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**BRIEFS**

**BISD registration is set for Friday at Auditorium**

Brackett ISD will hold registration for students in grades 7-12 on Friday in the BHS Auditorium. Students may come anytime between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. to pick up their schedules.

All students new to the district need to contact Michelle Frerich, school counselor, at 563-2491, Ext. 226 or 400, before the first day of school so that a schedule can be prepared. To enroll, all new students need to have their birth certificate, Social Security card, proof of residency, shot record, transcript (high school students), report cards, guardianship, and any special programs records.

**KCGCD holds hearings today at Courthouse**

The Kinney County Groundwater Conservation District will be holding public hearings on permit applications today, immediately following their 1:30 p.m. special meeting at the Courthouse.

To protest or otherwise participate in the hearings, a person must submit a hearing registration form for each application in which they desire to participate.

The registration form must include a statement of the basis for which a person is participating.

**Citizens group set to meet Thursday**

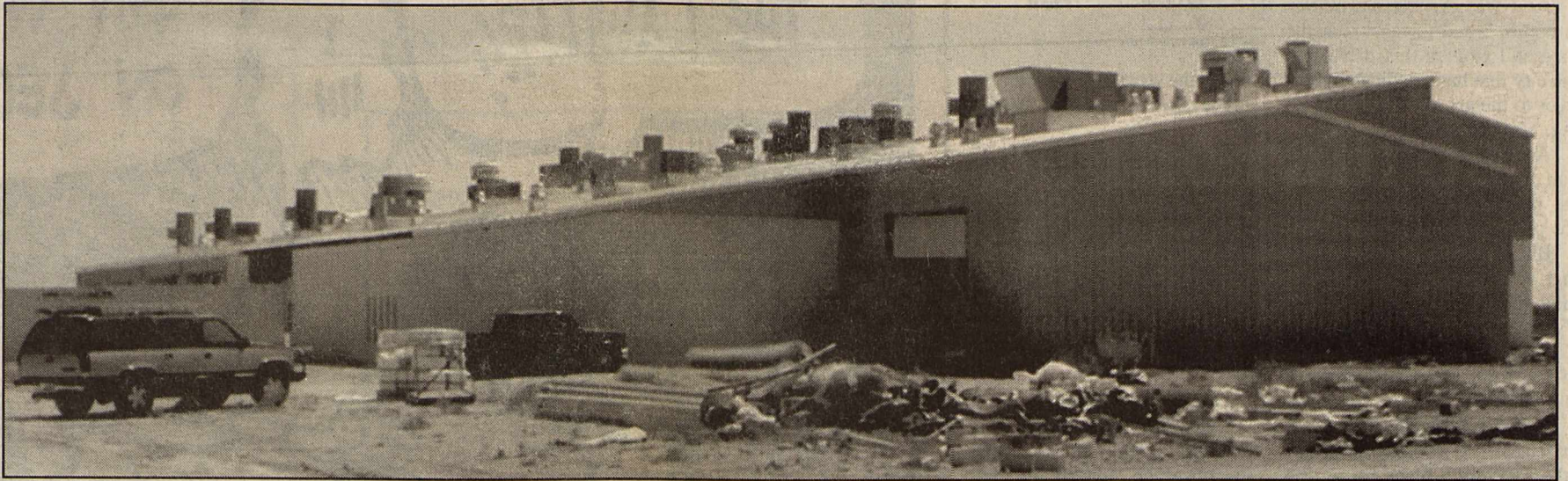
The Kinney County Groundwater Citizens grass roots movement will hold their next meeting on Thursday, Aug. 19, at the home of Jim and Silk Waters Mooney at 316 E. El Paso Street.

The meeting will begin at 7 p.m. The topics covered in this meeting will be the continued planning of the "Citizens Understanding Groundwater" educational symposium scheduled for the month of October, the "Meet Your Waterboard candidates" townhall meeting scheduled for November, and a voter registration drive.

"If you are interested in water rights, we do hope you will join us," Silk Waters Mooney said.

"Kinney County Citizens does not ally itself with any interest group; rather, we are dedicated to creating an environment of communication, cooperation and education regarding groundwater issues. All viewpoints are invited," she added.

If you have questions, please call 563-3443.



## Foreigners visit detention center

Last Thursday approximately 20 foreign dignitaries from Singapore and the Philippines toured the local detention center. The group is considering building a similar but much larger facility. If completed their center would be eight stories and house 7,000 inmates.

The 320-bed facility located in Kinney County is still under construction. According to Project Superintendent Joe Redman, construction is still on schedule.

"We're planning on being finished on Oct. 15," said Redman. The building is dried in and most of the construction is now being done on the interior.

Six years ago, county officials began exploring the feasibility of running a detention center with tax-based financing. Kinney County commissioners opted to pursue a privately-funded facility.

Riata Texas of Midland is funding the \$8.43 million facility. CiviGenics, a Massachusetts-based company, will operate the facility, which will house federal inmates.

"There is zero financial risk for the county," said Herb Sen-

ne, County Judge.

The total cost of the project includes \$7.2 million for general construction and built-in furnishings and equipment; \$543,548 for architectural engineering, construction, management and project administration fees; \$399,400 for development and interim finance costs to Riata Texas; \$238,000 for land costs; and \$50,000 for a betterment allowance and contingency fund.

"This is a big deal for us and a big deal for Kinney County," said Mike Patton, a marketing specialist with CiviGenics. "We've all faced a lot of difficulties over the last several years, but we have been constantly working and it has all come together."

The detention center will be on 60 acres of land, located on Highway 131, approximately 1.3 miles south of the Highway 90 intersection.

CiviGenics expects to hire approximately 60 employees to operate the detention center.

"We will want to hire local personnel, as much as we can," he said. "We think there is a good labor pool here and in the surrounding counties. We will

pay competitive wages."

In addition to housing federal inmates, the detention facility will include office space and an evidence storage facility for the Kinney County Sheriff's Office.

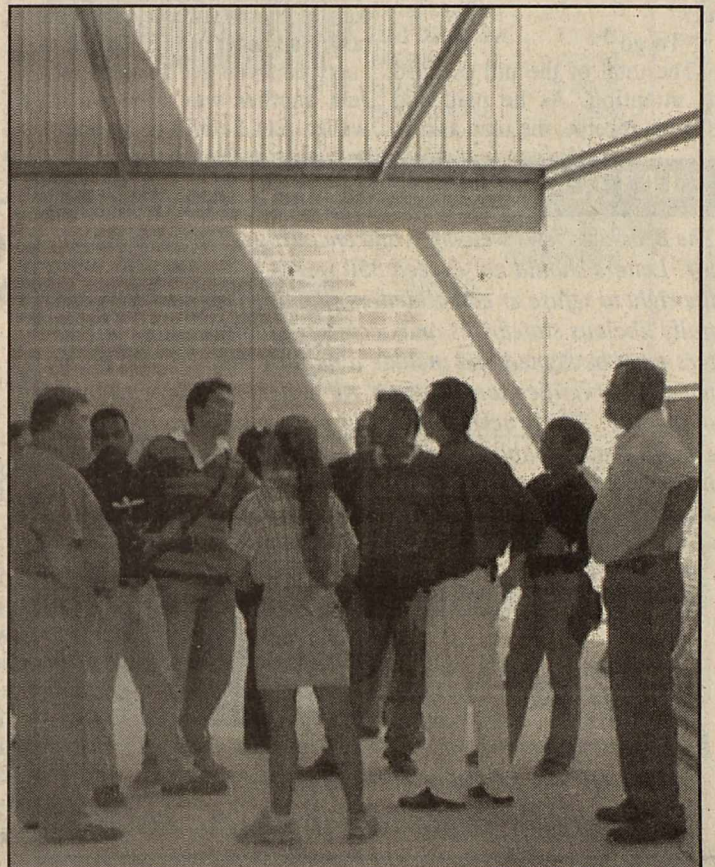
"The detention center will help us tremendously," Sheriff L.K. "Buddy" Burgess said. "We're hoping we can get some female prisoners in there instead of putting them in Wackenhut (Detention Center in Del Rio), and maybe get a cheaper rate."

Female prisoners cannot be housed in the local county jail, but officials have discussed holding female prisoners in the new detention center.

"The financiers and the operator are both very sensitive to county needs. If we feel like we need those accommodations made available, I'm positive they will make accommodations for us," Senne said.

The sheriff said the county plans to continue to house federal prisoners in the 28-bed local jail.

"My intention is to house federal prisoners here to offset the expense of the dispatchers because we'll still have to have dispatchers anyway," Burgess said.



**Foreigners visit center** Dignitaries from Singapore and the Philippines tour the detention center with Mike Patton of CiviGenics. Photos by Jewel Robinson

## Corrigan's been working on the railroad

By JAMES C. REESMAN  
Contributing Writer

Gene Corrigan spent most of his life as a dry land farmer and muleteer, but in 1986, at the age of 50, he went to work for the Durango and Silverton Railroad in Durango, Colo. He began as a seasonal employee during the April-to-October summer season.

It seems that the Durango and Silverton has a very stable work force. Corrigan had to apply three times for employment before he was hired. In the succeeding years, he earned promotion to conductor, the position that he holds today.

The LaPryor native recently

shared his railroad experiences during the Fort Clark Historical Society's monthly meeting.

The Durango and Silverton was built in 1881 as a spur line of the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad from Alamosa, Colo., to the silver mines in Silverton.

It is a narrow gauge rail line. The rails of narrow gauge track are spaced 3 feet wide, compared with standard gauge that is 4 feet, 8 1/2 inches wide. Narrow gauge was chosen to reduce the cost of construction in the mountains.

The Silverton route was built in less than 12 months. The line linked Silverton with its silver deposits to Durango that had

coal deposits and a smelter. The mines were active until the silver played out in the 1850s. As a result, both Silverton and Durango grew into sizeable towns that quickly grew into tourist destinations with extensive shopping and dining facilities when the line was reorganized for rail tourism.

Today, the Durango and Silverton offers an all day excursion over 45 miles of some of the most impressive scenery in Colorado.

Three trains per day are scheduled to make the climb from Durango, elevation 6,500 feet, to Silverton, elevation 9,600 feet. The trains take three

and a half hours to make the climb at a speed of 15 miles per hour. The three trains are spaced about a half hour apart and begin leaving at 8:15 a.m.

All seats are reserved. Each train may pull from five to 15 or more cars. If more than 11 cars are pulled in one train, two steam engines instead of one are used to pull the train up the 2 1/2 percent grade.

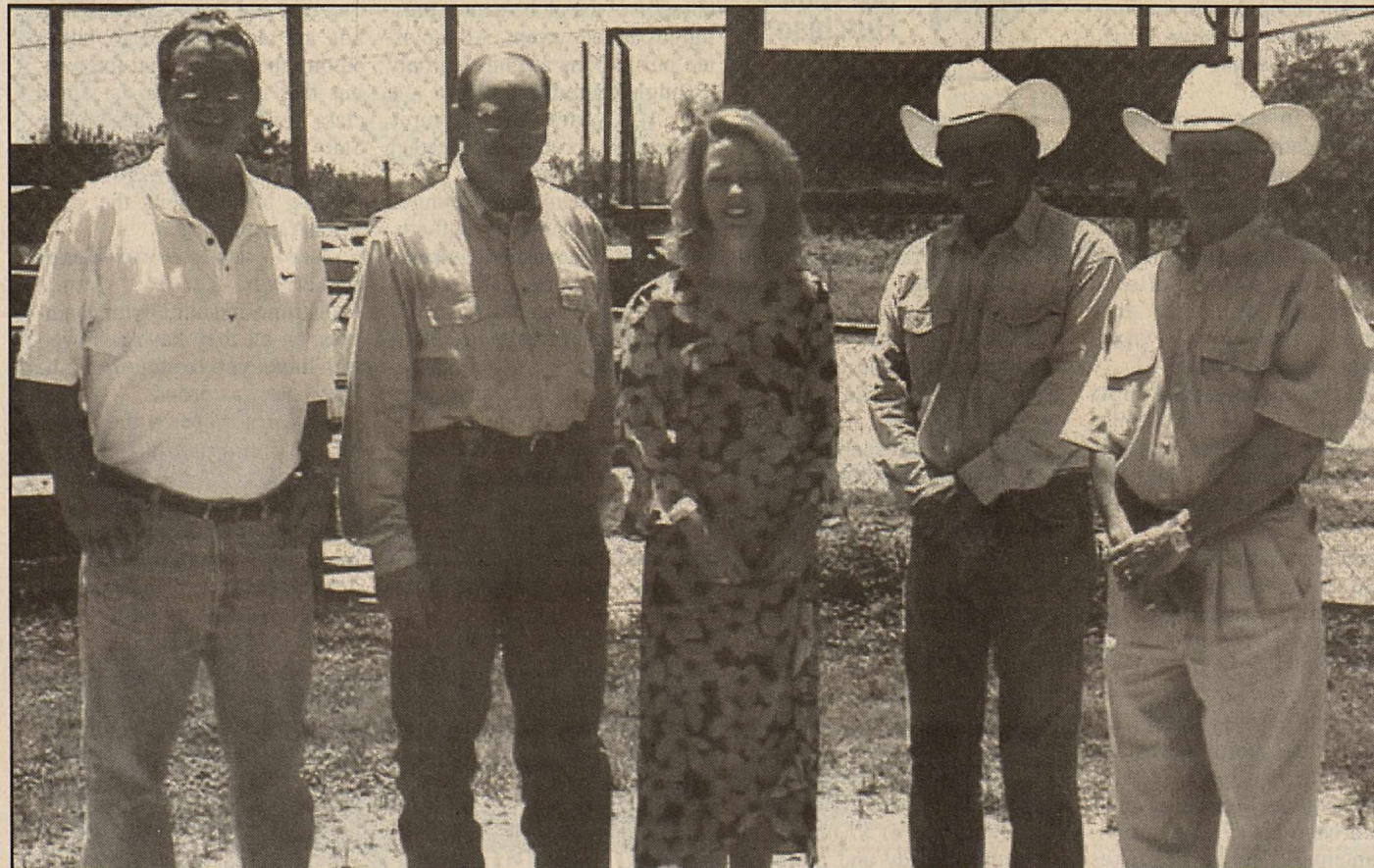
Three types of cars are used: narrow gauge passenger coaches built in the late 19th and early 20th century, standard gauge freight cars that have been mounted on narrow gauge trucks and converted to open observation cars with two rows

of bus seats facing outward to the open sides to allow 24 passengers the fair weather fun of riding in the open air, and at the end of each train a first class parlor car with tables and chairs and a bar. One car, in the middle of the train, is converted to a concession and snack facility.

Two young women walk the train, selling souvenirs and answering questions. It takes three and a half hours to make the run to Silverton.

The 9 o'clock train arrives at 2:30 in Silverton and departs for the return to Durango at 2:45, arriving at 6:15. Reserved seats in the coaches and open-air cars ■ See CORRIGAN/Page 5

## Rotarians to restore Little League Park



**Rotary centennial project**

Pictured at the Kinney County Little League Park are Rotarians Taylor Stephenson (from left), Dave Alexander, Brackettville Rotary Club centennial president Lynn McC Carson, Stan Conoly and Tully Shahan.

Photo by Bill Haenn

By BILL HAENN  
Contributing Writer

On July 3, 1886, Lt. Francis H. French of the 19th Infantry, serving at Fort Clark, wrote in his diary: "Went over to town ... and after buying a straw hat went out to watch a game of baseball between a fat and a lean nine that was rather amusing."

Baseball and Brackettville have been a part of one another for at least 118 years. Unfortunately, the quality of the playing field has not improved much in all those years. It is time for change!

Rotary Clubs worldwide will celebrate 100 years of Rotary service this 2004-05 Rotary year. Each club has been challenged by Rotary International to perform a significant community service project in celebration of the centennial.

In 2001 the Brackettville Rotary Club selected as their centennial project the refurbishment of the Kinney County Little League Park. The project is an ambitious one that will require extensive coordination, fund raising, and hard labor. The goal is to provide the children of

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Eat in or carry out?

When I was in San Antonio at the Methodist Hospital, I had to marvel at the men and women that have dedicated their lives to the art of healing. I salute you all.



But I Could Be Wrong

Chuck Hall

As I was driving out of San Antonio, I had to marvel at the men and women that drive into the city that have dedicated their lives to the art of offensive driving. I salute you all.

As long as there is traffic in San Antonio, Texas, the medical profession will never want for patients to practice on.

But this isn't about any of that. When we were at the hospital the last time, waiting for Ty to come out of recovery, Connie asked me to go across to the food court to get her a cup of coffee. I did.

I went past Starbuckles. Too expensive. I walked up to another fast food place to get the coffee.

The man in front of me asked for a burger of some sort, hash browns and a drink. The check out clerk asked: "Eat in or carry out?"

"To go."

The total of the bill escaped my attention. As he paid and read his receipt, the man asked:

"What the @\$&%\*# is this?" The clerk responded: "What, sir?"

"This \$3.24 carry-out tax!" "I don't really know, sir. It's just our policy. I can take back your order and refund your money if you'd like."

The man mumbled something about the guy's ancestry and walked away.

The clerk turned to me. "Yes, sir?"

"Two coffees please."

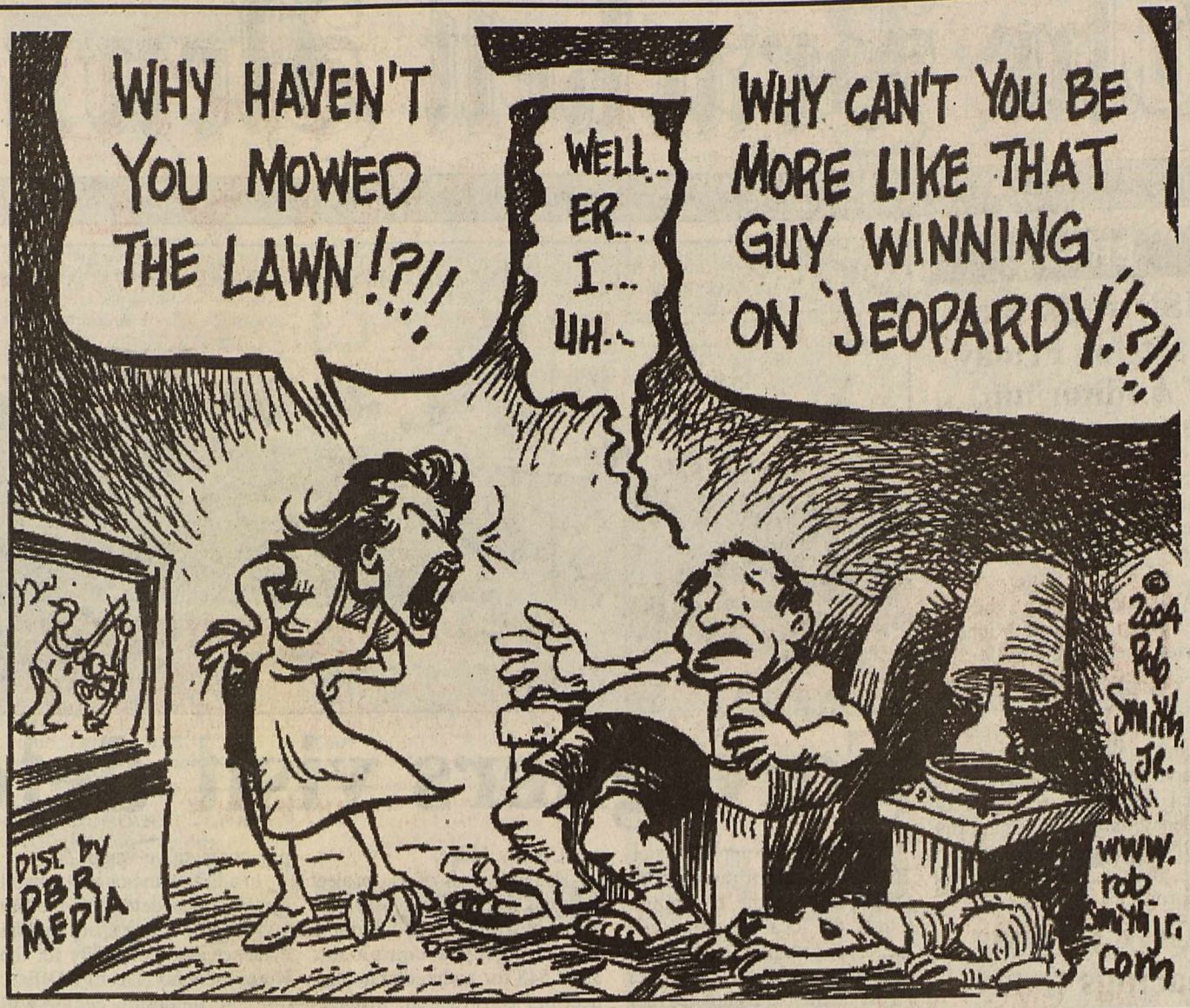
"Eat in or carry out?"

Now I'm thinking. After what I just observed, why should I tell him I want them to go?

"I'll drink them both here, thank you."

I got my bill and checked to insure my smugness. At the bottom of the bill was a carry out tax! I am not joking. Eat in or carry out, you get tax added on.

Just another way to drain my wallet. But I could be wrong.



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See Kerry for who he really is

I was prowling through the Internet news this morning and ran across a headline that really caught my eye. "Democrats Try to Show Public the Real Kerry," it screamed.

That was a tremendous surprise to me. I would have thought that was the last thing in the world the Democrats would want is for the public to see their candidate as the turncoat weasel he really is. What they really mean is that they want the public to see Kerry as the Democratic Party would like the public to perceive him, not how he really is.



The Way I See It

Steven R. LaMascus

They want the public to think of Kerry as a poor boy, grass roots, pulled-himself-up-by-his-own-bootstraps, common man, war hero.

What they don't want is for the public to see Kerry as the boot licking, communist, treasonous, lying, do-anything-to-get-elected, filthy rich, liberal slime that he really is.

Kerry was in Vietnam for one reason only. When he joined the Navy, he had his sights set on a political career. His only goal was to get in, give himself some medals, and get out as quickly as possible, so he could use his "war experience" as a launching pad for political office.

He didn't care who he had to kill, betray or defame. He didn't care whose lives he destroyed.

He didn't care what lies he had to tell or who he had to use and then dispose of like trash. All he wanted was to further the

everybody else was doing it on purpose, just for kicks, because they liked it!

That's why there are so many Vietnam veterans who suffer from nightmares and flashbacks. They loved it so much they want to relive it in their dreams. That's why when my buddy Jerry Leverton, a combat Marine in 1968 and '69, returned from Vietnam, his hands shook so badly that he had to use an electric razor and couldn't hold a cup of coffee without spilling most of it. Not on your life!

Kerry's conduct while in Vietnam should give us all a hint of how liberals really feel about the poor, downtrodden masses. They're all for 'em! If you can't buy their votes, just kill 'em, call it an "accident of war," and write yourself up for a medal.

I can't believe that there are enough people in this nation with sufficient forgetfulness or historical blindness that John Kerry could be elected president. I can't believe that such a two-faced, chameleon-like, Benedict Arnold wannabe could deceive the number of voters required to elect him.

I fully expect him to carry California. Nobody who lives

there can recognize reality anyway. Most of them think they're watching a made-for-TV movie about a presidential race and can't wait to find out how it ends!

They probably don't even realize they're voting for the presidency of the U.S., but think they are voting for Kerry to win an Oscar for his starring role in "Fool the People and Get Elected."

But anybody who remembers the Vietnam years and saw the chaos and how our soldiers were treated by such paragons of patriotism as Hanoi Jane Fonda and her worshipful minion Hanoi John Kerry should be physically ill when confronted by such verbal sewage as Kerry ladders out to his adoring sycophants.

The frightening thing is that I really believe the treasonous slime ball stands a good chance of being the next president. Which goes to show how much faith I have in the American people to see through the lies and deceptions and determine their own best interests. Please, I beg, prove me wrong!

Do you think the Liberal Left would see themselves in the following Bible verse?

Ecclesiastes 10:1-3, "As dead flies give perfume a bad smell, so a little folly outweighs wisdom and honor. The heart of the wise inclines to the right, but the heart of the fool to the left. Even as he walks along the road, the fool lacks sense and shows everyone how stupid he is."

Olympians are hometown heroes

"The most important thing [in the Olympic Games] is not to win but to take part, just as the most important thing in life is not the triumph but the struggle. The essential thing is not to have conquered but to have fought well." - The Olympic Creed Number Six

We've all been inspired by Texas' athletic stars, hometown heroes to many of us. But there is one star who seems to shine brighter with each summer victory. Lance Armstrong has done it again. He's accomplished what no other cyclist has done before, winning his sixth straight Tour de France.

The Austin native held up six fingers as he raced to the finish line in Paris, pedaling his way out of Montereau and into history as one of the greatest athletes ever.

Cyclists from all over the world compete along 2,050 miles of road ranging from flat wheat fields to the steep Alps, making the Tour de France known not only for its beautiful terrain, but also as one of the most grueling sporting events of the modern era. Lance Armstrong has been an inspiration through his cycling accomplishments. Yet the headlines and glory fall a distant second behind his victory over cancer.

In October of 1996, while seemingly at the top of his game,



Capitol Comment

Kay Bailey Hutchison

the two-time Olympian was stricken with pain and forced off his bike. Armstrong was given less than a 50-50 chance to live after testicular cancer spread to his lungs and brain. As if scripted by Hollywood, the promising athlete fought and persevered to defeat the disease - and then employed that same tenacity to get back on the bike and back on top.

Today, our Texas hometown hero uses his triumphs to serve as a symbol of hope, inspiration and survivorship. He established the non-profit Lance Armstrong Foundation (LAF), which has become one of the nation's pre-eminent cancer research organizations. This year, the LAF sold yellow bracelets with the words "Live Strong" with a goal of raising \$5 million for cancer patients and their families. So far, LAF has sold seven million bracelets, bringing a total of \$7 million to the cause already and more on back order.

**A Look at Athens**  
The competitive side of Texas will continue to shine this sum-

mer as the country and the world heads to Athens, Greece for the 2004 Summer Olympic Games.

Every four years, the world comes together as one in celebration of the globe's most prestigious athletic event. All too often our nations are unified only through tragedy, but, for the past 108 years, the Olympic Games have brought us together for friendly competition.

In the first modern Olympic Games, approximately 300 athletes from 13 countries competed in only nine sports. This month, nearly 10,500 athletes from 202 countries will partake in 37 different events.

So who will be next in joining Lance Armstrong and Michael Johnson in Texas Olympic history? Texas is the home state of 29 athletes on the 2004 U.S. Olympic Team. We are proud to field more athletes than any other state, except California.

Fellow Texans will be cheer-

ing on their hometown heroes, including returning Olympians Mia Hamm, Sheryl Swoopes, Laura Wilkinson, Amy Acuff, Glenn Fuller, Connie Schiller Smotek, and Stacy Sykora. Texans are accustomed to being among the biggest and the best, but this competition is world class. Each one of these Lone Stars will be doing their utmost, competing for the gold and fighting to be among the great Texas Olympians.

I congratulate our Texas hometown heroes, Lance Armstrong and our Olympic athletes, in all they have achieved and have yet to accomplish. They make us proud.

To learn more on the Lance Armstrong Foundation visit [www.laf.org](http://www.laf.org) and [www.livestrong.com](http://www.livestrong.com) to order a Live Strong bracelet. Keep up to date on the US Olympic team and Olympic events at [www.usolympicteam.com](http://www.usolympicteam.com) and [www.athens2004.com](http://www.athens2004.com).

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4009A	03 Buick Century	13995	4087A	02 GMC Yukon	21995	3817B	99 Chevrolet Silverado 2500 Ext Cab	11995
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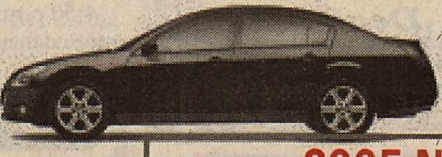
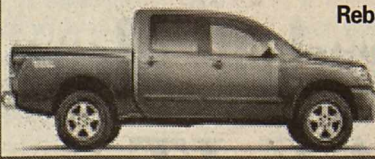





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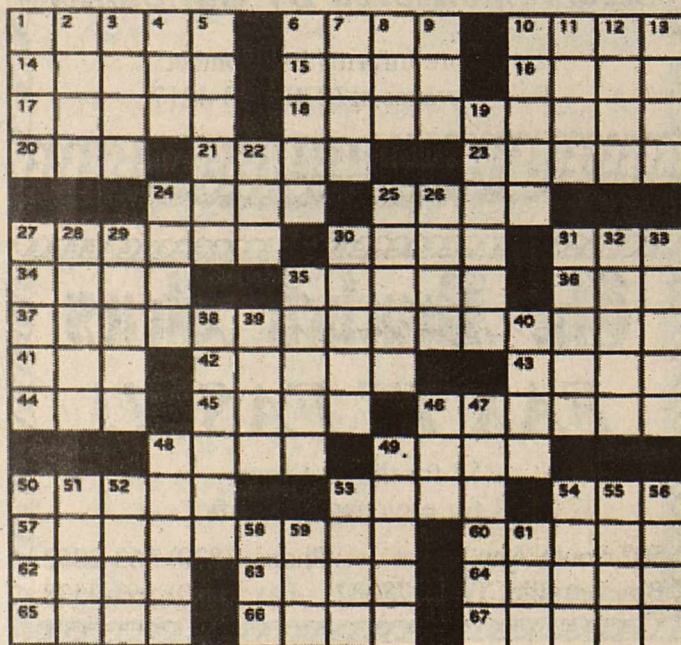
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ACROSS
1 Icy cream serving
6 Man's nickname
10 Second in a series
14 Disease that attacks the muscles
15 Medley
16 Future indicator
17 \_\_\_ costs; regardless of the difficulty
18 Very cruel
20 Hanking
21 Property buyer's concern
23 Biblical line
24 Rapidly growing item
25 Got away
27 Ricer's alternative
30 Cherished
31 LV fore-runners
34 Jai
35 Does an usher's job
36 \_\_\_ tree;
37 Firm set in a jungle
41 Work unit
42 Restores to health
43 Pinnacle
44 Cockney abode
45 European river
46 Makes changes in
48 Mars' counterpart
49 Anticlockwise
50 Hastily
53 "Wanna make \_\_\_?"
54 Pronoun
57 Painful problem
60 Claw
62 Ending for some girls' names
63 Stable staple
64 African antelope
65 Like some hooves
66 Scottish language
67 Violates
DOWN
1 SPCA's
2 advice for sheep
3 Pearl Buck heroine
4 Word with olive or motor
5 Gallup respondent
6 Regally clothed
7 \_\_\_ Bator, Mongolia
8 Polite person's word
9 Sound of grief
10 Weary
11 Kuwaiti leader
12 Sri Lanka exports
13 \_\_\_ Murray
19 Opposed to wind or sand
24 Genius
25 Accomplishments
26 Strip of wood
27 San \_\_\_ California
28 Buzzer
29 Beetle



ROARING TWENTIES

In the grid below, twenty words can be found that fit the category for today. Circle each word that you find and list it in the space provided at the right of the grid. Words can be found in all directions— forwards, backwards, horizontally, vertically and diagonally. An example is given to get you started. Can you find today's 20 words?

Today's Category: TV SHOWS - PAST & PRESENT

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August 17.....Melissa Davis
August 17.....Arthur Galther
August 17.....Jessica T. Luna
August 18.....Elaine Lord
August 18.....Johnny Mellor
August 18.....Mathew Smallwood

Roaring Twenties Solution:
1. Amen 11. Gunsmoke
2. Baywatch 12. JAG
3. Bonanza 13. Jeopardy
4. Cheers 14. Lassie
5. Cosby 15. M\*A\*S\*H
6. Dallas 16. Matlock
7. Dynasty 17. Maude
8. Fame 18. Roseanne
9. Frasier 19. Topper
10. Friends 20. Zorro

HOROSCOPES

by Charles Cooper

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) You could get in over your head concerning a credit card matter. Think this through carefully. Your budget may not be able to accommodate more debt.
TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) You're usually pretty self-reliant. This week, though, you will need help from a friend. Don't be too proud to ask.
GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Keep your wits about you this week. More precisely, you need to pay close attention to what's being said. What you learn is beneficial to your future.
CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Minor domestic problems have happy endings. At work, though, it's best to stay out of the fray. Co-workers who are feuding could drag you into a mess.
LEO (July 23 to August 22) You're certainly no shrinking violet. However, this week, try to keep a low profile. This week-end, travel plans reach fruition.
VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) You're not in the mood for extra work. However, it comes your way regardless. If you resist the urge to procrastinate, you'll do fine.
LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) You lack motivation this week. Perhaps you should get a check-up. This could have something to do with your overall health.
SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) It's fine to look to the future. In the process, though, don't ignore what's going on in the present. Later in the week, you're taken aback by someone's interference.
SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) For some reason, you feel you have a reason to be jealous. This won't do you any good in the romance department. Put aside those insecurities once and for all.
CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Being assertive this week gets you where you want to go. By week's end, a major goal is accomplished. Later, feel free to celebrate your success.
AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) You like everything laid out very neatly. Thus, when an unexpected event occurs, you're slow to adapt. Try not to let this happen this week.
PISCES (February 19 to March 20) You're swayed by what a co-worker tells you concerning money matters. However, don't act right away. You need to do more research before plunging in.



