



1: Pictured are left to right: Bill Miley, John Frank, Quincy Roller, (Coordinator), and Cliff Lewis.



2. Pictured are left to right: Tony Frerich, Warren Outlaw, Agapito Saenz, Gerald Gallion.

CHRISTMAS BASKETS DELIVERED

Consolidated baskets delivered by various Brackettville and Fort Clark Civic Organizations have come together to provide help to the maximum numbers of less fortunate families during this past holiday season. The organizations involved were as follows:

- Brackettville Border Patrol Women's Club
- Brackettville Chamber of Commerce
- Brackettville Knights of Columbus
- Brackettville Lions Club
- Brackettville H.S. Senior Class & Student Council
- Brackettville Rotary Club
- Fort Clark Arts Club
- Fort Clark Community Council
- Fort Clark Historical Society
- Fort Clark Springs Ladies Golf Club
- Fort Clark Springs V.F.W. Post & Auxiliary
- Las Moras Masonic & Shriners Lodge
- and various individual contributions

This is the first time that organizations and clubs have joined together and put this effort in motion to assist the community and neighbors. A total of 61 baskets of food and toys were distributed in Kinney County.

It is with great joy to have shone the spirit of giving on this occasion.

17 REGISTER TO RUN FOR COUNTY OFFICES

Sixteen (16) candidates applied to run for County Offices in the March Democratic Primary. One Candidates applied to run for County Office in the Republican Primary.

Listed below are those that applied.

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| COUNTY JUDGE
Tim Ward
Tommy Seargeant
Les Roper | COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PCT. #2
Rose Mary Slubar
Manual Fuentes
John Sheedy, III |
| COUNTY TREASURER
Carlotta De La Rosa | COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PCT. #4
Bill Bizzell
Alvin McClure |
| DISTRICT AND COUNTY CLERK
Dolores Raney | DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN
Jack Huey |
| COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR
Martha Smallwood
Mary Seaver | DEMOCRATIC PCT. #3 JUDGE
Albert Lattimer |

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Preston Taylor
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Tim Ward
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Sunday Evening Service (T.B.A.)
Wed. Prayer & Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

ST. ANDREWS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Henderson and Fort Street
Vicar: Rev. Bill Koons
563-2071
Sunday Church Services 10:30 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

(Southern Baptist)
307 N. Ann Street
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Worship Service (Sun.) 11:00 a.m.
Worship Service (Sun.) 6:00 p.m.
Prayer Service 6:00 p.m.
Reverend Preston A. Taylor

ST. MARY MAGDALENE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Confessions Wed. & Sat. 6:00 p.m.
Religion Classes Wed. 7:00 p.m.
Religion Classes Sun. 9:15 a.m.
Prayer Meeting (Spanish) Wed. 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

North Ann Street
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Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Bible Study (Sun) 6:30 p.m.
Bible Study (Wed) 7:00 p.m.

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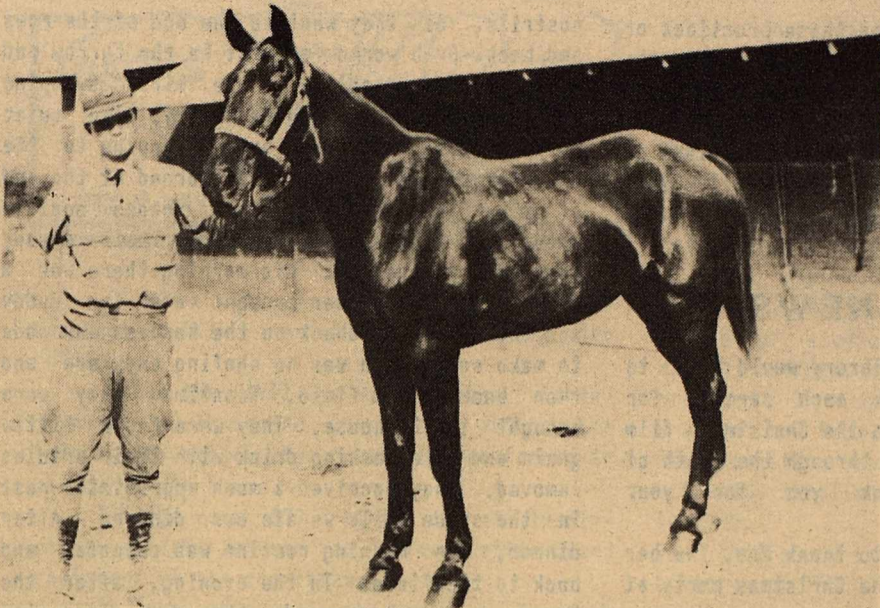
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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**OLD ARMY DAYS
BY WALLACE MORGAN**

Pictured are a typical cavalry tooper and his mount, for this period. The horse is of the throughbred type, long, lankey and slim. Horses with these features could endure more, and travel further than a horse with a shorter and rounder, fatter frame. For a modern example, a quarterhorse racehorse versus a throughbred racehorse. The throughbred will get a slower start, but will out distance with speed over the quarterhorse, which will get a faster start, but will not be able to travel as far with speed as the throughbred.

Government mounts were of a solid, darker color, (except for grays assigned to certain units and/or buglers) most of the time, when possible, were half throughbred. These horses were normally purchased from one of the government contract farms or ranches where an agreement had been made for the government to place one or more registered throughbred stallions for the purpose of breeding to good unregistered mares. In the agreement, as quotas were needed, the government purchasing agents would purchase or reject the young horses as suitable for military use. During the buildup prior to World War 2, quotas for military mounts were raised to the extent that many horses had to be purchased from other sources.

The newly purchased horses were then shipped to remount depots, such as Fort Reno, Oklahoma, or Camp Verde, Texas, or to the remount units on the various army posts, such as Fort Clark, Texas. These horses would then be processed into the service, examined by veterinarians, given shots, military records made up, and then trained and broken, when necessary. Prior to assignment to the regiments or troops, these horses would be separated by color, and whatever else would be necessary.

These mounts would be issued to the individual enlisted troopers, just as rifles, field equipment, and other necessary military items of equipment would be. The commissioned officers were required to purchase their mounts, and they could select from these horses, or use other sources to obtain their mounts. The government did, provide forage (feed and hay) or the necessary funds for this for the officer's mounts.

PUBLIC NOTICES

**CITY OF BRACKETTVILLE
ORDINANCE #264**

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE AGREEMENT DATED December 15, 1989 BETWEEN THE STATE OF TEXAS AND THE CITY OF Brackettville FOR THE MAINTENANCE, CONTROL, SUPERVISION AND REGULATION OF CERTAIN STATE HIGHWAYS AND/OR PORTIONS OF STATE HIGHWAYS IN THE CITY OF Brackettville; PROVIDING FOR THE EXECUTION OF SAID AGREEMENT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

PASSED: December 15th, 1989

ATTEST:

APPROVED: December 15th, 1989

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City Clerk

W. L. Palfrey
Mayor

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Interested attorneys will contact Bob McCall, Superintendent, at the Brackett Independent School District Central Office before February 1, 1989 for an interview. Telephone: 512/563-2491.

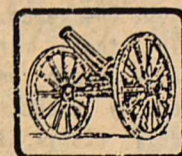
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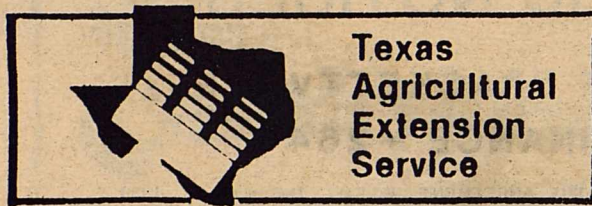
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BY ALAN L. MCWILLIAMS

HERBICIDES REQUIRE CAREFUL USE

Fertilizer and weed killer combinations are designed to appeal to the inherent lazy streak present in almost all home gardeners. The idea of fertilizing the lawn and killing the weeds all in one application is difficult to resist.

Weed killers, when used properly, can be great time-savers and eliminate a lot of back-breaking work. However, they must be used according to the directions given on the container if they are to be effective and not endanger valuable plants in the landscape.

The same chemicals that will kill the weeds are frequently harmful to the trees, shrubs and vines used in the landscape. Since tree roots invade the lawn area without danger of damage to the desirable plants in the lawn.

All too often, the time to apply fertilizer is not the correct time for effective weed control. Each type of herbicide must be used at specific rates and at a certain critical time to be effective for killing weeds.

While fertilizer should be applied at the recommended rate, there is usually little harm if the homeowner fails to calibrate his distributor correctly and makes a slightly heavier application. If herbicides are contained in the mixture, this error can be very damaging to the desirable vegetation. Another difficulty which frequently arises is the part of a sack of the mixture left over after the lawn has been fertilized. Frequently this is left in the garage or tool shed until fertilizer is needed for a flower garden or rose bed. The fact that the fertilizer contains a herbicide is forgotten, and irreparable damage is done to a favorite beauty spot in the garden.

Many of the more popular landscape trees including oaks, mulberry, pecan, locust and others are highly susceptible to weed killers. When contemplating the use of a herbicide or herbicide and fertilizer mixture, always read all of the precautions given on the label. The information contained on the label was developed through expensive research and the manufacturer provides this information for your protection.

Remember weeds in a lawn are usually an indication of poor management practices. Through proper fertilizations, correct mowing practices, adequate moisture, and good soil drainage, the grass will be vigorous enough to crowd out the weeds.

In those areas beneath trees where excessive shade weakens the grass and is invaded by weeds, the use of herbicides is extremely risky. It is better to replace the grass with a shade-tolerant species on ground cover such as English.

Remember when using any type of pesticide, it is the misuse of these materials that

usually cause problems.

For more information on these practices or fertilizer amounts, contact or come by the county extension office. Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap or national origin.

LIBRARY NEWS

The Kinney County Library would like to take this time to thank each parent for bringing their children to the Christmas film and video program that ran through the month of December, children thank you for your participation.

They would also like to thank Mrs. Thurber for her contribution for the Christmas party at the library.

Also, to Mr. Santa Claus for taking the time to visit with the children at the library.

The Kinney County Library has received some new books on Reading Resources for the Young Adult. They are listed below.

Visiting Miss Pierce
Safe, Strong, & Streetwise
Breaking the Connection/How young people achieve Drug-free Lives
Teenage and Pregnant/ What you can do
Straight Talk about Drinking/ Teenagers Speak out about Alcohol
Fences
Fences
Teenager Stress/How to cope in a complex world
Teen Suicide
When Food's a Foe
Teenage Marriage/Coping with Reality
Make the Most of a Good Thing: You!!!

HORSES

BY WANDA E. SCHWANDNER

They have many names; Percheron and Clydesdale to name a few. You have seen the wonderful Clydesdales as they pull the famous Budweiser wagon. These various breeds are only seen now at state fairs, parades or some special event on television. Their hides glisten from hours of grooming. Tails are braided or left long and silky. Hooves are polished to a mirror finish. They stand tall and majestic, arched necks proud. Perhaps they are acknowledging, not only their own beauty, but their heritage from another time when their ancestors were the backbone of the country.

My dad had two big black mares, Rocky and Daisy. I can see them now, in my mind's eye, plodding patiently, always dependable, gentle. Their care and well-being was of utmost importance. The first thing in the morning, they were fed and curried in preparation for the day's work. They were harnessed, the heavy black leather collars fitting smoothly on their velvet necks. Daddy always rode Daisy to the field, the long thick reins looped over his arm. There, the mares were hooked up to a plow, planter, cultivator or go-devil, depending on the time of the year and the type of work to be done that day.

The rich earth smell rose sweet to the

nostrils, as they went to the end of the rows and back. Grub worms fell fat in the furrow and were grabbed greedily by the birds swooping and darting behind the machinery. The quiet morning was broken only by soft urging to the black sturdy beauties as they turned at the end of the field with a cluck of tongue against cheek and a gee-up as they began their steady pace back up the row. Mid-morning there was a short rest as mother brought water for daddy and the horses. A check on the harness was made to make sure there was no chafing anywhere and then back to the field. Noontime, they were brought to the house. They were fed a little grain and a refreshing drink with their bridles removed. They received a much appreciated rest in the shade while we ate our dinner. After dinner, the morning routine was repeated and back to the field. In the evening, after the horses were unharnessed, they were inspected for hot spots where the harness had rested on their backs. A pattern of foamy sweat made them look as though they were still clad with a wet salt-edged harness. They were then brushed and curried until dry and no longer looked as though they had worked in the hot sun all day.

They looked to daddy as their caretaker. Their eyes, soft and intelligent, manner gentle, trusting him to do the right thing by them. He knew that without the care he gave them, they would cease to be the dependable beasts of burden he needed to sustain the life of his family.

Progress and the computerized air-conditioned tractor with stereo head-phones have long replaced the work-horse. A different type of horse power circles the field spewing fumes. The noisy motors growl loudly in sharp contrast to the soft plodding hooves and the jingling harness rings.

The work horses of a more simple way of life are gone. I feel a pang of loss and wonder if this progress we tout so proudly is truly better. What goes around comes round. Perhaps, there will be a time we will once again depend on horses to plow our fields and life will be a little more simple.

THANK YOU

THE FAMILY OF HECTOR PENA, JR.

Wishes to express their sincere THANKS and gratitude to all the relatives, friends, neighbors, pallbearers, Father David, Don's Funeral Chapel and staff, Bill Bizzell, all who called, sent flowers, cards, food, memorials or helped in any other way during the loss of our beloved son.

We are ever so grateful.

From: Hector Pena Sr. and family
Pedro Ortega Sr. and family

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Lizzie Johnson was said to be the toughest cattle queen in Texas, during the 1870's.

After the Civil War Miss Johnson started rounding up abandoned longhorns, which were left on the range, when ranchers were forced to abandon their homes.

In the year 1871, at the age of twenty-eight, Lizzie Johnson had her own cattle brand registered at the courthouse.

At age thirty-six she married Hezekiah Williams, a rancher, who also moonlighted as a preacher. Mr. Williams had a fondness for whiskey, and wasn't very astute in business. Knowing this Lizzie made him sign a nuptial agreement to keep each of their properties separate. Perhaps theirs was the first nuptial agreement, between husband and wife on record.

During her lifetime Lizzie made a fortune, while her husband Hezekiah went deeply in debt with get rich quick schemes. Lizzie always bailed him out though, with one stipulation, she always made him sign a note for the loans.

Since Lizzie didn't trust her husband, she decided to trail her own part of their combined herds to market. This caused a lot of talk, due to it being very unconventional for a woman to go on a cattle drive. However, it didn't stop Lizzie any, especially since it wasn't the first unconventional thing she had done. She went up the Chisolm Trail with her herds many times after this.

Lizzie and her husband traveled behind the cattle in a buckboard. Lizzie made sure that her and Hezekiah's herds were kept separate on such drives. She also gave her own cowhands order to steal her husbands calves on the way and brand them with her own brand, to repay some of the debt he owed her.

CARE

LOW-LEVEL RADIATION WORSE THAN PREVIOUSLY THOUGHT

Low-level exposures to X-rays and gamma rays pose a cancer risk three to four times greater than previously believed, the National Research Council reported in a study released today.

Based on new methods of estimating and assessing the health effects of radiation, the committee concluded that a 1980 study by another NRC committee significantly underestimated the cancer risk from the low level of X-rays and gamma rays.

The risk for solid tumor cancer is three times greater than the earlier estimate, and the risk for leukemia is four times greater, the committee concluded.

And the committee found a much greater

danger for mental retardation among unborn babies exposed to low-level radiation from the eighth to 15th weeks after conception.

Women, the report said, are slightly more likely than men to develop cancer from low levels of radiation, and that in some types of cancer, children are more susceptible to radiation effects than are adults.

The report called Biological Effects of Ionizing Radiation, or BEIR 5, is part of a series of studies by the NRC assessing the health effects of the type of radiation produced in nuclear reactions, from natural uranium and from the stars, such as the sun. The committee said its study updates risk estimates compiled in the BEIR 3 study released in 1980.

The study is based partly on the medical history of 76,000 survivors of the 1945 atomic bombings in Japan, health studies of workers at nuclear facilities and the records of patients who were treated with X-rays for certain medical conditions.

Part of the increased cancer danger seen from low-level radiation is based on a reduced estimate of the radiation received by Japanese survivors of the Hiroshima and Nagasaki atomic bomb attacks.

Radiation levels and duration of exposure result in different amounts of health risk, the committee said.

In the United States, for instance, natural background radiation gives an exposure of 0.1 to 0.3 REMs a year. REM stands for radiation equivalent in man and is a unit of measure used to describe a biological effect from a level of radiation exposure.

A routine chest X-ray gives an added exposure of 0.06 REM and occupational standards limit nuclear workers to an annual exposure of no more than 5 REM.

The committee, using new mathematical calculations, estimated that a single burst of 10 REM radiation exposure will result in 790 excess cancer and leukemia deaths per 100,000 persons. For this same exposure, the BEIR 3 report estimated between 80 and 230 cancer deaths per 100,000.

For a lifetime radiation exposure of 0.1 REM a year, the committee estimated 520 male cancer deaths per 100,000 men, and 600 deaths per 100,000 women.

The committee said studies of children born to Japanese A-bomb survivors shows that those exposed during the first six months of gestation had lower intelligence test scores and poorer performance in school.

The NRC, which organized the committee study, is the research arm of the National Academy of Sciences, a congressionally chartered organization that conducts special research at the request of the government.

REFLECTIONS

BY PRESTON TAYLOR

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Dreams. Hopes. New Year's resolutions. Do you like to make plans or set goals for the future? What would be worthwhile and practical for us as the year is getting under way?

Let's do today's work today. Have you ever wanted to put off until tomorrow what needs to

be done today? It isn't easy to keep up. But life is harder when work piles up all around. The teacher and student know the value of staying up with their studies. So does the housewife and the businessman. Penalties are always charged against those who get in the habit of postponing duties.

Let's live in harmony with people around us. Most of us disapprove of global wars and civil strife. Korea, Vietnam, Panama, and other such battlefields leave ugly scars. Neither do we want family fights, personal battles, and sectional conflicts. A good resolution for the new year would be to have good relationships with others.

Let's live in an unselfish way. Be thoughtful, courteous, and kind to others. Altruism is the word in Webster's book. This is the opposite of selfishness. Some have said unselfishness in this way: JOY. That means: Jesus first; others second; self last. Have you tried that route? It is the hardest, but the most healthy way.

There will be imperfections as we attempt a better approach to living for the New Year. But many people love the adventure of trying.

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 AND CHANGES IN CASH BALANCES
 ALL FUND TYPES
 YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1989

	GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES					TOTAL (MEMORANDUM ONLY)	
	GENERAL AND OFFICER SALARY	ROAD AND BRIDGE	DEBT SERVICE	JURY	SPECIAL PROJECTS	09-30-89	09-30-88
REVENUES							
Taxes	\$ 437,621.77	\$ 52,727.02	\$ 23,822.07	\$ 3,913.41	\$ -0-	\$ 518,084.27	\$ 505,790.80
Fees of Office	32,285.65	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	32,285.65	33,320.84
Fines	133,261.65	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	133,261.65	143,079.01
Prisoners	203,196.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	203,196.00	145,236.80
Auto Registration	-0-	96,056.11	-0-	-0-	-0-	96,056.11	96,162.31
Interest	28,199.55	16,088.26	2,556.71	1,347.66	256.88	48,449.06	33,921.54
Intergovernmental	-0-	10,763.53	-0-	-0-	-0-	10,763.53	10,763.53
Other	95,272.66	10,933.45	-0-	35.00	-0-	106,241.11	168,921.48
Total	\$ 929,837.28	\$ 186,568.37	\$ 26,378.78	\$ 5,296.07	\$ 256.88	\$ 1,148,337.38	\$ 1,137,196.31
EXPENSES PAID							
Salaries	\$ 362,606.45	\$ 80,754.36	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ 443,360.81	\$ 402,815.92
Payroll Taxes	26,043.76	5,766.32	-0-	-0-	-0-	31,810.08	27,982.99
Employee Benefits	78,264.12	15,344.88	-0-	-0-	-0-	93,609.00	58,574.92
General Government	217,678.47	740.33	-0-	2,670.00	-0-	221,088.80	189,553.37
County Judge	2,491.55	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	2,491.55	2,353.77
County District Clerk	9,185.97	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	9,185.97	7,596.54
County Attorney	2,663.41	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	2,663.41	2,807.64
Tax Collector	3,261.89	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	3,261.89	3,724.64
County Auditor	2,578.06	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	2,578.06	2,622.88
County Treasurer	2,277.46	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	2,277.46	2,131.00
Justice of the Peace	5,732.30	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	5,732.30	4,475.42
Sheriff and Jail	107,797.95	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	107,797.95	100,461.13
Veterans Service Office	1,260.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	1,260.00	1,260.00
Welfare and Pauper	10,763.70	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	10,763.70	32,153.86
Agriculture and Livestock	5,927.60	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	5,927.60	7,274.75
Building and Maintenance	60,790.57	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	60,790.57	43,315.05
Roads	-0-	17,987.17	-0-	-0-	-0-	17,987.17	24,600.29
Library	13,200.35	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	13,200.35	16,188.78
Principal Retirement	-0-	-0-	20,000.00	-0-	-0-	20,000.00	20,000.00
Interest	-0-	-0-	12,243.77	-0-	-0-	12,243.77	2,400.00
Agent Fees	-0-	-0-	606.62	-0-	-0-	606.62	124.00
Capital Outlay	20,245.92	-0-	-0-	-0-	39,988.00	60,233.92	53,825.29
Total	\$ 932,769.53	\$ 120,593.06	\$ 32,850.39	\$ 2,670.00	\$ 39,988.00	\$ 1,128,870.98	\$ 1,006,242.24

	GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES					TOTAL (MEMORANDUM ONLY)	
	GENERAL AND OFFICER SALARY	ROAD AND BRIDGE	DEBT SERVICE	JURY	SPECIAL PROJECTS	09-30-89	09-30-88
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	\$ (2,932.25)	\$ 65,975.31	\$ (6,471.61)	\$ 2,626.07	\$ (39,731.12)	\$ 19,466.40	\$ 130,954.07
OPERATING TRANSFERS IN	-0-	-0-	3,157.08	-0-	-0-	3,157.08	50,500.00
OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	(3,157.08)	(3,157.08)	(50,500.00)
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER EXPENSES AND OTHER USES	\$ (2,932.25)	\$ 65,975.31	\$ (3,314.53)	\$ 2,626.07	\$ (42,888.20)	\$ 19,466.40	\$ 130,954.07
BEGINNING CASH	255,368.45	159,938.64	27,395.77	15,401.66	42,888.20	500,992.72	370,038.65
ENDING CASH	\$ 252,436.20	\$ 225,913.95	\$ 24,081.24	\$ 18,027.73	\$ -0-	\$ 520,459.12	\$ 500,992.72

I, Tommy Seargeant, County Judge of Kinney County, Texas do hereby certify that the above and foregoing combined statement of revenues collected, expenses paid and changes in cash balances on all types of funds for the fiscal year ended September 30, 1989, is true and correct as reflected in the annual audit report prepared by Coleman, Schuler & Horton.

Dated: December 29, 1989.

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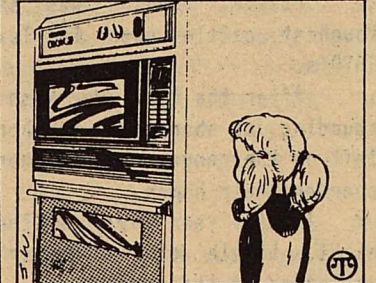
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In most households, it makes sense to have on hand a full-size microwave oven—one measuring 1 to 1.3 cubic feet in capacity. Such roominess eliminates space restrictions, and accommodates virtually any size dish. For even more space, consider models with cooking racks.

The ultimate in cooking flexibility is found in microwave ovens offering different modes of cooking in the same unit. For example, a model from KitchenAid, Inc. offers the choice of microwave or convection cooking; cooks can use each mode separately or in combination (this unit even doubles as a range hood).

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COMMISSIONERS COURT

The Commissioners Court had a special meeting on December 29, 1989, at 4:00 p.m.

Present were Bill Bizzell, Ruben Fuentes and Tommy Seargeant. Joe Garza was still ill and Rose Mary Slubar was out of town.

There was only one item on the agenda.

Commissioner Bizzell made a motion to accept Tim Ward's resignation as County Tax Collector and Assessor and Commissioner Fuentes seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

The motion for adjournment was made by Commissioner Bizzell and seconded by Commissioner Fuentes and voted yes by all present.

The meeting was adjourned.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I am announcing my candidacy for re-election for Justice of the Peace of Kinney County. My health is improving slowly but steadily, so, barring unforeseen health problems, I am physically capable of doing the job.

In the past three years I have endeavored to render Justice fairly, impartially and according to the law. This is not always possible due to extenuating circumstances.

I respectfully ask for your vote and your support at the Democratic Primary Election March 13, 1990 and if elected I pledge to all of you fair, impartial and logical Justice to the best of my ability.

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Take a nap every afternoon. When you go out into the world, watch for traffic, hold hands and stick together. Be aware of wonder. Remember the little seed in the plastic cup. The roots go down and the plant goes up and nobody really knows how or why, but we are all like that.

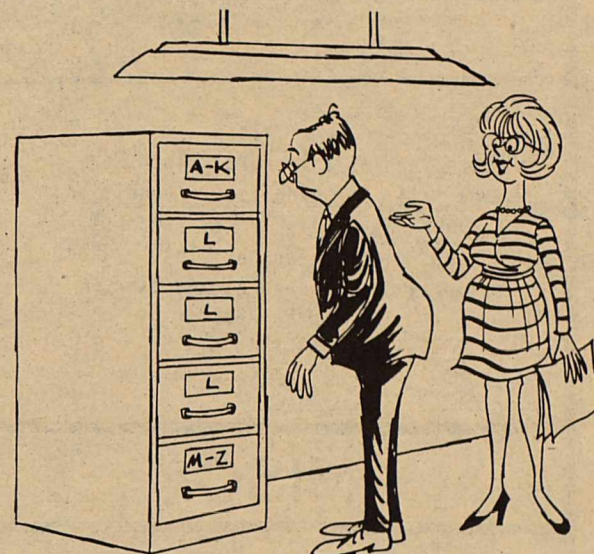
Goldfish and hamsters and white mice and even the little seed in the plastic cup--they all die. So do we.

And then remember the book about Dick and Jane and the first word you learned, the biggest word of all: LOOK. Everything you need to know is in there somewhere. The Golden Rule and love and basic sanitation. Ecology and politics and sane living.

Think of what a better world it would be if we all--the whole world--had cookies and milk about 3 o'clock every afternoon and then

lay down with our blankets for a nap. Or if we had a basic policy in our nation and other nations to always put things back where we found them and cleaned up our own messes. And it is still true, no matter how old you are, when yo go out into the world it is best to hold hands and stick together.

Robert Fulghum, *Kansas City Times*



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"THE REASON THERE ARE SO MANY 'L'S IS BECAUSE WE GET A LOT OF LETTERS."

newsworthy trends

Diamonds Put Romance Into Holidays

by Lloyd Jaffe, Chairman of the American Diamond Industry Association (ADIA)

When couples exchange gifts this holiday season, a piece of diamond jewelry may likely turn up among the festively wrapped boxes.

The holiday season typically generates more diamond jewelry sales than at any other time during the year. In 1988, Americans purchased an estimated 18.9 million pieces of diamond jewelry, valued at \$11.6 billion, and 42% was acquired during the year-end holiday rush.

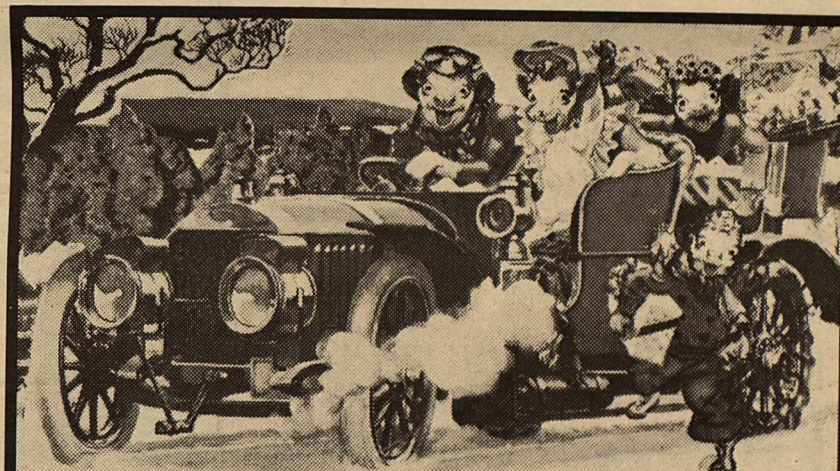
The qualities that make a diamond rare are as individual as the reasons people prefer one diamond over another. Each diamond is unique, however the industry's standard evaluation of the gemstone includes four characteristics--the four C's--cut, color, clarity and caratage. With the exception of caratage or the diamond's weight, all of these characteristics are subjective.

In addition, the "fire rose," "sunflower," "dahlia," and "marigold," are among the exciting new cuts that are now available. While most people are familiar with traditional shapes such as round, pear, emerald, marquis and heart, the new "flower" cuts maximize some rough diamonds brilliance, color or yield, or a combination of all three.

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