

Bush Declares Cease Fire



Brackettville, Fort Clark, Spofford, Kinney County, and Camp Wood, Texas February 28, 1991

"If a man had half as much insight, as he has hindsight, he would have twice as much foresight"

Solid Waste Resolution Passed

By DORTHY PAYNE

Brackett News Staff Reporter

The Kinney County Commissioners Court met in a special meeting on February 22, 1991 at 2:00 p.m. in the County Courtroom, Courthouse, Brackettville, Texas.

After invocation and the pledge of allegiance the meeting was called to order by Judge Tim Ward. Present were Commissioners Garza, Sheedy, Fuentes and McClure, which made up the required quorum. Dora Sandoval, Chief Deputy Clerk represented District County Clerk Dolores Raney, Att. Tully Shahan; county Treasurer-

Carlotta De La Rosa and fifty interested citizens.

First on the agenda was a resolution supporting the creation of a Solid Waste District for the nine counties of the Middle Rio Grande

John Ruiz, planner for the Middle Rio Grande Council explained what the resolution was about. Plans are for the introduction of the resolution to the Legislature and after further meetings and discussions the respective counties will decide what part they want to play in the District if at all. No county is required to join. After a move upstairs, where there is more room and after a

lengthy discussion of the pros and cons Judge Ward made a motion to approve the resolution. Commissioner McClure seconded the motion. The motion carried. Voting for approval were Judge Ward; Commissioners Garza; McClure; opposing; Commissoners Sheedy and Fuentes.

Public School week March 4 through March 8 was brought before the court for approval. Commissioner McClure made the motion for approval, seconded by Commissioner Garza. The motion carried unanimously.

The Commissioners were asked

to approve a rate agreement between Kinney County, The Brackett News and The Kinney Cavalryman for the advertisement of Public Notices. The motion for approval was made by Commissioner Fuentes with Commissioner Garza seconding. The approval carried with Commissioners McClure; A resolution declaring Texas Fuentes; and Garza voting for it, and Commissioner Sheedy voting again-

> The Kinney County Librarian Mary Mitchell spoke on the approval to use C.D.B.G. funds to match the grant funds from the Texas Library System to be used for needed improvement to the Kinney

County Library Facility. The grants

would be for \$50,000 each. After a long discussion to ascertain what part county funds might play and after it was made clear for what the match of funds would be used, a motion was made by Commissioner McClure to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Fuentes. Commissioners Garza; Fuentes; McClure and Judge Ward voted for approval. Commissioner Sheedy voted against and the motion was carried.

Judge Ward made the motion to adjourn which was seconded and carried unanimously.

We Pay Tribute To Our Armed Forces

From week to week, The Brackett News will be recognizing the members of the armed forces who have been deployed to the Persian Gulf and are now striving to restore peace to that part of the world. We, here at The News, will consider it a honor to recognize our young people who are involved in the desert conflict by printing their picture in our paper when one is available.



Leo Pinales



Leonardo Garcia



Lance Windham

Jail Passes Inspection



Commissioner Alvin McClure, and Judge Tim Ward join Sheriff Norman Hooten in receiving a Certification Certificate from Jail Inspector Maurice Wood. For further information see Sheriff's Corner on page 2.



Rio Grande Electric Co-op's new Business Manager, Mrs. Melvin (Dottie) Crownover.

New Business Manager at R.G.E.C.

Mrs. Melvin Crownover (Dottie) was hired recently as Business Manager. Dottie has been business manager at Brackettville ISD since October, 1986.

Dottie is originally from Marine City, Michigan, where she graduated from high school. She attended college in California.

Dottie and her husband, Melvin, ranch in North Kinney and Edwards Counties, and are served by Rio Grande Electric Cooperative. They are the parents of one daughter and four sons. We welcome Dottie to the Cooperative's family of em-

Missing Something?

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Patients register to receive tests conducted at Health Clinic. Free Tests Conducted

By DORTHY PAYNE Brackett News Staff Reporter

The Texas State Department of

Health held a Health Clinic February 22nd at the Kinney County Civic Center from 9:00 A.M. to 4.00 P M

Supervisor of nurses Mary Dodson R.N. of Uvalde conducted the screening tests of the Health Clinic assisted by Dorene Tollett, L.V.N. of Uvalde and Olivia Butman, clerk.

Immunization proceeds were conducted by Leticia Escobedo R.N. and Chela Natividad of Del Rio. About one hundred adults and children were processed through the

The Clinic will be held every fourth Friday of every month. Tests for adults are the test for diabetes, blood pressure, cholesterol, and tetanus. Fasting prior to the cholesterol test is no longer

Immunization for children included dyptheria, whooping cough, polio, measles. An Insulin program will monitor

the diabetes patients at the monthly clinics to help with controling the diabetic patients' diets. Insulin will be distributed but the patient must bring a prescription from his doctor in order to take part in the diabetes

Hard Work Pays Off

Members of The Brackett Tiger Band attended Jr. High Solo & Ensemble contest February 23, 1991 at Neff Middle School in San Antonio, Tx. The solo and ensemble contest was sponsored by the Northside. Independent School District. Medal winners Were:

Matthew Foster Trumpet Solo I Christopher Hale Percussion Solo I Michael Benacci Baritone Solol Jennifer Miears Flute Solo I Valarie Jimenez Clarinet Solo I Lisa Dalton Clarinet Solo I

Tigerband members earned a total of 12 medals for the 1990-1991 school year for Solo and Ensemble contest.

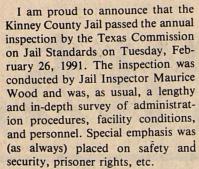
The Tigerband will attend U.I.L. concert and sightreading contest April 10, 1991 at Marshall High School in San Antonio, Tx. This is the first time in four years the Tiger band will be working hard for a 1st division. Band Director Lynnette Crane said "You don't work hard some of the time, you work hard all the time and your work will pay off."



Tiger Band Medal winners from left to right: Michael Benacci, Valarie Jimenez, Jennifer Miears, Lisa Dalton, Matthew Foster, Christopher Hale.

Sheriff's Corner

By Sheriff Norman H. Hooten



At my invitation County Judge Tim Ward and County Commissioner Pct. 4, Alvin McClure were present during the inspection so that they, as representatives of the commissioners court, would have a personal knowledge of what it takes in maintenance, supply, personnel, and administration to maintain a county jail within the strict minimum standards required by the TJC.

During the course of the inspection, Jailer/Dispatcher Elida Estrada demonstrated mandatory competence and ability in conducting a simulated fire drill and the moving of prisoners in the event of a fire. She also demonstrated the required proficiency in the use of the on-premises Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus and smoke removal fans.

The emergency generator was tested as were cellblock smoke detectors and the cell door and lock systems and individual intercoms systems used for direct prisoner contact and monitoring of the cellblocks by jail

Big Mama

Sez!

ts pertaining to the rights of citizens.

the beliefs of this newspaper.

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by many actions and lost by one.

I am proud to announce that the personnel. Booking and releasing procedures and prisoner classification procedures were closely examined to make sure they meet or exceed ruary 26, 1991. The inspection was the required minimum standards as conducted by Jail Inspector Maurice was our Rules & Regulation Manual which contains the numerous and and in-depth survey of administrat- varied "plans" for the handling and ion procedures, facility conditions, incarceration of prisoners. We passed all minimum requirements of the TJC for a facility of this type with the one very important exception of adequate numbers of jail personnel required. Inspector Wood passed and certified us with the understanding that we would swiftly address the personnel situation and take steps to correct the deficiency in this area.

> With this latest "certification" we need only one more to qualify and receive the coveted "Gold Certificate" awarded to county jails in Texas that have successfully passed five(5) annual inspections in a row. Once the "Gold Certificate" has been awarded to a county jail, that jail is inspected only once every five years. We were within one inspection of receiving this award in 1988 when we lost our certification because of a faulty cell door and lock system. We regained our certified status in 1988 after expending over \$90,000.00 for a new and improved cell door and lock system. Safety and security, proper administration, and adequate numbers of personnel are always of major importance in any correctional facility and these factors MUST be kept to the highest possible

standards in the operation of a county jail.

Kinney County

I wish to extend my congratulations and sincere appreciation to the members of my jail staff (listed below) for their continued high degree of loyalty, dedication, and professionalism in the performance of the demanding, often dangerous duties at the Kinney County Jail. Without them it would be impossible to maintain the high standards of operation we now enjoy.

Many Thanks for a job well done to:

- 1. J/D Sgt. Elida Estrada 2. J/D Sgt. Matt Sandoval 3. J/D Corporal Jay R. Smith
- 4. J/D PFC Jesse Garcia
- 5. J/D PFC Manny Pena 6. J/D PFC Tom Justice
- J/D Pvt. Calvin Oliver
- 8. Dietician Martha McDonald 9. Deputy Sheriff Vito LaGioia

10. Chief Deputy Sheriff David Luna THAT'S ALL!

OOPS!

Oops, slipped up, hope we are forgiven. Our apologies to Marty Isenberg for leaving her name off the caption on the golf picture last

The pictures of Leo Pinales and Leonard Garcia are running the second time in The Brackett News on the front page. We also apologize to David Green Sr. for printing his name David Green Jr. in his Letter to the Editor last week.

BUD BREEN WORKSHOP

Bud Breen will conduct a workshop on March 11 and 12 at the Fort Clark Arts Center. The cost is \$30 for the two days, and hours are from 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Anyone interested in learning about western painting can contact Jo Sponholz, 563-2169, for further

February 18, 1878: An English rancher, John Tunstall, was shot and killed in New Mexico Territory, igniting what was known as the "Lincoln County War." Tunstall's friends, including Billy the Kid, vowed to avenge his death. Two warring factions were quickly organized between this group and Tunstall's killers. The fighting included pitched battles which were fought in the town of Lincoln itself, leaving many dead. February 19, 1881: The Kansas

"THIS IS ROBIN LEACH FOR LIFESTYLES OF THE RICH AND FAMOUS, HERE WITH

MRS. EDNA CARBUCKLE, WHO JUST PURCHASED AN ENTIRE ROLL OF STAMPS!"

state legislature passed a law prohibiting the sale of liquors except for medical or scientific purposes. Kansas was the first state to pass such a law. February 5, 1883: The Southern

Pacific Railroad, building eastward from New Mexico, completed its "Sunset Route" and reached New Orleans, having absorbed the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio Railway.

February 25, 1885: An act of Congress forbid the fencing of public lands in the West. In Wyoming Territory alone, the Commissioner of the General identified 125 large cattle companies that had fenced public lands. Under the crusader commissioner William A.J. Sparks, many fences came down during the next few years but the General Land Office found the effective enforcement of this law hampered by lack of funds. Sparks was forced to resign on August 17,

February 14, 1886: The California orange groves sent the first trainload of fruit to Eastern markets which was the beginning of Western agriculture business.

February, 1887: Marked the end of the most cruel winter in memory. The snow began in November covering the Great Plains from Canada to Texas. Temperatures went to 50 degrees below zero. Entire herds of cattle died. Ranchers lost 85 percent of their cattle. As a result two important industries were born; the cultivation of corn feed and hay to support cattle ranching.

MEMBER 1991

Southwest Genealogical Society will hold its March quarterly meeting on March 2 at Town House Restaurant, 2105 East Main, beginning at 10AM. An eight dollar registration fee will include lunch.

The program will be presented by Dr. and Mrs. Jerome Weynand. She is President of the Castro Colony Heritage Association. Dr. Weynand is past president of San Antonio

Prospective members are invited

Pray For Peace



Identify The Picture

Days Past

February 2, 1869: James Oliver

patented a chilled-iron plow

equipped with a smooth-surfaced

moldboard that could slip through

the hardened prairie soil without

clogging. Other inventors improved

this plow by covering the blade with

an edge of tempered steel that could

be removed for sharpening. By 1877

completely modern plows were in

February 2, 1870: After

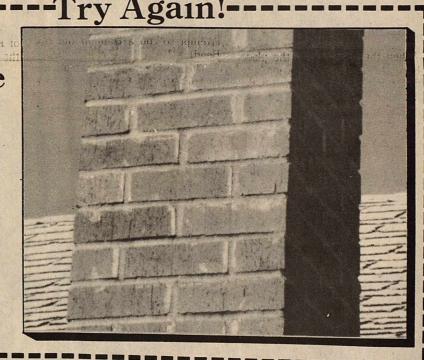
Wyoming, Utah Territory became

the second territory or state in the

nation to grant full suffrage to

by Dorthy Payne

The first person to come by The Brackett News and correctly identify this picture will be given a Brackett News Cap.



Western names for the region The British Empire used these two terms:

Near East: The Levant (Syria, Lebanon, Palestine), Egypt, Arabia, Mesopotamia (now Iraq)

Far East: Everything east of India

Middle East: Now the preferred term for what used to be called the Near East

SOURCE: "Times Atlas of World History, " Encyclopedia Britannica

Feeling Lucky???

Privately owned Bud Breen original 24" x 36" framed oil painting will be raffled off March 22nd at 4:00 p.m. Drawing will be held on the steps of Kinney County Appraisal District Office on Ann Street. You needn't be present to win.

Price of tickets will be one dollar each or five dollars for six tickets. Raffle tickets will be sold by individuals and at the Bud Breen Gallery where the prize oil painting will be on display.

Pacific

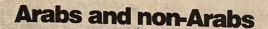
Ocean

Painting was donated to raise funds for Jerry Fairbanks who is in Val Verde Memorial Hospital in Del Rio with a probable lengthy convalescence.

Jerry is the son of Bud and Nakai Breen who recently moved here to make Brackett his home.

C.A.R.E. Bake Sale

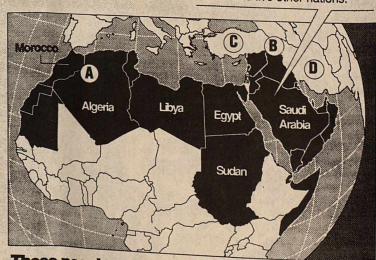
Saturday March 2 9:00 to? In front of Super S Foods



The people of the Mideast make these distinctions among themselves; Westerners often misunderstand them.

Arab: Most widely accepted meaning is "a person who speaks Arabic." Arabic is official language in nations shaded on map.

Arabian: Refers to the boot-shaped Arabian Peninsula (Arabia), which includes Saudi Arabia and five other nations.



These people are not Arabs

(A) Berbers: Ethnic group widespread in Tunisia, Algeria, Morocco. Berber language has mixed with Arabic there.

(B) Kurds: Ethnic group in Turkey, Iran and Iraq has no national homeland. Kurds speak Kurdish (related to Iranian).

C Turks: The people of Turkey are mostly Moslem, but they speak Turkish, a language very different from Arabic.

D Persians (Iranians): Ancient Persian empire is now called Iran. Its people mostly speak Farsi, a language written in Arabic script but different from Arabic.

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INSTALLATIONS

This is the end of my hibernating month, and time to drag out my soap box. I heard a song one day last week on the radio, and although I didn't listen to the words too closely, I decided we should take that as our new national anthem. "Too Much is Not Enough" was the name of the song and I thought how characteristic of us as a nation this has become. Not a week goes by but that some company announces the presentation of another new product. This week it's NERDS and it's divided into two bags in every box, contains "tiny, tangy, crunchy, sweetened cereal," and you can have orange flavor and cherry in one box and grape flavor and strawberry in the other box. Sorta hard to get the kiddies to settle for good oldfashioned oatmeal or cornflakes after seeing these advertisements. It's not only cereal, there's Fruit Wrinkles, a spin-off from Fruit Rolls, cough medicines (Robutussin now has four different kinds for four different types of cough, plus night relief so you can sleep). Margarines have low cholesterol, light for fewer calories, and flavored like butter - the list goes on and on, as always as I climb down off my soapbox I won-

der, "Where is it all going to end?"

Beyond The

Horizon

By Dorthy Payne

The last train robbery of the Big

Bend took place in the 1890's when

R.E. Vandegriff was captured. Van-

dergiff and two other men named

Bird and Kutch attempted to rob a

train. The idea came from another

man named Smith who hatched the

idea while they were all working as

cowboys on the Tom Newman Ran-

Smith worked out the plan where

he was to board the train at Kent, a

station on the Texas Pacific Railway

on the north slopes of the Davis

Mountians, and make the engineer

stop at a place where the other three

men would be waiting. Then they

would together uncouple the ex-

press and go ahead with it.



Then I see ads like the one for a famous margarine in the Sunday paper, had a coupon to clip that offered a 12-issue subscription for \$5.99--or half price. How can any nationally known magazine offer a year's subscription for that price? There are offers on products to entice you to buy them offering "40 percent more for the same price," or 'buy one get one free" specials (I

My advice to anybody angling for the housewife's trade is to put the price down so we feel we can afford to buy it, and do give us credit for having a little common sense! What budget conscious homemaker is going to pay \$2.28 for a 10 lb bag of flour when she can by two 5 lb bags for \$1.60? Check the prices sometimes when you're shopping.

Several months ago I found a recipe using kidney beans. They're pretty cheap and nourishing and delicious when combined with the other ingredients, and a pleasant

SKILLET GOULASH ½lb. ground beef 1/4 cup chopped onion 1-16 oz. can tomatoes undrained

to Vandergriff the gunfire burned

his face. Then Bird was shot and

Vandergriff jumped on his horse and

tried to act cool and collected. He

went to the railroad station and

bought a ticket. In fact he got on the

train and bought a ticket from the

sation with his fellow passengers,

He took a seat and made conver-

When the train arrived in Alpine

Conductor, paying him in cash.

not to create any suspicions.

When he arrived in Marfa, he

headed for Marfa.

½ cup macaroni - 1 tea salt 1 tea sugar - 1/2 tea chili powder dash of pepper

1-15 oz. can red kidney beans Brown ground beef and onion in large skillet. Drain excess fat, add remaining ingredients, cover pan and simmer 30-40 minutes, or until macaroni is cooked and tender. Stir occasionally during cooking. Add a little water if it gets too dry.

Now wasn't that an easy dish to fix and only one dirty pan. The kids gave me short notice last week that they were coming out, so I checked out of the cupboard and found a box mix for light cheesecake. I followed directions on the box, then realized it wouldn't be enough, so in the blender I added along with this mix another cup milk and a box of chocolate instant pudding. I filled up a deep dish pie pan, then sprinkled ground almonds over the mix. You should have seen the food disappear, so they could have a piece of pie. Before serving I loaded the top with cool whip, and it was all low-calorie. Here's another good recipe I came across in my files I know you'll like.

> **BROCCOLI AND HAM** CASSEROLE 2 to 3 cups broccoli

1 TBS margarine 3 TBS flour - 11/2 cups milk 1/4 cup bread crumbs 1 cup ham slivers, cooked or sliced luncheon meat

1/2 cup shredded chedder cheese 2 more TBS margarine

Cook broccoli until barely tender in salted water. Make white sauce of margarine melted with flour stirred in and milk added. Stir until thick and bubbly, then season to taste with salt and pepper. Drain the broccoli when fork-tender and alternate layers of broccoli, meat slices and sauce in 11/2 qt. greased casserole. Combine bread crumbs with 2 TBS margarine, melted and add chedder cheese. Toss this lightly and sprinkle over mixture in casserole. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes or until crumbs brown.

My thought for this week is: The Teacher asked the pupils to tell the meaning of loving kindness. A little boy jumped up and said, "Well, if I was hungry and someone gave me a piece of bread that would be kindness. But if they put a little jam on it, that would be loving-kindness.'

Have a nice week: Big Hugs and Special Love Grandma Happy Birthday Ellie

Notes

this endeavor

be used to purchase needed volumes for our shelves. We wish to thank those of you who participated in this project. Some of the books which remain unsold will be sent to the Veterans Hospital and some will be sent to the County Jail to provide reading material for the inmates.

Friends of the Library, don't forget the meeting scheduled for March 4, at 7:00 p.m. at the library where a program by Mr. Bill Gooch, Director of the state library system, will be presented. If you aren't a member of the "Friend" come on in and join. The cost of membership is \$2.00 per year. To date. Mr. & Mrs. Zack Davis and family represent the largest membership group to join the "Friends". This is an excellent opportunity to teach children the pleasure obtained through reading, proper care for books and borrowed materials and gives them a sense of participation in their community. Good work, Zack & Kayla.

As always, we invite you to visit the warmest (or coolest when need be), friendliest little library in Kinney County!!

Kinney County Library Staff and Volunteers

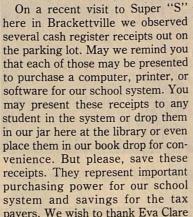
Library

payers. We wish to thank Eva Clare Dooley and Edward Gould for books they recently donated to the library. Additionally, we wish to thank Rory of Rory's Video for his donation of the video, Peter Pan, to our expan-

ding children's video library. That was the good news, now the bad. We still are having a problem with overdue unreturned books. We would appreciate your watching the due date and getting these library books in on time Further we have many volumes which are 12 or more months overdue. Therefore, we have made a list of these books and will be calling you to let you know that these books are charged to your library number. If these books (those over due at least 12 months) are returned to the library by March 15, 1991, charges will be dropped. Thereafter, we will begin a campaign to recover the books or the purchase price of same. If you think you might have books charged to your card number, but aren't sure, come by the library. We have the lists by title and patron name so a

quick search can be very easily accomplished. Books are purchased with your tax dollars and it is to your advantage as a tax payer to assist us in keeping book loss to a minimum. We greatly appreciate your cooperation and understanding in

To date, our book sale has netted the library over \$250.00 which will



he was arrested by Sheriff J.B. Gillet as soon as he stepped off the train, and taken to jail. When he got to jail he found Kutch and Bird locked up in the jail already. This was the last attempt to rob a train in the Big These robbers were about as successful at their chosen line of work

When the train got to the place where the robbers were waiting Vandergriff started to uncouple the as Sam Bass who didn't have much express car, the guards on the train success at robbing trains either. began to shoot. They were so close

Bridge Anyone

By Dot Burrow

On Sunday, February 18, seven tables participated in Duplicate Bridge at Fort Clark, using Mitchell movement. At North-South La Monte and Marie McCandles were winners. Second place was taken by Norma Gould and Anita Korbel. Gene Britton and Trudy Harber were high on East-West, with Molly Schroeder and Carol Benfield



coming in second.

Five tables played on February 24, using Mitchell. High at North-South were Carl and Queenie Mumma. Close behind were Fred and Nita Clayton. High at East-West were Trudy Harber and Betty Dennis. Close behind were Anita Korbel and Norma Gould.

Several Sightings of Black Bear

Brackett News Contributing Writer

DEL RIO--Black bears may be making somewhat of a comeback in Texas as evidenced by increased sightings over the past few years.

The most recent sighting, by Dayton deer hunter Raymond Watson and his son, occurred on Dec. 17 along the Pecos River in western Val Verde County. The sighting was confirmed through the location of tracks by biologists, game wardens and government trappers, said Sylvestre H. Sorola, wildlife biologist from Del Rio.

Val Verde County, which has had sightings the past four years, has more reported sightings of black bears in the state than any area other than the Big Bend area and the Guadalupe Mountain.

'They apparently have done so well in the Sierra Del Carmens mountain range in Mexico aided by the closure of hunting season in Mexico in 1986, that bears are naturally spilling over into adjoining areas of Texas to re-establish themselves,' said Rick Taylor, wildlife biologist and principal black bear investigator for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department from Uvalde.

There have been several reported

sightings recently at Big Bend National Park and it appears the Chisos Mountains have a breeding population again, he said. Bear cubs have been sighted there the past

"The production of young is a hint that residency may be occuring, "Taylor said. "Pregnant sows dont't move around very much and they don't move much when cubs

several years.

A cub was spotted walking the streets of Langtry in October 1990 and two cubs were seen near Lake Amistad in November 1989.

'The future of the black bear in Texas is promising, "Taylor said. "however, public opposition could continue to be a major factor for a successful comeback. The largest land-based endangered Texas mammal is returning to Texas on its own, naturally, but we need the public's help by reporting sightings,

bear sign or any depradation." The black bear is on the Texas endangered species list and is protected by law.

'Other states have proven that bear and livestock can and do live peacefully together. The recovery of the black bear in Texas can be one of the most significant accomplishments in Texas wildlife."



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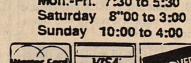
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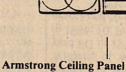
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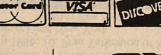
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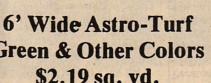




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Sports



Fund Raising Basketball Game



The Womens' Faculty Basketball Team from left to right: Jill Duncan, Candy Hobbs, Dee Curry, Joy Ralston, Terri Day, Pam Schneider, Trish Taylor, Bo Hagler, Maxine Bonner, Barbara Hernandez, Debbie Coe and kneeling Renetta McCall.

By DORTHY PAYNE

Brackett News Staff Writer The ladies representing the Rotary Club easily won the game against the Brackett ISD faculty at a

score of 47-16. Rotary members taking part were Darnette Daniels, Carol Templeton, Lashawn Wardlaw, Leisha Wardlaw, Martha Smallwood, Elaine Luna, Elida Estrada and Yolanda Williams.

Faculty members were: Maxine Bonner, Jill Duncan, Barbara Avila, Renetta McCall, Trish Taylor, Bo Hagler, Pam Schneider, Terry Day, Debbie Coe, Jas Ralston, Delia Curry, Candy Hobbs and Susan Harrison

The Brackett mens faculty team won their game against the Rotary Club with a score of 51-37. Team members were Ken Campbell, Greg Nowlin, James Day, Steve Kolb, Darrin Schneider, Steve Duncan, Frank Taylor, Steve Wilson, Bob

McCall and Tully Shahan. Members of the Rotary Club team were: James Crumley, Robert Estrada, David Esparda, Lingo Sandoval, Bird Perez, Severo Martinez, Dan Sanmiego, Vance and Eddie

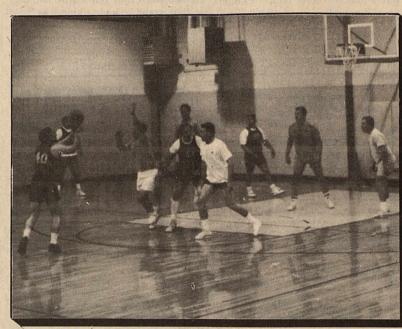
The annual (sometimes) fund raising basketball game between The Brackettville Rotary Club and The Brackett Faculty was held Thursday, February 21, 1991. The event was held in the Brackett High School Gym.

The proceeds are to help fund the Rotary Club's many community efforts including a scholarship for a deserving high school senior. The evening consisted of a ladies' game, a men's game and a free throw contest at half time. Winners were: Leisha Wardlaw and fifth grader John Banta.

The Rotary Club would like to express its gratitude to all who helped the evening to be a success



The Womens' Rotary Baskettball Team from left to right: Carol Templeton, Yolanda Williams, Leisha Wardlaw, Elida Estrada, Martha Smallwood, Darnette Daniels, Elaine Luna and Lashawn Wardlaw.



Lingo Sandoval goes for a basket in the hard fought Faculty against Rotary basketball game.

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Junior High **Track Meet** Results

By DORTHY PAYNE Brackett News Staff Writer

The Brackett Junior High Track Team journeyed to Eagle Pass Track meet in Eagle Pass Stadium on Friday February 22 at 4:30 p.m.

Teresa Perez came in second in the 100 meter run, Girls Relay won second: Will Shahan won second in

Sports Quiz

by Larry Duncan

1. What is the fastest recorded time

2. How many times was Don

Baylor hit by a pitch during his

3. Who has the all-time record of

4. Name the three top scoring

5. Who holds the N.H.L. record of

6. Who holds the N.F.L. record for

7. Who holds the N.F.L. record for

most passes completed in a regular

8. Who holds the N.C.A.A. record

for the longest successful field goal?

N.C.A.A. football teams who com-

pleted an entire game without one

penalty occurring.

10. Name the N.F.L. quarterback

who was sacked a record 483 times

Sports Quiz Answers

9. Name the last two opposing

most passes attempted during a

appearing in 1,767 games?

N.C.A.A. football teams during the

to overcome a steer?

3,838 rush attempts?

regular season?

during his career.

season?

career?

1980s.

Shot Putt; Annie Barrow came in third in high jump; and Jennifer Terrazas 4th in long jump.

Coaches James Day, David Burton, and Rebecca Hubbard accompanied both boys & girls teams.

Schools participating were from Laredo; Del Rio, Eagle Pass, Comstock, Brackett, Asherton and Carrizo Springs.

By Dee Curry

The L.G.A. played for Low Gross, Low Net and vied for longest drive on hole number 9, on February 19. The winner with low gross in the first group was Betty Mathison with an 83. Flo Stafford won low gross in the second group with a 93. Molly Schroder won low net with 60 (net) in the first group. Betty Schlatterer, Mary Butler, and Betty Dennis tied up the second group for low net with 68's (net). The longest drive was

taken by Mary Lee Trollinger. Thursday Couple's Scramble was a four way tie for first place with a 65 (net). The winners were: Jean and Gordon Petaja, Betty and Gordon Mathison; Roy Dyer, Vicki Nichols and Gordon and Ann Brambles; Carl Spray, Jan Chism and Dave Sharp and Jane Young. Odette and Bill Mills and Carol Benfield.

On Saturday, the Monthly Scramble was held. First place winners were the team efforts of Bizzell, Gooch, Patino, and Lovell with 60 (net). Two teams tied for second place. They were: Chism, Young, Koons, and Bramble; Talamantez, Petaja, Gilliland, and Mills with both teams scoring 61 (net). Fourth place winners were Smith, McKelvy, Owens, and Bramble tied with Bordiga, Bussey, Pomeroy, and Cosborn with each team scoring 62

Brackett High School golf teams are out practicing on the Par 3 course most afternoons after school. Coach Burton wishes to send thanks to supporters who have helped get them out there. Burton sends a big thank you to Fred English for donating several dozen practice balls; thanks go to Karl Chism, Sondra Meil, Jack Legg, and James Blankenship for helping get the teams out on the Fort courses and practice range. A special thanks to Robert Young for his time and field help in coaching. This is Coach Burton's first year to coach the teams at the school. We wish the players and Coach Burton good luck in this

PLEASE!!! Publishers note: If you have read the third paragraph you have noticed we only have last names. Please give us full names. We also do not have the Wednesday men's results; come on guys help us get your names in the News, The Brackett News that is. We need CLEANING CHOICES Plaza Del Sol Mall Del Rio, Tx.

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Brackett Students Excell

Brackett News Sports

Brackett Tiger junior high school student, Tevin Senne, was chosen for the 1990-91 29AA All-District Boys Basketball Team.

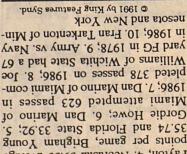
Second Team Honors went to Seniors Steve Cementz and Clay Hunt. Junior, Lesly Floyd, received Honorable Mention. The Brackett News is proud of the outstanding athletes attending Brackett High School.

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Fishing Report

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Williams of Wichita State had a 67 pleted 378 passes on 1986; 8, Joe 1986; 7. Dan Marino of Miami com-Miami attempted 623 passes in Gordie Howe; 6. Dan Marino of 35.74 and Florida State 33.92; S. points per game, Brigham Young Payton; 4. Nebraska 39.53 average A record 267 times; 3. Walter Bynum of Marietta, Okla. in 1955; 2. of Tulsa, Okla. in 1976, and James Pecatonica, Ill. in 1976, Carl Deaton 1. 2.4 seconds by Gene Melton of



AMISTAD--Water clear, 54 degrees, 1 foot low; black bass are fairly good in 20-30 feet of water on purple firetailed worms and white and chartreuse spinners; striper are fair around the dam or up the Rio Grande around Markers 18-20 on Bananahead jigs or live perch; crappie are slow; white bass are good in Caballo Canyon and at the high bridge on the Pecos; catfish are good in 50-70 feet of water off ledges on Roger's Cheese Bait and

BRAUNIG-Water murky. 59 degrees, I foot high; black bass are slow to 8 pounds on black plastic worms; striper are poor; crappie are slow; white bass are slow; catfish are excellent to 10 pounds on shrimp and chicken livers; redfish are good to 15 pounds down rigging spoons: corvina slow.

CALAVERAS--Water murky. 69 degrees, 10 inches above normal level; black bass are good to 81/2 fair to 4 pounds on stinkbait; white

pounds, most are in the 4-5 pound range on jigs and plastic worms; hybrid striper are fair in the 4-5 pound range from the shorelines; crappie are slow; catfish are good on chicken liver, shad and cut bait; redfish are slow; corvina are slow to 14 pounds, 6 ounces, a possible lake

FALCON--Water clear, 66 degrees, 11 feet low and rising slowly; black bass are good to 10.6 pounds, with many 6s and 8s, on spinners, worms and cranks; striper are fairly good in the 14-16 pound range trolling Magnum-Hellbenders and jigs; crappie are slow; white bass are good in the river on L'il Georges and speck rigs; catfish are good in the 3-4 pound range on

MEDINA--Water clear, 39 feet low; black bass are slow; catfish are

bass are good to 25 fish per string, a few limits caught on slabs; crappie are slow; striper are good to 8 pounds on slabs and L'il Georges.

TEXANA--Water muddy, 62 degrees, normal level; black bass are poor; striper and white bass are slow; crappie are slow; catfish are fairly slow to 20 pounds on trotlines baited with shad.

CHOKE-Water muddy from San Miguel Creek to Mason Point, main lake clear, 58 degrees, 1 foot low: black bass are fair in number to 10 pounds, few limits, on black and red plastic worms, spinners, chrome cranks in 5-10 feet of water in backs of coves and in creeks; striper are slow; crappie are slow; white bass are good to 25 fish per string on live minnows; catfish are fair in number but scattered in 3-10 feet of water on cheese baits and drop lines in 10-25 feet of water.

COLETO CREEK--Water clear. 69 degrees, normal level; black bass



are excellent to 9.18 pounds on Rattle Traps and worms; striper are good in number but mostly undersized, some keepers caught on shrimp and slab spoons; crappie are good to 12 fish per boat to 11/2 pounds on minnows and jigs; catfish are good to 2 pounds on cheese balls.

CORPUS CHRISTI--Water clear midlake to the dam, stained in the upper end, 61 degrees, 31/2 feet low; black bass are good to 63/4 pounds on black jigs and Crawworms and whitewillow leaf spinners in 3-5 feet of water before the front hit Monday; striper are slow; crappie are good to 25 fish per string in 10-12 feet of water off deep points, best bait is a minnow; white bass are slow due to stained water; blue catfish are good to 17 pounds in 31/2 feet of water on cut shad; yellow catfish are good to 26 pounds in 12 feet of water on sunfish; channel catfish and gaspergou are good below the dam on chicken livers and shrimp.

at 6:30 A.M., Mrs. Sylvia Garcia, Mary Jane, Andrea and Gus, were at the Civic Center to carry on a tradition begun several years ago by "Mr. Eloy" -- cooking and preparing breakfast tacos for 4H, FFA, FHA and Livestock Show Committee members. Our thanks and love to each of them.

On Saturday, February 2, 1991, the Future Homemakers were in charge of the concession stand during the Junior Varsity Tournament. At the same time they prepared and served a hamburger salad bar dinner to those involved in the tournament and the community. To those who bought tickets or just dropped by for Dinner, we appreciate you for coming.

The F.H.A. would like to thank a very special person who came, bought lunch and left a Special Donation. She is a former teacher and resides at Fort Clark at present -Thank you, Mrs. Helen Smith!

To Mr. Joe Elder for donating the Party Paks, we owe our Special Thanks!

Many thanks to Seth Kaplan for his help.

We owe our deepest gratitude to Mrs. Sylvia Garcia for coming on Saturday morning and spending the day just helping. Also to Gus Garcia, Mrs. Ramona Falcon and Jessica Taylor, we owe many thanks for their help during the day.

Last but not least, the F.H.A. members and their sponsor would like to express their sincere appreciation to Mr. Bob McCall, Mr. Don Sims and Mr. Steve Mills for their help and support at all times.

"Mil Gracias" To All!

liger Tracks





Letter from Saudi Arabia

Brackett News Contributing Writer

Early in January, the students of Jones Elementary banded together and mailed a survival package to Sonny Garcia who is stationed in Saudi Arabia. The students received quite a surprise when they heard back from Sonny this week. They would like to share their letter with the citizens of Brackettville.

Dear Jones Elementary Students: This was an extreme surprise to me to find two big boxes next to my tank and addressed to me. Hey, I surely appreciate this from the bottom of my heart. It is nice to hear that people back in Brackett are behind us, and this box couldn't have come at a better time. Words can never say how I feel at this moment when I saw the boxes. I felt like a little kid again opening Christmas presents during Christmas morning.

I shared all of my stuff with my crew members in my tank, and they say a big round of applause to the town of Brackettville and to the teachers of the school. If there was ever a medal for the best supporters, Jones Elementary would receive one of the biggest awards ever.

The students of Jones Elementary should be proud because they have one of the best faculty that teachers could provide in the State of Texas. Then you have one of my favorite teachers that I had the pleasure of sitting in class for. Knowing her, Dr. Pat Seawell, would correct any misspellings and incorrect essay writing that I may write. I know she would get a big kick out of that little

Once again, faculty and students thanks for the boxes. For if it wasn't for people like yourselves we would be pretty smelly and nasty. Thanks a lot from the crew of CHARLIE-31 Your Friend

National **Honor Society**

Last Thursday, February 21, 1991, in the high school auditorium, eight students were included into Brackett Independent School District's National Honor Society Chapter, while six probationary members were named. These students were chosen based on scholastic, character, service, and leadership ability. The National-Honor Society is sponsored by Sue Sims. The officers include Shelley McDaniel, president; Jenifer Shahan, vice-president; Ernesto Esparza, secretary; and Kasey Hall,

The new students that were inducted include: Jenifer Shahan, Scott Sims, Clay Hunt, Selina Ramon, Michelle Brandt, Luis Gonzalez, Jamie Shinaut, and Javier Solis. New probationary members are: Wendy McDaniel, Regina Rubino, Barbara Matull, Mary Falcon, Dee Ann Frerich, and Gabriel Flores.

Parents and inductees were treated to a reception held in the Home Economics Cottage following

Rotary Volleyball

The Brackett Independent School District VS Rotary Club volleyball



N.H.S. Provisional Members: Rugina Rubino, Dee Ann Frerich, Wendy McDaniel, Barbara Matul, Mary Falcon and

game scheduled for this coming Tuesday, March 5, 1991, has been moved to Thursday, March 14, 1991. Please make note of this change and be sure to make plans to attend this fund raising event.

FHA News

On Friday, February 22, 1991, ten members of the Brackett FHA Chapter attended the Area V Leadership Conference in Corpus Christi. This was a two day conference. The theme for the meeting was "Success is Yours Through FHA." The main objective of the meeting was "To discover the various ways to succeed by participating in opportunities available

Voting delegates met Friday afternoon to elect officers for 1991-92. Changes in the FHA Constitution were voted on. Kasey Hall acted as voting delegate from Brackettville.

The Saturday morning session began at 8:30 a.m. with the opening ceremony, presentation of colors, Pledge of Allegiance, national anthem, and an inspriational thought.

The main speaker, Arnold Williams, presented both a fun and inspiring message to the students. Students were given an opportunity to attend various workshops. Workshops were presented on Cult Awareness, Teen Suicide and Depression, Sex Respect, Peer Pressure, Drugs and Alcohol. Saturday afternoon officers were installed and the conference was adjourned.

During their stay in Corpus Christi, members drove around, visited the T-Heads, the beach, and the Corpus Christi High Bridge. After the meeting adjourned, the group rode the ferry to Port Aransas. There they visited the Pat Magee shops, ate seafood, walked the beach, and watched several large ships leave for parts unknown.

Those attending were: Esmeralda Talamantez, Matthew Rocha, Mary Dimery, Sandra Solis, Raquel Franklin, Isela Valdez, Kasey Hall, Julie Lopez, Clay Hunt, and Jessica Taylor. The students were sponsored by Chip Haby and Mary Lee Haby. Home Economics teacher and



N.H.S. Members 1st row Ernest Esparza, Luis Gonzales and Mrs. Sue Sims. Second row Frank Rodriguez, Clay Hunt, Javier Solis and Scott Sims. Third row Michelle Brandt, Shelly McDaniels, Nancy Mendoza and Kasey Hall. Forth row Jennifer Shahan, Selina Ramon and Jamie Shinaut.

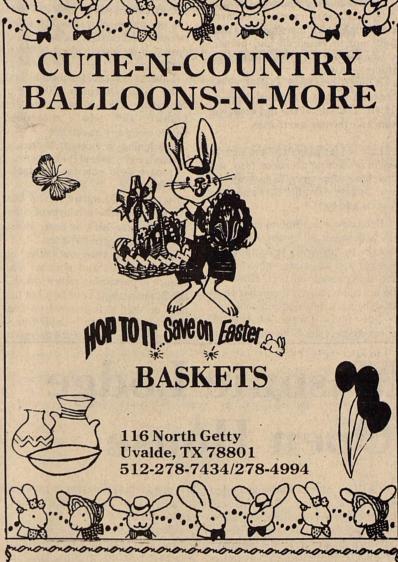
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"Voice of Democracy" Participation

Thursday, February 21, 1991, five students of Brackett High School received awards for their participation in the 44th annual 'Voice of Democracy' National Broadcast scriptwriting scholarship

Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States and its Ladies Auxiliary hope that every high school in the country will provide the opportunity for its students to take part in this program. Through classroom students projects and special assignments, students will be motivated through writing and speaking to express their ideas about their personal responsibilities as citizens and their understanding of the rights and responsibilities of being an American.

Mr. Tom Faulkenberry of Post Through this program, the #8360 presented appreciation certificates to these judges: Dorothy Gore, Ben Pingenot and Martha Smallwood.

A citation award was presented to faculty member Sue Sims, thanking her for carrying on with the Voice of Democracy program

Citations were presented to the Brackett News and Kinney Cavalryman for their undying support for the young people of our community and county as a whole.

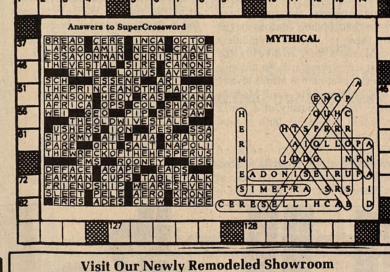
A certificate of Merit was awarded to the high school students who participated in the Veterans of Foreign Wars, "Voice of Democracy" program. We the citizens of Kinney County and all members of Post #8360 wish to thank the students who participated in the "Voice of Democracy" Broadcast scriptwriting program. Our thanks and best wishes to their

Winners were: First Place - Jenifer Shahan - \$100 U.S. Bond Second Place - J.J. Guidry - \$75 U.S.

Third Place - Scott Sims - \$50 U.S. Bond Fourth Place - Wendy McDaniel Certificate of Merit

Fifth Place - Tommy Foster - Cer-

tificate of Merit The students of Brackett High School wish to thank the VFW for their support of the students.



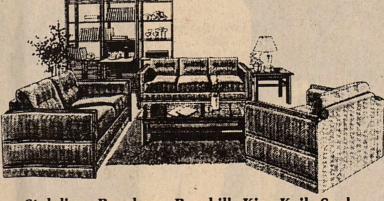


Left to right Tom Faulkenberry, Agapito Saenz, Tommy Foster, Wendy McDaniel, Scott Sims, J.J. Guidry, Jennifer

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A dutch treat lunch catered by the Sutton County 4-H club will begin at 11:45. The sale of the top rams will conclude the day's activities.

Late winter is an excellent time to begin protecting decidious fruit, nut and landscape trees from scale insect, aphids and other overwintering insects and eggs.

February is a prime month to apply a dormant oil spray. As winter draws to an end, insects grow weaker and are more vulnerable to the suffocationg oil film. However, do not apply dormant oil after trees have begun to leaf out or bloom.

The main target of the oil spraying is scale. Scale are sucking

The Las Moras Masonic Lodge

#444, has joined 940 Masonic

Lodges across Texas in scheduling a

simultaneous Public Open House

between 2 and 4 P:M., Sunday,

March 10, 1991, with the invitation

extended to anyone interested in

learning about Masonry and what

Masons do. The Open House will be held in the Lodge Room located on

Fred E. Allen of Mt. Pleasant, Grand Master of the 180,000 mem-

ber Masonic Grand Lodge of Texas,

has defined the intent of the "showcase" open house event as

being "to put Masonry on display so

anyone interested can see what

Masons do and have a better under-

standing of what Masonry is all

Printed cards will give brief ex-

planations of more significant points

of interest about the lodge room, in-

cluding some of the more prominent

symbols utilized in Masonry to teach

Masonic philosophy. Best known of

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of the craft, together with other

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Masonic Lodge

Open House

insects that attach themselves to tree limbs and branches with smooth, tender bark. They drain sap from the plant, and a serious infestation can weaken and kill branches or even entire trees.

Numerous species of ornamental trees and shurbs are also subject to scale infestations and can benefit from a dormant oil spray. This spray , however, may injure evergreens so you may want to be careful about

Suggested rates of application for dormant oil is 1.5 to 2.0 gallons per 100 gallons of water, or 2 to 4 ounces per gallon of water. The effectiveness of pest control will be improved if an insecticide is added to

Labeled insecticides include Lorsban 4E, Diazinon 50WP or Supracide 21E. Always read and follow all label directions before using any insecticide.

Gardening is close at hand and spring is right around the corner. -Prepare beds now for vegetables and flowers.

-- For every 100 square feet of bed, work in a several-inch layer of either compost, pine bark or peat, plus 5 pounds of balanced fertilizer.

Beware of close-out sales on bare-root trees and shrubs. The chance of survival is rather low this late in the season. Your best bet this time of year is to depend on container-grown or balled-andburlapped plants for landscape use.

Where were you born: Charlotte, N. Carolina What is your favorite food: Shrimp Your favorite Book: The

Your favorite movie: How the

West Was Won Your friends say you: Speak my mind

Describe myself as someone who: Speaks her mind. If you could be anything what would you be: Myself
If you could go anywhere

where would you go: On the

beach in the Caribbean If you could change Brackettville what would you change: Wouldn't Change





C.E. Forsythe took this 8 point buck with an 18 inch inside spread on the 19th of December, 1990 on the Leona Ranch just before sun-

What Do Masons Do?

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The Brackett News

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Bass Club-Every last Thursday at 7:00 p.m.

Chamber of Commerce-Every 1st Thursday 7:00 p.m. Commissioners Court-Every 2nd Monday at 9:00 a.m.

FCS Community Council-10:00 a.m. at the NCO Club on March 9. Election of officers. Barbecue at 12 noon.

Del Rio Christian Women's Club-Meets 1st Wednesday of each month, 12:00--Laughlin AFB officer's club must make reservations.

Drivers License--9 a.m. to noon, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. on the 1st, 3rd, and last

Thursday of the month.

Duplicate Bridge-1:30 p.m. every Sunday and Tuesday. Kinney County Historical Preservation Society-7:00 p.m. on every 4th

Thursday of each month at the Kinney County Courth House.

Kinney County Kickers-7:30 p.m. every 2nd and 4th Thursday. Lions Club-6:30 p.m. every 1st and 3rd Thursday.

Masonic Lodge-7:00 p.m. every 2nd Tuesday. Order of the Eastern Star #204-7:30 p.m. the 1st and 3rd Tuesday at

Masonic Hall, 407 Bedell, Del Rio, TX.

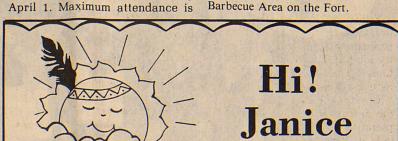
Rotary Club-Every Thursday at 12:00 p.m. Shriners-6:30 p.m. every 4th Tuesday. VFW and Ladies Aux. (Ft. Clark)-7:00 p.m. every 4th Wednesday.

Annual Election

The time of the Fort Clark Com- urged by the Council Board, for this munity Council regular monthly meeting will be at 10 a.m. in the NCO Club on Saturday, March 9.

important matter.

All who attend will receive a numbered ticket as they enter which will give them a chance to The primary business to be conducwin a door prize, one for a lady and ted is that of electing new officers one for a gentleman, and then at 12 for the next fiscal year beginning noon, for a barbecue at the North



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become a member. cathedrals of Europe and Great During this open house, members Allen explained, that to the three and one-half million Masons in the the Masonic Fraternity.

U.S., these symbols are reminders of a Mason's duty to live by the highest moral standards, to practice brotherly love, and to affirm loyalty to his country. He said Masons believe that the quality of a man's life should reflect his faith in God and his ethical ideals.

Other Masonic-related organizations, the York Rite, Scottish Rite, Shrine, and The Order of

this open house program to provide insight into their particular organizations. Allen cited the showcase event as

a first in Texas in which various Masonic-related groups join in public display of their respective regalia and symbols in a blend of colorful pageantry open to all.

He hopes the over-all objective of this open house will be to help dispel the misconception that many people have that Masonry is a SECRET SOCIETY. He points out that Masonry does not conceal its existence, principles, or aims. Members proudly, wear the Square and Compasses and other Masonic insignia, and lodge building are wellindentified and often are made available for appropriate community

Masonry comprises the largest philantrophic effort in the world, providing over \$2 Million a day and thousands of hours service for worthy causes, including over \$750 million every year for charitable ac-

It is pointed out that while Masons do not solicit members, men of good character may ask to

of all the masonic bodies represented in Brackettville, will be on hand to answer questions pertaining to





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Haby, Chip Haby. Back Row Matthew Rocha and Clay Hunt --

Nueces Canyon News

School & City Elections

By JAMES GREER Brackett News Staff Writer

Candidates started filing for area

school boards and city council posts on Monday, February 18, 1991 which will be decided in May 4, elec-

In Camp Wood, three at large city council positions will be contested. Incumbents are Pat O'Bryant, Ben Carabajal and Josh Cox.

In the Nueces Canyon school district, two places will be on the ballot. Incumbents are Steven Jechow and Jerry Halsell. Jerry Halsell moved out of the Nueces Canyon this past summer.

The filing period to get your name on the ballot as a candidate ends on March 20, 1991.

If you are not registered to vote in the May school and city elections, you have to register 30 days before the election on May 4.

Stella Burkholder has the registration cards to be eligible to vote. If you do not want to make the trip to Leakey you can contact her.

Get Well Soon!

We still have a lot of canyon folks that are still on our sick list this past week. They are Idell Allen, Leoma Craig, Virgil Williams and Clyde Allen Stevens, son of Clyde and Pat

We wish all of those still sick a speedy recovery.

Desert Storm

As the war in the Persian Gulf continues, we need to pray and hope that the right things are being done to bring this war to a conclusion as quickly as possible. Remember in you prayers Robert Alston, Todd Chant, Dale Harris, Sgt. Pittman and all the troops serving in the

Junior Livestock Association

The Nueces Canyon Junior Livestock Association held a meeting on Monday, February 18, at 7:00 p.m. in the Nueces Canyon Elementary cafeteria in Camp Wood.

The following items were

discussed and voted on by the attending members. Zayne Walzel volunteered to gather some 4-H rules from different sources, so some set

of rules can be established. There will be a membership drive from February to May.

Rules set for the next stock show are: A pen fee of \$2.00 per animal, with a maximum charge of \$5.00. All exhibitors will be required to wear a number. The horse show will be moved to the first day of the show, and we ask that at least one parent join the association, if they have a child showing an animal. An important new rule passed that will take out a 35 percent commission on the sale of an animal at the Real County Stock Show if the exhibitor has already sold one at the Nueces Canyon Stock Show. If the exhibitor does not sell an animal at the Nueces Canyon Stock Show no commission will be deducted. The 35 percent commission fee will be given to the Real County Buyer's Coop.

The purchases of new shearing combs, installing a heater, and insulation in the show ring were

A buyer's committee was appointed for the 1992 stock show. They were Ward Fairchild, John Hodges, Wayne McDonald, Josh Cox and

Robin Luce. Officers were elected with Jeff Luce, President; John Earl Teague, Vice-president; Susie Luce, Secretary; Loraine Hodges, Treasurer; and Michele Tucker,

Reporter. The newly elected officers recognized The Brackett News, Inc. for their outstanding coverage of the 1991 Nueces Canyon Stock Show, then the meeting was adjour-

Cemetery News

Once again it is time to send in your \$5 dues to Box 458, Camp Wood, Texas 78833.

We are not mailing dues notices this year. Postal rates are too high. The ones that always pay will do so, and the many that never pay ignore the notice so why waste stamps?

Perpetual care is still the best way to go. That way your dues will be paid from now on.

Most children and grandchildren will not pay dues for their parents. If you do not own a cemetery plot I would advise you to buy one. You never know when you will need one and it eases the pain of buying one when a loved one passes away. Sites are still \$50 which is very cheap compared to other places. James H. Coleman

P.O. Box 458 Camp Wood, Texas 78833 Phone 597-6199

Thank You, **Gaston Cox**

Gaston Cox has recently donated a nice cabinet style stereo to the Camp Wood Convalescent Center. The stereo has been placed in the dining area where the residents spend most of their time.

Thanks a lot Gaston! The residents really appreciate this donation, and have been enjoying country music ever since. They have also been tuning in on the war news.

Fired Dept. Called Out

The Nueces Canyon Volunteer Fire Department was called out at 7:30 p.m. Friday evening to a grass fire on a vacant lot on Sixth street in

There was no other damage, except some burnt grass, but the fire was put out quickly.

Emergency Care

The Nueces Canyon EMS will be having a Emergency Care Attendant Course which will be offered from March 11 to Mid-May. At this time you can train to be an Emergency Care Attendant. You can learn the Basic Life Support, First Aid and CPR. Classes will meet Monday and Thursday evenings; there will also be some Saturday mornings. The cost of the course is \$40 for your books and training materials which will be refunded for those joining the

There are two places left for someone wanting to take the course, and you can help out the EMS by joining one of the teams. They need your help at this time as a team member.

For more information you can contact Susie Jechow at 234-3247, or Malinda Bischoff at 597-4153.

Valentine Party

A Valentine party was given for the residents of the Convalescent Center in Camp Wood on Valentine day, February 14, 1991, in the dining room at the Center which was beautifully decorated in a Valentine

In a recent meeting of the Resident Council they voted for the Sweethearts of the year. Dr. Triplett and Sue Sweeten were picked as the honoraries. Tom Warren, who is President of the Resident Council, and Jerry Scoggins, who is Vice-

president of the group, presented each with a box of Valentine candy.

The honoraries who were elected King and Queen of Hearts were, King Girvus Cummins, and Queen was Lena Burleson.

Wayne Russell of Utopia entertained with a lot of good country

Refreshments of cookies, cake, coffee and punch along with other treats were served to a good crowd who came to help the residents to enjoy the happy occasion.

City Council

The Camp Wood City Council meeting in regular session February 10, set the city election for May 4 at City Hall.

Terms are expiring for councilmen Pat O'Bryant, Ben Carabajal and Josh Cox. Candidates for election as Aldermen may file until March 30 at City Hall.

Absentee voting will begin on April 15, with April 30 as the deadline. Betty Hurt was appointed as election judge.

The audit for 1989-90, prepared by Eckhert, Ingrum, Timbler, Oliphant and Heatherson of San Angelo was approved.

Upon recommendation by Mayor Tucker, the city's contract with Employment Services was cancelled, Tucker stated that the fees have gone up from \$12.60 to \$500, for which the city would receive very little benefit.

The council meeting was preceded by a public hearing called by the Nueces Canyon EMS officers for a discusson of their application for a variance from the Texas Department of Health to operate while not in compliance with the law. The dwindling number of EMT personnel made this request

Women of the Canyon

The next meeting of the Women of the Canyon will be March 7, at 2:00 p.m. in the home of Elizabeth Templer in Camp Wood.

All of the Women of the Canyon are invited to attend this meeting, so be sure and be there.

Church of **Christ News**

Saturday, February 16, was work day at the Church. They were getting ready to pour a sidewalk around the church building. This will be nice when they have it finished.

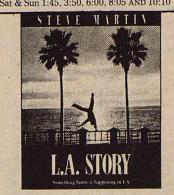
On Sunday night, February 17, a group of youth and some adults were in Rocksprings where they attended the Sunday Night Live. Everyone reported a good time was

Friday: 7:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday: 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10 p.m



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Camp Wood Calendar

Nueces Canyon Band Boosters: First Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m. Nueces Canyon Chamber of Commerce: Meets at noon every second Wednesday of each month at the Old Timer Restaurant in Camp Wood. Camp Wood Convalescent Center Boosters Club: Meets at 6:30 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month at the Old Timer Restaurant in Camp Wood. Camp Wood City Council: Meets second Monday of each month at City

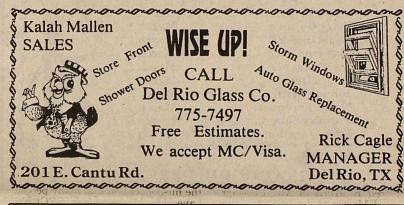
EMS Bingo: Held at 7:30 p.m. every Thursday night at the American Legion Hall in Camp Wood.

Nueces Canyon School Board: Meets third Tuesday each month at the High School Library in Barksdale.

Nueces Canyon Civic League: Meets the fourth Tuesday of the month at the Elementary School Cafeteria. Real & Edwards County Water Conservation & Reclamation District: Meets second Thursday each month, County House in Camp Wood.

Senior Citizens: Meet at noon the third Friday of each month at the Senior Citizens Center.

Women of the Canyon: Meets the first Thursday of each month.



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Nueces Canyon **School News**



Panthers

All-District Basketball

By KAREN COLLINS Brackett News Staff Writer

Kristi Collins and Joe Shipman were named to the All-District Basketball teams at the coaches meeting on Tuesday, February 19th, in Sabinal.

Both Kristi and Joe are seniors and were selected to the first team. Paul Nevarez, a junior student, and Ronnie Fielder, a senior, were named to the boys second team, and Mary Dalton, a junior, and Shelly Hurt, a sophomore student, received honorable mention on the girls team.

Congratulations to these students on this honor.

Academic Competition

Eight NCHS students participated in the academic competition at the 5th Annual Hill Country Literary Tournament hosted by Ingram Tom Moore High School on

Saturday, February 16th. Courtney Ewing won the gold medal (first place) in Poetry Interpretation and K.C. Allan won the gold in Persuasive Speaking. K.C. also participated in Lincoln-Douglas Debate but the final results were not available as this was being written.

Kristi Collins placed second in Accounting and Andrea Wallace placed third in Informative Speaking.

Donna Welfring also participated in Persuasive Speaking, and Jana Merritt, Jennifer Ross, and Ginger Ross competed in Spelling.

Sponsors accompanying the contestants to Ingram were Cynthia Allan, Judy Burleson, Karen Collins, Thelma Colwell, and Glyndell

Play Contest

The Zone One--Act Play Contest will be held at SWTJC's Tate Auditorium on Tuesday, March 19th, with schools from Rocksprings, Knippa, Sabinal, Comstock, and Nueces Canyon in competition.

vance to district competition which will be held on Saturday, March 23, also at Tate Auditorium. Schools in the other zone include

Two plays will be selected to ad-

Harper, Utopia, Medina, Center Point, Leakey, and D'Hanis.

The NC Drama Club, under the direction of Linda Fish, will be presenting "The Curios Savage."

Julie Moore

Senior Spotlight

Featured in the Senior Spotlight this week is Mary Julia (Julie) Moore, seventeen-year-old daughter of Paulen Moore.

Julie has been active in FHA since her freshman year, and this year is serving as Vice President of Recreation. She served as class reporter her junior year and is class secretary this year.

Julie was in the Panther Band her freshman and sophomore years, and was named Valentine Sweetheart her junior year. Yearbook awards she has received while in high school include Shyest Student her freshman year, the Vanity Award her sophomore year, and the Best

Alibi Award her junior year. Her hobbies include talking on the

phone, swimming, shopping, and watching movies. Her favorite color is aqua, and her favorite singers are Jimmy Hendrix and Pink Floyd. She likes chinese food and her favorite

movie is Less Than Zero. She is presently enrolled in English IV, Free Enterprise, Spanish II, Computer Programming, Sociology, and Home Economics.

her May graduation from NCHS but her career plans are not definite yet.

NC Track

The NC Track teams will be competing in the Junction Track Meet the first weekend of March. The Jr. High Division of the meet will be on Friday, March 1st, and the high School Division will be on

Saturday, March 2nd. NC Track coaches include Russell Gee, James Russell, and Tike

SWTJC Tennis Tournament

NCHS students are scheduled to compete in the SWTJC Tennis Tournament on Friday and Saturday, March 1st and 2nd, according to coach Elizabeth Stotts.

Kristi Collins and Mary Dalton will be playing in the girls singles bracket, and teams of Donna Welfring/Michelle Warton and Shelly Hurt/Sandy Raborn will be competing in the doubles bracket.

Jaime Nevarez and Jeremy Boatright are playing boys singles and the teams of Brian Borchardt/Jason Horner and Billy Joe Nevarez/Frank Karnes will enter the doubles competition.

Band Boosters

The regular meeting of the NC Band Boosters will be held on Monday, March 4th, at 7:00 p.m. at the

Band Hall in Camp Wood. A date will be set and final plans made for the Super Rummage Sale to be sponsored by Band Boosters in late March. All interested parents are encouraged to be at this

meeting. All people in the community who would like to donate items for the sale are encouraged to send them to the band hall or call Lynn McNew or Debbie Hurt for pick up.

Academic Meet

Seventeen NCHS students competed in the Del Rio High School 10th Annual Academic Meet on Saturday, February 23rd, and earned a total of 110 points for their school.

Kristi Collins placed first in News Writing, second in Editorial Writing, and sixth in Feature Writing. Andrea Wallace tied for first in Informative Speaking and placed third in Headline Writing. Courtney Ewing placed second in both Poetry Interpretation and Feature Writing, and Carie Fontenot placed third in Prose Interpretation.

Kandy Pruitt placed fifth in Literary Criticism, Paul San Miguel placed fifth in Keyboarding, and Bambi Renfro placed fifth in Editorial Writing. Balinda Sweeten

placed sixth in Current Events. Ready Writers Terri Tidwell, Trey Williams, and Jenny Finn placed seventh, eighth, and ninth, respectively, and Shelly Hurt placed

11th in Literary Criticism.

Others competing were Sonia Hidalgo in Current Events, Coleen Goedecke in Prose Interpretation, Donna Welfring in Persuasive Speaking, and Tammy Tidwell and Jana Merritt in Spelling.

Sponsors making the trip were Judy Burleson, Karen Collins, Glyndell Ewing, Eddie Lou Massey, and high school principal Warren Colwell

The District Academic Meet will be held on Friday, March 22, in

Pleasanton Meet

Eight NC elementary students competed in the Pleasanton Academic Contest on Saturday, February 23rd, and were sponsored by NC teachers Debbie Cox and

Sandra Fairchild on the trip. Kacy Fairchild placed second in Prose Interpretation and Jennifer Phillips placed second in sixth grade Number Sense. Vann Allan placed

fifth in eighth grade Number Sense. Others competing were Elizabeth Vernor, Jamie Floyd, Brandy Tolleson, Brandy Ward, and Shannon Duran.

Elementary/Jr. High Academic Contest will be in Sabinal on March 4th and March 7th. Ready Writing and Spelling will be held on Monday, beginning at 2:00 p.m., and all other academic contests will begin on Thursday at 1:00

Spring Break

NC students and teachers will be on spring break the week of March 11 through March 15. School will be dismissed on March 8th, and classes will resume at regular times

The seniors will make their class trip to Red River, New Mexico, during the break, and tennis players will be involved in a tournament the weekend of March 15th and 16th. The Track teams have the Utopia Track Meet scheduled on March

William **McCory**

Senior Spotlight Featured last week in the Senior Spotlight is William McCory, seventeen-year-old son of Richard and

Mai Horn of Camp Wood. Will transferred to NCHS this year after his father was employed as band director. He previously attended Taft High School in San Antonio, and played football for the Raiders his freshman year.

He played split end, tight end, and corner on the Panther Football Team this past season, and is now a member of the NCHS tennis team. He is also on the Panther Annual

Staff. He is currently enrolled in English pre-calculus, physiology, physical science, journalism, and athletics.

Will enjoys fishing, baseball, basketball, and movies. He lists blue as his favorite color, and his favorite movies are FIRST POWER and YOUNG GUNS. He likes to watch "Cheers," and reports that Steven Tyler and Hank Williams, Jr. are his favorite singers.

He plans to attend Southwest Texas Jr. College after graduating from NCHS in May and then continue his education at UTSA.

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Your Horoscope by Charles King Cooper

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Romance comes unexpectedly. Distant financial affairs prosper, and you'll have some good news about money. Consult with advisers. An impromptu business meeting has romantic overtones. Luck comes to you now, as well as new friendships.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Job opportunities arise now, and romantic surprises are in store for you. Be tactful in dealing with an overly-sensitive coworker. If you'll keep expenses down, you'll have a happy time in the company of friends and loved ones. Children bring you good news!

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) It's a favorable time for entertaining at home, but don't ignore the feelings of a loved one. You'll find new hobbies stimulating. You may have unexpected guests. Good news puts you in a happy frame of mind. Keep in touch with distant friends by phone or letter.

CANCER (June 22 to July 22) Financial luck tempts you to overspend, especially in the pursuit of pleasure. Local visits lead to unexpected romantic encounters. A buoyant mood attracts opportunity. Some shop for clothes or other items. Marriage partners and close relatives require consideration.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) After some gadding about, you'll want to catch up with unfinished tasks. A philanthropic mood makes you want to help others. Luck comes to you through friends, so be sure to accept invitations. You may find a lost possession or something of real value.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) You may be invited to an unusual party. Be willing to step out of your usual circle. A career opportunity comes through a friend. Others help you out behind the scenes. If you look for affordable values, this is a good time to plan for a trip.

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Louis Dimery

Josie Sanchez

Johnny Fritter

Melba Foreman

Dorothy Salmon

Ellen Hazelton

Clay Hunt

James Day

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Make plans with partners concerning joint interests, but avoid bickering with a friend about a matter of little consequence. Get assistance on a work project, if you need it. You could have small misunderstanding with a

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Avoid offensive speech, or you could hurt the feelings of a co-worker. You may be in a smart-alecky mood now, so be careful. Don't be moody when others are trying to talk to you. Home entertainments are favored. Steer clear of arguments about money.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Make plans to visit a relative, but be tactful on the home front. Be willing to shoulder your normal responsibilities this week. Be careful not to overlook important details at work. Curb a tendency to be too critical

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) You could have a disagreement with a child concerning spending money. It's a good time to replenish your wardrobe, but be practical. Someone's nagging could get to you. Try to set aside sufficient time for the completion of unfinished tasks.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Make sure you know what you're talking about, or you'll put your foot in your mouth. Private meetings with loved ones are favored. You'll get an assist from a friend in regard to a business matter, but try to avoid getting upset about trivial things.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Seek advice from experts before scheduling a talk with a higher-up. Be diplomatic and courteous when dealing with superiors. It's a good time to meet with financial advisers. Students should seek grants and financial assistance. Don't slack off on work effort. ©1991 by King Features Synd.





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Outside Applicants: Applications may be obtained at the Central Of-

Application Deadline: March 8, 1991, or until position is filled.

WANTED

Customers wanted -- Helpers needed. Call Mary Barton 563-9228. **AVON Products.**

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Corner lot furnished, priced right, with membership, Unit 14, Lot 28, FCS, 512-563-9263.

INVITATION TO BID

The City of Brackettville, Texas, will receive Bids from qualified contractors only for the following:

Furnish and install approximately 82' x 42' gunite concrete swimming pool at an existing location and hookup to existing equipment. Dirt moving, removal of existing concrete and new concrete decking is included in this project.

The Project will be awarded under a single lump sum contract which shall include the furnishing of all labor, materials and equipment required for this Project. Bids shall be accompanied with Bid Security. Bids without Check or Bid Bond will be returned. Insurance and a 100% Payment and Performance Bond are required.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work.

The Project Contract Documents will be available at the office of the Architect, Groves and Associates, 7550 IH10 West, Suite 200, San Antonio, Texas 78229, phone (512) 377-3261, and at:

1. The office of the City;

2. The various Dodge Plan Rooms for that area and other Plan Rooms to be announced.

Copies of the Contract Documents are available as follows: from the Architect on the following basis:

1. Upon receipt of a \$35.00 deposit check made payable to the Architect for each set of plans, limit

Receipt & Opening of Bids

DATE: Monday, March 11, 1991 TIME: 3:00 p.m. C.S.T.

The City will make the award announcement.

Contact either the Architect or Larry Moore, Mayor, for a complete Bid Package.

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Val Verde Memorial Local Residents Attend Hospital Plaza Del Sol Mall Sponsor Health Fair

Brackett News Contributing Writer

Plans are well underway for the annual Health Fair sponsored by Val Verde Memorial Hospital and Plaza Del Sol Mall.

This annual event will be held Saturday, March 9th, at Plaza Del Sol Mall from 11AM till 4PM in the

Letters have gone out to all local health care agencies, physicians, pharmacies, nursing homes and home health care agencies.

If for some reason, you are interested in participating in the health fair, but have not received a letter, please contact Dava Cloudt, Public Relatons Director for Val Ext. 250. If Mrs. Cloudt is not in her office, please leave a message with the hospital operator and she will be happy to return your call.

'Last year we had 35 participants in the Health Fair and hope that this year's event will be even bigger and better than last year. Many very beneficial services were provided to the community and a lot of very important and informative literature was handed out to those folks that visited the health fair," Mrs. Cloudt

Mark your calendars now and plan to attend the annual Health Fair, Saturday, March 9th, at Plaza

District 11 Convention

Brackett News Contributing Writer

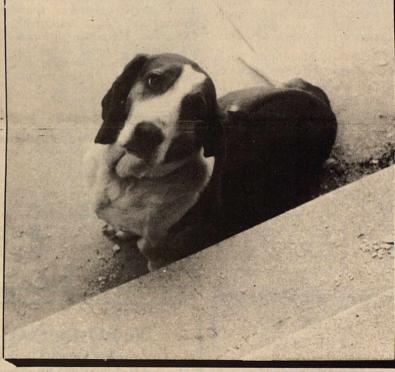
Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) Post #9195 and its Ladies Auxiliary hosted the District 11 Convention on Sunday, February 25, in Pearsall. District 11 Commander Don Albert. Del Rio, presided. Chaplain Bill Stewart, Del Rio, led in prayer for the troops of the Desert Storm conflict. Donald Harwood, Brownfield, Department of Texas Junior Vice-Commander, brought greetings. Pearsall Chief of Police Emilio Cavazos spoke on "Ethics Within the Law Enforcement Community." District 11 Voice of Democracy winner Jennifer Martin gave her speech on "Democracy - Vanguard of Freedom." Miss Martin is a student at Medina Valley High

Fort Clark Springs Auxiliary #8360 received a plaque and \$75.00 for meeting their membership quota by December 31. Post #8360 and Auxiliary #8360 were presented Safety Awards.

After a brisket and sausage barbecue lunch, closed meetings were held. Don Albert presided over the VFW meeting. District 11 President Trudi Alexander, Devine, presided over the Auxiliary meeting.

Attending from Brackettville Post #8921 were Commander Jose Cruz and Quartermaster Ceasor Daniels. From Fort Clark Springs Post # 8360 were Commander Tom Faulkenberry, Quartermaster Tino Cervantes, Walt Fithian, Clif Lewis, Pete Pacheo, Ben Terrazas, and Agapito Saenz. Fort Clark Springs #8360 Auxiliary was represented by President Dot Fithian, Wilma Lewis, and Jean Faulkenberry.

The next district meeting is scheduled for April 28 at Eagle



Are You Missing Me?

If this is your pet, please call the BRACKETT NEWS for information.

Most Unlikely Fashion Show

By MARGE LOVE

Brackett News Contributing Writer

"There was a young girl from St. Paul wore a newspaper dress to a Ball. The dress caught on fire, and burnt her entire front page, sport section and all."

Newspapers, plastic and trash items. Last Thursday evening there was surprise and laughter at our "Most Unlikely Fashion Show." The audience was made up of Elderhost and local folk enjoying the wonderful antics of the models who swore that they "spoke no English," and the wild display of an array of unusual dresses. All to the flavor of Russia.

The designers were all quite clever in gathering their ideas together and assembling lovely costumes from such things as newspaper, napkins, plastic, tape, pull tabs, to mention a few. The whole idea was a spoof on what might happen if the U.S.A. passed over "Junk/Trash" to Russia and what they might make out of it.

Their designer names were:

Stalag #13, Barracks #5,

Pravda Tass, First out was the world traveler who "found" these designers and models, and rushed in late she said, after arriving in her "757 Jet." She did a marvelous job of presenting the fashions. She, was our own Molly Schroeder who played the

part of "Petra Miklaszewski" Prior to her entrance, and picked from the audience, were winter Texans Lamont and Marie McCan-



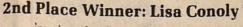
1st Place Winner: Pat Calnan

dless, who acted as "Mikale and Ras-kale Gorbachief", even with the red birth mark on his head. They did the drawings to choose judges for the most clever, and wily models. I failed to get the judges names other than Helen Smith, however, they did a wonderful and difficult task and chose model Pat Callnan 1st prize and Lisa Conoly, 2nd prize. Neither beauty nor costume were judged. Only, how well the models could work the judges as Russian girls might do.

They were clever.

Helen Peck designed a clever sport-golf-outfit of newspaper and napkins, and a luscious gown in pale mint green all in plastic, and her model was Diana Daniels who also was "Katja."

A threesome group - Dolores Wilson, Mary Batey, and Pat Callnan, acted as designers of "Stalag 13". Creators with Pat, 1st place winner, also as their model, 'Olga." A beautiful "Mod" design from Cinch Bags and tape etc, and



jewelry of pull tabs. Even to head piece. They ended the show with their bridal dress all decked out in hiking boots and the bouquet was a fruit mesh bag folded and pleated, and even tossed to recipient catcher Eva Clare Dooley. Will she be our next bride?

The other dresses were designed by Marjorie Love and worn by the lovely models:

Shelley McDaniel, "Natalie," who also did her mime rendition of "When the Fat Lady Sings." Karen Cole, as "Nadja"

Model: Wendy McDaniel Lisa Conoly, second place winner

and as "Anastasia" as her middle name is Ann. Wendy McDaniel as "Alexan-

superb. Young Dan Shi had been out jogging and as he passed the theater doors, LaShawn coaxed him inside

Designers and models all were at which time all the models converged on him, bringing him to the stage front, and he honored the

audience with a love song to our

lovely models. Icing on the cake!

A fun evening was had by all and they later gathered for refreshmen-

Thanks go to all the wonderful people who worked hard to bring

this "spoof" to our people. LaShawn requested we do a repeat performance again some time in September when the Elderhost

will be here. We'll need more designers. Are you game to try? Don't delay. Phone Marjorie Love at 563-9543. Your design and model could be a winner.

St. Andrews

Episcopal Church

Every church in the Episcopal Church's Diocese of West Texas shall pray at each service of worship till hostilities end for peace, for our armed services in the Persian Gulf, and for our enemies, and all Episcopalians of the Diocese are urged to do likewise in their daily prayers. This statement was one of the major thrusts of the opening address of the Rt. Rev. John H. Mac-Naughton, Bishop of West Texas, to the Council of the Diocese, held Feb. meeting in Uvalde of staff members 7-9 in San Antonio.

Attending the Diocesan Council from St. Andrew's were Mr. and Mrs. Eric McMaster and the Rev. and Mrs. Bill Koons.

February brought about among St. Andrew's parishioners many other activities, both local and diocese-wide. On Shrove Tuesday, Feb. 12, parisioners hosted a traditional pancake supper for all the community, a celebration before the next day, Ash Wednesday, the first

day of the penitential season of Lent. Individual members of the local church were involved in various Diocesan and local church projects during the month. Mr. and Mrs. McMaster, along with Betty Jo Dennis, presented at an all-day 'Mission Fair' sponsored by the workshop on Evangelism and column.

Brackett News Contributing Writer

The public is invited to view the

winning entries in the recent Sub-

stance Abuse Media Fair contests

next Monday, March 4th, between

6:30 and 7:30 P.M., in the High

School Library. Come and see imag-

inative and creative videotapes, pos-

ters, audiotapes, T-shirts, bumper

stickers, etc. made by pre-K through

12th graders at the Brackettville

The Substance Abuse Media Fair is

The viewing of outstanding anti-

abuse entries coincides with the Open

House celebration of the Brackett-

ville I.S.D. schools. "The public is

invited to come by the High School

Library immediately following the

Pancake Supper in the cafeteria next

Monday," reports Mrs. Susan Har-

rison, Jr. High and High School

Counselor who furnished the in-

formation for this article. Mrs.

Harrison is contact person for the

Drug-Free School Program sponsor-

ed by the Texas Education Agency.

sponsored by the Drug Advisory

Council of Brackettville, Texas.

School!

Abuse Media Fair

Renewal our local experience of being a very old congregation experiencing renewal. St. Andrew's, established in 1867, was the first Protestant church in Kinney County and is the oldest Episcopal church in the Western Convocation of the Diocese of West Texas.

Four church members, Mr. and Mrs. McMaster, Mrs. Dennis, and Mrs. Evola Lampkin attended during the month an overnight of the Diocese's April Cursillo. Four other Episcopalians will be attending from St. Andrew's as candidates this particular Cursillo, to be held April 11-14 at Camp Capers near Comfort, Tx.

St. Andrew's Bishop's Warden Frances McMaster, a retired psychotherapist, has been traveling about the Diocese giving Mini-Gatherings for Women of the Church, on "Appreciating Dreams from a Christian Perspective." On Feb. 2 she gave such a seminar at San Marcos and will be doing another March 9 in Kingsville. She gave a talk on this subject Feb. 20 to the women's luncheon gathering at Brackettville's First United Methodist Church. Mrs. McMaster. who is also a writer and a poet, is the artist who did the sketch of St. An-Diocese at Boerne, Tx, in a drew's Church that heads this

The Substance Abuse Media Fair is

an involving and creative education project that coincides with and

complements the Education for

Self-Responsibility program, a part

of the curricula of each grade, pre-K

through 12th, in our schools, reports

This news release is written and

furnished by J. Roland Cole, Sub-

stance Abuse Counselor, United

Medical Center No. 2, Brackettville,

Texas, who believes that all persons

who submitted entries in the Sub-

stance Abuse Media Fair contests are

winners. (For alcohol/substance

abuse counseling information or

referrals, please call 5632434.)

hand upon the banner of the Lord'.

Mrs. Harrison.



St. Andrews Episcopal Church: Henderson & Fort, Sunday Church Service

St. John Baptist Church: West Crockett St., Sudnay School 10:00 A.M.,

Sunday morning worship 11:00 A.M., Wed. prayer & Bible study 7:00 P.M.

Frontier Baptist Church (A Southern Baptist Church(: Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 A.M., Sunday Evening service 6:00 P.M. Joe Townsend,

First Baptist Church (A Southern Baptist Church): 307 N. Ann Street.

Sunday School 9:45 A.M., Worship service (Sun) 11:00 A.M. and 7:00

P.M., Worship Service (Wed) 7:00 P.M. Rev. Preston A. Taylor 563-2245.

Church of Christ: Sunday School 9:30 A.M., Worship Service 10:30 A.M.,

Community Church: Corner of El Paso and Gove Streets. Sunday, Praise

and Worship Service 10:45 A.M., Wednesday, Prayer Service 7:00 P.M.,

St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church: Masses Mon. & Fri. 7:00 A.M., Wed.

and Sat. 6:30 P.M., Sun. (Spanish) 8:00 A.M. reg. 10:30 A.M. Confessions

Wed. and Sat. 6:00 P.M. Religion Classes Wed. 6:00 P.M. Religion Classes

Sun. 9:00 A.M. Prayer Meeting (Spanish) Wed. 7:00 P.M. Father David G.

First United Methodist Church: "Celebrate and Witness" Morning

Fellowship 9:30 A.M., Church School Classes 9:45 A.M., Service of

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Bible Study (Sun) 6:30 P.M., Bible Study (Wed) 7:00 P.M.

Worship 11:00 A.M., Choir Rehearsal Wed. 5:00 P.M.

- Exodus 17: 15

Mail has stacked up in Saudi Arabia by the tons. The military doesn't have enough personnel to sort out and deliver letters to the soldiers all over the Persian Gulf area. Sometimes letters from the family don't reach the son or daughter in a month or even six

One communication line is never overloaded. Do we realize that God is able to handle all the "correspondence" we send His way?

We can go into the "Briefing Room" and get a personal word from God and even share our wants and needs with Him at any time.

The Bible tells us that we may go boldly into the Lord's presence. He has the door open so we may talk with Him at any time.

A select number of priests continually made intercession for the

Church

Pastor 563-2158.

Charles Belknap, Pastor.

Zumaya, Pastor.

Directory

10:30 A.M. Vicar; Rev. Bill Koons - 563-2071.

Rev. Walter A. Johnson, Pastor 563-9551.

people of God in Old Testament times. Not so today. Jesus Christ has opened the way for all. Now we all are priests and kings as members of God's family and we don't have any obstructions in our way.

We have a Great High Priest, Jesus Christ the Lord. He keeps our mail - - our calls - - moving directly to their destiny without delays. You and I can go to God for oursleves.

Your message may be long or short. It may be about a loved one in the Persian Gulf. You may have family problems. Yours could be a sin habit that needs blasted. The Bible gives us the answer to our difficulty. Take your burden to the Lord and He will sustain you.

POSTSCRIPT: Live so that when people uncover your footprints in the sands of time they will find more than a heel.

Town & Country USED CARS AND TRUCKS SPECIAL OF THE WEEK*

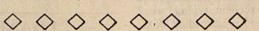


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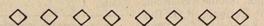
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WATS line has been established for the use of family members here in the states who need help and assistance. That WATS line number is 1-800-USA-VFW-1. It is available from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Central Standard Time.

The purpose of the VFW hotline is to refer callers to service providers in the caller's hometown to expedite resolution of problems.

New Owners Of Local Business

God's Banner Leads the Way

Banners, flags, pennants, crests, coats of arms all came into being as a means of identifying a

battles and trials before they reached the Promised Land and would need a rallying symbol to

guide them. The gesture of "a hand upon the banner" emphasized the fealty Moses and his people gave to the Lord. God's banner embraces many more people than it did at the time of

the Exodus, yet there is always room for those who would share its shelter and pledge them-

leader or a group which clansmen or warriors could follow. Moses knew that the people he had led out of bondage were God's chosen, but he was also aware that they would have ma

"And Moses built an altar and called the name of it, THE LORD is my banner, saying, 'A

The family of the late Eloy Garcia recently purchased Rob's Mini Shop Grocery & Car Wash.

The family business will operate under the name of Sonny's Grocery & Market.

THANK YOU

To all our customers, your business in the past was business with the new owners. Robert Munoz

Rob's Mini Shop Grocery

Stop by and check their weekly meat specials and Bar-B-Que.

greatly appreciated. We hope you continue doing

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Thank You

We would like to thank everyone especially the churches who have held prayer services, everyone who sent cards and flowers during my hospital stay. I'm on the road to recovery and hope to get a clean bill of health soon

> Bob & Georgie Thompsen

Villa's Grocery Store & Cafe HWY. 90 West Box 897 Brackettville, Texas 78832 563-2871

Special For The Week Of February 24 - March 3, 1991

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	Fri	Fish
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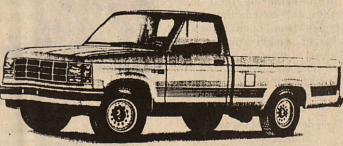
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