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

Seminole Indian Scout Celebration 120th Anniversary Of Seminole Scouts

PARADE

On Saturday, September 19, 1992, at 10:00 a.m., Medal of Honor Recipient Clarence E. Sasser, will serve as Grand Marshall of the Parade to kick off the 120th Anniversary Celebration of the Seminole Scouts. The parade will travel down Ann Street, to Spring Street, then to Carver School.

Mr. Sasser will then be the guest speaker at the Homecoming at Carver School immediately following the parade.

CLARENCE E. SASSER

Mr. Sasser was presented the Vietnam Medal of Honor by President Richard M. Nixon at the White House on March 7, 1969. Briefly, his heroism is chronicled below in the Medal of Honor Citation.

RANK AND ORGANIZATION: Specialist Fifth Class (then PFC), U. S. Army Headquarters Company, 3d Battalion, 60th Infantry, 9th Infantry Division.

PLACE AND DATE: Ding Tuong Province, Republic of Vietnam, 10 January, 1968.

ENTERED SERVICE AT: Houston, Texas.

BORN: 12 September 1947, Chenango, Texas.

CITATION: For conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity in action at the risk of his life above and beyond the call of duty. Sp5c. Sasser distinguished himself while assigned to Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3d Battalion. He was serving as a medical aidman with Company A, 3d Battalion, on a reconnaissance in force operation.

His company was making an air assault when suddenly it was taken under heavy small arms, recoilless rifle, machinegun and rocket fire from well fortified enemy positions on 3 sides of the landing zone. During the first few minutes, over 30 casualties were sustained.

Without hesitation, Sp5c. Sasser ran across an open rice paddy through a hail of fire to assist the wounded. After helping 1 man to safety, was painfully wounded in the left shoulder by fragments of an exploding rocket. Refusing medical attention, he ran through a barrage of rocket and automatic weapons fire to aid casualties of the initial attack and, after giving them urgently needed treatment, continued to search for other wounded.

Despite 2 additional wounds immobilizing his legs, he dragged himself through the mud toward another soldier 100 meters away. Although in agonizing pain and faint from loss of blood, Sp5c. Sasser reached the man, treated him, and proceeded on to encourage another group of

soldiers to crawl 200 meters to relative safety. There he attended their wounds for 5 hours until they were evacuated.

Sp5c. Sasser's extraordinary heroism is in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflects great credit upon himself, his unit, and the U. S. Army.

HEAR THIS MAN SPEAK

Each of you will have the opportunity to hear this man speak at the Carver School on Saturday morning. The public is cordially invited.

Barbecue will be served at noon and there will be time allowed to browse through numerous arts and crafts booths as the Homecoming Celebration continues.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Sunday morning, at 10:00 a.m., a religious service will be held at Carver School, followed by a picnic at noon. Memorial Services will be held at the Seminole Cemetery at 2:00 p.m.

Fort Clark Springs is sponsoring Mr. Sasser's appearance to Kinney County in appreciation of the important contributions the Seminole Scouts made to the Fort and to the area.

Mary Pomeroy Is 80

One hundred thirty people gathered at the Fort Clark Springs Golf Club House on Tuesday evening, September 8, 1992, to help Mary Pomeroy celebrate her 80th birthday.

Mary moved to Fort Clark Springs with her husband, Ward, from Spokane, Washington, in 1980. She is a charming and gracious lady, and certainly looks many years younger than 80, but she insists she was born September 12, 1912, in Dickinson, South Dakota.

Mrs. Pomeroy is a main-stay with the ladies exercise group on the Fort and faithfully walks from her home in Unit I to the Activity Center each Monday, Wednesday, and Friday morning for Aerobics.

Mary plays bridge several times a week, and it does for her mind what aerobics does for her body.

Each second Wednesday, Mary attends the Ladies Luncheon, and in addition, participates in most of the activities on the Fort.



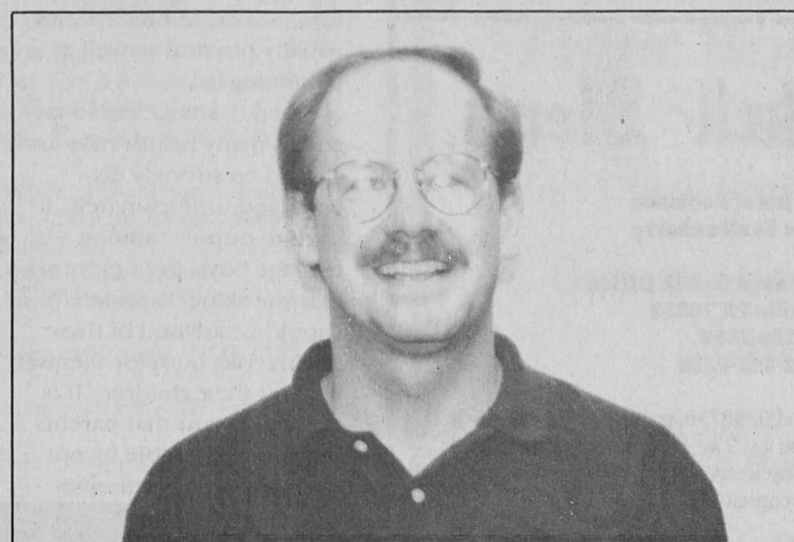
She is always smiling and optimistic and generates good feelings where ever she is.

She is pictured with a small portion of the many cards of good wishes she received.

Mr. Brackett Comes To Town



Historians Larry Sofaly, Else Sauer, Agapito Saenz, J. Lee Ballantyne, and Dave Blair share Kinney County's history with Reese Brackett.



Reese Dennis Brackett

Reese Dennis Brackett was in Kinney County last week with his wife and two young children. He was tracing his ancestry and had been told by relatives about Brackettville, Texas.

Mr. Brackett was born in Gastonia, North Carolina, and grew up there. He married a young lady from the Washington, D. C. area, and they now reside in Fairfax County, Virginia.

He is the Audit Supervisor for the Northern Virginia District Office, Department of Taxation, for the Commonwealth of Virginia with offices in Falls Church, Virginia.



J. Lee Ballantyne, Charles Emily Wilson, Else Sauer, and Agnes Vondy were interviewed by Ms. Rodgers, right, as background references for the paper she is writing.

"Women In Brackettville"

Annie Rodgers, whose association with Brackettville began with a friendship with a cousin of Ms. Else Sauer, is just one paper away from earning her Masters Degree in History from the University of Texas at San Antonio. She is scheduled to graduate in December, 1992.

For this one super-important paper now in the works, she has

chosen the topic *Effects Of Race, Gender, And Class On Women In Brackettville*. She has spent a number of hours in the community interviewing women...homemakers, school personnel, community leaders, business women, ranch women...She has become so engrossed in her topic that she is considering developing it further into a book. Should she make that

decision, she will be spending additional time in Kinney County.

An historical journal is ready to publish an article she did on the "Open Housing Act of 1968."

Ms. Rodgers lives at the Radar Base at Eagle Pass and has ten years of teaching experience.

Friday afternoon a dessert coffee was held in her honor at Las Moras Inn's Cavalry Room.

Bell Rescues Man From Burning Trailer

Herb Bell is credited with saving Winfield Proctor from almost certain death by pulling him from his smoke-filled trailer home Friday morning.

A passing motorist on Highway 90 noticed smoke pouring from the trailer and stopped at Mr. Bell's

garage immediately across the street to report the fire.

Mr. Bell entered the trailer and removed the elderly gentleman who appeared addled. Apparently he had been smoking in bed and caught the mattress on fire. Many cigarette butts were strewn on the bed, on the floor, and throughout the trailer.

Mr. Bell found an electric heater going "full force" in the living room of the trailer.

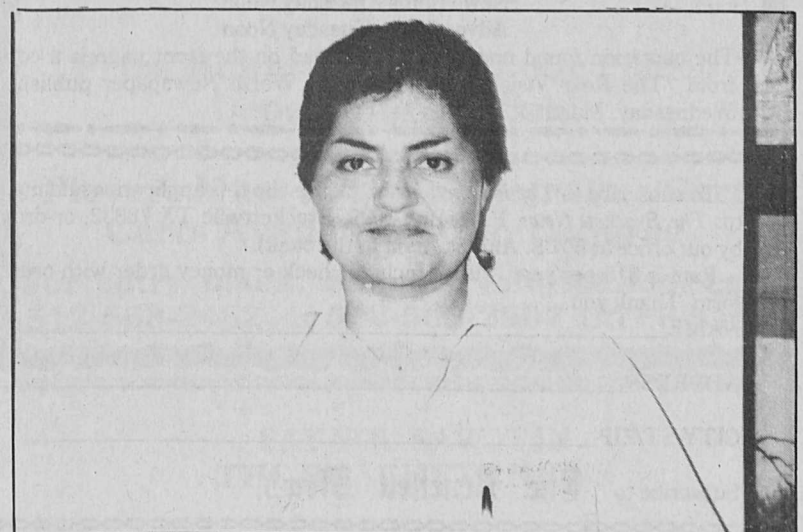
The Brackettville Volunteer Fire Department did respond although Mr. Bell had the fire out when they arrived. The Department blew smoke out of the trailer and Mr. Proctor was permitted to re-enter his home.

Martinez Earns New Position

Maria Martinez has been promoted by the Brackett Independent School District to a new position as Night Security/Custodian. She started the new assignment August 15, 1992.

Maria was born and raised in Brackettville and has been employed by the school for seven years.

With the new title, Maria takes on the responsibility of security for the district and will normally be on duty six days per week, Monday through Saturday night seeing that school property is protected.



Sheriff's Corner

By Sheriff Norman H. Hooten



We hear a lot today about drugs and teenagers and parents and other concerned citizens become very angry at the thought of our young people being exposed to that very serious problem. And it needs to be, and is, addressed in many areas of law enforcement and citizens groups. But perhaps the most serious problem affecting teenagers today is one that often seems to be accepted by many parents, and even condoned by others.

That problem is the use and abuse of alcohol by teenagers, which is not only dangerous, but illegal and contributes to the number one killer of teenagers today, drunk driving.

More than 3,500 teens are killed and 85,000 injured each year in car crashes involving alcohol. Not all those killed and injured have been drinking; some are passengers or innocent targets of people who drink and drive. Someone in the United States is killed in an alcohol related traffic accident every 23 minutes.

A can of beer or a glass of wine or wine cooler is just as intoxicating as a shot of liquor. Most state laws, including those of Texas, define "drunk" as having a Blood Alcohol Concentration (BAC) of 0.10%. But people react differently depending on how recently they have eaten, their metabolism, how tired they are the medication they take, their emotional state, and their weight.

Because of these differences, no one can predict a "safe" number of drinks. The bottom line is that alcohol is a depressant. Even small amounts slow your physical reactions and thought processes. Combining alcohol and other drugs, even over the counter ones, multiplies the dangerous effects of both. Never mix alcohol with any drug, even cold

tablets, cough syrups, or medicine prescribed by your doctor.

Drunk driving is against the law in all states. If you are arrested as a DWI or DUI (Driving While Intoxicated or Driving Under the Influence), you can lose your license, be fined, or go to jail or prison. Most courts today can and will try 16 and 17 years olds as adults in cases where death or severe injury has occurred. No one wants to live with the fact that he or she caused an accident, injured someone, or took a life. If you drink and drive, you are taking that gamble. Don't let your friends take that risk either. If people you know have been drinking, try to stop them from driving, arrange a ride or call a friend, or at the very least see that they stay put. If these actions don't work, don't ride with them.

Alcohol is a drug! It is the most widely abused drug in our nation. A number of drugs that are illegal for everyone, such as marijuana and cocaine, severely impair a driver's skills, just as alcohol does. Don't use illegal drugs and don't ride with a driver who has. When you are old enough to buy beer, wine, and liquor, don't buy it for younger people. You're not doing them any favors. It's illegal and you could get a criminal record if caught doing so.

For more information on programs that have been organized to fight drunk driving you may contact the below listed organizations:
 SADD (Students Against Drunk Driving)
 Box 800
 Marlborough, MA 01752 or
 MADD (Mothers Against Drunk Driving)
 Box 541688
 Dallas, TX 75354-1688

Parents, remember; law enforcement starts at home and the life you save might be that of your own child. Refuse to accept the use of alcohol by your minor children and use whatever force justified in enforcing that rule!
THAT'S ALL!

SCOTT & WHITE Options For Health Chewing Tobacco Is Hazardous To Your Health



Paul Ogden, M.D.

Department of Community Internal Medicine at Scott & White Hospital and Clinic and Associate Professor of Medicine, Texas A&M University College of Medicine

Q: Some of my friend's sons are chewing tobacco. They say it is safer than smoking. Is this true?

A: Tobacco in any form is unsafe. It is estimated that approximately 400,000 individuals die every year from tobacco use in the United States. There are no inherent advantages to using smokeless tobacco opposed to smoking; both can create serious health problems.

While it is true that people who are dipping tobacco will not get emphysema or lung cancer, their risk of getting mouth, tongue, or lip cancer is 50 times greater than the general population. It also causes significant problems with heartburn and ulcer disease, gum disease resulting in the loss of teeth, significant increase in the number of cavities, as well as occasionally being a factor in high blood pressure.

The dose of nicotine associated with dipping is considered to be much higher than smoking unless a person smokes more than a pack and one-half a day. The nicotine addiction, therefore, is hard to break and is usually physical as well as psychological.

Overall, smokeless tobacco has many health risks and should be strongly discouraged. Unfortunately, it is quite popular among teenage boys, even more so than smoking. Parents should be advised of these health risks both for themselves and their children. It is also important that parents set a good example by not using tobacco themselves.



Between Us

By Joe Townsend



It's always true that if you let unqualified politicians say enough they expose themselves.

The recent tirade by the Mayor is a case in point. For her information, I was in the meeting of the Commissioners Court when the representatives of 9-1-1 and MRG pressured the Court to change its stance on 9-1-1.

I don't recall seeing the Mayor there.

It's better to keep one's mouth shut and be thought ignorant than to open it and remove all doubt.

That's just window dressing. Now, to the marvelous logic of the entire verbose "Letter To The Editor." The complaint that I originally voiced about nearly 36% of the grant being syphoned off by "engineering and consulting fees" was never even addressed.

The mayor claims Kinney County is entitled to \$85,060. I understand one year by gentleman's agreement this goes to the county, the next year to the city. If this is allocated so, where is the need of a consultant at an unconcionable amount?

The idea of paying a consultant's fee is relatively new to the city and county.

Mayor, are you saying it's impossible to get state funds allocated to this county without hiring a consultant? Who told you that; the consultant?

Certainly, it is after the fact that the City Council used street funds to fight Texcor. Incidentally TWC does not say the Texcor site is over the Edwards Aquifer. It simply says enough of Kinney County is over the Aquifer to demand regulation. The snide remark about Texcor is understandable when we know the influence in City Hall.

Your dreams of Area I, II, and III had to come from your consulting engineer.

Several questions: If the city cannot rightly repair potholes and shoulders of streets, what kind of a job will it be with the city doing the labor? Another; if the city receives the grant in 1992, isn't it the county's time in 1993?

Are we supposed to pass out roses to the Mayor for what she says will be done in 1992? Mayor, I'm more interested in not blowing a tire or breaking a shock in 1992 than stargazing about 1995 or 1997.

Another point; what makes you think you will still be mayor. The City Secretary will still be on the job and present council members will still be on the council in 1997? What assurance do you have MRG will still be in business handing out half-eaten pie by 1995, 1997? Did it ever occur to you that buying votes by government largesse is about a thing of the past.

This bubbling spring will one day spit dust into begging hands. What we need is a mayor and council with thinking power and know how to be willing to look at needs and income and do the job. The city long ago was told it's manpower costs were out of line with need and income and yet this cost continues to skyrocket and streets become a disgrace to any town.

People have enough sense to drive these streets and know that the mayor and city secretary should do a better job caring for the streets. Holding a carrot promising better streets by MRG in 1997 would be hilarious were it now so ridiculously flawed.

Also, I'm informed the mayor is supposed to appoint the director of low rent housing. How can you justify hiring two people for a half-time job? How can you justify the mayor being one of those two people? What qualifies her for the position?

How can you justify a councilman living in one of the new four bedroom houses at \$961 a month?

Ge, the further we go the more we see ridiculous actions by the city. But this is the price the people pay for miscreant voting - they asked for it.

OOPS!

CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS

Ordinance #1992-09-08-01, passed by the Brackettville City Council on Tuesday, September 8, 1992, set the regular meetings of the Council on Tuesday following the second Monday...not the first Monday as reported.

A sincere apology to the City, and an invitation to all citizens of Brackettville to attend the meetings on the Tuesday following the second Monday, 7:00 p.m., at Slatlor Hall.

McNew - Clardy Engagement

The wedding of Tamara McNew and Jerry Clardy is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. on Friday, October 16, 1992, at the Alamo Village Chapel.

Big Mama Sez!



We cannot all be brilliant, but anyone can be dependable.

PLEASE REMEMBER that we attempt to include something for everyone within the pages of our paper. We realize that that some folks enjoy finding fault and for those readers we thoughtfully include a socially acceptable number of errors within our publication.



MEMBER 1992

The Brackett News welcomes letters to the Editor. The Editor reserves the right to edit all letters submitted for length and context.

Letters will be edited to avoid the use of profanity or libelous statements pertaining to the rights of citizens.

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Thank You!

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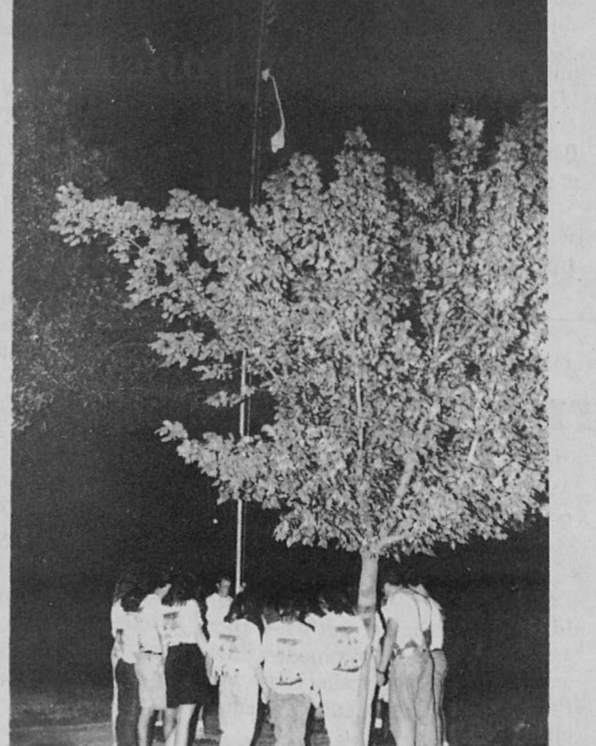
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Frontier Baptist Church (A Southern Baptist Church): Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 A.M., Sunday Evening Service 6:00 P.M. Joe Townsend, Pastor, 512-563-2158.
First Baptist Church (A Southern Baptist Church): 307 N. Ann Street. Sunday School 9:45 A.M., Sunday Worship Service 11:00 A.M. and 7:00 P.M., Wednesday Worship 7:00 P.M. Gil Ash, Pastor. 563-2245.
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St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church: Masses Mon. & Fri. 7:00 A.M. Wed. & Sat. 6:30 P.M., Sunday (Spanish) 8:00 A.M. regular 10:30 A.M. Confessions Wed. & Sat. 6:00 P.M. Religion Classes Wed. 6:00 P.M. Sun. 9:00 A.M. Prayer Meeting (Spanish) Wed. 7:00 P.M. Father 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 Wed. 5:00 P.M. Gordon Miller Pastor.

Letter To The Editor

Ref: Mr. Townsend

I implore you, please re-examine your facts concerning the Brackettville Volunteer Fire Department. Unless you have either been under a rock or in your own world, the Volunteer Fire Department, as well as the Ladies Auxiliary have repeatedly asked, begged and pleaded with the citizens of Kinney County, and the City of Brackettville (of which I am assuming you are) to help with expenditures before going to the City Council. They do this by sponsoring fundraisers, such as Bar-B-Ques, cakewalks, etc. By the way Mr. Townsend, I have yet to see you at any of the functions.

The bunker gear you are referring to in your column is protective gear that enables the firefighter to successfully complete the job they have volunteered for, a job that I have not seen you volunteer for yet. If you know that you only see 5 or 6 men "turnout" in response to a call, you are certainly mistaken of those "5 or 6 men", there are one, two, three, (yes, three) who are women, women who have more-"guts"--than you to show up and volunteer to risk their lives. Possibly, the only reason holding back more volunteers is the lack of equipment that protects the firefighter from the hazards of volunteering their time, which could be spent at home, or at their desks writing newspaper columns.

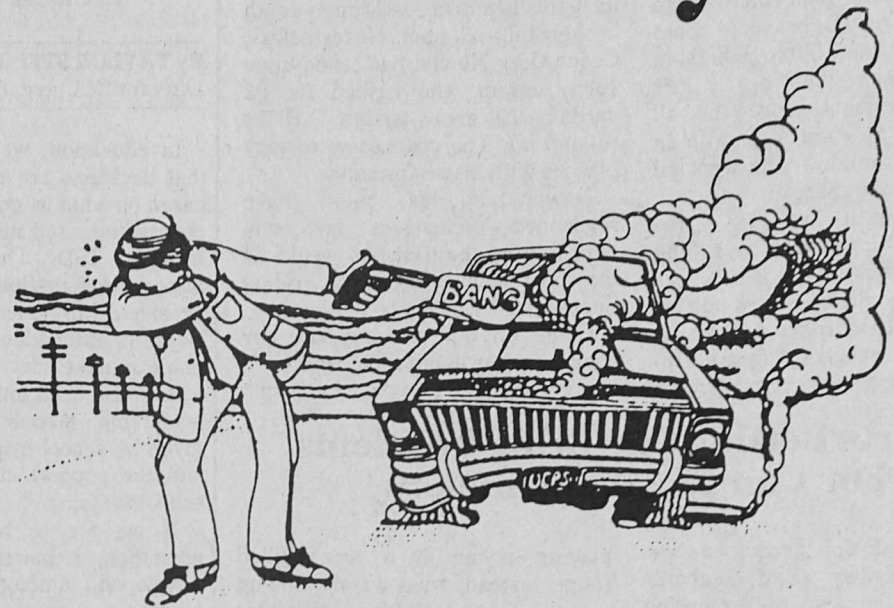
One thing I do agree with you, though, the people of Brackettville, Fort Clark, and Kinney County have responded to true needs, such as a recent school supply drive held by a youth group of the Catholic Church, but then again, only sincerely concerned citizens pull through, by the way, did I see you at the school supply drive? I didn't think so.

The \$400.00 a month from the City to the Volunteer Fire Department could possibly be used toward the purchase of a new fire engine.

Finally, Mr. Townsend, if you are so concerned with the welfare of the City, why is it I haven't seen your name on recent voting ballots seeking election, but as you remind yourself, the people elect, and the people deserve what they get.

Kindest regards,
/s/Gustavo F. Garcia

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Cowboy Cauldron Big Success

The Kinney County Cowboy Cauldron offered something for just about everyone. In addition to the outstanding entertainment, booths displaying fabulous merchandise and delicious food, and varied activities rounded out a full day.

In the **Washer Pitching** tournament, Bill Baxter and Billy Welch took first place with Cobey Keith and Ward Fairchild winning second. The Bill Baxter-Billy Welch team also won first place in **horseshoe pitching** with Bernice Cervantes and Eddie Solis coming in second.

"Smitty's Outhouse Chile" team was judged first in taste and first in showmanship in the **chili cook-off**. McClure and McClure (the father-daughter team of Alvin and Tonya) known as "Alvin's Texas Doe Pee Chili" team was second according to the judges but first according to the People's Choice Award.



Fiddling Champion Regina Matthews



The father-daughter team of Alvin McClure (right) and Tonya McClure were the "People's Choice" Chili Champs and judge's second place winners.

Seven and a half-year old Regina Matthews won the Youth Division of the **Fiddling Contest**. Tom Bomer was second and Kacy Fairchild was third. In the mid-agers group, Carolyn White was first, Rodney

Commerce Board of Directors did a tremendous job of organizing this activity. Special recognition goes to **Kathryn Letsinger**, Executive Secretary, and **Larry Sofaly**, Chamber President.

The Chamber sends special thanks to C. C. Veltman, Bob McCall, Felix Hernandez, Mark Johnson, Tom Faulkenberry, Martha Germany, Marie Sofaly - and the entire Sofaly family, Alvin and Tonya McClure, Smiley Goodloe, David Sargeant, Jr., Irv and Mrs. Ballard,

Mike McCarron, Zack Davis, Rodney Cottle, Fort Clark Springs, Kinney County, all the entertainers, Larry Scott, the exhibitors, and everyone that attended the events.

Last, but certainly not least, Brackett ISD for all the wonderful cowboy pictures, stories, and poems.

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Natasha's Stars

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Well, if you like to work hard, you've got the perfect week. And, if you're looking at love, count on spending a pretty penny. You want and need to "veg" this weekend.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Don't get excessive (you know how you are) when it comes to money and the "good life" this week. An important visit, phone call or talk, figures prominently in this weekend. Plan on moderation.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You pass through the valley of gloom this week, only to soar to the highest mountain by the weekend. Plan well, as you make the most of the good times. Of course, if you want something else, you can have it.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You need to stay in rhythm this week, Moonchild, as the moon guides you through several interesting highs and lows. You sense that you can have what you want midweek. Do not waiver, or you will be very, very sorry. You beam over the weekend.

LEO (July 23-August 22) Accept being in the limelight (which you love since you're such a ham) and taking on the accompanying responsibilities. You get your "just" rewards. You start the weekend celebrations early, or at least you want to.

VIRGO (August 23-September 22) The two of you are still knocking out terms. You must find a solution that makes you both happy. If all else fails, get some expert advice. Realize that you two have made so much noise about this, others are watching.

LIBRA (September 23-October 22) The dominant foe is a partner this week. You need to go along with others and be a little bit of a "yes."

person. Close encounters, tete-a-tetes, and sublime moments of satisfaction are all part of the weekend's script. Now then, isn't it nice to just say YES?

SCORPIO (October 23-November 21) Crash through work as fast as possible and you'll feel accomplished, happy and wonderful. Social opportunities occur way before the weekend, and the intensity and enchantment could drag you away. Talks between you and another are intense.

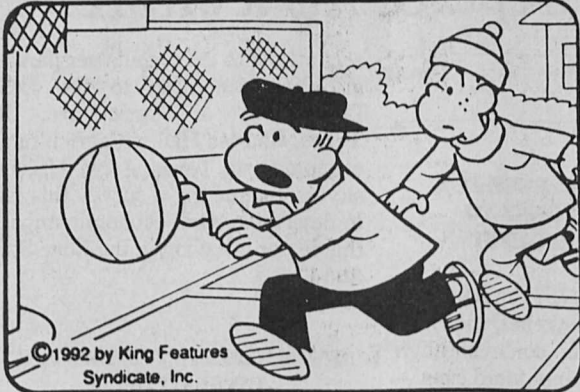
SAGITTARIUS (November 22-December 21) You roll into the week late (you know, because of your busy social schedule), and you roll into the weekend even earlier (social commitments, again). You really need to steamroll through your work this week, before interference sets in.

CAPRICORN (December 22-January 19) Your creativity is a big factor this week both at work and at play. You may have to push really hard at the end of the week to be the responsible goat that gets the job (or errands) done. Enjoy nibbling away this weekend.

AQUARIUS (January 20-February 18) You talk a good game this week, but before you put your words into action, really consider what you are doing. Can you handle all the wildness and craziness? In any case, your ability to steer through all the excitement comes out.

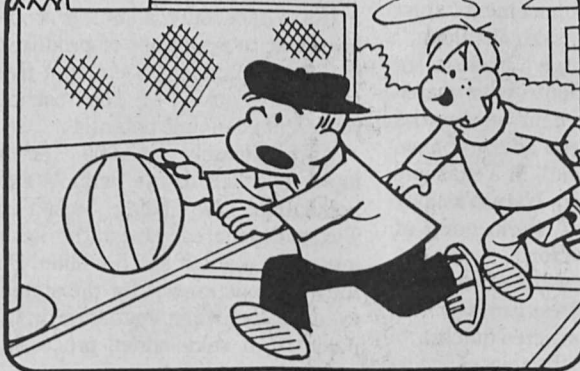
PISCES (February 19-March 20) You move quickly and adroitly this week. You know what you want, but do consider the long term. Expect to do some real soul searching even into the weekend, but after, you're off on a romp. Do enjoy being teased by the bait.

Vision Teaser



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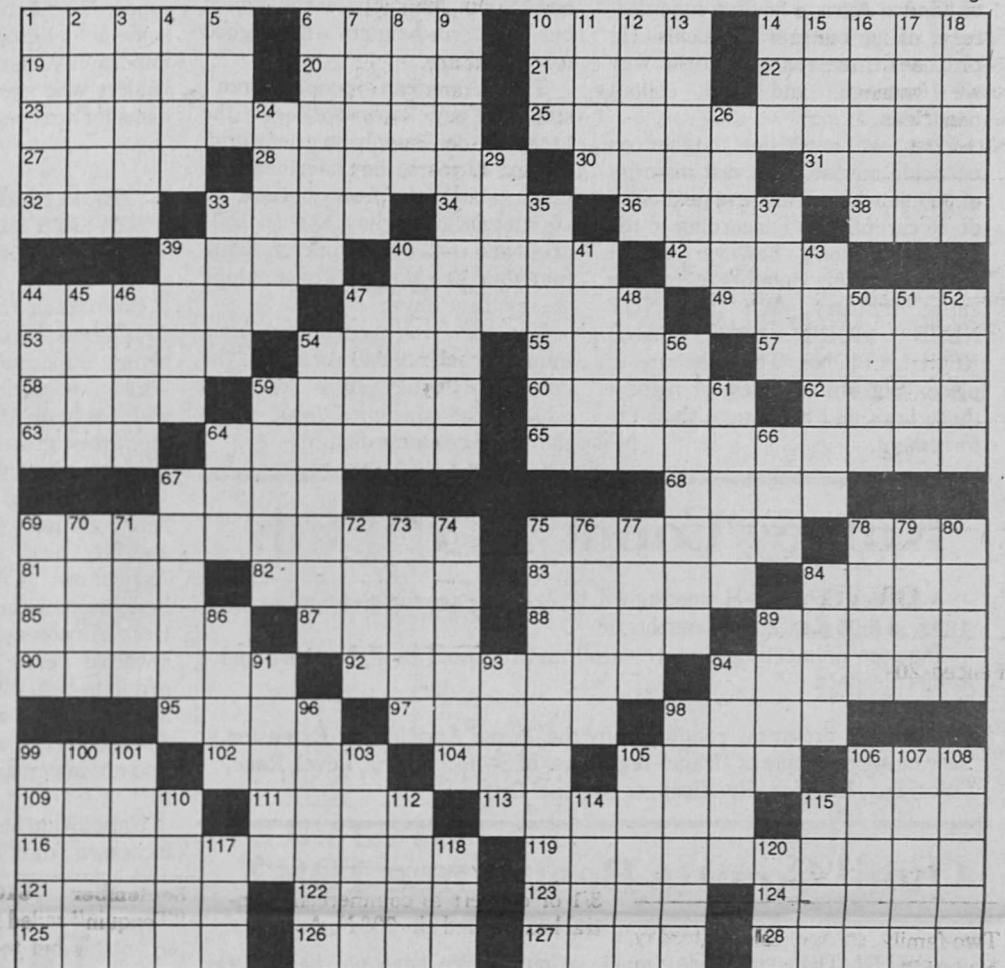
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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions-forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

- Army: Countless, Flocks, Host
Innumerable: Legion, Many, Masses
Mobs: Myriad, Numerous
Multitude: Myriad
Scores: Throng, Zillion

Super Crossword

ACROSS: 1 Author of "The Divine Comedy", 6 Indecent talk, 10 Playwright Connelly, 14 Gruel of maize meal, 19 Part of T.S.E., 20 "To — His Dulcinea", 21 Inland sea of Asia, 22 Jeopardy, 23 Novel by Danielle Steel, 25 Shirley Maclaine opus, 27 Logan or Fitzgerald, 28 Spanish seaport, 30 High tableland, 31 Gray wolf, 32 Actor/dancer Bolger, 33 It might be red, 34 Goddess of harvests, 36 Weights of India, 39 Women's org., 39 John O'Hara's "A — to Live", 40 Spain's — del Sol, 42 Noted couturier, 44 Money, in Mexico, 47 Organized, 49 He wrote "Berlin Diary", 53 Word before suit or shop, 54 Sketch, 55 Epochal, 57 — Culp Hobby, 58 Dozes off, 59 Lariat, 60 Made public, 62 Nipa palm, 63 Chemical suffix, 64 Of greater height, 65 He wrote "On Wings of Eagles", 67 Desert in Asia, 68 "On Your —" (musical), 69 She created Heidi, 75 Rachel Carson's "Silent —", 78 Little boy, 81 Actor Ray, 82 "The — and Daniel Webster", 83 House of origin follower, 84 Diva's forte, 85 Zeppelin's cousin, 87 Actress, 88 Gal Fri., 89 Elmore Leonard novel, 90 Glossy fabric, 92 Young hare, 94 Peace of mind, 95 Plod, 97 Splinter groups, 98 Calligrapher's supply, 99 Fri. follower, 102 In good condition, 104 Adage, 105 Enameled metalware, 106 Aries, 109 Caesar's fatal date, 111 Bar or house follower, 113 Easy to manage, 115 Soccer great, 116 Belonging to the author of "Red Storm Rising", 119 Book by John Naisbitt, 121 Hungarian national hero, 122 Source of the Blue Nile, 123 "East of —", 124 Made of cereal grass, 125 Donna and Robert, 126 Outbuilding, 127 Dweeb's pal, 128 Cara of "Fame", (1976 movie), 37 District of London, 39 Classic cars, 40 Packing case, 41 Eagle's home, 43 Competitors, 44 Frank Herbert novel, 45 Privy to, 46 Nest of pheasants, 47 Evangelist Roberts, 48 Mend socks, 50 Plexus, 51 French state, 52 Engrossed, 54 Distribute the mail, 56 Radical or liberal, 59 Fanatical in opinions, 61 "Lorna —", 64 High, craggy hill, 66 Stage of a journey, 67 Folklore creatures, 69 Pokes, 70 Spicy stew, 71 Access to a mine, 72 Wicked, 73 Religious ceremonies, 74 Dudes, 75 Judy Blume novel, 76 Works as a model, 77 Reddish-brown color, 78 Peter, Paul and Mary, e.g., 79 River islands, 80 Bewilder, 84 Heidi's home, 86 Pound heavily, 89 Hackman of Hollywood, 91 "— Rae", 93 Habitat plant form, 94 Lease again, 96 San Francisco team, 98 James Michener novel, 99 Hindu guitar, 100 Worship, 101 Arizona city, 103 Hebrew prophet, 105 Detroit player, 106 French security, 107 Priscilla's husband, 108 Middle, in law, 110 Atlantic fish, 112 Unit of force, 114 Yield, 115 Pome fruit, 117 Brit. nobleman, 118 "The Ballad of the — Cafe", 120 French king



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Happy Birthday

- Sept. 17: Claude Owen, Rosalie J. Dalton
Sept. 17: Karen Crumley
Sept. 17: Maria R. Reschman
Sept. 18: Margaret M. Batchelor
Sept. 18: Agapito Saenz
Sept. 20: Wil Shahan
Sept. 21: Carolina Longoria, Brian Hooker

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Service Directory

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Tiger Football. Varsity: Friday, September 18, Tiger Stadium, 8:00 p.m. VS Nueces Canyon. Junior High: Tuesday, September 22, at Eagle Pass.

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JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

The Middle Rio Grande Development Council is accepting applications for the position of Participant Services Specialist.

This is a part-time position (20 hours per week) located at the Crystal City JTPA Center. Preferred requirements are: High school graduate or G.E.D.; must demonstrate good communications skills; must be detail oriented; must have good transportation; some agency or governmental experience preferred; bilingualism.

All qualified applicants interested in applying for this position should mail a resume or application to the Middle Rio Grande Development Council, P. O. Box 1199, Carrizo Springs TX 78834, attention Ramon S. Johnston, Deputy Director of Administration.

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Days Past by Dorothy Payne

September 1810: Astor's ship "Tonquin" sailed from New York as part of his bid to control the commerce of Oregon. Tonquin stopped at the Hawaiian Islands, then arrived off the Columbia River March 11. Shortly after setting up the settlement of Astoria, the ship was destroyed by a gunpowder explosion following an Indian attack.

September 1811 - The steamboat "New Orleans" built at Pittsburg by Nicholas Roosevelt, was launched on the Ohio River. This was the first steamboat to appear on western waters; its maiden voyage was memorable.

September 26, 1811 - General Harrison led a force of 1,000 well-trained men out of Vincennes to attack the Indian settlement known as Prophetstown, 150 miles north on the Tippecanoe Creek. After 65 miles, the men stopped and constructed Fort Harrison, at Terre Haute, to serve as an advance base. Most of October was given to this project - indicative of Harrison's determination to subdue the Indians.

September 17, 1812 - In the War of 1812, President Madison and Secretary of War Eustis made William Henry Harrison a brigadier general and gave him command of the army in the northwest.

September 10, 1813 - Oliver H. Perry defeated the British fleet on Lake Erie and sent a message to General Harrison - "We have met the enemy and they are ours." This decisive battle gave the United States control of Lake Erie.

September 2, 1820 - The "Indian Sentinel" rejoiced that a line of stagecoaches now ran from Louisville to Vincennes, and then on to St. Louis.

September 4, 1821 - Czar Alexander I issued an imperial ukase extending Russian claims on the Pacific Coast to the 51st parallel, which was in the Oregon Country. It has been more than 15 years since Alexander Baranof sailed the ship "Juno" into San Francisco Bay from Russian Alaska.

September 3, 1822 - The Fox and Souk Indians signed a treaty that permitted them to live on the land they had previously ceded in the Wisconsin Territory and Illinois.

September 1823 - Stephen F. Austin began to lay out San Felipe de Austin on the Brazos River as the colonial seat of government. Mexico responded by providing new land grants to American settlers in Texas.

September 16, 1834 - Wyeth reached the Pacific Coast. When his ship docked, he built Fort William on an island of the Willamette River in Oregon.

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"I've never had a job before. How can I get started?"
"Where do I find the training I need to help me find the job I want?"
"I can't decide on a career!"
"I need to brush up on my skills so I can get ahead. Where do I go?"
"I have trouble motivating myself. What can I do?"
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I Remember So Well - Sometimes Too Well

Do you remember Timothy O'Leary and his mind expanding drug - LSD? He started a new concept of living...very alluring, a visionary world...but the start of a plague worse than yellow fever or polio. Dr. Pike, in England teaching at Oxford College, sat, apparently helpless, by his son who had a bad trip and died. Dr. Pike took his son's ashes back to California and strew them over the Pacific.

The magazine I was taking at the time said he felt very unsure of his beliefs. Later he divorced and married a young woman. He was the spiritual leader of a great denomination.

About that time a young couple who lived near me said (when I asked about a precious little boy baby), "We never do anything for him unless he cries." Dr. Spock said, "Don't spank Junior, it will warp his little psyche. Don't love Junior, it will make him emotionally immature."

Some years later when my husband and I were in California we saw many, and met some, "Flower Children," the living example of "no love, no guidance, and poor idols."

Then the Viet Nam War - the exodus to Canada, the drugs, the starting of co-ed dormitories in college, later sex education in school, the beginning of "a relationship" instead of a happy marriage, then - a relationship - a flimsy excuse.

Madalyn Murray O'Hair came in there somewhere and started the ban of religion in the schools. No one thought she could but with a generation of "No God - God is dead children" it was really easy.

Gang wars in the ghettos, no respect for people or property. We elected and re-elected people with the morals of a snake. It became the "in-thing" to brag in Senate and House wash rooms of what they "got by with." The fine Christian people who were elected were snowed under, then on the hill

in Washington and in the state capitals across the nation one scandal after another ceased to shock people and one man said, "Anne, you have got to get the gray while the gray is good." Needless to say, he lost a friend.

When a Christian lady loses a child, it is devastating. A miscarriage is heart breaking. I still grieve for two people. One carried a child (a beautiful boy) born dead. She had a complete nursery. The doctor told her to just not worry, she could in a couple of months start over. She did, and the next baby boy lived three days - long enough for them to love him. I tried to help, prayed for help, she ended up a complete atheist. Nothing anyone could do to help.

My heart break now is for the people who use abortion as a contraceptive. They have to have no feelings for themselves, or for God. I knew a doctor who quit OBGyn because he could not take any more lives.

It is sadder yet for the people who cannot have children and simply cannot find children to adopt. Good home-loving people who would be wonderful parents. The babies are dead, millions of them.

Crime in the schools, crime in the streets. We are paying dearly for one reason only - we are not a nation "under God." This cannot be blamed on a president, or helped by a president, it has to be done by parents in the home.

We can blame everyone but it has to be done by people who believe in God, and who pray to a living God. God is not dead - he is still in charge of our world.

Tiger Power

We need to use the hospitals for the aged who are not being cared for before we decide on Euthenasia.

Open the CCC camps again, and use the military to make men out of bad boys, and put dope peddlers in chain gangs on the road.

Quit coddling criminals and put them in tents and crude barracks instead of jails. I heard a man say, "Oh, I'm happier and healthier in jail - good food. I don't mind at all." Lock up sex offenders - they never change.

I'm very thankful for my parents - for all the dear and wonderful people I have had through out my whole life. But, I am most grateful that I have never been alone - you are not alone if you never go anywhere you can't take the Lord with you.

Be thankful for your local schools and very watchful. May God bless us all.

Anne Butler San Antonio (Mrs. Butler formerly lived at Fort Clark Springs and is enjoying her 85th year of life)

Nutrition Center Menu
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21
Tuna Casserole
Carrot & Raisin Salad
Cauliflower
Hot Rolls - Applesauce
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22
Ham - Glazed Candied Yams
Peas/Pearl Onions
Biscuits - Prunes
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23
Liver/Onions
Mashed Potatoes - Buttered Corn
Hot Rolls - Jello
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24
Cheese Enchiladas
Pinto Beans - Spanish Rice
Crackers - Applesauce
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Hot Rolls - Pears

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Meditations

Most of us have seen and heard Dr. Buckner Fanning who does a number of TV "spots" each week. Thousands of people in South Texas who have not met this man personally identify with him because of his popular 30 second ads.

Buckner Fanning grew up under the ministry of George Truett in the First Baptist Church in Dallas. He and his wife exchanged their wedding vows in that church.

During World War II Buckner Fanning joined the marines at 17 years of age. He served along with thousands of other military personnel in Iwo Jima, Saipan, and other South Pacific "hot spots." Fanning witnessed the loss of many of his comrades in battle.

Following military service that decorated marine attended Baylor University and Southwestern Baptist Seminary with an outstanding record. He criss-crossed Texas and other States as an Evangelist for

nearly 10 years.

For the past 33 years, Buckner Fanning has served as pastor in San Antonio. His service in that church and his mission ventures to Jamaica in the Caribbean, Russia and Hungary, various countries and continents makes his journal sound like the travels of the Apostle Paul.

In a time when many leaders in the religious, political, educational, and medical fields have caused a lot of scandals and mistrust to their professions, it's refreshing to find those who retain their integrity and continue to serve others in meaningful ways.

Buckner Fanning happens to be one among many whose life is unblemished and untarnished by the corrupt world in which we live. Look around you and you'll discover a number of "unknowns" who also provide inspiration and guidance for those who struggle in the midst of life's tough journey.

St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church

"FOOD FOR THE POOR" SPEAKER

Current church-based efforts to help the destitute poor of the Third World will be among the subjects featured in a guest homily planned for St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church on the weekend of September 26 and 27.

The guest speaker will be Fr. Steven Schmidbauer of "Food For The Poor," an international relief agency currently serving in the Caribbean. Food for the Poor ships food, building and medical supplies, school furniture, equipment for self-help projects and other direct assistance to more than 20 countries, including Haiti and Guyana.

Fr. Schmidbauer will be preaching at all Liturgies that weekend. For more information about Food for the Poor, write 50 S.W. 12th Avenue, Bldg. 4, Dept. 2608, Deerfield Beach FL 33442.

Congratulations to Knights of the Altar: Ignacio Aguirre, Jr., Eduardo Esparza, Saul Hidalgo, and Raymond Talamantez, who in an impressive ceremony received the Grand Cross at 10:30 mass September 13, at St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church.

At the same mass Miguel DeLeon, Michael Garcia, Jesus Hidalgo, Jr., Sam Hunt, and David Lopez were welcomed and installed as new Knights of the Altar.



Salvador S. Pacheco III

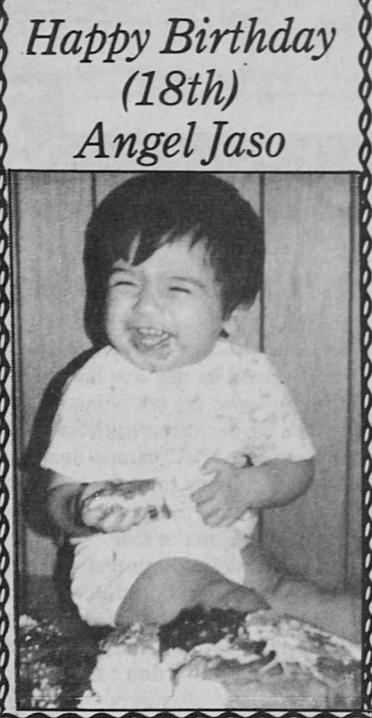
Miss Anna Sanchez of Brackettville became the proud parent of a son, Salvador S. Pacheco III, on September 10, 1992, at 8:47 p.m.

Salvador III was born at Val Verde Memorial Hospital in Del Rio. He weighed 6 pounds and 3 ounces and was 20 inches long.

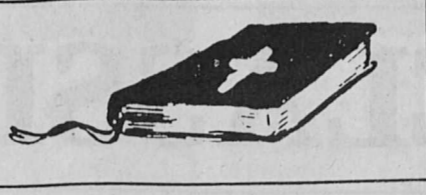
He has an older sister, Rosario S. Pacheco, who is two years old.

Maternal grandparents are Armando Sanchez and the late Rosario Sanchez. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Salvador Pacheco.

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Obituary



Sarah Ellen Hoover

Funeral services were held for Sarah Ellen Hoover at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 16, 1992, at the First Baptist Church of Brackettville with Rev. Joe Townsend and Rev. Gil Ash officiating. Interment followed at the Kinney County Cemetery.

Mrs. Hoover was born February 16, 1917, in Vance, Texas. She passed away at age 75 on September 14, 1992, in Val Verde Memorial Hospital, Del Rio.

She was married to Russell W. Hoover on June 4, 1934, in Uvalde. He preceded her in death.

She is survived by a son, Russell H. Hoover of Del Rio; a daughter, Ginger June Dodson of Brackettville; daughters and sons-in-law, Rosemary and Dennis Slubar of Brackettville, Linda and Michael Ramsey of Garwood; nine grandchildren and sixteen great-grandchildren. Two sisters - Nina Gilbert of San Angelo, and Laura Calvert of Sabinal-also survive.

Rushing-Estes-Knowles Mortuary was in charge of arrangements. John Bunjes, Chuy Munoz, Zack Davis, Tim Ward, Robert Cano, and Willie Warrior served as pall bearers.

Commissioners Name Fritter As Road Administrator

Kinney County Judge Tim Ward called the Commissioners Court into regular session with Commissioners Freddie Frerich, Plunker Sheedy, and Alvin McClure present. Commissioner Ruben Fuentas was absent. Judge Ward led the pledge of allegiance and Jean Faulkenberry gave the invocation.

Minutes of August 10, 24, 31, and September 8 meetings were accepted as corrected. Elected officials reports were approved.

The court accepted the Certification Procedure pursuant to Local Government Code 232.0046, which governs placement of utilities on certain plats.

The contract with Middle Rio Grande Development Council Area Agency on Aging (funding for the Kinney County Aging Center) was extended six months until MRGDC receives their new budget quotas.

Approval was granted to hold the Annual Health Fair in the Civic Center one Thursday in October.

The court signed the resolution to advertise guidelines for Indigent Health Care.

Sarah Solis Terrazas was appointed to the Library Board to replace Sandra Mears who is moving from the community.

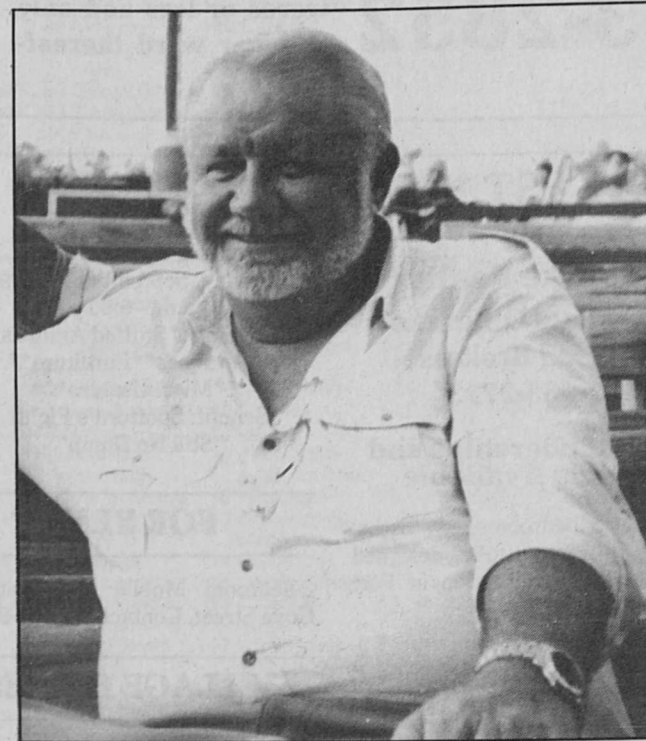
City Holds Two Special Meetings

On Wednesday, September 9, at 5:00 p.m., the Brackettville City Council met in the city secretary's office for a special meeting.

The council discussed and agreed on the disbursement of the grant money, and directed City Secretary Mendeke to contact Mr. Rosin, grant coordinator, and so instruct him.

Again in the city secretary's office at 4:00 p.m., September 11, the council met and passed a resolution pertaining to the submission of the grant application, by the city, to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs for the Community Development Fund.

"Rio Diablo" Filming At Alamo Village



Frank Dobbs "Rio Diablo" Script Writer

The upcoming TV western movie *Rio Diablo* starring Kenny Rogers, Travis Tritt, and Naomi Judd is now being filmed at local movie location Happy Shahan's Alamo Village.

Rio Diablo script writer, Frank Dobbs, has written many *Gunsnake* segments, wrote and directed *Uphill All The Way* and *Houston: Legion Of Texas*. He describes this story as the tale of a hard-bitten, ruthless bounty hunter (Kenny Rogers) finding himself an uneasy alliance with a young farmer (Travis Tritt) as they pursue a gang of bank bandits and kidnapers into the no-man's land west of Rio Diablo (Devil's River).

A fantastic script with tremendous stars will surely make this a #1 western when it is released early next winter.

But, it is also the behind the scenes people who contribute to the

Having the entire cast and crew in our community is super-beneficial in helping our entire area.

Thanks *Rio Diablo* for joining us here in Kinney County.

The bounty hunter discovers that beneath the calluses, the hatred, and years of bloody vengeance, he still has a streak of humanity. That becomes his undoing, explained Dobbs.

Filming will continue through Friday of this week, and then resume Monday, September 21, through Friday, September 25. Changes could occur in the schedule.

The public may watch the filming at Alamo Village, however, regular gate admission will apply.

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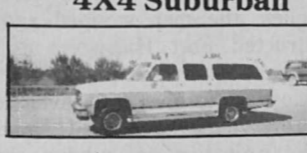
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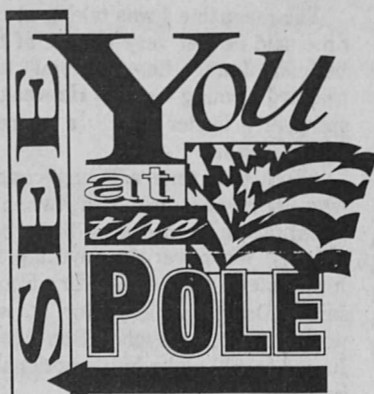
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September 16, 1992



Eastern Star To Honor Grand Officers Public Invited

Jean Faulkenberry, Worthy Matron, and Tom Faulkenberry, Worthy Patron, of Del Rio Chapter #204, Order of the Eastern Star, extends a cordial invitation to all members of the order, all Masonic organizations, and friends of the honorees, to a reception on Sunday, September 20, 1992, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. The reception will be at the Val Verde Masonic Lodge on Bedell Street in Del Rio.

The honorees are Mrs. Beverley Agee, Deputy Grand Matron, District 5, Section 4, and Mrs. Mary Haynes, Festal Committee, Mrs. Lou Lane, Leaders of the Future Committee, and Mrs. Chet Pitts, Book of Knowledge Committee, all of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star.



Wednesday, September 16, at 7:00 a.m. twenty-four students met at the Brackett High School flag pole to pray for students, teachers, and administrators, and for God's guidance in dealing with peer pressure as it relates to substance abuse or other temptations.

At the same time, twenty-one adults met at the Kinney County

Courthouse flag pole for a similar prayer meeting.

The youth group at First Baptist Church initiated and developed plans for these prayer meetings in Brackettville.

A complete feature on this movement was printed in last week's *The Brackett News*.

Seminole Indian Scout Cemetery Association Seminole Days Celebration

120th Annual Anniversary September 19 & 20, 1992

Carver School Grounds Brackettville, Texas

Parade
September 19, 9:30 a.m.
Line up at A&B Communications
Parade will end at Carver School
Awards at 11:00 a.m.

Featured Speaker
Clarence E. Sasser
Medal Of Honor Recipient

Booths Games
Disco Dance
NCO Club, Fort Clark Springs
\$3.00 per person; \$5.00 per couple

Bar-B-Que
12 O'clock p.m.--Lunch
Plates \$3.50, 1 meat
\$4.00, 2 meats
\$5.00 all meats

Exhibits
Singing
Music

For information contact Beverly Wright, 563-2422