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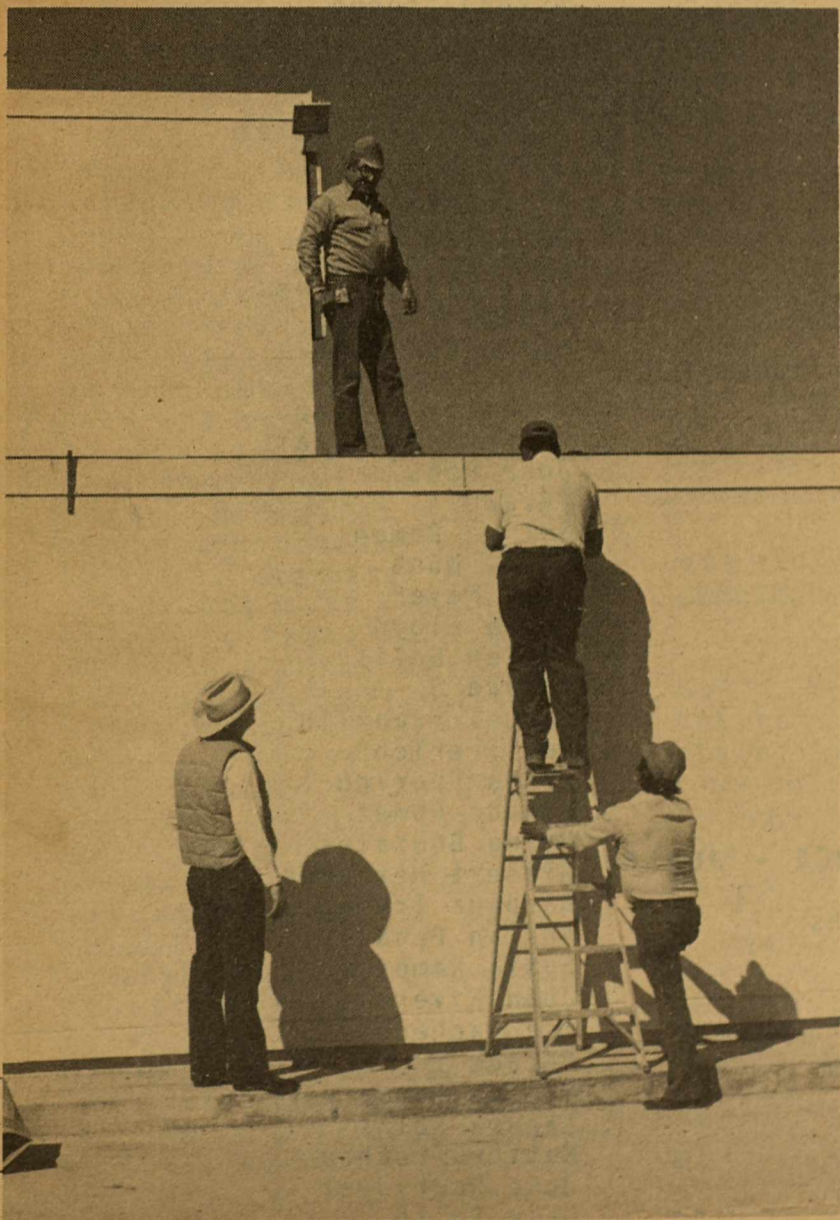
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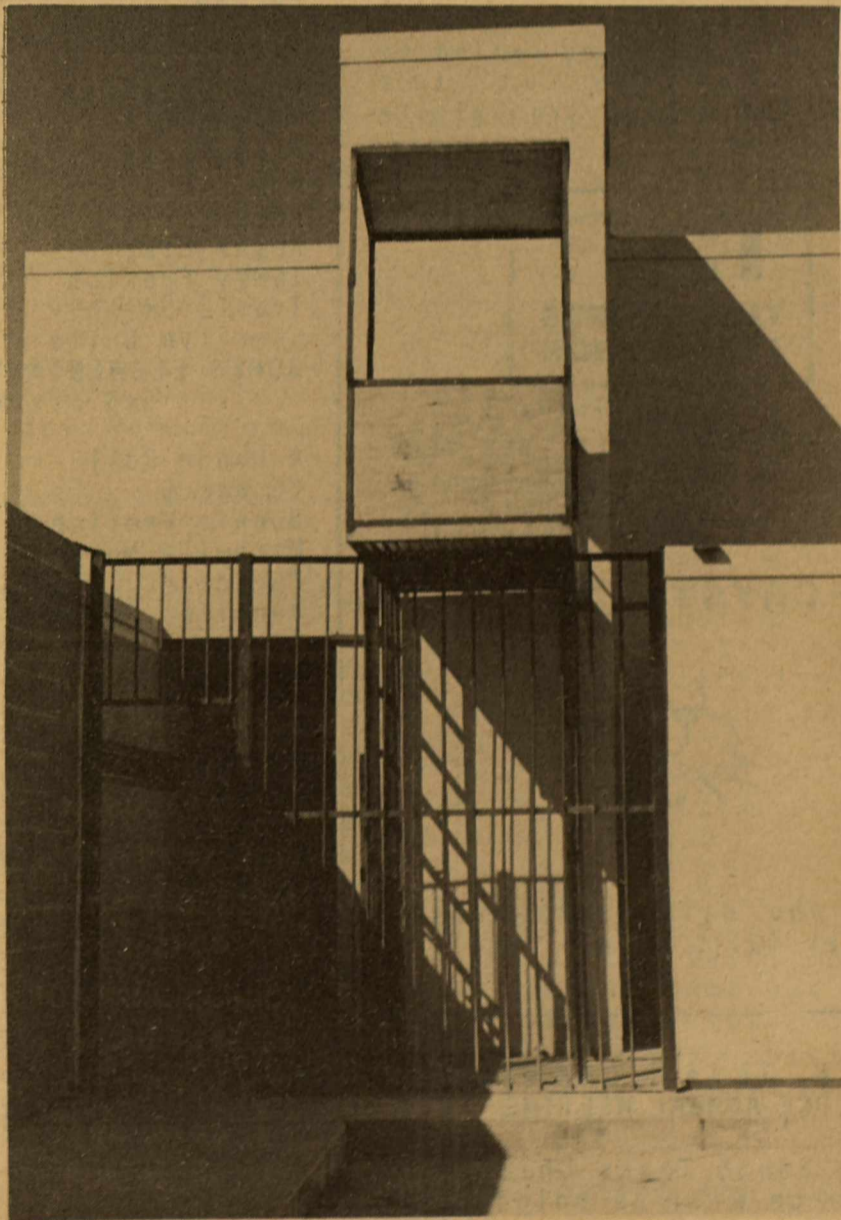
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STOCK SHOW WINNERS & PHOTO'S INSIDE

## NEW JAIL ANNEX



Sheriff Norman Hooten looks on as work progresses on new Prison Exercise Area at the Kinney County Jail.



A deer blind at the Jail? Nope! This is where the jail gaurd will stay to overlook exercise area.

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He who walks backwards
never falls on his face!

SOUTH TEXAS CHAMBER OF
COMMERCE ANNUAL MEETING

The South Texas Chamber of
Commerce will be holding its
annual meeting this year in
Laredo, Texas, at the La
Posada Hotel. Sessions will
begin on January 26 thru
January 27. All sessions are
open to the press.

SEMESTER HONOR ROLL 1983-84
HIGH SCHOOL

A Honor Roll w/ Citizenship
Honors
\*Grade 12
Jeff Burgess
Juana Hernandez
Sandra Munoz
David Wilson
\*Grade 10
Rita Diaz
\*Grade 8
Christina Bennacci
Christopher Aguilar
\*Grade 7
Tia Ralston
A - Honor Roll
\*Grade 8
Joey Apollo
\*Grade 7
Kelly Hall
Maria P. Lozano
A-B Honor Roll
\*Grade 12
Rodney Bunsen
Brenda Foust
Ginger Hooten
Mary Alice Sanchez
\*Grade 11
Eric W. Robinson
\*Grade 10
Rhea Slaughter
\*Grade 9
Maria Lozano
Robin Moore
\*Grade 7
Reyes Diaz
Tammy Frerich
Travis Smith
Sherilyn White

JONES ELEMENTARY- HONOR ROLL
3rd Six Weeks

A Honor Roll
\*Grade 6
Bonnie Frerich
Michelle Munoz
\*Grade 4
Jennifer Shahan
\*Grade 3
Monica Cruz
Mary Falcon
Charles Frerich
Kenneth Knowles
Debbie Buantello

PERFECT ATTENDANCE - JONES
ELEMENTARY
3rd Six Weeks

\*Kindergarten
Ignacio Aguirre
Mary Esparza
Narciso Gomez
Caroline Martinez
Rebecca Payne
Jared Shahan
Rina Villarreal
Benito Talamantez
\*Grade 1-Mrs. Phillips
Cecilia Aguirre
Donda Avila
Matthew Benacci
Micheal Benacci
Aron Bunjes

Eduardo Esparza
Walt Esser
Chris Hale
Micheal Munoz
Luis Valdez
Conrado Talamantez
Jason Brumfield
\*Grade 1-Mrs. Townsend
Olga Aguirre
Noe Armendariz
Ernest Flores
Christopher Forbes
Kelly Henich
Jose Pena
Guillermo Pina
Stephanie Powers
Enriquetta Reschman
Sammie Ricks
Teresa Perez
Regina Rubino
\*Grade 2
Hannah G. Reschman
Adan Rodriguez
Katy Martinez

A & B Honor Roll
\*Grade 6
Lisa Frerich
Fidel Hernandez
Arturo Lincon
Yvonne Luna
Maribel Martinez
Missy Moore
Armando Talamantez
Trey Stevens
Elsie Garza
Cary Haynes
\*Grade 5

Virginia Burgess
Ernest Esparza
Steve Gallegos
Crystal Loos
Rosemary Rubino
Melinda Sandoval
Jose Pena
\*Grade 4
Selina Ramon
W. T. Hunt
Greg Meyer
Lesly Floyd
Javier Solis
\*Grade 3
Raquel Franklin
Dee Frerich
Tanya Frerich
Claude Gomez
Myrna Gonzales
Gilbert Hernandez
Barbara Irving
Adrian Pena
Sonia Ramos
Juan Rivero
Isa Pacheco
\*Grade 2
Monica Garza
Sandra Solis
Matthew Rochaa
Jose Rodriguez
Dale Smith
Maria Terrazas
Sandra Condon
Nicole Resendez
Jessie Terrazas
Bernie Allemeier

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#### STATEWIDE ESSAY CONTEST

The Governor's Commission for Women and the State Board of Education are co-sponsoring a statewide essay contest in grades 9-12 as a part of "Women in Texas Today Week" scheduled for September 2-8, 1984.

Essays of 500 words or less must address the topic, "A living Texas Woman I Admire." Gay Erwin, executive director of the Commission for Women, said the contest is designed to help young people discover and spotlight outstanding women leaders in education, public and community service, business, and other fields.

Students must submit their essays no later than March 1, 1984, to a panel of teachers and administrators for school-wide judging. Regional winning essays, for grades 9-12, are selected by teacher representatives, curriculum specialists, and the director of one of 20 Texas Education Agency regional service centers.

Serving on the state-level panel of judges are Texas First Lady Linda Gale White; Joe Kelly Butler, chairman of the State Board of Education; Dr. Martha Williams, chairman of the Governor's Commission for Women; and a representative from the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, Texas Association of School Boards, Texas Association of School Administrators, Texas State Teachers' Association, Texas

Federation of Teachers, Texas Classroom Teachers Association, and the Association of Texas Professional Educators.

Statewide essay winners will be announced May 15, and Governor Mark White will present awards to winning students and their teachers during September's "Women in Texas Week" celebration in Austin.

For further information, contact Gay Erwin, Governor's Commission for Women, (512) 475-0360.

#### NEWS RELEASE; BOB BULLOCK, COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

State Comptroller Bob Bullock said Monday Texas businesses operating outside state tax law will get a one-time-only, penalty-free chance in February to get right with the Comptroller's Office before Bullock lowers the boom in March.

"We'll give them 29 days in February to get right with the law," Bullock said. "If they come in and wipe the slate clean, we won't charge them penalty and we won't file charges against them. If they wait until March or if they wait until we find them, they'll be too late."

Comptroller enforcement officers will begin using new procedures designed to more quickly identify and collect taxes from errant taxpayers in March. Under the law, the

Comptroller can collect 10 percent penalty and has the power to file criminal charges for unreported state taxes.

"We will only waive penalties and charges if the taxpayer comes forward voluntarily during February," Bullock said. "Chronic late filers, delinquent taxpayers and other taxpayers already under investigation or court prosecution don't qualify for this relief."

The February-only, no-penalty period is aimed at:

\*A business operating without a tax permit.

\*A business (such as an out-of-state corporation) which owes Texas taxes even though a tax permit isn't required.

\*A business not reporting taxes on new activity added since it got its original tax permit.

\*A business with a single tax permit, but more than one business location.

The February period is for the business operating outside the tax law or beyond the limits of its tax permit. We want them to come out in the open, get a permit and start reporting taxes like most other Texas business people," the Comptroller said.

Information and assistance for taxpayers to take advantage of the one-month grace period will be provided by the Comptroller's field offices or by calling 1-800-252-5555 toll free from anywhere in Texas.



BY NORMAN HOOTEN

This column did not appear last week because we just did not have time to get the copy ready for the editor to get it printed. Now I was raised hearing the old saying that "excuses satisfy only the one who makes them!", so 'nuff said about that.

Four U. S. Marshal prisoners escaped from jail at approximately 8:00 p.m. Saturday night by springing a lock on a plumbing closet door and sawing through bars blocking an air duct in the floor of the jail. They then crawled out beneath the jail and made their getaway.

An organized search effort was conducted all day Sunday by the combined forces of the Sheriff's Dept., the U.S. Marshal's Office, City Police, U.S. Border Patrol and others. At approximately 5:15 p.m. Sunday afternoon one of the prisoners was captured by Chief of Police Donnie Nance and Patrolman "Corky" McQuire as he was walking south on Ann Street near the Catholic Church. The search for the remaining three escapees continued until 8:10 p.m. when we were notified that they had been captured and taken into custody by Senior Border Patrol Agent "Pee Wee" Corder near Los Moras Mountain.

The generous cooperation of all law enforcement agencies and others involved in the search and capture of the four escapees was highly appreciated by this officer. This cooperation and involvement is a good indication that we are all working together for the best interest of the citizens of Kinney County.

The construction of the "state ordered" outside exercise yard at the jail is approximately 95% complete. I will let you know the total overall cost of this project as soon as all the information is available. I do want you to be aware of the fact that the funds necessary for the project have been generated by the federal prisoner on either the exercise yard or the new communications system, which

was also ordered installed by the state.

We have advertised for bids on the communications system and I will keep you informed on the cost of this operation as it becomes available.

Most of you are aware that 1984 is an election year and I urge those of you who are not registered to do so and let's all exercise our right to vote for the candidates of our choice during this election year for the various offices, both nationally and locally.

Freedom of choice and the right to vote has kept our country strong for over two hundred years. Those who fail to exercise that right are losing their chance to have a say in who is elected to represent them in the various governmental offices.

The new registration cards will be mailed out by my office to the voters of Kinney County as soon as possible. Many of us have cards that will expire in February. You may check the expiration date of your card by reading the fine print on the back. If your present card is "salmon pink" in color it will expire on February 28, 1984. The new cards will be "blue" in color. Should you fail to receive your new card by the end of February, check with Martha Smallwood at the Tax Office in the County Courthouse to make sure that you are registered and receive a new card.

We anticipate entering into contract negotiations with U. S. Marshal's Service for a new contract regarding federal prisoners at the County Jail. I anticipate an increase in prisoner care fees that will bring in more revenue for the county. The primary use of these funds will be to cover the operational costs of the Sheriff's Department and the County Jail, thereby releasing your tax dollar for use by the county to cover the costs of other operations. The income we have generated through the federal prisoner program has helped the county pay off our indebtedness and has supported our law enforcement operations. Hopefully with the continuation of this successful operation the Commissioner's Court may be able to lower taxes sometime in the next year or two.

We are proud of what we have accomplished with the Sheriff's Department and

County Jail since taking office in 1982. We have brought the jail within the standards required by the Jail Commission, we have generated funds that cover the total cost of our operation at no cost to the county with enough left over to go into the General Fund to assist in funding other county operations. All of this information is on public record and may be verified by request at the courthouse.

I am looking forward to an even better FY 1984-85 and we should show an even larger income of funds generated by the Federal Prisoner Program. These funds will most certainly assist Kinney County to reach a more stable economic position.

We have dedicated, concerned Commissioner's Court and we all seem to be pulling together for better county government. With the support of YOU, the taxpayers of this county, we will soon be on solid financial footing and the pressure on your tax dollar will be relieved.

#### DAY CARE FOR CHILDREN

TDHR is currently accepting applications from agencies, sole proprietors and other organizations to provide broker day care services in the following counties: Dimmit, Frio, Kinney, LaSalle, Maverick, Medina, Uvalde, and Zavala. Services are to be provided through the use of licensed day care centers, licensed group day homes and/or registered family day homes. Procurement information packets will be available from 1-23-84 thru 2-3-84. Details about services and about submitting offers for contracts can be obtained by writing or calling:

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Mrs. Charolette Corey  
Kinney County Librarian

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If you have a specific reference question, just call it in and we'll try to answer it for you.

We have magazines for checking out, some of which are ... TIME, NEWSWEEK, U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT, VEGETARIAN TIMES, MOTHER EARTH NEWS, NEW SHELTER, THE HOMEOWNER'S, HOW-TO MAGAZINE, TEXAS HIGHWAYS, TEXAS PARKS & WILDLIFE, TEXAS MONTHLY, SYLVIA PORTER'S MONEY MAGAZINE

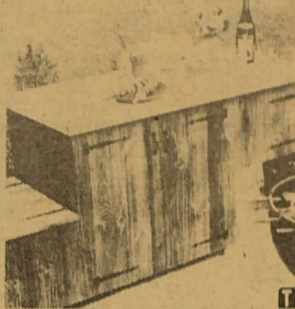
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**PLANS FOR HOMEOWNERS**

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The butcher block top is made out of strips of 2 x 2 (1 and a half inch square) pine. A set of plans for this and many other project ideas to build on is available in a helpful book called "Do It Right With Tools and Wood." It's available by sending \$2.95 in check or money order to: The Stanley Works, Dept. NAPS, Box 1800, New Britain, CT 06050.

Some of the Stanley tools you'll need for the project are a saw, claw hammer, steel tape or folding wood rule, a combination square, a screwdriver and a push-pull drill with assorted bits.

"In art it's not thinking that does the job, but making."  
—Goethe

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60°	60	56	50	48	46	44	42	40
50°	50	45	37	33	30	28	24	22
40°	40	34	23	20	15	11	7	4
30°	30	24	12	3	-1	-5	-13	-16
20°	20	12	-4	-13	-18	-23	-28	-33
10°	10	0	-17	-27	-33	-38	-45	-50
0°	0	-13	-29	-40	-46	-53	-61	-65
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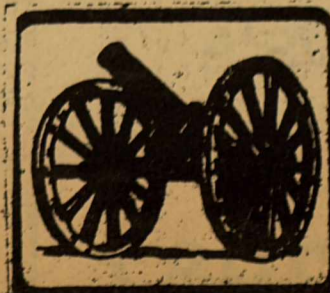
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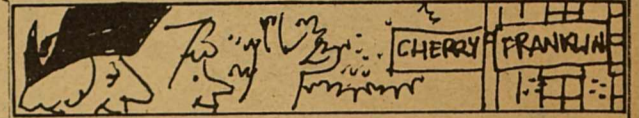


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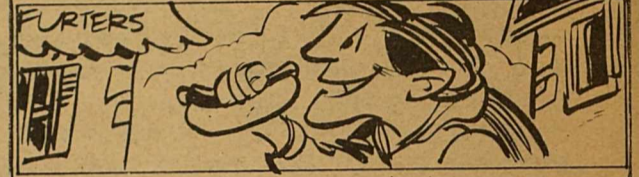
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It's said that the frankfurter was first made in Germany during the Middle Ages.

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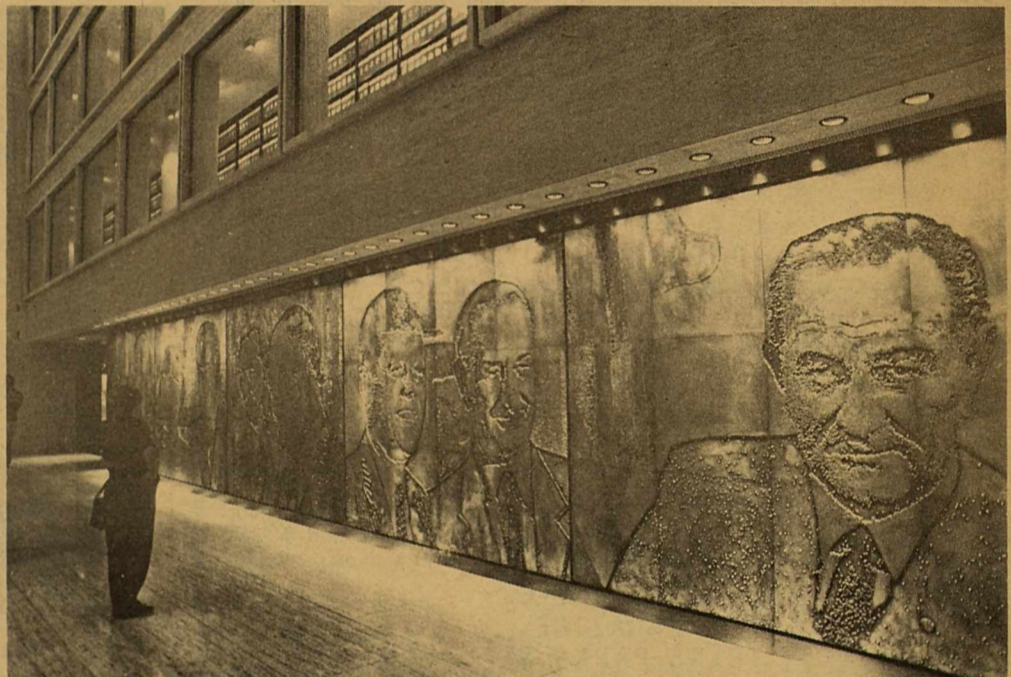
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One of the most impressive attractions within the LBJ Library and Museum in Austin is the huge 8 foot by 50 foot mural done in etched metal, which depicts Lyndon Baines Johnson with four other presidents of the United States. The museum features a fascinating variety of exhibits spanning the career of the 36th President including over 30 million documents housed in a four-story archive.

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Garner State Park near Concan has traditionally drawn heavy crowds in the summertime, but is little-used in the winter months, as are most of the parks in the Parks and Wildlife System. Overnight camping facilities including cabins are much more easily reserved during the winter, and the visitor may enjoy the scenic beauty at a much more leisurely pace.



Sawing away at his trusty fiddle, a musician recreates a slice of life from 19th century Texas at Old City Park in Dallas. Only minutes from the downtown business district, the park presents a unique living history museum of restored buildings, with interpreters on hand to explain various aspects of frontier life.



Grand Champion Calf presented to Brenda Foust. Buyer-Pinon Ranch \$1.90 lb.



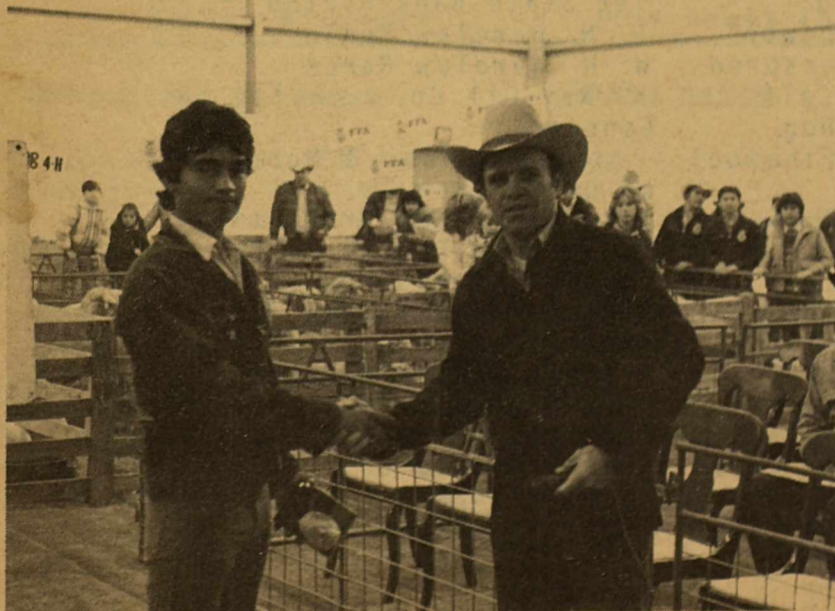
Grand Champion Crossbred Lamb presented to Leisha Wardlaw. Buyer-W.H. Wardlaw Ranch \$10.00 lb.



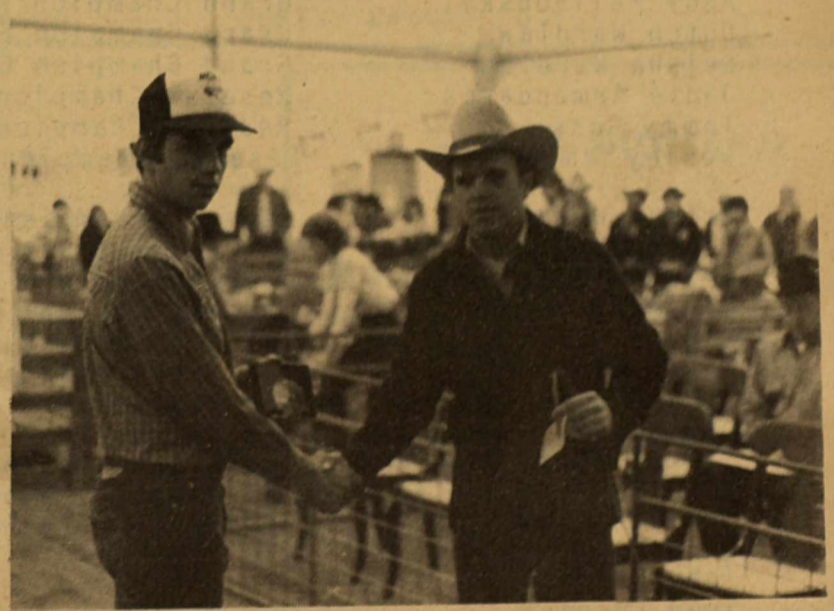
Grand Champion Finewool Lamb presented to Dutch Wardlaw. Buyer-W.H. Wardlaw Ranch \$9.50 lb.



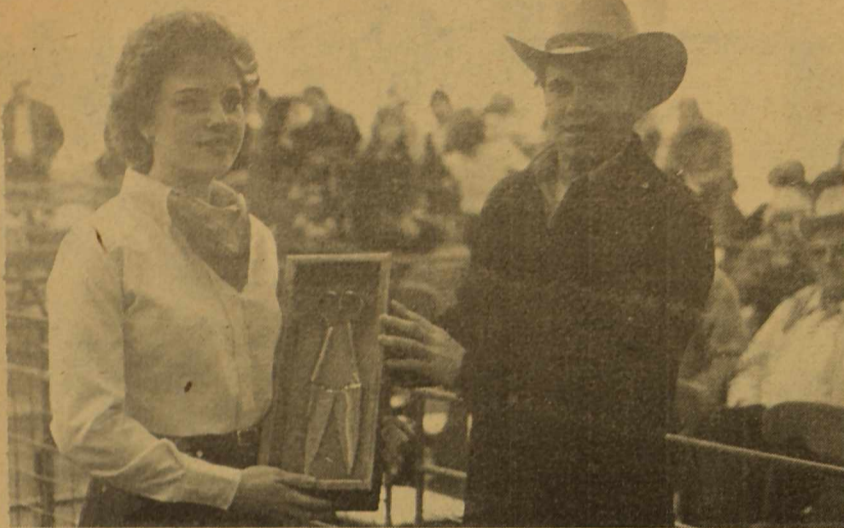
Grand Champion Market Hog presented to Andy Malivonsky. Buyer-First State Bank of Uvalde \$2.30 lb.



Beef Cattle Showmanship Award presented to George Villarreal.



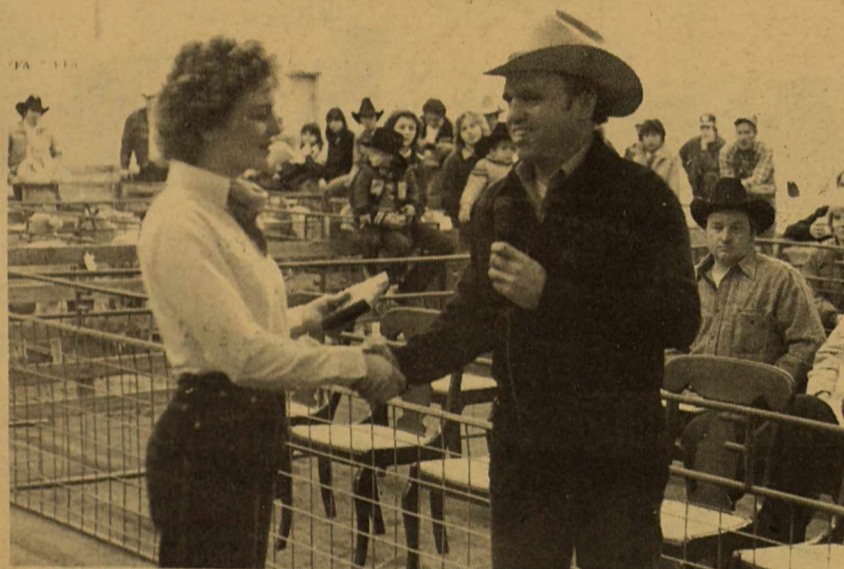
Swine Showmanship - Andy Malivonsky



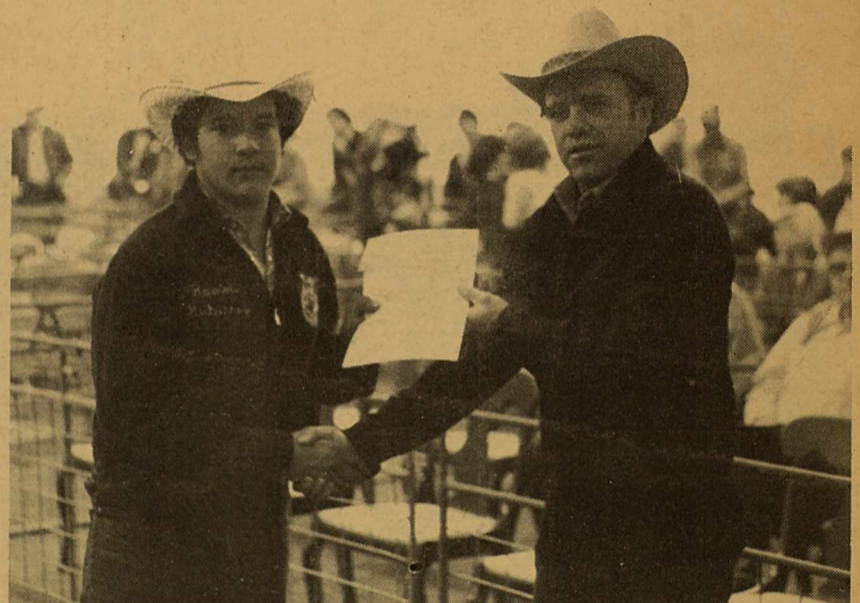
Silver Shears Award presented to Leisha Wardlaw. Donated by Mr. & Mrs. Nick Nixon, Brackettville.



Joe Key Joey York III Memorial awarded to Wesley White.



Market Lamb Showmanship presented to Leishaw Wardlaw.



John G. Dooley Award presented to Ramon Gutierrez.

SELLER  
 Brenda Foust  
 Andy Malivonsky  
 Dutch Wardlaw  
 Leisha Wardlaw  
 Janie Armendares  
 Tommy Gass  
 Wesley White

Leisha Wardlaw  
 George Villerreal  
 Jessie Perez  
 Carlos Villereal  
 Brenda Gass  
 Kasey Hall  
 Joana Smith  
 Jim Gass  
 Sherry White  
 Jennifer Shahan  
 Brenda Foust  
 Sherry White  
 Toby Frerich  
 Toby Frerich  
 Tammy Frerich  
 Dutch Wardlaw  
 Ginger Hooten  
 Ginger Hooten

PLACE  
 Grand Champion Calf  
 Grand Champion Hog  
 Grand Champion Finewool  
 Grand Champion Crossbred  
 Reserve Champion Calf  
 Reserve Champion Hog  
 Reserve Champion Finewool  
 Reserve Champion Crossbred  
 1st Lightweight Calf  
 2nd Lightweight Calf  
 3rd Lightweight Calf  
 1st Lightweight Hog  
 2nd Lightweight Hog  
 3rd Heavyweight Hog  
 5th Heavyweight Hog  
 1st Light Finewool  
 2nd Light Finewool  
 2nd Medium Finewool  
 2nd Heavy Crossbred  
 3rd Light Finewool  
 3rd Medium Finewool  
 3rd Light Crossbred  
 3rd Heavy Crossbred  
 4th Light Finewool  
 4th Medium Finewool

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 W. H. Wardlaw Ranch  
 W. H. Wardlaw Ranch  
 H. Ray Oil Co.  
 Genesco  
 Producers Wool & Mohair  
 of Del Rio  
 1st State Bank Brackett  
 West Pinto Ranch  
 Uvalde Processing  
 Plaza National Bank  
 Murf Bledsoe  
 1st State Bank Brackett  
 Gulf Printing  
 Frerich and Son  
 Dumler Cattle Co.  
 Buchner Superette  
 1st State Bank Brackett  
 John Finigan  
 T. J. Moore  
 Del Rio Natl. Bank  
 1st State Bank Brackett  
 Godbold Feed of Lubbock  
 Kinney County Land Co.  
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Janie Armendares  
 Ronnie Latham  
 Tammy Frerich  
 Wesley White  
 Kristy Gwartney  
 Jennifer Shahan  
 Ronnie Latham  
 Kelley Hall  
 Tia Ralston  
 Kasey Hall  
 Leo Cedillo  
 Shawn Ralston  
 Kristy Gwartney

4th Light Crossbred  
 5th Light Finewool  
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 8th Light Finewool  
 8th Medium Finewool  
 8th Heavy Finewool  
 8th Light Crossbred

Robbie Latham  
 Henry Schwandner  
 George Perez  
 James Shemerhorn  
 Charles Pair  
 Salvador Balderas  
 Jodie Shemerhorn  
 Eliu Penales  
 Keith Corder  
 Froy Hernandez  
 Mark Frerich  
 Mateo Montalvo  
 Armando Aguirre  
 Esteban Pena  
 Mitch Frerich  
 Jesus Aguirre  
 Juan Acevedo  
 Ramon Gutierrez  
 Arnett Hunter  
 Gilbert Meyer  
 Jesus Pena  
 Melissa Meyer  
 Melinda Meyer  
 Gracie Hernandez  
 Senon Garza  
 Ricky Pena  
 Edwardo Pena

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 David Garza  
 Tomas Castillo  
 Danny McDonald  
 Wesley Risinger

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 29th Light Finewool

Gulf Printing  
 West TX Bank Holding Co.  
 Roadrunner Energy  
 Uvalde Producers Feed  
 1st State Bank Brackett  
 Uvalde Bank  
 T. J. Moore  
 Kinney Co. Wool & Mohair  
 Shahan Ranches  
 Rancho Rio Grande  
 A. J. Foyt  
 Texas Farm Store  
 Urban Electric Carrizo  
 Springs  
 West TX. Holding Co.  
 Ft. Clark Springs  
 West Pinto Rancho  
 Clay Hunt Ranch  
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 Double R Ranches  
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 Royals Windmill & Pump  
 1st State Bank Brackett  
 Uvalde P. C. A.  
 Jimmy Bader  
 Genesco  
 Dumler Cattle Co.

#### Mrs. Baby Means Veltmann

Mrs. Baby Means Veltmann, 92, died Tuesday in Eden Home for the Aged in New Braunsfels.

Mrs. Veltmann was born July 29, 1891, on the Y-6 Ranch in the Davis Mountains, the daughter of John Zack and Exa Means. She was married to Clyde Charles Veltmann Aug. 1, 1914. He died Nov. 4, 1971.

Survivors include her daughter, Exa Damon of New Braunsfels; a son, C.C. Veltmann Jr. of Brackettville; four grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

The family has chosen the Eden Home for the Aged in New Braunsfels as the recipient for memorials.

#### RETAMA MANOR

On the 14th of January and again on the 16th, Retama Manor Nursing Home has had the distinct pleasure of having two of their employees, Diana Hill and Margret Kyser, received their caps for LVN and RN. As employees of Retama Manor, they have both strived to give our residents quality care. They are both open to new ideas and have taken this a step further by continuing their education. So on behalf of all of us at Retama Manor Nursing Home, we again would like to thank you for improving yourselves in order to help our residents. Again, congratulations on a job well done.

#### SIREN SIGNALS

##### SEVERE WEATHER WARNING

3 to 5 minute STEADY siren  
 (a severe weather warning means very damaging hail and/or winds in excess of 50 miles per hour or a tornado, ONLY.)  
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All Clear

30 to 45 second STEADY blast  
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##### ENEMY ATTACK WARNING

3 to 5 minute WAVERING siren  
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### LAW REQUIRES FILING REPORT OF MOBILE HOME MOVEMENT

**AUSTIN-** The State Property Tax Board (SPTB) reminds those who move mobile homes, both within the state and from out of state, that they are required to report all mobile home moves to the county appraisal districts in Texas in which the moves take place.

The reports are used to place mobile homes on the property tax rolls of local taxing jurisdictions. According to SPTB data, 285,743 mobile homes were on the tax rolls in 1982, with an appraised value of \$2,530,290,904.

Requirements for reporting movement of mobile homes are spelled out in the Texas Property Tax Code in Chapter 21. The law requires that any person moving a mobile home in Texas file a report of the movement and pay a \$10 filing fee.

Mobile home movers are liable for a penalty of up to \$200 for knowingly failing or refusing to report the movement of a mobile home.

The report and filing fee must be turned in to the chief appraiser of the county appraisal districts in which the move begins, as well as to the chief appraiser of the district in which the move ends.

If the move originates out of state, the report and filing fee must be turned in to the chief appraiser of the district in which the move ends. The report must be filed before the day on which the move begins.

Filing fees are deposited in the general funds of the counties. Some mobile home transporters based outside the state may face a delay if shipment is held up until a report can be filed in the Texas county for which a mobile home is destined.

Out-of-state transporters seeking to comply with Texas law, yet avoid such a delay may write the local chief appraiser to request extension of reporting deadline. Under the law, the chief appraiser may extend the deadline for a single period of up to 15 days, "for good cause shown".

Alternatively, the out-of-state mover may authorize drivers to file the required reports on behalf of the

company upon arrival at their destinations in Texas at least one day before the mobile home is moved onto its site.

Report forms and lists of appraisal district mailing addresses are available from chief appraisers or at district offices of the Texas Department of Highways and Public Transport.

Mobile home movers or owners with a question about reporting requirements are urged to contact local chief appraisers or to call SPTB's Technical Assistance Section, (512) 837-8622 or, toll-free in Texas 1-800-252-9121.



UNA LOY CLARK

Una Loy Clark, widow of artificial heart recipient Dr. Barney Clark, has volunteered to serve as National Residential Campaign Chairman for the American Heart Association's 1983-84 campaign.

Working toward a national \$100 million goal, volunteers across Texas are hoping to raise \$8,200,000. Through door-to-door canvases of many Texas neighborhoods during February and other fund raising events within the coming months, funds will be collected to benefit cardiovascular research and education programs within Texas.

Hoping her involvement with AHA will help further the cause of basic heart research, Mrs. Clark said, "Through my husband's experience, I realize

just how many people are afflicted with heart disease and how devastating it can be to both the patient and the family. I want to do whatever I can to alleviate the trauma heart disease brings to people."

Dr. Clark, a 61-year-old retired dentist, became the first recipient of a permanent artificial heart on December 2, 1982 at the University of Utah Medical Center in Salt Lake City. Living 112 days with the polyurethane mechanical heart, Dr. Clark died of Multiple organ failure on March 23, 1983.

### MEXICAN-AMERICAN CHILDREN NEED TEMPORARY HOMES

More Mexican-American parents are urgently needed in this area, the Texas Department of Human Resources announced recently.

According to Darrel ZumMallen, Foster Home Development Worker, there are only 11 foster families in the six-county area including Val Verde, Kinney, Uvalde, Zavala, Dimmit and Maverick counties. Only 4 of these families are Mexican-American, while 45% of foster children are Mexican-American.

"This means most of these Mexican-American children are being placed with Anglo or Black Families", says ZumMallen. "They are already going through the trauma of being separated from their families. It's an additional hardship for a foster child to adjust to unfamiliar foods, customs, languages, and attitudes in a home of different ethnic background."

Foster parents provide temporary homes for abused and/or neglected children whose biological parents need time to receive professional counseling and resolve their problems. The children stay in foster homes until their parents can provide a safe and stable home environment, or until other permanent placement is arranged.

ZumMallen adds that foster parents come from all walks of life, and can be married, single, with or without children, retired, or military personnel, as well as working couples. All interested persons may call for information at 774-3661.



### KAZEN ANNOUNCES CONGRESSIONAL CANDIDACY

After blowing out the candles on the oversized birthday cake, U.S. Representative Abraham "Chick" Kazen announced that he will vie for a 10th term as districts 23's congressman.

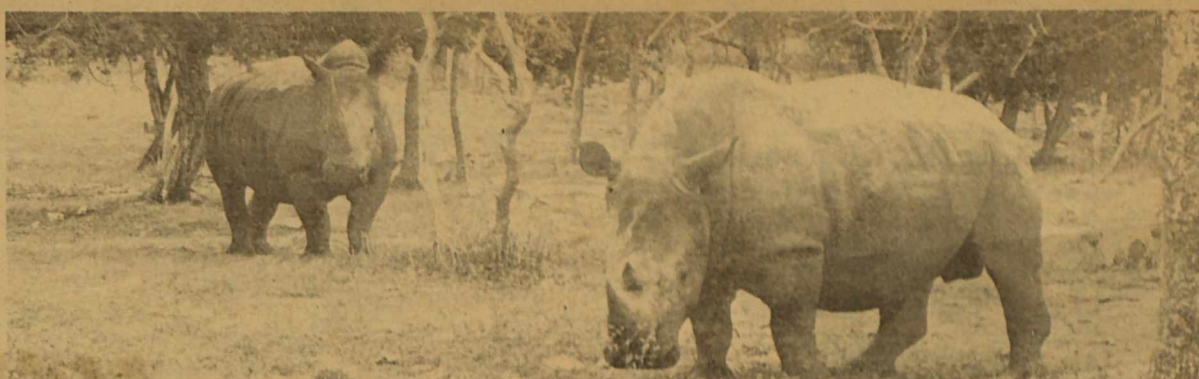
Kazen celebrates his January 17 birthday every even year by formally filing for reelection to his congressional post and 1984 was no different. His 58-member Bexar County steering committee helped him usher in another year - and another campaign - at 7:30 a.m. breakfast celebration held in San Antonio. The cake bore the congressional seal and 65 candles.

Later that day, Kazen filed the necessary campaign documents, making him an official contender in May 5 Democratic Primary.

If he receives the go-ahead from voters, Kazen will become the ranking majority member of the Military Installations and Facilities Subcommittee, on which he now serves. This committee authorizes all base closings and major increases or reductions in mission strength, and its actions have direct bearing on the Texas economy.

Kazen has received the Guardian of Small Business Award every year since 1975 from the National Federation of Independent Businesses.

1984 marks the first election year following the revamping of Texas congressional districts, a move that expanded Kazen's voter base to include Val Verde County.



TTDA photo by Richard McCune

## ★ Texas Safari: an adventure among wild animals

by Richard McCune, chief of media relations, Texas Tourist Development Agency

CLIFTON, Texas Tucked away in rugged limestone hills and lush canyons of the Bosque River area just northwest of Waco is the spectacular setting of an animal wonderland billed as The World's Largest Exotic Animal Drive Through Park, better known as Texas Safari.

A lifetime dream of such a place has come true since 1981 for Waco businessman and rancher A.C. Parsons, who has been described as fascinated with animals since childhood.

Parsons set off 800 acres of his 2,000-acre Seven Gables Ranch for just such a park where animals from all over the world could be seen and enjoyed close up in most cases and virtually all within average camera range.

While many of the creatures are so familiar with automobiles crawling the winding roads at 5 m.p.h. that little attention is given them, an admonition to remain in cars throughout the seven-mile tour of the park is the firm rule, including marked pullover stops to view Indian caves and the scenic panorama from the hilltops some 300 feet above the valley for miles around, for examples.

(Animals can be taken out of the wild, but the wild can not always be taken out of the animal.)

Ironically, the most dangerous animal is the seemingly docile zebra, which has a nasty temperament and has been known to turn on their keepers.

And that is why visitors see them, alongside the equally mean ostriches, in a well-fenced enclosure near the headquarters. The big birds, incidentally, are a variety from Africa, Australia and South America.

Texas Safari visitors are also cautioned by humorous signs to take it easy on the steep grade leading downward to the headquarters gift shop and concession.

While it's not dangerous at all, they've left the hulk of an old water truck on the bottom of a hill as a visual joke and reminder to take it easy.

Most of the animals along the route are seen roaming free, with fencing apparent mostly at cattle guards and virtually none to distract from the openness as visitors move through five distinct areas.

International Plains contains open-land grazing animals native to virtually every continent; Mount Kilimanjaro Preserve features mostly horned creatures of the world; in the Texas Plains are native deer, buffalo, longhorns and turkeys; and in the African Compound and Ponds are ducks, geese and swans, ignored by unruly zebras nearby.

The only zoo-like containment is for lions, tigers and bears, and a giraffe is seen in a paddock adjacent to the headquarters.

Comments from visitors have been gratifying, said manager Roy Ackland, especially on cleanliness of the operation and total absence of litter. And so far, it is visitors who are the best advertisement for Safari, along with return visitors who come back to see it all again.

Among the 60 or so species of wild animals, which number more than 2,000, also are a pair of huge Belgian draft horses, domestic cattle, bison and sheep of every description and origin around the world.

Added to the menagerie in July 1981 were three adult white rhinoceros from South Africa, now numbering four with birth of a baby and more expected.

The adults, weighing some 8,000 pounds each, arrived in huge crates on a flat bed trailer, which required a crane to lower them to the ground. To keep the rhinos cool, each crate was fitted with electric blowers.

Described as small-brained, with poor eyesight but good hearing, the rhino is no match for animals wandering into its territory. The rhinos since have remained near enough to the road in the park for easy viewing and no longer care to plow through a nine-gauge fence which they can

easily snap, nor display territorial vengeance.

In addition to delighting travelers, Texas Safari is also in the brood stock import-export business. Young or surplus animals are sold regularly to other wildlife parks, zoos and private wildlife collectors. Many of the sheep birth year around, although spring-time is a seasonal baby boom, including deer and other antlered species.

The park is popular with organizations which travel in convoys of recreational vehicles they park on the grounds. Many make more than one trip around the grounds, which is just fine with the management which places no extra admission

during their stay.

Texas Safari seemingly knows no season, and is open every day from 10 a.m. to one hour before sundown. Photography supplies, animal feed and gifts are available at the main building.

To reach it from the north on I-35, take State 22 to Laguna Park and Farm Road 219 to Clifton; from the South on I-35, exit State 6 northwest. Continue through Clifton from the south to signs on State 6, oppositely from the north and northwest. Information: Texas Safari, Route 2, Clifton TX, 76634; Tel. 817/675-3658.

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