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August 26, 1993

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

Council Favors Interlocal Agreement
The Brackettville City Council
met in a special session Monday
evening, August 23 , with Mayor
Carmen Berlang and Council
Members Larry Moore, Ralph Gon-
zalez, Mary Flores and Julie Fuentes
present.
Mayor Berlanga informed the
citizens present that Council Mem-
ber Flores asked for the special
meeting and invited her th ospeak.
Mrs. Flores said citizens had ex-
pressed concern to her about the
19933-94 city budget not including
funds for police protection. She
mentioned that the council had
rejected an interlocal agreement
with the Kinney County Sheriff' Office earlier and she was no
reconsidering that decision After a period of open discussion by council members and the public,
Councilman Larry Moore moved to Councilman Larry Moore moved to
consider an interlocal agreement with the sheriff's department, and to amend the 1993-94 budget to ac amend the $1993-94$ budget to a tive October 1, 1993. The motio
carried with Council Member carried with Counci Members
Moore, Gonzalez, and Flores voting for it, and Fuentes voting against it. for it, and Fuentes voting against it.
The meeting was then adjourned
on a motion made by Mrs. on a motion m
which carried.
BISD Adopts Budget Sets Meeting To Discuss Tax Rate


#### Abstract

The Brackett Independent School District Board met in a special District Board met in a special session Monday evening. August 23 with the following members present: Jimmy Bader, Lloyd Lee Davis, Stan Conoly, Jim McDaniel, Gloria Garcia, and Lingo Sandoval. Gloria Garcia, and Lingo Sandoval. After hearing proposals for policy of Employee Health Benefits, 1993-94, the board elected to sta with the Association (TASB).


The 1993-94 Student Handbook
was reviewed and adopted.
The budget for 1993-94 was adoped and a meeting was scheduled for 5:30 p.m., Friday, August 27 , to
discuss the effective tax rate (BISD discuss the effective tax rate (BISD
Property Tax Rates appears in this issue of The Brackett News.)

## Eat With The Boosters Watch The Scrimmage

When you come to the Tiger
football scrimmage against Crystal City Friday night, August 27 , plan to eat with the Tiger Booster Club.
The scrimmage starts at 7:00 p.m. The scrimmage starts at $7: 00$ p.m. selling sandwiches, cup cakes, and
cold drinks from the concessios cold drinks from the concessions
stand in plenty of time for you to get seated by the kick-off. Those plans were formulalted at the Booster Club meeting Monday evening, August 23, in the High
School Library where Manuel Pena presided.
Memberships are being taken by the Booster Club at $\$ 7.50$ individual


Original Expermiment
Connie Halls clases wer
challenged to develop oniginal ex
 develop animal cells using gelatin Results were great! Shown left,
Daniel Hernandez, who worked on Daniel Hernandez, who worked on
his own. As a team the four on the his own. As a team, the four on the
right, James Burks, Steven Hagler, Zachary Davis, and Cody Joe Williams, also scored high.


## Grass Fire

Friday afternoon, August 20, the tourteen miles east of Brackettville. a large number of acres of


The Emma Swaim Story


Sergio Salinas
Round up friends and family on Labor Day and come to Alamo
Village Movie Location, FM Hwy illage Movie Location, FM Hwy.
674 for the 33rd Annual Labor Day owboy Horse Races.
Bring your horse, enter it in the Labor Day Cowboy Horse Races
which will begin immediately following the Texas Style Barbecue at noon. At 5:00 p.m. a trophy will
be awarded the winner of the Championship Race.
All races will be run down Fron No stud horses, please.
Guest Star Kelly Kenning and the Rockin' Horse Riders Band featuring Andy Perez on guitar and taining from the front porch of the

Frerich Graduates From ASU
Brackettville student Bonnie M Frerich was among the 231 students
who received degrees during summer commencement at Angelo State meriversity, San Angelo.
Miss Frerich received
of Business Administration, Magna
Cum Laude, with Cum Laude, with a major in ac-


Can Your Horse Run? Enter The Labor Day Race


Kevin Fitzpatrick
Throughout the day, the Alamo all day in the Cantuna along with ice Village Originals featuring vocalist cream, soft drinks, and ice tea. Amber Leigh on piano, Daniel Hobguitar, Rodney Bewasquez rhythm, and J. J. Guidry on drums wreations presenting their own songs they have written.
Gunfights Gunfights and cannon firing will and world famous trick roper Kevin Fitzpatrick will provide action with Shop in air condition. browse through the eighteen walk-in buildings, and be sure to take time to enjoy Happy , Shahan's "John Wayne Museum. Mayne Museum.
Mexican food, burgers, san-
dwiches and salads will be available

## Notice To Former BISD

School Board Members:

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { Emma Swaim is retiring after } 45 \text { years of service to BISD. You are in- } \\
& \text { vited to a luncheon at the High School Library on Tuesday, August 31, at }
\end{aligned}
$$ vited to a luncheon at the High School tibrary on Tuesday,

noon, to honor Mrs. Swaim. Please attend as BISD's guests.

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## Sheriff's Corner

By Sheriff Normare H. Hooten

on ACTUAL and complete expen-
ditures and income until we have all
We have been kept busy this past
week on what we consider to be routine duties; domestic disputes,
disturbing the peace, minor assault complaints, and drunks in public. Chief Deputy Johnny Fritter was called out at 6:30 a.m. the morning of Sunday, August 22 nd to in-
vestigate a report of a drunk passed out in the doorway of a local grocery store and upon his arrival arrested a 25 year old black male who gave an address in New York. The man was just "Passing through" according to
his statement and succumbed to the influence of a more than adequate amount of alcohol contained in
either beer or wine. He was traneither beer or wine. He was tran-
sported to the County Jail and booked on charges of Public Intoxication. He was tried in Justice
Court on Monday Court on Monday before Justice of
the Peace Alvin Hall, found guilty the Peace Alvin Hall, found guilty,
and fined $\$ 100.00$ plus costs of court. He was then given credit for court. He was then given credit for
time served and released with ad-
vice to "travel on down the road." "vice to "travel on down the road." clusion of the fiscal year to make my annual report on cost vs. income of operations at the Sheriff's Office and
County Jail, the fact that the ComCounty Jail, the fact that the Com-
missioners Court is currently in the Wrocess of holding Budget task of preparing and setting the
County budget for FY '93-94 would seem to be a good time for a preliminary report on our BASIC jail opperations. I will still issue a final
report on cost vs. income of our total report on cost vs. income of our total
operations later this year after the current fiscal year concludes on September 30, 1993.
Please keep in mind that the pie-
liminary report contained herein iminary report contained hereen
is a BASIC report based on known

- figures for expense and income some estimated figures, and lacking some others that will not be
available until the conclusion of this fiscal year. We cannot issue a report


## Big Mama <br> Sez!

To many parents, youth is stranger than fiction
PLEASE REMEMBERthat we attempt to include
something for everyone within the pages of our paper. We.
realize that that some folks enjoy finding fault and for
lhose readers we thoughtfully include a socially acceptable
number of erors within our publication.

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Susceribe to Che Brarkitl syleu5.
jail that I do not yet have all the
figures on but will have by the time of my final report. For better understanding of these figures I have re-
capped the BASIC County Jail capped the BASIC County Jail
operational costs and income from operational costs and income frober
federal prisner care from October
1,1992 thru July, 1993 below: RE-CAP
$\qquad$ MEALSSERVED FOOD ITEM PURCHASES
NON-FOD ITEM PURCHASES UTLITTIESTHRONE
SLLARIESTFRINGE BENEFITS salaries
total
INCOMEFEDERRL
NET CoST TO COUNTY
Thus, based on a basic are for both costs and income for the first ten months of FY $92-93$ we should
finish out this fiscal year somewhere in the neighborhood of the figures shown below:
ESTIMATED EXPE
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(federal prisonese)
As I said before, these figures DO
NOT include the NOT include the costs of our
Criminal
Enforcement operations which will include all those areas directly related and
charged out to the CLE Division, charged out to the CLE Division,
which includes the salaries and fringe benefits of the Sheriff, Chief Deputy, and one (1) Patrol Deputy.
At the risk of sounding like I'm trying to make excuses for this year's lower federal prisoner care
income, I'll go ahead and make one. income, I'll go ahead and make one.
We were basically shut down at the We were basically shut down at the
County Jail for two months while County Jail for two months while
much needed repairs were being made to various sections of the jail and, while some of our expenses
related directly to prisoner related directly to prisoner care
were lower, the other mandatory expenses such as salaries, fringe
benefits, utilities, phone, etc. were benefits, utilities, phone, etc. were
still in effect. We have a quota from still in effect. We have a quota from
the Bureau of Prisons on federal inmate numbers ( 23 daily) and we try
to maintain that number if at all possible due to the $\$ 30.00$ per man-
day fee we are paid for federal
s day fee we are paid for federal
prisoner care. However, outside fac-
tors beyond our control such as the weather (wintertime), holidays, and
other similar factors sometimes afother similar factors sometimes af-
fects the number of prisoners fects the number of prisoners
available to be designated to the
County County Jail by the BOP. All we can
do is maintain a good, secure facility do is maintain a good, secure facility
that meets the strict minimum stanthat meets the strict minimum stan-
dards for jail operation set by both the state and federal governmeths
and provide the best possible and provide the best possible
professional staff to maintain security, supervision, and control
over jail inmates. With those factors over jail inmates. With those factors
present along with the good relations we have maintained with
the U.S. Marshals Office and the the U.S. Marshals Office and the
Bureau of Prisons over the past ten Bureau of Prisons over the past ten
plus years the federal prisoner care program at the County Jail has worked well to the benefit of all in-
volved, including the volved, including the county tax-
payers.
When one considers the fact that it would cost at least the fact that annually to maintain a state certified
county jail operation in Kinney county jail operation in Kinney
County with NO INCOME, the net cost to the County estimated for this
year at $\$ 34,524.66$ is actually a year at $\$ 34,524.66$ is actually a
savings to the County and the Counsavings to the County and the Coun-
ty taxpayer of an estimated
$\$ 125,475.34$ $\$ 125,45.34$. Sometimes we have a
much higher actual income than that received so fartual income year and that, of that
course, cuts down on the net cost for course, cuts down on the net cost for
an even greater savings to the tax-
payers.
 License Renewal An officer from the Texas Depar
tment of Public Safety will be at the County Courtroom, Kinney County Thursday and each 5 tht Thursday during the normal working hours of county offices.
The officer will be available to
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$\$ 366755.73$ $\$ 36,77.73$
$\$ 5,54.42$

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## Between Us



The City Council is considering an interlocal agreement to have a verified police force. This is an ac-
tion long overdue. Last year the City paid $\$ 21,000$ for a police officer. Then there were the perks. Insurance, workmens
Comp., cost of car equipped with a camcorder, gasoline, mechanical up
keep and on and on including "comp keep and on and on including "comp
time" paid on demand to the officer though technically he should not If the City could work out a
program with the County ther program with the County there
could be great savings to the taxpayers of the City. Faced with in-
creased water, gas, sewage and land creased water, gas, sewage and land
fill rates, the taxpayers deserve consideration when it comes to spending by the City Council.
taking austin out of austin
Serving as governor of Texas is
the greatest job in the world. But as me greatest job in the world. But as
much as coming to work
every day in our magif
every day in our magnificent state
capital, the best part of the job
comes in traveling around Texas.
Because for all the experts, all the policy makers and bureaucrats who
supply me with information and advice here in Austin, I learn more when I'm out on the road looking in the faces of real Texans. When I
talk to people in Muleshoe, Sulphur talk to people in Muleshoe, Sulphur
Springs, Brownsvill or Pineland I know that I am getting the straight story on how government works, or
doesn't work.
These are the people that I-- and every other state employee - - work for. This is where government ser-
vices intersect with real lives and real problems.
As I travel
As I travel around Texas, I am
told of instance a told of instance after instance in
which someone has had an unpleasant experience or lack of atten-
tion from the tion from the government their tax
dollars support. When I hear about these problems, I come back to Austin and try to find a solution. These close encounters with
reality tell public officials what reality tell public officials what tax-
payers want and need - and what's payers want and need
truly important to them.
So it sem
So it seems to me that it is time to get the decision-makers in Austin
out to meet the people of this state out to meet the people of this state
and to listen to them. It's time to take Austin out of Austin.
I am initiating a program we are
calling Capital for a Day, where all the state agencies and offices will around the state. We're going to kick it off in Carthage, in Panola
county. On September 2, 1993, Texas
state government will operate out of Carthage.
This will be a bipartisan effort, This will be a bipartisan effort,
because Democrats and Republicans because Democrats ake government
alike want to make
work efficiently for all Texans. State agencies and offices will send directors and public officials to
Carthage on Sept. 2. We'll be there to answer questions and try to solve problems. But our primary function will be to listen. Each citizen who
brings a problem to that agency brings a problem to that agency
head or elected official is going to get a prompt response - either that day or shortly after we return to
Austin After a full day of face-to-face discussions with local citizens, we'll
gather everyone together for a gather everyone together
public forum in the evening.
We We are going to hold these events
all over Texas and I am convinced all over Texas and I am convinced
that they will be productive for the local citizens and the Austin
decision-makers decision-makers. State government
does not need to become hamstrung does not need to become hamstrung
by the kind of finger-pointing and
bickering that has Wickering that has made
Washington so out of touch with the people of this country.
In Texas, Democrats and
Republicans are capable of working

Fees generated by the verified police force but accruing to the City because of violations of City or-
dinances would more than reimbur se the City for the money con-
tributed to the verified force. This would mean cost to the taxpayers
would be negative would be negative.
There is no question but that one
coordinated force would be more ef ficient than a lone ranger type of police chief. Officers would be accountable to the sheriff rather than The present Sheriff De has done ninety percent of criminal investigation for the City and Coun-
ty in recent years. It is ty in recent years. It is hoped the
City Council will as speedily as possible conclude an interlocal m. GOVERNOR'S
REPORT

## AmmDr.Prenards

together to get this economy
moving. We've already proven that.
We passed a budget this year that me passed a budget this year that of this state and we did it with no new taxes. Last year we led the
nation in new jobs created - . nation in new jobs created -- with
over $50,000-$ and we've reduced the crime rate statewide.
All of this tells me that Texans
can work together can work together for a common
good. That's why I know that good. That's why I know that
Republicans and Democrats are. going to be eager to join me in this Capital for a Day effort.
This program can bring some
much needed local perspective to much needed local perspective to
every decision made in Austin. And local control has always worked best in Texas. Just as I expect local
school boards to know what's school boards to know what's best
for the students in their community, Ior the students in their community,
I believe the citizens of Carthage can best tell our Transportation Commission members what's important
in Panola County. in Panola County.
Local participat to tocal participation will be critical don't expect that to be a problem. If there's one thing I've learned
traveling this state, it's that the people of Texas are not shy about
telling you what's

## One-Way Streets

The one-way street traffic in the school area below as autlined Streets affected are Fulton, Fort and Edwards. The hours during
which this one-way rule will aply which this one-way rule will apply are from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. and
from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on school days. The following diagram details the one-way traffic pattern.


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## Library Notes

9:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday Closed Tuesday

August is the time for hot weather library now has historians, the and summer vacations. Speaking of
vacations, I will be taking mine and will be gone from the librany for a
week August 30 through 3. Be kind to Maria and don't work her too hard.
We have new books in the library.
Check out The Red Horsemen Check out The Red Horseman by the latest from Tom Clancy, The
Silken Web in large print by Sandra Silken Web in large print by Sandra
Brown, and Bad Hand the new biography of R anald S . Mackenzie. dre Bushart, who oonated 27 new ne videos, and Joyce Bell, who donated
one new video, one new video, our selection is
rapidly growing. Some of the new
riter
 Omar Sharif, The Litorn In Winter
Cry From The Mountain, Dn Sekyll and Mr. Hyde, and The DDesse. We
also have the musical Grigi. Eugene also have the musical Gigi, Eugene
O'Niell's Long Day's Joumey Into Night, The Greatest Story Ever Told,
Cecil B. DeNille's The Ten Commandments, Danny Devito in Other Peophe's Money, and Volume 1 of 1 ,
Claundius. I know these will see a lot of use.
Many thanks to Pat Callnan,
and Angie Meeks, Betty Koons, and
everyon who donated bokks and
magazines to the library this past week. The library will be closed on Monday,
Day hoilday.

Beta Sigma Phi Shows Community Spirit

Beta Sigma
spirit was in full
evidence Sanunity morning, August 21, as this active group along with their ever-faithful
husbands, cleaned their two mile husbands, cleaned their two mile Brackettville.
id too much of the summer heat an early schedule was met by
approximately 25 workers. The enticement was a hearty breakfast of
hot homemade biscuits, mouth watering sausage-egg casseroles,
sweet rolls, jams, juice sweet rolls, jams, juice and coffee
that was waiting for the workers at the Frontier Baptist Church after
working. Beta's good cookin' will get husbands out every time.
Thanks, fellows!

Sarurday's outing was the first the 2 -year contract the three chapters have with the Texas Highway Department's Adopt-A-Highway. Chapter coordinators Dee Curry, Marge Geeze and Pat Callnan repor-
ted a successful morning of work ted a successful
and fellowship.


## Identify

## The Picture

The first, person to come by The Brackett News and correctly identify this picture will be given a Bracket News Cap will be given to printing it the following week.
If it is important news to you, it is import If it is
readers. Manuel Madrid Five Wins
Doesn't matter - easy or hard. Doesn't matter - easy or hard.
Madrid knows this community. Actually, he was in The Brackett News office Friday afternoon to take
a stab at identifying the mystery pica stab at identifying the mystery pic-
ture but had to wait until Monday morning to correctly do so (this
hard-working editor gave herself a hard-working editor gave herself a $1 / 2$ day vacation Friday!) He was right - naturally. Naming
the ventilator in the south (?) wall of the Masonic Temple (Appraisal office) earned Manuel another cap. No opinion is offered on
degree of difficulty this week!

Around the Fort


> Ceramic Shop Hours
> Ceramic Shop Hous Sun Sat: Noon to 5:00 p.m.
Mon. 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. Ladies Exercise
> a.m. Friday 10 a.m. Line Dance Class Thursday Nights, 7:00 p.m.
> 1.0100.00..m. NCO Club解 August 26 Ice Cream Social Fish Fry And Dance
Wednesday, August 2

## Saturday, August 28

Dinner 5 to 7 p.m., Dance 7 to 11 p.m. DJ Music


Picnic spots throughout the Fort have been "spruced up" in an-
ticipation of increased use at summer's end. This one is in the "Red Bridge/Lagoon" area. The Lions Roar

$\qquad$


Kill A Mocking Bird"

By Nakai Breen The Lions Club attended a
memorial service for Claude memorial service for Claude Owen at First Baptist Church. It is with
great sadness in our hearts that we feel when one of our Lion comrade departs to the other side. feel that he was a great part of the Lions Club and our community. He was a very gentle person with a
ready smile for every one and open hand to help any body. His duty a a a Lion is unstained, he
always stood ready to perform his always:
We thank him with our hearts and we pray for him eternal rest. To his
family we say he is not gone, he just family we say
went to sleep. and relaton, California, and friends those that attended the mass and reception for Petra Terrazas 96 th
Bithday Cele Paul Poag Theatre
Ausust $27,28,8: 00$ P.M August 27, 28,
Adults $\$ 10.00$

Please Note: Brackett News Policy
The Brackett News welcomes news from the community - births engagements, weddings, deaths, club//organizations, church, family, tec.
To assist us in getting information printed in an accurate and timely manner, please observe the following guidelines.
All items must be signed, with an address and/or telephone number fo All items must be signed, with an address and/or telephone number for
verification and/or clarification purposes only, and brought into The verification and//fr clarification purposes only, and brought into The
Brackett News office by noon on Tuessay. Information that is mailed will be accepted if it is signed and reaches the paper by the deadline. If received after the deadline, consideration
will be given to printing it the following week.
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| thank Father David Zumaya and the |  | Hours: |  |
| choir from Del Rio. I would also like |  | Mon.-Fri. 8-6 |  |
| from out of town: San Antonio, |  | Sat. 8-5 | Del Rio, Texas |
| Dallas, Texas, Oklahoma, | 201 E. Rodriguez | Sun. 10-3 | (210)774-0222 | In Kinney County, the ${ }^{\text {g-1-1- }}$

Rmergency Call System is fully

BEAT THE COST OF LIVING

he Upstagers Present My Fair Lady Tri-County Tourism Association Organized A group of citizens from Real, Edwards, and Uvalde counties have
banded together to promote tourism in the following communities: Leakey, Rio Frio, Rocksprings, Carta Valley and towns in the Nueces Canyon area - Camp Wood, Barkssdale, Montell, Vance and Bullhead. American Legion Hall in downtown Camp Wood..." "1st Annual Tri County Tourism Association Domino Tournament."
Tournament partners from area towns are invited to participate by
mailing a $\$ 10.00$ registration fee (per player) to Charlene Cox, Box 235 , Tournament partuers from area cowns are invine $\$ 10.0$ registration fee per player) th Cha
Camp Wood TX 78833 no later than September 15 .
Players are asked to bring their own dominoes and scoring equipment.
There will be no refunds; however, if a partner has to cancel out, his/her artner may subsitute for another partner.

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## Community Calendar



AA: Mondays, 8 p.m., Slator Hall, 109 W. James St Al-Anon: CAN HELP. Call 563 -9205 for time \& loc Altar Soclety: 1 st Monday, $5: 30$ p.m., Parish Hall. Band Booster Club: 1st Tuesday, 7 p.m., High School Band Hal
Mountain Laurel Garden Club: 2nd Thursday. Call 563-9692. BISD School Board: 2nd Monday, 6:30 p.m., School Board Room Beta Sigma Ph

 Book Club

Thursdays, $9: 30$, Gol
2nd Thursday, $7: 30$ p.m., Cavalry Room. Chamber of Commerce: 2nd Thursday, 7:30 p.m.
City Council: 2nd Tuesday, 7 p.m., Slator Hall.
 Commissioners Court: 2nd Monday, 9 a.m., Court House Commissioners Court: 2nd Monday, 9 a.m., Court House.
Del Rio Christlan Women's Club: 1st Wednesday, 12 Noon, Laughlin AFB. Reservations required.
FCS Pot Luck Supper: 3 3rd FCS Pot Luck Suppers 3rd Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., NCO Club. Bring
covered dish, plates and utensils. coverer dish, plates and utensils.
Drtivers License: 1 st, 3 rd, \& Last Court House.
Duplicate Bridge: Tuesday, 7 p.m., Shafter Hall.
FCS Art Club: Work days Mond
FCS Art Club: Work days Monday and Saturday 11 a.m., Meeting 1st 1 FCS Community Council: 2nd Saturday, 10 a.m., Shafter Hall. FCS Board of Directors: 3rd Saturday, 9 a.m., Board Room. FCS Historical Soclety: 4th Saturday, 10 a a.m., Shafter Hall. FCS Museum/Sutler's Store: Saturday \& Sunday, 1-4 p.m. FCS Ladies Lunchoon: 2nd Wednesday, Noon, Las Moras Restaurant.
Make reservations at Adult Center. MCS VFW Post \#8300 \& Aurlliary:
p.m. Meeting, NCO Club.
FCS Bingo: Friday, $7: 30$ p.m., Shafter Hall.

FCS Bingo: Friday, $: 30$ p.m., Shatter Hall.
FCS Las Vegas Night: 4 th Saturday, 8 p.m., Las Moras Restaur FCS Las Vegas Night: 4 S.
FCS Old Quarry Society: 1st Monday, 8 p.m., Las Moras Restaur
P.m., Sabre Room. Friends of Library: No regular schedule. Call library for informa
KC Historlcal Preservation KC Historical Preservation Soclety: 4th Thursday, 7 p.m., Court House 1 KC Kickers: 2nd and 4th Thursdays, $7: 30$ p.m., NCO Club. Knights of Columbus: 1st Surday, 12 Noon, Parish Hall.
Lons Club: 1st and 3rd Thursday, 6:30 p.m., Las Moras Restaur
Masonic Lodge \#444: 2nd Tuesday, 7 p.m., Lodge Hall, An Masonic Lodge \#444: 2nd Tuesday, 7 p.m., Lodge Hall, Anin St.
Order of Rastern Ster \#204: 1st and 3rd Tuen Order of Eastern Ster \#204: 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m. Hall, 407 Bedell St., Del Rio. Sariners: 4th Tuesday, $6: 30$ p.m., Las Moras Restaurant.
Rotary Club: Every Thursday, 12 Noon, Las Mo Methodist Ladies Lnncheon: 3rd Wednesday, Noon, Slator Hall. Please
make reservations. LCreative Writiog Group: Fridays, $9: 30$ a.m.; Golf Club Snack bar


Never Ending Sage
The never ending saga of the Querecho Flats Quilting Quorum
truggles of the fine folks of Lucky for me he's as sick as the rest Querecho Flats never ceases to of us, cause he went to the trouble of Since Arlo's fall from grace (due
his stupid election campaign) Rosilee's public display of of non
affection and complete ver having anything Arlo, and the pert-near lawyers from Prunieville leaving with the threat of eveled out to a mild stampede The kids are getting ready to go fair, rodeo and fist fight is still scheduled for the same week end in ungust and Karl, Garlan, Juan Yep, boredom is a sorry state o
Karl got a new
had to try it out. We were sitting around trying to
figure our how to use it to create hate and discontent when Juan came Actually, he was just sitting there playing with all the neat programs could print up a really official From the moment he discovered
his hidden talents, we have had a We rigged up an official looking Hand Moisturizer Company." Yep, it looked official and when in New York, it really looked official ecause of the New York post mark. 1 called and explained to my
friend that we had a few ladies (so called) in Querecho Flats that couple of weeks and we figured this
letter would do the trick (literally). I sent him the letter from

## Chamber Chatter



 Clay Lindley and Bob Kahla. Clay University. During college and afte ranches in Texas, Nervada
rand ives in Alpine, Texas, and is
respected top professional poet and
comedian He has perfor comedian. He has performed at th
Granddaddy of all gatherings in Christmas Ball" and the "Kinney County Cowboy Cauldron." His
material will entertain both young and old alike and be assured that there will be something for everyon
when Clay is around!!!! Clay was instrumental in organizing the firs He keeps us advised as to new and


Bob Kahla
Plan to attend
joyable weekend.
of us, cause he went to the trouble of
making up a letter head for the envelope just like we had on the letter. The letter looked pretty official even if I do say so myself. It looked
and read like this: and read like this
Soft As Butter A Creamy Company Of The East
Box 281 Box 281
Apple NY 12345
$900-555-4303$ o Whom It May Concern: Ladies, we will be sending a field representative to your fair village in
search of the lady with the most perearch of the lady with the most per
fect hands and facial complexion in hopes of signing a major contract
with the lucky lady for the purpose with the lucky lady for the purposes
of advertising our new skin We are a new company and we
believe this product is the essence of perfection when it comes to sofperfection when it comes to sof
tening the skin and removal of those
unsightly warts. We have als insightly warts. We have also
discovered that when used exten sively it can do away with that unsightly facial hair also.
We will have the date that we will arrive by next week, and will notify you as soon as new product and interested in this and become "Miss" or "Ms." Butyor skin, please write us and confirm
yourterest in this great new product as well as your interest in
becoming the spokesperson for the becoming the spokesperson for the
Creamy Company Of The East. Thank you,
Milkdon Clabbered

Little did we know this letter was fixing to cause a war of the women that could go down in history a
"Mother of all Women Wars."
Chamber Chatter

During the first eight months of ne For Clark Detachment, the ty-two buit the coummanding officers changed rather frequently. September 1872, Lieutenant G.W. Rad
dyke, then next came a Lieutenant Gerhard, but he only lasted a month was next but by February, he was was next but by February, he was
replaced by Lieutenant Raddyke for replaced by Lieutenant Raddyke for
a second try at commanding.
Lieutenant Raddyke relinquished he command to Lieutenant Leopold Parker, 4th Cavalry, who was also Fort Clark Pos.
Signal Officer.
May 1873 was a high point in Fort
Clark's history and the detachment f the Seminal the detachment Scouts. Colonel Ranald Mackenzie and 4th Cavalry regiment commener invasion of the Mexican borRemolina. Colonel Mackenzie assembled his force at Las Moras Che various companies of the 4th Cavalry was Lieutenant Leopold
Parker with 18 Seminole Scouts from Fort Clark and Lieutenant John Bullis with 16
Colonel Mackenzie had also apjutant for the 4th Cavalry and the jutant for the 4th Cavalry and the
Colonel desired that Parker be free
from all other duties. On the spot he from all other duties. On the spot he
ordered Lieutenant Bullis as the
Commanding Officer of the Commanding Officer of the
Seminole Scouts and both detach-
ments were consolidated for the raid.
In Colonel Mackenzie's report after the raid he stated, "I also wish to mention Lieutenant Bullis with the
Seminole Scouts who charged under Seminole Scouts who charged under
the command of that gallant officer an Indian fightine detachment together the likes of which south-
west Texas and the Indians were to now and respect from 1873-1881.
The many battles with Indians
fought by the Seminole Negro In dian Scouts has been documented and written for public appreciation.
The neglected battle is the one The neglected battle is the one
fought by the U.S. Army and the Office of Indian Affairs, a bureaucratic
war between the War Department war between the War Department
and the Interior Department over and the Interior Neparo Indians
the Seminole Negro
nitially the Seminole Negro In nitially the Seminole Negro In-
dians were invited to Fort Duncan Military Reservation until transpor tation could be arranged to move
them to the U.S. Indian Reser vation. The U.S. Army never had an
them appropriation to feed, much less
transport, Indians to the reser vation. It was rather common
nowledge at the time that Congress had made two successive ap propriations so that the Bureau of
Indian Affairs could transport U.S. Indians from Mexico to the Indian Reservation and subsist them.
The Army believed this would be
available to cover the subsistence and transportation of the Seminole
Negro Indians but the Bureau of In-
dian Affairs had other ideas. The
Army issued rations to the Seminole Army issued rations to the Seminole
Negro Indians expecting reimburNegro Indians expecting reimbur-
sement and the Quartermaster filed sement and the Quartermaster fil
religiously the adjustments. W the reimbursements failed to arrive he Army made an inquiry only to be informed that the appropriation was
for subsistence in the Indian Territory and not at the Forts in Texas. After more letters to the Of fice of Indian Affairs, the Army was
informed they were not authorized informed they were not authorized After years of more correspondence trying to defeat the red tape
the Army got a crowning blow John the Army got a crowning blow. John
Jumper, Principal Chief of the Jumper, Principal Chief of the
Seminoles, at the Seminole Nation Seminoles, at the Seminole Nation
stated, "these negroes..fled their owners and took refuge in
Mexico...Mexico gave them a reserve...they became citizens of
Mexico...they have no rights here....our citizens may have in-
dividually invited them to come here...as a nation we
a
and the Army's only recourse was rely on the 1866 law that allowed
them to enlist Indians as Scouts. the only subssistence the army could legally furnish was that for the enlisted scouts but there were so
many family members on the resermany family members on the reser
vations that any means possible
became the recourse from starThe army was bound with no land
to give them and they could only live on the reservatioy co antively enlistetod in the scouts. If a scout terminated his enlistment, by
law, he was to move his family off the reservation. The army was stuck
with no way to send these Seminole
Negro.

## Chronicles Of Fort Clark, Texas By Donald A. Swanson

US. Army's Seminole Negro-Indian Scouts dian Reserataion much lese to toaid
 subsisitence. At one pepint there were
44 scouts
with theif
Wages per monts whining tor teed and ond clothe
 wonder they were accused of
stealing and killing four cows belonging to a rancher which
Lieutenant Bullis paid for out of his own pocket to Inspector Ballantyne. In spite of the hardships, poverty,
and
disappointments, problems of their families, as well as those they endured as soldiers, the
Seminole Negro. Indian Scouts Seminole Negro Indian Scouts
earned a prominent place in the earned a prominent place in the
history of the Indian Wars. In 1875 three scouts - Sergeant John Ward, Trumpeter Isaac Payne and Private Pompey Factor - were awarded the
Medal of Honor for rescuing Medal of Honor for rescuing
Lieutenanct Bullis from Comanche Indians. For action in the Red River War of 1874, Adam Paine (Payne) was awarded a Medal of Honor.
May 1876, Chief John Horse Titus Payne were ambushed on the Fort Clark Resereration and Payne was kiilled. Miilatiory dutites and
engagements continued for the engagements continued for the
Seminole Negro Scouts over the
ears 1870-1881. In 1881, the last Indian depredation was committed In the Military District of the
Nueces. It was not necessarily good news of the Seminole Negro. In-
dian Scouts because it eliminated the army's need for them, but worse return to his unit, 24th Infantry. Clark Detachment of Scouts had a low rating for desertions, court marto arms. After Lieutenant Bullis' depar-
ture, the command of the scouts rotated through many young army Then the Seminole Negro Indian Scouts were transferred to Fort
Ringold, Texas, to serve with 3rd Ringold, Texas, to serve with 3rd
Cavary and to check the stealing of
cattele in lower por portions of Texas. Most of the scouts fanilies
remained living on Fort Clark Military Reservation and the scouts, Ringcld or in field service.
March 1899, the six Seminole
Negro. Indian Scouts were tran Negro. Indian Scouts were tran-
sferred back to Fort Clark. With no hostiles to tract all over the country side, there was no military need for the scouts. The Army is always fortunate in finding garrison duties
mending
fences primeters, and more menial jobs - all went to the scouts.
After the Spanish-American War
until World War I, Fort Clark had period of survival tain the post from being closed and also justifying the need to maintain the Seminole Negro. Indian
Scouts. In the period of 1908-1910, the army was under pressure to
close Fort Clark but the internal positical problems of Mexico arnal the
need to enforce the U.S. Neutrality need to enforce the U.S. Neutrality
Laws gave new life blood to the
The closure pressure brought for-
the order to disband the Seminole th the order to disband the Seminole
Negro Indian Scouts DetachNegro Indian Scouts Detach-
ment. Each time Fort Clark gained a stay on closure, the order for ment would be held in abeyance. By ment would be held in abeyance. By
1912, the abeyance of the termination or
conditions.
"Sixteen
"Sixiteen Seminole Negro In-
dian Scouts are authorized at Fort dian. Scouts are authorized at Fort leath or other causes, they are not to be filled, and only those now in the esrrice may be re-enlisted. The
organization will, therefore, in due organization will, therefore, in due
course of time cease to exist." At course of time cease to exist." At
this period, the army reported the
Indian Settlement on the Fort Clark Reservation consisted of 43 men, 49
women, and 150 children all related. and 150 children, all closely The year 1914 was final decision
for the U.S. Army, all Indian Scout Detachments formed as a result of
the Act of 1866 would be terminated and those in the service who desired to enlist in the regular army would
be permitted to do so. From the War be permitted to do so. From the War
Department, this order filtered to epartment, this order filtered
the command level at Fort Clark. The painful duty of writing the command order for the frinal disbandment of the Seminole Negro Indian etachment fell upon Captain
Sterling P. Adams, 14th Cavary, terling P. Adams, 14th Cavalry,
then the Post Adjutant and Com-
nanding Ooficer, of the Seminole manding Officer, of the Seminole
Negro Indian Scout Detachment.
Within the parameters authorized e prepared the "To Whom It May Concern" order to the best military
possibility of absorbing the shock of possibility of absorbing the shock of
the document and with an attempt to he document and with an attempt to


Before You Make A Decision.


Awareness To Diversity
Recently I passed over the all cousins and much orneriness Nueces and Blanco Rivers on the Some green weeds, probably stinkweed or milkweed because I noticed butterflies, but there was no water.
To give it the benefit of the doubt, I To give it the benefit of the doubt, 1 supposed a little water how in the
some of the boulders down in deep places. The reason I supposed that was also recently as a few
weeks ago I crossed over the same rivers further towards the Gulf and
found the beds of the same two rivers flowing richly and clean.
Texas is as diverse as a place can
get. I am amazed at rivers and climates that are opposite so mu
as to appear down right ornery. How many of you are aware How many of you are aware that
chapparel is synonymous with
diversity. Granjeno creoste iversity. Granjeno, creosote bush,
condalia or lote-bush, and cenizo or sage brush are all some of the ingredients of chapparel. Most of
these things are ornery but almost all of them have many uses and
mes from them but look at the good that can spring from it Spring must have been even before
Clark. Consi actions from the leaf were formerly used as antiseptic dressings for cuts and sores of both domestic
stock and human beings. It is also employed as treatment for testinal disorders.
We've become a long ways away from simple things. We move down
roads wearing high-speed blinders. When we slow down we run inside
to shop or we run in to drop. Plants and animals that are important and once were the difference between
life and death are life and death are
potential road-kills. We've lost our taste by our
dependence on processed foods. We,ve dulled our hearing or or
drowned it by mechanized roaring drowned it by mechanized roaring
and we've and we ve arrogantly taken long
strides in a direction removed from
the real and the precious.

## Mets: Lost Or Found

Found -grey male cat over 10 yrs old. Name "General". Last Tuesday,
the Edward Goulds noticed ail the cat food, put out for their cats, wa gone. The next day the "General" maae numself known. He was starved, full
of ticks and abcesses. He had on a collar with a tag from the University
Veterinary Hospital in Veterinary Hospital in Denton, Texas.
The Goulds called Denton to find his

> The Goulds called Denton to find his owners. It seems they were out of the country and had left their pets in the states but no one knew with whom. Mobile Oil Co. of Dallas faxed the owners in Algeria, Africa, to find out.
Wedne Wednesday, AM, the Goulds received a call from Pam Smith in
Algeria. She said the "General" had been left with her mother in along with another cat, a dog, and a parrots. Siet then catled her mother.
Jeri Pibbens, in Uvalde to see if she wanted him back (The Goulds told her they would keep him).
Her 11 year
Her 11 year old daughter Rhonda was elated that he had been found
They picked him up Saturday, August 21 st. He was on his way They picked him up Saturday, August 21 st. He was on his way to
recovering his health. He had arrived at the Smiths' house in Howsto in recovering his health. He had arrived at the S
1983 - already grown so he is over 10 years old.
The vet's tag helped
The vet's tag helped locate his owners, but also kept him from hunting
to survive because it bumped the buckle on his collar scaring to survive because it bumped the buckle on his collar scaring away any
prey. Pet owners need to be sure the vet's tag swings free from their
collars. He had been missing since last October. How he got Springs from Uvalde remains a mystery

## Golf News <br> 



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## Making A Difference

SCHOOL BUDGETS \＆SETTING THE TAX RATE
$\begin{array}{cc}\text { The } & \text { Texas State Legislature Board did us a favor last year by }\end{array}$ establishes the fiscal network for
Texas Public Schools in 1993－9r The biggest change in next year＇s system is that County Educational Districts will no longer exist after this school year．In 1993－94，the imposed a tax rate of 92 cents and BISD＇s rate was 12 cents．BISD had ces．No interest and sinking sour－ was paid by local taxpayers this year．The rate would have been
about 27 cents，but it was paid from fund balances that had built up through BISD＇s history．If the I\＆S paid 1．31．
Along comes Senate Bill 7 which rewards the schools that taxed the tell，the rich are poorer and the pan are also poorer because of SB7．For many years，Texas has given poorer purposes as a way of for tax Texas students．The thities for all equal students．The most notable Gilmer－Akin monies passed by our cent of taxes we raise about $\$ 7,000$ locally．Because of our low valuation of property，the state matched about
$\$ 14,000$ for each cent of local axation．Herein lies the of local Because of cuts in state matching ate of between $\$ 1.22$ and $\$ 1.28$ next year to raise the same amount It＇s very clear to me that the State did not want to raise taxes，and they dropped the bomb on the schoo districts all over Texas raising taxes significantly so that their schools
can maintain the present level of ervices．
tax rate for interest and sinking of 27 cents．Because we had a cash Brackett voted last year to pay the $\&$ S from fund balances．This was the taxpayers of BISD．If the I\＆S rate had been assessed，we would
have been paying $\$ 1.31-12$ cents locally， 92 cents from the CED and
27 cents to debt service or I\＆S．Our tax next year will probably be somewhere between $\$ 1.22$ and
$\$ 1.28$ ．The highest tax that could be assessed is $\$ 1.55$ ．The Board shows no inclination to assess the highest The story is a bit more com plicated，but these are the basic fac－ year，the state＇s cutting its Tier 2 monies，and the apparent wishes of the State as expressed in SB7 of for－ close to $\$ 1.50$ as possible have com－ pounded the problem．Locally，the

## Young Texas Writer

 Violet Crown Books Taking Entries The Austin Writers＇League istaking entries for its Young Texas Writers Awards Program and the Violet Crown Book Awards．
Twelve cash scholarshhip awards
ip to $\$ 250$ will be awarded in the up to $\$ 250$ will be awarded in the
Young Texas Writers program in Young Texas Writers program in essay and journalism．The theme for submission ，is＂The Day After Texas high school students
enrolled in grades $9-12$ as of Sep－ tember 1，1992，may submit entries through September 30，1993．For a one－time entry fee of $\$ 5$ ，student
authors may send in as many entries in as many categories as they wish． Submissions may be previously
published or unpublished works． published or unpublished works．
The Violet Crown Book awards are three cash stipends of $\$ 1,000$ each presented for the best books published between September 1992
nd August 1993 in fiction，nonfic－ nd August 1993 in fiction，nonfic may，be submitted by the author or publisher in the author＇s name．
Deadline for Violet Crown entr Deadline for Violet Crown entrie
is August 31,1993 ． is August 31， 1993. Guidelines and entry forms for
both programs may be obtaine bot programs may ie obtained
from the Austin Writers League，
501 West 5 th St．，Ste．E－2，Austin TX 78703 West．
The Austin Writers League is egional writing organization with statewide membership of over 1600 For more information concerning
the League，upcoming workshops he League，upcoming workshop
and programs，and resources and programs，and resources
available to the public，call $512-499$
8914
using fund balances，but the Interest
and Sinking and Sinking payments will have to be paid this year．The state did not
do us any favors in SB7 in my opinion．Those school districts that tried to keep the tax levy low by using fund balances last year were
penalized by the state for their effor penalized by the state for their effor
ts．Case in point：I\＆S rate of 27 cen ts will not be supported by Tier dollars in 1993－94 because we tried to give taxpayers relief and becaus year－you will not receive Tier state dollars．So we pay the entire 27
cents，not just 9 cents of the 27 cents At Brackett ISD，the Schol Board adopted a very conservative budget．Most of our staff members will end up paying $50 \%$ of their in－ surance costs that last year were members will get very small salar increases this next year．In many in－ stances，they will have less money next year．
chave built lots of budgets for schoois in the past 23 years．In my
opinion，the School Board has taken a sound approach－conservative but
one that keeps the basic services one that keeps the basic services
going．The new building has nothing to do with the financial mess that SB7 caused．This building tax was voted on separately by BISD voters．
Being a School Board Member the Being a School Board Member the
next month will be a tough job，but our folks do a great job balancing the needs of children with the ability of taxpayers of Kinney County．By grant money as we can to help us
complete our library media center To date，we have accuuired two gran－ ts that are valued about $\$ 60,000$ ．
THANK YOU
Chuck and Connie for all your help
and support in our rodeo this sum－
Am always you have been a great
help．
Thanks a million．
Charlie and Katie Hall
Hall Girls Rodeo Team

## Sophomores Are Welcome

 The eyes of Texas－and thenation－are focused on an periment in education going at the the state＇s fourth largest univer sity has opened its doors to selected sophomores from high schools
around the state．Those accepted get their tuition paid and emerg from UNT 24 months later with their high school diplo
Senaing students to college at the end of their sophomore year in high school is an unusual experiment in education that began in 1988 when
the Legislature，concerned with the the Legislature，concerned with the
low scores of high school students in math and science，created the Texas Academy of Mathematics and solving the problem．

## School Menu

企实事 BREAKFASTMONDAY，AUGUST 30 Chese Toast－Fruit WEDNESDAY，SEPTEMBER 1 Fruit THURSDAY，SEPTEMBER FRIDAY，SEPTEMBER 3 Breakfast Pizza ad Bar and＂ B ＂Line Everyday ．LUNCH MENU MONDAY，AUGUST 30 Fruit
TUESDAY，AUGUST 31 illed Chese－Veretale Sala Fresh Fruit
WEDNESDAY，SEPTEMBER Hamburger－Burger Salad French Fries－Fruited Jello
THURSDAY SEPTEMBER THURSDAY，SEPTEMBER
Tacos－Taco Salad Ranch Beans－Spanish Rice Ranch Beans－Spanish Rice
FRIDAY，SEPTEMBER 3 hicken Patty W／Cream Grav Whipped Potatoes
Choice Of Veg－Roll

## Tigers

## De－Talon Eagles

By Brian Hooker
Brackett News Sports Writer Friday night，August 20，the Leakey Eagles in Leakey It wa Leakey Eagles in Leakey．It wa
wonderful，I＇m sorry if you missed
it．Since the Tigers started on defen－ se，I will，too．Moses Hernandez，a
freshman，showed his toughness by leading the team in tackles with seven．Jesse Terrazas（who had an excellent game）was next in line
with four tackles and two intercep－ with four tackles and two interce
tions．The following showed their tions．The foller by getting a piece
defensive power of the action．Manny Ramon－ 3
tackles，Earl Wright -2 tackles， tackles，Earl Wright -2 tackles，
Sean Burks -2 tackles，Ramon Sean Burks－ 2 tackiss，Ramon
DeLeon -2 tackles，Nacho Aguirre
2 tackles，Kelly Hendrich－ 2 tackles， Micheal Benacci－ 1 tackle，W Shahan－ 1 tackle，Matthew Rocha 1 tackle，Joey Pena－ 1 tackle，and Raymond Talamantez－ 1 tackle．A
you can see the Tigers played team you can
defense．
Now
Now for the fun part，offense！
Kelly Hendrich Kelly Hendrich completed three
passes，all to Jesse Terrazas for passes，all to Jesse Terrazas for
total of fifty－four air yards．Kelly＇s last pass to Jesse was a beautifu
thirty yard pass，and when Jess thirty yard pass，and when Jesse
caught it you might－as－well have caught it you might－as－well have
kissed him good－bye because he wa off to the races．The play ended up

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peing a seventy yard touch dow
play the the Brackett Tigers
six－nothing lead over Leakey． The Tigers not only passed well but they ran the ball well，too．
Ramon DeLeon，a freshmen who led the team in rushing yardage with a total of 86 yards，showed he＇s no
baby．Moses Hernandez，also freshmen，rushed for a total of 56 yards and the second touch down of
the evening．This gave the Tigers a and Oscar Garcia also ran the ball
well with a total of 14 yards a piece． Believe it or not！That＇s the game
folks，Brackett Tigers 12－Leakey Eagles 0 ． Till scrimmage Crystal City at home on Friday the 27，see
you there！


By Brian Hooker JUNOR VARSITY TIGERETTES

On Tuesday night，August． 24 ，the
Brackett J．V．Tigerettes played Natalia in their first district game．
The girls limited the match to only two games in a best of three
series．Brackett had a total of six
aces， 1 belonging to belonging to Casey Tipps，andi 3 for
Jackie Smith． At the end of the first game the
score stood 15－7 in favor of Brackett．Starting things off in the
second game was Amy Bader with
her ace．The freshmen her ace．The freshmen played the second game and ruled over
Natalia＇s J．V．The game started in
favor of Natalia $4-1$ until the fresh－ favor of Nataiia 4－1 until the fresh
men Tigerettes went on a $14-0$ run
to defeat their opponents $15-4$ ．The to defeat their opponents 15－4．The
Brackett J．V．Tigerettes now stand
with a record of $1-0$ in district． Coach Coggins said＂The girls
wiayed well but we still need work．＂
VARSITY TIGERETTES
Tuesday night，August 24，the
Brackett Tigerettes kicked off their
district season against district season against Natalia．
Natalia showed up unprepared，to

## Tiger Football

Friday，Augus 27，7：00 p．m．Scrimmage，here
Tigerette Volleyball
Crystal City

## Saturday，August 28 Varsit

Tuesday August 31 ，Crystal City Tournamen


Dove Season Near－Dove hunting，the traditional beginning of each Dove Season Near－Dove hunting，the tracitional beginning of each
year＇s hunting season in Texas，is almost here．As a reminder，mourning dove dates in Texas are：North Zone，September 1－November 9；Central
Zone，September 1－October 31 and December 26－January 3 ；and South Zone，September $1-$ October 31 and December 26 －January 3；and South
Zone，September 24－November 14 （ends November 10 in Special White－ Zone，September 24－November 14 （ends November 10 in Special White－
winged Dove Area）and December 26－January 12．The four－day white－ winged Dove Area）and December 26－anuary winged dove season in the Special White－winged Dove Area is scheduled for September $4,5,11$ and 12 ．
The statewide daily bag limits is 12 doves，including no more than six whitewings and two whitetips．During the regular season，in the
traditional white－winged dove counties of Cameron，Hidalgo，Starr and Willacy counties，the bag limit will remain 12 doves，including no mor than two white－winged and two white－tipped doves per day． The four－day white－winged dove season daily bag limits is 10 white
winged mourning and white－tipped doves in the aggregate，including no more than five mourning doves and two white－tipped doves．Shooting hours are noon to sunset．



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This years rolltack tax rate：
School mainenannce and operations


Page 6 Natasha's Stars ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Melsgivinghs about a are ill-foundersonal. You
will meet will meet with a challenging sita-
ton on the job this week and ton on the job this week and may
feel temporarily stymied. Patience, however, will win out. Watch overspending on pleasure interests. TAURUS (April 20 to May 20)
Friends may burden you with their Friends may burden you with their
problems. A new business opportunity that comes now pleases you very much. Family interests prosper this week. Unexpected company
drops by this weekend and you may drops by this weekend
GEMIN (May 2 It Io June 20) You
may be worried bout a business may be worried about a business
matter now. Delays at work get you matter now. Delays at work get you
down. Social life provides you with a quick pick-me-epu. A person who
flatters is insincere. More informaton is needed about an investment concern.
CANCER Communicating with a certain som one is like talking to a stone wall this week. There is no sense in arguing
with an opinionated type. Social life is fun, but guard against costly exis fun, bur guard against costly ex-
penditures. Share happy times with family this weekend.
LEO (July 23 It August 22 )
Monies due you may be delayed in Monies due you may be delayed in arriving this week. You sparkle with
creativity and will find the right words to get your points across to others. Reaching agreements about
financial interests wont the difficult financial interests wont be difficult.
Your routine at work may be upset in some way.
VIGO
IAugust 23
23 to September 22) You ar likely to meet with some opposition to your plans now, soot is
best to be low key and wait until a more propitious time. Feedback is likely to be negative if you don't give
others sufficient time others sufficient time to make up
their minds. Timing is very impertheir minds. Tim
tent this weekend.


LIBRA (September 23 to October
22) Work priorities may take precedence over socializing this
week. Still, you will receive a lovely week. Still, you will receive a lovely
invitation now. Pace yourself ac-
cordingly, Guard cordingly. Guard against overspend-
ing when socializing. Get-togethers ing when socializing. Get-togethers
with friends are short but sweet.
SCORPIO SCORPIO (October 23 to
November 21) November 21) A problem related to
child rearing may concern you and may interfere with your concentra-
ion for a while. A bona-fide career tion for a while. A bona-fide career
opportunity comes now. Coming on opportunity comes now. Coming on
too strong with a romantic interest
may cause this may cause this person to get cold
feet. Be feet. Be patient.
SAGTTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) A home matter will
have to be settled to your satisfaction
for you to feel free to accept a social for you to feel free to accept a social
invitation. It may take a few days, but
things will work out. A coworker is things will work out. A coworker is
touchy this week and it may be diftouchy this week and it may be dif-
ficult now to keep on top of things. Cicult now to keep on top of things.
CAPICORN (December 22 to January 19) Business developments
will put you in a better position. will put you in a better position. You
may be hesitant about a financial may be hesitant about a financial
concern and have a right to be
cautious. You cant be forced int cautious. You can the forced into
making up your mind now. Tell the other party you need more time to think things through properly. AQUARIUS (January 20 to
February 18) Getting a financial matter straightened out will take a few days. Don't look for immediate solutions. A close tie is sensitive now and needs special consideration.
Partnership rapport is a bright note this week.
PISCES (February 19 to March 20) A tendency to sell yourself short will work against you now. A new
career offering that comes this week career offering that comes this week
is worth your while. Be up for the is worth your while. Be up for the
challenge! Partners seem to be at distractions. Happy Birthday!

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has compiled $a$ weekly fishing report that is distributed and used by newspapers (including The Brocket News) and other media statewide. This week Hope has produced his 600th fishing report.
The first report was "called" in by telephone to the San Antonio Ex-
press-News on January 12, 1982

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The first report included 10 lakes, about 250 words. The report has
come a long way since then. The fishing report has now grown to include come a long way since then. The fishing report has now grown to include
about 90 fishing holes, including saltwater, and some 4,000 to 5,000 woras per week.
Hope will not make it to 700 reports. He is retiring at the end of Sep-
member.
AMISTAD: Water clear, 80 degrees,
7 feet low; black bass are fairly good in the $3-4$ pound range on deep
diving cranks and Power Worms in the afternoon in $30-36$ feet of water, buzz baits, PopRs are good early;
striper are fairly good to 22 pounds striper are fairly good to 22 pounds
trolling Rat-L-Traps in the evening; crappie are slow; white bass are
fairly good around Marker 20; catfairly good around Marker 20; cat-
fish are fairly good in $12-30$ feet of
water on cheese baits and nightcrawlers. crawlers.
BRAUNG: Water murky, 95
degree, normal level: degrees, normal level; black bass.
are fair in number to $111 / 2$ pounds, are fair in number to $111 / 2$ pounds,
most are too small to keep; striper
are fair to 4 pounds on chicken liver; catfish are fair to 5 pounds on worms and shrimp; channel catfish are
good to $21 / 2$ pounds on shad; redfish are good to 19 pounds on tilapia and spoons.
CALAVERAS: Water murky, 95 are slow; striper are slow to 4 punds on chicken liver and artificial baits; channel cattish are good to 1
pound each and blue catfish to pound each and blue catfish to 5
pounds and yellow to 24 pounds; pounds and yellow to 24 pounds;
redfish are good to $161 / 2$ pounds on
live perch and Rat-L-Traps; corvina live perch and Rat-L-Traps; corvina
are good to 15 pounds, 5 ounces on are good to 15 pounds, 5 ounces on
live perch.
CHOKE: Water clear, 87 degrees, normal level; black bass are fair to $81 / 2$ pounds on topwaters early and
white buzz baits, shad colored Wite buzz baits, shad colored
PopRs and Tiny Torpedoes in $3-8$ pie are slow in 25 to 40 feet of water
near the near the dam; white bass are fair in
the shallows of Huisache the shallows of Huisache Flats on
small cranks; cattish are fair to 25 small cranks; cattish are fair to 25
pounds early around trees around
roosting birds roosting birds in $3-8$ feet of water just east of Calliham Point, fish are
feeding on small clams, cheese bait
and liver have been producing larger
fish. COLETO CREEK: Water clear, 80 degrees, normal level; black bass are fair to 10 pounds on spinners and
worms; striper are slow; crappie are worms; striper are slow; crappie are
fair on minnows in 20 feet of water; catfish are good to 20 pounds on live CORPUS CHRISTI: Water clearing some dinginess in the upper end, 89 agrees, normal level; black bass the deep end of lake on downriggers; crappie are good in dep water around structures and catfish stare para on treas and old dam; middle of the lake on live perch; yellow catfish to 32 pounds are
beginning to hit: white beginning to hit; white bass are plentiful under the birds in the upper
lake, fish are a little larger than earlier.
FALCON: Water clear, 85 degrees 10 feet low; black bass are good Crabworms and Bass Assassins; striper are fair to 15 pounds on Knocker Spoons in 25 to 50 feet of water; crappie are slow; catfish are
good to $51 / 2$ pounds on shrimp; white good to $51 / 2$ pounds on shrimp; white
bass are good on Roadrunner jigs and spoons. MRDINA: Water clear, 87 degrees,
5 feet low; pounds on topwaters; catfish are fair to 4 pounds on nightcrawlers and
shrimp. shrimp.
rivers, main lake murky, 1 foot low;
black base black bass are good to 3 pounds on
plastic worm plastic worms, crappie are good to
20 fish per string in Sandiest Creek white bass string in fairies Creek; white bass are fair in creek on
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|  | JOB <br> ANNOUNCEMENT |
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| The Middle Rio Grande <br> Development Council is looking for qualified applicants interested in the full-time position of JTPA Participant Services Specialist/G.E.D. Instructor, or someone interested in one or the other of these positions on a part-time basis. <br> This position is responsible for assisting citizens of the Middle Rio Grande Region to become economically self sufficient through the proper evaluation, assessment, and assignment to an appropriate JTPA training activity. <br> Preferred qualifications for the specialist position include: (1)bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university; (2)two years experience in case management services and/or equivalent experience; (3)be TEA certified, (4)should be computer literate, (5)should possess demon strated ability in working effectively with students, parents and com <br> munity agencies. <br> The position requires traveling within and outside the Region and will office in Brackettville, Texas. <br> All qualified persons interested in applying for this position should mail resume and/ør application to Middle Rio Grande Development Council, P.O. Box 1199, 1904 N. First Street, Carrizo Springs, Texas 78834, attention: Ramon S. Johnston, Deputy Director of Administration. Applications will be accepted until position is filled. \#3433 | The Middle Rio Grande Development Council has a vacancy for a full-time Instructor at the Uvalde JTPA Office and Education Center. <br> Preferred requirements for this position include: (1)a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university (TEA Teacher Ceruniversity (TEA Teacher Cer- tification) required, (2)at least two years teaching experience and/or experience (3)should be computer literate and able to use computer laboratory for instruction (4)strong ability to communicate effectively in English and Spanish to youth and adult teaching groups, (5)should working effectively with students, parents, and community agencies. accordance with MRGDC salary Some regional and overnight travel required, therefore applicant must have reliable transportation. Interested applicants submit resume, application, and a Ramon S. Johnston, Deputy Director of Administration, P.O. Box 1199 , Carrizo Springs, Texas 78834 , (210)876-3533. Applications will be accepted until position is filled. <br> MRGDC is an equal opportunity employer. Program operator and auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities. |
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News from... The Pastor's Pen GIL ASH
First Baptist Church

In 1905 Augustus Saint-Guadens
was commissioned by President
Theodore Roosevelt to create some new designs for U.S. coins. Even
though he was an excellent artist he though he was an excellent artist he
had his problems in adapting to 3 dimensional artwork.
His first coins, though beautiful,
were of such high relief (were of such high relief (raised
images) that they did not stack very mall. In order to mint them it
required nine that required nine impressions at 172
tons of hydraulic pressure. Only 24 were made.
On his
On his second attempt, the president commanded the mint to "Begin the new issue even if it takes
you all day to strike one piece." As it you all day to strike one piece." As it
turned out, each coin required five strikings to bring out the clarity in high relief. A little boy was making quite a scolded him and said, "Son, you eat
like a pig." Realizing his little boy
had never seen a pig, he said, "You had never seen a pig, he said, "You
do know what a pig is, don't you?",
"Yes," replied the boy replied. "It's a hog's little boy Every day that we live, we leave
our impressions on boys and girls our impressions on boys and girls
both big and little. The longer we both big and little. The longer we
have them in our presence, in our stamping mold, the greater and
sigher the relief or impression will higher the relief or impression will
be. Isn't it important that we be cerbe. Inst it important that we be cr-
tain that the mold has been perfected by the "Master Artist?"
God created man in His image but through sin His creation has become to be made perfect is to go back to the refiners fire, melted and re-
molded. God help us to make good molded. God help us to make good
impressions! mess at the table, eating His fath impressions!

As each fifth Sunday, the Lord's Supper will be observed during the 11:00 a.m. Worship service. A covered dish meal will be served it-
mediately after the close of the morning services. Singspiration
The community is encouraged to join the First Baptist Church
congregation a $1: 30$ for a Community Singspiration. Anyone interested
in participating in the musical ministry may contact Pastor Gil Ash at
$563-2245$.
St. John's Baptist Church


The public is cordially invited to attend a special program at $2: 30$ p.m.,
Sunday, August 29 . Speaker will be Pastor Forrest P. Hill, Jr., Church of the Living Water, Austin, Texas.

## Frontier Baptist Church

 By Joe Townsendexpect the church to What does the church mean to
you? It means so much to so many people in som many different ways.
To some it's a social club. They To some it's a social club. They
go because their friends are there go because their friends are there
and they can see them, visit with
them and enjoy fellowship with them and enjoy fellowship with
them.
To some it is a status symbol. To some it is a status symbol.
They go because they feel it enhances their image in the community.
Some go because they find leaning post. If they get sick they

## "Boy Captives"

 At Sutlers Store The fifth and final printing of the story of two area boys captured byIndians in 1869, a book titled The Boy Captives, is on sale now at
Sutler's Store, the gift shop Sutler's Store, the girt shop
operated by the Fort Clark
Historical Society, Historical Society,
House Museum. The tale of the capture of brothers Clinton and Jeff Smith near their Dripping Springs home, by Lipan nd Comanche Indians, was first written in 1927 as Clinton told the
story to J. Marvin Hunter. Subsequent printings have
The book relates five attempts the Indians made to capture the Smith
children. Finally on the morning of March 3, 1869, as Clinton and Jeff went out to herd sheep, they were
cut off from their house and captared. Their father sought help from Their father sought help from
soldiers at Fort Concho and from
Camp Verde. Captain Charles Camp Verde. Captain Charles
Schreiner also joined the rescue ef-
fort. After chasing the Indians for Schreiner also joined the rescue es-
fort. After chasing the Indians for
250 miles, the white men finally had 250 miles, the white men finally had
to turn back.
Clint was Clint was adopted by a Comanche Chief and Jeff was sold to Geronimo.
This true narrative of the only known brothers to survive the hor-
dships of captivity by hostile Indians dships of captivity by hostile Indians
is undistorted by interpretation and unfolds in diary-like fashion describing their indoctrination into the Indian tribe and life including human raids, battles, war dances and
hunting adventures.

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The Boy Captives is being
distributed by Milton O . Smith, son of Clinton Smith. Milton is a retired rancher who lives at Rocksprings. The book is available at Sutler's
Store for $\$ 9.95$ plus tax or can be Store for $\$ 9.95$ plus tax or can be
ordered from Smith, Box 665,
Rocksprings, TX 78880 for $\$ 11.95$ which includes tax and postage.

## Obituary



Jose L. Anta, Sr.
Funeral services were held for
Jose L. Attu, Sr. at 10:00 a.m. Jose L. Attu, Sr. at 10:00 a.m.
Monday, August 23,1993 , at St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church. Burial followed at the Catholic
Cemetery in Brackettville. Father Cemetery in Bracketville. Father
David $G$. Zumaya officiated. Mr. Antu was born in Bracket-
tile on April 22,1909 , and died in Del Rio on August 19, 1993 . He worked for Rio Grand Alec-
uric Coop for many years.

Survivors are his wite, Carrie A tu of San Angelo; children, Irma
Avalos of San Antonio, Ernestine Welch of Kansas City, Missouri, Josie Jones, Mary Marcilliotte, Elvia
Cerverda, and Joe L. Anta San Angelo; 11 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren.
Funeral services were under the
arrangement of $G$ W arrangement of G.W. Co.
Funeral Home, Del Rio.

## Guy F. Burkart

Funeral services were held at St. Cheryl Guest of New Braunfels
Augustine's Catholic Church in $\begin{array}{lll}\text { Augustine's Catholic Church in } & \text { Judy Burkart of Pagosa; a loving } \\ \text { Houston on August 18, } 1993 \text { for } & \text { sister, Margaret Carter of Houston. }\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Houston on August } \\ \text { Guy F. Burkart. Fr. James Burkart } & \text { sister, Margaret Carter of Houston. } \\ \text { Surviving grandchildren are Lis }\end{array}$ officiated.
Guy Burkart, age 64, lived in $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ashore; Ben Graham; Zachary and } \\ & \text { April Guest; Patrick, David and }\end{aligned}$
Pagosa, Colorado, but was in Michelle Melancon; Pagosa, Colorado, but was in in
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Michelle Melancon; } \\ & \text { Houston for cardiac rehabilitation. }\end{aligned}$
Lopez; Shawn and Matthew McGee He is survived by his devoted and one great grandchildren, Chloe wife, Janie; and loving daughters Pamela Melancon and husband, Pat, of Brackettville; Bonnie Gippert and remembrances has requested that Church Directory

St. Andrews Episcopal Service 10:30 A.M. Vicar: Rev. Bill Koons, 563-2071. Worship 11:00 A.M., Sunday Evening Service 6:00 P.M., Joe Townsend, astor, 563-2158. Must baptist Church (A Southern Baptist Church): 307 N. Ann Street,
Sunday School $9: 45$ A...,. Sunda Worship 11:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M., Wednesday Worship 7:00 P.M. Gil Ash, Pastor, $563-2245$. Church of Christ: N. Ann St., Sunday school 9:30 A.M., Worship
Service 10:30 A.M., Bible Study Sunday 6:30 P.M., Wednesday 7:00
P.M. St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church: Masses Monday and Friday 7:00
A.M., Wednesday and Saturday 6:30 P.M., Sunday (Spanish) 8:00 A.M., Regular 10:30 A.M. Confession Wednesday and Saturday 6:00 P.M. Religion Classes Wednesday 6:00 P.M. Sunday 9:00 A.M. Prayer
Meeting (Spanish) Wednesday 7:00 P.M. Fr. David G 7 Meeting (Spanish) Wednesday 7:00 P.M. Fr. 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 Wednesday 5:00 P.M., Gordon Jor
St. John's Baptist Curch: Crockett Street at Mene Street. Sunday ser-
vices, Sunday School 10:00 A.M., Worship 11:00 A.M.; Wednesday, vices, Sunday School 10:00 A.M., Worship 11:00 A.M.; Wed
Bible Study 7:00 P.M. William P. Adams, Sr. Pastor, 563 -9175.

Did You Know?
That Jefferson Davis, president o
the Confederate States of America the Confederate States of America,
was the first choice to head the new was the first choice to head the new
Agricultural and Mechanical Agricultural, and
College of Texas.
He was offered the job in 1875 , but declined. Had he accepted,
A\&M would have had a president without a country. At the end of the Civil War, Davis was denied U.S.
citizenship. It was not restored until long after his death.
Davis had strong Texas ties. As a admission to the Union. During the U.S.-Mexican War, he was stationed on the Rio Grande. Later as U.S. Secretary of War, he con--
ceived the idea of sending camels to Texas to determine if they would be
useful in carrying the useful in carrying the supplies to
outlying forts.

Texas Department Of Agriculture By RICK PERRY

Red Grapefruit Chose
State Fruit Of Texas
Texans like to brag but usually Texas red grapefruit is another fine example of that spirit. The Texas red grapefruit, which was developed
in the Rio Grange Valley, was in the Rio Grande Valley, was
named "State Fruit of Texas" in a proclamation signed by Gov. Ann Richards and the resolution passed
the 73 rd Legislature the 73rd Legislature unanimously. We all know that the Texas red
grapefruit is the sweetest around grapefruit is the sweetest around. Nearly 20,000 acres of grapefruit
trees are planted in Texas, and the trees are planted in Texas, and the Texas red grapefruit generate
more revenue than any other tree fruit produced in the state. The Rio Star makes up $62 \%$ of the red
grapefruit crop while the Ruby-

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County Agent News

There are several up coming There are sev
events of interest
residents including *Pesticicid on August 31st beginning Training a.m. at the Civic Center. ${ }^{*}$ County $4-\mathrm{H}$ meeting August 30th at $7: 00$ ppm. in the County
Courthouse. This will be the Annual Courthouse. This will be the Annual Re-enrollment and Membership
meeting.
*Program to present options on *lderogram to present options on

Care and Nursing Care Facilities for Brackettville on Thur say, September 9th, at
he District Courtroom.

## TEXAS LAW WILL RESTRICT

LANDFILl OPERATIONS
In less than six (6) months, Texas law will require cities and counties to produce forty perce. Today, every Texan - every man, woman and child Texan - produces
on the average nearly $61 / 2$ pounds o trash a day. Figuring the State' population at 17 million, the figure is of landfill material annually. The Omnibus Recycling Bill, enacted by the 72nd Legislature, requires municialities across the flow by 40 percent by January 1 , 1994. What that means is every Texan will have to cut daily output
of trash from $61 / 2$ pounds to about 4 of trash
pounds.
The
The Texas Legislator's intention was to jump-start recycling efforts
at the municipal level. Critics of the at the municipal level. Critics of the
bill say it lacks one crucial feature The bill seems to be lacking provisions for fines or penalties. A task force will make recommenassist communities with complying with the bill. The task force would likely recommend putting a mandatary ban on disposal of leaves, waste in landfills.
How are cities and counties to reduce their waste flow by 40 percent? Back yard composting of lan-
dscape trimmings is the easiest and dscape trimmings is the easiest and
most environmental friendly way. Leaves, grass clippings and other landscape trimmings make up about 28 percent of Texas annual landfill Nearly, or l of the five million tons could be turned back into garden
posting. It's a simple low cost an-
swer to the Omnibus Recycling Act With the exception of very woody brush, residents can recycle all their
organic materials right in their own organic materials right in their own
back yards through composting and back yards
mulching.
Other that
Other than composting, the only
quick way to decrease quick way to decrease landfill
volume would be to increase tipping volume would be to increase tipping
fees or taxes or implement other more expensive recycling efforts. The Omnibus Recycling Act is
only one of several only one of several laws recently
coming to bear on Texas landfills. coming to bear on Texas landfills.
The Federal Resource Conses
ration Act (RCRA), the same act vation Act (RCRA), the same act
responsible for superfund cleanups, requires operators closing landfill
after October 8 , to monitor leaka at the site for 30 years. RCRA requires operators to drills and main
tain at least three wells on a small tain at least three wells on a small
landfill. Larger landfills may require 20 or more monitor wells to satisfy the Federal regulations. If a landfill is closed before Oc
toper 8 , midnight, then the toter 8 , midnight, then the 30 -year
monitoring law won't apply. Closing early saves the operator tens hundreds of thousands of dollars in monitoring costs.
The Act has
the number of me number of Texas landfills from
more than 1100 in 1989 to 430 in June, 1993. Operators have closed
many smaller landfills, consolidating their collections at regional sites.
The real concern is not about there being enough landfill sites in the future. The question is, "Will
cities and counties be able to afford cities and counties be able to afford
to operate a landfill?" There ar plenty of suitable sites available, bu operating a landfill is likely to become much more expensive a State and Federal regulations come
to bear. That expense will be passed on by landfill operators to Texas citizens one way or the other. Over the next few weeks, I will
run a series of articles explaining the "un a series of articles explaining the way the concept is supposed to out more about therested in finding out more about the program you ca
contact the Kinney County Office o The Texas Agricultural Extension Service. ted by the Texas abrams conduc tension Service servericultural $\mathrm{E}_{\mathrm{x}}$ ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, sex, religion, handicap or national origin."

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## Get The Tiger Spirit!



