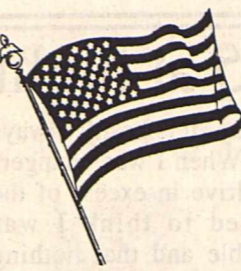


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Commissioners continue with detention center plans

By Amy Davis
Staff Writer

At Monday's meeting, Commissioners heard an update from Delgado Durrant, Inc. about plans to build a detention center in Kinney County.

The facility, which can house a maximum of 144 inmates will cost a little over \$5.5 million.

Durrant Justice, a division of Delgado Durrant is working on the planning, programming, architectural, engineering and construction management services for the Kinney County Detention Facility.

Construction costs for the Kinney County Detention Center are estimated by Durrant at \$4,797,500. Professional fees, which include the site survey, soil and environmental surveys and things of this nature are estimated at \$481,250. Contingency costs could be up to \$263,937 and include things like fire extinguishers, armory equipment, inmate uniforms and medical equipment.

After Commissioners review the new information presented at the meeting, they will decide if they want to take the next step and have the plans sent to the Texas Attorney General for approval.

If approved, Durrant will begin a search for investors. A non-profit organization formed by the investors would finance the project. Kinney County would then enter into a 30 year lease purchase agreement for the facility.

Finding investors for the project is not guaranteed.

"This is not going to be an automatic sale," said Jim Anderson of Municipal Capital Markets Group, Inc., a division of Durrant. "It can take 90 days to sell a project like this."

According to Anderson, this transaction is a lease that can be cancelled annually, so it is not considered debt. Because the county will not be incurring any debt, Anderson says that residents of the county will not experience a tax increase as a result of this project.

Durrant representatives stressed that the county's money would not be at risk.

"The investors are the ones taking the real risk," said Norm Wirkler of Durrant.

Presently, the county is considering opening the facility using only 96 of the 144 beds, in efforts of building revenue before fully staffing the detention center. If the county chooses to do this, Durrant projects that the county will break even if 88 beds are occupied at all times.

According to preliminary projections by Durrant, the costs to the county would be between \$12 and \$15 per day, per inmate. The county would be paid an estimated \$44 to \$45 per day for every inmate housed in the facility.

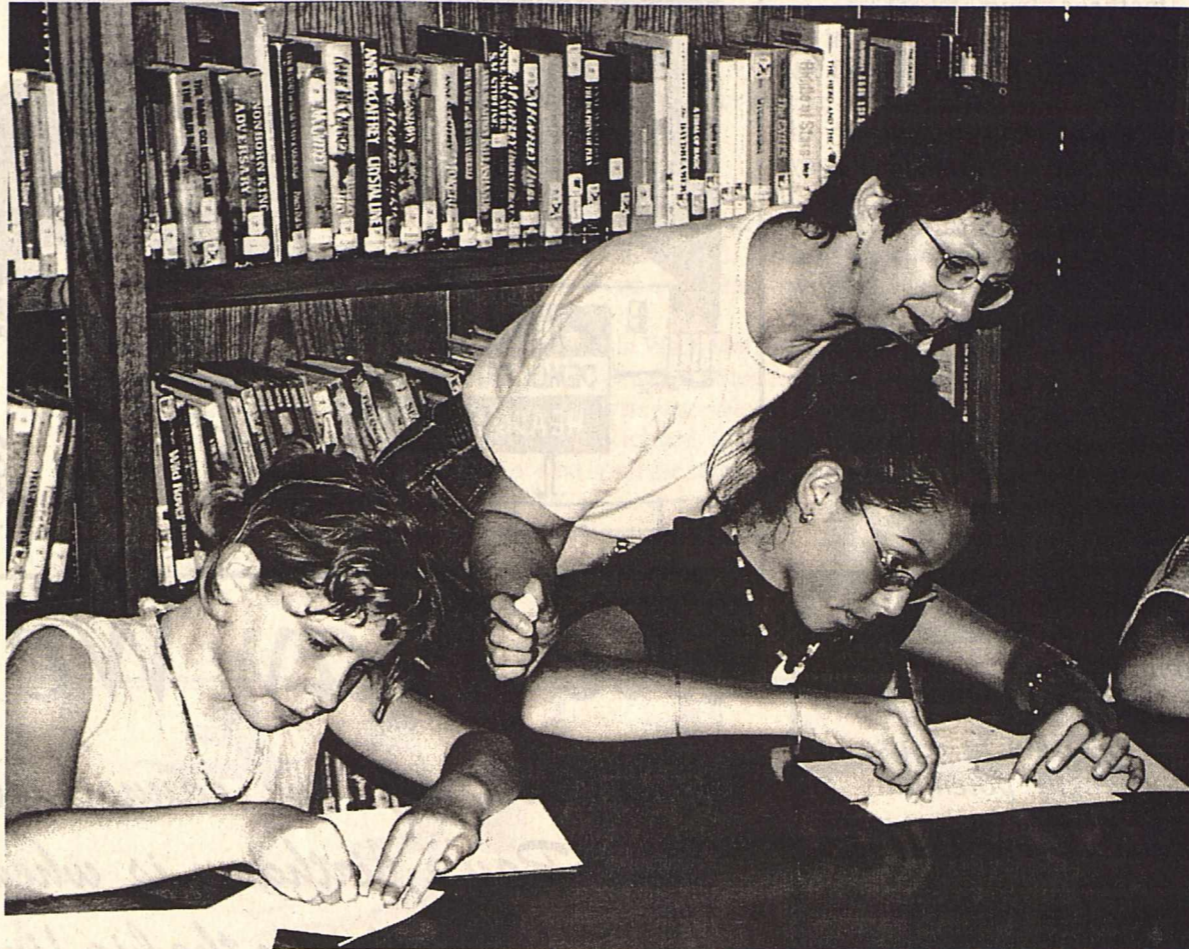
At the end of the 30 year term, the county will own the facility, but will have the option to purchase the facility at the end of every year. The obligation to this agreement is year-to-year. The county will pay approximately \$440,000 annually to lease the facility. Kinney County will begin to pay for the facility in monthly payments after it is up and running.

Kinney County Sheriff, Buddy Burgess, has his reservations about the project, but believes the potential for revenue is very real.

"It's a gamble. Everything is a gamble. A lot of us won't even be here in 30 years to burn the note," Burgess said. "I think it will work. Business may get even better, based on population and the economy going up. We'll always have an opportunity to have prisoners."

Originally, Commissioners voted to have the detention facility located west of the existing jail. After recognizing some critical problems such as congestion in the area, disruption of water lines, and the necessity to purchase more land, Durrant concluded that the area east of Brackettville between Spring Street and Highway 90 would be a more ideal location.

Once construction begins, the facility will take approximately one year to complete.



Art instructor, Jean Hood, looks on as, Miranda Salmon, left, and Nadia Santellano practice their drawing skills. The students are participating in the summer program at the library.

Summer is fun at the library

Classes provide summer activities for local youth

By Amy Davis
Staff Writer

Sara Terrazas, Kinney County Library Director, started the seventh year of summer classes for the children of Brackettville on June 4. In the spirit of the library's motto, "Libraries change lives," Sara is offering an alternative for children who otherwise may have little to do.

Some of the classes offered are story hour, fun with phonics, Spanish for kids, dance and art lessons, just to name a few. On Thursdays, teens are also offered a theatre class.

One student, Nadia Santellano says she goes to the library just about every day.

"I like coming here because you learn stuff. My favorite class is art, because I like to draw," she said.

The main goal of the summer library classes is to provide a place for kids to go while they

are out of school. Sara says that as a mother, she knows the importance of having activities planned for children. She also knows that it gives peace of mind to parents who have to work, and would normally leave their children home alone or with a sitter.

"I do it because I feel there are so many kids who are home alone. This is something for kids to do under the supervision of an adult. I want to let the kids know that they have a place to go instead of roaming the streets," Sara says.

The summer classes not only give young children something to look forward to, but it also gives teenagers something to do.

Teenagers may attend classes themselves, or they may teach a class to younger children. There are already nine high school students volunteering their time and efforts to make this program successful.

"The teenagers are learning to teach a class and to do lesson plans," Sara says. "This builds the teenager's self-esteem and gets them off the streets. These teenagers are so talented. If you just give them half of a chance, you realize this."

Leonard Sandoval is one of the student volunteers. He teaches all age groups in art, dance and kickboxing. He says he enjoys volunteering because he likes to be around kids. His goal is to provide help to the community.

"If we keep these kids out of trouble, it is better for our town and our community," Leonard says.

Leonard goes above and beyond the call of duty by volunteering over five hours a day,

almost everyday.

Sara says that volunteers are still needed and if a person can just commit to one hour per week, it would be a great help.

The summer program is not funded by the county and depends solely on the help of volunteers.

With an average of 50 kids per day, and a record of 102 kids one day this week, it is no doubt that volunteers are needed.

"I am very grateful to our volunteers. I am grateful to them for giving up their time. There are not enough words to thank them," Sara said.

Community businesses and organizations have been helping out by donating snacks, ice and drinks, as well as their time.

After seeing the impact the summer program is having on the youth of Brackettville, Taylor Stephenson, BISS Superintendent has offered extra funding to the library, on behalf of Brackett ISD, that will eventually allow the library to stay open until 8 p.m. during the summer program.

"I want to commend Sara on a tremendous program at the library," Stephenson said.

Anyone from ages 2 to 18 are welcome to join in the fun at the library Monday through Friday from 10:30 a.m. to 6 p.m., until July 13. The classes have an open enrollment so children may join at anytime. They are free, and mid-morning and mid-afternoon snacks are provided. Students may board a bus at 11:45 to have lunch at the Brackett ISD cafeteria, if desired. Parents are then responsible for bringing their children back to the library for afternoon classes.

Border Patrol agents recover bodies of Mexican Nationals

Del Rio - U.S. Border Patrol Agents from the Carrizo Springs Station recovered the bodies of two Mexican Nationals who died Wednesday, June 6, attempting to illegally enter the United States.

Shortly after 5:40 p.m. Wednesday, agents received a call of a possible deceased individual on Farm to Market Road 2688 in Dimmit County. Agents responded and located a Mexican National, who led them to his deceased brother.

The survivor indicated his brother had become ill after illegally crossing the Rio Grande River into the United States north of Laredo, Texas, with a group of six other Mexican Nationals around noon Monday, June 4.

The eight walked through the brush until the deceased became ill with stomach cramps on Wednesday morning. The rest of the group continued on their trek, leaving the two brothers behind. The survivor left his brother to get help. He flagged down a rancher who called the Border Patrol.

Dimmit County Sheriffs Deputies were called in and took over the investigation. Justice of the Peace declared the man dead at 7:55 p.m.

Around midnight, last

Wednesday, agents encountered a Mexican National walking on Highway 277 in southern Maverick County. He told the agents he had left two sisters in the brush who needed assistance. The agents, guided by the Mexican National, located the two women. One of the sisters had died.

The survivors indicated they had crossed the Rio Grande River into the United States with a group of 12 and were on their way to La Pryor, Texas. The deceased fell behind the group and started to show signs of becoming ill. The woman's sister and the other survivor stayed behind to assist her. They rested for a while until it became dark, when the man decided to walk to the highway to get help. The surviving sister reported the deceased started having difficulty breathing and talking, then became unresponsive.

Maverick County Sheriffs Deputies and Justice of the Peace responded to the scene of the death. The woman was declared dead at 4:45 a.m. last Thursday morning.

The heat and drought conditions in Southwest Texas are severe, and are not expected to improve in the near future. Persons considering illegal entry into the United States should re-

consider because the conditions are too dangerous.

The U.S. Border Patrol is doing everything possible to prevent the suffering and/or death of illegal immigrants. Citizens are encouraged to call the Border Patrol to report persons in need of assistance. The toll free number for the Del Rio Station is 888-299-4402. Or call Eagle Pass at 888-536-4566.

Agents seize 346.6 pounds of marijuana

Del Rio - U.S. Border Patrol Agents with the Eagle Pass Station Boat Patrol seized 346.6 pounds of marijuana Wednesday (June 6).

Agents patrolling the river spotted 7 plastic feed sacks hidden under dense river cane near the edge of the Rio Grande River approximately 6 miles up river from the Eagle Pass Port of Entry. The sacks resembled those normally used by drug smugglers.

Upon further examination agents found the sacks contained 41 cellophane wrapped bundles of marijuana weighing 346.6 pounds. The marijuana had a street value of \$277,280.

Agents rescue two babies from Rio Grande River

Del Rio - U.S. Border Patrol Agents from the Eagle Pass Station Boat Patrol rescued two babies from the Rio Grande River Wednesday, June 6.

Border Patrol surveillance cameras reported a group of people crossing the river approximately 2 miles down river from the Eagle Pass Port of Entry. The Boat Patrol responded to assist agents on the ground, and noticed three adults about 50 yards from the American side. They were carrying two children on their shoulders. Agents indicated the adults had been having trouble crossing.

The adults told the agents the water was too deep and they needed help. The agents were able to get the babies from the adults shoulders so they could make it the rest of the way. The adults were reunited with their two-year-old sons shortly thereafter.

U.S. Border Patrol officials encourage persons considering illegal entry into the United States to reconsider, the conditions along the Rio Grande River can be very dangerous, and can result in the death of those who are most valuable to their family.

Briefs ...

Jungle Bible school

St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church will be hosting a Jungle Journey Vacation Bible School June 18-22, from 9:00 am to noon.

During this week, we will explore God's promises through scripture and then reinforce it with prayer, crafts, music and even through snacks! Students may register on the first day of classes from 8:00 am to 9:00 am, and Tuesday and Wednesday at 8:30 in the Parish Hall.

A donation is being requested of \$3.00 for one child, \$5.00 for two and \$6.00 for 3 or more in the same family.

Our Jungle Journey is open to all Brackettville children pre-school through 6th grade. Don't let the adventure pass you by.

Basketball camp

The 2nd annual Tiger Basketball Camp will begin next Monday on June 18th at 9 a.m. The camp will begin at 9 a.m. and end at noon, Monday - Friday. The camp will primarily focus on fundamentals and player development, and end with team play on Friday. The cost for the camp is \$30 which includes a camp t-shirt and ball. Registration forms are available at Central Office or Jones Elementary office or you can call Coach Thomas this weekend with any questions at 563-2635.

Library needs games

Do you have any old board games you no longer use? The Kinney County Library needs them! You may drop them off at the library during regular hours, Monday and Friday from 9 am to 4 pm, Tuesday through Thursday from 10 am to 6 pm and Saturday from 11 am to 4 pm.

Sector Monthly Statistics

Del Rio, Texas - The following is a recap of Del Rio Sector Border Patrol activities during May 2001:

Apprehensions
Abilene ... 102, Brackettville ... 1,456, Carrizo Springs ... 1,811, Comstock ... 118, Del Rio ... 1,218, Eagle Pass ... 3,403, Llano ... 305, Rock-springs ... 159, San Angelo ... 121, Uvalde ... 312, Sector Total ... 9,005, Other than Mexican ... 466

Drug Seizures
Marijuana Seized (pounds) ... 4,601,949, Value of Marijuana Seized ... \$3,681,559.20

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Empowering Families

"Paul, let's go for a walk and talk about something important."
"Sure dad, let me get the fire in the grill taken care of. What's up?"
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But I could be wrong
By Chuck Hall

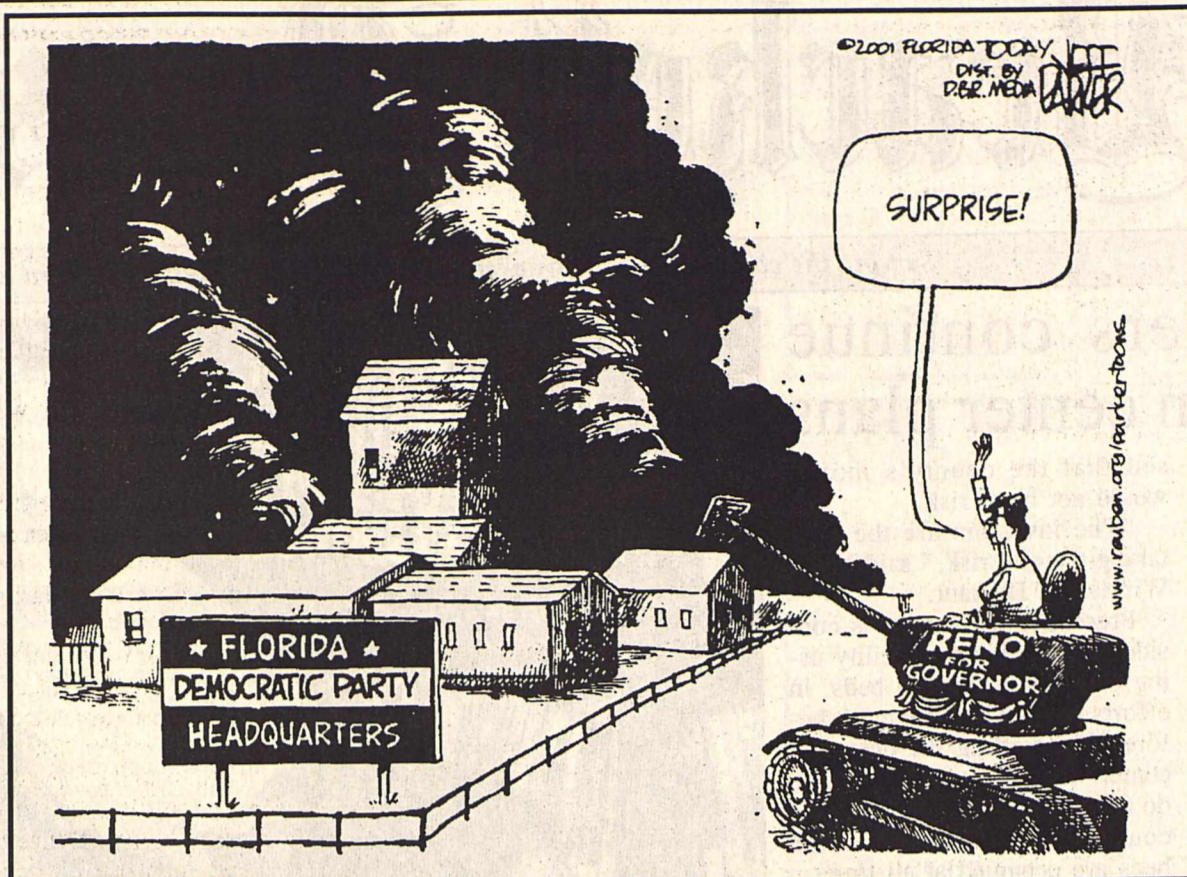
As I was driving to Del Rio recently I was thinking about how long it had been since I had been stopped by a DPS officer. A long time. I began to wonder why. Maybe they all liked me. That couldn't be right. Maybe I had just been lucky. Perhaps I've been in the right places and at the right times. I do drive a lot during lunch time. This argument too didn't quite ring true.

Then it came to me. The reason I don't get stopped is because I don't speed. I actually drive the legal speed limits almost all of the time. I'm not a fanatic. I just believe the speed limits were set for safety reasons and I like the idea of being as safe as possible.

Sad to say, this hasn't always been true. When I was younger, I used to drive in excess of the law. I used to think I was indestructible and that nothing could possibly hurt me.

Now, as I have finally matured (somewhat), I am acutely aware of the fact that an automobile is the most likely thing in this world to hurt me. There is a greater possibility of being killed in a car than by any other means.

I don't know what I am trying to say. I'm not sure what this is all about except slow down. What is your hurry? I want to live another 40 or 50 years. If you don't want to save your life, then what about mine? Keep that needle on the correct limit and we'll all be happier. But I could be wrong.



A sound energy policy

By Henry Bonilla
U.S. Congressman, 23rd Dist.

It seems everyone has been talking lately about the energy problems our nation is facing. Every time we head for the gas station or listen to the evening news we're faced with one very certain reality: we have a problem and we need to get to work on a solution.

Our nation's energy problem has been with us for quite some time. It's an issue that has been neglected over the last eight years, but thankfully it has been made a top priority by the new administration.

President Bush recently unveiled his new energy plan for the United States. His proposal is a commonsense balance of increased energy production and attention to environmental matters. It is a clear, comprehensive, and most importantly achievable plan.

The president's proposal is based on several elements that will provide a long-term answer to today's energy crisis. But most importantly, it focuses on our nation's dependence on foreign oil. The fact is: America has become way too dependent upon a handful of foreign countries for our energy needs. Sixty percent of our oil comes from other countries. This is simply bad policy. By relying on countries that see us as a needy customer, we leave our national security vulnerable to the whims of foreign nations. Take Iraq, Iran and Libya for an example. Should these nations cut production, we would risk serious cutbacks in our energy supply. This would result in even higher prices at the pump, more black-outs and other serious energy problems.

The answer to our energy crisis is lessening our dependence on foreign oil. President Bush outlined a plan that will increase U.S. production, make it more profitable to drill and produce oil in America and thus lessen our dependence on other countries.

In order to make this plan a reality, we must consider new sources of energy that can be produced on our own soil. The first of many steps is drilling for oil in Alaska. This is a sure-fire way to garner new energy. Of the nineteen million acres in the Alaska National Wildlife Refuge (ANWR), only around 2,000 acres would be affected. That is an area roughly the size of a small airport.

What the president is proposing is opening only a small fraction of the ANWR for environmentally sensitive oil and gas exploration. The expected output of oil would equal 30 years of oil imports from Saudi Arabia and almost 60 years of Iraqi oil imports.

New pipelines are also needed in order to carry natural gas. We need an estimated 38,000 miles of new pipelines to move enough fuel to supply our energy needs. And we must repair and upgrade entire transmission grids, as well as add new ones, in order to meet the energy demand we face.

Finally, Vice President Cheney said last week that in order to lessen our dependence on foreign oil, we would need to build almost two-thousand new power plants. Building two-thousand energy plants may be a lofty goal, but it gets the point across. We need to look for new solutions to our problems.

As we prepare for the summer season with air conditioning and more vacation driving, we need to pay serious attention to our energy policy and make some substantial changes. I think that President Bush's proposal is a step in the right direction.

Solving our energy problems will be a long journey. We have the ability to diminish America's dependence on foreign energy. It is time that we do the right thing—for our children and for the future of this great land of ours.

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Big Mama Sez!



The most beautiful thing we can experience is the mysterious. It is the source of all true art and science.

The Way We See It!

Oh me, oh my, we cannot lie
Steven Ray's birthday is when
(June 15). He'll turn the big five
x ten! (50)

Happy Birthday!

Love,

Kandace, Lindy, and Allison



Zero tolerance causes hysteria in schools to abound

The Way I See It
By Steven R. LaMascus

Once again I am astounded by the absolute hysteria displayed by many people around the country. It seems that many have completely lost the ability to make decisions based on reality. They look at a certain situation, assess the circumstances, and then do something so stupid as to defy explanation. For instance:

Lindsay Brown of Fort Myers, Florida - National Merit Scholar, academic scholarship to Florida Gulf Coast University - was arrested, charged with a felony, and jailed for nine hours because a security guard at Estero High School noticed that there was a kitchen knife lying in the front floor board of her car in the school parking lot. That's right! Not a dagger, a switchblade, a Bowie knife, but a kitchen knife. It seems that she had moved some boxes in her car over the weekend and the knife had fallen out. Lindsay hadn't noticed it lying in her car's floor. She was not allowed to participate in graduation and could even have her scholarship revoked. School officials have not yet decided if they are going to pursue the felony charges against her.

How about the young man who took a knife away from a classmate because she said she was going to use it to commit suicide? He locked the knife in his locker, where it was apparently found by school officials. He was expelled for four months. And, by the way, the girl did try to kill herself two days later, but failed.

Then there was the Eagle Scout who had given a demonstration one night at a scout meeting on the proper use of a hatchet. He then left the hatchet in the trunk of his car along with the rest of his scouting gear when he went to school the next day. He was suspended for having the hatchet at school.

And the girl in Atlanta who was booted from school for having a Tweety Bird key chain. Yeah! The school officials said

it could have been used as a deadly weapon.

Where is this idiocy, this lunacy, this hysteria going to stop? Good grief, people, all rules and regulations must have enough leeway to allow the intervention of common sense! If those school officials who had Lindsay Brown arrested don't have enough intelligence to see that a kitchen knife left unseen in the floorboards of a car is not tantamount to planning mass murder, they need to find another profession - like, maybe, a dud tester at a bomb factory.

And the monumental morons who suspended the boy for 40 days for taking a knife away from a suicidal classmate should be used as crash test dummies. Admittedly the young man should have turned the knife over to a teacher or administrator and told them what was happening; but he tried to do the right thing, and was punished for it. The lesson punished him for a good deed and taught him not to get involved. The next time he'll probably do absolutely nothing.

This is negative teaching at its absolute worst. I am incapable of understanding the type of mentality that would be able to perceive these ignominious decisions as being reasonable.

Thank God, the Brackettville Schools are still run by reasonable, intelligent, conservative, caring educators who realize that there is no such thing as real Zero Tolerance; that every situation must be taken individually and acted on according to its merits, instead of reacted to with politically correct paranoia and hysteria. The law must be tempered by common sense and compassion or it becomes oppressive.

The answer, folks, is still God. If we can put God back in our schools, the evil, and the lunacy it breeds, will flee like a thief caught in the light. Like I saw on a tee shirt not long ago, "Life's hard, pray harder!" It is the only answer.

Romans 3:20 - "Therefore no one will be declared righteous in his sight by observing the law; rather, through the law we become conscious of sin."

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Kinney County Sheriff's Report

Monday, June 4
5:44 p.m., An employee from the pool requested a deputy. Chief Deputy Johnny Fritter responded.
5:57 p.m., A man reported a white truck with a blowout, on Hwy 90 east, 2 1/2 miles from town.

Tuesday, June 5
10:10 a.m., Duke Devin Walker, 19, from San Antonio, was arrested for DWI and a probation violation by Sheriff Buddy Burgess. Walker is still being held.
1:35 p.m., A TxDOT employee received information that a vehicle had run through a fence by Fritter Park. Deputy Fritter responded and reported it was a false report.
10:30 p.m., Clayton Thomas Adams, 20, from San Antonio, was arrested by Trooper Welch for DWI as a minor. Adams was re-

leased the next day for time served and cash paid.

Friday, June 8
12:00 p.m., A 1985 light blue Oldsmobile was reported abandoned on Hwy 90, and a white 1995 four door Crown Victoria, and a white 1986 Ford pick-up were reported abandoned about 6 miles east on Hwy 334. Deputy Manuel Pena responded.
6:07 p.m., A grey Toyota pickup and a gold car were driving recklessly on Hwy 90 East headed west. Trooper Ashley and Chief of Police Arnulfo Alonzo were notified.
9:13 p.m., A man reported a deer hung up in a fence at the corner of FM 334 and Tularosa Road. Game Warden Henry Lutz responded to the call.
Saturday, June 9
2:00 p.m., Maria Imelda Rodriguez, 24, from Del Rio, was arrested for DPS warrants by Tony Ashley. Rodriguez was released the same day on condition by Judge Ford.
5:18 p.m., Deputy Pena re-

Thursday, June 7
2:05 p.m., A woman reported a man was intoxicated and passed out in his yard. Deputy Fritter responded.
6:09 p.m., An employee from a local store reported a grey convertible had left without paying for gas. DPS Trooper Tony Ashley responded to the call.
6:10 p.m., A woman reported that three or four illegals tried to stop her twelve miles north on FM 3008.

sponded to false 911 calls that were made.
7:47 p.m., A man reported eighty dollars stolen from his residence. Deputy Pena responded to the call.
9:44 p.m., Fort Clark Security reported a possible break-in, in unit 3. Deputy Karl Chism, and Constable Cordelia Mendeke were advised.

Sunday, June 10
7:29 a.m., An employee from a local store reported two men that appeared to be intoxicated, took off in a white Ford truck east on Hwy 90.
8:05 a.m., Justin Wade Hoffart, 19, from Hockley, was arrested for driving while license suspended by DPS Trooper Richard Slubar. Hoffart posted bond the same day.
1:00 p.m., A dispatcher from the Val Verde Sheriff's Office reported a red suburban pulling a white and brown trailer left the Amistad RV Park without paying. Deputy Pena was advised.

Hooked on fishing



Landon Tuck, 5 years old, recently caught this 2 1/2 pound, 19 inch catfish in Las Moras Creek. Landon is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Holt Tuck. Landon's secret bait was B-O-L-O-G-N-A!

Bodies recovered

Del Rio, Texas - U.S. Border Patrol Agents from the Eagle Pass Station recovered the bodies of two Mexican Nationals and rescued two others last Thursday evening in Maverick County.

At 6:30 p.m., agents were flagged down by a male on Highway 57E approximately 20 miles east of Eagle Pass. He told agents a friend was seriously ill in the brush about 2 miles from the highway. Agents immediately called an ambulance and went to locate the friend.

Upon their arrival at the location, agents found the friend and eight others, who reported the man had died approximately an hour earlier. A Maverick County Justice of the Peace pronounced the 32-year-old male dead at 7:50 p.m. Two others in the group were suffering from signs of dehydration and were transported to Fort Duncan Medical Center for treatment, and released.

At 7:45 p.m., agents were flagged down by a motorist about 5 miles east of the first death on Highway 57E. The motorist reported he was stopped by a male who indicated a friend of his was ill about 200 yards from the highway. The motorist found the friend having convulsions. He returned

to the road and waved down a Border Patrol vehicle. Agents immediately called for an ambulance.

When the motorist and the agents arrived at the location, the ill individual was lying in the lap of his friend. He was motionless and a check of vital signs was negative. A Maverick County Justice of the Peace pronounced the 33-year-old male dead at 8:30 p.m.

Both deceased individuals had entered the United States illegally by walking across the Rio Grande River. Border Patrol officials stress that the heat and drought conditions in Southwest Texas are severe and are not expected to improve in the near future. Persons considering illegal entry into the United States should reconsider. The conditions are too dangerous.

The U.S. Border Patrol is doing everything possible to prevent the unnecessary suffering and/or death of illegal immigrants, but they cannot do it alone. Citizens are encouraged to call the Border Patrol to report persons in need of assistance. Toll free numbers are available for this purpose. They are (888)-299-4402 Del Rio Station and (888)-536-4566 Eagle Pass Station.

Border Patrol Agents rescue three more Mexican Nationals

Del Rio - Friday, June 8, U.S. Border Patrol Agents from the Carrizo Springs Station rescued three Mexican Nationals suffering from exposure to heat on Highway 277 in Maverick County.

Agents working the checkpoint were alerted to the individuals by three hiding in the brush off the highway approximately 5 miles west of the checkpoint.

When found, the individuals were incoherent and appeared to be suffering from exposure to the heat. Maverick County Emergency Medical Service responded to the scene and transported the

three to the Fort Duncan Medical Center in Eagle Pass for treatment.

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Bonilla: when will you get your refund?

Washington, D.C. — U.S. Representative Henry Bonilla (R-TX) announced today when taxpayers will receive their refunds as a result of the tax bill President George W. Bush signed into law. "You paid too much in taxes. Thanks to President Bush, you'll get a refund. Your refund will go a long way to paying off credit cards, taking a family vacation, or buying school clothes," said Mr. Bonilla.

Rep Bonilla attended a White House ceremony today where President Bush officially signed the tax relief bill into law. The \$1.35 trillion tax cut package is the largest tax cut Americans have seen in two decades.

"This is one of the greatest accomplishments for the Congress and White House since I began service in the House of Representatives," said Mr. Bonilla. "This is what I call progress! We're giving taxpayers across-the-board relief, eliminating the death tax, offering relief from the marriage tax

and putting checks in the mail next month to every taxpaying family.

Americans will get refund checks this year, and their tax bills will continue to go down for the next 10 years. Individual taxpayers will get up to a \$300 refund check, single parents will receive up to a \$500 refund check, and married taxpayers will get up to a \$600 refund check. For more details on your refund, visit www.irs.gov.

When Will I Get My Advance Payment? Match the last two numbers of your Social Security number to determine when your check will be "in the mail."

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Dads: Children learn to respect their mothers from you

Empowering Families
By Dr. Donald Smith

"Paul, let's go for a walk and talk about something important."

"Sure dad, let me get the fire in the grill taken care of. What's up?"

"Paul, I overheard what you said to Carol a few minutes ago. I'd like for us to talk about it."

"Look dad, that was between Carol and me. It's nobody else's business."

"That may be, but the tone and volume of your voice made it everybody else's business."

"Dad, I'm a grown man. I've got my own family and I don't need your advice. I'll handle it in my own way."

"Paul, when did you quit being my son?"

"Ok dad, what is it? Let me have it." Paul expressed irritation at his dad's intrusion into what he considered a private matter.

"Son, how do you feel about your mother?"

"She's the greatest. I'd do anything for her, you know that dad. What does this have to do with mom?"

"Where did you learn to think that your mom is the greatest woman on earth?"

Paul had to think a moment. With a sheepish look, he said, "I learned from watching you dad. You always treated mom like she was the greatest."

"A while ago you back talked Carol when she asked you to do something. Your tone of voice was disrespectful. Both of your children were watching and heard what you said. How do you expect your children to obey and respect their mother when you don't model it for them?"

"Son, a long time ago a very wise man said that a wife is her husband's richest treasure, a helpmate, a steadying column (Sirach 36:24)."

"Another very wise man said that we men are to love and honor our wives (Ephesians 5:21-31)."

The two men stood looking at each other. Something unspoken passed between them. Something only men who love each other can know. Paul put his hand on his dad's shoulder, then turned and walked to where his wife and children were sitting.

This column is brought to you by the St. Henry deOsso Family Project working in Brackettville to strengthen family, faith and education.

Heath presents SAR program

The SAR Chapter #53 met at the Holiday Inn in Uvalde on Saturday, June 9. The program was presented by Dr. James Heath, formerly a professor of physiology from the University of Illinois, now retired at the Buchanan Dam area. Dr. Heath's topic was "Science at the Time of the Revolution." He remarked that as early as 1546 Fracastori and then later Sydenham in 1689 developed the idea of air born contagion. However, their ideas lapsed until the 19th century as medicine held on to the Greek humoral

theory. During the time of the Revolution there was no antiseptis because there was no knowledge of the role of microorganisms in disease.

The business meeting was conducted by President Charles McFarland of Sabinal. Hubert McKelvy of Brackettville displayed the chapter scrapbook, noting that Lindsey Brotherton, one of the chapter essay winners in 1999, had been named to the President's List at Schreiner University. Lindsey is a graduate of Brackettville High School.

Caddel-Smith members honored

Members of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas from all over the state met recently at the Alamo to honor their new Board of Management. Hosting the catered supper on the grounds was the Alamo Mission Chapter of San Antonio. Huge paper butterflies put the finishing decorative touch above the beautifully manicured and lighted grounds.

Chapter 1st Vice-President

Frances Brookshire, newly elected Recording Secretary General, was one of those introduced. Former chapter presidents Becky Danchak and Jane Knapik, who will be serving as Corresponding Secretary General, were in attendance. Pat McKelvy, chapter registrar, was presented as one of the incoming Library Board members. Also attending was associate member Patsy Edwards.



From left to right, Patsy Edwards, registrar of Alamo Mission Chapter; Virginia VanCleve, President-General; Pat McKelvy, registrar of Caddel-Smith Chapter.

60th Anniversary



Walt & Tina Bauguess were married on June 15, 1941 at Nathans Creek, N.C. They have four children, eight grandchildren, and one grandson.

OUTDOORS

Hunting season dates released

A Little on the Wildlife Side
Contributed by Henry Lutz

western Panhandle: Nov. 17-25; Trans-Pecos: Nov. 24- Dec. 9
Quail: Statewide: Oct. 27 - Feb. 24

Here are the hunting season dates for the 2001-2002 Hunting Seasons:

Whitetail Deer: Archery: (Statewide) Sept. 29 - Oct. 28; General: Special Youth Season: Oct. 27-28

Special Youth- Anterless Only: Jan. 19-20; North Texas (N.of US 90): Nov. 3 - Jan. 6; South Texas (S.of US 90): Nov. 3 - Jan. 20

Late Anterless and Spike (N. of US 90): Jan. 7-20

Late Anterless and Spike (S. of US 90): Jan. 21- Feb. 3

Mule Deer: Archery- Dates same as Whitetail General: Panhandle: Nov 17- Dec. 2; South-

Rio Grande Turkey: Fall season runs concurrent with the Whitetail Deer Season. Spring Season for Kinney County: Mar. 30 - May 5

If you have any questions, please contact your local Game Warden.

Go fishing

Don't have any plans for the weekend? Go Fishing. Here's a few tips to make a trip to the local pond a fun outing for the whole family.

Check with your local city or state parks department for nearby fishing waters. Exploring new areas can be almost as much fun as the fishing itself. Also, check on fishing regulations. Most states require fishing licenses for those 16 years or older.

Be sure your fishing reels have plenty of line for easy casting and that you have both pieces of your two piece rods. Equipment problems can hinder the fun of fishing.

If you need new fishing equipment, a spincast rod and reel combination works great for all ages. A Zebco 33 combo is a great choice for just about anyone. The really young are better suited by Zebco's little-sized Mickey Mouse and Snoopy combos. Then, the only other tackle you really need are hooks, bobbers and sinkers.

But, don't forget the bait. Whether you choose live bait or lures, catching fish without them would indeed be luck.

Take along an Igloo with plenty of cold drinks and snacks. A day of fishing will make anyone hungry and thirsty. You will also want to pack a first-aid kit and bug spray, just in case.

Finally, the most important thing to remember about a family fishing trip is to GO. Fishing is a fun and inexpensive way the whole family can spend quality time together. There's nothing better than watching a youngster reeling in his or her first catch. And, the memories that are made will last a lifetime.

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All driver licenses and ID cards now will have a picture of the state capitol in the background and several new security features to deter fraudulent activity.

"Several of the design changes we've made will make it more difficult to counterfeit these documents," said James B. Francis Jr., chairman of the Public Safety Commission. "We believe the use of advanced technology will help us better maintain the integrity of our

driver licenses and IDs." Issuance of the new licenses and IDs will begin this month for all customers. Current licenses are valid and will be phased out within the next six years.

DPS also will send out information regarding the new licenses and ID cards to help educate law enforcement officials and merchants.

"We're hopeful the new under 21 design will make it much easier for merchants who sell age restrictive products-like alcohol and tobacco-to identify underage consumers," said DPS Director Col. Thomas A. Davis Jr. "Added security features will provide law enforcement with additional tools to more easily identify counterfeit and altered licenses."

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Davis attends conference, board adopts calendar

Making a Difference
By Taylor Stephenson

Jesse Davis was Brackett ISD's representative to the Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership conference held in San Antonio this past weekend. There are 5 HOBY seminars held in Texas with the special goal of motivating tomorrow's leaders today. The West Texas Leadership Seminar included concentration on conflict resolution, preparing for college, volunteerism, free enterprise, and ethics. The youth leaders worked in teams to accomplish their goals. Jesse, the son of Marvin and Theresa Davis, said that HOBY was the opportunity of a lifetime. He said that he could not put into words what he learned this past weekend. Brackettville is proud that Jesse was able to attend and that he came home with ideas of how to make our community a better place to live.

Frank Taylor, BISD's technology director, will direct the school district's expansive technology program in 2001-02. He has done this for several years, and will also assist the superintendent as an administrative assistant in curriculum and staff

development. Principals are responsible for curriculum development at the building levels. Frank will help principals articulate instruction and bring the necessary training for the staff in this vital area. We're excited about the help that Frank Taylor will provide to students and staff at BISD.

BISD's instructional staff is almost complete with the hiring of a new first grade teacher, Kimberli Cummings from Angelo State University. Each year, there have been last minute changes, but the staff is fairly well set in this time of teacher shortages. We're proud of our instructional staff at BISD.

The remodeling of the school auditorium, biology classroom and annex has begun. There are now no seats in the auditorium, and the building has been stripped to allow for remodeling. New carpet will be installed in the Junior High School beginning June 25. We have lots of projects in progress. We hope to complete them in a timely manner.

We have turned our attention to student handbooks and policy as we try to prepare for the next

school year. Susan Esparza directs the effort to give the board recommended changes in local policy as well as new legal student policy. Marla Madrid is working hard on the student-scheduling program for high school and junior high. This is a new computerized scheduling system that the district is using for the first time. Dixie Brown continues to work through budget and financial needs of the district as the timelines for preparing next school year's budget have begun.

Richard Terrazas has a tough job in the summer as he directs the schools maintenance program and tries to get the fleet of buses, cars and vans ready for the opening of school. Tommy Castillo and Armando Sanchez are maintenance helpers. Our custodial staff is busy cleaning and waxing tile. There is less carpet cleaning this year because we are replacing carpet in the elementary and junior high buildings.

We're very busy this summer at school. The Board adopted school calendar shows the first day of school is Wednesday, August 15. Have a great week!

Junior Master Garden program introduced at Jones Elementary

As an extra science project, a 4-H Junior Master Gardener program (JMG) has been added to the curriculum for 5th and 6th graders at Jones Elementary. The program is a year-long project in which fifth grade students will begin gardening projects and then complete them in the sixth grade.

The Middle Rio Grande Development Council will help initiate the program by purchasing 120 student handbooks and two teacher editions of the curriculum. The school will also receive funding for supplies to implement the program.

The mission of the JMG program is to develop and implement educational materials and training in support of a program for youth. The program is designed to develop leadership skills, identify community needs and volunteer service opportunities, enhance positive youth development through peer teaching and improve the quality of life through horticulture projects. Another goal of the program is to promote volunteerism in children.

The JMG program was cre-

ated at Texas A&M University and is being implemented across the United States.

"It's a really neat program. They not only learn about the gardening, but they have to do public speaking and work with budgets," said Paula Renken, Jones Elementary.

"We believe it is well worth the venture," she said.

Group activities in the program are integrated into math, science, language arts and social studies. There are sections that include TAAS formatted reading passages and Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) correlation.

Superintendent Taylor Stephenson says that the program will be a nice edition to the existing curriculum and will provide an important hands-on experience.

"I think these hands on projects are wonderful. And it certainly will supplement rather than supplant," said Stephenson.

Students will have the opportunity to receive certification in the program as they complete different levels of activities.

Brackett ISD Activity Calendar

Thursday, June 14
9:00 am - 12 pm summer school

1:30 pm Safe and Drug Free Driver's Ed., 2 Wks. Classroom, 2 Wks. Driving Payroll Cut-Off Date

Friday, June 15
9:00 am - 12 pm Last day of summer school

Driver's Ed., 2 Wks. Classroom, 2 Wks. Driving

Monday, June 18

9:00 am - 12 pm Basketball Camp, HS Gym, Age 7 to Freshman

Driver's Ed. 2 Wks. Classroom, 2 Wks. Driving

Tuesday, June 19

9:00 am - 12 pm Basketball Camp, HS Gym, Age 7 to Freshman

Driver's Ed. 2 Wks. Classroom, 2 Wks. Driving

Wednesday, June 20

9:00 am - 12 pm Basketball Camp, HS Gym, Age 7 to Freshman

Driver's Ed. 2 Wks. Classroom, 2 Wks. Driving

Summer camp sports forms can be picked up at the Central Office. Central Office hours are Mon - Thurs., 7:30 am - 5p.m.

HEALTH

Menacing molds spawn spores create health hazard

Following on the heels of unusually wet winter and spring months, an insidious danger grows. Warming temperatures coupled with summer humidity could prove hazardous to your health and home. Mold, the number one cause of allergic symptoms, release spores that can cause a number of health problems ranging from exacerbation of asthma, to respiratory distress even death. Now PRO-LABm Environmental Protection Products, a leading manufacturer of home safety testing kits, introduces a do-it-yourself

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fant, children, elderly, immune-deficient patients, pregnant woman and individuals with existing respiratory conditions are most susceptible to related health problems. Most alarming, the American Academy of Pediatrics has recently linked exposure to mold toxins with acute pulmonary hemorrhage, commonly mistaken for sudden infant death syndrome (SIDS) during post mortem examinations.

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ROARING TWENTIES
 In the grid below, twenty words can be found that fit the category for today. Circle each word that you find and list it in the space provided at the right of the grid. Words can be found in all directions— forwards, backwards, horizontally, vertically and diagonally. An example is given to get you started. Can you find today's 20 words?

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Trivia Time by Walter Branch

1. What pop superstar shook up her high-school cheerleading team by wearing flesh-colored panties?
2. What daily ration was ceased being issued by the Army in 1832?
3. What Russian pianist had his last professional performance in an October 1989 recording session?
4. What organ in the body did Aristotle believe functioned solely to cool the blood?
5. How many prisoners are believed to have escaped from Alcatraz between 1934 and 1963?
6. Which U.S. president signed Medicare and Medicaid into law?
7. What did people who believed Paul McCartney was dead think that "OPD" stood for on Paul's jacket on the cover of the "Sgt. Pepper" album?
8. In what city did the last battle of the War of 1812 take place?
9. What does FBK signify to scholastic fraternalists?
10. Whose final play (his 38th) was entitled "The Two Noble Kinsmen"?

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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HOROSCOPES
 by Charles Cooper

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) It's a good idea this week to spend some time spiffing up your appearance. A wardrobe check is in order as well. You end the week with increased self-esteem.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) The devil is in the details this week for you. You'll find yourself frustrated midweek over a difficult work project. A co-worker has the answers.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Your mind wanders as the week begins, causing some consternation among bigwigs. By week's end, you are sharper and more attentive. This weekend, a social outing revolves around an outdoor activity.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) This isn't the time to break a friend's confidence, even if you think it's for the best. This person is counting on you. Your compassion will be appreciated.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Get a grip on that leonine temper. If you don't, you're liable to blow at precisely the wrong time. By the weekend, you're ready for much-needed R&R.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Those of you on a diet find yourself tempted to slip up this week. Indulge yourself in just one little treat. By the weekend, you are back to your disciplined self.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) A break in your work routine is welcome as the week begins. However, don't carry this forward so that it lasts the entire week. There is much to be done.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Keep your spending habits in check. If not, your good credit rating could be jeopardized. This weekend, a family member needs your attention.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) You're in a lazy mood this week. There's nothing much pressing going on at work, and you're happy about that. Perhaps you could wangle a few days off.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Your romantic partner needs to feel on an equal footing with you concerning joint decisions. Make this happen. If you don't, the resulting brouhaha could threaten the entire relationship.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) You have an innovative idea which gains a lot of attention on the job. Be sure, though, you have the details worked out. This weekend, romance is in the air.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Nothing of major import takes place this week. This is just as well as far as you're concerned. By week's end, you're ready to tackle a domestic problem with a clear head.

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Roaring Twenties Solution:

1. Aerie	11. Mansion
2. Apartment	12. Mobile home
3. Barn	13. Nest
4. Castle	14. Palace
5. Cave	15. Shack
6. Condo	16. Shanty
7. House	17. Sty
8. Hovel	18. Tent
9. Igloo	19. Teepee
10. Jail cell	20. Trailer

Crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1-63 indicating starting positions for the clues provided in the adjacent list.

Trivia Time Answers (c) 2001 DBR Media, Inc.

1. Madonna; 2. Liquor; 3. Vladimir Horowitz; 4. The brain; 5. One; 6. Lyndon Johnson; 7. Officially Pronounced Beard; 8. New Orleans; 9. Phi Beta Kappa; 10. William Shakespeare's

Stop the flames before it's too late *What a blessing to be born in the U.S.A*

Gateway Ministries
Pastor Charolette Corey

When the days are scorching hot, we warn people not to light fires where sparks can set aflame raging infernos that destroy peoples homes and lives. We use matches with respect and consideration because of what they can do. Yet a tongue, a little member of our body, can loose the fire of hell on people, things, and situations. (James 3:5-6).

These spiritual fires, when set, can rage out of control until the fire controls us instead of us controlling the fire. Our tongues become full of deadly poison to accuse other people. Yet, this same tongue is used for blessing others and for praising God. Like our brother, the Apostle Paul, said in James 3:10 "My brethren, these things ought not so to be."

The word of God tells us to show wisdom by having good conversation with a meek spirit.

God's word says "if you have bitter envying and strife in your hearts, glory not, and lie not against the truth." (James 3:13-14). In other words, don't stretch the truth and build a situation out of proportion to make yourself look good.

God warns us that "where there is envying and strife, there is confusion and every evil work." (James 3:16). He tells us how to overcome evil through wisdom that is from above. This wisdom is "first pure, then peaceable, gentle, and easy to be entreated, full of mercy and good fruits, without partiality, and without hypocrisy." (James 3:16-17).

God tells us "Blessed are the peacemakers for they shall be called the children of God. Blessed are they which are persecuted for righteousness' sake; for theirs is the kingdom of heaven" (Matt. 5:9-10) "And the fruit of righteousness is sown in peace of them that make

peace." (James 3:18).

Quench the fiery tongue with a soft answer. Remember, the tongue of the wise useth knowledge aright; but the mouth of fools poureth out foolishness. The eyes of the Lord are in every place, beholding the evil and the good. A wholesome tongue is a tree of life; but perverseness therein is a breach in the spirit." (Prov. 15:1-4).

You are an Ambassador of Christ. He has placed in you the "word of reconciliation." Be ye then reconciled to God. (2 Cor. 5:19-21), to thy brother (Matt 5:23-24), to those who labor among you, and over you in the Lord, and admonish you; and esteem them very highly in love for their works sake. And be at peace among yourselves." (I Thes. 5: 12-13)

"Follow peace with all men," (Heb 12:14) choose to stop the flames before they turn into fires from hell. Stand in faith, rest in hope, walk in love.

Frontier Baptist Church
By Dave Crowe

You might want to take notes, because I might want to give you a pop quiz later.

This weeks question is. How well do you know this world that God made for us to live in and the billions of other people that live here?

If we could shrink the earth's population to a village of precisely 100 people, with all the existing human ratios remaining the same, it would look something like this.

This village would have 57 Asians, 21 Europeans, 14 people from the entire western half of the world and only 8 people from all of Africa.

When we condensed the world into this tiny village, you would notice immediately, that world percentages are quite different from things here at home, in the good old U.S. of A.

For example, this village would be 52% female. It's in-

habitants would be 70% non-white and 70% non-Christian.

It would be 89% heterosexual, 11% bisexual or homosexual. Six people in this village would possess 59% of it's wealth and all 6 would be from the United States.

80% would live in substandard housing without electricity and indoor plumbing. 70% would be unable to read and 50% would suffer from malnutrition. The population would stay the same. For every death, a child would be born.

Only 1 person would be college educated and the village would have only 1 computer.

Even more so, than the world in which you and I live in, this village would have an even greater need for mutual respect, acceptance, understanding and educational growth, if it were to survive.

In the real world, there are millions of villages and billions of people. The world that you and I experience everyday living in America is so very different, than the rest of the world. Here's some things that I would like you to give some thought to.

If, you have a refrigerator, with or without food in it,

clothes on your back, a roof over your head and a safe place to sleep, you are richer than 75% of this world.

If, you have any money in a bank, in your wallet and spare change in a dish somewhere. You are among the top 8% of the world's wealthy.

If, you awoke this morning with more health than illness, you are more blessed than the one million people who will not survive the week.

If, you can attend church without fear of harassment, arrest, torture or death, you have a blessing that three billion others do not have.

If, you have never experienced the danger of battle, the loneliness of imprisonment, the agony of having been raped, tortured, beaten, burned and left for dead, or the pangs of starvation. You are ahead of 500 million people in the world.

Since you can obviously read. Think of the things that you can do, that over two billion others cannot. God blesses us in countless ways. Just allowing us to be born in this country, was a huge, huge blessing.

Let's not waste, any of our God given opportunities and blessings.

I once was lost and now I am found

St. Mary Magdalene Church
By Lynn McNew

Have you ever been lost? Or lost something important to you? Or maybe lost one of your children in a store or park? It can be very frustrating or even frightening. I can recall having been lost while driving—once in Chicago and once in Seattle come to mind. I can recall losing one of my children in a fabric store—she was small and I couldn't see her over the standing bolts of fabric. We were both quite scared and relieved when we found each other.

When we lose something important to us, we keep looking and looking until we have found

it or until we are completely convinced that it simply cannot be found again. We never give up hope. I can remember the nuns always prayed to St. Anthony when something was lost — "Dear St. Anthony, Please look around. Something is lost and cannot be found. Please help us find. . . ." and whatever was lost was put in the blank. I can remember many things that were found as a result of this prayer.

Jesus told his disciples about a woman who lost something very important and special to her. "What woman, if she has ten silver pieces and loses one, does not light a lamp and sweep the house in a diligent search until she has retrieved what she

lost? And when she finds it, she calls in her friends and neighbors to say, 'Rejoice with me! I have found the silver piece I lost.' I tell you, there will be the same kind of joy before the angels of God over one repentant sinner." (Luke 15: 8-10)

In the same chapter of Luke's gospel, Jesus talks about the shepherd: "Who among you, if he has a hundred sheep and loses one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wasteland and follow the lost one until he finds it? And when he finds it, he puts it on his shoulders in jubilation. Once arrived home, he invites friends and neighbors in and says to them, 'Rejoice with me because I have found my

lost sheep.' I tell you, there will likewise be more joy in heaven over one repentant sinner than over ninety-nine righteous people who have no need to repent." (vs. 4-7)

I have a friend who writes wonderful Christian children's books. I recently read one she wrote about Charlie Wondermouse, who somehow manages to lose one of the pieces of music he had composed for a very important occasion. This story helps us with two important lessons that Jesus was illustrating with the parables in Luke's gospel: (1) the state of being "lost" is tragic and hurtful, (2) we need to always be looking for the "lost" and (3) don't give up!

The song "Amazing Grace" contains the words "I once was lost but now am found." It is very important to Jesus that we not be "lost" from Him. If we know someone who is "lost" from the Lord in some way, pray for that person. And if we find ourselves "lost" from our Heavenly Father, ask for his forgiveness and there will be much rejoicing when we are found.

You are welcome to worship with us anytime at St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church. God Bless You!

Learning and living the truth of God

First United Methodist Church
By Rev. Ken F. Sellers, Jr.

I read a short story just recently regarding a new and revealing scientific project. This project had been set up to use the alignment of the planets and stars (or some such cosmic data) to calculate time more precisely, I think. The result of the project was that the scientists found their calculations seemed off by a full year. While puzzling over this, one of the scientists remembered a Bible story of a time when time stood still (the book of Joshua) for nearly a day. Glory be, their calculation was now only twenty minutes off. And yet another Bible story told of a prophet who made the sun move backwards just enough to account for the lost twenty minutes. Hallelujah, the Bible was being used as a scientific instrument.

Now I am sure the author of this story had good intentions. The hope it seemed was to align science and the Bible more closely. Perhaps a scientist who was also a believer felt the Bible had been justified as the word of truth from God.

And perhaps others who read the story were just as elated that Faith was winning the argument with Science. I am always amazed at anyone who would

prove the Bible to anyone else through any means. I am amazed at anyone who spends any time trying to prove they know the truth!

If there is anything to learn from those who have lived before us, it is that "the truth" is impossible to capture and use for one's own purpose. Science continues to find that earlier scientific truths fall under the weight of additional research and knowledge - one the atom was the smallest known element of matter, now there are quarks (whatever that is) and probably smaller elements. Religion continues to grow in its understanding of the relationship of God to God's good creation - once the Bible could only be studied in Latin, now the Bible has been translated into almost every known language; just the number of English translations boggles the mind (I should remind you that the original biblical texts were written in ancient Hebrew, ancient Greek and probably a version of Aramaic, none of which can be translated with any great degree of assurance today).

Want to know the truth? Only God knows the truth! And God has, since the creation of the world, been trying to get just some of it through the thick skull of God's human creation. We

people of the church are just as bad as the scientific community in believing that truth is what we have as opposed to what others bring. If we are even beginning to be intelligent as a species, it is necessary for us to accept the probable truth that we don't know enough to claim that anyone else's truth is wrong. We like to stand in judgment of others saying, "If you don't believe like I do, God is going to punish you!" How arrogant is it for any person to think that God has chosen her or him as the sole recipient of "the truth." We will all be blessed if we stop fighting among ourselves about the truth and listen for just a little while to the one who is truth. For us truth will always be elusive because we are trying to grab it and hold on when it is like the wind, something that cannot be controlled by any human for it is the sole possession of its creator.

Join us at First United Methodist Church at 10:45 am Sunday, as we seek to understand our relationship with God and lift our voices in praise and thanksgiving for the Holy Spirit that God has sent to guide us through the haze of our limited understanding to the real truth that waits patiently for us.

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Alma, a Book of Mormon prophet, wrote, "All things denote there is a God; yea, even the earth, and all things that are upon the face of it, yea, and its motion, yea, and also all the planets which move in their regular form do witness that there is a Supreme Creator" (Alma 30:44).

God is perfect. He is a God of love, mercy, charity, truth, power, faith, knowledge, and judgment. He has all power. He knows all things. He is full of goodness.

The first and greatest com-

mandment tells us, "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart" (Matt. 22:37). The more we know God, the more we love him and keep his commandments (see 1 John 2:3). By keeping his commandments we can become like him.

We can know God if we will: believe that he exists and that he loves us (see Mosiah 4:9); study the scriptures (see 2 Timothy 3:14 - 17); pray to him (see James 1:5); Obey all his commandments as best we can (see John 14:21 - 23).

As we do these things, we will come to know God and eventually have eternal life.

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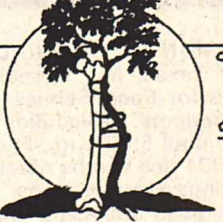




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