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## RICHARD DALTON GROWS GIANTS

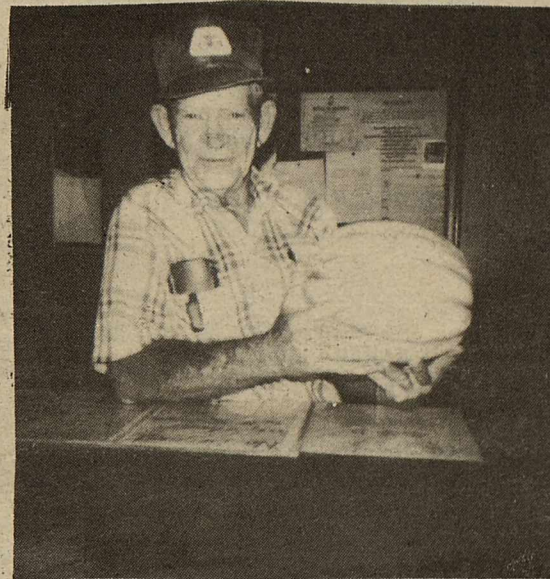
What's big, round, shaped like a pumpkin, and smells like a cantalope?

Brackettville's largest cantalope, weighing in at ten pounds, grown by Richard Dalton.

Dalton and wife Frances have lived in Brackettville for two years. Originally from Missouri, Dalton was in the military for 21 years and employed with the Federal Government for an additional 14 years.

The cantalope, a special type of melon called Rocky Ford, was grown from seeds originating in California. Dalton has been growing melons, along with other fruits and

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MRS. AGNES VONDY

Mrs. Agnes Fritter Vondy has been appointed to the Citizens Advisory Council on Aging by the Texas Department on Aging for 3 years.

A little about Agnes... she has been with us since 1909, born in Kinney County, a descendant of the Pioneer family of Ross, Fritter and Stratton she graduated in 1927 from Brackett High School, married the late Tom J. Vondy in 1929 who was then the Superintendent of the Asphalt Mines. She had 2 children, Luanne Davis and Harry T. Vondy. She is a former rancher, a retired school teacher, Historian, Prospector and a member of Ft. Clark Springs. She is one of Brackettville's older citizens who works with the STEP program at the Nutrition Center and is president of the site council.

She has been a member of the Area Agency on Aging Council for the past 3 years and has traveled extensively in the United States. Congratulations were received from Executive Director Bob Bobbit, Executive Director for M.R.G.D.C., Michael M. Patterson, Texas Board on Aging Chairman Mr. James Robert, Aging Coordinator for M.R.G.D.C. Estella Hernandez, and members of the Area Agency Council on Aging from M.R.G.D.C., who quote "We know that your expertise and knowledge will be of great benefit to the entire aging network. Reduced funding by the Federal Gramm-Rudman Hollings Deficit Reduction Act is a great challenge to the Department on Aging and its Aging Network in meeting the needs of the Elderly of Texas. The Texas Department on Aging is proud to the

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CLERGY PARTICIPATING IN ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH services Saturday and Sunday, July 18th and 19th, to celebrate the congregation's 120th anniversary are (left to right): The Rev. Raymond Turner, supply Priest assisting at the Church; the Rt. Rev. John H. MacNaughton, Bishop of West Texas; the Rev. Bill Koons, Vicar of St. Andrew's; and the Rev. Canon Dyson V. Nickle, Sr., who formerly served the local Church as a lay reader before his ordination.



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Danny Potter

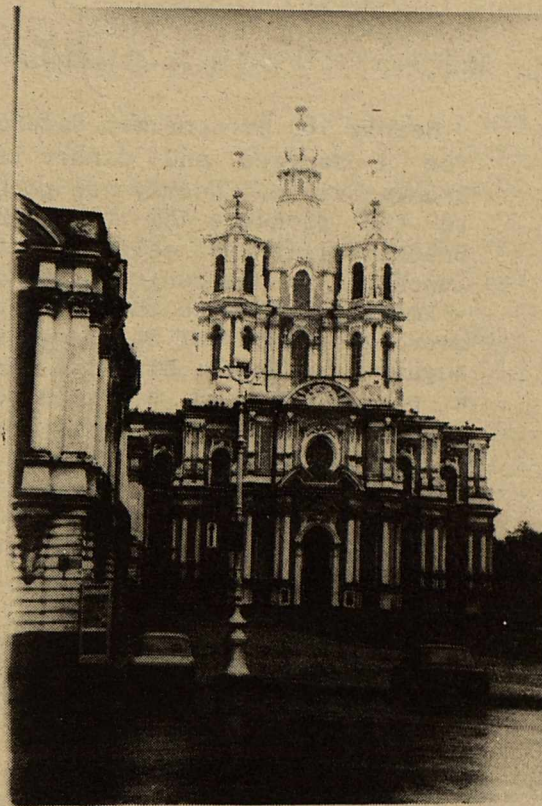
Since my return, a good many people have asked me about my trip to Russia. I appreciate the opportunity to share some of that experience with you in the Cavalryman. As a matter of fact, simply having a local newspaper is something I have learned to appreciate. There are no local newspapers in the Soviet Union. Imagine having two national newspapers, each about five pages in length, containing no advertising and ignoring much of the news of the outside world.

Entering the Soviet Union was a little less difficult than I had expected. Before we reached the border, we completed a "Customs Declaration" on which we gave basic information such as where we came from, why we were visiting the Soviet Union, how long we would stay and where, etc. We also listed the amounts of all currency in our possession including travelers checks, and cash from other countries. We listed all of our valuable possessions and the number of pieces of luggage we were carrying. We also had to throw away all newspapers and magazines including those with potentially embarrassing references to the Soviet Union, references to the landing of the small plane in Red Square and black lister periodicals, the most notable of which was Reader's Digest. It is not permitted to bring Russian money (Rubles) into the country or to take it out. Each time that we exchanged money in the hotels or at a bank, we had to present our

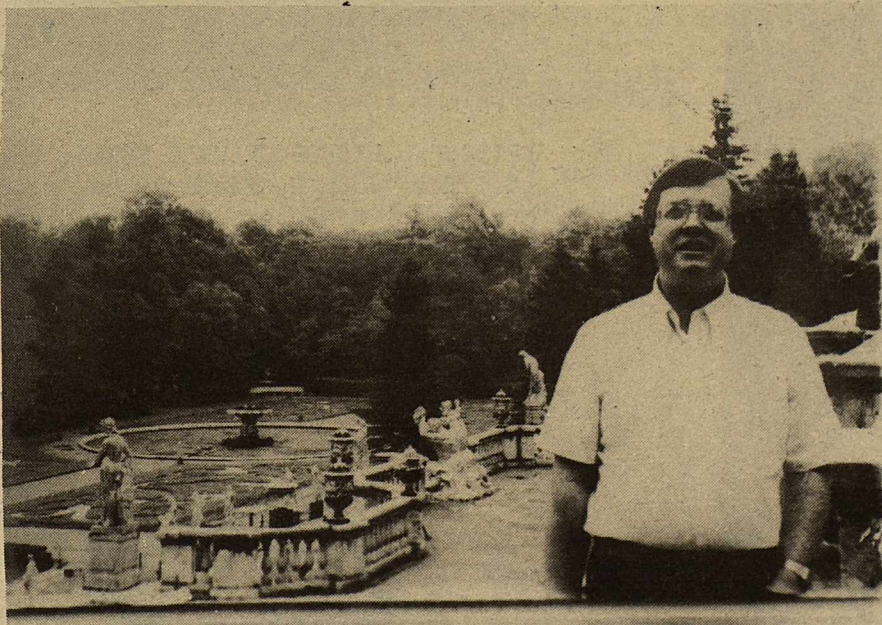
Customs Declaration. We would be questioned if we tried to exchange hard currency which was not listed. We received a very important form each time we exchanged money, which we were to keep during our entire stay in the Soviet Union. Upon leaving the country, we presented those forms along with our Russian visa, the Customs Declaration and receipts for all transactions made while in the Soviet Union. The currency declaration is important to the Soviet authorities because some people in the streets would offer to exchange money on the black market or to buy your clothes. It is very risky to deal with these people since they could be KGB agents or policemen, or they could be offering you money which is not good for purchases. It is also risky to be caught with more Rubles than you should have. Some people on the street will ask you to smuggle letters out of the Soviet Union for them. It is extremely dangerous to be caught with such letters. I was able to walk around freely on my own many times. Using what little Russian I know, I was able to ask directions and say a few kind words. It is interesting to note that when I added the words - very much - to the words - thank you - the people were very warm and responsive, even including the police.

During our stay in Russia, we were joined by a guide from Intourist, the official Soviet tour company for "foreigners". Our Intourist guide did not provide

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One of the many landmarks visited by Potter during his trip to Russia. The trip made him appreciate many of the "necessities" available in the United States.



Danny Potter, band director at Brackett High, enjoyed his visit to the Soviet Union. The picture above was taken during his visit to Leningrad.

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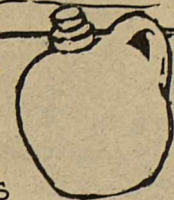
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## ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Nearly 180 persons met Saturday evening, July 18, at the new barbecue grounds at Fort Clark Springs for a service and dinner to celebrate the 120th anniversary of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church of Brackettville. Nearly 100 people gathered at the local Episcopal church the next morning to pay homage to the pioneers of the congregation and to worship with Bishop John H. MacNaughton, here in Brackettville to celebrate the Holy Eucharist and confirm two men into the Episcopal Church. A luncheon for the congregation and its guests followed the service.

Among visitors to the week end of festivities were the Rev. Canon Dyson V. Nickle, Sr., presently serving as vicar of St. John's Episcopal Church in Center, Texas, and Christ Episcopal Church in San Augustine, Texas; his wife Jane, and two of their children, Joe and Pynne. Canon Nickle, who also was a participant in services both Saturday and Sunday, was a lay reader at St. Andrew's before his ordination in 1963. He is the son of the late Rev. O. Wallace Nickle, who was vicar of St. Andrew's for many years. Jane Nickle is the daughter of the Rev. Joe Mack Routh, a retired Episcopal priest living in Palestine, Texas, and who also was a lay reader at St. Andrew's before his ordination in 1953.

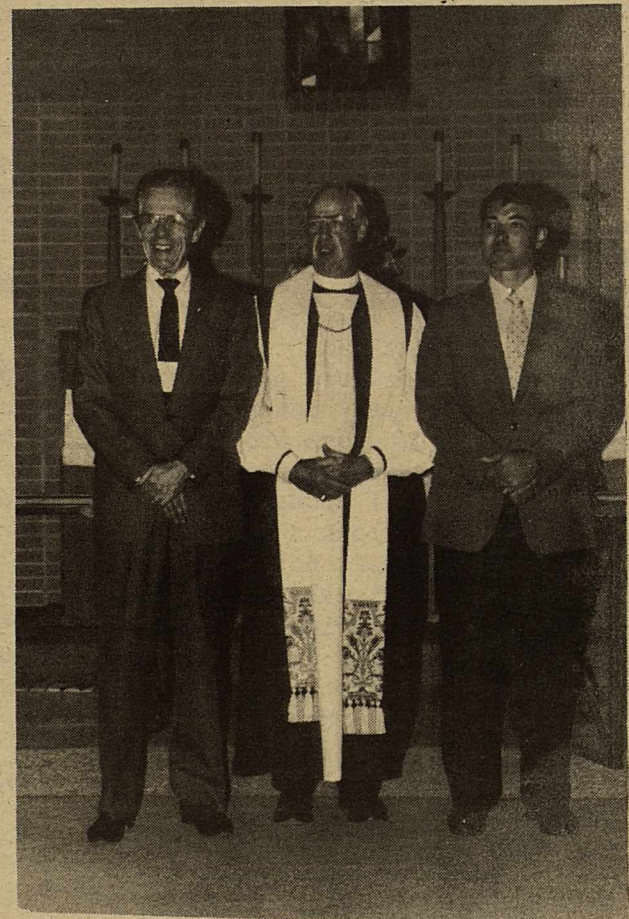
Present vicar of St. Andrew's is the Rev. William D. Koons, who is assisted by the Rev. Raymond F. Turner, supply priest. Bishop's warden of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church is Mr. Stanford Conoly.



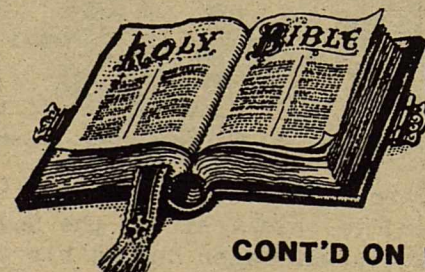
A FORMER LAY READER AT ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH of Brackettville, the Rev. Canon Dyson V. Nickle (left) poses with Diocese of West Texas Bishop John H. MacNaughton; present Church Vicar, the Rev. Bill Koons; and the Rev. Raymond F. Turner, supply Priest assisting at the local Church.



A LUNCHEON PREPARED BY BRACKETTVILLE'S GOOD COOKS is enjoyed after the 120th years celebration's Sunday Service, July 19th, at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church. Left to right are Capt. Ralph Bell, Bishop and Mrs. John H. MacNaughton, Mrs. Stanford Conoly, and Miss Amanda Kate Judge of San Antonio.



EPISCOPAL BISHOP OF WEST TEXAS, the Rt. Rev. John H. Macnaughton, with Mr. Eric McMaster of Fort Clark Springs (left) and Capt. Ralph Bell of Laughlin Air Force Base, who were confirmed at 120th anniversary services held at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church Sunday, July 19th.



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### LAUREN CHAPIN TO SPEAK AT ALCOHOL & DRUG ABUSE SEMINAR

The Middle Rio Grande Development Council-RAAC-Region 24 will hold their 10th Annual Institute on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Studies on Friday, August 14. These seminars will be held in the meeting rooms of the Fort Clark Springs General Administration Building at Brackettville, Texas.

Registration will begin at 8:00 a.m. with the keynote address by Lauren Chapin beginning at 9:15 a.m. You will remember her as the child actress who played the role of Kathy Anderson on the award winning 'Father Knows Best' TV series. After winning 'Best Child

Actress' for five of six years the show ran, she was thrown into the mainstream of life at the age of 14. A multitude of problems (amplified by an alcoholic mother) caused her to search the world for love and peace--but instead found drug addiction, prison, pain and suffering. After eight miscarriages, divorce and near fatal illness, Lauren was literally at death's door. Hear her story of recovery.

All AA's, Alanon, ACOA members are encouraged to attend this meeting, as well as any other interested persons.

### LOCAL ANGEL WINS SWEEPSTAKES

Angel Jaso, age 12, recently was a \$100 prize winner in the "Guess Who's Mikey Sweepstakes" sponsored by Life Cereal Pro.

Angel mailed in his entry a few months ago and was very surprised and thrilled to hear he had won.

Angel is now enjoying a summer vacation in Houston with his cousins Joe Pete and Reggie Rivas, Jr. They plan to have a lot of fun and enjoy their time off from school before returning in September.

Congratulations Angel!



### BABE RUTH LEAGUERS

First and second place winners of the Run, Hit and Throw contest. Left to right, bottom row: Jared Shahan, Bo Smallwood, Wil Shahan, Chris Mulligan and Marty Schermerhorn. Left to right, top row: J.J. Sandoval, Ruben Terrazas, Lyn Flody and Michael Munoz.

### CLASS OF 1977

The Brackettville Class of 1977 will hold their 10 year reunion on Saturday, July 25 at the Fort Clark Springs Swimming Pool at 2:00 p.m. For more information call Walter Pierce at 563-2538 or Alan Frerich at 563-2620.

### EARWOOD'S

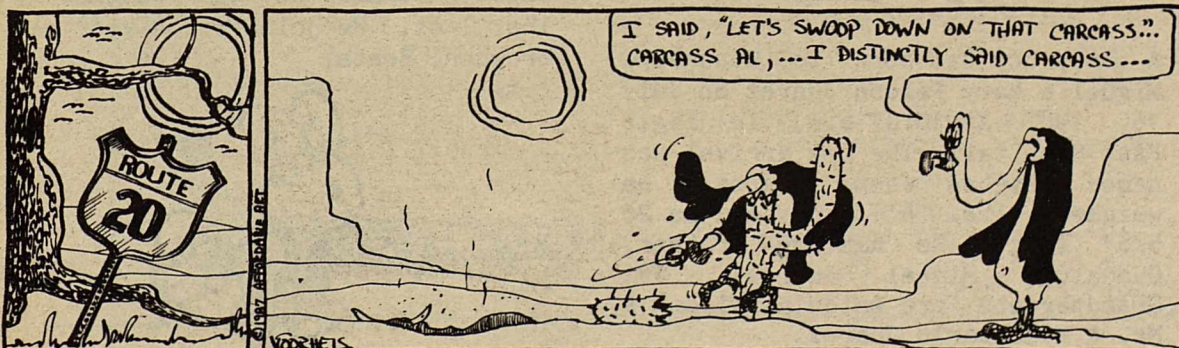
### CELEBRATE 40 YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. Darryl Earwood were honored Friday evening, July 3, with a dinner in celebration of their 40th Wedding Anniversary.

The dinner was held at the Fort Clark Springs Golf and Country Club in Brackettville with approximately 50 guests attending.

The event was hosted by their children, Bill and Joyce Earwood of Uvalde, Eddie and Kathleen Earwood of Freer, Mundo and Jeannie Earwood of Humble, Darrylene and Howard Baughman of Del Rio and Bodie and Patsy York of Dallas. Also attending the celebration were the couples' 10 grandchildren and especially welcomed were their 3 great-grandchildren, 18 month old Chelsa Vaughan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Vaughan, 20 month old L.H. York, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Mac York, and 9 week old Valari Michelle Earwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Earwood.

Music was provided by family music artist Mundo Earwood with accompaniment by Penny Ingram of Fort Clark Springs, while guests dined on a catfish buffet. A country theme prevailed with blue bonnets and pink poseys as the centerpiece.





## LIBRARY NOTES

## BOOKS

BY:  
FRANCES HERNANDEZ

Three months have gone by since the Library Advisory Board voted unanimously to try a Tuesday - Saturday schedule, believing this would give most working people and school students more opportunity to use the library. The board has re-evaluated the three months trial looking over the daily records kept and has decided to reiterate the previous schedule of Monday - Friday BEGINNING AUGUST 1ST.

## NEW BOOKS

Haunted Mesa by Louis L'Amour

Heiress by Janet Dailey

Destiny by Sally Beauman

Empire by Gore Vidal

Misery by Stephen King

Texasville by Larry McCurtry

Windmills of the Gods by Sidney  
Sheldon

Eyes of the Dragon by Stephen King

Hold on, Mr. President by Sam  
Donaldson

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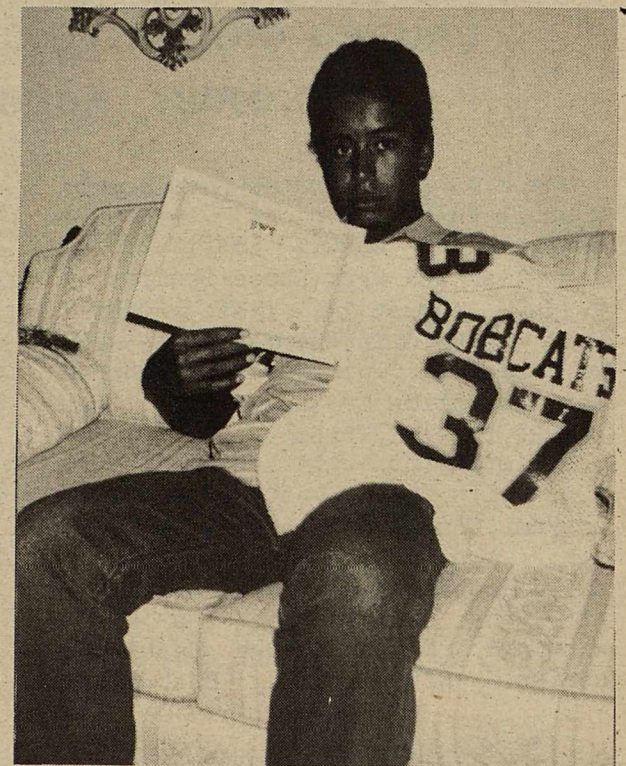
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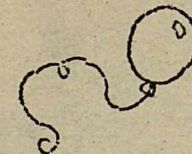
Chris Kelley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Kelley, holds the certificate and jersey awarded to him at the Southwest Texas State University Football Camp Awards Presentation on July 2. Chris received the Bobcat Camper Award in the young camper group. The award presented to one younger and one older camper is based on attitude and participation during the five day camp. Chris will be a seventh grader at Brackett Junior High this coming year.



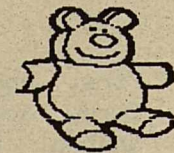
## NEW ARRIVALS



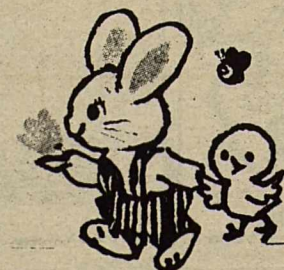
A baby girl was born to Rose Mary Abrigo on July 21, at 12:39 a.m. Deda Delilah Abrigo weighed 7 lbs. 3 oz. and 20" long. She is welcomed by her sister, Vicky. Grandparents are Tano & Maria Abrigo.



A baby girl was born to Amy and Greg Waddell on July 15, 1987. Desiree Davina Waddell weighed 7 lbs. 9 oz. and was 20 1/2" long. She joins one sister, Rosanna and brothers Greg, Sam, Matthew and Paul.



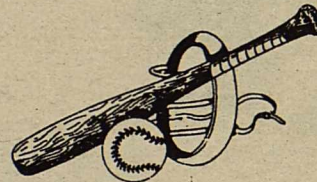
A baby boy was born on July 18 at 6:04 p.m. at the Medina County Hospital to Tony and Karen Huffman. Jacob Michael Huffman weighed 8 lbs. 1 oz. He joins his 4 year old brother, Heath.



Patrick and Irma Angelina Ramirez are the proud parents of Patrick Richard Ramirez born on July 16, 1987 at 7:30 p.m. He weighed 9 lbs. 12 oz. and was 21 1/2 inches long.

Patrick Richard is welcomed by sister Lee Chantel who will be two years old in February.

Proud Paternal Grandparents are Emma and Manuel Ramirez from San Pedro, California and Proud Maternal Grandparents are Adela and Gubenal Gonzalez from McAllen, Texas.



A son was born to Mr. & Mrs. Jose Luis Talamantez on June 30, 1987. Jose Luis, Jr., weighed 7 lbs. 3 oz. and was 22" long. He is welcomed by two sisters, Lisa and Angie.



A baby boy was born to Guadalupe Miguel & Mary Falcon Juarez on July 16, 1987 at 10:07 a.m. in Eagle Pass Hospital. The new arrival was named Esteban Jesus Juarez. He weighed 9 lbs. 6 1/2 oz. and is 20 5/8" long. He has one brother, Guadalupe Miguel Juarez, Jr. Grandparents are Antonia Falcon & Mr. & Mrs. Dario Juarez.





In the spring of 1757, six Franciscan Friars cleared ground on the bank of the San Saba river near what is now Menard, Texas. They cut timber and built homes and a church, the first catholic church Northwest of San Antonio, and not only that, but it was built in Comanche and Apache country. The Rev. Alonso Giraldo de Torreras financed the building of the Mission to be called San Saba.

They built their first station about three miles downstream from the new Presidio San Luis de las Amarillas, at that time the largest and most important Texas fort.

No converts showed up and by the first of the new year four of the priests left and only one replacement arrived. Father Alonso, Friar Jose Santiesteban and Friar Miguel Molina were left.

That winter the Indian raids on the Mission began and the Commander asked the Franciscans to move to the fort, but Friar Alonso thought the Mission was safer than the fort.

At this time there were about thirty-five persons living in the Mission. On March 18, 1758 the Indians struck. Friar Jose ran to the church to alert Friar Alonso who was preparing for Mass.

The Comanches had come to the Mission in friendship (so they

said) and were permitted inside by the padres. As soon as they gained entrance they began to plunder.

Father Alonso jumped to his horse to ride to the Presidio for help, but was shot, mortally wounded. Then the Comanches set fire to the Mission, destroying it. Friar Miguel was also wounded, but crawled into a room with others who were forced to seek help when that room began to burn. Friar Miguel crawled three miles down the river to the Presidio which took him twenty-four hours.

In the meantime, Father Jose was killed in the church at the foot of the altar. The next day when the soldiers came, all they saw was smoking ruins. Dead were two Friars and seventeen laymen. Their graves are unknown today. The 2,000 Indians, (Comanches, Tejas, Bidais, and Tonkawas), rode on to Paint Rock where they reported the raid, claiming the death of three priests, not two. The Mission was moved into the Presidio, which was abandoned in 1770 by the Spanish.

The remainder of the ruins was carted off by people of Menard and used in other buildings. It was restored in the 30's by the WPA but flood waters washed most of it away.

San Soba Mission existed only a year but then everything was short lived on the Texas frontier. At the last, only three Friars were alive and the nine Tiascolteca Indians who were sent to the Mission from Mexico were dead too. They had been sent to teach the Indians agriculture. Only the one-hundred and twenty soldiers survived.



## VIDEO VIEWER

BY RORY WOODSON

Hi!

This week I will be reviewing "Something Wild" and "Wisdom".

"Something Wild" was something different!! It starred two almost unknown people - Melanie Griffith and Jeff Daniels.

I really wasn't expecting much from this movie, but it was a pleasant surprise! It has comedy, drama, suspense, and some fine performances. The story revolves around Charlie Driggs who (before being picked up by LuLu, who offers him a ride that will change his whole life) was a respectable young executive. I actually think that this will be one of the best renting movies this year, although it was hardly advertised at all.

"Wisdom" is another chance for Emilio Estevez to show off his talents not only as an actor, but as a writer and director also. This movie is a cross between "Bonnie and Clyde" and "Robin Hood". I found it very entertaining.

By the way, Emilio's co-star is his long time love Demi Moore who in her own right is a well established actress.

I think everyone will like this movie.

'Till next week, Happy Viewing!

## WRITING COURSE OFFERED BY FT. CLARK ARTS A POSSIBILITY

Fort Clark Arts is pursuing the possibility of holding a Creative Writing Course at Fort Clark Springs this fall. It would be conducted by Dr. David England of Southwest Texas Junior College of Uvalde.

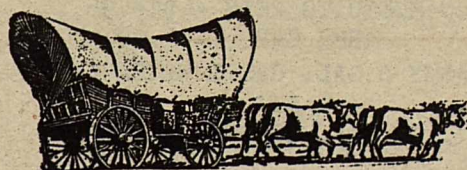
The course, #136 Creative Writing, is described in the catalog as "Attention given to the creative process as it applies to the written word." For those interested, three semester hours can be earned by taking the course.

Although details are not finalized at this time until we can assure Dr. England of a certain number of interested participants, the course will most likely run for several weeks. The charge for the course is \$70, and anyone interested can contact Edna Tarver, 563-2209, for further details.

## PECOS BILL WILL RIDE AGAIN!

The melodrama being produced at the Old Quarry Amphitheatre on August 1 takes place in the town of Prairie Dog. Time is when the good were very, very good, and the bad were just awful.

Following is the cast of famous local artists featured in the show...read carefully. Some of them may be a friend of yours. Then be sure to turn out to cheer Pecos Bill and that Dirty Dan Gang.



### CAST

Granny - Marie Sofaly  
Widow Quackenbush - Shelly McDaniel  
Becky - Wendy McDaniel  
Blue Duck - Eben Hatch  
School M'arm - Shawn Ralston  
Fleas - Armando Talamantez  
Boots - Frankie Gutierrez  
Dirty Dan - Tim Hatch  
Pete Grouch - Michael O'Rourke  
Ole Timer - Marcus Brown  
Blue-Foot Sue - Buffy Lynch  
Pecos Bill - Toby Frerich  
Clever Coyote - Roger Knox  
Mr. Goodnews - J.J. Guidry

Director: Betty Inman  
Asst. Director: Don Parks  
Stage Manager: Roger Knox  
Set designer: Bo Hatch  
Lighting: Ellis Hatch



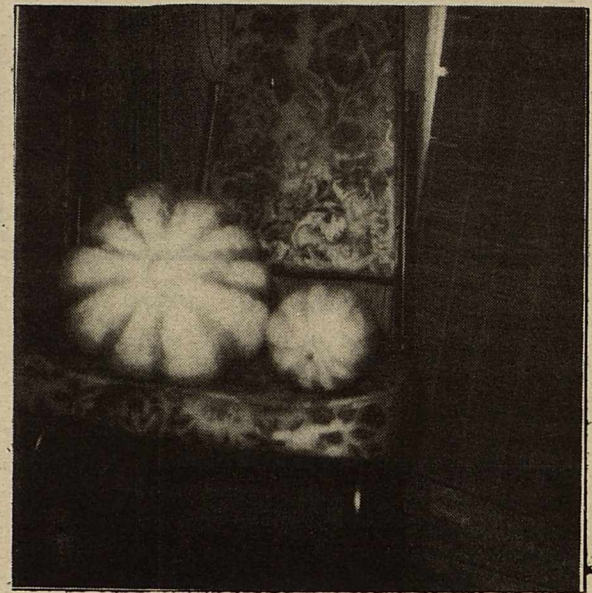
**LAS MORAS LODGE NO. 444**

**A SINCERE THANK YOU**

The Cemetery Care Committee of Las Moras Lodge No. 444 wishes to extend its thanks and appreciation to Brackettville Police Chief David L. Bohmfalk for his apprehension of the culprits who vandalized the Masonic Cemetery during the Memorial Day weekend. He has shown a great deal of concern and professionalism in tracking down the three culprits.

We also express our thanks to the Kinney Cavalryman for so generously publishing our reward offer. We have received numerous expressions of sorrow and dismay from citizens of Brackettville and Fort Clark over the wanton acts. We have appreciated your concern.

R.A. Mountain, Chairman  
Masonic Cemetery Care Committee



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"For the unlearned, old age is winter; for the learned, it is the season of the harvest."  
Hasidic Saying

vegetables, for 15 years, but this is the first time he has seen anything grow this large.

"Don't tell anyone that this was an accident," Dalton laughs. "I really don't know how it grew so big or what caused the growth," he continues, although he did add nitrogen to some grapes that were planted about four feet away from the cantalope bed. "That's the only thing I can think of that would have done it," he concluded.

Dalton does have another candidate for Brackett's largest cantalope, but it has not fully matured yet. We, along with Dalton, will have to wait and see.

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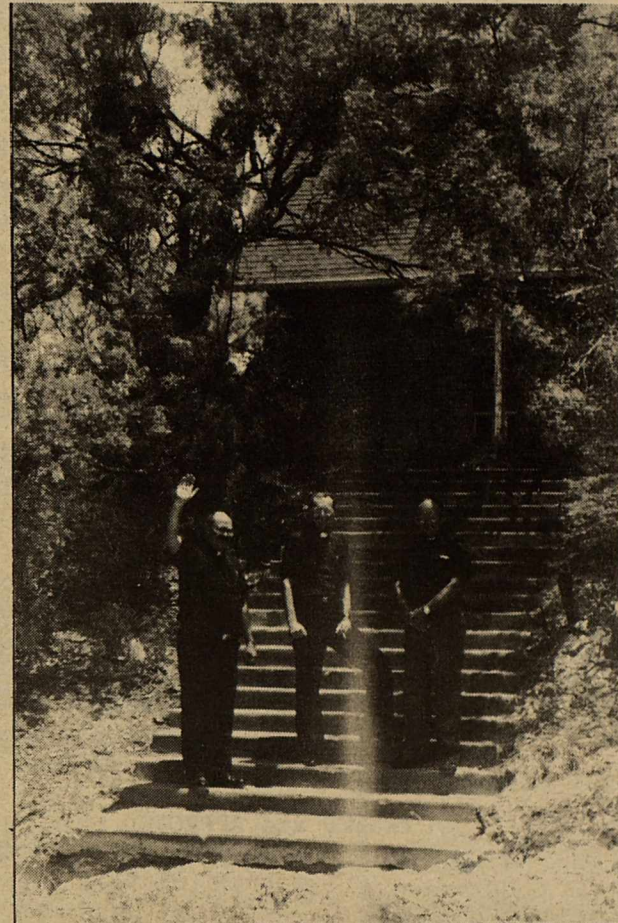
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BAND MEMBERS BEGIN  
REHEARSALS AUG. 3

The Brackett High School Band will begin rehearsals for the coming football season on Monday, August 3, 1987. Any student who is not in band but is interested in marching band or flag corps is invited to meet with the band 9:00 a.m. in the school band hall. I am seeking new members for the band and stress that there are jobs in the band that require no previous training.

ATTENTION HIGH  
SCHOOL ATHLETES

PHYSICALS FOR JR. HIGH AND HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETES BOTH BOYS AND GIRLS WILL BE HELD ON AUGUST 8TH AT UNITED MEDICAL CENTER ON JAMES STREET. GIRLS PHYSICAL ARE AT 9:00 A.M. AND BOYS PHYSICAL ARE AT 10:00 P. M..



STANDING ON THE STEPS THAT ONCE LED TO THE ENTRANCE OF THE FIRST PROTESTANT CHURCH IN BRACKETTVILLE are the Rev. Canon Dyson V. Nickle, the Rev. Raymond F. Turner, and the Rev. Bill Koons. The edifice of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, which faced south to overlook Fort Clark, was knocked off its foundations in a 1927 storm, to be replaced in 1964 with a new chapel which faces east. The old entrance steps now end at the side of the present building.

**GARDENING TIPS**  
BY THE MORNING  
GLORY GARDEN CLUB  
DEL RIO, TEXAS

"A HANGING FLOWER GARDEN"

If you do not have space for a Flower Garden, start a Hanging Flower Garden, for the house, porch, patio, and even in your trees. The first rule for hanging baskets is to choose plants that trail, and those to be planted as fillers. An ideal spot for a hanging basket is your front porch greeting friends with a glamorous sight of flowering or foliage plants, which can be Impatiens, Begonias, or Ivy. At a sunny kitchen door plant a combination of parsley, nasturtium and some lemon thyme, all can be used in flavoring of salads. Cascading petunias do well in hanging baskets and add color to many places, and of course portulaca is lovely in a hanging container. With the trailing plants, you may also plant alyssum, variegated vinca.

For the hanging basket itself there are the plastic ones, complete with saucer, and the wire ones which need a liner, using old panty hose, moss, or special basket liners. You may have a collection of woven baskets that could be used for your hanging garden. In planting a hanging basket consider the planting medium or soil. This soil should be light which can be purchased, or you can make your own, of equal parts good garden loam, peat moss and perlite, and to each 12 inch basket mix, add one tablespoon of slow-release fertilizer. When planting the basket, have the soil moist, and start planting your plants, starting in the center. The outer plants should be planted so they will begin to trail over the rim of the pot, and water well. Also be sure to check often to see if the soil is too wet or too dry. As you know, wire containers drip readily and nutrients are washed out, so fertilizers have to be added often. You have a large variety of containers, flowering and foliage plants to choose for a beautiful Hanging Garden for everyone to enjoy.

MADGE HORN, CLUB MEMBER

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

To Ernestina Lumbreras from Daniel and Cecilia and Family.

To Danial Arroyos from Cecilia Lumbreras and Family.

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Study to show thyself approved unto GOD, a workman that needeth not be ashamed - rightly dividing the word of truth. 11 Timothy 2:15

"THAT THE MAN OF GOD MAY BE PERFECT, thoroughly furnished unto all good works." 11 Timothy 3:17

"And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." John 8:32

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

### ORDINANCE #210

In view of the fact that several residents have not complied with the ordinance #210, resulting in several complaints through the City, the City of Brackettville would like to remind all residents of this ordinance prohibiting the burning of certain items leading to compliance of ordinance and fewer complaints of the violation of ordinance.

#### ORDINANCE # 210

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRACKETTVILLE, TEXAS:

Section 1. TRASH BURNING PROHIBITED. It shall be unlawful to burn brush, tree limbs, grass, trees, leaves, boards, planks or lumber in the City Limits.

Section 2. PENALTY. Any person convicted of violating this ordinance shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$1.00 nor more than \$200.00.

Section 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage, approval, and publication as provided by law.

PASSED and APPROVED this 9 day of March, 1981.

s/s Chris Gomez  
Mayor

ATTEST:

s/s Leonard Luna  
CITY MANAGER

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much information that was not in her prepared program and we were advised not to ask pointed questions of her in public for fear of causing her trouble with the government. Our guides were not able to answer some questions because they simply had never been exposed to that information. They have never even heard of many things that we take for granted as common knowledge.

There were some wonderful times during the tour. While in Moscow, we attended the famous circus, and it was breathtaking. In Leningrad we attended a gala dinner which included wonderful black caviar. I did have some things to eat and drink on the trip which were, well, shall we say, unusual. The water in Russia is not drinkable and the mineral water was almost as bad. I ate my first Reindeer meat and had an opportunity to eat some nice, fresh tongue, but I decided that one tongue was enough in one lifetime (the one in my mouth, that is). For breakfast one morning we had a very heavy pastry which had something like sour milk in the middle, and was accompanied by a heavy cream which also tasted like sour milk. Thank goodness for coffee!

We were missing a couple of things that we needed at times in Russia. Hot water and toilet paper. A cold shower can be very exciting.

I have been asked to show slides and give a program on my trip and have already signed up to do some. If your club, group or church is interested in such a presentation, I would be happy to give it. Just give me a call.

### KNIGHTS INSTALL 1987-88 OFFICERS

Brackettville Chapter #8223 installed their new officers for the year 1987-88 on Tuesday evening, July 7. Installing officers were from Del Rio.

Those installed were as follows:

Grand Knight - Hubert McKelvy  
Deputy Grand Knight - Bob Nelson  
Treasurer - Allen Kreiger, Jr.  
Financial Secretary - Tellis Boutwell  
Inside Guard - Joe Garza  
Outside Guard - Joe Diaz  
Warden - Jim Voss  
Chancellor - Agapeto Saenz  
Recorder - Roland Boysen  
Advocate - Dr. Gus Luz  
Lector - Toby Frerich  
Trustees - Tony Frerich  
Gerald Gallion  
Orville Frerich

Following the impressive ceremony, a family fellowship with a covered dish supper was enjoyed by all.





**AGNES VONDY**

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manner in which the Aging Network has met the challenges created by funding short falls in the face of an ever increasing aging population. Service providers, program participants and volunteers have shouldered greater burdens than ever before in maintaining aging programs. While the challenges ahead are great, they are not unacceptable. With your continued support, they will be met by the Texas Department on Aging and the Aging Network, with the belief that every older Texan should have the opportunity to live actively and independently for as long as possible."

With the help of our sincere and capable manager, Mrs. Tencha Pena, more donations and help from our county, I feel sure our Nutrition Program will succeed in caring for our beloved and devoted Senior Citizens.

Should you have questions you would like answered, I'll be happy to put them before the Board in Austin, when I go. Send them or bring them to me at the Nutrition Center.

I urge the county and all to support your Senior Program.

- Remember -  
As we are now,  
So shall you be -

The good we do today, becomes the happiness of tomorrow.

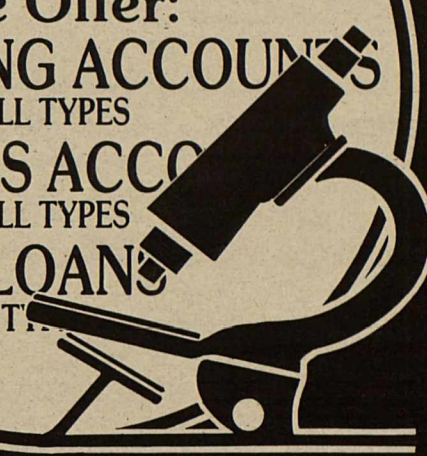
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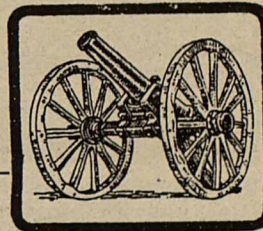
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**ROSIE RODRIGUEZ**

Since the arrival of the "Alamo... The Price of Freedom" crew and cast last week, things have been pretty hectic in the Alamo Village Cantina for Rosy Rodriguez. "It's hard work, but it's been fun," the 1983 Brackett High School graduate said. The Cantina is the gathering place for foot-sore and hungry Alamo battle re-enactors who are camped out around the Alamo set on "Happy" Shahan's HV Longhorn Ranch. "It's a neat place," Rosy said of the famous Cantina. "You get to meet a lot of interesting people."

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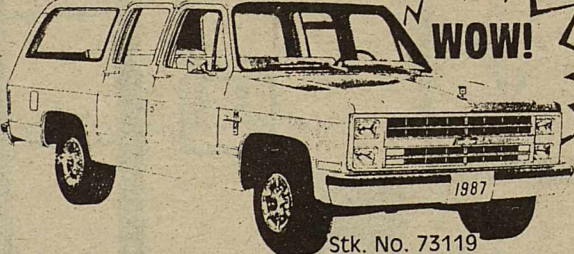

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<p>Sunday, 11:00 a.m., First Baptist Church. Sermon "Repent! Change your ways!" <b>WARNING</b> toes will be "stomped on" Sunday!</p>	<p><b>**FOR LEASE**</b> Mobile Home Lot w/utilities and carport. Phone Dale Borden at 563-2221.</p>	<p><b>**FOR SALE**</b> Ft. Clark Springs Membership - \$1,400. Phone 563-2071.</p>
<p>GOVERNMENT HOMES for \$1.00 (U Repair) BUY DIRECT! Repos &amp; Tax Delinquent Properties. Get the FACTS TODAY! Call 1-518-459-3546 Ext. H-6606E (Toll-Refundable) 24 HRS.</p>	<p><b>**FOR RENT**</b> Furnished 1 bdrm. apartment. Kitchen &amp; bath. Contact Dale Borden at 563-2221.</p>	<p><b>**FOR SALE**</b> Ft. Clark Springs: 1978 12'x 60' two bdrm. Liberty mobile home and lot w/membership. Unit 15 - \$10,000.00. Call 563-2910.</p>
<p><b>**FOR SALE**</b> Tow bar for 4 cyl. car, hitch, jewelry, rocks (agates) in the rough or polished. Phone weekdays Mon-Fri 563-9411.</p>	<p>AL-ANON meeting weekly. For more information call 563-2007.</p>	<p><b>**FOR SALE**</b> Ft. Clark Springs: 1980 14'x 80' 3 bdrm. Windsor mobile home and lot w/membership. Unit 15 - \$20,000.00. Call 563-2910.</p>
<p><b>**FOR SALE**</b> 1978 Ford Futura, 6 cyl. auto &amp; air. \$750 cash. Phone 563-2939.</p>	<p>The Del Rio Christian Church, 1701 Kings Way, will hold a spaghetti supper Friday, July 24, from 5:30 - 7:00 p.m. Adults \$3.50, children \$2.00. The food may be eaten there or taken out. Homemade pie will be sold by the slice too.</p>	<p><b>CALL NOW FOR AN AD</b></p>
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