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Brackettville, Fort Clark, Spofford, Kinney County Texas

Yvonne "Meg" Luna, Shelley 'Sarah'' McDaniel, Armando 'George'' Talamantez, and Wendy 'Ellen'' McDaniel rehearse The Actor's Nightmare, this year's

B.H.S. One-Act-Play to be performed at contest in March. Mrs. Merry Beth Mills is Director of the comedy.

Survey Identifies Needs

AUSTIN-A survey to help identify the health and human services needs of Texas residents has been completed by the Texas Department of Human Services (DHS).

The 1989 Special Texas Census, mailed to more than 38,000 Texas households, will provide DHS with basic demographic information on the age, race and sex of respondents. The approximately 23,000 households that responded also answered questions about their income, health, insurance coverage, employment status, child-care needs and physical disabilities. Data from the survey will

casting and demographics section. "We'll be better able to document the needs for health and human services, thanks to the people who responded to the survey."

He added that it is important for all Texans to participate in the upcoming 1990 U.S. Census to begin in March. Information from the U.S. Census, gathered from all households in the state will be used to determine the number of legislators who will represent Texas in the U.S. Congress. It will also help determine the amount of federal money for state and local programs in educa-

tion, health, housing, highway con-

Brackett High Scores With NCPA 49

Petersburg school district (in the Panhandle) is the "best" school district in Texas, with 100 percent of ninth grade students there passing statewide tests of minimum skills. San Elizario school district (near El Paso) is the "worst" school district in Texas, with 88 percent of the students failing the tests. These are the conclusions of Report Card on Texas Schools released by the National Center for Policy Analysis (NCPA), a research institute in Dallas.

The report identifies 52 Texas school districts as the "best" in Texas. These are school districts in which at least 85 percent of the ninth grade students passed the Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills (TEAMS) tests. The 37 "worst" school districts are the ones in which more than 60 percent of the students failed the tests. The TEAMS tests are administered each year to students in grades 1,3,5,7,9, and 11. All students must pass the eleventh grade test in order to receive a high school diploma in Texas.

"Overall, Texas schools are doing a poor job", said NCPA president, John Goodman. "Four out of every ten ninth-grade students in Texas are failing to meet standards in reading, writing and mathematics."

Goodman said "minority students are the principle victims of the failure of the Texas public schools. The longer Black and Hispanic students stay in school, the worse they perform, relative to our expectations." According to the NCPA report,

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and Hispanic students pass the TEAMS tests in the first grade.

•By the time these students have spent nine years in the public schools, only 46 percent of Blacks and 49 percent of Hispanics pass the tests. The report also addressed the issues of spending per student and the value of taxable property in school districts -two issues raised in Edgewood v. Kirby, the case in which the Texas Supreme Court declared the current system of financing education in Texas unconstitutional. According to the NCPA report,

•There is no relationship between the taxable wealth of school districts and student performance on the TEAMS tests.

•There is also no relationship between the amount of spending per student and student performance on the TEAMS tests.

The National Center for Policy Analysis is a nonprofit, nonpartisan research institute. The NCPA originated the proposal for merit pay for school districts, a proposal subsequently adopted in Texas and South Carolina.

Of the 9th grade students tested throughout Texas, Petersburg ranked highest with a score of 100 percent.

Schools reaching the lowest averages were Blooming Grove, Keene, La Joya, La Villa, Lytle, Quilan and Raymondville with 39 percent passing.

The south west region surrounding Kinney County ranked as follows; Brackettville 49, Eagle Pass 40, Nueces Canyon 72, Rocksprings 79, Hondo 51, San Felipe Del Rio 47 and



January 25, 1990

Noe Armandariz took the high honor of Grand Champion Steer during the Kinney County Stock Show.



Kinney County Livestock show anxious to bid on the breed of their choice.

be available during the summer of 1990.

"This information will help DHS staff prepare the agency's request for funds from the Texas Legislature," said Paul Root of the DHS fore-

struction and economic development.

For more information about the 1990 U.S. Census, contact the local U.S. Census Bureau offices.

Lashawn Wardlaw at the Winter Visitor Party in Del Rio.

Ft. Clark Represented

by Lashawn Wardlaw

In early December, I attended the Winter Visitor Party in Del Rio and then more recently, I represented Fort Clark at the Harlingen and Brownsville Winter Texan Show, January 16th & 17th.

Working with Winter Texans is wonderful. This is the time when they get to see what our great state of Texas is all about. Even better, it is a chance to educate them on our great little Southwest Texas spot!

From surveys, interviews, and conversations, I would like to share some great things about Winter Texans. Winter Texans seek a peaceful escape from the cold, not too far from home, with folks like themselves, in a hospitable, uncrowded, modestly priced location, with the type of amenities they require -- RV and mobile home parks and 'campgrounds; parts and service sources: cafeterias and modestly priced food and shopping; a full calendar of diverse activities to occupy their

Texans come from Minnesota, others come from Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Missouri and Canada.Most Winter Texans enter at Gainsville, Texas, then at Texarkana, Texas. When a survey was taken on their occupational background, 32 percent were involved with the Managerial/Professional field and 18 percent were involved Agriculturally.

Why do they say they come to Texas? Climate(98 percent) Friendliness of the people, family/friends, and low living cost are reasons why they also come to the Lone Star State

It is word of mouth that turns them on to Texas. This means that we are the ones to share the good news about our area.

I know that we certainly appreciate all those that do spend their winters here with us. And, I hope that these Winter Texans will also share the good word of our area to enhance Even though the majority of Winter our winning location in Texas!

Late Bulletin

Around 10:15 Wednesday night, the town of Brackettville experienced what it would be like living without electricity through a full scale black-out. Central Power & Light (CP&L) had reports of Ora's Drive-In and Stop -N- Shop having no power. The company's solution for this problem was to shut down

temporally. All electricity was off for about 30 minutes, causing some concern, but proving to be really harmless. It was first thought that a power surge had caused the havic, but with the quickness of the company, power was fully restored and all was back to normal.

Kinney Co. Livestock Show

The Kinney County stock show was a success with a total of \$35,000 in gross sales.

Grand Champion Calf belonging to Noe Armendariz was sold to Johnny Nix & Sons Rodeos of Dilley, Texas for \$1.10 per pound.

Grand Champion Hog belonging to Bonnie Frerich was sold to Texcore Industries for \$4.00 per pound. Grand Champion Finewool belonging to Jenifer Shahan was sold to. Producers Wool & Mohair for \$6.50. per pound.

Grand Champion Crossbred belonging to Walt Esser was sold to Brown Automotive of Del Rio for \$5.50 per pound.

A total of 47 students participated in the Livestock show a list of students and buyers can be found on page 4 and 5.

Star Lunker Program's First Entry for 1990

TYLER - A 13-pound, six-ounce largemouth bass cought at Choke Canyon Reservoir on New Year's Day is the Operation Share a Lone Star Lunker program's first entry for 1990.

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department officials said Fred Washington of Ingram hauled the fish to the Heart O' the Hills Research Station on Jan. 2, and a department crew transported it to the Tyler Fish Hatchery Jan. 3.

Washington said he caught the 25-inch-long fish on a spinner in about eight feet of water.

The lunker program allows anglers to loan 13-pound-plus largemouths to the department for spawning or research. Doners receive fiberglass replicas of their catch, and the fish usually are released alive after the spawning period.

David Campbell, manager of the Tyler Hatchery, said Washington's fish is the first official entry for the year, but it's not the only huge bass at the hatchery. The fish caught by Troy Johnson of Austin two years ago from Gibbons Creek Reservoir near Bryan is still healthy, and is probably one of the largest in captivity, Campbell said.

"Johnson's bass weighed 16 pounds, two ounces when he donated it in January 1988, and it weighed 18.83 pounds on Jan. 15, 1989," Campbell said. "I don't plan to weigh her this year, at least not until after the spawning period is over." Campbell said the Gibbons Creek bass spawned the first year she was in

the program, but did not last spring. "We don't know if stress caused by weighing was a factor in her failure to spawn last year, but we're not

going to take the chance this time," he said.

Campbell said the fish's appetite declined during the past spring and

summer, but now she is consuming large numbers of live goldfish and shad and appears to be gaining weight.



Firefighters rush to the scene of the Gomez home to extinguish the reported fire.

Two Alarm Fire Ruled Arson

The destructive and loathesome crime of arson has been ruled at the residence of Tomas and Annabelle Gomez.

According to fire Chief Adrian Reyes, two consecutive fires within a weeks time and the discovery of a gasoline trail around the residence are conclusive evidence that it is a case of arson. "We're going to rule it as arson, there is something fishy going on", stated Reyes.

The first fire was discovered on Thursday morning when Annabelle returned home from an errand to find the front of her home door ajar and her home full of smoke, "I've been dreaming of a fire ever since the Puda's home burnt down," stated Annabelle.

Firefighters arrived on the scene and luckly discovered that the cause of all of the smoke was due to a trash can fire which was easily extinguished. With the fire under control the fire

fighters left only to return two days later to discover a grass fire on the southeast side of the home. After this fire was extinguished fire officials and Chief of Police Johnny Fritter noticed the trail of gasoline around the home.

No suspects of yet have been indicated in this crime. Firefighters responded to 4 fire calls last week two of them at the Gomez residence and two at the city dump.

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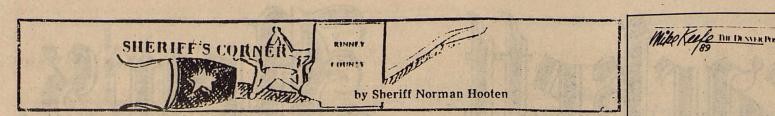
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As a result of a Writ of Habeus Corpus served on this writer a special hearing was held before District Judge George Thurmond on Thursday, January 18, 1990 regarding Joseph Weldon Bailey, Jr., a suspect being held in the Kinney County Jail on three felony and two misdemeanor charges.

As you may remember, Bailey was arrested on December 6, 1989 on 1st degree felony charges of three counts of Aggravated Sexual Assault on a Child, and two Class A misdemeanor charges of Unlawful Carrying of a Weapon (a handgun), and Resisting Arrest. Bonds on the 5 cases were set at \$50,000.00 each on the felonies, and \$2,500.00 each on the misdemeanors for a total of \$155,000.00. Bailey has been held in the Kinney County Jail since his arrest in lieu of those bonds.

In the application filed for the Writ of Habeus Corpus the attorney representing Bailey alleged that: (1) Bailey was being held illegally; (2) The bonds set on Bailey were excessive, and;(3) Bailey was in fear of his personal safety while being held in the Kinney County Jail in the custody of Sheriff Hooten.

At the hearing Judge Thurmond determined that: (1) Bailey was being held on legal grounds; (2) The bonds were excessive and a bond reduction was in order, and; (3) There was no foundation for the allegations made regarding Bailey's personal safety while in the custody of Sheriff Involuntary Manslaughter in the

Based on his findings after hearing testimony from both the prosecution and the defense, Judge Thurmond ordered that the bonds on the three felony cases be reduced as follows: Cause #1735-bond set at \$10,000.00 cash or surety; Cause #1736-bond set at \$10,000.00 Personal Recogniance; and Cause #1737-bond set at \$10,000.00 Personal Recogniance. A PR bond is a bond signed by the suspect that he promises to appear and no cash or surety other than the suspect's signature is required. At the time of this writing the bonds of \$2,500.00 on each of the two misdemeanors is still in effect and Bailey remains in the County Jail in lieu of bonds totalling \$35,000.00 of which only \$15,000.00 cash or surety is required. A pre-trial hearing on Bailey's felony charges has been scheduled for March 23, 1990 with trial scheduled for April 16th.

Hooten.

District Court convened in Kinney County on Monday, January 22nd with District Judge George Thurmond presiding and hearing several civil and criminal cases listed below. Hugh Wayne Martin of Spofford, Texas received a 5 year prison term on a plea of guilty to Burglary of a

Habitation, a 1st degree felony. Veronica Sanchez, charged with Felony Theft was arraigned and appointed an attorney to represent her in her upcoming trial. John Ray Rodriquez, charged with

Adult Literacy Interest

by Lashawn Wardlaw

For those interested in teaching adults to read and write, the Del Rio Adult Literacy Council, Inc. is inviting those to their next tutor training class, Friday, February 2, 5:30-8:30 p.m. and Saturday, February 3, 8:00 a.m. - 12 noon and 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. at the Del Rio National Bank Building.

The Del Rio Adult Literacy Council Paschen, 775-5627,

is a non-profit organization, free to the student, confidential, and taught one-to-one. Tutors are needed, no experience necessary. The next General Meeting is February 2, at 6:00 p.m. at the Del Rio

National Bank Building. The public is invited. Be a part of such a rewarding program. For further information, please contact, Shelia

W W II Pilot Speaks at Fort

Clifford Lewis of Fort Clark, a World War II army glider pilot, who landed one of the first gliders in France on D-day, will discuss the training of glider pilots for the invasion of France in World War II, at 10:00 A.M. on Saturday, January 27 at the Saber Room, Fort Clark.

Mr. Lewis will show a training film used to prepare the pilots for combat, and will recount some of his experiences. Mr. Lewis is a member

of the board of the Fort Clark Historical Society and is President of the Brackettville Lion's Club.

Christmas Day, 1988 death of Lauriano "Larry" Estrada, went to trial before a jury on the 22nd with the trial lasting until Wednesday morning when the jury retired for deliberation on the evidence. District Attorney Tom Lee was the prosecutor. Rodriquez received a one year county jail term and a one thousand dollar fine upon his conviction of a Class A Misdemeanor of Criminal Negligence which was an option granted the jury. The jury also set punishment in the case. That's All

Letter to

My Son

Dear Son:

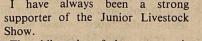
I'm writing this slow 'cause I know you can't read fast. We don't live where we did when you left. Your dad read in the paper where the most accidents happened within twenty miles of homes, so we moved. Won't be able to send you the address as the last Arkansas family that lived here took the numbers with them for their next house so they wouldn't have to change their address.

This place has a washing machine. The first day I put four shirts in it, pulled the chain, and haven't seen 'em since. It only rained twice this week, three days the first, and four days the second time.

The coat you wanted me to send to you, Aunt Sue said it would be a little too heavy to send in the mail with them heavy buttons, so we cut them off and put them in the pockets.

We got a bill from the funeral home, said if we didn't make the last payment on Grandma's funeral bill, up she comes.

About your sister, she had a baby this morning. I haven't found out whether it is a boy or a girl, so I don't know if you are an Aunt or Uncle. Your Uncle John fell in the whiskey vat. Some tried to pull him out, but he fought them off playfully, so he drowned. We cremated him and he burned for three days. Three of your friends went off the bridge in a pick-up one was driving, the other two were in the back. The driver got out. He rolled down the window and swam to safety. The other two



basic and fundamental. The program calling for a boy or girl to buy an animal, grow it out, keep account of cost, prepare it to show and show it; is a valuable way for development of the child.

but I am amazed at the end product of the months of effort by these 4Her's and FFA students.

and girls from meager income families make the investment necessary to produce the animal.

In most shows the student must acquire one calf or one or two lambs early in the fall and care for the

The practice of some parents of

It is a thrill to me to see some boys

animal through showtime.

I've known of occasions where the parent cares for a number of animals and at show time chooses the best of I never see the animals at the show several to show. This violates everything the pro-

gram stands for. It gives the child a distinct advantage over the poorer boy or girl who can barely afford one animal.

The real tragedy is it teaches the boy or girl to violate the rules of the game and to take unfair advantage of his opponent. This leaves an indelible stamp on the character of the child. true way it is teaching character traits that can warp the person for life. If the rules of the game do not apply here then they can be side-stepped all through life.

BY JOE TOWNSEND

No one can deny that allowing a boy or girl to select at the last moment, one of six or sixteen or thirty-six, rather than go with one selected and groomed for the show is taking an unfair advantage. This does not build real character.

It always thrills my heart to see some obscure boy or girl show a winning animal that he has personally grown, groomed, and shown. It is truly a victory for the showman.

A real tribute is due the 4H and FFA Sponsors and the many people who so lavishly give of their time and energies to make the Junior Livestock Show such an important and successful part of the lives of so many boys and girls and the Community as a whole.

Rep. Harrison Reports Meeting With The Texas Plant Food Institute

State Representative Dudley Harrison. (D-Sanderson), District 68, reports that the Texas Plant Food Institute held its 1990 Annual Convention in Fort Worth on January 17th - 19th. The convention focused on the issues and problems of the fertilizer industry today.

Rep. Harrison, as chairman of the Texas House Agriculture Committee, drowned. They couldn't get the was a keynote speaker at the convention. He informed the group that the goal of the Committee was to Love, improve communication between commodity groups and the eleven state agencies that the committee oversees. "We want to make the state agencies better aware of the agricultural associations' concerns so that they may deal with them more effectively." Rep. Harrison said. Rep. Harrison also spoke to the members on issues that are at the and Mrs. Jesse Whipkey. forefront of agriculture today. "As demanded by the public, today's farmer and rancher must also be an environmentalist, an ecologist, and a

tor must address such issues as food safety, water quality and organic farming.", Harrison said, During the week of January 22nd -26th, Rep. Harrison will speak to the Texas State Teachers' Association in Del Rio and he will attend meetings in Houston on Normal Occurring

conservationist. The agriculture sec-

Radioactive Waste. He will finish the week in Corpus Christi by giving a speech to the Texas Agriculture Aviation Association on the new pesticide regulations. ny hateilate

(Pd. Pol. Announcement by Dudley Harrison, P.O. Box 2910 Austin, TX 78769.)



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tailgate down. Not much more news this time, nothing much has happened.

Ma

The Grapevine

One-Act-Play rehearsals have begun! The cast is George-Armando Talamantez, Meg-Yvonne Luna, Sarah-Shelly McDaniel, Ellen-Wendy McDaniel, Henry-Lynn Floyd, Voice-Gus Garcia, Executioner-Scott Sims, Director-Merry Beth Mills.

This Years U.I.L. One-Act-Play is The Actor's Nightmare! Good Luck Cast!!!

Members of the F.H.A. are attending a Region 5 leadership meeting in Corpus Christi this Friday and Saturday. This elite group are Gus Garcia, Jane Armandariz, Cynthia Rocha, Irma Rodriquez, Lenny Castillo, and Cecelia Foster.

• • Happy Birthday to Robbie Gonzalez on Jan. 28!!!

The F.H.A. is selling locker decorations for 75 cents each. The locker decorations consist of 1 helium filled ballon with message.

Tiger Band Student's are getting into high gear, knowing that solo and Ensemble contest is only 1 week away! Members will perform on Sat. Feb. 3 at Eagle Pass, Good Luck! • •

U.I.L. team members are brushing up on their fortes for the practice meet, Feb. 3. Good Luck to them also!!!

The Tiger Cheerleaders are selling Hard Rockin Tigers T-Shirt for \$10.00 what a buy! Just ask any Cheerleader for more info.

The Gifted and talented had a field trip to Kerville last Wednesday. Members had fine time, they toured airplane factories, jewelry business.

Justin Coats is in the hospital, people of B.I.S.D. wish him well! .

Well, I guess I took up most of your time See va'll next week.

Lillie Danielson who resided at Fort Clark Springs before moving to San Angelo is back for a few days visit with old friends. Lilly will continue

Kirk Joy from Sonora, Texas is visiting with his parents Jerry and Linda Whalen of Fort Clark Springs.

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The Old Quarry Society will present on to Campwood and visit with Mr. to attend.

by Warren Outlaw

the play "Harvey" at the Town Hall Feb. 15th and 17th. Make plans now

* "Dimples" and Jerry Henry from Bellville are enjoying a visit with "Big Mama, (Essie Coker.)

State Records Set for Warsaw Dolphin

AUSTIN-Several impressive fish caught in late 1989 have been certified by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department as state records. A 277-pound Warsaw grouper

caught from the Gulf of Mexico by Aubrey G. Eastwood of Matagorda during October 1989 is a new record, beating a 214-pounder caught just a month before by Stephen D. Murphy of Laguna Vista. Eastwood's fish was 72 1/2 inches long and 64 inches Make your special someone feel

in girth. Robby DeLeon of Corpus Christi ""Valentine Verses" in the Brackett celebrated the Fourth of July 1989 by News.

catching a 65-pound, 9.6 ounce dolphin in the Gulf off Port Aransas. The fish has been certified as a new state record. The previous record dolphin (dorado), caught off Port Paul,

Aransas in 1977, weighed 62 pounds, I love you more today than the day eight ounces. The new record fish we married 25 years ago, "Happy Valentines Day" to a real Sweetwas 67 1/2 inches long. Another outstanding catch was that heart. of a 30-pound, four-ounce red drum taken from Lake Braunig at San

Antonio by Jack H. Talbert of San Antonio on Oct. 14, 1989. The Your Antonio on Oct. 14, 1989. The Your not only a great sister but a former record for red drum (redfish) good friend and I love you. taken from a freshwater impoundment was a 27-pounder caught from

Library News

Anyone who would like to display their hobbies or collections in the library, please contact the librarian. We would also like to thank the B.I.S.D. for lending the library a 16 mm projector for use in the library.

Correction

The article that ran last week on the city dump hours was incorrect. The dates that the dump will be closed are Monday, Tuesday and Thursday the week of Feb. 12 instead of the week of January 22.

the same lake in 1984 The fish records committee also certified a 92-pound, eight-ounce roughtail stingray cought by Robert Pratt Jr. of Lake Jackson on Aug.21

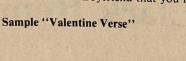
Intracoastal Canal at Port Isabel, and a six-pound, 8.8-ounce ocean triggerfish caught by Robert W. B. Elliott Jr. of Mission in the at the West Flower Gardens reef.

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Golf News by Les Roper

This reporter has enjoyed some of the finest roast pork, roast beef, roast duck, roasted cabrito, but never has he enjoyed any of them like he did last Friday night when he was treated to "Roast Lundquist". When a steer, a duck, a pig, or a young goat are roasted they are not aware of it since they have traveled to the big "Feedlot in the sky". Old Gordie Lundquist was not so fortunate...he had to just sit and listen as he was "Raked across the coals" by some of his best friends.

Following the Friday Couple's Tournament Gordon Lundquist was treated to a surprise party and roast by his lovely wife, Lorraine and his golf playing buddies. The turn out was great and everyone enjoyed the good food and fellowship that followed. Gordon and Lorraine were the first couple to join the golf association after it was formed and through the years their dedication and loyalty to the activities on the course have contributed heavily toward it's success. The teasing and bantering was all done in good taste and enjoyed by everyone persent. Ronnie Gibbs, the club manager, is

still attacking the problems at the golf course with a vengeance and his leadership over "Operation Facelift" is now producing great results. The general consensus of the membership is that the Golf Course Management Committee knocked a "homerun" when they found, interviewed, and hired Gibbs. During his first month on the job he has been treated to suggestions, instruction, criticism, praise, and "lotsa" baloney but he has survived it all without a scratch (not counting the one caused by his dog.) When asked about his first month he replied, "I have made more friends in four weeks than I have in my whole life. I love 'em all and hope I can continue to do a good

job for them." A survey of the golf course has found the greens in the best shape they have ever been in...the fairways are looking great...the heavy brush is being trimmed and these areas are beginning to look like a park...the tee boxes are not only looking great but they are soft enough to get a tee in the ground...and generally, the whole place is looking different. The ropes are down and instructions are painted on the ground in regards to golf cart restrictions. Last but not least, the club members are giving Gibbs their 100 percent cooperation on all of these very important matters.

The Men's Winter league is beginning to get very serious. Two of the team captains had their players up all night giving them pep talks, instructions, and threatening them with permanent disabilities if they didn't shape up and start playing tough. Both of these team captains had Mike Ditka coaching books in their back pockets before tee time this past Wednesday. Just goes to show you that a kind work and a friendly smile go a long ways but a chewing out and a kick in the rear goes a lot further. The Gobblers and the Horned Toads are headed for a real showdown with just five weeks of competition to go. Colonel Ralph Viestenz called Lou Schlatterer, Charlie Deescheemaeker, and Harold Kauffman together before tee off time and fed them a "hustle" pill. Don't know who his druggist is but one thing is for sure...what he gave to old Ralph sure did work. They

marched right out and scored eleven big points to solidify their hold on the lead with a total of 65 points. Moving through the pack like A.J. Foyt was "Big Hoagy" Nelson, Gordon Petaja, Don Herron, and Ray Kurtz and in doing so nailed down second place with 45 points. Clark Horning, Jim Bussey, Lee Herron, and Vern Ebert fell upon hard times and failed to score a point but their lead from a week ago kept them in third place and certainly not out of contention.

The team standings are now: 1st...Gobblers...65 points. 2nd...Horned Toads...45 points 3rd...Rattlesnakes...38 points 4th...Whitetails...24 points 5th...Javalinas...22 points 6th...Roadrunners...20 points 7th...Badgers...12 points 8th...Armadillos...9 points The ever popular Couple's Tourna-

ment had another big successful day with 64 golfers turning out for play. This is an amazing group and the popularity of this tournament is obvious with the excitement and the enthusiasm that is seen before and after tee off time. Nailing down first

team of Rueben Warren, Vickie Nichols, Al Butler, and Mary Butler. Second place was claimed by Hubie McKelvy, Carol Benefield, T. Boutwell, and Joan Boutwell. Making a strong move to finish third was Ray and Cubie Kurtz and Hoagy and Pat Nelson. Slipping in through all of the hustle and bustle for fourth place was Gordie and Lorraine Lundquist and Evelyn Whitely and P.M. Moore. Good food and lotsa fun was enjoyed by everyone following the day's golfing activities and plans for next week were already being made. When asked about the success and results of Monday's Nine Hole Tounament, Sondra Meil just shook her head and smiled in disbelief. A five way tie for first place was turned in to her and she did what she does best. She solved the problem by dividing the first place money equally between the five winning teams. The teams were Bob Barnett, Walt Baugess, Ron Bird, and Donnie Guajardo...Rueben Warren, Lou Sofaly, Lynn Edenboro, and J.E. Meil...Gerald Gallion, Patty Barnett, Carrie Neal, and Ted Thatcher ... or the man afraid of the light?

place with some superb play was the

Carol Benefield, Dave Yates, Bill Koons, and Dick Hirsh...Robert Correa, Dutch Schoolfield, Ed Boyco, and Ernie Hall. Talk about fun!!!

The course was covered by 35 of the best looking ladies in south Texas this past Tuesday morning competing against one another in a Nassau. Tee off was at 10:00 a.m. and as usual the well organized Ladies Golf Association was right on time. Odette Mills, one of the steadiest female golfers on the course, won the front nine with a net score of 31. Avis Anderson, wife of "Cuddles" Anderson, won the back nine with a net score of 26. The overall score of 61 was picked up by the soon to be married Louella Johnson (we know where the honeymoon is going to be but it is even too far for Dan Isenberg to drive to.) Ladies..Ladies..what a terrible place this old world would be without'em.

On An Average Day: 4,110 Americans start smoking ... 877 Americans die of smoking related illnesses. Words of Wisdom: Who is more

foolish, the child afraid of the dark

Sports...

by JJ Guidry

BRACKETTVILLE-The Tigers broke a two-game loosing streak with a 57-53 victory over Natalia last Thursday in "The Jungle". This was Brackett's first victory in over a week. They had previously lost to Lackland and Cotulla on the road. Brackett and Natalia began the game pretty evenly with the Tigers leading by four at the half.

The Tigers doubled their lead to 8 points by the end of the third period. With 5:20 left in the game, the Tigers took a 40-30 lead when Mitch Frerich sank a three-pointer.

The Mustangs pulled within three points at the 2:34 mark, when Billy Thompson hit a turn-around jumper. Soon after, Natalia's Jeffrey Lefevre fouled out of the game sending Clay Hunt to the free throw line. Hunt made one of two free throws. Henry Booth retaliated with a Mustang free throw keeping Brackett's lead at 3.

The Mustang's pulled within two, but Steve Clementz pushed it back up to 3 with a Tiger free throw.

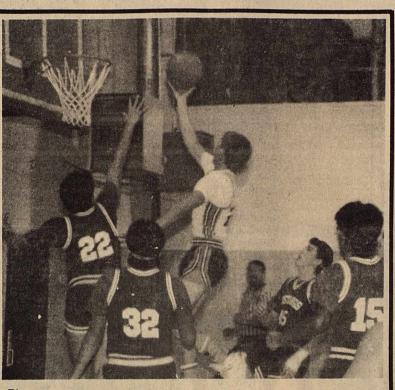
Natalia's Bobby Morales added to the excitement when he made a key steal and then followed with a lay up. He drew a foul while scoring and added a free throw. This decreased Brackett's lead to one with a 54-53 score.

Tigers Corral Mustangs

Mitch Frerich secured the Tiger's victory by scoring the final points on a fast break lay up and a free throw with one tick left on the clock.

Clay Hunt came off the bench to lead the Tigers in scoring wiht 18 points. Mitch Frerich 16 points while Eddie Garza had 3 three-pointers and a total of 13 points. Other Tigers contributing to Brackett's scoring were: Steve Clementz, 5 points; John Hernandez, 3 points; and Armando Talamantez, 2 points.

Billy Thompson was the overall high scorer with 20 points. George Campos also scored in double-figures for Natalia with 11 points. Bobby Morales made 8 points, Jacob Guzman had 5, Henry Booth scored 3, and Jeffrey Letcure added 2.



Pictured above is Mitch Frerich and Natalia, along with Cotulla, are coring 2 of his 16 points as the 4-3 in district and tied for third place. Tigers upset Natalia 57-53. Brackett

Photo by Harrell Floyd

J.V. Tigers Win Big

by JJ Guidry

ROCKSPRINGS-The Brackett Junior Varsity Tigers earned first place honors at the Rocksprings J.V. Tournament held last Saturday. The team is coached by Jesse Rodriguez. The Tigers ran right over El Dorado in the first round. The final score was 79-27

Tevin Senne, Lynn Floyd, and Peter Perez all scored in double-figures to lead Brackett, Senne had 23 points, Floyd had 13, and Perez made 11. Victor Sanchez contributed 8 points. Cary Haynes, JJ Sandoval, and Refugio Martinez all made 6 points. Scott Sims had 4 points and Lenny Wardlaw made 2 free throws.

The Tigers then faced Rocksprings J.V. in the championship game. Rocksprings was victorious the two previous times the teams met, but the Tigers won this time 38-37.

Tevin Senne was once again the leading scorer with 11 points. Scott Sims and Cary Haynes both scored 10 points, while W.T. Hunt made 7 points.

Peter Perez had 3 three-pointers in the first game, while Tevin Senne and W.T. Hunt both sank one in the final.

The Tigers will host a Junior Varsity Tournament this weekend. See related story.

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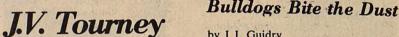
by JJ Guidry

BRACKETTVILLE-The Cotulla Cowgirls delt the Tigerettes their first district loss in two years last Tuesday.

The Tigerettes came back to Brackett with their heads held high on Thursday as they defeated the Natalia Palominos 79-43.

Against Natalia, Brackett used their quickness to earn them a 21-10 lead at the end of the opening period and then a 38-17 half-time lead. During the third period the Tigerettes played their best as they rallied for 24 points.

Yvonne Luna was the high scorer for the Tigerettes with 22 points, while Stephanie Ahrens scored 18 and Dorothy Ward had 11. Wendy Mc Daniel and Michelle Brandt came off the bench to score 6 points each. Dee Ann Frerich had 5 points, while Theresa Tenazas made 4 points. Vivian Luna, Myrna Gonzales, and Regina Pena all scored 2. Tanya Frerich added a free throw. Kim Mayes led Natalia with 12 points. Kathy Juarez and Lisa Alvarado both made 8 points and Lee Enderlin made 7 points.



this Weekend

by JJ Guidry

Brackett will host their annual Junior Varsity Tournament all day Saturday, January 27. Both boys and girls Junior Varsities will compete. The Brackett J.V. Tigerettes coached by Gregg Nowlin will begin the action against the Nueces Canyon Lady Panther's J.V. at 9am.

The Uvalde freshmen will face the Sabinal Lady Yellowjacket's J.V. at noon.

The winners of the Brackett-Nueces Canyon game and the Uvalde-Sabinal game will play for the girls championship at 6pm, while the loosers will play for consolation at 3pm.

The Junior Varsity Tigers will face the Nueces Canyon J.V. at 10:30 in the morning while the Rocksprings J.V. will face the Sabinal J.V. at 1:30.

The winners will play for the boys championship at 7:30, while consolation will be held at 4:30.

Everyone is encouraged to attend the Brackett Junior Varsity basketball tournament this weekend. You can see some exciting action from some of our talented youth!

by J.J. Guidry **BRACKETTVILLE-The Tigerettes** upped their district record to 8-1 on Tuesday as they defeated the Lady Bulldogs of LaPryor 56-43. The Tigerettes shut down LaPryor's leading scores, Joanne Bishop, to only 4 points in the first half as

Brackett earned a 31-11 lead. Did the Tigerettes have a homecourt advantage by playing in The Jungle? Last time we played (in LaPryor) we only beat them by four. Brackett has given up only two losses at home and they were both non-district games.

LaPryor's Joanne Bishop did manage to score 12 points in the fourth quarter. She rallied up 23 points on the night.

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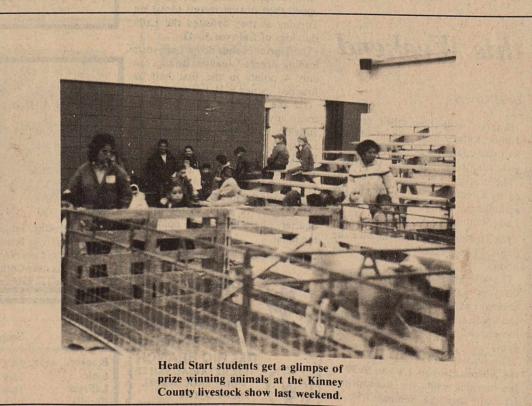
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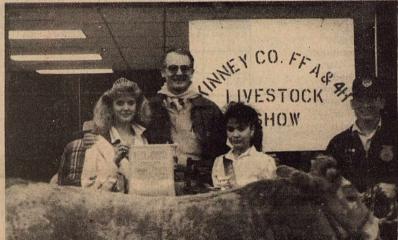
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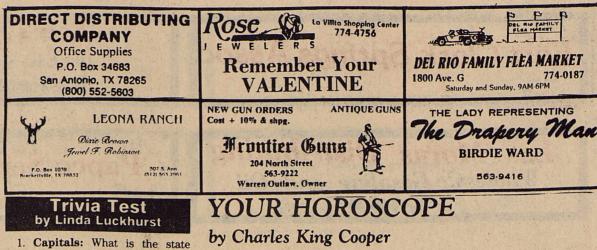
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Franklin Delano Roosevelt lose in 1920? 5. Television: Name the actress who portrayed Mary on "Mary

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7. Metropolitan: What is the name of Chicago's central business district?

8. Medical: What organ produces insulin

9. War: What has been the longest war in history to date?

10. Music: Who recorded the September, 1973 number one hit single, "Delta Dawn?"

Sports Quiz by Allan Ornstein

1. Name the last American League baseball player to win a home run

title for seven consecutive years. 3. Where did the Baltimore Orioles

4. Name the last Ivy League school to win an NCAA Hockey Champion-

5. Name all seven teams UCLA defeated during their seven-year reign (1967-73) as NCAA basketball champ

ally for the nation's outstanding player?

7. Name two ABA teams that captured two championships. 8. Name the last player from the

University of Texas to capture a Heisman Trophy.

9. What was the team name of the ABA franchise Carolina?

10. What was the team name of the ABA franchise Miami?

Top 10 Singles

1. Rod Stewart "Downtown Train," (Warner) Last Week: No. 4 2. Tom Petty "Free Fallin'," (MCA) No. 3

3. Seduction "Two To Make It Right," (Vendetta/A&M) No. 5 4. Skid Row "I Remember You,"

WEEKLY TIP: Competition on the job coupled with domestic concerns keep you busy.

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Try an innovative approach and you'll find solutions. Someone's sneaky tactics could upset you, but close allies are quite helpful. Listen to their advice. Stay clear of arguments

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Pent-up emotion may surface in romantic relationships, or children could resent correction. New job opportunities are possible. Domestic problems may mar the week, but a chance encounter lifts your spirits. GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Romance is likely, but watch expenditures. Resentment could make you somewhat tongue-tied. A talk with a family member could give you new perspective. Home life is favored. Others may take issue with your

attitude about finances. MOON CHILDREN (June 21 to July 22) Consult with friends on new work ideas. Pleasant news comes unexpectedly. Be less insistent on your own way. Despite some career problems, a new opportunity is in the offing. Use ingenuity.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Malicious words could backfire. Hold your tongue if tempted to speak unfairly. Evenings bring happier outlook. Distant news intrigues. Use care in financial dealings now. A friend may seem unjustly put out.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Keep new ideas under wraps. Let them develop further. Don't overact or a confrontation could develop on business interests. New friends prove stimulating. Enjoy mental rapport

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) A work problem defies solution unless you obtain a more relaxed attitude. Take a break, relax, then try again. Curb angry reactions. A friend could be jealous. Doing something new together aids your cause in romance

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ber 21) This should be a fun week. Enjoy romance and outings with those for whom you care. Home is the center of happy activities. Do-ityourself projects are fulfilling. Gadding about doing last minute chores has you happy

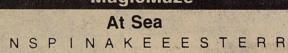
SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Short visits have romantic overtones. You're busy on the phone this week. You're feeling generous and your optimism brings you admiration from others. You're in the mood to celebrate and should do so!

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) This is a quiet time for you, but not a dull one. Sharing private moments with dear ones at home makes this a great week. Career prospects look good. You may want to spend more time doing research on an important project.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Confidential meetings are favored now. Pleasant news or visitors from afar loom on the horizon! Business and joint affairs should prosper now. Take advantage of opportunity. Travel brings luck, both romantically and profession-

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Work is fulfilling. Out-of-town visitors may be part of your week. Romance and good times are highlighted, but watch evening tension. Your social calendar may lead to important business introductions.

IF BORN THIS WEEK, you are both scientific and artistic. You have the ability to commercialize your creative gifts and can succeed in painting, sculpture, music, architecture and literature. Learn to do your own thing and you can make an original contribution in the field of your choice. Medicine and science may appeal to you. More interested in the problems of others than the typical member of your sign, you can also succeed in politics and humanitarian endeavors. Develop your self-confidence and overcome a

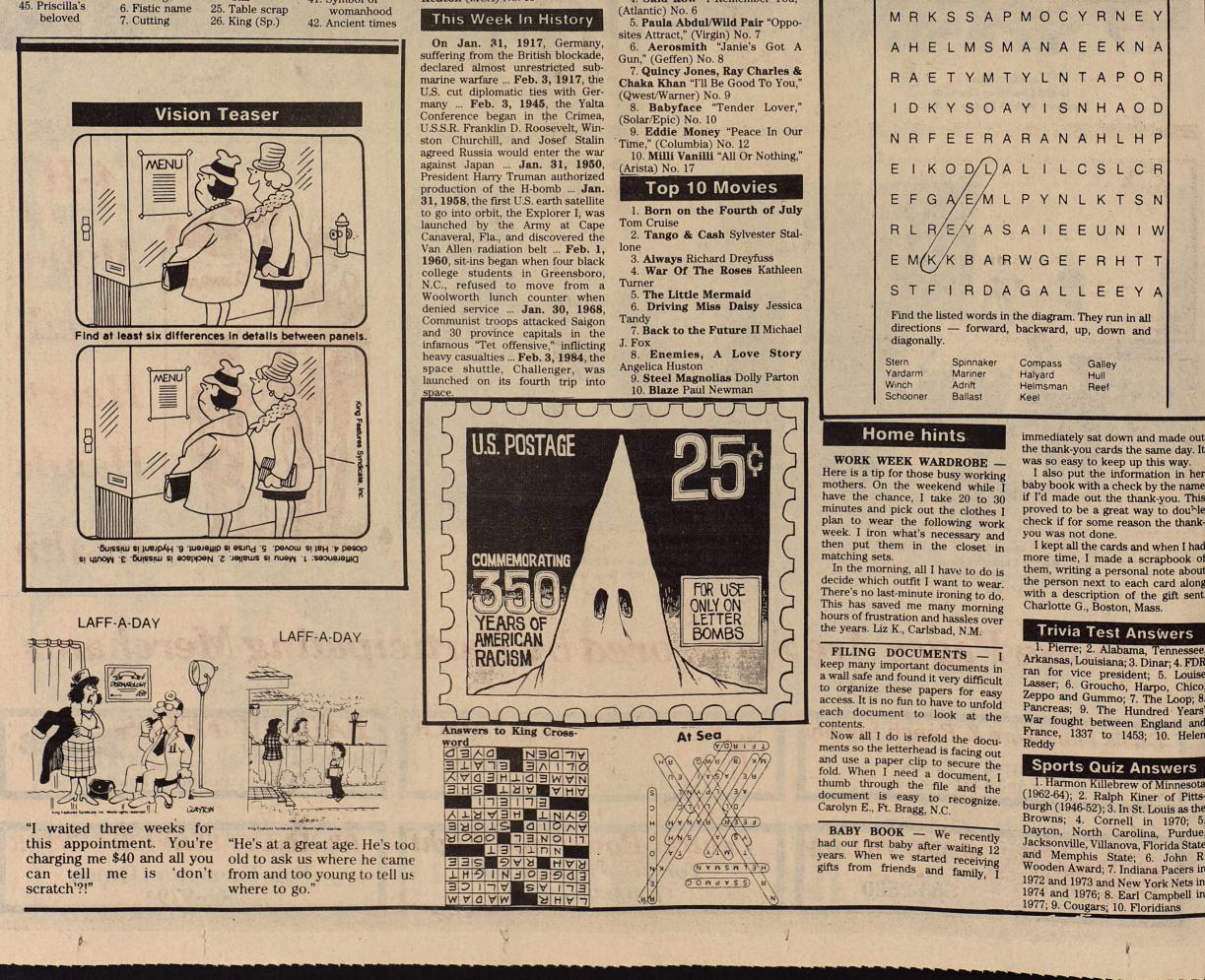


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6. What is the name of the NCAA basketball award announced annu-



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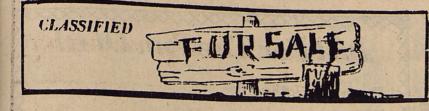
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Trivia Test Answers

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Sports Quiz Answers

1. Harmon Killebrew of Minnesota (1962-64); 2. Ralph Kiner of Pittsburgh (1946-52); 3. In St. Louis as the Browns; 4. Cornell in 1970; 5. Dayton, North Carolina, Purdue, Jacksonville, Villanova, Florida State and Memphis State; 6. John R. Wooden Award; 7. Indiana Pacers in 1972 and 1973 and New York Nets in 1974 and 1976; 8. Earl Campbell in The Brackelt Heurs



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The Kinney Co. Little League will hold their general election meeting at the Kinney Co. Court house at 6:00 p.m.

Chapter I Migrant Pac Meeting

There will be a meeting for the parents of Chapter I Migrant students. The meeting will be held at the Jones Elementary School Library on Thursday, January 25, 1990 at 3:30 p.m.

The agenda of the meeting will include the reviewing of Migrant Student Policies concerning absentees and withdrawals. Also, an explanation (in Spanish by Mr. Hector Jimenez) will be presented about the TEAMS test.

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



at Fort Clark, on Sunday, January 21, consisted of six and one-half tables, using Mitchell movement. Mac and Marie McCandless took first place at North-South, with Dot Burrow and Betty Inman coming in second. East-West high honors went to Gene and Mary Britton, followed by Marge Batchelor and Ruth Wilks.

Seven and one-half tables played Tuesday evening, January 23. Betty Inman and Ann Hibler scored highest at North-South. Close behind were Helen Lynch and Trudy Harber. Joyce Bell of Del Rio and Martin Sheets won at East-West, just ahead of Anita Korbel of Del Rio and Tina Bauguess

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En esta junta, se revisaran los

requisitos par ninos migrantes

tocante la fallas (absences) a la

escuela y el ritiro (withdrawal) de los

ninos de la escuela. El Sr. Hector

Jimenez explicara en Espanol la

Valoracion de Destrezas Minimas

escolar, Chapter I.

School.



Sunday, January 28 - 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, January 30 - 7:00 p.m. Duplicate Bridge Sabre Room

Monday, January 29 - 8:00 p.m. AA - Slator Hall, James St.

Monday, January 29 - 8:00 p.m. Al-Anon - St. Andrew's Episcopal Parish Hall Monday, January 29 - 7:00 p.m. Monday, January 29 - 7:00 p.m. Civil Air Patrol Cadets (13-21 yrs) Tower Building, east side of Uvalde Airport. Call Birdie Ward at 563-

Duplicate Bridge

Sabre Room

9416 for info.

Thursday, February 1 - 6:30 p.m. Lion's Club - Las Moras Inn

Thursday, February 1 - 12:00 p.m. Rotary Club - Las Moras Inn Thursday, February 1 - 7:00 p.m. Chamber of Commerce Board Room, Fort Clark Springs Friday, February 2 - 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Driver's license renewal - Kinney County Courthouse - upstairs

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Kinney County Land Co

prise system is the right of property owners to buy and sell their holdings at fair market value. This applies to land, homes, commercial buildings, automobiles, gold coins, furniture-any asset of a tangible nature.

Legally, property which is immoveable, such as land and the fixed improvements that are a part of the land are called "real" -- as opposed to moveable objects such as automobiles, lawn mowers, and TV's which are called "personal" types.

A Realtor is a person who acts as a broker between a "buyer" and "seller" of real property to bring them to agreement on the FMV (fair market value) at which change of ownership is to occur. Such a person is most essential in today's economic climate encumbered by long-range financial arrangements and many legal requirements.

In our community, Kinney County Land Company-a "realty" business, owned and operated by Molly Ardrey, renders a valuable service to local property owners in many ways. First and foremost, she often brings a buyer from other points in Texas or out of state, together with a local seller, or vice versa. Second, she provides tenants for landlords holding rental property. Third, she may find new owners for a sort of second home--the so-called recreational vehicle (RV) which may be a self-contained motor home or travel trailer, and also the camper trailer. All serve to shelter humans one way or another, so she also provides personal security.

Molly Ardrey's experience in the real estate field is closely entertwined with the history of Fort Clark

Unsung

Several years ago a man and his lovely wife visited Ft. Clark Springs. They liked what they saw and decided to move to Ft. Clark. They were retired and built a nice house and moved to Ft. Clark Springs. He immediately became an important part of the community. He has been very active in his Fraternal

Order. He is faithful and active in his

One of the benefits of a free-enter- Springs. She first worked for Nat Mendelsohn in California until 1971 when she came to Texas to assist him on the grand opening of FCS. She and her two sons, Kevin and Seth fell in love with the local scene and decided to make Brackettville their home as NEW Texans. The boys completed their elementary and high school education here, and went on to earn degrees from Texas universities.

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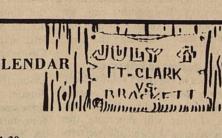
Molly continued her employment with Mendelsohn until 1977 when she opened her realty business, which is located directly across from the Highway 90 entrance to Fort Clark Springs. She deals in property on the Fort and in town, as well as ranch sales and hunting leases in the county. She is also a part-owner and developer of Kinney County Ranch Estates, a 500 acre land sub-division two miles away, offering 5-25 acre tracts, which are popular with many folks who plan to make their home in Kinney County.

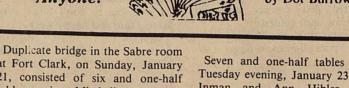
Office hours for the business are 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday-Saturday, with appointments on Sunday, if necessary. In addition to Molly, you can contact Pat Owens, her able and congenial assistant, by calling 563-2446, or just come by to visit them. The office is a comfortable place to do business, with plenty of parking space in front. You will enjoy knowing them as friends, and also as capable experts on the complexities of property exchanges. Best of all, they are generous with good advice to help you make the best decisions for your property interests. Look for the sign with the cross sabers logo.

church. He has served as Secretary and President of his service club. He has used the expertise of his profession and rendered invaluable assistance as well as many hours of

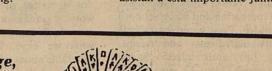
Hero

work in behalf of the Library. He has made many contributions to various activities at Ft. ClarkSprings. Surely Richard Moutain is an "Unsung Hero."



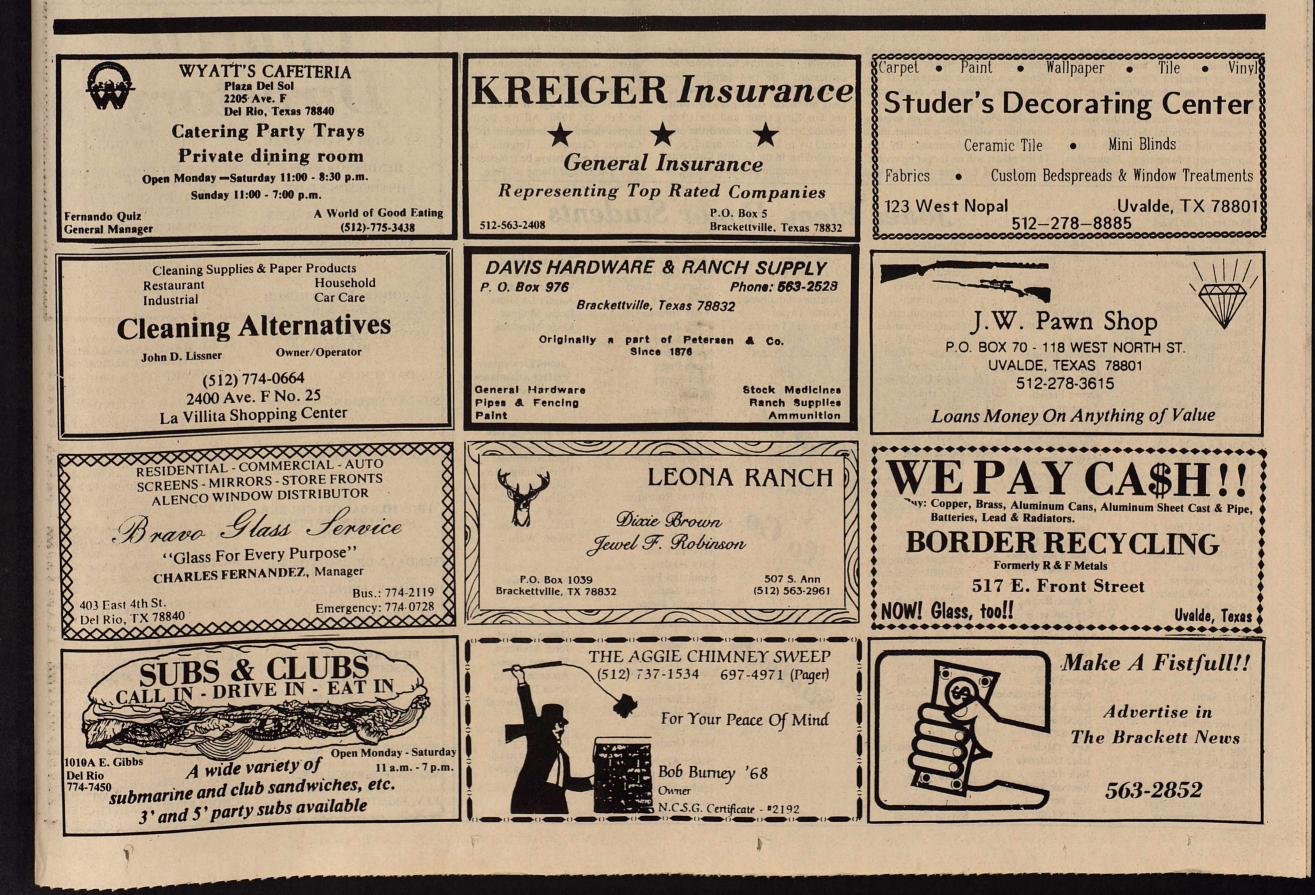


Educacionales de Estado de Texas (TEAMS). El Director de la Escuela Jones Elementary, Sr. Mills, invita a todos los padres de ninos migrantes que asistan a esta importante junta.

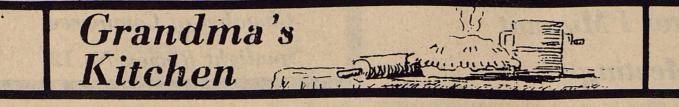


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Service Directory



Page 8 January 25, 1990 The Brackell Rews



Ground-Hog day is just around the corner and, I like to learn all I can every day, so I looked up the little creature and learned even though his pretty smart, he's also pretty dumb. They are actually woodchuck's and I'm real sorry for anybody who hasn't a woodchuck on his premises, and sorry for anybody who has.

It's dreadful to think of the cabbage heads an old-fat gourmand woodchuck can stuff into his baggy hide in a single night. Farmers lose a lot of lettuce, cabbage, cauliflower and celery because they descend upon it daily and devour whatever is green.

Well, kill them you say! Have you ever tried it? I heard about this farmer who did, he got his gun and decided he'd wait for the little fellow to come out of the hole. After more

hours than he cared to mention, he decided his days were too precious to stores than try to grow his own. That little ground-hog, or whatever-sleeps its easier to buy celery and ect. in the

stores than try to grow his own. That little ground-hog, or whatever-sleeps all winter, he is perhaps the least industrious animal in existence,

except when engaged in digging his hole. He pop's up for breakfast while the dew is still on the ground, then at lunch time, he spends more time

sunning himself than eating. Then late in the evening he shows up again and eats until sunset, by autumn he reaches a perfectly ludicrous state of obesity.

He is fat, obstinate, lazy, sleepy, defiant, tough, flabby, placid and withal, a nuisance. Yet it's amazing how he stays ahead of the dogs, foxes, and other enemies and persists in digging his hole, just anywhere he likes. Well I say long life to you ole Woody without you, we'd never know yea or ney about 6 more weeks

of winter.-I don't know anyone who doesn't love muffins, the country style have a hearty taste and old-fashioned farm goodness, they're

•••Jan. 11 - The full moon rises in

the east at sunset and is up all night

•••Jan. 18 - The last quarter moon

rises in the east at midnight and is

overhead at dawn. The planet Venus

perfect for topping off a well-balanced meal, and make a great breakfast when your traveling.

> **Raisin Molasses Muffins** 3 cups all-purpose flour 1/3 cup sugar 1 Tbs baking powder 1/2 tea salt 1/2 tea ground Cinnamon 2 large eggs 1 cup milk 1/2 cup melted margarine 1/4 cup dark molasses 1 cup dark raisins

In large bowl combine flour, sugar, baking powder, salt and cinnamon. In medium bowl. whisk eggs, milk, melted margarine and molasses until will blended. Pour liquid ingredients into dry ingredients, add raisins, stirring just until mixed. Spoon batter evenly into 12 greased, 2 1/2-inch muffin cups. Bake in a preheated 400 degrees oven 20 minutes or until golden. **Buttermilk-Nut Muffins**

3 cups all-purpose flour

1/4 cup sugar 1 Tbs baking powder 1/4 tea salt 2 large eggs 1 cup buttermilk 1/2 cup melted margarine 1 cup chopped pecans In a large bowl combine flour, sugar, baking powder, and salt. In meduim bowl whisk eggs, buttermilk and melted margarine. Pour egg mixture into dry ingredients: Add pecans, stirring quickly just until mixed. Spoon batter into 12 greased, 2 1/2 inch muffins cups. Bake in preheated 400 degree oven, 20 minutes or until golden brown. Makes 12 muffins.

Thought for the week-Happiness is not a matter of good fortune or worldly possessions. It's a mental attitude. It comes from appreciating what we have, instead of being miserable about what we don't have. It's so simple - yet so hard for the human mind to comprehend. I love you, so don't forget it-now have a safe and happy week.

Orion, the hunter, lies to the right of

Jupiter. Look for the hunter's

three-starred belt surrounded by a

four-starred rectangle of bright stars.

A brochure containing complete

information on state park locations

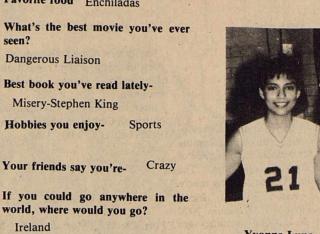
and facilities can be obtained by

writing the TPWD, 4200 Smith

School Road, Austin, TX 78744, or

by calling toll-free 1-800-792-1112.

Big Hugs, Grandma



Just For The Fun Of It!

Yvonne Luna

In one word describe yourself-

Secretly you've always wanted to be?

Place born - Del Rio, Texas

Favorite food Enchiladas

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Misery-Stephen King

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Amateur Stargazers Report Excellent Viewing

AUSTIN-Texas state parks, located in rural settings away from city lights, provide amateur stargazers with excellent viewing conditions statewide. January is a quiet time in state parks and visitors can establish viewing locations in the best spots to take advantage of the long winter night's dark sky.

The following Sky Calendar was compiled by the George Observatory, in Brazos Bend State Park near Houston, where a 10-ton research telescope is open for public viewing on Saturday nights at the Observatory

During the cold days of January, it is hard to believe that the earth is now closest to the sun or "at Perihelion."

This closest approach occurs on Jan. 4th at 11 a.m. CST when the earth is only 147,000 kilometers from the sun. It is the tilt of the earth's axis that causes the seasons rather than the nearness of the sun. In winter, the earth's Norhtern Hemisphere is tilted away from the sun and recives lower, less intense rays of sunlight.

Sky Calendar

passes between the earth and sun and cannot be seen. •••Jan. 22 - The red star Antares in Scorpius is just north of the moon. ••• Jan. 23 - The red planet Mars is

Castor and Pollux.

long.

due north of the moon. •••Jan. 24 - The faint planets Uranus and Neptune are north of the moon. The bright inner planet Mercury is north of the moon.

•••Jan. 25 - The ringed Saturn is north of the moon. Most of the month it is too close to the sun for viewing.

•••Jan. 26 - The dark new moon rises and sets with the sun making this the darkest night of the month for stargazers. An eclipse on this date is not visible in Texas or the northern hemisphere.

•••Jan. 27 - Mercury passes just north of the faint Neptune. Diligent viewers might catch a glimpse of the planet as it rises just ahead of the sun

they orbit their master planet. Jupiter sun on the 18th, Venus will pull away also lies within the richest portion of from the sun in the southeastern predawn sky. By month's end, we the winter starfield. Above Jupiter could call this brilliant planet our are the bright stars Capella, on the "morning star," heralding the arrileft, and Aldebaran on the right. val of dawn. Castor and Pollux lie to the left and Watching Jupiter and its moons below. The brilliant constellation of

Jupiter lies in the outer solar system and orbits the sun at a more stately rate than the speeding Venus. All month, Jupiter will dominate the eastern evening sky and the western morning sky. The same binoculars that showed the crescent shape of Venus will display Jupiter's four largest moons. Each night, the moons are in a different position as



end.

Maria Teresa Joramillo was born in 1841 in New Mexico. Her mother later married Governor Charles Bent who called her "Teresina", which means "Little Teresa". Her life was

in a home in Sante Fe. Here she stayed until 1860. There she married ered for the confederate Army and

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never came back after the Civil Wars Amistad Lake Fishing Report

•••Jan. 3 - Quadrantid Meteor Shower. This shower produces meteors from the northeastern perdawn sky. Best viewing occurs when the first quarter moon sets on the mornings of Jan. 3 or 4. This shower has been known to produce 40 meteors per hour in clear dark skies. A brilliant "shooting star" meteor makes a beautiful addition to an evening of stargazing.

••• Jan. 4 - The first quarter moon is overhead at sunset and sets in the west at midnight Central Standard Time. The earth is at Perihelion. •••Jan. 10 - The bright planet Jupiter is just south of the moon. Located in Gemini, this bright planet rises in the east before sunset and is up for most of the night. Jupiter can be found close to the bright stars,

in the eastern predawn sky at month's end. Otherwise, this closest planet to the sun is lost in solar glare throughout the month.

Farewell to the "Evening Star"

The brilliant Venus, now near the western horizon at evening twilight. is called our "evening star", even though Venus' is a nearby planet rather than a distant star. In starfield where almost all change is gradual, Venus is a popular exception. If you watch the planet on every clear evening, it will gradually disappear into the twilight glare. Each evening binoculars will reveal a thinner, more slender crescent appearance. By Jan. 11 the planet will no longer be visible. After passing between the earth and

Sam Hunt

David Lopez

Monica Morin

Jessica Gutierrez

Chang Hernandez

Casey Bryan

Kelson Smith

Rosana Waddell

Angel De Hoyos

April Crumley

Jesse Hidalgo

Jeffrey Mills

Chase Ward

Second Grade

Jamie Bader

Zachry Davis

Kermit Gomez

Crystal Johnson

Lucas Lumbreras

Michelle Melancon

Samantha Payne

Brenda Valdez

Jessica De Leon

Tina Dorrough

Sunni Jones

Lisa Marshall

Jerritt Meeks

Daisy Nieto

Molly Montalvo

Veronica Gonzalez

Daniel Hernandez

Lisa Doss

always turbulent. Charles Bent only served a short time as Governor before he was murdered by the revolting Indians in the uprising on Jan. 19, 1847.

His widow and children lived on in Taos, by Kit Carson, who was brother-in-law to Teresina's mother. Finally Carson took her into his own home and raised her with his own children.

Carson was an associate of Lucien Maxwell, a wealthy landowner and cattleman. The two families lived together. Here Teresina grew up. Once an Indian chief tried to kidnap her but Kit Carson and the troops rescued her. Carson feared the chief would try to kidnap her again, so he enrolled her in the Loretto Convento. After graduation Carson settled her

She waited a long time for him to come home but he was never heard from again. In 1864 she met a wagon trader, Aloysius Scheurick, a Bavarian who recently came from Germany. In Taos they raised five children and had a very happy and successful life. Teresa had a good memory and had lived through some very historical times. Her stories of her life in the early days were sought after by writers and historians. When her husband died she lived on with

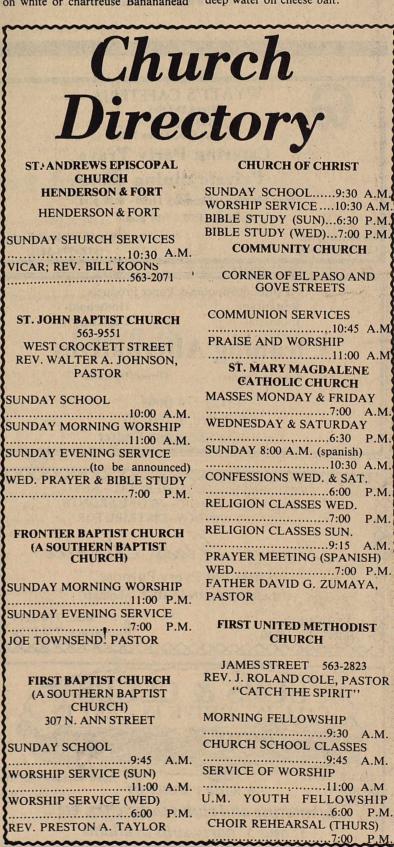
her unmarried daughter. She died at the age of seventy-nine on Feb. 25, 1920. All the business houses closed for her burial in the Kit Carson Cemetery. Teresina Bent Scheurich will always be remembered as, "The Grand Dame of Taos."

Reagan Spring

Debra Frerich

AMISTAD: Water clear, 53 degrees, 8 feet low; black bass are good in number to 11 1/4 pounds on a white Ponyhead jigs in deep water off ledges; striper are good to 20 pounds on white or chartreuse Bananahead or Ponyhead jigs; crappie are slow; white bass are fair over the entire

lake on 5/8 to 1 1/8-ounce white or chartreuse jigs; catfish are slow in deep water on cheese bait.



Jones Elementary Writers of the Week 11-20-89

Ismael De Hoyos Conrado Talamantez Edwina Banta Mauro Barrera Norma Rodriquez Monique Pierce Jessica York **Tiffany Reschman** Jamie Bader Daisy Nieto 12-11-89 **Denice** Frerich Beau Smallwood Brandy Meeks Angie Castillo Crystal Juarez Brent Smith Aaron Taylor Tina Dorrough 11-27-89 Tanya Mc Clure Samantha Luna Christina Reschman **Timothy Hale** Robert Aguirre Alfred Rodriguez Patty Ortiz Imelda Vela Zachry Davis Jerritt Meeks 12-04-89

John Smith **Reagan Spring** Francisca Garza Lindy Lamascus Mary Alice Martinez Cherrise Ward **Rvan Spring** Jose Daniel Samaniego Kelly Brandenberger Daniel Hernandez

12-18-89 Jimmy Pina Katie Hall Vivian Rosalez Elizabeth Aguirre Cindy Vasquez Leilani Williams \$-08-90 Valerie Jimenez **Raymond Talamantez Rocio Molinar** Debra Frerich Samantha Luna David Melancon **Baldemar Martinez** Juan Mata J. Wayne Ballew Philip Juarez Anna Gomez Tina Luna **Tommy Sandoval Jones Elementary Honor Roll Third Six Weeks** January-1990 First Grade Kakine Breen Debra Cortes Michael Gass Albert Lattimer Manuel Morin Victor Abrego Steven Doss Antonio Hernandez Laura Martinez Rosalba Valdez Isidro Cano Kelly Daniels Isacc Gutierrez Julie Juarez

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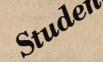




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Michelle Villarreal Coty Williams **Third Grade**

James Burks Mayra Fuentes

Jim Rose

Valerie Jimenez Arianna De Leon Angela La Gioia David Foster Rocio Molinar Javier Jimenez Kevin Mendoza Philip Juarez Patricia Lopez Jose Perez **Jones Elementary** Jacob Puda Perfect Attendance **Ryan Spring** Third Six Weeks Jessica York **Fourth Grade Pre Kindergarten** J. Wayne Ballew Lacey Dodson Jon Banta April Martinez Windcy Goodloe Tyler Montgomery Michael Meyer Chistopher Reschman Patrick Munoz Christopher Rosalez Alfredo Rodriquez Jason Smith Cherrise Ward Cecilia Terrazas Jessica Terrazas Caleb Crumley Rebecca Kunze Katy Hagler Samantha Perez Simon Smith Monique Pierce **Fifth Grade**

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