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"If a man had half as much insight, as he has hindsight, he would have twice as much foresight"

Library Bonanza



Mrs. Buela Howard presenting personal library to Mrs. Mary Mitchell, Kinney County librarian.

The Kinney County Library struck paydirt this past week when Mrs. Buelah Howard, who resides in Guthrie, Oklahoma, donated her entire home library, which consisted of some 500 books to them. This collection of books represents a lifetime of dedication to the literary world and the monetary value of them is priceless.

Mrs. Howard is a retired housewife who stated that she and her husband couldn't afford to travel and drive in 1940 so they just sat at home and read a lot. She joined a "Book of the Month" club and this, along with her other collections, started an accumulation of books that grew from year to year.

The path to the Library was found by Mona Miller, wife of rancher, Dub Miller, and daughter of Mrs. Howard, after they purchased a ranch near here. After buying the ranch they located a home on Fort Clark they dearly loved and in a matter of a short time they found themselves the owner of this property as well.

Their newly acquired ranch and home mixed with the friendly people on Fort Clark and Brackettville lured them to this area on a regular basis and this relationship has now bloomed into a real love affair with the community.

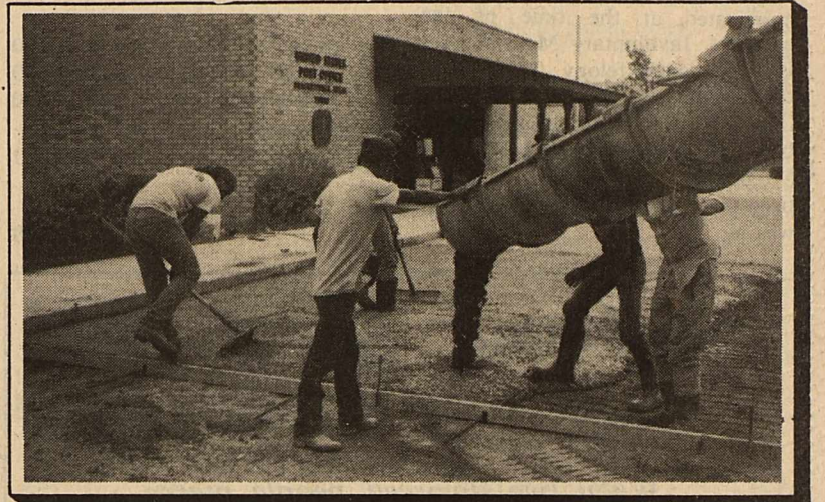
Mrs. Miller, while visiting the library, realized the importance of a facility like this and the impact it can have on a small settlement. She immediately called her mother and asked her if she would be interested in donating her books to Kinney County and it was then the wheels began to roll.

Mona Miller convinces her mother to donate books to Kinney County Library

After a trip of some 500 miles, Mona arrived at the home of Mrs. Howard and after a brief stay, the books, along with the donor, were loaded into the suburban and the trip to Brackettville was under way.

Last Friday afternoon the presentation of the book collection was made to the library with librarian, Mary Mitchell, on hand to receive the gift. The books include several volumes of American history, a 1934 edition of the World Encyclopedias, and many other interesting stories.

Earlene Thurber, volunteer worker for the library, was impressed with the donation and had many nice things to say about the display of generosity. It was a real coup for the Kinney County Library.



PO Parking Area Receives Facelift

The new Post Office parking lot is now in its final stages and should be open for traffic by the middle of next week. According to government specification the fresh concrete can not be driven on for seven days after pouring. This is to insure the setting up and seasoning of the cement and insure the new lot of having a long life capable of enduring many years of traffic.

Tim Ward, owner of the Post Office building and the property the lot is being built on, was the supervisor on the job. Baker Construction was in charge of the forms and the pouring of the concrete.

Baker and his sons have been in the business for a long time and they brought many years of expertise to the job assuring Ward of a parking lot that would last a lifetime.

The parking lot was a center of controversy for quite some time due to the enormous pot holes that had been created from traffic and erosion. Post Office customers had complained about the wear and tear on their cars and pickups while others had experienced falls from the terrible condition of the lot.

Things look a lot brighter now that the grand opening is just around the corner.

Seat Belt Saves Life

BRACKETTVILLE, TX

A west bound Ford Aerostar van rolled over once and landed on its wheels Thursday morning at 8:20 A.M. on highway 90 about ten miles out of Brackettville. According to DPS patrolman, Buddy Burgess, the driver of the van apparently fell asleep while driving and when his vehicle ran off the road he woke up and attempted to pull it back on the highway causing it to skid sideways and flip over. The driver of the overturned vehicle, Mario Alberto Flores, was taken to Val Verde Memorial hospital by Kinney County ambulance where he was treated for cuts and abrasions and released. Patrolmen Burgess reported that Flores was traveling alone at the time of the accident and was wearing his seatbelt, which, in his opinion, saved the driver from more serious injuries.

The United States Border Patrol helicopter landed on the edge of highway after spotting the accident and offered their assistance if needed.

The DPS, the Kinney County Ambulance Service, and the Border Patrol continue to work together making our area a better and safer place to live.



Ford Van after rollover. Seat belt prevented injuries from being more serious.



Mario Flores, driver of the van being loaded in Kinney County ambulance while Border Patrol helicopter stands by.

Storm Warning System On Hold

BRACKETTVILLE, TX

During the July meeting of the Commissioners Court Ms. Dorothy Haga, Chairman of the Fort Clark Board of Directors, met with the commissioners and requested a emergency warning system for the Fort. She reminded the commissioners of the disaster that was averted during the recent tornado that struck the Fort as it narrowly missed a park full of travel trailers and mobile homes. The only warning these residents received were verbal warnings given by the security force on the Fort.

County Judge, Tommy Seargeant, presented the figures on a storm warning system and reminded the court of the importance of a siren, stating that it concerned lives and not money. After a lengthy discussion on financing the commissioners voted to install two sirens on sixty foot poles on Fort Clark and one siren on a sixty foot pole in Spofford.

Ms. Haga, when contacted, stated that no progress has been made as of this date on the project that was voted and passed by the Commissioners Court. The Board of Directors, according to Haga, have agreed to deed an easement for the land the pole will be set on and also to assume the responsibility of the maintenance and insurance that is needed to fulfill the commitment. She continued by saying that giving an easement to the county should present no problem since the same procedure had been used with Rio Grande Electric and Central Power and Light Co.

The Haga's have lived on Fort Clark since 1980 and during this time Dorothy can not remember any support or assistance coming from the county. She is quick to mention the 23½ million dollars in tax evaluations that comes from the Fort and goes to Kinney County.

She has been told that County Attorney, Tully Shahan, put a halt to the project and expresses her anger at Bill Bizzell and Joe Garza for neglecting their precincts and allowing this to happen. She said, "When elected, both commissioners promised to work for the voters who put them in office but they have let the citizens of Fort Clark down."

Commissioner Bill Bizzell was contacted and he said, "In my opinion it was voted on to take bids and get on with the construction. I



Dorothy Haga, Chairperson of Fort Clark Board of Directors.

see no reason for it to have been halted. Since the County Attorney called a halt to the project I suggest a meeting with him to find out the particulars on the delay." He continued by reminding the people of Fort Clark that the county was now working under a new budget and the figures would have to be re-evaluated again. "Fort Clark is my home the same as it is the voters and I have a strong concern for safety and welfare

here as well as Ms. Haga and the other residents," said the commissioner.

Tully Shahan, county attorney, was contacted and he was most cooperative. He explained, in detail, his elected position and it's responsibilities to serve the county and it's officials and guide them from any legal pitfalls that might occur as they endeavor to tackle the projects that confront them. He reiterated that he has never been responsible for stopping any county project. He did say that if there was a legal technicality that had been overlooked his position as county attorney required him to call it to the attention of the county officials.

There were legal steps that had been neglected on the storm warning project and until they are corrected it will remain on hold. The poles cannot be legally installed on private property. The project must be done, according to Shahan, with an Inter Local Governmental Contract which can be attained through M.U.D. It was recommended that the job be re-advertised for bid. "I will never stand by and watch tax dollars be illegally spent."

Shahan went on to say that he was mildly disturbed over the communication gap between the citizens of Kinney County and the officials. He was very adamant when he urged any citizen of Brackettville or Fort Clark Springs to please contact him in regards to projects that were put on hold such as the Tularosa Road crossings and the Storm Warning System and he will be more than glad to explain the status of such items in detail. He also urged interested parties to attend the Commissioners Court meeting that is open to the public on the second Monday of each month.

Dell City Hosts RGEC

On Saturday, September 29, 1990, Rio Grande Electric Cooperative held its 45th Annual Meeting in the far West Texas town of Dell City.

Seventy-six members registered at the meeting and approximately 175 people enjoyed the barbecue lunch. Twenty-eight door prizes, as well as attendance prizes were awarded. Members heard Marty Beard from Alpine read her prize winning article entitled "The Electrification of Rural

West Texas" which was published in the Texas Historian, enjoyed a Safety Program and heard comments by the General Manager, Daniel G. Laws as parts of the program. The yearly reports were also heard.

New Directors elected included: FELIX HARRISON, who ranches in the Langtry/Pandale area, Graham Childress who ranches in Terrell County and HOLLYS ALEXANDER who ranches in the Sanderson

area, along with J.H. WILLIAMS, III who was re-elected to serve another three-year term. At the conclusion of the Annual Meeting the Board of Directors met and elected officers consisting of: Williams of Salt Flat, Texas as President, Frederic "Rick" Tate of Marfa as Vice-President, Gladys Hall of Brackettville was re-elected as Secretary and Margaret Johnson of Del Rio was re-elected as Treasurer.

Sheriff's Corner

By Sheriff Norman H. Hooten



The 63rd Judicial District Court convened in Kinney County on Monday, October 1, 1990, with District Judge George Thurmond presiding. A new Grand Jury was selected and heard evidence in several criminal cases, handing down three (3) indictments. Two illegal aliens from Mexico were indicted on 1st degree felony charges of Burglary of a Habitation resulting from the break in at the Gordon Lackey ranch home on July 3, 1990. The two were arrested the following day and have been in the county jail since that time. They are identified as Francisco Dominguez-Rodriguez, 21, and Faustino Lopez-Garcia, 19, both Mexican nationals. Their trials will be scheduled for later this year.

Keith Richard Gose of Brackettville was indicted on charges of Involuntary Manslaughter resulting from a traffic accident that occurred in west Kinney County on Highway 90 on June 16, 1990, in which a passenger in the vehicle driven by Gose was killed in a one-car rollover. It was determined that Gose was intoxicated at the time of the accident. Involuntary Manslaughter is a 3rd degree felony. The trial in this case is also scheduled for later this year. A warrant of arrest has been issued for Gose with bond set at \$15,000.00. The warrant had not been served at the time of this writing.

A Petit Jury Panel was also called in and jury selection begun Monday afternoon for a civil case involving complicated damage claims by some residents of Ft. Clark Springs due to flood damage a couple of years ago. At the time of this writing the jury selection is still in process with the trial scheduled to begin as soon as a jury is selected.

The new county fiscal year for 1990-91 also began on Monday, October 1st, and as we closed out the old fiscal year 1989-90 I am well pleased with total income generated through the Sheriff's Department and County Jail operation via prisoner care fees. For your information I have itemized that income as shown below. The expense related to the operation of the Sheriff's Department and County Jail for the same period of time is not yet available but I will pass it on to you as soon as I have it.

PRISONER CARE INCOME:
FISCAL YEAR '89-'90

Bureau of Prisons	\$198,930.00
U.S. Border Patrol	\$870.00
U.S. Marshal's Service	\$25,530.00
Zavala County Detention Center	\$320.00
TOTAL	\$225,650.00

Total prisoner care fees generated through the county jail operation for the past five (5) fiscal years (including the one just past) is \$885,785.00. This much needed income goes a long way towards supporting the county wide law enforcement operation including the jail, but also provides a cash flow base that greatly assists other important county government operations and services.

With out the federal prisoner care program at the county jail the full burden of operational costs of the Sheriff's Department and County Jail would rest on the shoulders of the taxpayer and would greatly decrease the ability of the county to have the funds to provide many other services of the vital importance to Kinney County residents.

THAT'S ALL!

Unsung Hero

by Joe Townsend



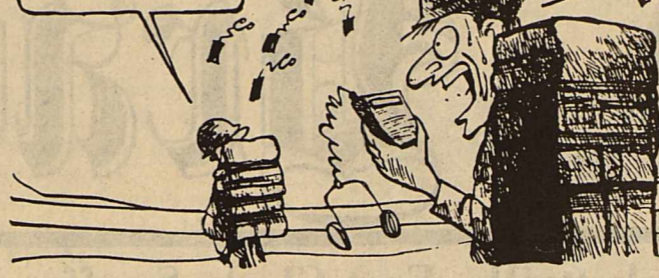
There is a lady here who has spent most of her life here. She is of a long time ranch family and has continued in the tradition. Though hidden many times in the shadow of her husband's activities she is truly a supportive wife and joins him in many of his activities bolstering his efforts. She is the mother of three fine children who now have their own families. She is truly a doting grandmother. She gives generously to many needy causes. She is hard working, caring and warm hearted. Surely Virginia (Mrs. Happy) Shahan is an "Unsung Hero."

Health Fair

The Texas Department of Health, Public Health Region 6, Zoonosis Control Division, will participate in the Kinney County Health Fair on 27 October 1990, 11 to 4 P.M. Information will be provided on several diseases that are transmissible from animals to man, that occur within the region. Some of the better known diseases are Rabies and Lyme disease. Information on other often misunderstood zoonotic diseases will also be available. Information will also be available on foodborne illnesses. Since the holiday season is fast approaching, prevention of foodborne illness (red meat and poultry) should be of interest to anyone that cooks or eats.

Lion B. Peter Pohl of the Brackettville Lions Club stated that approximately 30 health services and centers are registered to participate at the Health Fair.

THIS MUST BE THAT SUPPORT FOR OPERATION DESERT SHIELD THAT JAPAN PROMISED US!



WALKMANS?!!

MIKE SMITH

Between Us

By Joe Townsend



There is a man this side of Del Rio who is a fine gardener. He grows a large variety of high quality vegetables. He parks his pick-up with camper just off the apron of the highway with his vegetables in the back and well displayed. He has scales because he sells most things by weight. He has a small container with lid and depends on customers to pay for whatever they get at the priced marked. He is not even there.

I stop occasionally because his vegetables are far superior to those bought in super-markets. Today I stopped to buy some tomatoes. There was a lady selecting vegetables. I stood patiently until she finished. She

bought eggplant (2 or 3 at 50 cents per lb.) tomatoes at 50 cents per lb. and several pounds of a variety of peppers. The total was easily eight to ten dollars worth of vegetables. I picked out my tomatoes, four pounds at fifty cents a pound. I took the lid off the money container to put my two dollars in and was amazed to see one dollar and forty seven cents.

The lady was driving a relatively new club pick-up and was nicely dressed. It was quite evident the lady is a thief. She knew the owner was not there and it either did not occur to her I would notice or she didn't care. I'm assuming she didn't care. Undoubtedly she had practiced her deceit before. The fault is a flaw of character. There is no such thing as

being a "little honest". One is either honest or dishonest.

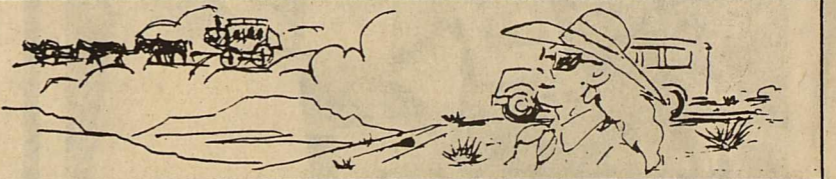
A thief is a thief is a thief is a thief. The lady took some vegetables at a small monetary price. The gardener didn't know. I didn't know the woman. No one knows, except the woman and God.

She doesn't care about God knowing but she won't live long enough to erase from her conscience what she did. This also could encourage her to steal something more valuable and be caught. What a dangerous path she has chosen all for the sake of a few dollars.

How ridiculous for one to sell herself and display a bad character for such insignificant gain as a few vegetables that she wanted more than needed. How thoughtless a thief.

Days Past

by Dorothy Payne



October birthdays of famous people are; Theodore Roosevelt, Jimmy Carter, Jenny Lind, Anna Eleanor Roosevelt, Jonas Salk, Richard III, Gandhi, Dwight D. Eisenhower, William Penn, Margaret Thatcher, Molly Pitcher, John Adams, Walteau, G.W. Westinghouse, John Keats and Noah Webster.

In northern Europe, October was once known as "Wynmoneth" or "Wine Month", the German celebration known as "Oktoberfest" has been imported to America and is

today celebrated all over the country. On October 12, 1492, Columbus first set foot on the new world, an island of the Bahamas that he named San Salvador. He though he had arrived at some island belonging to the East Indies, or in any case, off the coast of Asia.

On October 26, 1760, George III came to the English throne.

On October 9, 1776, Franciscan missionaries led by Juan de Anza founded the mission of San Francisco de Asia (the present-day San Francisco) at the fort on this site.

On October 29, 1796, Captain Ebenezer Dorr sailed the "Otter" along the California coast and into Monterey Bay, the first American ship to explore this coast.

In October, 1792, the cornerstone for the White House was laid.

October, 1818, Richard Rush and Albert Gallatin sign the Convention of 1818 between the U.S.A. and Britain. The boundary between the U.S.A. and British North America is set at the forty-ninth parallel. The Oregon country is to be open to people of both nations for ten years.

Big Mama Sez!



When two divorced people marry, four get into bed.

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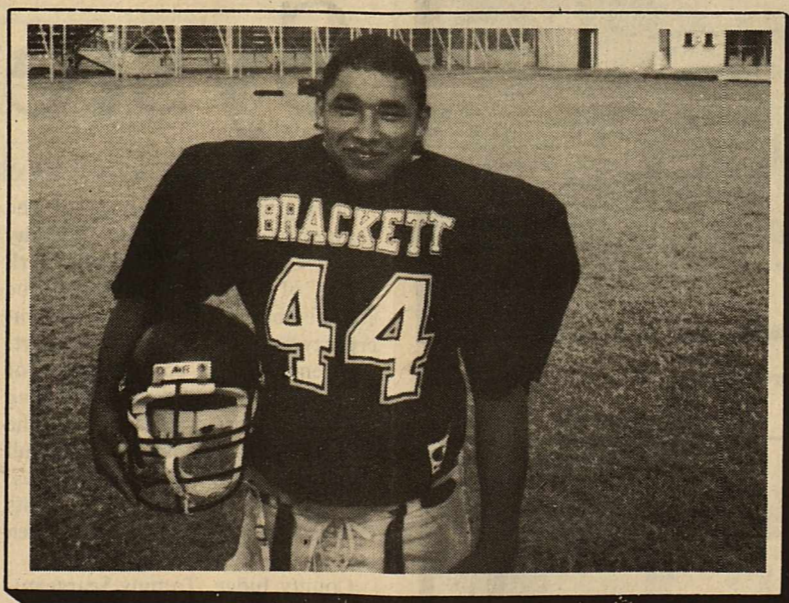
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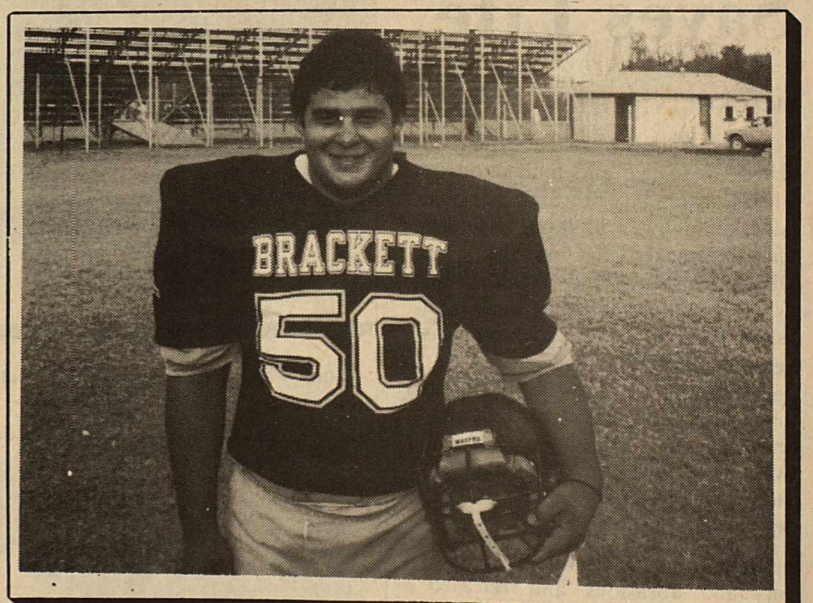
Players of the Week



Mike Flores (above) is honored as Offensive Player of the Week.

Two weeks ago, Mike Flores was honored as the defensive player of the week, and this week, adding to his versatility, he has been chosen Offensive Player of the Week. Playing defense he is a rugged player who enjoys punishing the opposition with his bruising brand of tackling and as a defensive player he used the same power and aggressiveness to

make tacklers pay for hitting him. Michael is a 180 pound junior running back who maintains a B average. Now that Mike has got a taste of winning he says that he is going to keep things that way. Mike gained 44 yards in 9 carries for an average of 5 yards per carry to lead the other runners.



Defensive end, George Garcia (above) was the coach's choice for Defensive Player of the Week.

Defensive end, George Garcia, 248 pound senior was the coach's choice for Defensive Player of the Week after leading his team to victory against the Rocksprings Angoras with an outstanding defensive effort that included 8 game saving tackles. He also kicked the PAT after the only touchdown scored. George is

the son of Ramon and Cecilia Hernandez and he is an average C student. This is his fourth year of football and he seems to improve with every game. George has no present plans to attend college but he did indicate that he might change his mind.

VOTE 1990

The November General Election is just around the corner... Kinney County Tax Assessor-Collector Martha Pena-Smallwood said voters have until 5:00 p.m. on October 5 to register to vote in person. If the registration application card is mailed, it must be postmarked no later than October 9. Monday, October 8 is a state holiday.

"If you move within the county, you must transfer your registration

to your new address within 90 days after you move. You may vote a full ballot at your previous precinct for 90 days after you move until your transferred registration becomes effective, whichever comes first, if any office or proposition is common to the ballots of your old and new precincts. We ask that you come in and advise us of any change of name, residence or mailing address, before the deadline, so that our registration

records can be as accurate as possible and also to avoid any problems on election day."

To register to vote a person must be 18 years old or older, a citizen of the United States, not been convicted of a felony, not judged mentally incompetent by a court of law, and must be a resident of Kinney County. For additional information contact the Voter Registrar at 563-2688.

NOTICE BONFIRE THURSDAY

Thursday-Dark--October 4
Homecoming Parade - October 5
2:30 p.m.
Pep Rally at 5 points following parade.

Golf News

By Les Roper



Extra... Extra... read all about it... the decorous and dexterous Doc Cruse made a major contribution to a history making event at Laughlin Air Force Base this past week while playing golf with Jim Bussey, Gordon Lundquist, and E.W. Williamson. He and his team were playing a group led by Roy Dyer, along with Andy Anderson, Bob Young, and Hubie McKelvy. Doc knew their honor was at stake when he whispered secret words of encouragement into the ears of his team-mates as they stepped up on the number one tee box and prepared for the contest ahead.

The two teams were playing a 'nip n' tuck' game of golf when they arrived on the number twelve tee box. Old Doc hit first and with his picture perfect swing he placed the ball close to the hole. Bussey hit second and he, too, was on the green. E.W. put his tee shot on the green within birdie distance. Doc's team was feeling mighty confident about then, not having the faintest idea that the heroics were still in front of his boys. Gordie teed his ball up, took careful aim, and once bounced the little white 'sucker' into the hole for a 'Hole in One'. Doc could be heard 'a-hollering and a-yelling' plumb down to the Wal-Mart parking lot.

After the back slapping and hand shaking finally died down the foursome drove over to the number twelve green where the game continued. Dock walked up to his ball and one putt for a birdie, Bussey

walked up and two putted for a par, and E.W. three putted for a four. Their score was a one, two, three and a four... registering their names in the Laughlin Air Force record book.

The cheerful old brain surgeon, when asked, said, "From then on it was a massacre. Custer had an easier time at Little Big Horn than Dyer and his bunch had with us."

Gordon Lundquist has the proud distinction of scoring 6 hole in ones but he readily admits the thrill of the sixth one was just as great as the first one. He scored two aces in the same day on the same hole at Marysville, California in 1955. He has had two aces at Fort Clark Springs, one ace at the nine hole course on Fort Clark, and now his most recent at Laughlin Air Force Base. Makes a feller who has been playing golf for 35 years and never scored an ace ask, "Why not me, LORD. Don't YOU like me?"

An old Fort Clark golfer went to see his doctor. The doctor said, "Any problems?" The golfer said, "I'm getting a little deaf." "Have you been doing some drinking?" the doctor asked. The golfer said, "Yeah, I have a little shot every now and then... for medicinal purposes." The doctor said, "You have to lay off that stuff or you might lose more of your hearing." The old golfer said, "I'll tell you, Doc, I like what I've been drinking a lot better than what I've been hearing."

The men congregated at the club house Wednesday morning and

divided into teams of four each for a game of golf using the Stableford System for their scoring. The golf course being in perfect condition contributed heavily to the good scores that were recorded and the smiles of satisfaction on the faces of the golfers complimented the work that has been done in the recent weeks by Bill Bizzell.

The winning team was led by Colonel Ralph Viestenz along with Bobby Derrickson, Jack Wood, and Jack Taunt. Ralph has that very special touch of magic that reflects to his team and inspires them to play their highest level of golf. They recorded a plus 16. Closing with a rush of posting a plus 15 was the docile Doc Cruse, the scintillating Sammy Henninger, the judicious Jay Hutton, and the fantastic Fred England as they claimed the red ribbon for a second place finish. A third place tie was recorded by Gordon Lundquist, Andy Anderson, Ray Kurtz, and Julian Garza; and Bob Young, Hubie McKelvy, Herb Voracek, and H.C. Barker with a plus 12.

The Anderson family (Avis and Andy) hosted the Couple's Scramble on Thursday and they had a good turnout. First place was won by Dan Isenberg, Marti Isenberg, Tom Beatty, and Betty Dennis; second place was won by Jim Bussey, Mary Lee Trollinger, Andy Anderson, and Avis Anderson; and third place by Charlie Smith, Sondra Meil, Ray Kurtz, and Cubie Kurtz.

The nine hole course was working alive with "old toots" this past Monday morning standing in line to sign up for another anticipated great game of golf. It is really interesting to visit this weekly tournament. You never hear any complaints, gripes, suggestions, or negative comments in regards to the game that is getting ready to be played. What a great bunch!!!

Fresh from the mountains of New Mexico and back into his winning ways again was the leader of the number one team, Dick Hirsch. Rounding out Hirsch's team were Lou Sofaly, John Osborn, and Roger Berset.

The "magnanimous" matrons of golf covered the course Tuesday morning for a "guess your score" game of golf. The ladies had to write the score they were going to shoot for the day prior to teeing off. Sounds like fun. Some of the men were miffed because they didn't think of it first.

Three ladies hit their scores dead in the head with two of them tying for first place. Opal Moore guessed her score to be 114 and hit it dead center while Mary Lee Trollinger felt lucky and called her score of 95 correctly. Third place was won by Odette Mills.

WORDS OF WISDOM: The most striking contradictions of our civilization is the fundamental reverence for truth which we profess and the thoroughgoing disregard for it which we practice... It is not truth that makes man great, but man who makes truth great.

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Fishing Report

AMISTAD--Water clear, 80 degrees, 5 feet low; black bass are fair to 7 pounds on spinners mostly; striper are beginning to surface around San Pedro Canyon in 20 feet of water; white bass are good around the dam on minnows and white slabs; crappie are slow; catfish are good at Zorro or Tule Canyons in 50-60 feet of water.

BRAUNIG--Water murky, 90 degrees, normal level; black bass are slow; striper are fair in number to 6 pounds on shad; crappie are slow; catfish are excellent to 7 pound average on shrimp; redfish are excellent to 16 pounds on crawfish in boats and from the bank; corvina are slow.

CALAVERAS--Water murky, 80 degrees, 6 inches low; black bass are slow; striper are improving to 4 pound average on tilapia and Rat-L-Traps; crappie are slow; catfish are good to 3 pounds for channel catfish, blue catfish are good to 3 pounds on tilapia; yellow catfish are slow to 15 pounds on shad; redfish are good to 13 pounds; corvina are fair to 9 pound average on perch and shad.

CHOCO--Water clear, 82 degrees, 11 1/2 feet low; black bass are fair and improving to 9 pounds with topwater best, some on spinners and plastic worms; striper are slow; crappie are slow, some caught in 15 to 20 feet of water on minnows; white bass are slow; catfish are good in 15 to 20 feet of water around Mason Point and south shore flats.

COLETO CREEK--Water clear, 85 degrees, 6 inches low; black bass are fairly slow with no keeper fish on purple worms; striper are slow; crappie are fair to 20 fish per boat on minnows; white bass are slow; catfish

are fair in the 12-14 inch-range on bloodbait in baited holes.

CORPUS CHRISTI--Water clear, 81 degrees, 1 1/2 feet low; black bass are fair to 3 1/2 pounds on chartreuse willow leaf spinners early and purple 6 inch curl tailed worms later; striper are fair to 8 pounds at Hog Island on 3/4 ounce white Bananahead jigs; crappie are good on minnows; white bass are good with limits under birds from mid lake to Fiesta Marina on one-ounce white Roadrunners and silver spoons; blue catfish are good to 22 pounds on trotlines set in 3

3-5 feet of water on cut shad; channel and blue catfish are good off KOA point on rod and reel baited with prepared cheese bait; yellow catfish are fair to 11 pounds on live sunfish.

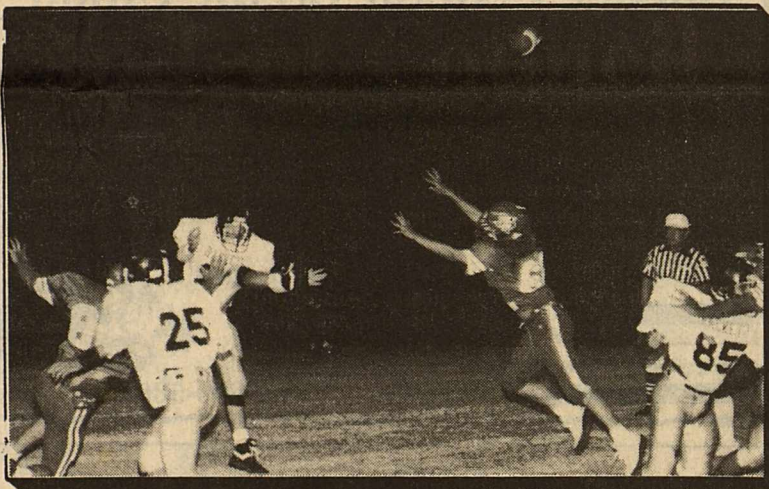
FALCON--Water clear on lower end, muddy on the upper end, 83 degrees, 21 feet low; black bass are fairly good in the smaller sizes, larger bass are fairly slow, best baits are worms and cranks; striper are fairly good trolling hellbenders with jigs near the dam; crappie are slow; white bass are fairly good on Knocker Spoons; catfish are fairly good to 6 pounds in the river on shrimp and shad.

MEDINA--Water clear, 36 feet low; all fish are slow except catfish which are fair in number to 4 pounds on minnows.

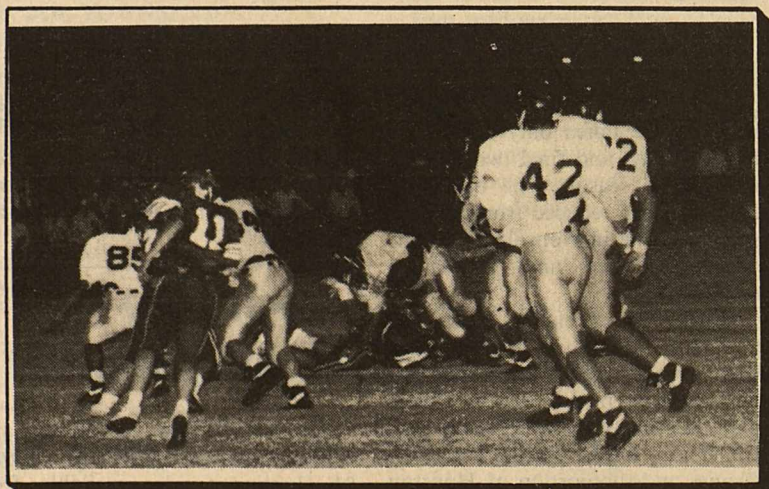
TEXANA--Water clear in main lake, 79 degrees, normal level; black bass are fair in number to 3 pounds on chrome Rat-L-Traps and white spinners; crappie are slow, a few caught but no limits on minnows; catfish are slow.



Tigers Hang Tough



Buddy Brandt punting Tigers out of trouble.



Mike Flores goes for good gain through Angoras defense.

The Tigers of Brackett High traveled the crooked sixty miles to Rocksprings and encountered a stubborn and tenacious group of Angoras who were dead set on celebrating their home coming with a win. However, it was not to be as the Tigers, showing a lot of character and class, rose to the occasion and drove 80 yards on 15 plays with Steve Clementz punching in for the final 5 yards and the touchdown. George Garcia contributed the PAT and the Tigers led 7-0 with 2:31 seconds left on the scoreboard clock.

The first quarter got under way with Rocksprings on the receiving end but after three plays and no place to go they punted. The Tigers lost yardage on their first three downs of the game and punted. It was a see-saw battle with neither team generating any kind of offense.

The second quarter followed the same pattern as the first quarter with both teams playing rugged hard-nosed defense. The Angoras did have the edge in punting as their kicking teams continued to drive the Tigers back with long punts, denying them good field position. The Tigers received a break when the Angoras fumbled deep in their own territory but after four downs and no gain the ball went back over to the Angoras. Time ran out in the first half with the score tied at 0-0.

The Tigers received on the first play of the second half and a penalty on the kickoff against the Angoras

gave Brackett their first good field position. After again failing to move the ball the Tigers punted. Rocksprings took over and failed to move the ball and on fourth down and long yardage the kick was blocked setting the Tigers up with another good shot at hitting paydirt. Again they failed to move the ball on their first three attempts and the field goal attempt was also wide of the mark denying them points on the scoreboard.

As the fourth quarter was getting ready to get under way, Coach Kolb called his boys over and whispered his own touch of magic in their ears. It must have worked because the Tigers came out roaring and clawing like a team on a "search and destroy" mission.

With 5:22 seconds remaining on the scoreboard clock the Tigers sharpened their claws and went to work. The offensive line led by Peter Perez, Scott Sims, Angel Jaso, Mark Dimery, and Rogelio Hernandez opened gapping holes in the defense allowing their quarterback, Clay Hunt, the opportunity to move his team at will. The Tigers scored the only touchdown of the game and time ran out with the score 7-0 for the Brackett team.

The Brackett Tigers left no doubt about their ability to hang tough. If Coach Kolb's boys continue to perform as well as they did in the fourth quarter of the Rocksprings game they will definitely be a team to be reckoned with in district play.

Homecoming

The festivities will begin on Thursday, October 4, with a junior high pep rally at the high school gym at 2:00 p.m. There will be a bonfire at the high school track field at dark with pep rally to follow.

On Friday, October 5, school will be dismissed at 2:30 p.m. The Homecoming parade will begin at 3:00 p.m. with a pep rally following

at five points. There will be a football game at Tiger Stadium beginning at 8:00 p.m. with Ingram High School. Homecoming activities will be at half-time.

The homecoming dance will be held in the old gym following the game and is sponsored by the Tiger Athletic Booster Club.

News From Jones Elementary

Thursday, October 4, 1990, marks the twenty-eighth day of school. We must all say thank-you to the Board of Trustees for the decision to air-condition our schools. We have been able to have school all day, every day, and the heat has not been a negative factor.

Many teachers have now conducted volunteer survey meetings with their students' parents, and many hours of volunteer work have already been served. We would like to say that we appreciated the efforts of all positive volunteer actions by parents.

Jones Elementary school has four new teachers this year. Miss Lynette Crane, teaching elementary music and high school band; Coach David Burton, implementing a new elementary physical education program; Mrs. Judy Blankenship, teaching Chapter 1 reading; and Mrs. Mary Biedermann, teaching first grade.

These teachers have been welcomed and are excellent additions to an already fantastic group of professionals.

Monday, October 1, 1990, marked the beginning of 1991 elementary UIL activities. Teachers signed up students interested in specific UIL events and will begin the coaching process in each of the elementary UIL events very soon. Twenty to forty signed up for the events -- this shows a great beginning for a new year of UIL activities. This year the elementary UIL contest will be held in Dilley on Saturday, March 23, 1991.

Students and teachers are showing great enthusiasm, and the year has begun well. We all look forward to a great year. Remember, there are only two kinds of schools -- (1) those getting better, and (2) those getting worse. We are getting better, and that is our constant goal; TO ALWAYS IMPROVE.

Student Council

Brackett ISD Student Council is looking forward to an exciting year this year. Officers for 1990-91 include Clay Hunt, president; Vivian Luna, vice-president; and J.J. Guidry, secretary. The purpose of the Student Council is to develop attitudes of good citizenship, promote harmonious relations throughout the entire school, provide a forum of student expressions, and provide an orderly direction of school activities. All class and organization officers become mem-

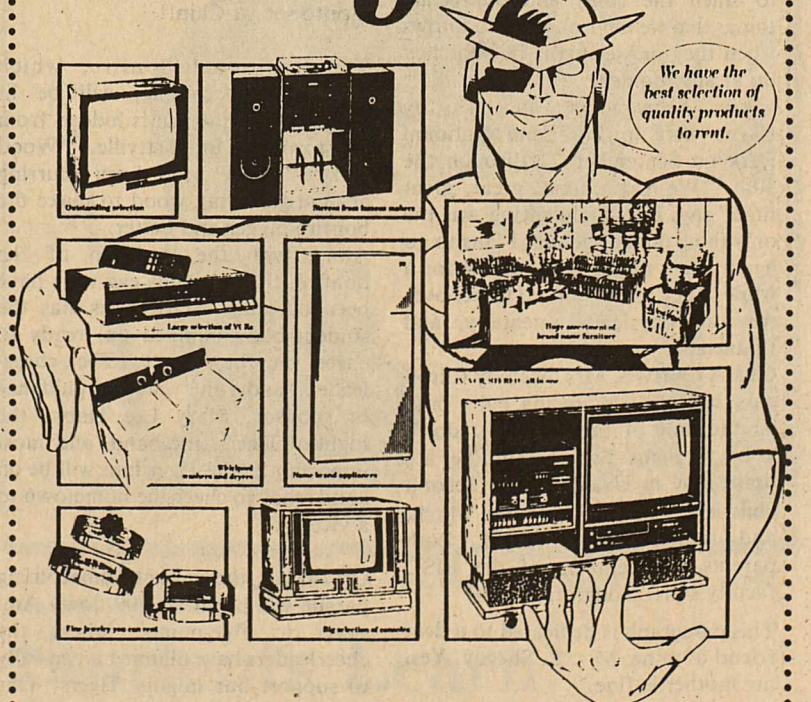
bers of Student Council upon election. October is an active month for Student Council members as they plan for Homecoming activities October 5th and the Texas war on drugs red ribbon campaign during the last week of October. A school/community pep rally is being organized by the Student Council to encourage fellow students to say no to drug use. Student Council members also operate the volleyball concessions at the home games during September and October.

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Grandma's Kitchen

By Grandma



Can you believe it's October already, and birthday time in our family again. Happy birthday everybody, have a happy one. I love you.

I was reading about the Bermuda Triangle, or the Devil's Triangle, as it is more colorfully called. It's that place down there between Florida and the Bahamas and Cuba where ships and airplanes just disappear. The exact longitudes and latitudes are unimportant—I realize the Devil's Triangle is all around us. For instance, what happened to the keys that I put in their place? Some one will say, "Well, they don't just walk away." To which I can say, "No, but a golden chariot of the gods may have come down and swooped them away in a time warp." Then the same someone will say, "Here are your keys in your coat pocket where you left them." There's no point in arguing. Only we skilled investigators of inexplicable phenomena will realize that the keys were transferred from the hook to my jacket pocket, because the magnetic line of force cross just over my house.

Nothing as dramatic as the loss of a plane or ship happens around our house, but there are strange disap-

pearances: gloves, golf clubs, hats, cookies, books, and even bits of change left in a certain place. I've been talking about this with others who believe they have Devil's Triangle surrounding their house as well.

One friend is convinced her Triangle travels around with her. "When I hit the drive on the golf course," she said "the sky turns a peculiar color, and that ball is never seen again." I don't know the answer to any of these mysteries, although, I find it reasonable to believe in visitors from Outer Space and black holes in the galaxy. Just thought it ought to be pointed out that you don't have to go down to Bermuda to find strange disappearances.

Since nobody out there will let me know what kind of recipes you like, or what to talk about, guess I'll stick with what I myself like. My favorite way of cooking is casseroles, its quick, easy and not as messy.

Orange Spiced Pork Chops
6 pork chops 1-2 in. thick
½ cup light brown sugar
½ cup water
3TBS frozen concentrated orange juice
1 tea dry mustard
¼ tea ground ginger

1 orange, sliced
Preheat your oven to 375°.....
Place pork chops in large shallow baking dish. To make sauce combine sugar, water, orange juice concentrate, mustard and ginger. Pour over pork chops. Bake 20 minutes, turn chops and baste with sauce. Bake 25 minutes. Top with orange slices, brush with sauce and bake 15 minutes longer, or until chops are tender. To serve, place chops on warmed platter, spoon over sauce, garnish with orange slices.

Country Cooking Casserole
1-12 oz. can hot hormel sausage patties
1-15 oz. can chili beans in chili sauce
1-15 oz. can blackeyed peas
2 TBS onion flakes-dehydrated
1-17 oz. can green lima beans
1 tea celery seed
1-15 oz. can golden (or white) hominy (optional or substitute another choice of beans if desired.)
½ cup brown sugar
½ cup barbecue sauce
½ cup all purpose flour

In large pan, over medium heat, thicken beans, peas and juices with flour. Add onion, celery seed, sugar and barbecue sauce. Pour into large casserole or baking dish. Lay patties on top. Bake in moderate oven (350°)

30-35 minutes, or until hot and bubbly, serves 6.

Crisp Molasses Cookie
½ cup plus 2 TBS margarine
1 cup sugar
½ cup molasses
2 eggs
½ tea vanilla
1¾ cup all-purpose flour
2 cups chopped pecans
¼ tea baking soda
¼ tea salt
¼ tea mace

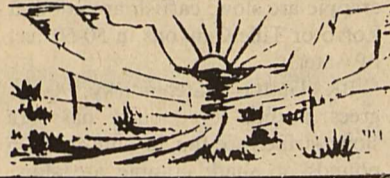
Combine margarine, sugar and molasses in a large bowl, mix well, add eggs and vanilla, beating well. Sift together flour, soda, salt and mace in med bowl, add to liquid mixture, ½ cup at a time mixing well after each addition. Stir in pecans. Drop by heaping teaspoonfuls, 2 in apart onto greased cookie sheets. Bake at 350° for 8 minutes. Yield about 5 dozen.

My thought this week is: The Lord gave us two ends—one to sit on and the other to think with. Success depends on which one we use the most.

Have a nice week:
Hugs and Special Love
Grandma

Beyond The Horizon

By Dorothy Payne



Francisco Vasquez de Coronado went out lusting for gold and discovered merely a new world.

Coronado came to Mexico with its first viceroy in 1535. He had been born in Salamanca in 1510. He was always industrious and married nobility, and became governor of Nueva Galicia in 1538. Then Fray Marcos came from Zuni bearing tales of cities made of gold. The Viceroy sent Coronado to lead an expedition to find and conquer these cities.

In early 1540 Coronado set out with two hundred mounted men, a company of foot soldiers, and some one thousand Indian allies, and with them went a gigantic pack train. Although failing to find gold this expedition was to prove to be one of the most productive exploring parties of all time.

The column moved along the Sierra Madre to the Rio Sonora, then

north to the upper Gila and present -day Arizona. There the first of the "golden cities" was found to be only the adobe pueblos of the Zuni Indians. From there Coronado sent Garcia Lopez de Cardenas northwest in search of riches. Cardenas found the Hopi Indians and the Grande Canyon, which he was the first white man to ever behold. Meanwhile Coronado went on the the Rio Grande finding the Pueblo Indians.

Coronado spent the winter of 1541 with the Pueblos then went east to investigate the Indian tales of the golden land of Gran Quiera. He then traveled his men across parts of present-day Texas, Oklahoma, and Kansas but became disgusted and turned back. By 1542 he was back in Mexico to report his "failure" to the viceroy. After returning to political affairs for awhile Coronado died in Mexico City in 1554.

Grapevine

by Gus Garcia



First and foremost, my good friend, Sandi Green was in a car accident in Uvalde on September 27. Head and neck injuries and bruises were sustained, but she is doing fine, after a couple of days in bed. Sandi, as you recall was a BHS twirler, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Green. She is fine, but sore. Hope you get well kwick, Sandi. Fred.

Makes me realize how quickly things can happen. Which makes me thankful, very thankful for all I have. TGFMS- thank goodness for my stuff. I hope that we all take time to smell the roses and appreciate things that we have now. Who knows when they or we might be snatched up at any moment.

Lily Schwandner and Dorothy Payne were in Big Bend National Park on September 27 through the 30th. "We had a great, great, great time" says Lily. Sight seeing was the only thing on the agenda. Plans to go again are in the works, but not for a while. They say they need to get over this one physically, mentally, and financially.

GREAT NEWS, Mrs. Melody Carroll gave birth to a bouncing baby boy. At the time of this writing i don't know the name. Baby and mother are doing fine in Uvalde. Their second child is welcomed by brother, Mitch, and father, David Carroll. Both parents are members of the BSD faculty staff. Congratulations!

This paragraph is dedicated to a dear friend of mine, Mrs. E. Sheedy. Yes, my mother is fine.

The second grade class of Ms. Mary Biedermann, with the help of aide, Mrs. Sylvia Garcia, and friends, tied yellow ribbons around the tree in back of the Elementary building. Showing their support of men and

women in uniform at Saudi Arabia.

Isn't it great to see that Germany is now reunified? As the great actor "Divine" said, "These are the times, and they are a changin', there's something blowing in the wind. Fetch me my diet pills, will ya hon?" --from the movie "Hairspray"

Chip Haby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Blackie Haby has been back for a while. Chip has been in Alaska doing many adventurous things as he can do. The proud Mrs. Haby has been glowing ever since he's been back... nice to see ya Chip!!

The traditional bonfire, which signifies homecoming, will be lit tonight when the sun is hidden from the town of Brackettville. "Wood pickers" have been busy scouring around gathering wood to make the bonfire bigger and better.

Along with the tradition of the bonfire, the infamous egg wars have been occurring. Spirit week has the student body pumped up, ready to cheer on the Tigers. The cheerleaders, under the watchful guidance of sponsor, Mary Lee Haby, the Fightin' Tigers, the band, and most importantly, the Tiger fans will be on hand ready to cheer the hometown to a victory.

On Friday, the annual homecoming parade will begin at 3:00 down Ann street to five-points, where the cheerleaders have planned a pep rally to support our mighty Tigers. This reporter plans to be there, and plans to see you there supporting the Tigers.

Well, folks, it is time to sign off, until we meet again, America!

Library Notes



Gosh, we are just thrilled beyond words at the response we've been getting from all you generous people in Kinney County. We have received donations of hard bound books from; Irene Blair, Sandy Herman, Francis Larson and Maxine Schoolfield who donated books for the Ladies Auxiliary of VFW Post # 8360. These are new books in excellent condition which do much to update the reading choices available to our patrons. Again, we thank you for your generosity. Also, we have had excellent response from volunteers who are helping us on the big job of our shelf inventory. This past week, Peggy Peck, Cubie Kurtz, Marge Bachelor, Dolores Wilson and Alice Seargeant have donated many hours of their time to this project.

We want to remind you that we have a gallon jug sitting on the desk here in the library to receive your Super "S" receipts for computers and equipment for our local school system, but it is alright if you just drop them in the book drop. We have shelved many new children's books, parents, and we would be most happy for you to come in with your children and view these books.

Remember, reading is beneficial for all ages. We want to continue to encourage everyone who was not counted in the census to call the following number and get your household counted: 1-800-999-1990. The Library Board and Commissioners Court are working to get the lighting in the library drastically improved. When this is done, even on cold dreary winter days, it will be possible for you to come to the library and browse or read at your convenience and have no problems seeing the material. Should any group wish a program presentation on your library in general or on a specific piece of literature, this can be arranged easily with some advance notice, so remember us when you have program problems with your social or civic group.

Our attendance at the library has dropped slightly with the beginning of school. We wish to invite you to join us at the library should you wish assistance in research of a given subject, the choice of a good entertaining book, making copies, reading the latest copy of your favorite magazine or newspaper or just to visit the coolest, friendliest little library in Kinney County!!
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Changes Made for 90-91 Deer Season

AUSTIN--Texas Parks and Wildlife Department officials want white-tailed deer hunters to be aware that several counties will no longer be either-sex areas and some other counties usually not allowed to hunt does will have "doe days" at the beginning and end of the season.

The whitetail season for most of the state is Nov. 3-Jan. 6, while the South Texas season is Nov. 10-Jan. 13. Archery-only season for white-tails and mule deer is Oct. 1-31. The Panhandle mule deer season is Nov. 17-Dec. 2 and the Trans-Pecos mule deer season is Nov. 24-Dec. 9.

The south zone includes those portions of Kinney, Uvalde and Medina counties south of U.S. 90, plus Atascosa, Live Oak, Bee,

Refugio and Aransas counties and all counties to the south.

"Doe days," a new concept in management of antlerless deer, will be available in all or portions of 14 counties. The system allows the taking of antlerless deer without landowner-issued antlerless deer permits on specified days during the hunting season, said Mike Reagan, Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's assistant deer program leader.

In Gonzales, DeWitt, Wilson, Karnes and portions of Guadalupe, Lavaca and Colorado counties, antlerless deer may be taken only during the first nine days and final nine days of the general season, he said. In Caldwell, Bastrop, Lee, Fayette, Washington, Waller, Austin

and portions of Guadalupe, Lavaca and Colorado counties, antlerless deer may be taken only during the first two days and final two days of the general season. The buck bag limit has been reduced from two per season to one in Gonzales, DeWitt, Wilson, Karnes and Guadalupe counties.

Reagan said all eight counties and a portion of another county have been returned to the landowner-issued antlerless permit system. These are Limestone, Freestone, Anderson, Robertson, Leon, Brazos, Madison, Grimes and the portion of Houston County west of State Highway 19.

"The deer population in those counties has declined over the last six years," Reagan said. "Hunting

pressure is very high in that area, so we decided to cut back on the antlerless harvest a little."

Also, there is a statewide ban on hunting deer with dogs, a practice which had been legal in 10 East Texas counties.

1990-1991 Hunting Guide

All deer hunting regulations are contained in the department's 1990-91 Hunting Guide, available free from TPWD offices and hunting license outlets across the state. For more information on any changes call toll-free 1-800-792-1112.

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Correction

In the September 20 issue of *The Brackett News* a recipe from Grandma's column was mis-printed. Here is the way it should have read:

CHEESY APPLES
6 cups sliced apples - 1 tea cinnamon
½ cup apple cider
½ cup all-purpose flour
¼ cup oat bran - ¼ tea salt
½ cup margarine
¼ cup cheese crackers, crushed
1 cup grated cheddar cheese

Arrange the apple slices in a sprayed baking dish. Sprinkle them with cinnamon and cover with the cider. Combine the flour, oat bran, salt, margarine, cracker crumbs and cheese, and mix until the consistency of coarse crumbs. Sprinkle the mixture over the apples. Bake at 350° for 1 hour or until the apples are tender.

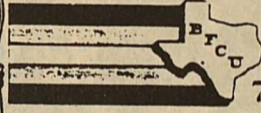
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Historical Events Are Promoted

By LES ROPER
EDITOR

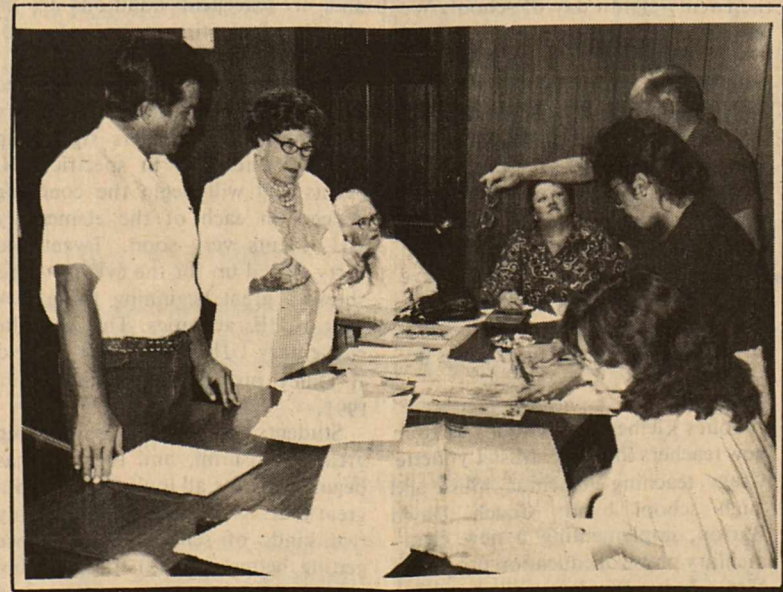
The Historical Society met at the county court house last Thursday night for the purpose of promoting the history and historical events of Brackettville and Kinney County. Tim Ward moderated the meeting and brought back valuable information he had acquired from the Castroville group and shared it with the ones in attendance.

Two of the areas most staunch supporters of the history of this area are long time residents Agnes Vondy and Else Sauer who were present and encouraging others to get out and recruit supporters so officers could be elected and future plans made.

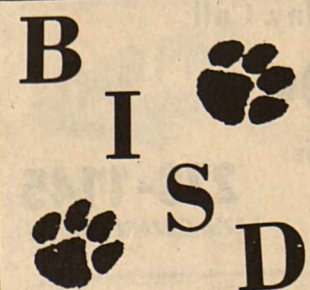
Some other history buffs who were in attendance were Warren Outlaw, Dave Blair, Ralph Gonzales, and

Charlotte Corey along with others. Bringing a talk on the history of the big clock in the dome of the court house that overlooks the city of Brackettville was Dave Blair, an expert in this field who has devoted many years of his life to work and repair on these landmarks. A joint effort is now being made to restore our big clock and once again listen to it strike every hour on the hour. It does not only create a beautiful sound but is should stimulate the nostalgia in the settlers of Brackettville that has been dormant for so long.

The meeting adjourned with the crowd looking over the many old pictures and newspapers that have been collected and preserved through the years by various individuals. Mrs. Vondy has a superb collection and is more than happy to show them and tell about them. All a person has to do is ask.



Historical Society Members look over old newspapers.



NOTICE

TAAS TEST--Grades 3,5,7,9 and 11
October 16--Writing
October 17--Reading
October 18--Math
TEAMS TEST - Grades 11-12
October 17--Language Arts
October 18--Math

ATTENTION

To the People of Kinney County

After a lot of thought and a lot of encouragement, I have decided to run for re-election for Commissioner of Precinct 4 on a Write-In.

I did not put forth enough effort on the primary election and I think I let the county down by not working hard enough to win.

This county has come a long way in the past eight years - four with Commissioner York and the past four with me. When Joe York won his election from McClure, he made a large contribution toward making this county solvent. I have carried this even further. The county is in a good sound condition and needs to stay that way. With the primary election turning out as it did, I simply do not feel that it will continue to be that way unless an experienced business man such as myself is there to see that it stays sound.

Political advertisement - paid for by Bill Bizzell Box 10 Brackettville, TX.

My opponent does not have the background in business and education to handle the job. He also does not have the time, since he has a job that requires his full time. In case some of you were not here when he was a commissioner, ask someone who was, you might be enlightened. I will try to contact each of the voters in precinct 4 on a personal basis. Ask around - compare my record with my opponent's and if you by chance voted the other way you will probably want to change this time

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TO THE VOTERS OF KINNEY COUNTY:

I wish to again express my grateful appreciation to those of you who supported me in the March Primary Election. I need your help again at the November 6, 1990 General Election.

To those of you who did not support me in the Primary Election I respectfully ask for your support at the November 6, 1990 General Election.

If re-elected I pledge to all of you continued fair, impartial and equal justice regardless of race, color, creed or political standing.

My wife and I have resided in Kinney County since 1950 and we have a warm regard for all of the people of Kinney County. I am concerned about the safety of everyone and believe violators of the law should pay the penalty if guilty. I also believe that anyone pleading not guilty is innocent until proven guilty by a preponderance of the evidence.

I believe I am very well qualified to be Justice of the Peace because I have attended 140 hours of State sponsored seminars covering laws and the operation of this office, as well as three years and nine months

of practical experience gained from operating this office during my current term.

I am a firm believer that action and results speak louder than words and I cordially invite anyone to come and check the efficiency and proper operation of my office.

I served 4 1/2 years in World War II and was honorably discharged in 1945.

My civic service here includes: 22 years in Brackettville Volunteer Fire Dept.; 12 years a Volunteer Ambulance Driver; 8 years on Salvation Army Board; 3 years on United Fund Board; 1 year a Cub Scout Leader.

I would like to serve you as your Justice of the Peace for the next four years.

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Thank you, Alvin F. Hall

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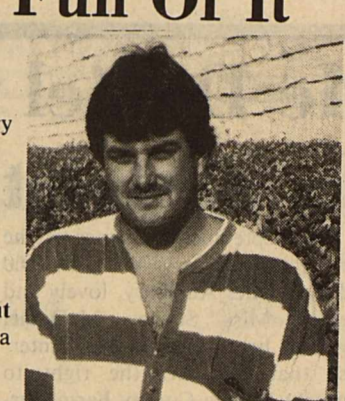
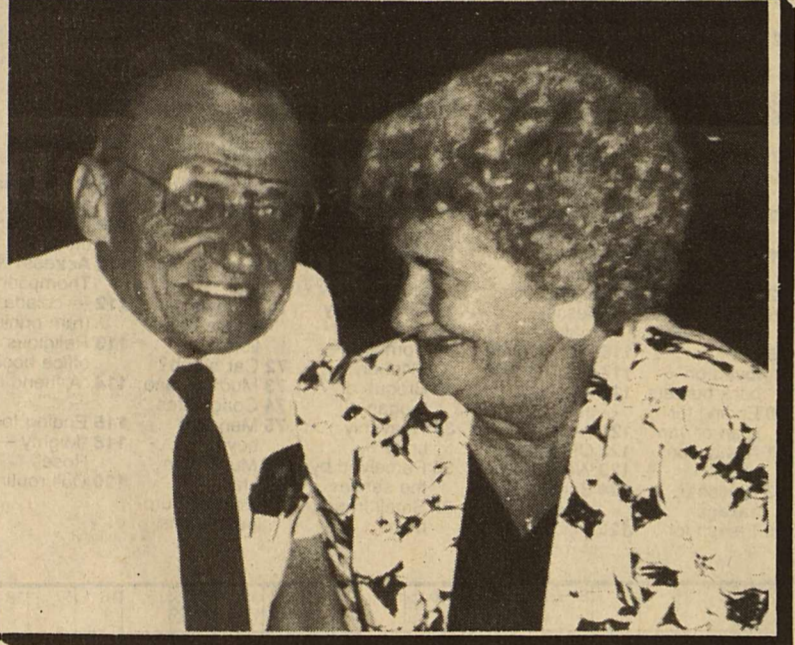
I describe myself as- Calm
I was born in- New York, NY

If I could change anything about Brackettville it would be- Put in a McDonald or a lake.

If I could go anywhere it would be- Europe.

I've secretly always wanted to be- A train engineer.

ANTHONY (Tony Tiger) CASSANO

Minnae Olmstead and Lennie Mahefky exchanged vows October 2, 1990 in Brackettville.

Vows Exchanged

Minnae Olmstead and Lennie Mahefky were married at 11:30 a.m. October 2, in a home wedding at Brackettville, Texas. Justice of the Peace Alvin Hall performed the ceremony. Attendants were Bobbie and Richard Schafer.

The bride recently moved to this city from Warren, Ohio. The groom

is a long time resident of Brackettville. Following the wedding, they had a lovely lunch and a wedding cake at Las Moras Inn at Fort Clark Springs. Guests attending the luncheon along with the bride and groom were Alvin and Gladys Hall and Bobbie and Richard Schafer.

Community Calendar

AA: Mondays 8:00pm at First USMC Slaton Hall, 109 W. James St. 1 blk West of Court House.
AlAnon: Every Monday 8:00pm.

Band Booster Club- 2nd Tuesday of each month, 7:00pm at the Brackett High Band Hall.

Bass Club: Every last Thursday 7:00pm.

Chamber of Commerce: Every 1st Thursday 7:pm.

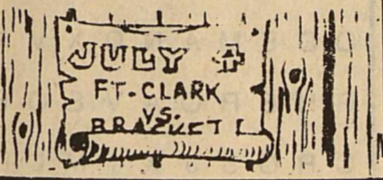
Commissioners Court: Every 2nd Monday 9:00am.

Community Council: 9:00am the 2nd Saturday of each month in the Sabre Room at Fort Clark.

VFW and Ladies Aux. (Ft. Clark): 7:00pm every 4th Wednesday.

Duplicate Bridge: 1:30pm every Sunday and Tuesday.

Kinney County Historical Preservation Society: 7:00pm on every 4th



Thursday of each month at the Kinney County Court House.
Kinney County Kickers: 7:30pm every 2nd and 4th Thursday

Lions Club: 6:30pm every 1st and 3rd Thursday.

Masonic Lodge: 7:00pm every 2nd Tuesday.

Order of the Eastern Star #204: 7:30pm the 1st and 3rd Tuesday at Masonic Hall, 407 Bedell, Del Rio, TX.

Shriners: 6:30pm every 4th Tuesday.

Rotary Club: 12:00pm every 4th Tuesday.

Shriners: 6:30pm every 4th Tuesday.

Drivers License: 9 am to noon, 1 pm to 3 pm on the 1st, 3rd, and last Thursday of the month.

Altar Society of St. Mary Magdalene: Meets 7pm the 1st Mon of each month at the Parish Hall.

Obituary



Guadalupe Alvarado Morgan, age 45 died September 30, 1990 at Methodist Hospital in San Antonio.

She resided at 310 East 2nd in Brackettville, Texas. She was born August 1, 1945 in Brackettville, Texas. She is survived by her husband; Frank Morgan Sr. Son: Frank Morgan Jr., Daughter Anna Morgan. Sisters: Elvira Alvarado, Sylvia Alvarado and Esther Montoya all of Brackettville. Brother: Raul

Alvarado of San Francisco, Calif. Numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins. Rosary was at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday at their home in Brackettville. Funeral mass was Wednesday 10:00 A.M. October 3, 1990 at St. Mary's Magdalene Catholic Church. Rev. Zumaya officiated. Burial followed at Brackettville County Cemetery. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of Humphreys-Doran Funeral Home Inc.

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Answers to SuperCrossword

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SCHOOL MENU

BREAKFAST

Monday
Peanut Butter Toast
Fruit or Juice
Milk

Tuesday
Oatmeal
Cinnamon Toast
Juice and Milk

Wednesday
Cheese Toast
Fruit and Milk

Thursday
Dry Cereal
Cinnamon Toast
Juice and Milk

Friday
Sweet Rolls
Fruit and Milk

LUNCH

Monday
Chicken Fried Stk.
Whipped Potatoes
Gravy - Green Beans
Hot Roll - Milk

Tuesday
Pizza
Seasoned Corn
Fruited Jello
Milk

Wednesday
Hamburger
French Fries
Burger Salad
Spice Bar - Milk

Thursday
Enchiladas
Pinto Beans
Corn Bread
Fruit - Milk

Friday
Chicken Nuggets
Broccoli/Rice
Sweet Potato Pie
Roll - Milk

The Bible Says

By JOE TOWNSEND
FRONTIER BAPTIST

"For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten son, that whosoever believeth in Him shall not perish but have everlasting life." The greatest fact of all time, "God so loved the world." The greatest act of all time, "He gave His only begotten Son." The greatest contract of all

time, "That whosoever believeth in Him shall not perish."

This one verse is the Gospel in a nut shell. If one simply believes (puts faith in) Jesus as the Son of God he has at that instant everlasting life. Anything that is everlasting can never end. How plain and simple the way to find redemption and assurance of an eternity with God. "Whosoever believeth in Him hath everlasting life."

Historical Dedication of Las Moras Building

The Las Moras Masonic Lodge No. 444, A.F. & A.M. extends an invitation to the public to attend the unveiling and dedication of a historical plaque for their 111 year old lodge building. This building has been designated as a Texas Historical site by the Texas Historical Commission. Dedication ceremonies will be held at 10:00 A.M., Saturday, October 13, 1990 in front of the lodge building on Ann Street. This structure was built in 1878-

1879 to serve as the first county owned courthouse in Kinney County, and served the county for 32 years, when the present courthouse was built. In 1911 it was leased to the Las Moras Masonic Lodge and later sold to them on May 15, 1914.

The principal speaker will be the Past Grand Master of Masons of the Grand Masonic Lodge of Texas, the Honorable Graham H. Childress. Other guest speakers are state and local officials.

Memorial Ceremony for Mary Whipkey

A memorial ceremony for Mary Whipkey was held Tuesday, September 25, at St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church in Brackettville, Texas.

Officiating were Deacon Bob Nelson and Tom McNew. Music was furnished by Lynn McNew.

Mary Whipkey moved to Brackettville some time ago from California. She was born June 22, 1923, in Sand Springs, Oklahoma. While living in

Brackettville Mary made many friends who will sorely miss her.

Mary died in Methodist Hospital in San Antonio, Texas on Saturday, September 22, 1990.

Survivors present at the ceremony were; daughters Mrs. Sam Mire; and Jean Smith and husband Rick; son Don Heady and wife Michezo.

Nakai Breen gave a most moving eulogy for Mary, her friend and neighbor.



Pictured above is Nolan Brandt with one of Brackett ISD's 6th grade students and Annie the Dummy.

Students Learn Importance of CPR

By GUS GARCIA
STAFF REPORTER

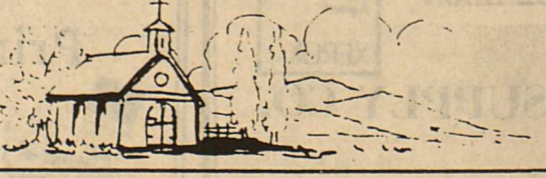
Mrs. Meeks and Mrs. Bonners' sixth grade class met an internationally known lifesaver. The class met Annie. Annie is a real dummy, but learning from her can't make a dummy out of you.

The class had a unit in school on how the heart works. Students had the opportunity to meet Annie through the generosity of

Brackettville EMS members, Kay Smith and Nolan Brandt.

Students learned the importance of knowing that CPR is as important as knowing your ABCs. While Ms. Smith explained different techniques, Mr. Brandt demonstrated. After the demonstration, each student was able to handle Annie and meet her up close and personal. The students were full of intelligent questions and Ms. Smith and Mr. Brandt were full of intelligent answers. Plans to have the ambulance make an appearance at the school are being arranged.

Church Directory



St. Andrews Episcopal Church-- Henderson & Fort, Sunday Church Service 10:30 A.M., Vicar; Rev. Bill Koons - 563-2071

St. John Baptist Church-- West Crockett St., Sunday School 10:00 A.M., Sunday morning worship 11:00 A.M., Wed. prayer & Bible study 7:00 P.M. - Rev. Walter A. Johnson, Pastor 563-9551.

Frontier Baptist Church (A Southern Baptist Church)-- Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 AM, Sunday Evening service 6:00 P.M. Joe Townsend, Pastor 563-2158.

First Baptist Church (A Southern Baptist Church)-- 307 N. Ann Street.

Sunday School 9:45 A.M., Worship service (Sun) 11:00 A.M. and 7:00 P.M., Worship Service (Wed) 7:00 P.M., Rev. Preston A. Taylor 563-2245.

Church of Christ-- Sunday School 9:30 A.M., Worship Service 10:30 A.M., Bible Study (Sun) 6:30 P.M., Bible Study (Wed) 7:00 P.M.

Community Church-- Corner of El Paso and Grove Streets. Sunday, Praise and Worship Service 10:45 a.m., Wednesday, Prayer Service 7:00 p.m., Charles Belknap, Pastor.

St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church-- Masses Mon. & Fri. 7:00 AM, Wed. and Sat. 6:30 PM, Sun. (Spanish) 8:00 AM reg. 10:30 AM. Confessions Wed. and Sat. 6:00 PM. Religion Classes Wed. 6:00 PM. Religion Classes Sun. 9:00 AM. Prayer Meeting (Spanish) Wed. 7:00 PM. Father David G. Zumaya, Pastor.

First United Methodist Church: "Celebrate and Witness" Morning Fellowship 9:30 A.M., Church School Classes 9:45 A.M., Service of Worship 11:00 A.M., Choir Rehearsal Wed. 5:00 P.M. (No choir rehearsal in August).

4-H Club News

By Lindy LaMascus
FOODS AND NUTRITION PROJECT REPORTER

On Monday, October 1, 1990, the 4-H Food and Nutrition Group met. At the meeting officers were as follows:

President- Michelle Brandt
Vice President- Nancy Aguirre
Reporter- Lindy La Mascus
Council Delegate- Brandy Meeks

Next a discussion was held about the foods project and what each member must accomplish before the county food show. Then the meeting was adjourned.



Mc Daniel To Go To District Contest

At a September 26 dinner of the Fort Clark Springs VFW Post #8360 and the Ladies Auxiliary, lovely and talented Miss Shelley McDaniel presented her speech on Free Enterprise that won her the right to represent Kinney County Farm Bureau at District.

She will be giving this same speech in San Antonio on October 13.

She makes the subject exciting and entertaining with her energetic and enthusiastic style while driving home the point that Free Enterprise and the American Way is the best way.

Already a winner to those of us who know her, she is sure to be a winner at District Contest. Shelley's mother, Mrs. Jim McDaniel, was a guest at the dinner.

YOUR HOROSCOPE

by Charles King Cooper

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) A flirtation on the job arouses mixed feelings in you. Gains come through concentration. Avoid a tendency to goof off now. You'd do well to stick with a current romantic interest. Sidestep an involvement with a fickle type who plays games.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Apply yourself for career gains. Place less emphasis on charm and personality in your efforts to get ahead in life. An argument may occur now with one who is secretly attracted to you. Be careful not to make errors on the job. Pay attention.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Money could be a source of tension between loved ones. You'll have to guard against extravagance. Emphasize conservatism. Do nothing to arouse another's jealousy in the romantic department. Settle pending issues. Prevent rifts from happening.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) You'll have to ward off distractions to make any progress at work now. With self-discipline, you'll keep on top of things. You may have no cause for jealousy. Be more trusting of loved ones, else arguments result. Watch spending when socializing.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) You're anxious to make a good impression on a higher-up, but in the process, you may neglect to consider a loved one's feelings. A slip of the tongue could cause an embarrassing moment. Keep in touch with old friends. Watch arguments about love and sex.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Morning hours are best for work interests. Later, you may quarrel between loved ones. Avoid risky career moves. News comes from a friend at a distance. Compromise is necessary to avoid romantic arguments.

LIBRA (September 23 to October

22) Negative feedback hurts for a while, but it becomes the catalyst leading to a revision of ideas. Not everything is straightforward on the job front. Relations with friends prosper if financial matters aren't brought up. Accept social invitations.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Business partnerships aren't favored now, though you'll be making some valuable contacts now. Thinking may be fuzzy in romance. A vacation may be the answer to work frustrations, or if not that, at least spend some time enjoying romance or recreational activity.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) You'll have more fun with loved ones at home than out battling the crowds. Concentration could slip on the job. Exercise self-discipline. Don't be gullible regarding money. Scrutinize all propositions. Romantic relationships fare well now.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Your charm makes up for real or imagined shortcomings in business dealings now. Be yourself and things fall into place. Domestic concerns are still with you. Don't let a financial worry keep you from enjoying yourself. A rumor makes the rounds.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Ease up on family members. You may be too self-concerned at present. Quiet pursuits at home base suit you now. Privacy abets romance. In business dealings read the fine print and beware of misinformation. Your star now continues to rise.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) It's not the best time to ask favors of friends, but through your own efforts you'll make important progress in career endeavors now. Be careful of financial involvements with others. A higher-up is preoccupied. Don't feel slighted.

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Rescue Training Workshop

On Wednesday, Sept. 19, the outside linemen for the Rio Grande Electric Cooperative attended a rescue training refresher course.

Supervised by Junction based Regional Safety Coordinator, Dan Williams, each of the seven outside linemen had to perform a mock pole-top rescue.

A dummy was used as an injured man on top of an electrical wire pole. Each man had to climb the pole and rescue the injured dummy by using a hand-line rescue, which is based on the principal of the pulley.

The men had 3 to 5 minutes to complete the task. "We're not doing it just for speed, basically it's just to make sure they know what they are doing. In a real emergency, they will naturally do it faster." Says Williams. This training is required for all outside linemen, at least once a year. "The main thing is to just get them down and begin CPR or first aid" Adds Williams.

After every lineman successfully completed the rescue, they had to perform another. This time they did a bucket rescue.

A real man was used in this instance, Eloy Garcia simulated a hurt man in a cherry-picker bucket while others "rescued" him and brought him down safely.

Overall the performance of these brave men was great. The seven outside linemen are: Eloy Garcia, Ronnie Mata, Jorge Perez, Nacho Aguirre, Severo Martinez, David Meyer and Danny Samaniego.

A commendable congratulations should be awarded to all these fine men for their work and contribution to society.

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