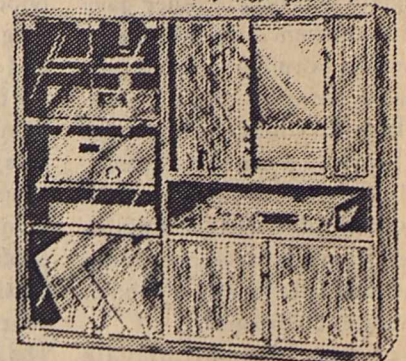
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