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BRACKETTVILLE, TEXAS



STOCK SHOW



news in brief

The Brackettville City Council will hold a Special Meeting at City Hall, Friday, January 23, at 7:00 pm.

The Council has on the agenda the following business:

- 1) Call to Order
- 2) Roll Call
- 3) Bill to be Paid
- 4) Sanitary Land Fill
- 5) Ordinances
- 6) Stray Dogs
- 7) Steel tank Service
- 8) Revenue Sharing
- 9) Police Car Repair(Norman Hooten)
- 10) Executive Session
- 11) Action concerning City Manager

The above schedule was posted on January 20, 1981.

TORTILLA TOURNAMENT AND FRONTIER FAIR MEETING POSTPONED

Due to illness of several key people, the meeting that was scheduled for this past Monday evening was postponed. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 3, 7:00 p.m. at the Kinney County Courthouse.

BAR-B-QUE HONORING SHEEDY AND TALAMANTEZ PLANNED

A Gala Celebration honoring ex-county officials Johnny Sheedy and G.C.Talamantez is planned for March 14th at 6 pm til ? at the civic center, according to Mrs. Hazel Earwood.

Mrs. Earwood states "Friends and local businesses will sponsor the affair, which will include a bar-b-que for the two veteran ex-county officials that have each served Kinney County for over 30 years." Those wishing to participate or wanting additional information may contact Mrs. Earwood at 563-9771.

TANA McCARTY ELECTED FFA SWEET-HEART

By: Juanita Rivas

Wednesday, January 14th, the Brackett High School FFA Chapter elected freshman Tana McCarty as their 1980-81 Chapter Sweetheart. Five girls were nominated for the honor: Tina Kral, Tana McCarty, Delma Villarreal, and Martina Valdez.

LITTLE LEAGUE MEETING SLATED

There will be a parent's meeting for Little League, at Kinney County Courthouse--7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, January 27th. Board of Directors will be elected. Everyone is Welcome.

COSTLEY ON DEAN'S LIST

ALPINE..Martha Costley of Brackettville was named to the Dean's List at Sul Ross State University for the 1980 fall semester.

According to Dr. Earl Elam, Vice president for Academic Affairs, undergraduate students who have been enrolled for as many as 15 semester hours during the previous semester and have earned a grade point average of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale are named to the list each semester.

Ms. Costley earned a grade point average of 3.6.

Thank You

Brackettville, Texas
January 19, 1981

Dear Friends,

We would like to take this opportunity to say THANKS to Travis and Lanette Wilson and all our friends for the reception and the watches we received at the Longhorn Restaurant recently.

We greatly appreciate this gesture of friendship and respect.

Sincerely,
/s/ G.C.Talamantez
/s/ Johnnie Sheedy

Thank You

I would like to express my heart felt thanks to all who helped me so much during the time of our sorrow in the loss of my husband EMIL A. BAYER, who had ranched in Kinney County for over fifty three years.

Especially to those who visited, brought food, gave mass offering sent flowers and cancer donations.

Most sincere thanks to Fathers Buckley and Couch.

Your kindness will always be remembered. May God Bless each and everyone of you.

Sincerely
Mrs. E.A. Bayer
& George

COME TO THE STOCKSHOW

By: Joe Cruz, Jr.

The 26th Annual Kinney County 4-H--FFA Livestock Show will begin Friday at 1 pm at the Civic Center. Events are scheduled as follows:

FRIDAY, JAN. 23.

- 8--12NOON weighing of Market Lambs
- 9 AM Project Show Exhibit entered
- 10AM Judging of Project Show
- 11AM Project Show open to public
- 1 PM Cattle & Hog Judging
- 5 PM Project Show exhibit picked up.

SATURDAY, JAN. 24.

- 8 AM Market Lamb Judging
- Light Weight Fine Wool
- Medium Weight Fine Wool
- Heavy Weight Fine Wool
- Light Weight Cross-bred
- Heavy Weight Cross-bred
- 12NOON Bar-B-Que
- 1 PM Auction

TECHbits

by; Cal Graf

SHOW ME THE WAY TO GO HOME--Magnetic declination varies from plus 24 degrees in Washington state (where the compass is pulled 24 deg. east of map north) to minus 22 degrees in the State of Maine (where the compass is pulled 22 west of map north.) When driving or flying across the US, the compass would thus swing a total of 46 degrees.



According to the Aztec calendar, a week lasted 20 days.



Richard the Lionhearted spent less than a year of his reign in England.

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Health Care At Home

The home is being newly appreciated as a medical care facility, says Lowell S. Levin, professor of Public Health at Yale University. Speaking at a conference



sponsored by The Proprietary Association, a trade association representing the manufacturers of nonprescription medicines, he declared that, in addition to better and more effective medicines for self-care, we can expect to see more technology like blood pressure cuffs and home dialysis machines for home-care and self-care for chronic diseases and minor illnesses and injuries.

 "Self-care, including self-medication," Levin said, "is the broad and essential base of the health care system. Strengthening this component of the system portends extraordinary benefits in the public interest. Improving self-service in health care may be the most efficacious way of improving the production, distribution and use of professional resources."

 Dr. Levin added: "There will be both professional and political resistance to change in the status of self-care and self-medication. However, an effective challenge to the status quo is emerging from society itself."

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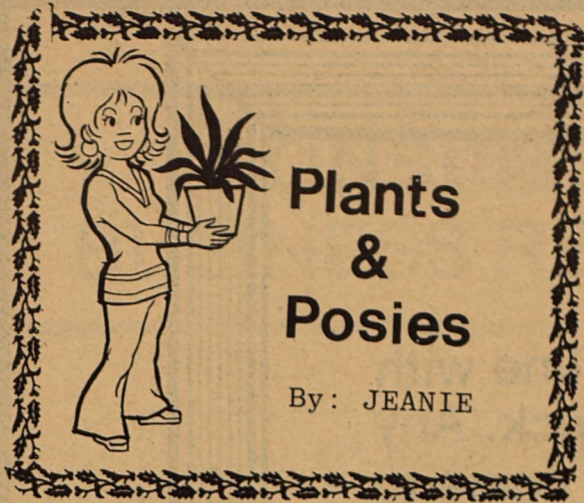
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Plants & Posies

By: JEANIE

CODIAEUM----CROTON.....

Crotons are ornamental plants native to Hawaii, Florida and the East Indies. There are over a hundred varieties of crotons in almost every color of the rainbow. The bright colors of crotons make them an excellent plant for adding color when decorating.

Crotons have smooth, leathery leaves and normally short leaf stalks. There are many different leaf shapes available also from lobed to oval, to broad to corkscrew.

To keep your croton colorful and healthy, give bright light, with 2-3 hours of direct sunlight. They do well in average house temperatures, but avoid cold drafts as this may cause leaf drop.

During the active growth period, keep the soil barely moist at all times. Be sure to provide good drainage, and never let the pot stand in water. Adding pebble to the saucer provides extra room for drainage, add the added humidity will benefit your plant. Feed regularly during the growth period. In winter, decrease watering, but do not allow soil to completely dry out.

Kinney County LIBRARY

Dear K.C.,

The essay contest is on again! There has always been an insatiable curiosity to learn what happened before we were born and before our parents and grandparents were born. Fewer than 100 years ago there were no phones, no cars, no radios, no airplanes or telephones. This means that you may know someone who lived in those times or who knew someone who lived then. What interesting stories of everyday life and they must have to tell. Find someone to interview and get a first-hand story for your essay. submit your essays to the K.C. Library no later than February 20th. Winning essays will be printed in the CAVALRYMAN and winners may come to the library to select their book prize.

In the last K.C. Library column a brief resume of the accomplishments of Friends of the Library was reported. This is a "Friends" resume only. Other concerned citizens and dedicated workers are not forgotten and will be recognized in forthcoming reports. Many local citizens have asked about developments in the progress

of the new library building over the last couple of years. A judgement in this case will be made by end of this month when funds will be freed to pursue either finishing of the new building or to building on a new site. The remaining \$46,000 must be used for building materials; aid for labor costs must be sought from the Middle Rio Grande Development Council. Our new Commissioner, Tim Ward, is reported in The Del Rio News-Herald, January 15, will work toward this end. The Herald reports, "...as an active county official he will then try to

realize his other goals of completing the K.C. Library..." It will be good to see this project in progress again.

The K.C. Library welcomes a new Manpower Library aide, Scharlene Alvarado who will be helping in the Library full time.

Yours,
Friends of the Library

Kazen in Washington

KAZEN IN WASHINGTON

The first session of the 97th Congress officially opened last week, as we took our oaths of office, organized the House with reelection of Thomas P. "Tip" O'Neill as Speaker, and then met the constitutional requirement that we tally the electoral votes that completed the nation's choice of Ronald Reagan as President.

All during my Congressional service, the nation has had Republican Presidents but Democratic majorities in the House and Senate. Now, for the first time, the Senate will have a Republican majority of 53-47, while the House has a Democratic majority of 243-192. This may produce a more conservative Congress, as observers have said, but I shall continue to consider all legislative proposals on their merits, rather than from partisan consideration.

AWAIT REAGAN ADMINISTRATION

I expect to take the same attitude toward the proposals that President Reagan sends to Capitol Hill after his January 20 Inauguration. Our nation has only one President, chosen by all our votes and I would consider it disrespectful of our great governmental system if I were to let political considerations dominate my votes on executive recommendation. Here again, merit is to be the essential element in my voting decisions.

Incidentally, constituents who visit Washington will be welcome in my new office, now located across the hall from where I have been for four years. The new address is 2408 Rayburn Building, and for those who may wish to write, the Washington, D.C. zip code is 20515. The telephone number remains 202/225-4511. And as usual, for those seeking help on matters within my jurisdiction, my staff and I stand ready to act.

SEEK BALANCED BUDGET

Once again, the first legislation I proposed for the 97th Congress seeks to balance the federal budget through a constitutional amendment that would limit federal expenditures to revenues. The other principal feature of my proposed joint resolution would require that 10 percent of the federal debt be paid off every ten years.

That process may seem slow to some, but the national debt as of December 31 was \$930,210,000,000 of which almost 9,000,000,000 is annual interest. Obviously, if we could begin reducing the national debt, we could lighten the burden of interest payments. For those who advocate a balanced budget now, I would remind you that such action would mean major reductions in government services, from the strength of our national defense to such activities as helping communities finance sewer and water improvements, aid to public school and assistance to the blind, handicapped and elderly.

EMERGENCY PROTECTION

My budget-balancing proposal also anticipates that we may face times of war or other national emergency. In such events, the decennial payments would be set aside, and of course any future Congress, facing different problems, could change the law.

The constitutional amendment would require approval by both Houses of the Congress as well as two-thirds of the state legislatures. However, since Texas and 46 other states have constitutional requirements that they balance their budgets annually, it would seem we could get the required state approvals if we can prevail in the Congress. We must get around the "Yes, but--" argument in which many Congressmen and citizens say "Yes, cut the budget, but don't cut the parts that benefit me."

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EVANS TAKES OFFICE

DEL RIO--James R. "Bobby" Evans former San Angelo District Maintenance Engineer with the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation has officially taken over the duties of the Del Rio District on January 1, 1981. He replaces Secundino "Nino" Gutierrez who was named to head the Corpus Christi District for the Department.

The vast Del Rio highway district covers eight counties; Val Verde, Dimmitt, Zavala, Kinney, Uvalde, Real, Edwards and Maverick. Under Evan's direction are 252 employee with apayroll of \$285,000.a month. He is responsible for the maintaining of 1,950 miles of highway in the eight counties and construction projects amounting to approximately \$13,400,000.

Evans, a 24 year veteran with the DET, is a native West Texan, having lived in Bronte and San Angelo all his life. He began his career, working partime, while attending Texas Tech University. In 1958 upon graduating with a Civil Engineering degree he began work in the San Angelo Residency. In 1963 he became Associate Maintenance Engineer and was promoted to District Maintenance Engineer in 1972. Evans has served in various engineering capacities and has been willing to test new methods and material for highway maintenance.

Under his leadership, U.S. 83 between Ballinger and Paint Rock was used to experiment with placing reflective pavement markers on the center line for better night visibility in rural areas. This type of marking is now replacing the more expensive process

of plaicng delineators along the roadway. Recently the efforts of maintenance forces under his supervision were recognized when John Stephens of Robert Lee received the Eleventh Annual Lady Bird Johnson award for highway beautification in Coke County.

Mr. and Mrs. (Billie Jean) Evans have a daughter, Susan, who is married and lives in Atlanta, Georgia and a son, Mark, a senior at Central High. They are active members of the First United Methodist Church. Mrs. Evans is a history teacher at Lake View Hgih School and does not plan to move to Del Rio until June when Mark graduates from hgih school.

AUSTIN--Inmates of the new Beto correctional facility near Tennessee Colony in East Texas are learning the skills of sign making thanks to an agreement between two state agencies.

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation began training Department of Correction supervisors last year. Equipment necessary for the application of reflective sheeting to sign blanks was transferred to the Beto facility and the first signs were produced in September.

The remaining production phases, preparation of metal sign blanks and silkscreening, will be transferred when inmates develop adequate skills.

At present, 50 Beto inmates are engaged in the first production phase. As these men take over the additional sign making ~~production~~, Highways and Public Transportation personnel will be released for other tasks.

Although the sign making skills are marketable on the "outside," perhaps the most important aspect of the ~~training~~ is that of discipline.

~~According~~ to Bill Dixon, TDC supervisor in the Beto sign shop, "The real

~~importance~~ of this operation is that these men are learning to work regular hours and under supervision."

"That may not sound like much, but if these men knew how to do that they probably wouldn't be in here. That's how most of them got into trouble in the first place."

TECHbits

by; Cal Graf

HOT STUFF--The new F-16 fighter aircraft built by General Dynamics in Ft. Worth and several NATO countries is so powerful that it can take off and climb vertically 30,000 feet before reaching the end of the runway. That's 5 miles straight up!

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Bob Kimble, Manager

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Through the efforts of the management here to serve only the true Mexican dishes with a real flavor of the country, as well as interesting Mexican decor, this restaurant has become a very popular eating place.

They have captured the true tangy flavor of the Mexican dishes by using the exact spices and foods to prepare them.

Contrary to belief that Mexican food is very hot, they serve all their dishes with the hot sauce and green peppers on the side so that you can enjoy it the way you want.

If you haven't acquired a taste for Mexican food yet, the La Siesta Restaurant also offer a complete menu of American dishes, including steaks, seafoods, frog legs, and quail!

For a fine place to eat authentic Mexican food or American dishes in the same atmosphere, and with friendly service, the writers of this 1981 Review suggest that you go to the LA SIESTA RESTAURANT. We know you'll want to return many times.

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This qualified firm employs only licensed electricians. They have won the respect of prominent home builders for their careful, precise workmanship. The authors of this 1981 Business Review suggest that you call whenever you're in need of electrical work of any type. You'll be glad you did!

Plaza Hair Dressers

Today, more than ever before, a person's total image depends a great deal on their hair. Beautiful hair can make even the average person look and feel wonderful.

Located at 2400 Avenue "F" in Del Rio, phone 775-8365, the PLAZA HAIR DRESSERS, is a great place to come for that occasional perm or a complete new hair style. They're well-known as one of the leading advocates of the most modern hair styling in the area and their customers show it!

This fine shop also specializes in blow cutting, styling, and coloring. Their personnel here have a passion of perfection and a flair for glamour.

The PLAZA HAIR DRESSERS is the shop for the person who won't settle for less than the best!

The writers of this 1981 Business Review urge all fashion-conscious people to give this remarkable salon a try!

Ross Drug Store

Catering to the family in the old fashioned tradition, the ROSS DRUG STORE is the modern drug store with "old time" service! They're specialists in service and they've been doing it for years.

Located at the Plaza del Sol in Del Rio, phone 775-2465, this is one drug store where personal service and individual attention is NOT a thing of the past. A friendly smile, a cheerful greeting, and prompt, personal service are what you'll get everytime you walk in. No wonder they're the favorite drug store of so many families in the area.

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The authors of this 1981 Business Review suggest that all of our readers shop where service and the customer are the main products: the ROSS DRUG STORE!

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C. J. Matthew, President

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We should all improve our financial picture and the experts at the BORDER CREDIT UNION have sound procedures for you to do so.

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Joe Montgomery - President

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The writers of this 1981 Business Review suggest that YOU contact the AMERICAN PASSENGER TRAVEL AGENCY whenever you're planning a trip of any type. We the editors highly recommend this fine firm and suggest you always contact them first. The staff wishes everyone the very best for the 1981 year!

Producer's Wool & Mohair Co.

Occasionally in the preparation of our review section, we come across a business that provides many services and it becomes difficult to describe each singular service adequately. One such business is PRODUCER'S WOOL & MOHAIR CO. located at 501 Converse in Del Rio, phone 775-2231 or 775-2413.

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As the writers of this 1981 Business Review we take pride in recommending PRODUCER'S WOOL & MOHAIR CO. to all our many customers.

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The Editors of this 1981 Business Review urge everyone to make this respected jeweler their first stop for value and quality.

Lock's Stores, Inc.

Chico Flores - New Manager

The LOCK'S STORES, INC. at 2400 Ave. F. in the La Villita Shopping Center in Del Rio, phone 774-2738, enjoys an extensive patronage from this section because of their fine business reputation. A large stock of beautiful furniture for every type home can be found in this well-managed furniture store. Articles are offered at prices you can afford, with terms to suit you.

The manager offers the most accommodating service, 28,000 sq. ft. of shopping convenience, and will be glad to assist anyone in the selection of proper furniture. The idea that it takes a fortune to furnish a home is not true. A man making an average salary can furnish a home comfortably and completely if he will come to this store and consult them. They also carry carpet, TV, radio, and appliances.

LOCK'S STORES, INC. is prominent establishment and the people in charge thoroughly understand the business in which they are engaged.

The writers of this 1981 Business Review therefore compliment them on their high standing in this area.



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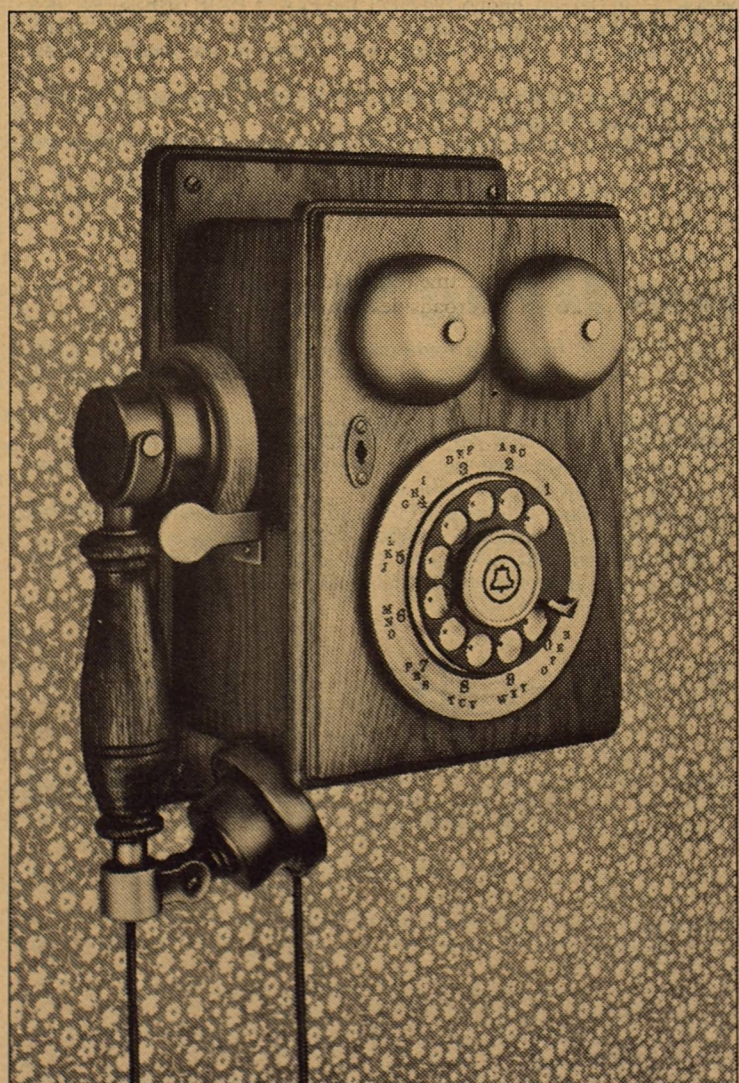
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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF DEPOSITORY

NOTICE is hereby given, this the 13th day of January, 1981 in compliance with Article 2544, T.R.C.P., by Kinney County Commissioners' Court, that said Court will accept applications from any banking corporation, association or individual bank in Kinney County for depositing of the public funds of such county, in such bank or banks.

Contract will be awarded at February 9, 1981 regular meeting of Kinney County Commissioners' Court.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF KINNEY COUNTY, TEXAS

BY: /s/ ALBERT A. POSTELL County Judge

CONTRACTOR'S NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 42.502 miles of Seal Coat. Various Limits Throughout District 22 on Highway No. US 90, FM 1049, FM 1433, FM 393, FM 1023, & FM 3252, covered by CSB 23-3-30, CSB 23-4-49, CSB 1168-2-9, CSB 1424-1-4, CSB 1424-2-9, CSB 1593-1-13, CSB 2563-1-4, & CSB 3353-1-2 in Kinney, Uvalde, Zavala, & Dimmit County, will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 9:00 A.M., February 11, 1981, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available at the office of R.M.Baxter, Resident Engineer Uvalde, Texas, and State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin.

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Highway Litter Pick-up Tops \$10 Million Mark

AUSTIN—Picking up litter along Texas roadsides cost over a million dollars more in fiscal 1980 than in 1979.

"Litter pick-up by our maintenance crews cost \$10.3 million from September 1, 1979, through August 31, 1980," said Mark Goode, engineer-director of the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation. "During fiscal 1979, the price tag for cleaning up highway rights-of-way was \$9.2 million. That was a larger cost figure than ever before, but it

has been surpassed handily this year."

"Litter costs are spiraling and we want Texas taxpayers to know about it," Goode said. "Littering is an irresponsible, illegal and thoughtless action. It's unbelievable what some of our maintenance crews find lying alongside the roads—old furniture, auto parts, diapers and household garbage."

The department does its best to keep Texas roadsides clear of rubbish, but it is a frustrating and

costly task. The agency is in the business of keeping Texas traffic moving, yet its crews must spend many thousands of valuable man-hours picking up motorists' trash. Litter picked up one day is often replaced by more the next. "It's a disgrace—and littering is so unnecessary," he said.

Highways are just one area where litter presents problems in Texas. Trash along beaches, lakeshores, in parks and other public places upsets tourists and locals alike. City streets share in the litter problem, too.

What's to be done about it? Mark Goode says his department believes education is the key.

"With the help of the media, newspapers, television and radio, and through our own offices, we are trying more intensively than ever before to educate youngsters and adults alike about the costliness, ugliness and needlessness of littering," Goode said.

During 1980, the department sent out several news releases to the press concerning the litter problem. It also produced four

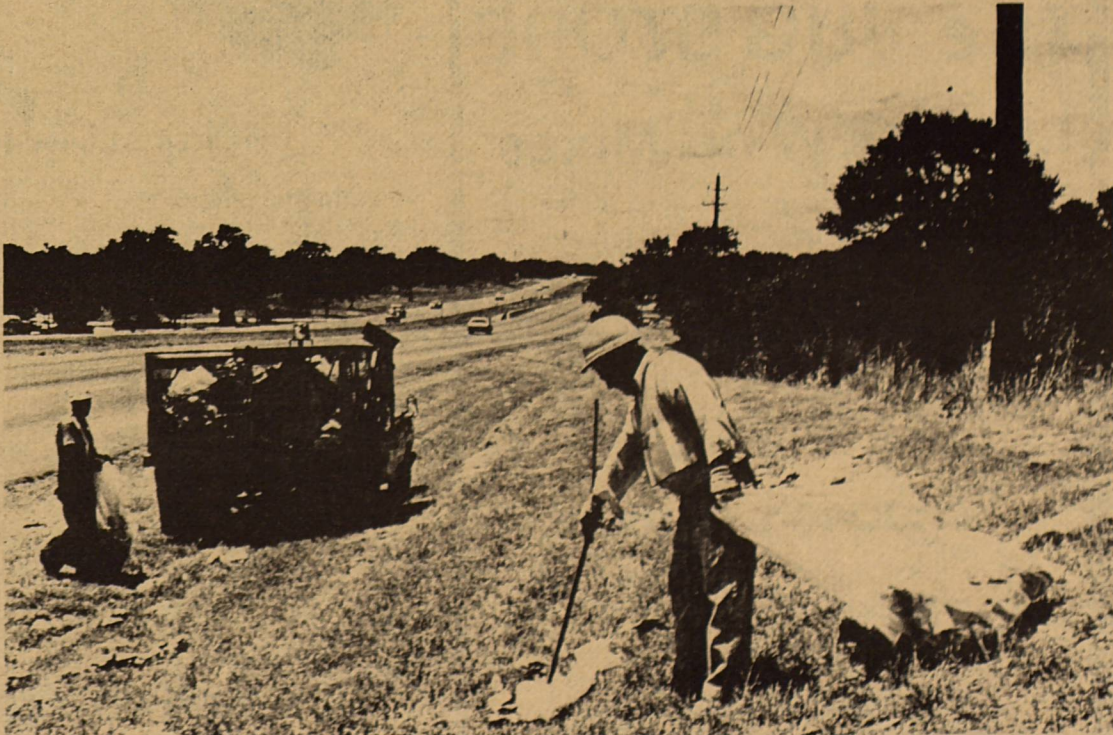
film public service announcements for television which have been provided periodically to all Texas TV stations.

A total of 56,000 colorful folders have been distributed to remind Texans that littering costs everyone hard-earned tax dollars and mars the beauty and grandeur of the state.

"Our 16mm motion picture, 'A Litter MESSAGE,' has been viewed by over 300,000 Texans and is the most popular film in our free loan film library, particularly with schools," Goode said.

Litter bags are available at the department's 12 Texas Tourist Bureaus around the state and several thousand roadside litter barrels are maintained for convenient use by travelers.

"We hope Texans take heed of our anti-litter program," Goode said. "After all, being a Texan isn't just a state of mind; it's the privilege of preserving our heritage and taking pride in our state's progressiveness. We must all take care to keep Texas clean and attractive, for ourselves and for future generations. Preventing litter is a good way of saying, 'I'm a Texan and proud of it,' and an excellent way of freeing millions of tax dollars for a more productive purpose," he said.



A highway maintenance crew picks up costly litter along a highway near Austin. Statewide, litter pick-up expenses amounted to \$10.3 million during fiscal 1980, a record high.

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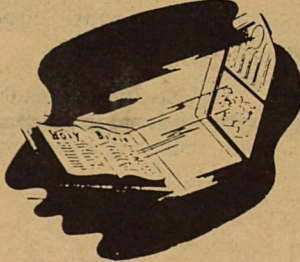
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