

LIVESTOCK SHOW STARTS TODAY





LIBRARY NOTES



Mrs. Charolette Corey Kinney County Librarian "Two Knots on a Counting Rope"
"Green Eggs and Ham"
"Founding of American
Colonies"

"Joy of Achievement"

Come by and see the others on our list.

TWENTY-NINTH ANNUAL KINNEY COUNTY 4-H AND F.F.A. LIVESTOCK SHOW

The twenty-ninth Annual Kinney County 4-H and F. F. A. Show will be held Friday and Saturday, January 20 and 21, at the Brackettville Civic Center.

FRIDAY; Morning 8:00 a.m. thru 12:00 noon, 4-H and F. F. A. livestock projects to be weighed tagged and penned.

Afternoon; 2:30 p.m. market beef cattle and market swine to be judged.

SATURDAY: Morning 6:30 a.m., Breakfast for exhibitors and parents. At 8:00 a.m. judging of the market lamb show will begin.

Afternoon; 12:00 Ranch Style Bar-B-Que. 1:00 p.m. the presentation of special and showmanship awards. 1:15 p.m. Livestock Auction Premium

"The 4-H and F. F. A. Youth have been working hard for the last five months preparing their livestock projects for the Annual Livestock Show and we urge everyone to come out and support our 4-H and F. F. A. in Kinney County", states Carl R. Esser, Kinney County Extension Agent, Kinney County.

Again... Thanks to Friends of the Library and all those who participated in last November's fund raising events. We now have purchased a 770 SAVIN copy machine. This will also help us continue to generate money as we charge 15 cents per letter size (per side) and 20 cents per legal (per side). This way, we should be able to generate enough money to pay for the paper and toner.

Also, Welcome Back SNOWBIRDS! In case any of you weren't aware of our new location at the corner of Spring and Ellen come by and see us between the hours of 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Monday through Thursday.

When you visit please notice the sidewalks and curbs, four of 8-foot bookshelves and 10 additional drawers and a reference shelf on our card catalog. These were all donated by the New World Study Club. These ladies (the "Mother club" of our library) are truly to be commended.

Some of the new 16mm movies we have in to be checked out until February 14th are...
"Squirrel on my Shoulder"
"The Clowns"

HELP NEEDED EMERGENCY!!!

Chip Wyrick, 22 year old grandson of longtime Brackettville residents, George and Sybil Wyrick, is in special need of your prayers and donations for an operation due to a blood clot found in Chip's brain. Chip resides in Houston and is in need of highrisk medical treatment. Chip will need to undergo a 50/50 chance operation (life or death) in the United States or journey to Stolkholm, Sweden for an operation that is highly successfull. The medical insurance on Chip will not cover the trip or medical expenses in Stolkholm, therefore CHIP NEEDS YOUR

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The next time a Yankee critizes the South, ask him if he ever heard of anybody retiring and going North.



The average American man is five feet, eight inches tall. The average American woman, five feet, four inches tall.

EDITORIAL BY: GEORGE



Before reading this editorial it may enlighten you to read the two letters to the Editor and "Crystal Says".

GROCERY STORES, OPERA HOUSES, WHORE HOUSES, AND MUSEUMS!

I, and most of the people in Kinney County are SICK AND TIRED of this controversy!

It reminds me of the North Freeway in San Antonio, where the "nice little ladies from the Conservation Society and the Incarnet Word College" did not want a Freeway going thru the gulch that a "good goat" could not traverse... I KNOW, I WENT TO TEXAS MILITARY INSTITUTE JUST UP THE HILL, and when we went on marches, WE STAYED AWAY FROM THAT SNAKE FILLED GULCH....But, the little nice Nuns (and their high priced lawyer), and the Conservation Society cost the citizens of San Antonio MILLIONS OF DOLLARS1

NOW COMES A SUIT AGAINST THE CITY OF BRACKETTVILLE FOR \$300,000.00...WHAO...ABOUT 100 TIMES WHAT THE PARTIES PAID FOR THE PROPERTY! THIS WHOLE THING HAS GOTTEN OUT OF HAND!

NOW, ALL OF A SUDDEN, TEXANS, ARE NO GOOD! (Unless they are worth 300K).

MUSEUMS? YEP! WE HAD ONE SINCE I HAVE BEEN HERE IN OVER 10 YEARS. It was private property that was used by a nice little lady to store her private possessions, and was not open to the public.

not open to the public.
OTHER PEOPLE HAVE RESTORED
BUILDINGS IN OUR COMMUNITY-WITHOUT ANY HASSLE.

RESTORE THE OLD TIN BUILDING ON ANN STREET ---HOUSING WOODSONS WELDING---I have a tin garage on my property older than that!

OUR PRESENT CITY ADMINISTRATION HAS DONE AN OUTSTANDING JOB FOR THE

TAXPAYERS. They have put up with "hypocrites" that have criticized them, and turned around and stole services from the city, they have improved our services, WITHOUT RAISING TAXES!

THIS NEWSPAPER HAS BEEN VERY OPEN MINDED ON PRINTING BOTH SIDES OF ANY ISSUE--IN FACT WE HAVE NEVER REFUSED A "LETTER TO THE EDITOR"! BUT, THE "HORSE HOOKEY " ON THIS OLD BUILDING IS GOING TO CEASE IN THIS PAPER TILL THE TRIAL IS OVER!

IF ALL THESE INTERESTED PARTIES ARE SO INTERESTED IN SUPPORTING OUR COMMUNITY--HOW ABOUT A SMALL INDUSTRIAL PARK?

"LET'S HELP OUR COMMUNITY INSTEAD OF CHASTISING AND STEALING FROM IT!"

LETTERS TO THE

EDITOR

Editor; Something is wrong

My plans to restore an old structure for our home have not changed even though I was not prepared for the unfair treatment I have received from the City Hall and a few individuals nor the unsound reasoning that is emitted from there.

If an individual wants to save an old building let them buy one and do so rather than force others to be involved against their will in historical districts and projects.

Brackett had a museum and could not or did not support it. It closed its doors for lack of interest and funds. Museum cost money to create and more money to maintain.

Something is wrong when a small minority misrepresents an issue and over rides the desires of a community.

It appears City Council and Officials have not done their homework. Figures are not in line with reality. For our City Manager to write of "progress" and then set out to seize individual property to house a museum as a "Necessity" really stretches ones imagination beyond the limits of sound reasoning. I have never known nor does

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MATTOX WARNS SCHOOLS, CONSUMERS ABOUT BAD BEEF

Attorney General Jim Mattox this week called on the U.S. Department of Agriculture to promise consumers that USDA will not sell 19 million pounds of quarantined ground beef for human consumption.

Since September 21, 1983, the USDA has been holding the meat produced by two slaughterhouses, Cattle King, of Denver, Colorado, and Nebraska Beef Packers, of Gering, Nebraska, because of staples found in some shipments. The meat was destined for schools nationwide through the USDA's School Lunch Program. In Texas, 465,000 pounds of meat was received through USDA.

Mattox asked the Commodities Division of the Texas Department of Human Resources to request further laboratory analysis before releasing it. Thanks to the quick efforts of both DHR and Texas Department of Health, which did the analysis, and the investigation by USDA, none of the meat was distributed to Texas schools, Mattox said. The Health Department analysis of eight rolls of meat out of approximately 42,000 turned up no staples, but did find traces of hairs, dirt, plant tissue, synthetic blue and white fibers, and unidentified orange particles. The remaining meat was not inspected. :

"These companies have a long history of legal violations of the Federal Meat Inspection Act," Mattox said. "In 1980, a 13-count indictment was returned against three plants owned or operated by Butch and Henry Stanko, Jr. of Gering, Nebraska for violations. Yet the USDA let them furnish meat for our children."

Mattox said he is sending a letter to all the school districts in Texas, warning them about buying any meat from the two slaughterhouses either directly or through a supplier. He also suggested they check their present stocks, and contact both the Attorney General's office and the USDA if they find meat from the suspected suppliers.

"These plants have a very bad history," Mattox said. "USDA inspectors found staples in two shipments. We found some dirt and filth in ours. What is the USDA waiting for? Do they think the Tooth Fairy will come and inspect all that meat? I'm sending a letter to Mr. Block today asking him on behalf of the people of Texas to order that the beef be kept from human consumption.

"The people of Texas and the United States should not have to play Russian roulette everytime they order a hamburger," Mattox said. "Parents should not have to wonder every time their children go off to school if the cafeteria will be serving

hamburger containing dirt, fecal material and hair, or hamburger made from old cancer-ridden cows dragged dead into stockyard.

"I am also warning Mr. Block that if he does release this beef for human consumption, I will use all the powers of my office to stop even a single pound of it from entering Texas. If he has faith in its quality, I suggest that he serve it in the Executive lunchroom of the Agriculture Department in Washington."

"It's clear to me that since the USDA knew about Cattle King and Nebraska Beef Packers, had 10 inspectors there full time in each plant and still let meat with staples and filth get out, we cannot fully trust the USDA Stamp of Approval anymore," he said. "Texas and other states will have to do whatever we can to police our own houses. The USDA has said it plans on changing its inspection rules. That's fine. But I say, DO IT NOW. Don't appoint a committee to study the problem, or dither around on it like they have about disposing of this meat.

Ernest T. Luna's Family and The Fuentes Family

Wish to thank everyone who so kindly sent flowers, food and attended Amalia Maldonado's funeral services.

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research reveal a community is a where a museum "necessity"; an expensive and cumberson luxury yes, but a

necessity no.

The desires and rights of the individual owners (Dr. Rufus Moore and Hawkins Huey) have been ignored. The owner had buyers for the structure but he choose to put part of the building to personal use and to alter the part that was an expense and bother to him. This was not an unusual action but a few people seemed to feel that they had a right to interfere with what individuals should do with their own possessions. Is this the way things are handled in Texas? Is this "progress"? And if the interference of the individual's use and disposition of personal property is allowed in the guise of progress and culture, do the people of Brackett want this so-called progress and culture for their beloved community at this price??

It would behoove each and every individual to consider what is right and then contact their city officials on their

desires.

Time and money is being wasted to bring about this unnecessary seizure of property (property that has been in a family for approximately ninety years) that could better be spent within the community rather then on legal maneuvers.

If progress is seizure of personal property under the guise of culture we best be alerted for expansion usually follows and it may be your property. Act without delay. If anyone desires further information I reside on Ft. Clark, Colony Row Quarters #1.

/s/ Hawkins Huey

Editor;

Efforts to preserve some things of the past are commendable. Truly Brackettville has most colorful past. Remnants of that past are rapidly fading away. The city ordinance taking away the Filipone building from its rightful owners and the reasons stated

furnish room for consideration of the desires and motives. It likely true that the Filipone building was erected before the turn of the century. It served as a grocery store and living quarters for two brothers. Soon after the building one of the brothers moved away and for a number of years the was used by the other. About the time of World War 1 Filipone went out of the grocery business and rented the building. It continued as a grocery store until the renter decided to build his own building. Shortly after World War 1 the building was vacated and for the next sixty plus years sat empty and deteriorating. The building itself was sold and suddenly there arose a hue and a cry from a minute but highly vocal minority to preserve the building. This group wants to take someone elses property and pay for it with someone elses money and maintain it with someone elses funds.

I have a suggestion to make if these folk are truly interested in preserving history. There is a building with much more historic value and much more suitable to meet the avowed needs expressed in the ordinance. The building is now housing the Woodson's welding shop is much higher in the standard of meeting this criteria. It was a livery stable from before or around the turn of the century. It was then converted into an automobile dealership selling the First Ford cars in the at stimulating what is county. It is (by outward appearance) about to fall down and if it is to be preserved must be quickly taken by the city and restored. It has more commodious and better located "meeting" space than the Filipone building (I fail to see the "need" for a meeting place I can count at least nine meeting places available to suit any size crowd). Both size and location would make it much more suitable for a museum (There are already two museums here and those of us who have lived here more than a very short time well drink to drive safely. are the cornerstone of our According to Robert social structure and must museum which closed for lack of patrons.)

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rehabilitate and use another truly historic structure. The Lympia Hall is older than the Filipone building. It was at one time the best and largest Ballroom in Brackettville. It was often and usually referred to as the Opera House. At one time there was a gunfight in it between Ft. Clark soldiers and local men. Marks of bullets on the wall still remain. I submit this is more truly historic than a grocery store used for only a few years.

Perhaps these facts were not known by those who so quickly voted to take the Filipone building. Or maybe there are some other factors that the public has not been made aware of. It would be interesting to know all the nuances regarding the hasty action to take the

Filipone building.

As a taxpayer I am not anxious to see tax dollars committed for years to come to maintain another meeting place or a museum just because some history buffs like a particular building and use such specious reasons to condemn and take it from its owners.

/s/ Joe Townsend

Pointers For Parents "Contract For Life" Combats Drunk Driving

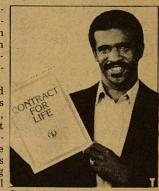
A major multi-media education effort to fight teenage drunk driving has been launched by a coalition of pro-football players, educators, students and the liquor industry.

The campaign is aimed termed "the most effective, untapped weapon against drunk driving"—the American family. Public service messages reaching millions of Americans are appearing during televised National Football League games, on Dallas Cowboy Drew Pearson jor magazines.

paign is a "Contract for accidents.

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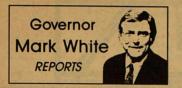
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calls on parents and teen- out that "teachers, police, agers to agree that either judges and jailers all play an may call home for help at important role in stopping any time if they or their drunk driving but they can't



AUSTIN – Texas hosted 30 major film projects in 1983, a new record for a relatively young Texas industry that is becoming a significant economic asset to our state.

Productions ranged from artistically and commercially successful box office features, such as "Terms of Endearment," to critically acclaimed television movies like "Bill: On His Own," "Adam," and the internationally popular TV series "Dallas."

The Texas Film Commission, a division of the Governor's Office, is responsible for attracting film and television production to Texas and building a climate here in which the industry can thrive.

In the past four years, the Film Commission has worked with production companies filming 83 major projects in Texas as well as hundreds of TV commercials, documentaries, educational films, and corporate communications features. Altogether, the industry has spent nearly \$500 million in our state since 1980.

Aside from the natural and varied beauty of the landscape and the dramatic backdrops found in our urban centers, producers find Texas attractive because of the availability of skilled labor and a full range of support services. This enables them to shoot on location without having to bring the necessities of modern filmmaking cross country. Texas' wealth of seasoned technicians, professional

acting talent, movie-making equipment, and sound stages continues to grow.

As film production increases in the state, more Texans are apt to find movie crews setting up temporary housekeeping in their home communities.

Film companies will take their business where government officials and private citizens are willing to help them achieve creative control over the locales used in production.

America's film industry is decentralizing and moving away from the Hollywood lot. Famous old studios, such as MGM and Paramount, no longer dominate the industry and newer companies, like HBO and Tri-Star Pictures, are producing the majority of their films outside Los Angeles.

Texas is in a good position to take advantage of this movement away from Hollywood. Support services—even whole film companies—are already in place here. Still, the sources of capital to finance movie production, encourage new film talent, and distribute films exist largely outside Texas.

The Texas Film Commission is developing programs to familiarize those outside the film industry with its financial potential and to encourage local creative talent.

With an aggressive marketing plan, Texas' star can continue to rise as a respected filmmaking center.

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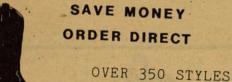


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1/2 cup water

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1 can (13 oz.) Bumble Bee Solid White

2 cans (14-1/2 oz. each) chicken broth



fine cooks to judge culinary just minutes before adding competence is the making them to soups. of a good soup. Here are some tips that may help quick homemade soup that you to earn "gourmet" can enhance your gourmet classification:

• Although seasoning tastes vary, remember that

satt tones down acidity in 1 can (10 1/2 02.) cream of chicken soup

If the soup turns out 1 can (11 1/2 02.) split pea soup with ham and bacon

Brandy, sherry or wine 1 can (13 fl. 02.) PET Evapcan lessen the "gaminess" of sish, enhance the flavor of 1/2 cup water bland soups, intensify the 1/2 cup cooked, chopped

• Use a blender or food

for quick soups. Use evaporated milk Microwave directions: In such as PET to add richness a deep, two-quart casserole

D-enriched milk. · Use a microwave for fore serving.

One test used by many cooking vegetables or meats

Here's a recipe for a can enhance your gourmet reputation:

POTAGE ST. GERMAIN

salt tones down acidity in 1 can (10 1/2 oz.) cream of

carrots Combine soups, evapor-

processor to shred, puree, ated milk, water and carrots. chop or blend ingredients Heat, stirring often, until hot, but do not boil.

Microwave directions: In to creamy soups. Because combine soups, evaporated it's concentrated cow's milk milk, water and carrots. with half the water re-Cook on FULL power for moved, one half cup is ten minutes or until heated equal in nutrients and milk through. Stir one or two solids to one cup of Vitamin times during cooking time. Let stand five minutes be-

DID YOU KNOW?

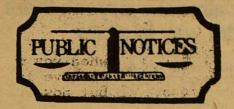
11 cial airline is highest when son until teamwork is re-Lemony Seafood Soup is a light and delicate dish its experienced teams of pi-stored in the operations of which is Greek in origin. Our version calls for solid white lots, flight attendants and Continental Airlines. mechanics are working in harmony, experts say.



Drain tuna. Combine chicken broth and water in a large saucepan. Heat to boiling. Remove from heat. Beat Airlines, the pilots, attendeggs until light and foamy. Beat lemon juice into eggs. ants and mechanics are all Gradually whisk 1 cup broth into egg mixture. Pour egg on strike. Many say public fight back. Please write the broth mixture into saucepan. Place over low heat, stirring, interest dictates that such Air Line Pilots Associa until soup is thickened. Do not allow to boil. Add tuna an airline belongs on the tion, attn: Continental Com-Float lemon slices and watercress over each serving. Makes ground. The Air Line Piplaints, 1625 Massachusetts about 5-1/2 cups soup. lots Association (ALPA) Ave., N.W., Washington, urges air travelers to fly oth- D.C. 20036.

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January 17, 1984...Sealed bids will be received until Monday, February 13, 1984 at 10:00 a.m. by the Kinney County Commissioner's Court, at the County Judge's Office, of a new Communications Systems at the Kinney County Jail.

Plans and specifications for the above construction can be obtained from Norman H. Hooten, Kinney County Sheriff, Brackettville, Texas, (Phone: 512-563-2788) between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday thru Friday.

Each bidder must submit bids on proposal

forms as supplied by the Owner.

A certified check or bid bond equal to 5% of the largest possible, made payable to the County must be submitted with each bid. This shall be considered as the amount of liquidated damages which the County will sustain by failure of the bidder to enter into a contract. A performance and payment bond in the amount of 100% of the contract amount shall be required and executed by an approved surety company.

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The Commissioner's Court of Kinney County, Texas, reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids and to waive all

informalities in bidding.

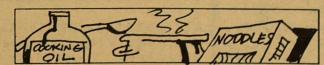
It is not the policy of the Kinney County Commissioner's Court to make awards on low price alone; quality and suitability to purpose are the controlling factors. It being understood the district reserves the right to determine such.

/s/ Norman Hooten

Sheriff
Kinney County, Texas
/s/ Albert A. Postell

County Judge

Kinney County, Texas



To prevent gummy noodles, rice, macaroni and spaghetti, add two teaspoons of cooking oil to the water before cooking. This makes the noodles glisten and stand apart.



An umbrella is believed to have been a mark of rank by people in some countries.

CANCER ANSWER LINE

American Cancer Society

M. D. Anderson Hospital
and Tumor Institute

QUESTION: What does difficulty in swallowing and hoarseness indicate?

ANSWERline: These conditions are among the warning signals of cancer. However, they are not necessarily caused by cancer. Only a doctor can make the proper diagnosis by examining one's throat.

QUESTION: What is the best test for cancer?

ANSWERline: There is no "best" test. However, microscopic examination of tissue from the suspicious area is the definitive test for cancer. It is called a biopsy. The diagnosis is made by a pathologist who has been trained to recognize abnormal cells. There are certain other tests that can help to uncover malignancy, such as the blood stool

QUESTION: What are the differences between "benign" and "malignant" tumors?

ANSWERline: Although a "benign" tumor may grow in size, it will not spread to other parts of the body. On the other hand, a "malignant" tumor will grow in size and sooner or later spread to other parts of the body through the lymph and/or circulatory systems. A "malignant" tumor generally is called a cancer.

QUESTION: What is meant by early diagnosis of cancer? Does this refer to the age of a person?

ANSWERline: No. It refers to the age of the cancer. An early cancer is one that has just begun to grow and has not yet spread. As time passes, the cancer becomes bigger and spreads to other parts of the body, and it becomes more difficult to control or cure. This is why early detection is of the utmost importance.

QUESTION: Is a teenager of about 15 too young for a cancer checkup?

ANSWERline: Regular health checkups should be a part of everyone's routine. Of course, cancer is not as prevalent among the young as the older people.

There are safeguards one can observe at any age. These include not smoking, avoiding excessive sunlight, avoiding heavy consumption of fatty foods, and practicing breast self-examination.

QUESTION: What is a Pap test and how did it get its name?

ANSWERline: The Pap test analyzes the cells normally shed in a woman's womb for signs of abnormality that might indicate malignancy. It is named for the great physician and scientist who developed it, the late George Papanicolaou, M.D.

QUESTION: What is Hodgkin's disease and what are its symptoms?

ANSWERline: Hodgkin's disease is a cancer of the lymphatic system. was named after Thomas Hodgkin, an English physician who first described it in 1832. About 56 percent of the cases of Hodgkin's disease occur between the ages of 20 and 40; less than 10 percent before the age of 10 and less than 10 percent after 60. More than 7,000 Americans develop Hodgkin's disease each year; about 2,600 die from it annually. The most common first sign of Hodgkin's disease is a swollen lymph gland, usually in the neck, less often in an armpit or the groin. Infection or a disease other than cancer also can cause a lymph gland to become enlarged. If the condition lasts three weeks or longer, it should be checked by a physician. Other early signs of Hodgkin's disease may include persistent fatigue, back or abdominal pain, weight loss, fever, itching, night sweats, nausea or vomiting. Each of these signs could be caused by other diseases, so a physician should be consulted.

Do you have further questions? Call your local unit of the American Cancer Society or call M. D. Anderson Hospital & Tumor Institute's Cancer Information Service, 1-800-4-CANCER toll-free in Texas, 792-3245 in the Houston area.



At least one of the colors in the Olympic symbol—blue, yellow, black, green or red—appears in the national flag of every country.

HOW DO THEY DO THAT????

A nuclear power plant works on the same simple principle as a fossil fuel plant. Water is heated to produce steam; the steam whirls through a turbine and drives a generator which produces electricity. The difference is the source of heat.

A nuclear plant uses uranium as a fuel. Fossil fuel plants use oil, gas and coal, but the uranium is not burned like the other fuels Nuclear power plant workers to produce heat. Instead, examine a scale model of the uranium undergoes a their reactor: the coprocess called fission, in rod drive mechanism... which certain atoms of uranium split, causing a release of energy, in the form of heat, to boil the water and make the steam.

Not all uranium is suited to fission. In fact, less than one percent of natural uranium is in the proper form, or isotope, to be used as a fissionable material in reactors. Uranium must undergo a process called enrichment to increase the concentration of the fissionable isotope, U235.

The enriched uranium, with the U235 isotope now making up two-to-four percent of the total uranium mix, is then converted into nuclear fuel pellets, about the size of a thimble, which are inserted into 12-foot long nuclear fuel rods. These long slender rods are then bundled together into fuel assemblies containing dozens of fuel rods. In a typical reactor core, there are about 36,000 fuel rods containing about 100 tons of uranium.

Fission occurs when a neua negatively charged





the steam supply system



reactor core. The nucleus of the atom splits and divides into lighter elements.

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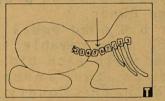
There are two main types of nuclear power reactors used commercially in the United States. The Pressurized Water Reactor (PWR) is an offshoot of the reactors developed by the Navy for use in its submatheir reactor: the control rines. In the PWR, water is circulated through the reactor core but it is kept under pressure so it does not boil. This heated water is transferred to another unit, the steam generator, where the steam to run the turbine is produced. The other kind of reactor is the Boiling Water Reactor (BWR). In this reactor, the water boils as it passes through the core and generates steam directly

Nuclear power accounted for about 13 percent of all electricity generated in 1982, and is expected to rise to more than 20 percent by the turn of the century. In 1982, it would have taken 141 million tons of coal or 481 million barrels of oil .the steam supply system or 30 trillion cubic feet of natural gas to produce the billion kilowatt hours that sionable U235 atoms in the came from nuclear fuel.

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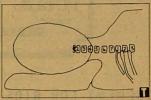
For almost everyone there is a better way to sleep

he North American pillow is not well designed. It tends to support only the head while the length of the neck is unprotected and unsupported. Mechanical pressures occur that can lead to discomfort and later degeneration of the spinal structure. The problem usually goes unnoticed and is left uncorrected until professional help is needed. About 70% of us will show X-Ray evidence of disc degeneration by age 60. Symptoms of strain are many and perhaps the most common is a stiff or sore neck upon waking up. The ordinary pillow supports only the skull but too often leaves the length of the neck unsupported.



1(a) Unsupported neck with ordinary pillow

When the neck is supported as in 1(b), these pressures are cancelled out and the weight of the head can provide a gentle traction effect through the neck.



1(b) Supported neck with well designed

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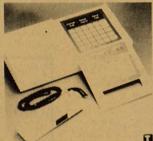
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In an era when home care of the chronically ill and the elderly is becoming increasingly prevalent, a new system has been introduced that provides emergency medical security on a round the clock basis.

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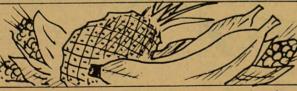
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UVALDE OPERA HOUSE OPENS FOR 1984 SEASON

The February schedule for the Grand Opera House, on the plaza in downtown Uvalde, includes the first Uvalde Area Community Theatre production of 1984, tryouts for the second play, and two productions by proffessional companies.

First on the schedule will be tryouts for the show, "LuAnn Hampton Laverty Operlander", which will open in the Opera House theatre on April 5, for four performances. Tryouts will be on February 6 and 7, for this comedy-drama from Preston Jones' Texas Trilogy, which will be directed by Connie Jones.

The first UACT play, "Blithe Spirit", Noel Coward's comedy, will be presented on February 16, 17, 18, and 19, directed by Marilyn Nunley. Prior to the opening of this play, theatre-goers may purchase season tickets to UACT's four shows for \$17.50, a savings of \$5.00. Other plays to be presented will be "You Can't Take It With You" and a musical, "Sideshow", the story of John Garner.

"Galley Proof", a light-

"Galley Proof", a light-hearted look at the Book of Exodus, will be presented by the A.D. Players of Houston on Thursday, February 23. This modern version of the Israelites' flight from Egypt was written by Jeannette Clift George and is directed by Susy Pulley. Other members of the A.D. Players Traveling Company are Jerry Averill, Peggy Cathcart, Ric Hodgin, Nancy Sherrad, Patty Tuel, and Lee Walker.

For the last offering or the month, the Children's show, "Jack and the Beanstalk", will be presented by Penguin Productions of Dallas on February 28. Rena Newton and Byran Lake are in charge.

Curtain time for UACT and Uvalde Arts Council productions will be 8 p.m., with two exceptions. "Jack and the Beanstalk" will open at 7 p.m. and the February production of "Blithe Spirit" will be a matinee performance at 2:30 p.m.

For information on tickets to any of these activities, you may call the Opera House Box Office, 1-278-4082, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. or all day on days the event is scheduled.

Help Your Heart



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Nutrition Labeling

Next time you are shopping for groceries, read the nutrition labels. Compare nutrients and calories in one food to those in another product. You may be surprised. The foods you have been purchasing may not contain the nutrients you thought they did. On the other hand, you may find you are a "nutrition wise" shopper.

U.S. government regulations require that all enriched or fortified food, and food for which a nutrition claim is made, include nutrition information on the label. Fresh meats, fruits and vegetables usually are not labeled.

Information on the label is divided into two categories: Nutritional Information per Serving (serving size, servings per container, calories per serving, and protein, carbohydrate and fat in grams per serving) and Percentage of the U.S. Recommended Daily Allowances (U.S. RDA). Most people will get an adequate amount of protein, vitamins and minerals if the food they eat meets the U.S. RDA's are used for food for infants and young children.

The number of calories per serving must be listed on the label. Calories depend on the amount of fat, protein and carbohydrate in the food. Fat, which has the most calories, supplies nine calories

per gram. Protein and carbohydrate each supply four calories per gram. By multiplying the grams per serving by the calories per gram, you get the total calories per serving.

serving.

Reading food labels is especially helpful if you are on a fat-controlled diet. For example, by comparing the contents of skim milk and whole milk, you'll discover that whole milk contains 10



grams of fat per serving, or 90 calories (10x9=90). That is 81 more calories from fat per one-cup serving than skim milk.

The amount of cholesterol per food serving is important information for persons interested in a fat-controlled diet. Cholesterol content does not have to be listed on food labels, but it may be if the food producer wishes. If you want additional information on fats and cholesterol, call your local American Heart Association.

THE TEXAS HISTORICAL FOUNDATION'S SECOND ANNUAL GRAND FIESTA BALL AT THE GUNTER HOTEL, SAN ANTONIO

The Texas Historical Foundation and The Gunter Hotel San Antonio are Proud to announce the Second Annual Grand Fiesta Ball. In conjunction with the 75th anniversary of the restored Gunter Hotel, the Grand Fiesta Ball has been set for Thursday, April 19, 1984, in the Crystal Ballroom of the Gunter Hotel.

Being the sponsor and beneficiary of the Ball, the Texas Historical Foundation is a non-profit organization dedicated to the preservation of Texas heritage and cultural, resources.

The historical theme of this

year's Ball will reflect the nostalgic fashions of the first four decades of this century, thus complimenting The Gunter's history and its 75th anniversary. This theme will be represented in the decoration, music, entertainment, and costume of the era. Period attire is encouraged but not required.

Established as an official event of San Antonio's Fiesta Week, the Grand Fiesta Ball is a truly significant event for the Texas Historical Foundation and The Gunter Hotel. More information can be acquired by calling (512) 227-3241, extension #326.



Niagara Falls stopped flowing for almost thirty hours on March 29, 1848, due to the tons of ice jamming the river's entrance near Buffalo.



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"Heat pumps are a good choice in our part of the world, since they do their best work as energy-savers in a mild climate like ours. Word about that must be getting around. The way things are going, I expect I'll spot several new heat pumps on my route this month.

"Maybe one of them will be in your yard."



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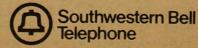
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\$36 MILLION LOST TO DECEMBER FREEZE BY AGRI-BUSINESS IN SOUTHWEST

UVALDE...The past month of excessively cold temperatures has caused Southwest not only much discomfort and inconvenience, but serious losses to agricultural production, the region's economic mainstay.

According to estimates compiled by Texas Agricultural Service management economist Joe Pena at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center in Uvalde, agricultural losses in the 19 Southwest Texas counties served by the Center could total nearly \$36 million which would have ordinarily generated an economic impact of about \$100 million.

Pena says that due to the nature of this recent severe cold snap, agricultural production was significantly stricken, but he does foresee rapid recovery due to

aggressive producer attitudes. "It is highly unusual for this area to experience such dramatic cold temperatures, he stresses. "During December we experienced 20 days of freezing temperatures and during one week the thermometer rose above the freezing mark for only 5 hours. From that stress we will experience a temporary halt in fresh and processed vegetable production since most vegetables in the field were destroyed by the cold weather. Frio Foods, our new food processor, has been closed for about two weeks. However, our area's farmers have responded extremely well by replanting some fields, hand harvesting, and taking advantage of higher price situations."

The Texas A&M economist points out that agriculture generated over one-half billion dollars in farm-level cash receipts, which contributed over \$2 billion to the economy of the Southwest region during 1983.

Hardest hit throughout the Southwest Texas region by the coldest December in recorded history were vegetable crops which suffered an estimated \$15.8 million in losses. Livestock production sustained the second highest freeze loss, \$14,6 million, or 4% of 1983 estimates which totaled #335 million and can have long-reaching effects.

"The drought stress experienced earlier this year coupled with recent freeze stress will be very damaging to our livestock industry," he explains. "much of the range grasses are damaged and many winter weeds were killed. There is significant damage to prickly pear in the southern part of this region. Pear is often burned and fed during stress situations to cattle and it's also the stable food of many wildlife."

Pena also noted the increased need for additional supplementation, a practice that increases production cost at a time when producers are striving to keep costs at rock bottom after extra feeding during the drought. Effects of the weather will also be felt through reduced birth weights, lower weaning weights, slower rebreeding and general unthrifty health conditions.

In addition, 70-80% of lambs born during December were lost to the inclement weather. However, most lambs are dropped during late spring.

Across the region an estimated \$5.5 million, or 4% of the estimated gross receipts from field crops were lost, Pena says. Thirty percent of the region's oats and about on-half of its remaining grazing value was lost, a value of \$3.2 million. Fifty percent of the area's wheat used for grazing was damaged, a loss of \$2.3 million.

Fruits suffered over \$100,000 in losses with citrus orchards in the Zavala County area sustaining the most damage. Many trees reportedly killed and Pena says those which received minor damage will undoubtedly suffer long term production setbacks.

THEN NOW!

If we know the past better, we might have a better understanding of the present and even the future. That's the focus of a series of 19 television specials scheduled throughout 1984. They're titled, "A Walk Through the 20th Century with Bill Moyers."



Theodore Roosevelt

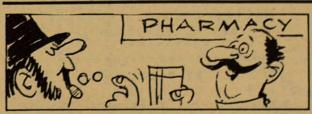
THEN: The series to be aired on Public Television offers glimpses of the past reminding us that today's crises are not without roots. Even tiny fractions of history have special magnetism the enthusiastic leadership of Theodore Roosevelt, the despair of the Great Depression, the frenzied joy of the 20s, the horrors of World War I's trench war-fare. They'll see Hitler's powerfully appealing stagemanaged appearances and hear the answering cadences of Winston Churchill and Franklin D. Roosevelt.

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tury, America was a nation of small towns. How changes came to these small towns is

Moyers how change came to America. In the show's 90-minute premiere, Bill Moyers takes viewers to his home town in the special titled, Marshall, Texas; Marshall, Texas. This first show of the Chevron-sponsored series features reminiscences and anecdotes by Bill Moyers and the people who know Marshall best. Through film interviews and narrative essays, viewers will see how one small Southern town-its population equally divided between blacks and whites-changed in our time. This presentation may help viewers come to understand how our nation has changed and how the past still has its connections with



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