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

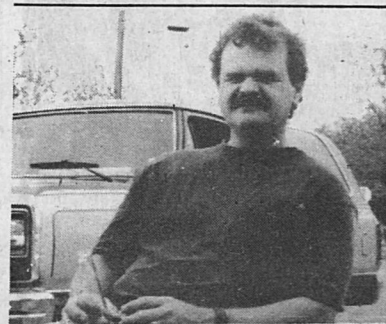
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Caving Group Organizing National Convention In S'West Tex



Mike Anderson, Public Relations Director for the National Speleological Society, Inc.'s 1994 Convention, has provided *The Brackett News* with this copy of a press release that has gone out to the media all over the United States. We are pleased to share the release with our readers.

Cave explorers and scientists from across the United States, Mexico, and other foreign countries are coming to a restored Army Cavalry fort June 20-24 for the annual National Speleological Society convention. The 142-year-old Fort Clark Springs and adjacent Brackettville are the focuses of science symposiums and convention sessions, with caving at Kickapoo Cavern State Park and other caves on state parkland and private property. The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department is co-sponsoring the convention. Featured caves include Devil's Sinkhole, the states fourth deepest; Amazing Maze, the third longest; and Green and Bracken Bat Caves, where cavers will watch world-class bat flights. International photographic and climbing competitions are planned.

Honey Creek Cave near San Antonio and Powell's Cave System in Menard County -- both vying for the top spot on the state's long cave list -- are available before and after convention. The Texas Cave Management Association plans a pre-convention trip to Amazing Maze Cave, the third longest, and a post-convention visit to 0-9 Water Well, on the deepest list.

The Huntsville, Alabama-based Society, which is the nation's largest caving organization, chose Southwest Texas for its 1994 convention because many of the state's biggest caves are located within a 150-mile radius and Mexico caves are just to the south. The "Gateway to West Texas," Brackettville and Fort Clark are 120 miles west of San Antonio, 366 miles east of El Paso, and 25 miles northeast of Del Rio, Texas, and Ciudad Acuna, Mexico, on U.S. Highway 90.

The fort's tree-shaded Las Moras Springs feeds an Olympic-size swimming pool and a creek running through the 2,700-acre facility. It was established in 1852 to deny water to the Comanches. A geology field trip along with archaeology-biology and scenic tours are parts of a pre-convention "Waltz Across Texas." A traditional "Howdy Party" June 20 features an historic re-enactment at Alamo Village, a movie set north of the fort.

Over 11,000 Society members in more than 150 grottos or internal organizations are exploring and surveying caves and trying to conserve their nonrenewable resources. The Society, founded in 1941, also promotes safe exploration through training programs. The NSS motto states, "Take nothing but pictures, leave nothing but footprints, kill nothing but time."

Rio Grande Electric Cooperative To Hold 49th Annual Meeting In Marfa

An arcing demonstration, bucket truck rides, and an equipment display will highlight the 49th annual meeting of Rio Grande Electric Cooperative, Inc. (RGEI) at its 49th Annual Meeting on April 16, 1994, at the AmVets Building located at 303 S. Highland Street in Marfa, Texas.

Registration will begin at 9 a.m. with the business meeting called to order by President Margaret Johnson of Del Rio at 10 a.m.

A barbecue lunch will be served at 11:30 a.m. for members and their guests.

All Rio Grande Electric Cooperative members are urged to attend the meeting.

Veteran Screening Exams In Del Rio

A health team from the Kerrville VA Medical Center will be at Dr. Manual A. Martinez Jr.'s Clinic at 1120 South Main Street in Del Rio on Thursday, April 14, 1:00 to 5:00 p.m., and Friday, April 15, 9:00 a.m. to noon.

Any veteran who feels they have a medical or surgical problem, or needs information about a substance abuse program may see this health team. Following examination, if hospitalization is indicated, and you are an eligible veteran, an appointment for admission to the Kerrville VA Medical Center will be made.

This clinic is for screening only, no treatment or procedures will be given.

Veterans should bring discharge papers or DD Form 214 to validate your veteran status. This free clinic is for veterans only and is sponsored by the Kerrville VA Medical Center.

Questions? Call Juan J. Mireles, Veterans Service Officer, 207 1/2 Losoya St., Del Rio, (210) 774-7548 or (210) 774-7549.



Gutierrez & Space Crew

Thursday, April 7, 1994, the golden symbol of the astronaut corps emblem was scheduled to sweep over Earth's surface from the Orbiter Endeavour.

It represents the operation of the SIR-C/X-SAR (synthetic aperture radar) and the MAPS (measurement of air pollution from space) sensors. The astronaut emblem also signals the importance of the human element in space exploration and in the study of our planet. The Earth dominates the STS-59 crew insignia, reflecting the focus of the first Space Radar Laboratory (SRL-1) mission on our planet's surface and atmosphere.

Using the unique vantage point of space, Endeavour and its crew -- along with scientists from around the world -- will study the Earth and its atmosphere to better understand the environment.

Commanding Space Shuttle Mission STS-59 (pictured top row right) is **Commander Sidney M. Gutierrez** (Col. USAF) who was born in Albuquerque, New Mexico, but has close ties to our area. He met his wife, the daughter of Lee and Lydia Cremer of Fort Clark Springs, while he was stationed at Laughlin Air Force Base, Del Rio.

Col. Gutierrez received a bachelor of science degree in aeronautical engineering from the U.S. Air Force Academy in 1973 and a master's degree in management from Webster College in 1977. He served as a T-38 instructor pilot and flew the F-15 Eagle with the 49th Tactical Fighter Wing. After graduating from the U.S. Air Force Test Pilot School, Gutierrez served as primary test pilot for airframe and propulsion testing on the F-16 Falcon. He has over 500 parachute jumps and more than 4,000 flying hours in approximately 30 different types of airplanes, sailplanes, balloons, and rockets.

Gutierrez was named an astronaut in 1984 and flew as pilot on STS-40 in 1991. Tentatively, he plans to retire from the Air Force in July and

relocate his family to his native Albuquerque.

Flying as pilot (pictured top row left) is **USAF Colonel Kevin P. Chilton**. Col. Chilton is a native of Los Angeles, California. He holds a bachelor of science degree in engineering sciences from the U.S. Air Force Academy and a master of science degree in mechanical engineering from Columbia University.

He became an astronaut in 1988 and flew as the pilot of Mission STS-49.

Other Endeavour crew members include, from left, **Mission Specialist Linda M. Godwin** (Ph.D.), **Mission Specialist Thomas D. Jones** (Ph.D.), **Mission Specialist Jay Apt** (Ph.D.), and **Mission Specialist Michael Richard Clifford** (LTC, USA).

Godwin was born in Cape Girardeau, Missouri, but considers Jackson, Missouri, home. She earned a bachelor of science degree from Southeast Missouri State University in physics and mathematics and an MA and Ph.D. in physics from the University of Missouri. She previously flew in space as a mission specialist on STS-37.

Jones was born in Baltimore, Maryland. He holds a bachelor of science degree in basic sciences from the U.S. Air Force Academy and a Ph.D. in planetary sciences from the University of Arizona. As an Air Force officer, he served as a B-52 strategic bomber pilot and aircraft commander, accumulating over 2,000 hours of flight experience. He was selected as an astronaut by NASA in 1990. STS-59 is his first Shuttle flight. He is scheduled to fly again as payload commander on STS-68, the second SRL mission.

Apt was born in Springfield, Massachusetts, but considers Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, to be his hometown. He received a bachelor of arts degree, magna cum laude, in physics from Harvard College, and a doctorate in physics from the Massachusetts Institute of

Technology. While at NASA's jet Propulsion Laboratory, Apt studied Venus, Mars, and the outer solar system and was Science Manager of the Table Mountain Observatory. From 1982 until his selection as an astronaut in 1985, he was a flight controller responsible for Shuttle payload operations at NASA's Johnson Space Center. Apt served as a mission specialist on the STS-37 mission during which he performed two space walks. He was responsible for operating endeavour 12 hours per day during the STS-47 mission. He has logged 334 hours on these two missions, including 10 hours and 49 minutes on two space walks.

Clifford was born in San Bernardino, California, but considers Ogden, Utah, to be his hometown. He earned a bachelor of science degree from the United States Military Academy and a master of science degree in aerospace

engineering from the Georgia Institute of Technology. Upon graduation from West Point, Clifford served with the 10th Cavalry. He then completed pilot training as the top graduate of his class. Clifford became an experimental test pilot following graduation from the U.S. Naval Test Pilot School in 1986. He became an astronaut in 1990. He flew as a mission specialist on STS-53 aboard Discovery in December 1992.

At press time it was unknown to us if the flight took off as scheduled. Blast-off is the culmination of much planning, preparation, dreams. Landing is the miracle completing any space flight. Pray for them and their families, and rejoice that we have these brave men and woman to uphold as our heroes.

Want Your Water Well Measured And Analyzed For Free

March 31, 1994, on page 1, *The Brackett News* carried a news release concerning L.B.G. Guyton and Associates, under contract from the Edwards Underground Water District, conducting a study of the western edge of the Edwards aquifer.

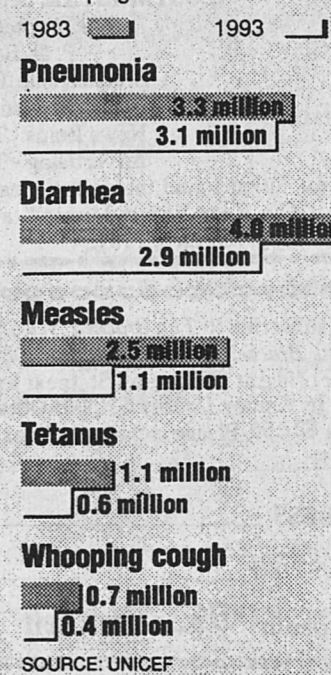
Kinney County is included in the study. Again, Guyton and Associates has asked the paper to emphasize that they are looking for wells to measure with the owners permission, of course.

A spokesman for Guyton Associates has affirmed that for each well measured the owner will receive a copy of the data report which will include a quality of water analysis.

Any well owner who will permit them to measure a well(s) may contact the company toll free at 800/292-1047 and speak to anyone in the field operation division.

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(A los votantes registrados del Brackettville, Texas.)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on May 7, 1994, for voting in a school trustee election, to elect three trustees

(Notifíquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales situadas abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 7th de Mayo de 1994 para votar en la Elección para escuela Directiva.)

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES
(DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

Brackett Independent School District - Central Office

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at
(La votación en adelantada en persona se llevará a cabo de lunes a viernes en)

Brackett Independent School District - High School Office
(location) (sitio)

between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. beginning on April 18, 1994 (date)
(entre las 7:30 de la mañana y las 4:00 de la tarde empezando el 18 de Abril de 1994 (fecha)

and ending on May 3, 1994 (date)
(y terminando el 3rd de Mayo de 1994 (fecha)

Additional early voting will be held at the same location as follows:
(La votación en adelantada además se llevará a cabo en el mismo sitio de tal manera:)

Date (Fecha)	Hours (Horas)

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán enviarse a:)

Mrs. Beth Ann Smith
(Name of Early Voting Clerk)
(Nombre del Secretario de la Votación En Adelantada)

P.O. Box 586
(Address) (Dirección)

Brackettville, Texas 78832
(City) (Ciudad) (Zip Code) (Zona Postal)

Recommended but not required

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el)


April 29, 1994
(date) (fecha)
(29 de Abril de 1994)

Issued this the 24th day of March, 1994
(Emitada este día 24th de Marzo, 1994)

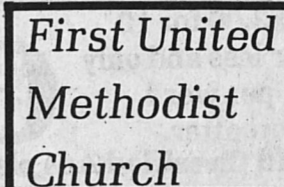
Signature of Presiding Officer (Firma del Oficial que Preside)



First Baptist Church
Rev. Gil Ash, Pastor
"The Pastor's Pen"



Frontier Baptist Church
Rev. Joe Townsend, Pastor



First United Methodist Church
Rev. Gordon Miller, Pastor

I am told that you missed it! "Missed what?" you ask. "It was one of the most meaningful Easter services we had ever attended," they told me and others.

For the last several weeks the theme of the services have been wrapped around the last words of Jesus as He was hanging nailed to the cross. There had been Scripture readings, songs, special music, responsive readings, and messages from God's Holy Word. The culmination of the season came on "Resurrection Sunday Morning".

We retraced the journey. It was an entire service of remembrance. It brought to our memory the preceding services and more importantly Jesus, His great sacrifice and greater gift of *eternal life*. The Lord's Last Supper was commemorated early in the service and we retraced His last hours through the cross, death, and finally His resurrection.

"Was It A Morning Like This?", a beautiful message in song was given by Debbie Salladay, daughter-in-law of Mrs. Carol Salladay and wife of former resident Tim Salladay.

Through God's Word we were reminded of the first day after the Sabbath and the "New Beginning" that lay ahead for all of those who had been with Jesus. All were made aware of the "New Beginning" that was waiting for them just for believing that Jesus is the Son of God and that He is risen from the dead.

If you missed hearing the story of Jesus on Sunday I am sorry. Just don't miss the glorious "New Beginning" that is waiting for you because of what was done for you and me by Jesus, the Lord, and the Savior of the world!

Rev. Israel Rodriguez To Fill Pulpit April 10

Rev. Israel Rodriguez, newly appointed pastor of the Spanish Missions of Brackettville, Comstock, Quemado will fill the pulpit of First Baptist Church during the regular 11:00 a.m. service on Sunday, April 10, 1994. The public is invited.

Rev. Rodriguez lives, with his family, in Del Rio. His office is located at the First Baptist Church, Del Rio. Through the Del Rio-Uvalde Baptist Association, he serves as pastor of Spanish speaking missions in Brackettville, Comstock, and Quemado.


Come hear this man of God and receive the blessings offered through his message of the saving grace of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Sunday Evening, April 10, 7 p.m.

Youth from the Northside Baptist Church, Del Rio, will present a **SPECIAL BIBLE DRILL EXHIBITION**
Young people, especially, are invited to attend this service.

**Hispanic Worship Services
Each Friday Night At 6 p.m.**

Spanish Service By Rev. Israel Rodriguez
First Baptist Church, Ann & Veltman Streets
Everyone Welcome!



St. John's Baptist Church
Rev. W. P. Adams, Sr., Pastor

**After Christ's Resurrection
Jesus' Great Commission**

And Jesus came and spoke unto them, saying: "All power (authority) is given unto me in heaven and in earth,

"Go ye, therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost (Spirit);

"Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you, and lo, I am with you always even unto the end of the world." Amen.
St. Matthew 28:18-20

Praise God! Praise God! Praise God!

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Sunday, April 10 Easter Observance
Alpha Chapter No. 243 R.A.M.
Thursday, April 14 Election of Officers
6:30 Dinner 7:30 Stated Meeting

The great theme of Easter is "Goodbye Death." When God decreed that the wages of sin is death, this judgement was passed on to all mankind.

The death of the physical body is inherent in life because the body was never designed nor intended to last forever.

Unthinking pseudo intellectuals would offer a never ending flood of ideas to extend life. A gullible audience will tie on to each and every wild idea especially if it is written in a book.

This gives entry to TV talks shows and an expanded audience. The final word however remains.

There is physical death at the end of the road. Who would want to live forever in this physical body? Who would want to grow older, feebler, more senile, more useless, forever and ever?

Because physical death is in the offing, preparation for that event is of utmost importance. Being a child of God because of faith in Jesus Christ means, when this physical body ceases to live, the real person will go immediately to the presence of God for all eternity.

Jesus came forth from the grave to prove that death is not the end. In the world beyond, the new spiritual body will not be subject to all the problems of the physical body.

There will be no deterioration. No aging, no problems. When Jesus Christ came from the grave He sent the message around the world and down through the ages... "Goodbye death!"

Another message from the Word of God awaits all who are present at Frontier Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Come and see!



Church of Christ

**Special Alleluia Concert
April 17, 2 p.m. Church of Christ
Public Is Invited**



Alleluia, an A Cappella Christian Choral Group, will present a special concert at the Brackettville Church of Christ, 808 N. Ann Street, at 2:00 p.m. Sunday, April 17. The public is invited to attend.

"Alleluia" is composed of sopranos Vicky Brand and Marty Schmidt, altos Jana Paterson and Rachel Price, tenor Larry Theis, and Lee Price and Wayne Kelly basses. They are members of various San Antonio Churches of Christ and perform a service of praise to God and encouragement to Christians of all faiths. Alleluia has performed at churches and various functions throughout the greater San Antonio area, as well as in Brackettville, Uvalde, and Austin.

The choral group receives no payment for their services other than the satisfaction that comes from praising God and uplifting their listeners. Alleluia is recognized by the Internal Revenue Service as a tax-exempt, non-profit organization.

You won't see Willie Anderson
You won't see Terry Cummings
You won't see Dennis Rodman
You won't see David Robinson
BUT you will see

**Brackett Rotary vs Brackett Faculty
In Annual Competition
Brackett High School Gym
Thursday, April 7, 1994**

Women's Game 6:30 p.m. Men's Game 8 p.m.
Adults \$2.00 \$1.00 Students
Proceeds To Benefit Scholarship Fund



Obituary



Christine Henrietta Shields

Funeral services were held at Jerusalem Temple Church in Brackettville on Saturday, April 2, 1994, for Christine Henrietta Shields, age 88. Elder Kurtis Jennings officiated and burial followed at the Seminole Scout Cemetery.

She was a descendant of the esteemed Seminole Indian Scouts.

Ms. Shields was born to the late Mr. and Mrs. Wade Shields on Fort Clark on December 22, 1905. She attended Brackett Public School and then moved to Tyler.

At an early age she united with St. Mary's Church in Tyler, Texas, and remained a faithful, loving member until her move back to Brackettville in September of 1991. She then immediately became a part of the congregation at Jerusalem Temple Church.

She was united in marriage to Harry Ward Miller on March 31, 1923.

On Sunday morning, March 27, 1994, her beautiful life ended. She leaves to mourn two nieces, Georgia Mae Shields and Audrey Ward and

husband Clarence of Brackettville; one nephew, Johnny James Shields S.A.S.S. of San Antonio; one great-nephew and his wife, Randolph and Gloria Hawkins of Odessa, Texas; one great-niece, Tiara N. Ward of Brackettville; sister-in-law Mrs. Annie Shields of Brackettville; brother-in-law Leo Hawkins, Los Angeles, California; and a host of friends.

Chosen as pallbearers were Raymond Goodloe, Louis Gordon, Sr., Delbert McDonald, Robert Franklin, Sterling Goodloe, Ruben Talamantez, Joe Williams, and Roger Brown. Honorary pallbearers named were Othel Davis, Sandy Wilson, Fred Fay, and Joe Jaso.

Humphreys Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.



Church Directory

St. Andrews Episcopal Church: Henderson & Fort, Sunday Church Service 10:30 A.M. Vicar: Rev. Bill Koons, 563-2071.

Frontier Baptist Church (A Southern Baptist Church): Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 A.M., Sunday Evening Service 6:00 P.M., Joe Townsend, Pastor, 563-2158.

First Baptist Church (A Southern Baptist Church): 307 N. Ann Street, Sunday School 9:45 A.M., Sunday Worship 11:00 A.M. and 7:00 P.M., Wednesday Worship 7:00 P.M. Gil Ash, Pastor, 563-2245.

Church of Christ: N. Ann St., Sunday School 9:30 A.M., Worship Service 10:30 A.M., Bible Study Sunday 6:30 P.M., Wednesday 7:00 P.M.

St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church: Masses Monday and Friday 7:00 A.M., Wednesday and Saturday 6:30 P.M., Sunday (Spanish) 8:00 A.M., Regular 10:30 A.M. Confession Wednesday and Saturday 6:00 P.M. Religion Classes Wednesday 6:00 P.M. Sunday 9:00 A.M. Prayer Meeting (Spanish) Wednesday 7:00 P.M. Fr. David G. Zumaya, Pastor.

First United Methodist Church: "Celebrate and Witness" Morning Fellowship 9:30 A.M., Church School Classes 9:45 A.M., Service of Worship 11:00 A.M., Choir Rehearsal Wednesday 5:00 P.M., Gordon Miller, Pastor.

St. John's Baptist Church: Crockett Street at Keene Street. Sunday services, Sunday School 10:00 A.M., Worship 11:00 A.M.; Wednesday, Bible Study, 7:00 P.M. William P. Adams, Sr. Pastor, 563-9175.

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